Affidavilt STATE OF ALABAMA) Before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County, in said Shelby County State, personally appeared Thomas M. Brashier who, being by me first duly sworn, doth depose and say on oath that he is above the age of twenty-one years, and that he resides at Helena, Alabama: That for the past 52 years he has been personally acquainted with the following described tract of land: The SWa of the SEa of Section 27, Township 19, Range 2 West, situated in Shelby County, Alabama. The affiant states that of his own personal knowledge that he knows that Samuel M. Pickler, the grantee in the tax dedd, dated May 19, 1903, recorded in Deed Book 30, at page 31, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, neither went into possession of the above described tract of land, nor exercised any rights of ownership over or to the said lands. The affiant states that Samuel M. Pickler resided at Kirksville, Missouri, and that he was accustomed to buying lands at tax sales through his attorney, Mr. W. Wallace, and that the said Samuel M. Pickler never went on to the Lands or knew where they were, for that matter. The affiant states further that he knows that Weedie Brashier and those through whom she claims title have been in the open, exclusive, contlinuous, and peaceable possession of the said lands, and that never during that time has the above mentioned Samuel M. Pickler attempted to secure possession of the said lands; the affilant states that Samuel M. Pickler is now dead, that his estate has been administered, and that his widow and daughter, Mrs. Ethel P. Young, knew nothing of the interest that the said Samuel M. Pickler had in the above described property, and that, feeling that since the statute of limitations had run against the property, refused to sign a quit claim deed, because they knew that they had no interest in the property, and they felt that it would not be worth bothering with. Given under my hand and seal, this 22 day of March, 1937. Sworn to and subscribed Thomas M. Brasher Harry Mims Roberts Notary Public My commission expires Mar 18, 1940. (Seal) Filed for record in this office the the the day of June, 1937 at 3 PM and recorded in Deed Record No. 102, on page 602, and examined. L. C. Walker, Judge of Probate. Shelby County, Alabama.