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STATE OF ALABAMA)

JEFFERSON COUNTY)

Before me, the undersigned Notary Public in and for said County in said State, personally appeared Clarence G. Elliott who, being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says on oath as follows:

That on March 19, 1923, affiant purchased from J. H. Milner by deed dated said date and recorded in Deed Book 76, Page 109, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, certain property therein described including the SE_4^1 of SE_4^1 of Section 31, Township 18, Range 1 West, Shelby County, Alabama; that from the time affiant purchased said SE_4^1 of SE_4^2 of said Section 31 as aforesaid until affiant sold said quarter quarter section to G. H. Bearden by deed dated February 25, 1941, recorded in Deed Book 110, Page 535, in said Probate Office, affiant continued in the open, notorious, hostile and adverse possession of said property claiming the same against any and all other persons and assessing and paying the taxes on same for each year during said entire period of time and affiant states that at no time during said period of time from the time he purchased the said property down to the time he sold the property to G. H. Bearden as aforesaid did affiant ever hear of anyone else asserting or claiming any right, title, claim or interest in said property adverse to affiant.

CLARENCE G. ELLIOTT

Sworn to and subscribed before me this day of ________1953.

NOTARY PUBLIC

Filed in the office of the Probate Judge on the day of wall 1957 at solclock Mand recorded in Book 160 Pages 56 this 10 day of lane 1953.

Deed Tax L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate