

Miscellaneous Record, No. 18, Madison County

war, and have known said farm ever since; that said Isaac N. Bird was my wife's uncle,
W. G. Dorrell.

Subscribed and sworn to before me and in my presence by the said affiant this 25th
day of March A. D. 1916.

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W. S. Cooper.

Notary Public in and for Madison County, Iowa.

Nels Bertholf) Filed for record the 4th day of April A. D. 1916 at 8:25 o'clock A. M.
(to Jeannette E. Beck, Recorder.
The Public) Afft. Fee \$.50 ✓ # 1358.
By Edith E. Cornell, Deputy.

State of Iowa, Madison County, ss. I, Nels Bertholf of said County and State,
being first duly sworn on my oath depose and say:- That I have been acquainted with
the $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec 14, except a strip of land described as follows:- Commencing at the
North east corner of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section 14, running thence W. to N.W. corner of
said Quarter, thence in a Southeasterly direction to a point 4 rods S. of the N.E. cor-
ner of said Quarter, thence N. 4 rods to the Place of Beginning, and the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Sec. 23, all in Twp. 75, Range 27, and with the various owners thereof for ten years
last past; and known of my own personal knowledge that E. M. Holmes and L. C. Holmes, who,
together with their respective wives, conveyed said land to me by deed, dated Aug. 29,
1911, and recorded in the Office of the Recorder of Madison County, Iowa, in Deed Re-
cord 53, page 333, are the same and identical persons, respectively, as the Elmer M.
Holmes and Lester C. Holmes, who obtained title to said land from E. G. Holmes and wife
by Warranty Deed, dated Feb. 4, 1910 and recorded in Deed Record 49, page 519 of the
records of said County and State.

I further state that I am in no way interested in the title to the land herein de-
scribed, but make this Affidavit for the purpose of establishing of record the facts
as herein stated.

Nels Bertholf.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me by the above named Affiant this 3d
day of April A. D. 1916.

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Carl R. Meyer.

Notary Public in and for Madison
County, Iowa.