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A F F I D A V I T

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF WABASHA, VILLAGE OF MAZEPPA, SS.

On this 5 day of April A.D. 1909, personally appeared before me a Notary Public in and for the aforesaid County, duly authorized to administer oaths, Archibald Rose, aged 75 years, a resident of Chester Township in the County of Wabasha and State of Minnesota whose Post Office address is Mazeppa, Minn., and well known to me to be reputable and entitled to credit, and who, being duly sworn, declares as follows;

That his age is seventy five (75) years and was born January first (1) A.D. 1833, that the only record of his birth is the family ~~to~~ record which gives as the date of birth of said affiant Jan. 1st- 1833.

Archibald Rose

STATE OF MINNESOTA, COUNTY OF WABASHA, VILLAGE OF MAZEPPA, SS.,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5 day of April A.D. 1909 by the above named affiant, and I certify that I read said affidavit to said affiant, and acquainted him with its contents before he executed the same. I further certify that said affiant exhibited the family Bible for my personal inspection. I further certify that I was unable to find date when the Bible was printed, however, the Bible is in good state of preservation and from indications and appearances a relic of antiquity; I further certify that the record contained in the Bible bears no marks of erasure or alteration, and from the appearance of the writing, the entries to have been made about the dates given; and the date of ^{birth of} the above named affiant given as Jan. 1st- 1833. I further certify that I am in no wise interested in said case, and that said affiant is personally known to me, and that he is a credible person.

W. F. Liffbrig

Notary Public, Wabasha County, Minn.
My Commission Expires Jan. 15th, 1912.