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T.G. Ladd)
to) Affidavit(Filed for Record May 19th A.D. 1911 at 4.35 o'clock P.M.
The Public)

George Hill Recorder,
By Daisy Hill Deputy.

State of Iowa Madison County SS;

I, T.G. Ladd of the County of Madison and State of Iowa, being first duly sworn upon my oath depose and say that I am the husband of Sarah E. Ladd to whom James E. Weeks and wife conveyed the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section No. 21, Township No. 75 North of Range No. 28 West of the 5th P.M. of Iowa. That I know of my own personal knowledge that said conveyance was made upon January 5th 1895, and that the said James E. Weeks and wife occupied said property as their homestead upon that date, and in fact did not vacate said premises until about the 24th or 25th day of February 1895. That said James E. Weeks and wife occupied said premises continuously as their homestead for at least twenty-one years prior to said date February 24th or 25th 1895. I further say that I am in no way interested.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me by the said T.G. Ladd this 22nd day of April A.D. 1899.

NOTARIAL
SEAL

T.G. Ladd.
W.L. Smalley.
Notary Public in and for Madison
County, Iowa.