In the matter of Final Proof of William J. Schumacher, on Hd. Entry No. 4057 for the SEt of sec. 6 in Tp. 20 N. R. 57 W.

State of Nebraska) ss.

I/William J. Schumacher, being first duly sworn, on oath depose and say that I am the identical person who made the aforesaid homestead entry on the land above described and who has this day offered final proof thereon; that about one year ago I offered final proof on said land but said proof was rejected for the reason that I was not at that time a naturalized citizen of the United States and after the same was rejected I did not think I could become a naturalized citizen in time to make proof on said land in the time required by law and for that reason decided to relinquish my claim to said land and to sell my improvements for what I could get; that after having signed my name to said relinquishment as written out on the reverse side of the Receiver's Duplicate Receipt I made further investigation and found that I could become naturalized at the Spring term of the District Court held in and for Scotts Bluff County, Nebrasko. and thereupon cancelled said relinquishment and did not further try to sell or dispose of my said improvements. William J Schaamacher

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me in my office in Gering, Scotts Bluff County, Nebraska, this 27th day of July, 1907.

clerk of the District Court.