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 G.A. Potter) Filed for Record June 2nd A.D. 1909 at 4.00 o'clock P.M.
 to) Affidavit(George Hill Recorder
 The Public) Recording Fee 50 By Daisy Hill Deputy.

State of Iowa Madison County SS:

I, G.A. Potter, on oath say that I have been a resident of Crawford township, Madison County, Iowa, for more than forty five years last past; that I was well and personally acquainted with the family of Samuel Dorrance, who died intestate in said township and County about the year 1861; that said Samuel Dorrance left as his widow Mary Dorrance, and as his only children and heirs at law James H. Dorrance, William S. Dorrance, and Martha J. White; that the Louisa Dorrance mentioned in the proceedings brought in the County Court of Madison County, Iowa, to admeasure the dower of Mary Dorrance was the wife of James H. Dorrance, and was the same person as the L. Dorrance who joined with said James H. Dorrance in the execution of a deed conveying the north east quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the north east quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of section twenty nine (29), township seventy six (76) north, of range twenty six (26), west of 5th P.M. Iowa, dated on or about February 3rd, 1868, to William S. Dorrance, the deed being recorded in deed record "U" of Madison County, Iowa, at page 422 thereof; that she was also the same and identical person as the Louisa Dorrance who joined with said James H. Dorrance and others in a conveyance of the south east quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the south east quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of section twenty (20) in the said township and range to Josiah L. Leech, the deed being dated October 28th 1872, and recorded in deed record "T" of Madison County, Iowa, page 76 thereof; that the Samuel M. White who joined in the execution of the two last mentioned deeds was the same and identical person as the Samuel White referred to in the aforesaid proceedings to admeasure dower, and that he was the husband of Martha J. White. That W.S. Dorrance and William S. Dorrance referred to in said conveyances and proceedings, and also grantor in a conveyance of the forty acre tract first described to Josiah L. Leech on or about October 28th, 1872 the deed being recorded in deed record "T" of Madison County, Iowa, at page 77 thereof was one and the same person, an heir at law of said Samuel Dorrance. That I was personally acquainted with all of said parties, and make this affidavit for the purpose of correcting defects in the title to said land.

Geo A. Potter.

Subscribed and sworn to before me and in my presence by the said affiant this second day of March A.D. 1909.

W.S. Cooper Notary Public
 in and for Madison County, Iowa.

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