

29. To obtain homestead entry it shall be necessary for the person applying therefor to appear and make affidavit before the Local Agent according to form B, C, D, or E, in the schedule to this Act, as the circumstances of the case require. Upon filing such affidavit with the Local Agent, and on payment to him of an office fee of ten dollars, such person shall receive a receipt from the Local Agent according to the form F in the schedule to this Act; and such receipt shall be a certificate of entry, and shall be authority to the person obtaining it, to go into possession of the land described in it;

*Affidavit to be made by applicant for homestead entry.*

*Fee.*

2. If a person obtaining homestead entry applies for and obtains at the same time a pre-emption entry, he shall pay to the Local Agent a further office fee of ten dollars, and shall receive therefor from him a receipt in like form, and having like effect to that prescribed for homestead entry;

*Further fee on pre-emption entry.*

3. Provided, that in the case of intending immigrants or other persons proposing to settle together, the Minister of the Interior or the Land Board, on requisition signed by them, may authorize any person they name to obtain homestead and pre-emption entries for them, before their arrival in the territory in which the land they desire to occupy is situate;

*As to immigrants or others intending to settle together.*

4. The person so authorized shall, to obtain such entries, make application in the form G in the schedule to this Act on behalf of each of those whom he represents, and shall make affidavit before the Local Agent according to form H, J, K, or L, in the schedule to this Act, as the circumstances require, and pay for each homestead and for each pre-emption entry, the office fee of ten dollars hereinbefore prescribed for such entry;

*Application in such case.*

*Fees.*

5. Persons occupying land owned by them may obtain homestead entry, or homestead and pre-emption entry, as the case may be, for any contiguous lands open for such entry; but the whole extent of land so entered shall not exceed one quarter section as a homestead, or two quarter sections as a homestead and a pre-emption, as the case may be;

*As to entry by occupants of contiguous lands. Class 1, Art. 1, Sec. 25.*

6. A person applying for such entry for contiguous land must, when making the affidavit prescribed for homestead entry, also describe therein the tract he owns and lives upon; and his residence upon and cultivation of the whole shall thereafter be of the kind and for the term required by the provisions of this Act in the case of ordinary homestead entry, before he shall be entitled to patent for the part so entered for: Provided that such residence and cultivation may be upon and of either the land originally occupied by him, or that for which homestead entry has been obtained, or both.

*Affidavit in case of application by owner of contiguous land.*

*Provido: as to residence, &c.*