```
STATE OF ALABAMA )
SHELBY COUNTY )
```

Before me L. H. Ellis, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, personally appeared Dan Jones, who is known to me, and who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says on oath, that he is acquainted with the following land situated in Shelby County, Alabama viz:

The south half of the southwest fourth of Section 31, Township twenty one, Range one west, and the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ , Section 6, Township 22, Range one west.

Further deposing affiant says that he has known said land for fifty years, or more, during which time he has lived in and around the same community where said land is situated. Further deposing affiant says that he is acquainted with the heirs of John Holcombe, deceased, who was grantee in a deed executed by Cassey Ray on November the 2nd, 1858, wherein and whereby the aforementioned and described land was conveyed to said John Holcombe; that the sole heirs at law and next of kin of said John Holcombe, who died during the Civil War, are as follows:

Bettie Jones, a daughter,
Jasper Holcombe, a son,
Mary H. Jones, a daughter,
Richard Holcombe, a son,
B. J. Holcombe, a son
J. H. Holcombe, a son
Hunter Holcombe, a son and
B. H. Holcombe.

that all of the above children were living on July the 26th, 1907, except said Hunter Holcombe who died about something like 30 years ago and left surviving him his widow, W. N Holcombe, who later married a Randall, and also three children viz: Arthur Holcombe Jadie Holcombe and Bessie Holcombe, all of whom are over twenty one years of age.

Further deposing affiant says that all of said heirs at law and next of kin of said John Holcombe, are grantors in the deed of M. H. B. Jones and others to B. H. Holcombe of date, July the 26th 1907, and recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Deed Book 68 at page 128 except said heirs of Hunter Holcombe, deceased, and except said B. H. Holcombe. Further deposing affiant says that said heirs at law and next of kin of said John Holcombe were in the open, notorious. continuous, actual, exclusive, adverse possession of said land as far back asaaffiant can remember, and so continued in such possession until July the 26th, 1907, when it was conveyed by the aforementioned deed to B. H. Holcombe, and since that time, down to the present time, said B. H. Holcombe and said heirs of Hunter Holcombe, deceased, have been in the open, notorious, continuous, actual, exclusive, adverse possession of said land, and during none of said time has any person, firm or corporation advanced any claim or title to said land antagonistic to said Holcombe.

Dan Jones

Sworn and subscribed to before me this the 17th day of July 1926.

L. H. Ellis--Notary Public

THE STATE OF ALABAMA )
SHETBY COUNTY

I, L.B.Riddle Judge of Probate hereby certify that the within affidavit was filed in this office for record July 20th 1926 at 9 oclock A.M. and recorded in Deed record 80 page 521 and examined.

L. B. Riddle--Judge of Probate