

Miscellaneous Record, No. 19, Madison County

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W. G. Dorrell) Filed for record this 23rd day of Mar A. D. 1917 at 11:30 o'clock A. M.
to
The Public) Afft. Fee \$.50 Jeannette E. Beck, Recorder.
#1510.

State of Iowa, Madison County, SS. I, W. G. Dorrell, of said County and State, on oath say that I have been a resident of Madison County, Iowa, continuously for more than seventy years last past; that I have been well acquainted with the title to, and the occupancy of, the east half (1/2) of the south east quarter (1/4) of the north east quarter (1/4) of section eight (8), and the west half (1/2) of the north west quarter (1/4) of section nine (9), and the south west quarter (1/4) of the south west quarter (1/4) of section four (4), all in township seventy six (76) north, of range twenty seven (27), west of the 5th P. M., Iowa, a part of which land was at one time owned and occupied by W. H. Garlinger, the said W. H. Garlinger being a cousin of mine by marriage; that I know that neither Henry Houser, Calvin Tryon, Benjamin F. Bixby, Alfred Brittain, Leonidas Renshaw, Solomon Perkins, nor Andrew Percell, were ^{ever} in possession or occupancy of said land or any part thereof; that I have know nearly all of said men, and know where they lived, and the land they owned, and they neither owned nor occupied any of said land; that I knew E. S. Mills, who owned said land, and that I know that during the last seventeen years the land was continuously occupied by Sidney M. Cole, and his widow and heirs, and by their vendees L. L. Lavalleur, and Venecia G. Ruth, who purchased at referee's sale, from the widow and heirs of said Sidney M. Cole.

W. G. Dorrell

Subscribed and sworn to before me and in my presence by the said affiant this twenty second day of March A. D. 1917.

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

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