

Notary Public within and for Madison County, Iowa.

D.E.Hamner ) Filed for record the 18th day of February A.D.1924,  
 James L.Smith ) at 9 o'clock A.M. Olive Garrison Crawford, Recorder.  
 to (Affidavit. #287 Fee \$ .70 Adelaide Nicholson, Deputy.  
 The Public. ) State of Iowa, Madison County, ss.

I, D.E.Hamner, of said County and State, being first duly sworn upon oath depose and say that I am now and have been a resident of Madison County, Iowa, for more than 57 years, last past. I further state that I am well and personally acquainted with Minnie I.Little named as one of the heirs at law of J.H.Little, deceased, in the Registry of Heirs filed in the Estate of said decedent entered in Probate Docket "T", page 329 in the office of the Clerk of the District Court of Madison County, Iowa, and that said Minnie I.Little is the same and identical person as Minnie I.Little named in the Petition for Probate of Will filed in said Estate, and the same and identical person as Minnie I.Marchel who joined in the execution of the Warranty Deed to James Solomon Lester Smith, dated December 1, 1923, conveying the E $\frac{1}{2}$  SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec.24 and the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 25, all in Township 75 North, of Range 27, Madison County, Iowa, she having intermarried with F.S.Marchel.

I further state that John H.Little, grantee in the Warranty Deed recorded in Deed Record 20, page 57 of the records of Madison County, Iowa, was the same and identical person as J.H.Little whose Estate was probated in said District Court as above mentioned, said John H.Little having married my mother's sister.

I further state that Mary Jane Little named in the Last Will and Testament of said decedent was the wife of said John H.Little and my mother's sister, and that she is now deceased.

I further state that I am well and personally acquainted with James L.Smith who joined in the Mortgage to The Union Central Life Insurance Company for \$6600.00, dated February 1, 1924, and that James L.Smith who joined in the Mortgage to George M.Van Evera & Company for \$1.00, dated February 1, 1924, is the same and identical person as James Solomon Lester Smith, grantee in said deed dated December 1, 1923, and the same and identical person as James Solomon Leslie Smith, James Solomon Lester Smith, James Lester Solomon Smith, James Leslie Solomon Smith named in the original Last Will and Testament of James S.Smith, or in the record thereof, -(the Estate of said James S.Smith being probated in the District Court of Madison County, Iowa, and entered in Probate Docket "H", page 120) and the same and identical person as James Solomon Lester Smith named in the Registry of Heirs filed in said Es-

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tate, and the same and identical person as James Solomon Leslie Smith named in the Report of Beneficiaries filed in said Estate, and the same and identical person as James Leslie Solomon Smith named in the Final Report filed in said Estate, and the same and identical person as James Leslie Smith who signed the Receipt and Waiver dated March 9, 1923 and attached to said Final Report. I further state that I am acquainted with Mary M. Smith named in the Last Will and Testament of said James S. Smith, and that she died several years ago.

I further state that I have no interest in the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 24 and E $\frac{1}{2}$  NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 25, all in Twp. 75, Range 27, but make this Affidavit at the request of the present owner thereof for the purpose of establishing of record the facts herein stated. D.E. Hamner.  
State of Iowa, Madison County, ss.

I, James L. Smith of said County and State being first duly sworn upon oath depose and say that I am the James L. Smith mentioned in the attached Affidavit of D.E. Hamner.

I further state that my full name is James Solomon Lester Smith; that all of the facts and statements made in said Affidavit are true and correct; that Mary L. Smith named therein was my mother and that she died prior to the death of my father, James S. Smith; and that J.H. (or John H.) Little named in said Affidavit was my mother's brother.

James L. Smith.  
Subscribed in my presence and Sworn to before me by the above named D.E. Hamner  
and James L. Smith, this 16 day February A.D., 1924.  
Harry F. Anderson,  
Notary Public in and for Madison County, Iowa.

