

Miscellaneous Record, No. 23, Madison County, Iowa

Will H. Henry

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Madison County, Iowa.

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Pearl E. Shetterly, Recorder

The Public

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STATE OF IOWA COUNTY OF MADISON)SS

I, Will H. Henry, being first duly sworn on oath, depose and state that I am a resident of Madison County, Iowa, and have been such a resident continuously for more than a period of 20 years, that I have personal knowledge of the matter hereinafter referred to and during all of said time have resided in the vicinity of and have been acquainted with the use, occupancy and possession of the following described property, situated in the County of Madison, State of Iowa, to-wit:

The South Half of the Southwest Quarter (S $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Fifteen (15); and the North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$); the Southeast Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$) and the East Half of the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter (E $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Twenty-two (22) and the East Two (2) acres of the Southeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Sixteen (16), Township Seventy-six (76), Range Twenty-seven (27), in Madison County, Iowa.

I further state that The Travelers Insurance Company has been and The Travelers Insurance Company is now in actual possession of the said real estate, that it and its grantors, immediate and remote, have been in actual, open, adverse, notorious, hostile, continuous and exclusive

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possession of said premises since and prior to January 1, 1920, as shown by the records of Madison County, Iowa, and have held such possession under color of title, claim of right and claim of ownership in fee simple since and prior to January 1, 1920, and that said possession has been peaceable and undisturbed and that the title has never been questioned or disputed to my knowledge and belief, The aforesaid parties not only have been in actual possession but also have cultivated the land, improved and repaired the buildings and paid their taxes thereon.

This affidavit is made for the purpose of establishing title to the above described property in accordance with Sections 11,024 and 11,030 of the 1939 Code of Iowa, and for the purpose of being recorded in accordance with the provisions of Sections 10,073 and 11,024 of the 1939 Code of Iowa.

I further state that I make this affidavit from my own personal knowledge and for the purpose of clearing the defects in the chain of title to the above described property.

Further affiant sayeth not.

Will H. Henry

Subscribed and sworn to before me, a Notary Public, this 2d day of July, 1940.

(Notarial Seal)

H. C. Fosher Notary Public in and for said County, Iowa.

STATE OF IOWA COUNTY OF MADISON)SS.

I, Pearl E. Shetterly, County Recorder in and for said County and State aforesaid, hereby certify that the foregoing affidavit was filed in my office by the owner in possession as named in said affidavit, or by his attorney-in-fact, as shown by the records, and recorded and entered on the records, thereof on the 2nd day of July, 1940.

Pearl E. Shetterly, Recorder

Trustees Wesley Chapel