## NARRATIVE OF CAPTIVITY

Personally appeared before me, A. J. McKean, Clerk of the District Court, Linn County, State of Iowa, and made solemn oath that the foregoing is true and correct in all particulars, and that neither of the parties hereto subscribing is interested in any way in any effort which the said Mrs. Kelly may make, or has made, for indemnity, on this 22d day of January, A. D., 1870.

[SEAL.]

A. J. MCKEAN,

Clerk District Court, Linn County, Iowa.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, } SECOND AUDITOR'S OFFICE, December 2d, 1870. }

I certify the foregoing to be a true copy of the original filed in this office.

E. B. FRENCH, Second Auditor.

## [The memoranda below are written with pencil.]

Captain Logan was the officer of the day when Mrs. Kelly was brought into the fort (Sully).

John Magee, Sergeant Co. H. Sixth Iowa Cavalry, was sergeant of the guard at the same time.

To Hon. JAMES HARLAN, U. S. S, and HON. WM. SMYTH, M. C., Second Congressional District, Iowa:

## GENTLEMEN :---

I was at Fort Sully when the arrangement was made for the capture of this woman. Was not there when the Indians brought her into the fort; but am satisfied that the above affidavit, in the main, is correct.

> (Signed.) T. S. BARDWELL, Late Assistant Surgeon Sixth Iowa Cavalry.