

T.F.Mardis) Filed for record the 12th day of Oct. A.D. 1914 at 4:45 o'clock P.M.
to
The Public) Afft. Fee \$3.50

AUDITED
B. F. H.

Jeannette E. Beck, Recorder

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State of Iowa Madison County, ss. I, T.F.Mardis a resident of the State and County afore-
said being first duly sworn upon my oath depose and say that I was well and personally ac-
quainted with one R.H.Merrell named as grantee in deed recorded in Deed Record 9 page 297 of
of the records of Madison County Iowa, conveying the N $\frac{1}{2}$ of Block No 13 of Laughridge & Cas-
iday's Addition to Winterset, Iowa, and of my own personal knowledge that said R.H.Merrell
is the same and identical person as the Rensselaer H. Merrell whose will was admitted to
probate in Madison County, Iowa on October 11th, 1898. That I was also well and personally
acquainted with Lillie May Stout the adopted daughter of the said R.H.Merrell and of my
own personal knowledge know that the said Lillie May Stout was of full age and a married
woman on June 25th 1901, when she accepted service of notice in action of Julia A. Merrell,
plaintiff vs Lillie May Stout et al at the October 1901 Term of the District Court of Mad-
ison County, Iowa.

That I am in no way interested in making this affidavit other than to establish the
facts as herein set forth.

T.F.Mardis.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me by the said T.F.Mardis this 3rd day of
January A.D. 1908.

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

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