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J. N. Gordon)
to) Affidavit
The Public.)

(Filed For Record April 17" A.D. 1906 at 9:10 o'clock A.M.
E.F. Connoran, Recorder,
By Irene E. Connoran.
Deputy.

State of Iowa, Madison County) ss.

I, J.N. Gordon, of said County and State, being first duly sworn, &c, upon my oath, depose and say: That I was well and personally acquainted with E.D. Barnett, named as grantor in a certain deed to W.A. Barnett dated October, 13 th, 1877, conveying the N.W. 10 acres in the S.E.¼ of S.W.¼ of Sec. 30-77-27, and was well and personally acquainted with Ellwood D. Barnett, named as grantor in a certain deed to Dayton Barnett, dated January 7 th, 1878, conveying the S.E.¼ S.W.¼ of said Sec. 30-77-27 and know of my own personal knowledge that the said E.D. Barnett and Ellwood D. Barnett were in truth and in fact one and the same identical person and that I also know of my own personal knowledge that the Sadie F. Barnett, who joined with the said E.D. Barnett and Ellwood D. Barnett in the conveyances above described was in truth and in fact the wife of the said grantor therein on the respective dates of the execution of said deeds.
Also that I was personally well acquainted with Wm. A. Barnett and Mary A. Barnett, grantors in the last deed above described and who joined with Ellwood D. Barnett and wife, Sadie F. as grantors and of my own personal knowledge I know that at that time, to-wit:

January 7 th, 1878, the said Wm. A. Barnett and Mary A. Barnett were husband and wife. And I was personally well acquainted with the E.M. Ford named as grantee in a conveyance from said Dayton Barnett and Sarah Barnett, to me personally known to be husband and wife at that time, conveying the real estate last herein described, dated September 14 th, 1880. and was well and personally acquainted with the Edmond M. Ford named as grantor in a certain deed for said real estate to Anson M. Peters, dated November 14 th, 1881, and personally know that the said E.M. Ford and Edmond M. Ford were in truth and in fact one and the same person.

And that I was personally well acquainted with Anson M. Peters named as grantee in the said last described deed and also with A.M. Peters named as grantor in a deed for the W.½ of the said premises to Andersen Barnett dated February 19 th, 1891 and personally know that the said Anson M. Peters and A.M. Peters were in truth and in fact one and the same identical person,. That all the statements herein are known to me to be true of my own personal knowledge and that I have no interest, either direct or indirect, in making this affidavit. Further deponent sayeth not.

J.N. Gordon

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me by the above nored affiant this the 16 th day of April, A.D. 1906.

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S.D. Alexander
Notary Public in and for Madison County Iowa.