

HOMESTEAD PROOF—TESTIMONY OF CLAIMANT.

Delbert D. Cameron, being called as a witness in his own behalf in support of homestead entry, No. 4182, for Lots 1-2-3-4 Sect 3 Twp 19N Range 58E testifies as follows:

- Ques. 1.—What is your name, age, and post-office address?  
 Ans. Delbert D. Cameron age 40 Post office address Bull Nebraska
- Ques. 2.—Are you a native born citizen of the United States, and if so, in what State or Territory were you born?  
 Ans. I am a native born citizen of the United States  
Luzerne Pennsylvania
- Ques. 3.—Are you the identical person who made homestead entry, No. 4182, at the Sidney Nebraska land office on the Nineteenth day of February 1901, and what is the true description of the land now claimed by you?  
 Ans. I am the identical person who made the above filing on the Lots 1-2-3-4 Section 3 Township 19N Range Fifty Eight N 58E
- Ques. 4.—When was your house built on the land and when did you establish actual residence therein? (Describe said house and other improvements which you have placed on the land, giving total value thereof.)  
 Ans. My house was built September 4th 1889, I established actual residence September 1889. House Log 16x 26 1/2 13 1/2 Slab 16 Log 15 1/2 Shed Log 20x5 1/2 Well and wind mill. Total value of improvements \$10,000
- Ques. 5.—Of whom does your family consist; and have you and your family resided continuously on the land since first establishing residence thereon? (If unmarried, state the fact.)  
 Ans. My family consists of myself, wife and three children, We have not resided continuously on the land
- Ques. 6.—For what period or periods have you been absent from the homestead since making settlement, and for what purpose; and if temporarily absent, did your family reside upon and cultivate the land during such absence?  
 Ans. We have been absent at intervals for the support of my family but not to exceed six months at any one time. My family was absent with me.
- Ques. 7.—How much of the land have you cultivated each season and for how many seasons have you raised crops thereon?  
 Ans. I have cultivated 16 acres 3 years, one year cultivated was not raised crops
- Ques. 8.—Is your present claim within the limits of an incorporated town or selected site of a city or town, or used in any way for trade and business?  
 Ans. My claim is not in town or city or used in any way for trade or business
- Ques. 9.—What is the character of the land? Is it timber, mountainous, prairie, grazing, or ordinary agricultural land? State its kind and quality, and for what purpose it is most valuable.  
 Ans. The character of the land is grazing land most valuable for grazing and hay or raised for stock on the land
- Ques. 10.—Are there any indications of coal, salines, or minerals, of any kind, on the land? (If so, describe what they are, and state whether the land is more valuable for agricultural than for mineral purposes.)  
 Ans. There are no indications of coal salines or minerals on the land
- Ques. 11.—Have you ever made any other homestead entry? (If so, describe the same.)  
 Ans. I have never made any other homestead entry
- Ques. 12.—Have you sold, conveyed, or mortgaged any portion of the land; and if so, to whom and for what purpose?  
 Ans. I have not sold conveyed or mortgaged any portion of the land
- Ques. 13.—Have you any personal property of any kind elsewhere than on this claim? (If so, describe the same, and state where the same is kept.)  
 Ans. I have no other personal property elsewhere than on this land

Ques. 14.—Describe by legal subdivisions, or by number, kind of entry, and office where made, any other entry or filing (not mineral,) made by you since August 30, 1890.  
 Ans. I have made no other filing since August 30th 1890

(Sign plainly with full christian name.) Delbert D. Cameron

\* (In case the party is of foreign birth a certified transcript from the court records of his declaration of intention to become a citizen, or of his naturalization, or a copy thereof, certified by the officer taking this proof, must be filed with the case. Evidence of naturalization is only required in final (see you) homestead cases.)

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