

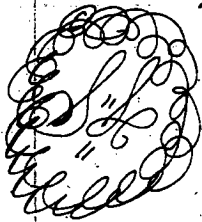
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John A. Pitman & Elizabeth Pitman
 Legons Mease & his wife Madison C. King State of Iowa
 In consideration of the sum of One thousand dollars
 And paid, do hereby sell and convey unto the
 of Madison County and State of Iowa the following
 described premises to wit the West half of the South West
 quarter & the South West quarter of the North West quarter
 of section No twelve and the North West quarter of the
 North West quarter and the South East quarter of the North
 West quarter of section No Thirteen in Township No Sixty
 four North of Range No Twenty seven West situated in
 Madison County Iowa

And we do here warrant and defend
 the said premises against the lawful claims of all persons
 whomsoever signed this 21st day of May A.D. 1887 in presence of

John A. Pitman
 Elizabeth Pitman

Charles Dwyer On this Twenty first day of May A.D. 1887 before
 me a Notary Public in and for said county and personally
 came John A. Pitman & Elizabeth Pitman & Madison C. King &
 Wife to me personally known to be the identical persons whose
 names are affixed to the above deed as grantors and acknowledged
 the same to be their voluntary act and deed. Witness my hand
 and Official Seal this 21st day of May above written



S. H. Beckwith
 Notary Public

Recorded May 21st 1887 Oct 12th 1887

L. M. Tidrick
 Recorder of Deeds