

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF ALABAMA)

JEFFERSON COUNTY)

Before me the undersigned authority in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared James C. Duke, who is known to me and who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says on oath that he is one of the heirs of William H. Duke, deceased, and joined in with all the other heirs of W. H. Duke, deceased, in a division of the property belonging to W. H. Duke at the time of his death, as shown by a deed of division of record in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Deed Book 86, page 278. Affiant further says that certain property was conveyed to William M. Duke one of the heirs, described as one hundred (100) acres, being a part of the place known as the Cox Place and being the north half of northwest quarter ($N\frac{1}{2}$ of $NW\frac{1}{4}$) and the north half of the southwest quarter of northwest quarter ($N\frac{1}{2}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of $NW\frac{1}{4}$) of Section 36, Township 18 south Range 2 west, and that said property is situated in Shelby County, Alabama. Affiant further says that W. H. Duke purchased said property from J. L. Cox in the year 1906 and that the said J. L. Cox was in possession of said property and that W. H. Duke took possession of said property and has been in the continuous, adverse, open possession of said property for more than twenty two years and no one other than the said W. H. Duke or those claiming under him have ever asserted any right, title or interest in and to said property.

James C. Duke

Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 18th day of January, 1929.

V. H. Huey--Notary Public
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
SHELBY COUNTY)

I, Cage Head Judge of Probate hereby certify that the within affidavit was filed in this office for record Feb. 7th 1929 at 2 oclock P.M. and recorded in Deed 87 page 573 and examined.

Cage Head--Judge of Probate