

STATE OF ALABAMA

SHELBY COUNTY

Before me, W.W. Rabren, a notary public for the State of Alabama, personally appeared Mr. L.H. Ellis, who, being duly sworn deposes and says:

That he is an attorney at law, practicing at Columbiana, Shelby County, Alabama, for the past thirty years or more. That he represented Mr. J.M. Stevenson for twenty-five or thirty years as his attorney, and was familiar with his business affairs. That at the time the satisfaction of the mortgage, which is recorded in Mortgage Book 191, page 237, there was a mortgage by J.T. Johnson and wife Ethel Johnson to J.M. Stevenson & Sons Lumber Company on the following described property, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to-wit:

North half of Northwest Quarter and North half of Northeast Quarter of Section 10, Township 20, Range 1 West, except the North 10 acres of the Northeast Quarter of Northeast Quarter of said Section.

The mortgagee was not incorporated, in fact, it never was a corporation, but was a partnership and was such in and partnership/during June, 1945.

L. H. Ellis

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 24 day of August, 1954.

W. W. Rabren  
Notary Public

STATE OF ALABAMA, SHELBY COUNTY  
I, L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate, hereby certify that the within affidavit  
was filed for record the 11 day of Nov, 19 54, at 8 o'clock PM.  
and recorded in Book 191 Page 322, and the Mortgage Tax of \_\_\_\_\_  
Deed Tax of \_\_\_\_\_ has been paid. L.C. Walker Judge of Probate