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State of Alabama.) Personally came before me the undersigned
Shelby Bennett, { authority B.R. Powell who makes oath that he
has examined the deed made by Daniel McLeod and his wife
Nancy McLeod, to Rasmus McLeod dated April 7, 1884 which conveys
certain lands in Sections 23, and 26 north of Beesway Creek.
Said deed is now in the possession of J.C. McLeod, a son and one

of the heirs of "Rasmus" or Erasmus McLeod which deed purports to have been recorded in record book No. 6, page No. 137 in the Probate Judge's office of Shelby County, (as shown by certificate of the Probate Judge on the back of the deed,) that he has also examined the record in said Book No. 6, page No. 137, and the names of the parties executing the deed are the same, and the description is the same except the word "quarter" is added after "Northeast" and before "Fraction Section 23" making this record read "Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter Fraction Section 23" the word "quarter" being left out after the word "East" in the deed. In all respects the deed and the record agree and correspond, except that the deed is written very plainly and the grantee's name therein is "Rasmus" McLeod party of the second part, and from the record copy in said Book No. 6, page No. 137 the name "Rasmus" is badly transcribed and might be taken from "Ranson." I am satisfied however after examination of the deed and the record that it is the same deed as the one now in possession of J. O. McLeod, and that the land was conveyed to "Rasmus" McLeod, as shown by the deed, and not to "Ranson" McLeod as might be interrupted from the record in the Probate Judge's office. In other words, I am satisfied that the record was intended to be made "Rasmus" and not "Ranson" and that the word "Ranson" as might be taken from the record is erroneous.

B. R. Powell,

Swear and subscribed to before me on this the 4th day of April 1913,
Witness, H. T. Simms. W. L. Christian Notary Public.

The State of Alabama, I hereby certify that the within conveyance
Shelby County, was filed in this office for record April 23, 1913,
at 1 o'clock P.M. and recorded in Deed Record 52 - page 148 and examined
A. O. Longshore, Judge of Probate.