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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

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As at

Date

Regina

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Subject:

A Stalder

Office for Insp. of

N.W. 2-30-23 N<sup>2</sup>

Entire P. Rathorne



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Form No. 215a

DECLARATION OF ABANDONMENT.



In the Matter of the North West of Section 103835 2  
Township 30 Range 23W of the 2nd Meridian  
Homestead \_\_\_\_\_ Pre-emption \_\_\_\_\_

I, Robert Ruthven  
Regina, Sask

do solemnly declare:—

That I made entry for the above mentioned lands at the Dominion Lands Office at  
Regina on the 5<sup>th</sup> day  
of April 1905 and I now ask to have said entry cancelled,  
and be permitted to take up another homestead for the following reasons, namely:

(Here state reasons.) (1) Not suitable for cultivation

(Here state nature and extent of residence, and, if not on homestead, where performed.)

(2)  Provincial Archives of Saskatchewan

(Here describe the improvements and state value thereof. (Give area of breaking and cultivation each year.)

(3)

That I have not received, directly or indirectly, nor have I been promised, nor do I expect to receive any consideration of any kind for allowing said entry to be cancelled.

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing it to be true, and knowing that it is of the same force and effect as if made under oath and by virtue of the Canada Evidence Act, 1893.

DECLARED before me L. Rauson  
at Regina  
Sask  
this 13<sup>th</sup> day of Jan  
A.D. 1905  
L. Rauson

Signature Robert Ruthven  
Address Regina

\*J.R., Com'r in B.R., &c., to sign here.

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Sworn Statement of C. H. McGinnis of Sec. 32

Thp. 29 Rge. 22<sup>W</sup> of 2<sup>nd</sup> Meridian, in reference to the application for patent of Arthur A. Stalder for North West of Sec. 2 Thp 30 Rge 23<sup>W</sup> of 2<sup>nd</sup> Meridian.

1. What is your occupation?
2. How long have you known the applicant in this case, and where have you lived since he began residence on above homestead?
3. When did he build his house thereon?
4. When did he begin to reside therein and make it his permanent home?
5. What portion of each year since that date has he resided thereon? State each month, and part thereof.
6. When absent from his homestead where has he resided, and what has been his occupation?
7. Where have his family resided whilst he performed his duties?
8. How much breaking has he done upon his homestead in each year since he obtained entry, and how many acres has he cultivated each year?
9. How many horned cattle, horses, sheep and pigs has applicant had upon his homestead each year since commencing residence?
10. What is the size of his house on his present homestead, and of what material and what is its present cash value?
11. What extent of fencing has he made on his homestead, and what is the present cash value thereof?
12. What other buildings have been erected on his homestead? What other improvements have been made thereon, and what is the cash value of the same?
13. Have you any interest, direct or indirect, in this application?
14. Do you believe the claimant has acted in good faith in obtaining his entry, and in making his application for patent?

Ranger  
 About 5 years, Lived on North West  
 1/4-32-29-22 West 2-4 Mer.  
Apr. 1907  
 Began the 8<sup>th</sup> of May 1906  
 in a Tent.  
 May 8<sup>th</sup> 1906 to Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> 1906,  
 Apr. 1<sup>st</sup> 1907 to Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> 1907,  
 Mar. 20<sup>th</sup> 1908 to Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> 1908,  
 And from Mar. 15<sup>th</sup> 1909 he lived  
 on a purchased quantity, the S.W. 2-30-23  
 West 2<sup>nd</sup> M., to the present date.  
 In the United States visiting.

Single

Year 1 906	Broke	70	acres, cropped	40	acres
Year 1 907	"	30	"	100	"
Year 1 908	"	Nil	"	100	"
Year 1 909	"	45	incap	100	"
Year 1	"		"		"
Year 1	"		"		"
Year 1	"		"		"

An average of about  
 5 horses, 1 cow.  
 12x16, frame, value about 100.<sup>00</sup>  
 No fence  
 Sod stable, value, 100.<sup>00</sup>  
 Granary, 12x16, value, 75.<sup>00</sup>  
 No  
 Yes

"Canada, Province  
 of Saskatchewan"

To Wit:  
 I C. H. McGinnis of Wolkowis, Sask.

make oath and say that the answers to the foregoing questions are true and correct in every particular.  
 Sworn before me at Wolkowis } C. H. McGinnis  
 this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June 1909 }

Having been first read over and explained to the said Witness.  
Alfred W. Schunke  
 Local Agent of Dominion Lands or Homestead Inspector.  
 Sub. for the Humboldt District.



# Sworn Statement of Arthur A. Stalder

in support  
of his application for Homestead Patent for North West  
of Section 2 Twp. 30 Rge. 23 of 2nd Meridian.

1. What is your name in full, age, occupation and Post Office address?  
Arthur Albert Stalder, age 25  
Farmer, Nokomis, Sask.
2. Are you a British subject by birth or naturalization? If naturalized, state when and where.  
British subject by naturalization, Can. Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> 1908
3. When did you obtain entry for this homestead?  
3-6-05  
May 3<sup>rd</sup> 1906.
4. When did you build your house thereon? And when did you begin actual residence thereon?  
Apr. 1907; May 8<sup>th</sup> 1906 lived in tent.  
May 8<sup>th</sup> 1906 to Oct. 25<sup>th</sup> 1906
5. What portion of each year since that date have you resided thereon? State each month, or parts thereof.  
Apr. 1<sup>st</sup> 1907 to Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> 1907  
Mar. 20<sup>th</sup> 1908 to Dec 17<sup>th</sup> 1908  
Since Mar 15<sup>th</sup> 1909 to date, S.W. 2-30-23<sup>rd</sup>  
Residing in Nebraska, United States of America
6. When absent from your homestead where have you resided and what has been your occupation?
7. If you have lived on land owned by yourself in the vicinity, answer the following questions:—  
(a.) Describe such land.  
Section 2 Twp. 30 Rge. 23 M. 2nd  
Dec. 7<sup>th</sup> 1908  
By Purchase  
(b.) When did you become the owner of it?  
(c.) How did you acquire it?  
(d.) What buildings have you on it?  
House, 14x28 add 10x14, frame, value \$400.00  
2 Barns, Sod, value \$200.00  
2 Granaries, each 12x16 frame, value \$150.00  
Wells.  
(e.) Do you own the said land at the present time?  
(f.) What residence have you performed on it?  
In residence Mar 15<sup>th</sup> 1909 to present date.
8. Of whom do your family consist; when did they first commence residence upon this homestead, and for what portion of each year since that date have they resided upon it?  
Single
9. How much breaking have you done upon your homestead in each year since you obtained entry, and how many acres have you cultivated each year?  

Year 1906	Broke	70	acres, cropped	40	acres.
Year 1907	"	30	"	100	"
Year 1908	"	Nil	"	100.	"
Year 1909	"	45	in crop	100	"
Year 1	"		"		"
Year 1	"		"		"
Year 1	"		"		"
10. How many horned cattle, horses, sheep and pigs, of which you are owner, have you had on your homestead each year since date of perfecting entry? Give number in each year.  
Average 5 horses 1 cow
11. What is the size of your house on your homestead, of what material, and what is its present cash value?  
12x16, Lumber, value \$100.00
12. What extent of fencing have you made on your homestead, and what is the present cash value thereof?  
No fence
13. What other buildings have you erected on your homestead? What other improvements have you made thereon, and what is the cash value of the same?  
Barn, Sod, value \$100.00  
Granary, 12x16, frame, value \$75.00
14. Are there any indications of minerals or quarries on your homestead? If so, state nature of same, and whether the land is more valuable for agricultural than any other purpose.  
No
15. Have you had any other homestead entry? Is so, describe it and say what became of it?  
Yes, S.W. 4-34-28-23<sup>rd</sup> M. abandoned it.  
No (File No. 16615a-)
16. Have you mortgaged, assigned or transferred, or agreed to mortgage, assign or transfer your present homestead or any part thereof? If so, when and to whom?

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Title to this land to indebtedness See sec. 13 of Act 60-61.



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Canada Province of Saskatchewan

To wit:

I, Arthur A. Stalder

do solemnly swear that the answers to the foregoing questions are true and correct in every particular. That I claim a Patent for this Homestead under the provisions of the "Dominion Lands Act."

That I obtained an entry, and claim a Patent for the same for my own benefit, and not in the interest or for the benefit of any other person or persons whomsoever.

SO HELP ME GOD.

Sworn before me at Neponis this 21st day of June 1909 having first been read over and explained to the said applicant.

Arthur A. Stalder

Alfred W. Schunke Sub-Agent of the Dominion Lands, or

Homestead Inspector for the Humboldt District.

I recommend the foregoing application for Patent, believing that the homestead requirements of the "Dominion Lands Act" have, in this case, been complied with.

Dated at HUMBOLDT. 15th July A.D. 1909

Local Agent for Dominion Lands for District.

Ottawa,

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Accepted as sufficient

W. H. Roy Dixon

Commissioner.

Assistant Deputy.

DATE OF CERTIFICATE OF NATURALIZATION RECEIVED AND RETURNED TO HOMESTEADER. 22.8.08

21.8.1909

The Officer taking this application for patent is requested to exercise particular care that the name of the homesteader is given in full and correctly spelt.

is subject to Crown. Chap. 28 of D.S. 7/9/09

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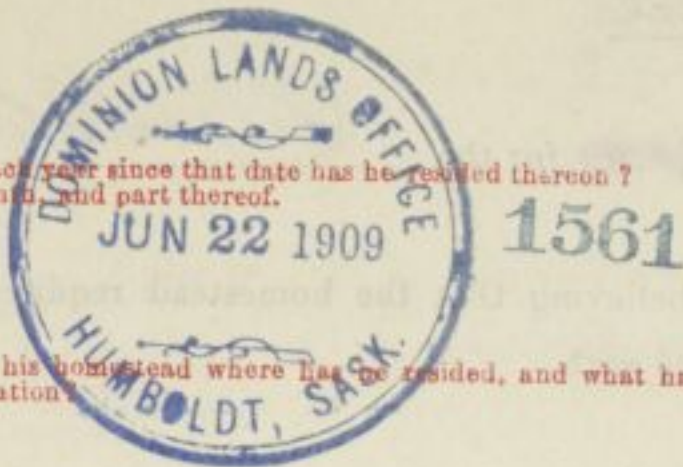
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Sworn Statement of Edwin E. Rist of Sec. 4

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Farmer 1293326  
 For 15 years, lived on my homestead, S.E. 4-30-23 1/2<sup>nd</sup> Mer.  
 Apr. 1907  
 May 8<sup>th</sup> 1906, in residence under canvas.  
 May 8<sup>th</sup> 1906 to Oct 25<sup>th</sup> 1906  
 Apr. 1<sup>st</sup> 1907 to Nov. 20<sup>th</sup> 1907  
 Mar. 20<sup>th</sup> 1908 to Dec. 17<sup>th</sup> 1908  
 Mar. 15<sup>th</sup> 1909, to present date, lived on a purchased quarter S. W. 2-30-23-1/2<sup>nd</sup> Mer.  
 In United States visiting

Single

8. How much breaking has he done upon his homestead in each year since he obtained entry, and how many acres has he cultivated each year?
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Year 1	"		"		"
Year 1	"		"		"
Year 1	"		"		"

Averaged about 5 horses  
 1 cow.  
 12x16, frame, value, \$100.00  
 No fencing  
 Stable, sod, value, \$100.00  
 Granary, 12x16, frame \$75.00  
 No.  
 Yes

Canada, Province of Saskatchewan

To Wit: I Edwin E. Rist

of Nokomis, Sask.

make oath and say that the answers to the foregoing questions are true and correct in every particular. SO HELP ME GOD.

Sworn before me at Nokomis this 21<sup>st</sup> day of June 1909 } Edwin E. Rist

Having been first read over and explained to the said Witness.  
Alfred W. Schunke  
 Local Agent of Dominion Lands or Homestead Inspector.

for the Humboldt District.



File No. 89218 A,

### Department of the Interior.

OTTAWA, NOV 26 1909 1909

Sir:—

I have to inform you that a patent for 9, 20, 4  
of Section 2 in Township 30  
Range 23 West of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Meridian,  
bearing date the 21<sup>st</sup>  
September, 1909 has issued in your name, and that  
it has been forwarded to the Registrar of the Land Registration  
District of ASSINIBOIA.  
who will issue the certificate of title upon receipt of your application to  
him therefor, and upon payment of the proper fees, if any.

For this purpose please place yourself in communication  
with that official, giving him your full name and your Post Office  
address. His address is THE REGISTRAR,

Regina, Sask.  
THE REGISTRAR,  
Regina, Sask.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

PERLEY G. KEYES,  
Secretary.

To Arthur Albert Stalder, Esq.  
Nokomis,  
Sask.

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