

STATE OF ALABAMA )

JEFFERSON COUNTY )

Before me the undersigned authority in and for said County in said State, personally appeared S. J. Street, P. W. Acton, Geo. Acton, J. D. Acton who are known to me and who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says on oath that they are familiar with the title and possession of the southwest quarter of northeast quarter (SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section 3, Township 19, Range 2 west, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, lying south of the Cahaba River.

Affiants further say that said entire forty was purchased by W. H. Duke from J. M. C. Johnson some time about 1903, and that immediately after said purchase the said W. H. Duke took the actual adverse possession of said property, placed a fence around said property and cut timber from said property and cultivated a portion of the same. Affiants further say that said fence erected over twenty years ago is still around said property and said property was known as the Duke property during the life time of W. H. Duke and the same is now in the possession of Roland C. Duke.

Affiants further says that so far as they know or informed that no one other than the said Roland Duke or those under whom he claims have ever been in possession of said property or asserted any right, title or interest in said property.

Affiants further say that the Magnetic Ore Company has never been in possession of said property for the last twenty years.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this

30 day of May, 1928.

Will T. Troupe--Notary Public

S. J. Street  
P. W. Acton  
Geo. Acton  
J. D. Acton

THE STATE OF ALABAMA )

SHELBY COUNTY )

I, L. B. Riddle Judge of Probate hereby certify that the within affidavit was filed in this office for record June 22nd 1928 at 2 oclock P.M. and recorded in Deed record 86 page 276 and examined.

L. B. Riddle--Judge of Probate