

State of Alabama

Shelby County Before me the undersigned authority, in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared G. N. Eatres who being duly sworn deposes and says on oath as follows: I was personally acquainted with Phillip Ellison during his life time and I have personal knowledge that P. O. Ellison was the wife of the said Phillip Ellison and the said Phillip Ellison is the person to whom J. F. Arny and C. H. Arny and their respective wife convey the Southeast (S E 1/4) of the Southeast fourth (S E 1/4) and the West half (W 1/2) of the Southeast fourth (S E 1/4) and the Southeast fourth (S E 1/4) of the Southwest fourth (S W 1/4), section twenty two (22), township twenty four (24), range fifteen (15) East, St Stephens Meridian, Shelby County, State of Alabama. Affiant also has personal knowledge that John Ellison, William Ellison, Phil Ellison, Frank Ellison, Sam Ellison, Alexander Ellison and Harriet Eatres are all of the children or heirs-at-law of the said Phillip Ellison and that they were all of the children or heirs-at-law, of the said Phillip Ellison, at the time of his death. Sworn to and subscribed before G. N. Eatres me on this the 27 day of May 1918.

(Seal)

Jas. T. Crawford

The State of Alabama, Shelby County
I hereby certify that the within
Affidavit, was filed in this
office for record, 19 May of Oct
1918 at 5 o'clock PM and record-
ed in Book Record 64
pages 378 and examined.
G. N. Weaver
Judge of Probate

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