

Ques. 38.—Where are you assessed for taxes, personal, real estate, or licenses, and when and where have you paid taxes also claiming this land?

Ans. *Assessed in Full Payment, have paid in Sidney Chappin's books, in 1883.*

Ques. 39.—Are the improvements on this land assessed for taxes, if so, at what valuation? Have such taxes been paid, if so, when and by whom?

Ans. *No, not assessed.*

Ques. 40.—What use is made of this land, and who, besides yourself and family, uses it or causes it to be used?

Ans. *Pruning and gathering, the person except my self and family.*

Ques. 41.—Have you sold, transferred, or mortgaged this land, or offered or agreed to sell or dispose of it, and at what price?

Ans. *No — No*

Ques. 42.—Do you make this entry in the interest or for the benefit of any one else, or has any person other than yourself and family any interest, immediate or prospective, in this entry? If so, state for whom the entry is made.

Ans. *No — No*

Ques. 43.—Has any person paid your expenses for making this entry, or paid you wages or a salary on condition that you make said entry, or agreed to do either, or agreed to pay the entry money for you, or to pay the fees or commissions, with this agreement or understanding that you will deed the land after entry is made?

Ans. *No — No — No — No*

Ques. 44.—Do you make this entry in good faith, for the exclusive purpose of a home and farm for yourself and family?

Ans. *Yes*

Ques. 45.—Did you have or abandon a residence on your own land, as this \_\_\_\_\_ to reside on the land herein described and claimed by you?

Ans. \_\_\_\_\_

I HEREBY declare that each question in the foregoing deposition was orally propounded to the said *J. S. Rice* and this foregoing answers were given by him thereto before he signed the same and after being sworn according to law; that this said *J. S. Rice* is to me personally known (or made known) as the person he represents himself to be in making this proof; that I have called his attention to the laws and penalties against false swearing, and that the foregoing deposition was sworn to and subscribed before me this *29* day of *April* A. D. 188*0*

[Signature of claimant.] *J. S. Rice*  
*J. C. Logan*  
*Chief District Court*

*Held for Rec. Hd. abstr. Rice notified at Hillsdale, Mich. May 3-9*

TESTIMONY OF CLAIMANT.

Pre. D. S. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Cash No. \_\_\_\_\_

Orig. Hd. No. *1912* P. C. No. *308*

NAME OF CLAIMANT,

*J. S. Rice*

LAND OFFICE AT

*Sidney Mich*

Approved: *Geo. F. Blanchard*, Register.  
*Mark McKeever*, Receiver.