they refer to one and the same identical person, her name having formerly been Merle Schoenenberger, and that her full, true and correct name is now Merle Schoenenberger Anderson.

C. E. Tucker

NOTARIAL SEAL

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me by the said C. E. TUCKER this 8th day of March A. D. 1951.

Charles D. Van Werden Notary Public in and for said County.

W. J. Liechty To The Public

#2528

Fee $ .50

Filed for record the 10 day of March A. D. 1951 at 11:15 o'clock A. M.

Wilma M. Wade, Recorder

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF IOWA, POLK COUNTY, ss.

I, W. J. Liechty, a resident of said State and County, being sworn, depose and say as follows:

That I am well and personally acquainted with Charles E. Smith who is named as co-grantee with his wife, Cora May Smith, in a deed dated Jan. 31, 1951, recorded Mar. 1, 1951, in Deed Record 85, at page 302, of Madison County, Iowa, records, executed by one Ella Lorenzen and conveying the Frl. N½ SW¼ and NW¼ SE¼ of Section 31, in Township 74 North, of Range 26 West of the 5th P. M.

That to my certain knowledge, the said Charles E. Smith has been a resident of Polk County, Iowa, for the last preceding five years; that immediately prior to his residence in Polk County, Iowa, he had been a resident of Dallas County, Iowa, for six continuous years, and that prior to his residence in Dallas County, Iowa, he had resided in Webster County, Iowa. That to my certain knowledge, he has never, prior to Jan. 1, 1951, resided in Madison County, Iowa, nor prior to that date owned personal property located in Madison County, Iowa, subject to taxation and that any personal tax listed in the office of the County Treasurer of Madison County, Iowa, against the following named persons, to-wit: C. E. Smith, Etna Smith, Chas. E. Smith, or Chas. Smith, is a tax due from and owing by some person other than the Charles E. Smith first hereinbefore referred to.

That I am in no way interested and make this affidavit for the sole purpose of establishing of record the facts herein related.

W. J. Liechty

NOTARIAL SEAL

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me by the said W. J. Liechty, affiant, this 8th day of March, A. D. 1951.

L. E. Brewbaker Notary Public within and for Polk County, Iowa.

Dale Gray To The Public

#2572

Fee $ .50

Filed for record the 13 day of March A.D. 1951 at 11:15 o'clock A.M.

Wilma M. Wade, Recorder

AFFIDAVIT

State of Iowa, Madison County)ss:

I, Dale Gray, of said county and state, being first duly sworn on oath depose and say that I have been a resident of Madison County, Iowa, for more than 30 years last past and was well and personally acquainted with M. J. Smith during his lifetime, and know that he died testate in Madison County, Iowa, on or about Feb. 2, 1944, and that at the time of his death he was the owner of the SW¼ SE¼ Sec. 3 and the W½ NE¼ and the E½ NW¼ and the North 10 rods of the East 12 rods of the E½ SW¼ NW¼ of Sec. 10, in Twp. 75, Range 28, in Madison County, Iowa, and that wherever in the chain of title to said real estate the names M. J. Smith, Morton J. Smith, or Morton Johnson Smith appear, they refer to one and the same identical person; and that he had no children born subsequent to the date of his last will and testament on May 12, 1930, and that he had no adopted children.

I further state that I am in no way interested in the title to said real estate, but make this affidavit at the request of the present owners thereof for the purpose of establishing of record the facts above stated.

Dale Gray

NOTARIAL SEAL

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me by the above named affiant this 13th day of March, A.D. 1951

Harry F. Anderson Notary Public in and for Madison County, Iowa.