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STATE OF ALABAMA )

SHELBY COUNTY )

*EAT Mahaffey*  
*Mrs C H Mahaffey*

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared ~~Hae Mereland~~, who being known to me and being first duly sworn according to law, deposes and says as follows:

I am 72 & 76 years of age and have been a resident citizen of Shelby County, Alabama for the last past 5-2 years. I have been acquainted with the ownership, use, and possession of the following described property which was occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Rogers as a homestead for the last past 6-2 years, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the Montevallo and Wilton Public road 80 feet west of the Northeast corner of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 9, Township 24, North, Range 12 East; thence south 40 degrees west along said road 1744 feet; thence south 62 deg. 30 min. east 436-1/3 feet, thence south 39 deg. west 304 1/3 feet, thence south 63 deg. east 264 feet, thence south 38 deg. west 326 1/3 feet, thence north 68 deg. 10 min. east 1897 2/3 feet to a point on old Selma dirt road; thence south 19 deg. 30 min. west 488 2/3 feet to a point on south boundary line of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of said Section 9; thence north 87 deg. 30 min. east along said south boundary line 650 1/3 feet to the Southeast corner of said SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ ; thence north along the east line of said SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  to a point on the old Selma Road (which point is about 240 feet South of the NE corner of said forty), thence northerly along the center of said road to its intersection with Wilson Branch; thence down the run of said branch in a northwesterly direction to the north line of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of said Section; and thence south 87 deg. 45 min. West along said Section line to the point of beginning. EXCEPTING from the above described land 9 acres in the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 9, Township 25, Range 12 East belonging to G. W. Kendrick and which said 9 acres is described as follows: To locate the beginning point of the said 9 acres hereby excepted, commence at a point on the northern boundary line of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  317 feet west of the intersection of the old Selma dirt road and said north boundary line of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of NE $\frac{1}{4}$  and running thence south 0 deg. 30 min. west 270 feet, which point is the starting point of said 9 acres; thence south 78 deg. west 247 feet, thence south 5 deg. 30 min. west 839 feet; thence north 32 deg. east 470 feet to a point on the old Selma dirt road; thence north 10 deg. east 382 feet along said old Selma Road; thence continuing north 2 deg. 30 min. east 473 ft. along the old Selma dirt road; thence south 80 deg. 30 min. west 234 feet; thence north 23 feet to point of beginning. ALSO EXCEPT ROAD RIGHT OF WAYS. Situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

I have known the land described above since 1902 and know of my own knowledge that none of the following named persons ever occupied the above described land during my knowledge of the same as a homestead:

Lloyd M. Hooper and wife  
Charles W. Hooper and wife, John E. Axford and wife, Mrs. Sarah E. Nabors, Burr Nabors, Jr., L. N. Nabors, Alice M. Nabors, F. May Lyman and E. S. Lyman, Annie E. Vandegriff, Maylene Corbitt.

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 14th day of August, 1954.

*Mary Lee Mahaffey*  
Notary Public

*EAT Mahaffey*  
*Mrs C H Mahaffey*

STATE OF ALABAMA, SHELBY COUNTY

I, L. C. Walker, Judge of Probate, hereby certify that the within Deed was filed for record the 14 day of August, 1954 at 10 o'clock and recorded in Book 168 Page 124 and the Mortgage Tax of Deed has been paid.

*L. C. Walker* Judge of Probate