State of Alabama, Shelby County)

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared J R Allan, who being duly sworn, deposes and says that he resides at Helena Ala R 1; that for a period of forty years last past, he has been acquainted with the following described lands:

The SE¹/₄ of Section 24-Township 19-Range 2 West, located in Shelby County, Alabama, that of his own personal knowledge he knows that for forty years last past Ila Allan Alexander and those through whom the said Ila Allan Alexander holds title to the above described lands

have been respectively in the open, notorious, continuous, peaceable, actual and adverse possession of said lands, claiming them as their own respectively against all the world and exercising acts of ownership over them, to-wit: the Government's proponent and its predecessors in title have cut timber on the said tract of land selling the timber for its own use, exercised, supervision and control over the land by having a man ride over the property from time to time and inspect the same, and paid taxes on the said land for a period of over forty years; that affiant has never heard the title of the said Ila Allan Alexander or those through whom he holds title to said lands to be questioned.

J. R. Allan

Sworn to and subscribed before me this the

17 day of March, 1936

Jno.P. Lee

Justice of the Peace.

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L.C. Walker, Judge of Frobate.