

Miscellaneous Record, No. 18, Madison County

Ella D. Newson) Filed for record the 24th day of May A.D. 1915, at 9:50 o'clock A.M.
to Jeannette E. Beck, Recorder.
The Public) Afft. Fee, \$60 No. 1685

State of Iowa Cedar County, SS. I, Ella D. Newson, of said County and State, on oath say that I am a niece of Henry Emick, who entered from the United States Government, and to whom was patented, the north half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the North east quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of section thirty two (32), in township seventy five (75) north, of range twenty eight (28), west of the 5th P.M., Iowa; that said Henry Emick died intestate in Muscatine County, Iowa, in the year 1855, unmarried and without children, and that as I believe, the father and mother of said Henry Emick had both died prior to his death; that said Henry Emick left surviving the following named brothers and sisters and no others, to-wit:

Elizabeth Shipman, whose husband was James Shipman; Catherine Peasley, whose husband was Micajah Peasley; Rachel Case, whose husband was James A. Case; Christiana Campbell, whose husband was Benjamin Campbell; his sister Mary Newson, whose husband was J. T. Newson and his brother John Emick, who was unmarried; that the persons just named were the only brothers and sisters of said Henry Emick who survived him; that one brother of said Henry Emick had died prior to his death, and that said deceased brother left surviving him the following children and no others, to-wit: Laura L. Emick, Henry Emick, and Alice O. Emick, and that said persons were the only nieces and nephews of said Henry Emick who survived him.

As stated above I believe that the father and mother of Henry Emick died prior to his death; that the father of said Henry Emick was also Henry Emick and his mother was Elizabeth Abigail Emick; that neither was ever married to any other person and neither left any issue except the issue of this marriage to each other; that the only children born to them or either of them were the above named Henry Emick, Elizabeth Shipman, Catherine Peasley, Rachel Case, Christiana Campbell, Mary Newson, and John Emick; that one son of said Henry Emick (i.e. the senior Henry Emick) and Elizabeth Abigail Emick had died intestate prior to their death, leaving as his only children Laura L. Emick, Henry Emick, and Alice O. Emick, referred to above, and leaving no child or children of any surviving children.

That I am not able to state just how the brothers and sisters and nephews and nieces of said Henry Emick made the conveyances of said real estate, but that some of them conveyed their interest to John Emick, and others conveyed their interest to my father J. T. Newson, the husband of said Mary Newson, and that said John Emick afterwards conveyed to said J. T. Newson, and that my father and mother afterwards conveyed said real estate to J. O. Rippey; that my father's full name was Joseph T. Newson, and that in the conveyances of said real estate J. T. Newson and Joseph T. Newson is one man, my father

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And that I remember that J.C.Ripsey secured the interests of all the persons interested in said real estate either as heirs of Henry Emick, or his father and mother or either of them.

That after said J.C.Ripsey had bought said land from my father, and the same had been by my father and mother conveyed to him, I remember of sending to J.C.Ripsey the deeds executed by the persons herein before named to John Emick and to my father J.T. or Joseph T. Newson, my father not having had said deeds recorded.

Ella D. Newson.

Subscribed and sworn to before me and in my presence by the said affiant this 21 day of May, A.D. 1915.

Carl H. Mather.

Notary Public in and for said County and State.

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Annie D. Frankelbaum