STATE OF ALABAMA, Shelby County)

Before me, the undersigned authority, in and for said County and State personally appeared George W. Collins, who being by me first duly sworn, makes the following affidavit with reference to the ownership and title of the following described land, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

Part of the Ez of the SWz and that part of the SWz of the BEZ of Sec. 22, Tp. 19, Rg. 2 West, known as the J. F. Strickland/and more particularly described as follows: Beginning at a point in the middle of Bishop Creek, also known as Valley Creek, near the SF corner of the SF $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 22, Tp. 19, Rg. 2 West, between an iron stake on the West side and a white oak tree on the Fast side of said creek, and thence runnkng on a straight line a little West of North, about 62 yards, to an iron stake on the West side of the Montevallo, road, where a sweet gum tree marked with a (x) cross mark, is now standing on the West side of said road, and also where a lane intersects said road; thence in a straight line a little North of West about 12.18 chains to an iron stake on the West boundary line of said SE of the SWA said stake being situated 10.45 chains North of the SW corner of the SFA of the SWA of said Sec. 22. Tp. 19, Rg. 2 West; thence North along the West boundary line of the Ed of the SW_4^2 of stand Section, about 690 yds, to a stake at the NW corner of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SW_4^2 of Sec. 22, said township and range; thence in a SEly direction about 150 myds, to a cross fence between the lands of G.W.Collins and the lands hereby conveyed; thence along said cross fence in a SFly direction about 650 yds; thence SE along/boundary line of the G,W.Collins lands about 100 yds, to the middle of said Bishop or Valley Creek; thence down the middle of the Creek to the point of beginning, situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

and wife, Lilla G. Cross, which was conveyed to me by warranty deed, dated 1st December, 1906, and lived on and cultivated said land and cut and used the timber, and was in open, notorious, peqceable, adverse possession of said land. I subsequently reconveyed said property to John C. Cross, and wife Lilla G. Cross, and they cultivated and used said land and conveyed them to R. F. Cox on the 8th day of August 1908; and that E.F.Cox, and wife had open, notorious, peaceable and adverse possession of said land until they conveyed to B.D.Williams on the 20th day of March, 1909, and B.D.Williams occupied said land in peaceable, open notorious, adverse possession, cultivating same and using the timber thereon until the conveyed to Lee McGraw on the 1st day of April, 1919; and that Lee McGraw has been in open, notorious, peaceable, adverse possession of said property, cultivating and using same since cutting and using the timber thereform, and that he conveyed the said property to HadribWilliams on the 66th day of September, 1933. I have lived on adjoining

property to said property since I conveyed it to John C. Cross, in November, 1909. I, and

each of my successors in title, have had open, notorious, peaceable, adverse possession of the property, have cultivated said lands and used the timber from the woodland on said property, and no one has ever questioned the title or claimed adversely to any of the owners of said land.

Geo. W. Collins

Swotn and subscribed to before me this

the 28th day of Nov, 1933.

Framk Miller, Nktary Public & Ex -off J.F.

Filed for record in this office can 1st 1934, at 1 o'clock PM and duly recorded in deed record 97, page 96 and examined.

Cage Head, Judge of Probate.