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STATE OF ALABAMA,

TALLAPOOSA COUNTY.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared E. M. Ware, who is known to me and who being by me first duly sworn deposes and says:

My mother was Ella McKinzie Ware. She was Ella McKinzie when she married my father whose name was Elisha Russel Ware. My mother at the time of her death was the owner of what is known as the McKinzie or Ware Lands in Shelby County which includes the S 1/2 of NE 1/4, Section 12, Township 24, Range 15 East, Shelby County, Alabama. My father and morther both died prior to November 29, 1902. My father and mother had only four children who on the 29th day of November, 1902 constituted her sole heirs—at—law and next—of—kin entitled to share in the distribution of her estate, viz:

- 1. E. M. Ware, a son, affiant.
- 2. Julia Rodgers, a daughter, who was also known as Bob Ware Rodgers and whose husband was J. H. Rodgers.
- 3. Margaret Ware, a daughter.
- 4. Mamie Ware Matthews, a daughter.

All of said children were over 21 years of age on the 29th day of November, 1902. On the 29th day of November, 1902, I executed to K. N. Matthews a deed to my 1/4 interest in said 80 acres of said Ware land, the S 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Section 12, Township 24, Range 15 East, and on the same day my sister, Bob Ware Rodgers and husband, J. H. Rodgers and my sister, Margaret Ware, who was then unmarried executed a deed to Mamie Ware Matthews and K. N. Matthews conveying their interest in said 80 acre tract of land. On November 29, 1902, I was an unmarried man. My sister, Bob Ware Rodgers, spells her name Rodgers which is correct spelling of said name. K.N. Matthews married my sister, Mamie Ware.

E. M. Ware

SWORN to and Subscribed to before me on this the 5 day of Norther,

1951.

Notary Public Tallapoosa County

Filed in the Office of the Probate Judge on the day of day of this day of this day of the Probate and recorded in Nortgage Tax has been paid.

L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate