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Subject:

*Mr. Murphy  
applies for Insurb. of  
S.N. 20-27-24. N2  
Entry of P.A. Strawn*



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Sir,

I beg to inform you that in the absence of any

defence in response to the notice sent him on the 20<sup>th</sup>

day of Sp. 1908, the entry of

P.A. Strum for the SW Sec. 20

Tp. 27 Rge. 24 M. was cancelled on

the 14 day of Feb. 1906

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

*[Signature]*

Agent Dominion Lands.

The Commissioner of  
Dominion Lands,  
Ottawa, Ont.

Form No. 40.



Sworn Statement of John Austin  
of Sec. 32 Twp. 27 Rge. 24 of 2nd Meridian, in  
reference to the application for patent of William Murphy  
for S.W. of Sec. 20 Twp. 27 Rge. 24 of 2nd Meridian.

1. What is your occupation, and how long have you known the applicant?

Farmer, for four years  
I have resided on my homestead  
The S.E. 32-27-24 N. 2nd Mer.  
from Aug. 1st 1906 continuous to date.

2. Where have you resided, since you have known the applicant, give places and dates?

3. (1) When did he build his house? and (2) when did he commence actual residence therein, making it his permanent home?

(1) June 1906 (2) May 1st 1907

4. (a) What portion of each year since commencement of residence has he lived upon the land? Give actual dates.

Continuous residence from  
May 1st 1907 to date.

(b) If his residence has been on land owned by himself, or duly authorized relative, describe such land, and give actual dates of residence together with father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, as the case may be.

Not any

5. Has homesteader's family resided with him? Give actual dates.

Single

6. How much breaking, and what area has been cropped in each year upon his homestead?

Year	Broke	acres	cropped	Nil	acres
Year 1906	5			10	
Year 1907	5			10	
Year 1908	15			15	
Year 1909	50			42	
Year 1					
Year 1					

7. What stock of which applicant is owner has he had on his homestead or purchased land each year since date of perfecting entry?

He has owned an average of  
three horses since date of  
perfecting entry

8. What is the size of his house on his present homestead, and what material, and what is its present cash value?

12x14, frame, value, \$100.00

9. What extent of fencing has he made on his homestead, and what is the present cash value thereof?

No fencing  
Sod stable, value, \$75.00  
Well, value, \$100.00

10. 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?

11. Have you any interest, direct or indirect, in this application?

I have not

12. Do you believe the claimant has acted in good faith in obtaining his entry, and in making his application for patent?

I do

Canada, Province  
of Saskatchewan

To Wit:

I

John Austin

of Watertown, 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

Mr Komis

this

14th

day of

Mar.

1910

Having been first read over and explained to the Witness.

Alfred W. Schunke

Local Agent of Dominion Lands or Homestead Inspector.

Sub

for the

Regina

District.

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**Sworn Statement of** William Murphy  
in support  
of his application for Homestead Patent for South West  
of 20 Sec. 27 Thp. 24 Rge. West of 2nd Meridian.

1. What is your name in full, age, occupation and Post Office address?

William Murphy, age, 35  
Harmer, Lewis P.O. Sask.

2. (1) Are you a British subject at the present time? and (2) have you always been one? (3) are you a British Subject by Birth, Naturalization or Repatriation?

(1) Yes (2) Yes  
(3) By birth

NOTE.—If by naturalization or repatriation, certificate must be furnished. If through parents, certified copy of certificate required, or description of land homesteaded by Father or Mother.

3. (a) When did you obtain homestead entry, (b) when did you build your house thereon, and (c) when did you commence actual residence thereon?

(a) Feb. 13th 1904  
(b) June 1904  
(c) May 1st 1907.

4. What portion of each year since commencement of residence have you lived upon the land, giving actual dates?

I have been in continuous residence from May 1st 1907 to present date.

5. When absent from your homestead where have you resided and what has been your occupation?

Never absent

6. 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

7. If residence has been performed on land owned by yourself or duly authorized relative, describe such land:—

Section \_\_\_\_\_ Thp. \_\_\_\_\_ Rge. \_\_\_\_\_ Mer. \_\_\_\_\_

(a) When (1) and how (2) was such land acquired?

(b) By whom (1) was the land acquired, and who (2) is the present owner thereof?

(a) (1) No (2) \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) (1) No (2) \_\_\_\_\_

(c) What buildings are on such land, and what is the present value thereof?

(c) Residence and duties performed on other land

(d) State each month or part of month you have resided on your land.

(e) State each month or part of month you and your (Father mother, son, daughter, sister, brother) have resided on the latter's land.

8. 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	Broks	acres, cropped	mil	acres
Year 1 <u>906</u>	<u>5</u>			
Year 1 <u>907</u>	<u>5</u>		<u>10</u>	
Year 1 <u>908</u>	<u>15</u>		<u>15</u>	
Year 1 <u>909</u>	<u>50</u>		<u>42</u>	
Year 1 _____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Year 1 _____	_____	_____	_____	_____

9. What stock of which you are the owner have you had on your homestead each year since date of perfecting entry?

I have owned an average of 3 horses since date of perfecting entry.



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10. What is the size of your house on your homestead, of what material, and what is its present cash value?

12 x 14, frame, value, \$100.<sup>00</sup>  
Barn, 16 x 32, s.d., value, \$75.<sup>00</sup>  
Mill, valued at \$100.<sup>00</sup>

11. 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?

12. What extent of fencing have you made on your homestead, and what is the present cash value thereof?

No fencing

13. 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.

Not any

14. Have you had any other homestead entry? If so, describe it and say what became of it.

I have not

15. 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?

I have not

Canada, Province  
of Saskatchewan

To Wit:

I, William Murphy, 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

Nokomis  
March 14<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1910

Having first been read over and explained to the said applicant.

Alfred W. Khurke  
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

Regina  
March 18<sup>th</sup> A.D. 1910

Regina District.  
Local Agent of Dominion Lands for

Ottawa,

APR 26 1910

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Accepted as sufficient,

W. H. Roy Dixon

Assistant Deputy Commissioner.

I hereby certify that

has to-day produced evidence showing

ownership of the \_\_\_\_\_ of Section \_\_\_\_\_ Thp. \_\_\_\_\_ Rge. \_\_\_\_\_ Mer.,

from the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ to the present time.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

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.



Sworn Statement of A. J. Robinson  
of Sec. 10 Twp. 27 Rge. 24 of 2<sup>nd</sup> Meridian, in  
reference to the application for patent of William Murphy  
for S.W. of Sec. 20 Twp. 27 Rge. 24 of 2<sup>nd</sup> Meridian.

1. What is your occupation, and how long have you known the applicant?

Farmer, For four years  
Resided on the S.W. 10-27-  
24 - 2<sup>nd</sup> Meridian in vicinity  
from Apr 1905 to present date.

2. Where have you resided, since you have known the applicant, give places and dates?

3. (1) When did he build his house? and (2) when did he commence actual residence therein, making it his permanent home?

(1) June 1906 (2) May 1<sup>st</sup> 1907  
He has been in continuous  
residence from May 1<sup>st</sup> 1907  
to present date.

4. (a) What portion of each year since commencement of residence has he lived upon the land? Give actual dates.

No residence duties  
performed on the land.

(b) If his residence has been on land owned by himself, or duly authorized relative, describe such land, and give actual dates of residence together with father, mother, son, daughter, brother or sister, as the case may be.

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5. Has homesteader's family resided with him? Give actual dates.

He is single

6. How much breaking, and what area has been cropped in each year upon his homestead?

Year	Broken	acres	cropped	Nil	acres
Year 1 <u>1906</u>	<u>5</u>	"	"	<u>Nil</u>	"
Year 2 <u>1907</u>	<u>5</u>	"	"	<u>10</u>	"
Year 3 <u>1908</u>	<u>15</u>	"	"	<u>15</u>	"
Year 4 <u>1909</u>	<u>50</u>	"	"	<u>42</u>	"
Year 5		"	"		"
Year 6		"	"		"

7. What stock of which applicant is owner has he had on his homestead or purchased land each year since date of perfecting entry?

He has owned an average  
of three horses since date  
of perfecting entry.

8. What is the size of his house on his present homestead, and what material, and what is its present cash value?

12x14, frame, value, \$100.<sup>00</sup>

9. What extent of fencing has he made on his homestead, and what is the present cash value thereof?

Not any.

10. 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?

Stable, 16x32, s.d., value, \$75.<sup>00</sup>  
Well, valued at, \$100.<sup>00</sup>

11. Have you any interest, direct or indirect, in this application?

I have not

12. Do you believe the claimant has acted in good faith in obtaining his entry, and in making his application for patent?

Yes.

Canada, Province  
of Saskatchewan

To Wit:

I A. J. Robinson

of Lewis, 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 Mokom's

this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March 1910

A. J. Robinson

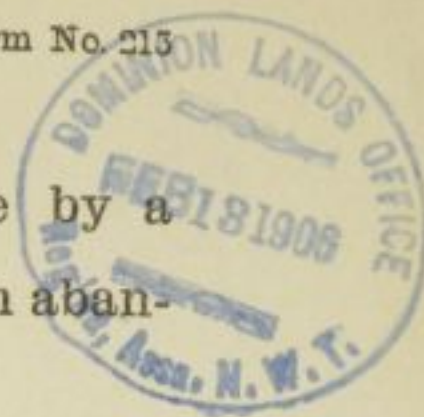
Having been first read over and explained to the Witness.

Alfred W. Schunke

Local Agent of Dominion Lands or Homestead Inspector.

for the Regina District.





SUPPLEMENTARY Declaration to be made by a  
person obtaining a Homestead entry for an abandoned or forfeited "Homestead."

In the matter of the S. H. quarter of section 20 in Township  
24 Range 24. N. of the 2 meridian.

I, William Murphy  
the applicant for a Homestead Entry for the above described land, solemnly  
declare:—

That I have not, nor has any one on my behalf, either directly or indirectly,  
paid or promised or agreed to pay to  
the former holder of said land, or to any person on his behalf, any money or other  
consideration whatsoever for allowing his Homestead Entry to be cancelled, and  
that to the best of my knowledge and belief the said land has not become vacant,  
nor am I getting possession of it as the result of any sort of bargain, agreement or  
understanding whatsoever between the aforesaid  
or any person on his behalf, and myself, or any other person or persons whom-  
soever.

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 William A. Budro  
Notary Public Montgomery  
at Dayton O. this 7th  
day of February A.D. 1906

W. A. Budro  
Notary Public  
Montgomery Ohio

William Murphy





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Sir:—

I have to inform you that a patent for Sec 1/4  
of Section 30 in Township 27  
Range 24 West of the 2<sup>nd</sup> Meridian,  
bearing date the

25<sup>th</sup> May, 1910 has issued in your name, and that  
it has been forwarded to the Registrar of the Land Registration  
District of SASKATOON  
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  
Saskatoon, Sask.

I am, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

PERLEY G. KEYES,  
Secretary.

To William Murphy, Esq.,  
Lewis,  
Sask.