

CFR 0399

Margaret M. Purvine

County of Multnomah)
State of Oregon) ss

CFR 6399

I, Margret M. Purvine, residing in Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon say:

1. I am a daughter of C. M. Purvine from whom I inherited a $\frac{1}{3}$ interest in 238 acres near Zena, Polk County, Oregon.

2. My father C. M. Purvine inherited the 238 acres from Clayebourne C. and Louisa Walker; who raised my father as a son.

3. My grandfather was A. J. Purvine and my grandmother was Mary J. Dougherty - Purvine. My grandmother died when my father was born. (1864)

4. Louisa Walker was a sister of my grandfather A. J. Purvine and she and Clayebourne Walker took the new born babe and raised him as their son.

5. I have evidence that C. C. Walker came here in 1845. (History of the Willamette Valley, published by Himes & Lang in Portland, Oregon in 1885, Page 650, and settled on a Donation Land Claim of 441.75 acres in the Northeast part of Polk County, said claim being shown as Not. No. 151, Claim No. 821 and recorded in Volume 26 at Page 44, Deed records for Polk County, Oregon.)

6. The oldest official record is a Polk County census in 1849 (enclosed) a record of marriage in 1850 (enclosed) a record of land grants to people living here before December 1, 1853 (enclosed).

7. Although land has been sold off the original land grant, this 238 acres that we live on has been in the continuous ownership and possession of C. C. Walker and Louisa Walker or their direct lineal descendants since he came here in 1845.

8. The abstract of this farm will furnish proof of line of inheritance, also continuous line of ownership.

9. I receive more than \$150.00 a year income from my 1/3 interest in this 238 acres.

Further the deponent sayeth not:

Margaret M. Purvine

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Oregon this 7th day of July, 1958.

Adelbert Costenmann
My commission expires Dec 7th-1960

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RECORD OF OREGON DONATION LAND CERTIFICATES ISSUED BY THE UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Persons receiving a donation land grant under two Congressional Acts, had to be living or be a resident in the Oregon Territory prior to December 1, 1853. This land was donated to the individual by the United States Government.

<u>Land Office</u>	<u>Certificate No.</u>	<u>Name of Claimant</u>	<u>Section</u>	<u>Twp.</u>	<u>Range</u>	<u>No. of Acres</u>	
Oregon City	821	Walker, Claiborne C. and wife	24 19,20	6S 6S	4W 3W	636.89	Willamette Meridian

This information was obtained from a microfilm copy of a register now in The National Archives. For copies of the original papers filed with the United States Government, write to The National Archives, Washington 25, D. C. for an estimate of the cost of photostats or microfilm. Files should include proof of birth in the United States or citizenship, of marriage, of migration to the Oregon Territory and settlement.

U. S. CENSUS OF OREGON, SCHEDULE OF FREE INHABITANTS

1850 - Polk County

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Inconsistencies and mistakes are usually in the original manuscript, and were made by the Census taker, who went from door to door writing down the answers to questions. Answers may have been misunderstood, or his informant could have been a child or an individual of the household who did not know all the facts.

No.	Name	Age	Sex	Race	Occupation	Place of Birth
163	Walker, Clayborn C.	31	M	W	Farmer	Va.
	" , Louisa	18	F	W		Ill.

Transcript from Oregon State Archives
Territorial Records
Document #1079 - --1849 Polk County Census

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No. of white males under 21 years of age --None
White males 21 and upwards ----1
White females -----None