STATE OF ALABAMA,

JEFFERSON COUNTY.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for said County in said State, personally appeared Neal L. Smith, who, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

That he is the owner of the following described real property situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to wit:

 $SE_{4}^{\frac{1}{4}}$ of $NW_{4}^{\frac{1}{4}}$ and SW diagonal half of $SW_{4}^{\frac{1}{4}}$ of $NE_{4}^{\frac{1}{4}}$, Section 18, Township 18, Range One East.

That on July 17, 1946, when he purchased the above property from R. H. McDuffie and his wife, Alma McDuffie, that his attention was called to unsatisfied mortgage dated December 19, 1927, from A. J. Burns and wife,.

Myrtle Burns, to John P. Clements, which said mortgage was recorded in Mortgage Book 152 at page 97 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, and which said mortgage was transferred from Mr. Clements to J. W. Bell on March 23, 1928, said mortgage transfer being recorded in Volume 85 at page 494 in said Probate Office.

Affiant says that John P. Clements and J. W. Bell are dead, and that R. H. McDuffie turned over to him andhe now has in his possession the above described mortgage which is marked paid and satisfied in full under date of September 28, 1934; affiant says further that said mortgage was paid, satisfied and surrendered to his immediate predecessor in title, and that the notes mentioned in said mortgage were destroyed; affiant further says that he is turning the above mortgage over to William J. Bunch, who is buying said property.

Meal L. Swith AFFIANT

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this the 3th day of October, 1952.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Filed in the offic of the Probate Judge on the day of All 1952 at 10 clock of and recorded in Nortgage Tax has been paid.

L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate