

## Miscellaneous Record, No. 20, Madison County, Iowa.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affix the seal of said Court at office.  
in the City of Des Moines in said District this 22nd day of May, A.D. 1924.  
(DISTRICT COURT OF U.S. SEAL) H.F. Reed,  
Clerk, United States District Court, Southern District of Iowa.

Scott Shifflett) Filed for record the 5th day of June A.D., 1924 at 3 o'clock P.M.  
to (Affidavit. #1245 Fee \$1.50 ✓ Olive Garrison Crawford,  
The Public ) Recorder.  
State of Iowa, Madison County, ss. I, Scott Shifflett, a resident of said county and state,  
being first duly sworn, do, upon my oath depose and say that I was well and personally ac-  
quainted with Mazana Hill who died intestate in Madison County, Iowa, on or about December  
7th, 1922, as shown by the probate records in the office of the Clerk of the District Court  
of Madison County, Iowa, seized in fee simple of Lot Four (4) and the North Half (½) of Lot  
Five (5), in Block Three (3) of Nicholson's Addition to the Town of Earlham, Iowa, and know  
of my own personal knowledge that the said Mazana Hill was the same and identical person  
as the Mazana Hill who is named as the grantee in a certain deed from Isom P. Wooten and  
Margery E. Wooten, conveying the above described real estate, which deed is recorded at page  
172 of Deed Record 11 of the records of said county, and that wherever in the chain of title  
to said real estate or in the proceedings in the estate of Mazana Hill the names Mazana Hill  
and Mazana Hill appear they refer to one and the same person.

I further state that I am well and personally acquainted with L.J. Hill, the son and  
only heir of the said Mazana Hill, deceased. That I am informed that the records in the  
office of the County Treasurer of Madison County, Iowa, show delinquent personal taxes as-  
sessed against one Joe Hill for the year 1909, South Township, \$3.35; for the year 1911,  
Winterset, \$3.50; and for the year 1911, Scott Township, \$4.98. That if the records so  
show, that said personal taxes are not now and never were a lien against the above describ-  
ed real estate. That to my personal knowledge the said L.J. Hill never lived in South Town-  
ship, Winterset or Scott Township and never at any time had personal property in any of said  
places subject to taxation. That the full, true and correct name of the said L.J. Hill is  
Lester John Hill. That I have no interest to serve in making the foregoing affidavit which  
is made from a personal knowledge of the facts.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me by  
said affiant this 4 day of June A.D., 1924.



Scott Shifflett.

H.W. Hale,

Notary Public in and for Madison County, Iowa.

Town Council, Macksburg, Ia.)

Filed for record the 9th day of June A.D., 1924 at  
4/28 o'clock P.M. Olive Garrison Crawford,