

RECEIVER'S RECEIPT, No. 8978APPLICATION, No. 8978

HOMESTEAD.

Receiver's Office, Blackfoot, Idaho.Dec. 1, 1902.Received of William Bagley the sum
of sixteen dollars no cents;being the amount of fee and compensation of Register and Receiver for the
entry of SE¹ NW¹; E² SW¹; NW¹ SE¹of Section 21 in
Township 9 S of Range 46 E, under

Section No. 2290, Revised Statutes of the United States.

George Robertson
Receiver.\$16

NOTE.—It is required of the homestead settler that he shall reside upon and cultivate the land embraced in his homestead entry for a period of five years from the time of filing the affidavit, being also the date of entry. An abandonment of the land for more than six months works a forfeiture of the claim. Further, within two years from the expiration of the said five years he must file proof of his actual settlement and cultivation, failing to do which, his entry will be canceled. If the settler does not wish to remain five years on his tract, he can, at any time after fourteen months, pay for it with cash or land warrants, upon making proof of settlement and of residence and cultivation from date of filing affidavit to the time of payment.

Timber land embraced in a homestead or other entry not consummated may be cleared in order to cultivate the land and improve the premises, but for no other purpose. If, after clearing the land for cultivation, there remains any timber on the land, the settler is not to be considered as having abandoned the land, but the question whether the land is being cleared of its timber for legitimate purposes is a question of fact which is liable to be raised at any time. But the question whether the entry is being cleared of its timber for legitimate purposes is a question of fact which is liable to be raised at any time. But the question whether the entry is being cleared of its timber for legitimate purposes is a question of fact which is liable to be raised at any time. But the question whether the entry is being cleared of its timber for legitimate purposes is a question of fact which is liable to be raised at any time.

See note in red ink, which Registers and Receivers will read and EXPLAIN THOROUGHLY to person making application for lands where the affidavit is made before either of them.

This affidavit can be sworn to only on personal knowledge, and can not be made on information and belief.
The Non-Mineral Affidavit accompanying an entry of public land must be made by the party making the entry, and only before the officer taking the other affidavits required of the entryman.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE.

Nov. 25th 1902

acquainted with the character of said described land, and with each and every legal subdivision thereof, having frequently passed over the same; that his personal knowledge of said land is such as to enable him to testify understandingly with regard thereto, that there is not to his knowledge, within the limits thereof, any vein or lode of quartz or other rock in place, bearing gold, silver, cinnabar, lead, tin, or copper, or any deposit of coal; that there is not within the limits of said land, to his knowledge, any placer, cement, gravel, or other valuable mineral deposit; that the land contains no salt spring, or deposits of salt in any form sufficient to render it chiefly valuable therefor; that no portion of said land is claimed for mining purposes under the local customs or rules of miners or otherwise; that no portion of said land is worked for mineral during any part of the year by any person or persons; that said land is essentially non-mineral land, and that his application therefor is not made for the purpose of fraudulently obtaining title to the mineral land, but with the object of securing said land for agricultural purposes, and that his post-office address is Orava Creek, Idaho.

.....), and that I verily believe him to be a credible person and the person he represents himself to be, and that this affidavit was subscribed and sworn to before me at my office in *Paris* Idaho, within the Blackfoot, Idaho, land district, on this *25th* day of *Nov*, 1902.

REVISÉD STATUTES OF THE UNITED. TITLE LXX.—CRIMES.—CHAP. 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, willfully 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 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 Sec. 1750.)

HOMESTEAD AFFIDAVIT.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE.

BLACKFOOT, IDAHO,

I, William Bagley, of Nov. 25th 1902.
Craw Creek

having filed application No. 8978, 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

naturalized citizen of the United States over the age of
21 years and that I am not a minor. I do not appear at the Blackfoot
Land Office and make this entry in an account of long distance
and the expense incident upon a trip to that place.

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 cultivation 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~~

and that I have not heretofore made any entry under the homestead laws, ~~except~~

(Sign plainly with full Christian name.)

William Bagley

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25th day of Nov., 1902, at

my office at Paris in Blaine County, Idaho.

James E. Hoak

* 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 applicant 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, 1899.)

No. 382

In the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District,

Of the State of Idaho, in and for the County of Bear Lake.

PRESENT: Hon. W. W. Stawdrad Judge.

In the matter of the application of

IN OPEN COURT

William Bagley

AN ALIEN,

October Term, A. D. 1892

To become a citizen of the United States of this 10 day of October
America. A. D. 1892, as yet of said term.

It appearing to the satisfaction of this Court by the oaths of

John A. Kelly and William Ridd

citizens of the United States of America, witnesses for that purpose, first duly sworn and examined, that

William Bagley a native of England has resided within the limits and under the jurisdiction of the United States five years at least last past, and within the State of Idaho for one year last past; and that during all of said five years' time he had behaved as a man of good moral character, attached to the principles of the Constitution of the United States, and well disposed to the good order and happiness of the same; and it also appearing to the Court, by competent evidence, that said applicant, and more than two years since, and in due form of law, declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States; and having now here, before this Court, taken an oath that he will support the Constitution of the United States of America, and that he doth absolutely and entirely renounce and abjure all allegiance and fidelity to all and any Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatsoever, and particularly to Victoria Queen of Great Britain and Emperor of India

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed that the said

William Bagley be and is hereby admitted and declared to be a Citizen of the United States of America.

W. W. Stawdrad Judge.

Office of the Clerk of the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District,
Of the State of Idaho, in and for the County of Bear Lake. } ss.

I, James E. Hart, Clerk of the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District, in the County of Bear Lake and State of Idaho, said Court being a Court of Record having a common law jurisdiction and a Clerk and Seal, do hereby certify that the above is a true copy of the Act of Naturalization of William Bagley as the same appears upon the Records of said Court, now in my office.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, affixed the Seal of said Court, this 25th day of November in the year of our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and two, in the year of our Independence One Hundred and 26

James E. Hart Clerk.
Deputy Clerk.

No.

DISTRICT COURT,

Fifth Judicial District.

**County of Bear Lake,
State of Idaho.**

**CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION
OF**

William Bagley

Filed this _____ day of _____

A. D. 19__

Clerk.

Deputy Clerk.

POST PUB. CO.
Job Printers and Publishers,
PAID, IDAHO.

RECEIVED
JUN 10 1901
BY _____

State of Idaho)

County of Bear Lake)

William Bagley being first duly sworn deposes and says that he is a citizen of the United States of America over the age of 21 years and the head of a family. That affiant has made application for the Homestead Entry of the following described land situated on Crow Creek viz: S. E. 1/2 of the N. W. 1/4 and the E 1/2 of the S. W. 1/4 and the N. W. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 of Section 21 in Township 9 S. of Range 46 East of the Boise Meridian containing one hundred and sixty acres of land. Affiant has been informed and believes and therefore alleges that said land is situated ~~in~~ Bannock County, State of Idaho. Under an act of Congress entitled "An Act to amend section twenty-two hundred and ninety four of the Revised Statutes of the United States," approved March 11, 1902, affiant makes this affidavit before James E. Hart, Clerk of the District Court of the Fifth Judicial District of the State of Idaho in and for the County of Bear Lake, who affiant further alleges is the nearest and most accessible officer qualified to take said affidavit in the land district in which the land above described is situated.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this ^{25th} ~~15th~~ day of November A. D. 1902.

William Bagley

Subscribed and sworn to before
me this ^{25th} ~~15th~~ day of November 1902.

James E. Hart
Clerk Dist. Court.