John Bancroft ) Filed for record the 2" day of May A.D.1914 at 9:36 o'clock A.M.
to Jeannette E.Beck.Recorder.
The Public ) Afft.

AUDITED B. F. R.

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State of Iowa Madison County S S. I,John Bancroft,being first duly sworn,do,upon my oath,depose and say:-That I moved onto the North East Quarter (NE¼) of the South West Quarter (SW¼) and the North West Quarter (NW¼) of the South East Quarter (SE¼) of Section Twenty-two (22) Township Seventy-four (74) North of Range Twenty-eight (28) West of the 5th P.M. Iowa in the fall of A.D.1854 and lived there until in the year A.D.1856 when I moved onto Section Fourteen (14) of the same Township where I have lived and am still living having resided on said Section Fourteen (14) at all times since the year A.D.1856 except a period of about three years during the war of the rebellion when I lived near the town of Winterset,in Madison County,about seven miles from the above described land.

And I further state that during all that time I have known the land described as the West Half (W½) of the South West Quarter (SW¼) and the South East Quarter (SE¼) of the South West Quarter (SW¼) of Section Twenty-two (22) Township Seventy-four

(74) North of Range Twenty-eight.(28) West of the 5th P.M.Iowa,being the land described in the bond for deed executed by Charles M.Kellogg to Thomas Sheridon,dated May 29th,A.D.1857,filed for record June 6th A.D.1857 and recorded in Record "F" page 611 of the Deed Records of Madison County,Iowa,and that during all the time since the year A.D.1854 I have never known of any person by the name of Charles M.Kellogg or Thomas Sheridon making any claim to the said lands.And that during all that time Manville Bullock,who is now in possession of the said land and his grantors, have been the only persons claiming the said lands so far as I have ever known or heard.

And I further state that I have never known or heard of any person by the name of Charles M.Kellogg or Thomas Sheridon owning or claiming to own any land whatever in said Section Twenty-two (22).

I further state that I have now and never did have any interest in the said West Half (W½) of the South West Quarter (SW¼) and South East Quarter (SE¼) of the South West Quarter (SW¼) of said Section Twenty-two (22).All of which is true as I verily beleive.

John Bancroft.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me by the above named affiant this the 3rd day of November,A.D.1897.

John A.Guiher.

Notary Public in and for Madison County,Iowa.

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