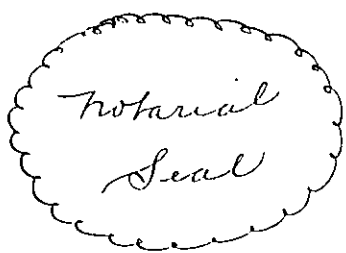


State of Oregon, }
County of Wasco. } ss.

This certifies, that on this 23rd day of March, A.D. 1901, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, personally appeared the within-named Iver A. Hamre, a single man, known to me to be the same person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, freely and voluntarily.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and official seal, the day and year in this certificate last above written.



John Leland Henderson,

Notary Public for Oregon,

residing in the City of Hood River.

"Exhibit A", to Indenture of Mortgage, executed by Iver A. Hamre to Mary L. Harrison, dated March 15th 1901.

State of Oregon }
County of Wasco } ss.

I, Iver A. Hamre, being duly sworn, on oath say:-

That I am a male naturalized citizen of the United States of America; that I came to the United States in the month of December, A.D. 1882; and two weeks after my arrival I was married to Toratha Torson in Norwegian Cyrene, State of Wisconsin; that I am the son of Armond Knutson Hamre and was born in Norway in the City of Bergen on the 24th day of May, A.D. 1845; that I enlisted in the Norwegian Army in the year 1876 as and under my christened name, "Iver Benjamin", "Benjamin" being the name of the land of my father on which I was born; that when I first came to America I kept the name of "Benjamin", and was married to Toratha Torson under the name of "Benjamin"; that on or about the year 1883 I moved to Kingsbury County, State of South Dakota, and in or about the year 1884, I took out my first naturalization papers as a citizen of the United States of America; that said papers were made out in the name of "Iver A. Hamre," and that "Iver A. Hamre" is now my name; that my father and brother, when they came to the United States, retained the name of "Hamre"; that I have read the certified copy of divorce decree, in the case of Toratha Benjamin as Iver Benjamin, rendered in the Circuit Court of the Third Judicial Circuit, County of Kingsbury and State of Dakota, dated March 16th 1901, the decree being dated December 2d. 1896, certified to by A. S. Alquist, clerk of Circuit Court of said Kingsbury County, which certified copy is attached to this affidavit and made a part hereof, and I do solemnly say that I am the defendant named in