

AFFIDAVIT

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STATE OF ALABAMA )  
(  
SHELBY COUNTY )

Before me, theundersigned authority, in and for said County in said State, personally appear-  
ed Wesley Ozley, who is known to me and who being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says:

That Thomas Ozley on October 13, 1855 under Certificate #34254, entered the Northwest  
Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 7, Township 21, Range 2 West, Shelby County, Alabama; that said  
Thomas Ozley died prior to 1893 and left surviving him as the sole heirs at law and next of kin his children  
as follows:

- 1. James Ozley, whose wife was Laura Ozley or Laura G. Ozley.
- 2. Willis Ozley, whose wife was Mary E. Ozley.
- 3. Josey Nelson, whose husband was Amos E. Nelson.
- 4. Addie Cross, a widow, and who was the surviving widow of Hardy Cross.
- 5. Callie Jones, whose husband was R. L. Jones.
- 6. Alice Patton, whose husband was L. W. Patton.
- 7. Wesley Ozley, the affiant in this matter.

That Willis Ozley and others did on the 16th day of June, 1893, execute to affiant a Quit  
Claim Deed, which is recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Deed Book 17, at page 279;  
that L. W. Patton and his wife, Allie Patton, who is also known as Alice Patton, on the 5th day of December,  
1896, executed to affiant a deed which is recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Deed  
Book 20, at page 376; that James Ozley and wife, Laura G. Ozley, who is also known as Laura Ozley, on the

31st day of December, 1894, executed to affiant a deed which is recorded in the Probate Office Shelby County, Alabama, in Deed Book 20, at page 378; that the grantors in the aforementioned three deeds, together with affiant, constituted to the date of the execution of said deeds, the sole heirs at law and next of kin of the said Thomas Ozley, deceased.

Further deposing, affiant says that he has been in the actual, open, notirious, continuous, exclusive and adverse possession of all the Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section 7, Township 21, Range 2 West, since the execution of the aforementioned deeds, cultivating or having portions of it cultivated, each and every year down to the present time, except as hereinafter shown; that on August 1, 1893, affiant deeded to A. E. Nelson, a portion of said land, which deed is recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Deed Book 83, page 364 but said A. E. Nelson deeded said lands back to affiant on December 12, 1898, which deed is recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Deed Book 96, at page 403. Further deposing affiant says that continuously since December 12, 1893 affiant has been in possession of the entire forty above described, claiming to own it and having portions of it cultivated each and every year down to the present time and during all of said time he has been in the open, notorious, continuous, exclusive adverse possession of said property, claiming it as his own, as aforesaid.

Wesley Ozley

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 27th day of March, 1943.

Handy Ellis  
Notary Public

Filed for record in this office on the 27th day of March, 1943, at two o'clock P. M. and duly recorded in Deed Record Vol. 114 on page 438-439.

No tax due on this instrument

L. C. Walker, Judge of Probate

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