

Ques. 25.—Did you and your family live in said house during all of each or any winter since the date of your filing or entry? If not, state the duration and causes of each absence.

Ans. Yes.

Ques. 26.—If your family has not lived with you on this claim since the date of your filing or entry, state the causes therefor, where they did reside, and where they are now living.

Ans. Do not wish to move my family on my claim -
18th May 1856 - They resided in the place to which
they are now having on my claim -

Ques. 27.—Do you own any other residence lease than the one now on your claim? If so, state where, and who occupies the same.

Ans. No.

Ques. 28.—Describe fully the house on this claim, giving value thereof; also describe fully all other improvements thereon of whatever kind, giving the value of each and total value of all improvements.

Ans. Frame house, 14x25 - 4 rooms - fine finish -
shingle roof - Value \$100.00
stable, 11x14 - Value \$25 - slate roof - 15x50
and barn 15x45 - Value \$25 - 2000 - 14x16
Value \$25.00 - Well, 22 feet deep - Value \$100.00
2 cases, 14x16 11x17 - Value \$30.00 - 11x16 - Value \$100.00
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Ques. 29.—What farm implements do you own and use on this claim? State kind and number, and how long you have owned the same.

Ans. Hay, 2 yoke harness - 1 horse -
since March 1856.

Ques. 30.—What domestic animals and live stock do you own and keep on this claim? State kind and number of each kind.

Ans. One head horses -

Ques. 31.—State what articles of furniture of every kind you keep and use in your residence on this claim, and how long you have had them there.

Ans. one stove - one table - 3 chairs - one bed -
some trunks - 2 cupboards -
since April 1856

Ques. 32.—Have you any personal property or live stock of any kind elsewhere than on this claim? If so, describe the same, and state where the same is kept.

Ans. No.

Ques. 33.—How many seasons have you raised crops on this land, and what kind of crops have you raised each season?

Ans. Three seasons - raised corn, wheat, 1856 - corn, wheat
1857 - corn, wheat, 1858 - corn, wheat, 1859 - corn, wheat

Ques. 34.—How many acres have you put in crops each year, and how much did you raise? State the amount in bushels of each kind.

Ans. 5 acres in 1856 - 11 in 1857 - 28 in 1858 - 34 in 1859.

Ques. 35.—Have you the land in crop this year, or is it prepared for cropping the coming season? How much of the land is so cropped or prepared?

Ans. 38 acres were in crops - but prepared

Ques. 36.—Do you carry on any trade, profession, or business elsewhere than on this land? If so, state what business you have been engaged in while claiming this land, where it was carried on, and the distance from your claim.

Ans. No.

Ques. 37.—If you have been employed in working for others away from this claim since you established residence thereon, state when, where, and for whom, in what occupation or capacity, how long you have so worked, and where you staid and lived during that time.

Ans. Not been employed by others away
from this claim.