Miscellaneous Record, No. 19, Madison County

J. Melvin Smith) Filet for record the 1" day of July A.D. 1916 at 1:42 o'clock P.M. Jeannette E. Beck. Recorder. The Public Afft. Fee \$.50 #1961. By Edith #.Cornell. Deputy.

State of Mo., Newton County. ss. I, J.Melvin Smith of said County and State beign first duly sworn, upon my oath depose and say: That I am the same identical person as the J.M. Smith, who obtained title to the West Three-fourths of the Northwest Quarter of the Northest Quarter of Section 29, Township 74, Range 26, Madison County, Iowa, by deed, dated Nov. 27, 1899, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Madison County, Iowa, in Deed Record 41, page 220, and the same identical person as the J.M. Smith who obtained title to the East one-fourth of the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 29, Township 74, Range 26, Madison County, Iowa, by Warranty Deed, dated August 24, 1898, and recorded in said Office in Deed Record 38, page 308, and the same and identical person as J.M. Smith one of the Grantors in a certain Warranty Deed, dated Feb. 25, 1907, and recorded in Deed Record 46, page 215 of the Records of said County and State.

I further state that I now like in Newton County, Missouri, but that I formerly lived in Scott Township and Ohio Township in Medison County, Iowa, but that I never lived or had any property subject to taxation in Walnut Township, Medison County, Iowa, and that no taxes were ever assessed against me in said Walnut Township, Medison County, Iowa; that the taxes of 1899 for \$2.88 assessed against J.M.Smith of Walnut Township and the taxes of 1901 for \$4.60 assessed against Jemes M.Smith of Walnut Township are not against this affiant.

Further deponent saith not.

J.Melvin Smith.

Susboribed in my presence and sworn to before me by the above named Affiant this 29 day of June, A.D. 1916.

Probate Court Seal)

W.A.Phipps.
Probate Judge in and for Newton County, Missouri.

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