

[4-089.]

HOMESTEAD AFFIDAVIT

Under Section 2294, Revised Statutes, for settlers who cannot appear at the District Land Office.

Office of the Clerk of the Court

For Scott Bluff County,

April 17 1880

I, Sarah J Segor, of Dormington, Neb.,

having filed my Homestead Application No. 2232, do solemnly swear that I am
a widow woman at the head of a family
and a native born citizen of the United
States

that said application No. 2232 is made for the purpose of actual settlement and cultivation ;
that said entry is made for my exclusive use and benefit, and not directly or indirectly for the use or benefit
of any other person or persons whomsoever ; that I

now residing on the land I desire to enter, and that I have made a *bona fide* improvement and settlement
thereon ; that said settlement was commenced Dec 22nd 1886

that my improvements consist of Log house, 10 acres of breaking

and that the value of the same is \$1800⁰⁰ ; that owing to to the great distance
and my old age

I am unable to appear at the District Land Office to make this affidavit, and that I have never before made
a homestead entry, ~~except~~

In presence of
M. J. Hoffman

Sarah J Segor
Wife

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 17 day of April 1880

and I identify applicant, or applicant has been satisfactorily identified by Arthur S Segor
to be the identical person that he represents himself to be.

B. S. Sentry
Clerk of the Court for Scott Bluff
County Neb.

NOTE.—The claimant must fill up the blank places above, showing whether he is the head of a family or over twenty-one years of age ; whether a native citizen, or has declared his intention to become a citizen ; whether he and his family, or some member thereof, is residing on the land, giving the date of actual settlement, describing the dwelling-house and improvements, and stating the value of the same, and stating reason for not appearing at the District Land Office. If claimant ever before made a homestead entry, describe the same : if not, draw a line over the word "except."