AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
SHELBY COUNTY)

Before me W. T. Taylor Jr. Clerk of the Circuit Court in and for said County, in said State personally appeared J. J. Falkner, who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says on oath as follows:

That he knows the \mathbb{W}_{2}^{1} of the SE $_{4}^{1}$ of Section 12, and the $\mathbb{N}\mathbb{W}_{4}^{1}$ of the $\mathbb{N}\mathbb{W}_{4}^{1}$, the \mathbb{E}_{2}^{1} of the $\mathbb{N}\mathbb{W}_{4}^{1}$, the \mathbb{E}_{2}^{1} of the SE $_{4}^{1}$ and the \mathbb{E}_{2}^{1} of SW $_{4}^{1}$ of Section 13, all in Township 18, Range 1 east, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, and has known said lands for over 30 years; and that he resided near the neighborhood of these lands during that time, and that said lands were known as the J. P. Walker lands.

Affiant further says that he knows Hattie Smith and has known her for more than 20 years. That on, and before, the 25th day of November 1910, she was the wife of J. A. Walker and her name was then Hattie Walker, and that the said J. A. Walker owned an interest in the above described lands at that time. That since the said 25th day of November 1910, the said Hattie Walker married 2 man by the name of Smith and her name is now Hattie Smith, and that Hattie Walker, who signed the deed from J. A. Walker and his wife to John Watson on the 25th day of November 1910, conveying the lands above described, and Hattie Smith, is one and the same woman.

Affiant further says that he knew Harriett Burns, the wife of Linsey Burns, during her life time, and that she died a good many years ago, but that he does not know who her heirs are at this time. That at the time of the death of the said Harriett Burns she left only two heirs, namely, Lela Burns and Will Burns. That he does not know where Lela Burns or Will Burns now reside, and does not know whether they, or either of them, are living or dead, and if dead, he does not know what, if any, children or heirs, they, or either of them, left. That the said Lela Burns and Will Burns left that section of the country a good many years ago and that he does not know where they went, or what became of them.

Affiant further says that he knew E. L. Walker during his life time and that he was the son of J. P. Walker who owned the above described lands at the time of his death. That he also knew the said J. P. Walker during his life time and that he died about the year 1890. That the said E. L. Walker died about the year 1906 and left the following named heirs, who were his minor hhildren; Colonel H. Walker, Curtis D. Walker and Edward L. Walker, and that these were his sole and only heirs at the time of his death.

Affiant further says that he is now Sheriff of Shelby County, Alabama, and resides at Columbiana, Alabama, but that until four years ago, at which time he moved to Columbiana he resided near the neighborhood of the said above described lands.

J. J. Falkner

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of January, 1927.

Clerk of the Circuit Court of helby County, Alabama

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I, L. B. Riddle Judge of Probate hereby certify that the within affidavit was filed in this office for record Jan. 19th 1927 at 8 oclock A.M. and recorded in Deed record 81 page 233 and examined.

L. B. Riddle--Judge of Probate