

B.N.Clark) Filed for record the 8th day of Sept. A.D. 1917 at 8:45 o'clock P.M.
 to Jeannette E Beck. Recorder Ethel Miller Deputy.
 The Public) Afft. Fees. 50
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State of Iowa Madison County :SS. I, B.N.Clark, of said County and State on oath say that I have been a resident of Madison County, Iowa, continuously since the year 1859, and that I live in section thirty-one (31) in township seventy-seven (77) north, of range twenty-seven (27) west of the Fifth P.M. Iowa, and was raised within about two miles of said section. That I am a brother-in-law of Robert L. Thomson, to whom Henry Thompson and wife, on or about January 25, 1876, conveyed the northeast quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the southwest quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) and the west half ($\frac{1}{2}$) of the northwest quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the northeast quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) and the southeast quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the northwest quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) in said section, township and range, which deed reserved, "a sufficient passage way across the South East corner being twelve feet in the clear of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ to give access to the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of said Section and when said passage way is no longer needed or used then to revert to the grantee herein or to his heirs or assigns. Also reserving access to the water on the SW corner of the SE Qr., of the NW Qr., of said Section as long as it is needed for the use of the grantor herein", and that to my personal knowledge said passage way and the access to the water referred to in said reservation has not been used by the grantors in said conveyance, or any person claiming under them, except the grantees and their grantees, for more than thirty years, that is, not since the death of Sarah Thompson, the widow of Henry Thompson, the grantor in said conveyance, who died thirty-two or thirty-three years ago.

I also on oath say that I well and personally acquainted with Rollin Snyder and Simon Snyder, to whom Phillip R. Jenkins and wife, on or about January 18, 1894, conveyed the

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northeast quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the northeast quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the northwest quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of said section, township and range. That said Rollin Snyder died within one year after the making of said conveyances a single man, and that he left no issue surviving, and left as his only heir at law his father, D.W.Snyder, or Daniel W.Snyder. B.N.Clark.

Subscribed and sworn to before me and in my presence by the said affiant this seventh day of September, A.D. 1917.

W.S.Cooper.

Notary Public in and for Madison County Iowa.

