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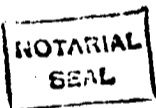
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Nettie H. Winship, Recorder  
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State of Iowa Madison County SS: I, J.S.Smith, being first duly sworn depose and say that I am 69 years of age and have for more than 30 years resided within 2 miles of the old home of George H. Gray who died owning SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  35-74-29 and that I was well acquainted with Emerson Gray, a half brother of said G.H. Gray. That to the best of my memory the said Emerson Gray left home about the year 1895 leaving his wife, and also leaving the following children, Frank Gray, Mary Crawley and T. J. Gray, named as grantors in the Deed to J.G. Harrison and C.H. Wheeler recorded in Book 50 at pg. 517 of the Deed Records of Madison County, Iowa, and that said Emerson Gray was at the time he left a man about 25 years old and that I have never heard any thing from said Emerson Gray since he left here and so far as I know and it is my understanding that he was never heard of by any of his relatives after he left home.

J.S.Smith

Subscribed and Sworn to before me by the said J.S.Smith, this 8th day of August, A.D. 1922.



W.F. Craig  
Notary Public in and for Madison County, Iowa.

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