

STATE OF ALABAMA,
SHELBY COUNTY.

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Bessie Margaret Holcombe Barnett, who being by me first duly sworn deposes and says:

I am acquainted with the following tract of land situated in the NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 of Section 2, Township 22, Range 3 West, Shelby County, Alabama, viz:

Begin at the point of intersection of the East line of said forty with the South right of way line of what is known as the old Columbiana - Tuscaloosa Road, thence in a westerly direction along the south line of the right of way of said road 840 feet, thence south and parallel with the East line of said forty 618 feet, more or less, to what is known as the Arthur Holcombe property, thence East and along the North line of said Arthur Holcombe property 840 feet to the East line of said forty, thence north along the east line of said forty 596 feet to the point of beginning, and containing 12 acres, more or less.

I have known this property all my life and I am now twenty-seven years of age. My father, J. D. Holcombe, owned this property along with other lands in that vicinity and he was in possession of this tract of land and other lands owned by him in that vicinity cultivating portions of it or having it cultivated each and every year until he deeded portions of it away, as will be shown by the abstract to the property. The part he deeded away was conveyed by three different deeds and Wesley J. Barnett, my husband, and I are the owners of the property and have been in the actual, open, notorious, exclusive, continuous, adverse possession of the same since we purchased it by the three conveyances above referred to. We have one dwelling house on the property which has been occupied by tenants continuously since we purchased the property until about two months ago and we are now improving the house on the property. Each and every year some portions of the property have been cultivated. Until my father deeded this particular property away he was in the actual, open, notorious, exclusive, continuous, adverse possession of it, ^{for 20 years or more,} cultivating portions of it, or having portions of it cultivated each and every year, until he deeded it away by the three deeds above referred to and which will be revealed by the abstract to the property.

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Sworn to and subscribed before me on this
the 5th day of August, 1952.

Handy Bell
Notary Public State at Large for Alabama

Filed in the office of the Probate Judge on the 5 day of Aug 1952 at 10 o'clock A M
and recorded in Deed Book 124 Page 301 this 9 day of Aug 1952.
Deed Tax Mortgage Tax has been paid.

L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate