## AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF ALABAMA )
SHELBY COUNTY )

Before me Henry W.Naish, N.P. & Ex Off. J.P. in and for said County in said State, personally appeared R. H.Walker whobeing duly aworn deposes and says as follows: My name is R. H. Walker and I am 75 years of age, and have resided within 2 miles of the NE4 of NE4 of Section 14, Tp. 20, Range 3 west lying south and east of Denson Creek and 9 acres in SE4 of NE4 of Section 14, Tp. 20, Range 3 west commencing where the creekcrosses the north boundary line of said SE; of NE4 and following creek to a little spring, thence east to an Elm tree near graveyard, which graveyard is known as the Cross graveyard, and one half acre inSW4 of NW4 of Section 13, Tp. 20, Range 3 west lying west of Ashville road, and five acres in NW4 of NW4 of Section 13, Tp. 20, Range 3 west lying west of said road and south of Butler's land, inShelby County, Alabama, for 48 years. On and prior to November 17, 1890, J.M.Cross resided upon the above described lands, occupying the same as a home, cultivating said lands and held and claimed the same openly, notoriously, peaceably and adversely to the entire world, and affiant heard no one question his title and absolute right of possession.

Affiant further states that on the 17th day of November, 1890, J. M.Cross and wife conveyed said above described lands by warranty deed toOscar C.Denson, and that said Oscar G. Denson went into possession of said land by virtue of said deed from J.M. Cross and wife, and lived upon said property, cultivating the same and held all of it in every respect and just as had J.M.Cross before him. Affiant further states that all of said lands above described were under fence at the time said J. M.Cross owned the same and said property was still under fence at the time the said Oscar H. Denson went into possession of the same by virtue of said deed from J.M.Cross and wife.

Affiant further states that said Oscar G.Denson occupied and claimed said lands above described as had J. M.Cross before him fromsaid November 17, 1890, up to and until the 29thday of January, 1894, when he and his wife conveyed the same by warranty deed to W. T. Hinton.

Affiant further states that W. T. Hinton by virtue of said deed went into possession of said above described lands, occupied the same as a home, cultivated and exercised dominion over said lands and maintained the femces around all of same as had 0.G. Denson and J. M. Cross before him up to and until the 14th day of September, 1895, when he conveyed by warranty deed said lands to 0. G. Denson and Vids E. Denson.

Affiant further states that on said September 14, 1895, 0. G. Denson and Vida E. Denson went into possession of said lands by virtue of said deed and occupied the same as a home, maintained the fences around all of said lands and held and claimed the same openly, peaceably, notoriously and adversely as had W.T. Hinton O. G. Denson and J.M. Cross before him up to and until the 3rd day of January, 1896, when O.G. Denson and Vida E. Denson conveyed the same bywarranty deed to V. J. Ellison.

Affiant further states that on the 3rd day of January, 1896, the said V. J. Ellison went into possession of the said lands above described and occupied the same as a home, cultivated and exercised dominion over said lands openly, notoriously peaceably and adversely ashad O. G. Denson and Vida E. Denson, W.T. Hinton, O.G. Denson and J.M. Cross before him up to and until the 20th day of January, 1913, when he

conveyed the said lands to I. C. Ellison.

Affiant further states that on said 20th day of January, 1913, I.C. Enlipson by virtue of said deed went into possession of all of said lands occupied the same aw a home, cultivated said lands, maintained the fences around all of same, and exercised claim and dominion over all of same and held the same openly, notoriously, peaceably and adversely to the entire world, and affiant at no time heard any one question his title or right of pessession,

Affiant further states that said I.C.Ellsion occupied, claimed and held, said lands above described as above stated fromsaid 20th day of January, 1913, until September 22nd, 1914 when he conveyed the same to J.M.C.Johnson.

Affiant further states that on the 22nd day of September, 1914, J. M. C. Johnson took possession of allof said lands by wirtue of said warranty deed from I. C. Ellison and has had the same cultivated and occupied by a tenant from that time up to and including the date of the making of this affidavit. That the said J.M. C. Johnson went into possession byvirtue of said deed and has held the same openly, notoriously, peaceable and adversely to the entire world fromsaid 22nd day of September, 1914, up to and until the date of the making of this affidavit.

Affiant further states that said J. M. C. Johnson, as aforesaid, has held and claimed said lands as did I. C. Ellison, V. J. Ellison, O.G. Denson and Vida E. Denson, W.T. Hinton, O. G. Denson and J. M. Cross before him from the 22nd day of September 1914 upto and including the date of the making of this affidavit.

R. H.Walker

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the 15 day of Jan. 1930.

Henry W. Naish--N.P. Ex Off.J.P.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA SHELBY COUNTY

I hereby certify that the within affidavit was filed in this office for record Jan. 24th 1930 at 2 oclock P.M. and recorded in eed record 90 page 539 and examined, Cage Head--Judge of Probate