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STATE OF ALABAMA

SHLEBY COUNTY) Before me, Gertrude meroney a Notary Public in and forsaid County and State, personally appeared C.L. Meroney, who being known to me and first duly sworn deposes

That he is 52 years of age; that he resides at Montevallo Alabama; that he is familiar with the "Farrington" and "Gillespie" places of N.J. May, situated in Bibb and Shelby Counties, more particularly described below; that he has lived within 6 miles of said places for 40 years; that N.J. Ray is cultivating the soil and performing all other usual acts of ownership on said places; that nearly all of said places is under the fences of N.J. Ray; that N.J. Ray, or those under whom he claims title, have been in open, notorious = continuous, peacable possession, claim said lands as their own, for over 40 years; that the title to the lands in N.J. Ray, or those under whom he claims, has never been quastioned.

N. J. Ray's "Gillespie Place"

SE 1/4 of Sec.14; NE 1/4 of Sec.23, and all that part of the SE 1/4 of said Sec. 23

lying north of the railroad running between Brierfield and the Bibb Furnace. Also a part of the SW 1/4 afxtxxxxxxxxxxx of said Sec. 14,described as follows:

Beginning at the center of said section, thence run west 73 poles to the middle of Little Cahaba River, thence up said river with the meanderings thereof to the 1/2 mile stake on the southern boundary, line of said section 14, thence north 172 poles to the place of beginning, all in T. 24,R. 11E in Bibb County, Alabama, excepting and reserving three

N. J. Ray's "Farrington Place"

and 1/2 acres for a church and burial ground as now occupied and used.

SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 12, except 8 acres in NE corber thereof; W 1/2 of NW 1/4 and that part of NW 1/4 of Sw 1/4 lying N. of Shoal Creek, in Sec. 13; NE 1/4 of Sec. 14, except 15 acres in a paralallogram in the S. end of the SW 1/4 of said NE 1/4, and excepting that part of the SE 1/4 of said NE 1/4 bying south of a line beginning at the NE corner of said 15 acre tract above excepted and running thence northeasterly along a fence row to Mayberry Creek, thence down said Mayberry Creek to Shoal Creek, thence up stream of said Shoal Creek to the intersection of the S. line of said N E 1/4; also 3 acres, more or less, in the NE 1/4 of N W 1/4 of said sec. 14, being the west side of the of SE 1/4 and all that part lying west and south of Mayberry Creek of W 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Sec. 11; also 5 acres in a semicircular shape in the SE 1/4 of S/4 of said Sed 11, which is enclosed on the west by a fence. The above described lands being situated on T. 24 N., R. 11 E., lying and being in Bibb CENNEX and Shelby Counties, Alabama.

Given under my hand this the 6th day of Feb., 1917.

C.L.Meroney L.S.

Gertrude Meroney, Notary Public Shelby County Alabama

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

BIBB COUNTY Office of Judge of Frobate

I hereby certify that the within instrument was filed form record in this office January 28th 1932 9 o'clock A M and recorded in Vol 31 of Deeds on pages 148 and examined. W.L.Pratt, Judge of Probate

State of Alabama, Shelby County
I, Cage Head, Judge of Probate hereby certify that the within affidavit was filed for record in this office Feb., 11th 1932 and recorded in Dee d Record 93 and page 250 and examined Teb 19th 1932. Tage Heal, Judge of Probate