

AFFIDAVIT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA |

SHELBY COUNTY..... |

Before me, L. C. Walker, Judge of the Probate Court in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared W. C. Gray, who, being first duly sworn deposes and says that he resides at Montevallo, Route #1, in the Maylene community, in Shelby County, Alabama; that for a period of more than thirty-five years, last past, he has been acquainted with the location, ownership, and use of the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to wit:

All that part of the Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter of Section 28,
Township 21, Range 3 West that lies West of the Elyton and Montevallo Public Road
and containing 32 acres, more or less,

Affiant further says that Bernard Gray, the grantee in that certain deed from J. M. Green and wife, Lizzie Green to Bernard Gray, dated November 26, 1926, and recorded in Deed Book 79, at page 325, in the office of the Judge of Probate of Shelby County, Alabama, was the son of your affiant.

Affiant further says that Bernard Gray departed this life in Shelby County, Alabama, on the ___ day of September 1929, intestate and left surviving him no widow, or children, or their descendants; that the estate of said decedent owed no debts and no administration in Court has ever been had upon the estate of said decedent; that said decedent left surviving him as his sole next of kin your affiant and the mother of said decedent, Ora Gray.

Affiant further says that since the death of the said Bernard Gray, your affiant and Ora Gray have been in the open, notorious, continuous, peaceable, and adverse possession of said lands claiming the same as their own under and by virtue of the statutes of Alabama governing descents and distributions and regularly occupying said lands as a homestead and assessing and paying taxes thereon, and that the title of your affiant and the said Ora Gray has never been questioned by any person.

W. C. Gray

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 30th day of August, 1945.

L. C. Walker

Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama.

Court Seal

Filed for record in this office on the 30th day of August, 1945, at eleven o'clock A. M. and duly recorded in Deed Record Vol. 121 on page 462 and examined.

L. C. Walker, Judge of Probate.

NO TAX DUE ON THIS INSTRUMENT.