

STATE OF ALABAMA)
SHELBY COUNTY)

Before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County and State, personally appeared ROY WOOD, who, being known to me and being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

My name is Roy Wood. I will be 56 years of age on October 9, 1982, and my residence address is Route 1, Harpersville, Alabama 35078.

I am the son of Myrtle Wood, now deceased.

My said mother, Myrtle Wood, bought the following described property situated in Shelby County, Alabama, from W. C. Campbell and H. G. Campbell on June 18, 1926, as shown by deed recorded in Deed Book 91 at page 112, Office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama:

The SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29, Township 19 South, Range 2 East.

When I first remember said property as a boy, my mother was the owner of said property, and our family farmed said property, approximately 26 acres being in cultivation and about 14 acres in woodlands. We farmed the property each year until I grew up and then my mother rented said property from year to year until the year 1966. My said mother conveyed one acre square in the NE corner of said $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ Section to my wife and me in July, 1955, as shown by deed recorded in Deed Book 202 at page 422 in said Probate Office. My said wife and I started the construction of our home on said one acre parcel in the year 1960, and we moved in said home^{in 1961} and maintained our residence therein until about two months ago.

In 1966, my said mother conveyed the remainder of said $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ Section, except for four acres in a square in the NW corner which she had sold, as shown by deed recorded in Deed Book 240 at page 582 in said Probate Office, so that, in 1966, my said wife and I owned 36 acres, more or less, in said $\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{4}$ Section.

At the present time, about half of said 36 acres is in farm land and the remaining half is grown up in woodlands. My said wife and I have had gardens on said property each and every year since the early 1960's until the present time.

My said wife, Earline Wood, and I, and our predecessor in title, namely, my mother, Myrtle Wood, have been in the actual, peaceable, open, notorious, hostile, continuous, exclusive, adverse possession of said property being described as the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29, Township 19 South, Range 2 East, less and except 4 acres in a square in the NW corner thereof, for more than the past fifty years until the present date.

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Our possession of said property has been plainly visible to the world at large, and I have never heard anyone question the title, ownership, or right of possession of my wife and me and our predecessor in title during all of this time.

I have never known any of the following people, and I have never heard of any of said persons, or any persons claiming title through them, making any claim whatsoever against the above described property which my wife and I presently own: Herman Snead, Mary M. D. Campbell, J. C. Brumbaugh and wife, Ethel L. Brumbaugh, Brookside Pratt Mining Co.

Roy Wood
Roy Wood

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of October, 1982.

[Signature]
Notary Public

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