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STATE OF ALABAMA

SHELBY COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned authority, in and for said County in said State, personally appeared

B. S. Pearson, who is known to me and who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am acquainted with the following described lands in Shelby County, Alabama:

The Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter, except 5 acres on the West side; the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter, except 10 acres on the East side; all in Section 8, Township 22, Range 1 East, Shelby County, Alabama.

I am acquainted with Mrs. S. A. Horton, who, on December 9, 1902, deeded to N. O. Horton that certain land described in deed of said lands and recorded in the Probate Office of Shelty County, Al bama, in Deed Book 35, at page 330. I know that N. O. Horton went into possession of said lands upon the execution of the aforementioned deed and remained in the open, actual, notorious, exclusive and adverse possession of the same until he sold the same to Thomas E. Lovett and wife, Willie May Lovett, on January 7, 1933, which deed is recorded in the Probate Office of Shelty Gounty, Alabama, in Deed Book 96, at page 256. I know that in actual cultivation for more than twenty years up to date. Mr. Horton the land or a large portion thereof has been/cultivated it or had it cultivated through tenants while he was in possession of it, and since Mr. Thomas E. Lovett bought it and took possession of it under his deed from Mr. Horton it has been in cultivation each and every year throughterants. I personally known that Thomas E. Lovett and said N. O. Horton have been in possession of the property cultivating it or having it cultivated continuously, for more than 20 years prior to this date and that their respective possessions have been open, exclusive, actual, notorious, continuous and adverse.

E. S. Pearson

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 12th day of September, 1942.

L. H. Ellis

Notary Public

Filed in the office of the Probate Judge the 17th day of September, 1942 at 5 o'clock R. M. and recorded in the Deed Record 113 on page 563 this the 18th day of September, 1942.

L. C. Walker,

Judge of Frobate

NO TAX DUE ON THIS INSTRUMENT