

Affidavit

State of Alabama,  
Jefferson County)

Personally appeared before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County in said State, H. Z. Overton, who being duly sworn, deposes and says that he has known since 1906 the 30 acre tract in the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter, except ten acres off the east side thereof, of Section 30, Township 18 South, Range 1 West, lying and being in Shelby County, Alabama, which B. E. Wideman now owns and on which he now resides; said land being bounded on all sides except the south by lands owned by Theodore Swanne and on the south by lands either now owned or formerly owned by the Vida Lumber Company; that when he first knew the land it was owned and claimed by L. H. Parker, who was his father-in-law; that the said L. H. Parker continued to cultivate said land until he sold it to W. L. Spain to my best recollection about 1909 or 1910; that W.L. Spain after he bought this land from Parker went into possession of it and lived on it until he conveyed it to J. H. Wideman; that the said Spain lived on the thirty acres and cultivated a part of it continuously from the time he purchased it from Parker to the time he sold it to J. H. Wideman; that upon J. H. Wideman buying the land from W.L.Spain, he moved on the place and continued to live there and cultivate a part of it until he sold ti to B. E. Wideman; a few years after the World War; that B. E. Wideman went into possession of the property after he purchased it from J. H. Wideman and has lived on it and cultivated part of it continuously since he purchased it from said J. H. Wideman; each of the parties set out above during the times states claimed to own the land and each of their respective possessions was open, nototious, continuous and exclusive under claim of ownership, and that affiant has never heard during all these years the titles of the parties stated above being questioned by any one.

H. Z. Overton

Affiant further deposes and says that he has never heard of anyone by the name of P.E. Wideman or who was known as P.E.Wideman; that he has known B.E.Wideman since 1890 and is well acquainted with the Wideman family, B. E. Wideman being one of affiant's cousins.

H. Z. Overton

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 18th day of December, 1936.

L. J. Tyner,  
Notary Public, Jefferson County,  
Alabama.

Filed for record in this office December 23rd 1936 at 1 PM and recorded in deed record 101,  
page 568 and examined. L. C. Walker, Judge of Probate.