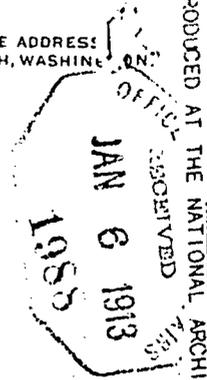


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INDIAN OFFICE

Honorable Commissioner of Indian Affairs,  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

The Ganado reservoir now being under construction, I beg to call your attention to the matter of what my standing will be as to water to irrigate 160 acres under this project.

The first survey of this reservoir was made for me. I built an irrigation ditch from the Pueblo, Colorado, Creek to my land and placed the 160 acres under irrigation and cultivation. The expense was more than the products from said acreage justified.

As per my letters on file with the Department or Mr. Robinson, you will find that I labored to interest the Indian Office in this matter. I also agreed to surrender all my rights to the Indian Office for water sufficient to irrigate my 160 acres. There has been a tacit understanding, not in writing, to such effect with former Commissioners of Indian Affairs. I do not desire for any special privilege, but I desire the right to irrigate the said land on the same basis as the Indians under said project. In times of scarcity I can receive only such amount of water as can be apportioned to all alike.

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I also wish to say that I will guarantee that the ditch will be cleaned by the Indians and myself without assistance from the Government, except in cases of flood and destruction of flumes. In case that the Indians would fail to perform their part, I will guarantee to do it myself.

I hope you will give this matter careful consideration.

Yours respectfully,

*J. L. Hubbell*

*Address  
Gaviads  
Arizona*