

Mary S. Husted) Filed for record the 6<sup>th</sup> day of Nov A.D. 1918, at 9:47 o'clock A.M.  
to Jeannette E. Beck, Recorder.  
The Public ) Afft. Fee, \$ .50  
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State of Iowa County of Madison SS, I, Mary S. Husted, of said state and county first being duly sworn upon my oath depose and say that I was well and personally acquainted with Thomas M. Fowler and Nancy A. Fowler who were the patentees of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  17-74-26, and that to my personal knowledge the said Nancy A. Fowler intermarried with one Samuel Garst, and that the said Nancy A. Garst (nee Nancy A. Fowler) and Samuel Garst her husband executed and deliver to one George W. Stevenson a deed of warranty conveying the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  17-74-26, and other land on September 27th 1865.

I further state that I was well and personally acquainted with Robert M. Fowler who entered and was the patentee of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  17-74-26, and that to my personal knowledge the said Robert M. Fowler was the same and identical person as Robert Fowler who conveyed by deed of warranty of date February 26th, 1859, to Nancy Ann Garst a part of the said NW $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  17-74-26, at which time the said Robert Fowler was an unmarried man.

I further state that the said Robert Fowler died testate April 11 A.D. 1859 unmarried leaving as his sole and only heirs at law Thomas M. Fowler, his son, and Nancy A. Garst, his daughter, and that the estate of the said Robert Fowler has long since been fully settled and all debts paid in full.

I further state that I was well acquainted with Edward Buvicourt who was the grantee in a certain deed executed by George W. Stevenson, his wife joining, of date December 31st

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1866, conveying the East 68 acres of the N $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  17-74-26, and that the said Edward Buvicourt was the same and identical person as Edward Boicourt who conveyed the same by deed of warranty, his wife joining, of date December 19th, 1868 to one Ephriam S. Jones.

Mary S. Husted

Subscribed and sworn to before me the undersigned, C. W. Wright a Notary Public within and for Madison County, State -- Iowa on this 15th day of May A. D. 1891, by the said Mary S. Husted.

Chas W. Wright  
Notary Public

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