

STATE OF ALABAMA

SHELBY COUNTY

Before me, Karl E. Harrison, the undersigned authority in and for said County in said State personally appeared Emma Shaw Blackerby, who, after being by me first duly sworn to speak the truth, deposes and says:

My name is Emma Shaw Blackerby. I am 79 years of age and reside in Columbiana, Alabama. I am the widow of D. S. Shaw who purchased the following described land, along with other land, from J. E. Adams and wife on August 21, 1915, as shown by deed recorded in Deed Book 75 Page 261 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama. Said land being described as follows:

All that part of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ lying northwest of the Church Road running from H. Shaws to Union Church in Section 32, Township 19, Range 1 East.

My husband, D. S. Shaw died several years ago without leaving a Will and left surviving him myself as his widow, and the following children, namely:
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Lola/Spearman, Amos Shaw and Jewel Green. We had one other child named Clarence Shaw who died when he was a child. After the death of D. S. Shaw, I married T. A. Blackerby. On May 27, 1927, when I and my husband, T. A. Blackerby, and said children executed a deed to George Huddleston which is recorded in Deed Book 75 Page 510 in said Probate Office, the persons signing said deed were the sole and surviving heirs at law of D. S. Shaw, deceased, and on said date Amos Shaw was a single man, Lola May Spearman was married to Enoch Spearman and Jewel Ray Green was married to E. V. Green.

Affiant further says that Max Perkins and his wife, Susie Perkins, never owned any interest in the above described land but they did own land adjoining the homeplace of D. S. Shaw and they made a deed to me on May 31, 1927, which is recorded in Deed Book 82 Page 24 in said Probate Office for curative purposes only and for the purpose of establishing and recognizing existing boundary lines between our said lands.

Affiant further says that she knew J. W. Hester, Mary E. Gardner, Susie Hester and Mattie Hester and knows they are the sole and surviving heirs at law of George W. Hester, deceased. Affiant further says that Susie Hester is one and the same person as Susie Emmer Hester and that she has never heard of Hattie J. Hester and if her name was written as such on a deed, it must have been a typographical error. Affiant says she did know Mattie Hester and that she is one and the same person as Mattie J. Hester. Affiant further says that

on August 15, 1918, J. W. Hester and Mary E. Gardner made a deed to Susie Emmer Hester and Mattie J. Hester, whose name has erroneously been shown as Hattie J. Hester, which deed is recorded in Deed Book 86 Page 610 in said Probate Office, and that J. W. Hester's wife's name was Ida C. Hester and Mary E. Gardner's husband's name was W. R. Gardner. Affiant further says that on April 16, 1926, when the said Susie Hester and Mattie Hester are said to have made a deed to Arlington Gardner, which is recorded in Deed Book 83 Page 249 in said Probate Office, that both of said grantors were unmarried. Affiant further says that both J. W. Hester and his wife, Ida C. Hester are dead.

Emma Shaw Blackerby
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Sworn to and subscribed to before me this the 28 day of February, 1955.

Harold C. Harrison
 Notary Public for State of Alabama
At Large



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I, L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate, hereby certify that the within Deed was filed for record the 1 day of Mar 1955, at 11 o'clock PM and recorded in Deed Record 171 Page 546, and the Mortgage Tax of Deed Tax of has been paid.

L.C. Walker Judge of Probate