ARMON R. HULL and IDELL B. HULL,

Plaintiffs,

vs

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR

SHELBY COUNTY, ALABAMA

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CV - 83 - 090(E)

ELIZAH JACKSON and his or her heirs or devisees if deceased, and the following described lands in Shelby County, Alabama: Beginning at the Northeast corner of the NW% of the NW% of Section 25, Township 20 South, Range 4 West, running South to the Southeast corner of the North Half of said Forty; thence West 150 yards, more or less, to the Tuscaloosa Public Road; thence Tin a Northeasterly direction along the meanderings of said public road, on the East side of said road, to the point of beginning.

Defendants.

excepted. Situated in Shelby

Mineral and mining rights

County, Alabama,

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This is an in rem quiet title action. Attorney Richard Shuleva was appointed by the court to serve as guardian ad litem, and he was present when sworn testimony was presented to the court.

The court finds that the Plaintiffs' attorney searched the records in the Shelby County Courthouse and found that Elizah Jackson might have some claim to the property in question, that his last known address was a 1948 address, and that efforts to locate him by both Plaintiffs and the guardian ad litem were fruitless. (A copy of the Plaintiffs' deed and a letter sent to Elizah Jackson that was returned because the addressee was unknown were admitted into evidence.) The court further finds that Plaintiffs received a deed to the property in question in 1961, and that they alone have paid taxes on the said property from that time until the present.

Wherefore, it is hereby ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that the Plaintiffs are the fee simple owners of the property to be described, and that neither Elizah Jackson nor any other person has any ownership interest in or encumbrance upon the said property:

Beginning at the Northeast corner of the NW4 of Section 25, Township 20 South, Range 4 West, running south to

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the Southeast corner of the North Half of said Forty; thence West 150 yards, more or less, to the Tuscaloosa Public Road; thence in a Northeasterly direction, along the meanderings of said public road, on the east side of said road, to the point of beginning, 3 acres more or less, surface right only.

Richard Shuleva is hereby awarded attorney's fees in the amount of One Hundred Twenty-Five Dollars (\$125), the said amount to be part of the court costs in this action. Court costs are taxed to the Plaintiffs, Armon R. Hull and Idell B. Hull.

DONE and ORDERED this 2 day of June, 1983.

Circuit Judge

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Clerk of Circuit Court

Shelby County, Alabama

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