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STATE OF ALABAMA)
SHEDBY COUNTY)

Before me Henry W. Naish, a N.P. & Ex Off. J.P. in and for said County in said State, personally appeared D. McGuire, who being duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

My name is D. McGuire, and I am 69 years of age, and have resided within 1 mile of the NE $_4^2$ of NE $_4^2$ of Section 14, Tp. 20, Range 3 west lying southand east of Denson Creek and 8 acres in SE $_4^1$ of NE $_4^2$ of Section 14, Tp. 20, Range 3 west commencing where the creek crosses the north boundary line of said SEP of NE $_4^1$ 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 in S_4^{11} of NW $_4^{12}$ of Section 13, Tp. 20, "ange 3 west lying west of Ashville road, and five acres in NW $_4^{11}$ of NW $_4^{12}$ of Section 13, Tp. 20, "ange 3 west lying west of said road and south of Butler's land, in Shelby County, A₁abama, for 31 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 to Oscar G.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 went under fence at the time said J. M. Cross owned the same and said property was still under fence at the time the said Uscar 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 upto and until the 29th day 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 fences around all of same as had O. 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 O. G.Denson and Vida E.Denson.

Affiant further states that on said September 14, 1895, 0. G.Denson and Vida E.Denson went into possesion 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, 0.G.Denson and J M.Cross before him up to and untilthe 3rd day of anuary, 1896, when 0.G.Denson and Vida E. Denson conveyed the same by warranty deed to V.J. Ellison.

Affiant further states that onthe 3rd day of January, 1896, the said V. J. Eilison went into possessionoof 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 as had 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, 0.C. Ellison by virtue of said deed went into possession of all of said lands occupied the same as 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 that affiant at no time heard any one question his title or right of possession.

Affiant further states that said I.C.Ellison occupied, claimed and held said lands above described as above stated fromsaid 20th day of January, 1913, until September 22, 1914, whenhe 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 all of said lands by virtue of said warranty deed from I. C. Ellison and has had the same cultivated and occupied by a tenant from that timed up to and including the date of the making of this affidavit. That the said J. M. C. Johnson went into possession by virtue of said deed and has held the same openly, notoriously, peaceable and adversely to the entire world from said 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.

D. McGuire

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

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)

SHELBY COUNTY)

I hereby certify that the within affidavit was filed inthis office for record Jan. 25th 1930 at 9 oclock A.M. and recorded in Deed record 90 page 543 and examined.

Cage Head--Judge of Probate