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HOMESTEAD AFFIDAVIT.

U. S. Land Office at Sidney Nebraska
March 24, 1897

I, Jacob J. Bayer, of Dorrington Ne B
having filed my application No. 4106, for an entry under section 2289, Revised Statutes of the

United States, do solemnly swear that I am not the proprietor of more than one hundred and sixty acres
of land in any State or Territory; that I am a native born citizen of the
United States more than 21 years of age

that my said application is honestly and in good faith made for the purpose of actual settlement and
cultivation, and not for the benefit of any other person, persons, or corporation, and that I will faithfully
and honestly endeavor to comply with all the requirements of law as to settlement, residence, and culti-
vation necessary to acquire title to the land applied for; that I am not acting as agent of any person,
corporation, or syndicate in making such entry, nor in collusion with any person, corporation, or syndicate
to give them the benefit of the land entered, or any part thereof, or the timber thereon; that I do not
apply to enter the same for the purpose of speculation, but in good faith to obtain a home for myself, and
that I have not directly or indirectly made, and will not make, any agreement or contract in any way or
manner, with any person or persons, corporation, or syndicate whatsoever, by which the title which I
might acquire from the Government of the United States should inure, in whole or in part, to the benefit
of any person except myself, and further, that since August 30, 1890, I have not entered under the land
laws of the United States, or filed upon, a quantity of land, agricultural in character, and not mineral,
which, with the tracts now applied for, would make more than three hundred and twenty acres, except

that I have made no entry of any kind since August 30 1890

and that I have not heretofore made any entry under the homestead laws, except Ne 20-7p 9, R 22
which I relinquished in 1876 or 1877 and received no transfer from. That the names of the
part of me in person at the land office to make this affidavit is the great distance that I live
there from

(Sign plainly with full christian name.) Jacob J. Bayer 18-20-57
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Sworn to and subscribed before me this 24 day of March, 1897, at my
office at Gering in Scotts Bluff County, Nebraska

C. W. Ford
Clerk of the District Court

* Here insert statement that affiant is a citizen of the United States, or that he has filed his declaration of intention to become
such, and that he is the head of a family, or is over twenty-one years of age, as the case may be. It should be stated whether applic-
ant is native-born or not, and if not, a certified copy of his certificate of naturalization, or declaration of intention, as the case may be,
must be furnished. (See page 45, circular of January 1, 1889.)