

W.G.Dorrell ) Filed for record the 21<sup>st</sup> day of Feb A.D.1917, at 3:10 o'clock P.M.  
to Jeannette E.Beck,Recorder.  
The Public)

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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, for more than sixty years last past, and during a large portion of said time resided within a short distance of section one (1) in township seventy four (74) north, of range twenty seven (27) west of the Fifth P.M., Iowa, and was acquainted with all of the persons residing in that vicinity. That Augusta L. Allen who on or about March 28, 1864 conveyed unto E.B. Jones ten (10) rods off the north end of the east half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the southeast quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of said section, township, and range was at the date of said conveyance an unmarried woman. That Robert T. Gilliam died testate in Madison County, Iowa, about the first of January, 1897, that he left surviving him his widow Catharine Gilliam, and as his only children and heirs at law, the following named persons; Nancy J. Rollings, Sarah F. Allen, Martha A. Bowen, John S. Gilliam, Mary A. Allen, Rosetta Morey, Alexander T. Gilliam, Robert E. Gilliam and Ollie A. Husted, and that shortly thereafter, the said Catharine Gilliam, the widow of said Robert T. Gilliam, died intestate and unmarried, her death occurring prior to the first day of January, 1901. That Alexander T. Gilliam, the grantee in a conveyance from other heirs at law of said Robert T. Gilliam, dated January 1, 1901, and recorded in deed record 44 of Madison County, Iowa, at page 596 thereof, was the same and identical person as A.T. Gilliam to whom T.E. Husted as guardian of the minor heirs of Ollie A. Husted on or about February 19, 1901 conveyed a portion of said real estate, and was the same and identical person as the A.T. Gilliam to whom T.E. Husted and wife on or about March 9, 1901 conveyed a portion of said real estate, and the same and identical person as the A.T. Gilliam who on or about December 30, 1901 conveyed unto Mary J. Barnes the north



twenty five (25) acres of the northeast quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the southeast quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of said section, township, and range. That Elihue Roberts to whom Elisabeth J. Hollingshead and husband on or about June 16, 1869 conveyed a portion of the northeast quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of the southeast quarter ( $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of said section, township and range was the same and identical person as the E.C. Roberts who with his wife on or about May 8, 1876 conveyed a part of the same tract to Isaac Porter, the deeds of conveyance being recorded in Book 4 at Page 329 respectively, <sup>Page 430 and in Book 12 at</sup> of the deed records of Madison County, Iowa, and that the said Elihue Roberts just referred to was the same and identical person as Elihue C. Roberts who with his wife on or about December 15, 1870 conveyed a portion of said land to Phebe Rawls, the deed being recorded in deed record 4 of Madison County, Iowa, at page 384, and that said Phebe Rawls was the same person as Phebe S. Rawls who on or about February 26, 1896 conveyed the same real estate unto A. Gummere, the deed being recorded in deed record 35 of Madison County, Iowa, at page 552 thereof, and that said A. Gummere was the same and identical person as Alvarado Gummere who on or about July 3, 1896 conveyed the same real estate to Darrow Investment Company. That Sarah Wright to whom A. B. Shriver on or about April 2, 1901 assigned a mortgage on said real estate, said assignment being recorded in mortgage record 42 of said County, at page 576 was the same and identical person as the Sarah M. Wright who afterwards released said mortgage. That I have personal knowledge of part of the matters above referred to and have general neighborhood knowledge of the remainder, that I have known all of the persons herein named, and that the matters stated are true as I believe. W.G. Dorrell

Subscribed and sworn to before me and in my presence by the said affiant this 20th day of January, A.D. 1917.

W.S. Cooper

Notary Public, in and for Madison County,  
Iowa.

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