

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF ALABAMA)

SHELBY COUNTY)

Before me L. H. Ellis, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, personally appeared Emma Benton, who is known to me and who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says that she is the widow of W. C. Benton deceased, and that she was acquainted with Columbus Benton, who was grantor in a Sheriff's deed, dated May 18th 1877, and which is recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Deed Book 21 at page 51, and in which said deed William Leonard and James Benton were grantees, and in which deed was conveyed the following lands, viz:

The southwest quarter of Section 11; part of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 11; and the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 14; all in Township 21, Range 3 west, Shelby County, Alabama.

Further deposing affiant says that said Columbus Benton's wife was named Maggie Benton, and she has been dead 15 or 20 years.

Emma Benton

Sworn and subscribed to before me

this the 8th day of September, 1928.

L. H. Ellis--Notary Public

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 Sept. 10th 1928 at 2 oclock P.M. and recorded in Deed record 86 page 594 and examined.

L. B. Riddle--Judge of Probate