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STATE OF ALABAMA,

JEFFERSON COUNTY.

Before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County in said State, personally appeared A. J. Spradley who is known to me and who being by me first duly sworn deposes and says that he is a resident of Shelby County. Alabama, and has been for more than 50 years. That he was born and reared and still lives near the hereinafter described real estate and has personal knowledged of the matters and things hereinafter stated.

That he has personally knowledge of the ownership and possession of the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

The North half (N_Z^1) of the Pouthwest Quarter (SW_{4}^1) of Section 36, Township 18, Range 1 mast, except four acres more or less conveyed to

C. E. Goodwin and two acres more or less conveyed to J. H. Godwin.

That when he first became acquainted with said lands it was owned and occupied by M. V. Ealkner. M. U. Falkner lived on said lands until the date of his death, when his son P. C. Falkner became the owner thereof; that the said P. C. Falkner lived on said lands until he sold the same to Velma B. Graves; the said Velma B. Graves lived on said lands until she sold the same to S. L. Haley, who now owns and occupies the same.

That he has personal knowledge of the ownership and possession of the following described real estate situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

The Southeast Quarter (SE), of Section 36, Township 18, Range 1 East., Shelby County, "labama.

That when he first became acquainted with said lands they were owned and occupied by John W. Spradley. John W. Spradley sold same to william H. Falkner who lived upon same until he sold to M. U. Falkner. M. U. Falkner lived upon said lands until he sold to H. H. Crow and W. E. Wallace. They or one of them lived on said lands until it was sold to Susie Bowers. Susie Bowers lived upon said lands until she sold to F. L. Dowdy. F. L. Dowdy lived on said lands until he sold to L. H. Snead. L. H. Snead lived upon said lands until he sold to S. L. Haley who now lives upon same.

That he knows of his own personal knowledge that the said S. L. Haley and those through he claims title to said lands have been in the open, continuous, notorious, peaceable, hostile, adverse possession of said lands for more than twenty years prior to this date and each have lived upon said lands and cultivated the same and exercises all of the usual acts of ownership over the same, assessing the same for taxes and paying the same.

That no other person other than those hereinabove mentioned have ever claimed any right to the possession thereof or ever asserted any claim or interest therein, to my knowledged.

A. J. Spradley

Subscribed and sworn to before me this the 8th day of March, 1947.

Ingram Beasley Notary Public

Filed in the office of the Judge of Probate April 9, 1947 at 11 a.m. and duly recorded in Deed record 129, page 202 on april 11, 1947.

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NO TAX DUE ON THIS INSTRUMENT