

NOTE.—The officer before whom the testimony is taken should call the attention of the witness to the following section of the Revised Statutes, and state to him that it is the purpose of the Government, if it be ascertained that he testifies falsely, to prosecute him to the full extent of the law.

TITLE LXX.—CRIMES.—Chapter 4.

SEC. 5392.—Every person who, having taken an oath before a competent tribunal, officer, or person, in any case in which a law of the United States authorizes an oath to be administered, that he will testify, declare, depose, or certify truly, or that any written testimony, declaration, deposition, or certificate by him subscribed is true, wilfully, and contrary to such oath, states or subscribes any material matter which he does not believe to be true, is guilty of perjury, and shall be punished by a fine of not more than two thousand dollars, and by imprisonment at hard labor, not more than five years, and shall, moreover, thereafter be incapable of giving testimony in any court of the United States until such time as the judgment against him is reversed. (See § 1750.)

(4-300.)

HOMESTEAD PROOF.

LAND OFFICE AT
Sidney, Neb.

Original Application No. 22-83

Final Certificate No. 1568
Received Feb. 21/1893

Approved: Same day.

Geo. T. Blomquist, Register.
Mark M. Muel, Receiver.

FINAL AFFIDAVIT REQUIRED OF HOMESTEAD CLAIMANTS.

SECTION _____ OF THE REVISED STATUTES OF THE UNITED STATES.

I, Sylvester M. Dieter, having made a Homestead entry of the South
East Quarter Section No. 23 in Township No. 20
of Range No. 57, subject to entry at Sidney
under section No. 2253 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, do now apply to perfect my claim thereto
by virtue of section No. _____ of the Revised Statutes of the United States; and for that
purpose do solemnly swear that I am a natural
born citizen of the United States; that I have made actual settlement
upon and have cultivated and resided upon said land since the 1st day of January 1888
to the present time; that no part of said land has been alienated, except as provided in section 2253 of the Revised
Statutes, but that I am the sole *bona fide* owner as an actual settler; that I will bear true allegiance to the Government
of the United States; and, further, that I have not heretofore perfected or abandoned an entry made under the homestead
laws of the United States, except.

I, S. B. Shumway to Judge of Banner County
do hereby certify that the above affidavit was subscribed and sworn to before me this 18 day of
February 1893

S. B. Shumway
County Judge