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Lydia Boyles) Filed for record the 16th day of Oct. A.D. 1914 at 4:15 o'clock P.M.
to
The Public. Afft. Fee \$.70 AUDITED
B. F. R. Jeannette E. Beck, Recorder

State of Iowa, Madison County, ss. I, Lydia Boyles, of said County and State, on oath depose and say that I am a sister of her who was Sarah Ann Mills, the widow of Asa Mills, late of Madison County, Iowa, deceased; and that after the death of said Asa Mills the said Sarah Ann Mills married one George W. Ewing.

That said Asa Mills died testate in Madison County, Iowa in the fall or winter of 1853 owning at the time of his death the East half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the South east quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of Section twenty seven (27), and the North east quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the North west quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) and the North west quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the North east quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of Section thirty four (34), all in township seventy six (76) North, of Range twenty seven (27), west, of the 5th P.M. Iowa. That said Asa Mills left surviving him his widow Sarah Ann Mills, and as his only children and heirs at law the following: William T. Mills, Mary J. Mills, Amy Mills, Sarah Mills, Bethlehem Mills, Elizabeth Mills, and Artemesia D. Mills; that wherever in the probate proceedings in the estate of said Asa Mills, or in the guardianship proceedings concerning his minor heirs the name Artemecy D. Mills, Artemisa D. Mills, Artemece Mills, Artemecia D. Mills or Artimesa Delinda Mills occurs, she, the said Artemesia D. Mills is meant, the various names referring to one and the same person, a daughter and heir at law of said Asa Mills. That the estate of said Asa Mills was long since fully settled and all debts paid. That the William Thomas Mills, Mary Jane Mills, Amy Mills, Sarah Mills, Elizabeth Mills, Bethlehem Mills, and Artimesa Delinda Mills, grantees in a deed from Sarah Ann Mills dated July 2, 1857, recorded in deed record "H" of Madison County, Iowa, at page 22 thereof were the same persons as those hereinbefore named as the heirs at law of said Asa Mills deceased. That the M.J. Shafer who joined with her husband W.M. Shafer in the conveyance of part of said real estate to one John Ormand on or about February 9, 1865, said deed being recorded in Record "Q" of said County at page 26 thereof, was the same person as Mary J. Mills a daughter of said Asa Mills; that the Sarah Mills who on the same date conveyed a part of said real estate to said John Ormand, said deed being recorded in the same record at page 27

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thereof was daughter of said Asa Mills, and was at that time unmarried and of full age; that the Anna Ann McGinnis who joined with her husband T. T. McGinnis in the conveyance of a part of said real estate to said John Ormand on the same date, said deed being recorded in the same record at page 28 thereof was the same person as the Amy Mills a daughter of said Asa Mills; That the John Ormand to whom said conveyances were made, and to whom a guardian's deed was executed by said Sarah Ann Mills on or about March 28, 1865, conveying the interests of Elizabeth, Bethlehem, and Artemesia D. Mills, was the same person as the John Orman who on or about February 2, 1878, conveyed a part of said real estate to Sarah J. Orman; said deed being recorded in deed record sixteen of said County at Page 159 thereof, and that the spelling of his name as John Ormand was a clerical error.

Lydia Boyles.

Subscribed and sworn to before me and in my presence by said affiant this August 5th A.D. 1902.

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

