

## AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA )  
SHELBY COUNTY )

Personally appeared before me the undersigned authority W. M. Durden who being by me first duly sworn deposes and says that I am acquainted with and know well the following described lands, in Shelby County, Alabama to-wit:

The SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 28, and SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Sec 28, that lies west of Camp Branch. Also a strip of land eight rods wide running east and west from the south side of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 29, and NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 28, and all of that portion of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 28 lying west of Camp Branch, and all of that portion of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sec. 29, lying north of the old Ebenezer Road and east of the L & N Railroad, all of the above property in Township 21, Range 2 west; Containing in all about sixty five acres.

Also a strip of land 144 feet wide across the south side of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SE $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 29, NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  and NW $\frac{1}{4}$  and SW $\frac{1}{4}$  Section 28, Township 21, Range 2 west. The above lands is north of a strip eight rods wide across said land previously sold from said forty, and contains ten acres and commences at Camp Branch and runs to the L & N Railroad.

And I have known the said lands for more than twenty five years, since the time that the said Irvin Bailey sold the said land to Ina F. Dake and Effie N. Leonard on June 28, 1894, said lands have been regularly occupied continuously up to the present time by the following parties who occupied the same in the order given as follows: Effie N. Leonard and Ina F. Dake from June 28, 1894, to September 8, 1904; J. M. Collins from September 8, 1904, to December 16, 1904; A. W. Marcus from December 16, 1904 to May 9, 1919; William H. Dillion from May 9, 1919 to the present time. That during all of this time since June 28, 1894, said lands have been cultivated regularly each year by the respective parties and has also been occupied by the said parties during said time and that said parties each openly claimed to own the said land and did occupy and control same continuously without break since the said date of June 28, 1894.

W. M. Durden

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 25th day of November, 1919.

T. W. Whalley  
N.P. & Ex Off. J.P.  
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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. 3rd. 1929 at 2 oclock P.M. and recorded in Deed record 87 page 411 and examined.

L. B. Riddle--Judge of Probate