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STATE OF ALABAMA
SHELEY COUNTY

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Eula Carter, who is known to me, and who being by me first duly sworn, does depose and say as follows:

I am the widow of W. W. Carter, deceased, and one and the same person as Eula Carter to whom W. W. Carter conveyed by deed dated August 11, 1915, that certain property situated in the Town of Columbiana, Alabama, which deed is recorded in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, in Deed Book 58, at page 16, and which deed conveyed the following described property:

Beginning at a stake at the SW corner of Bird Teague lot, running thence East to an iron stake to the old Lewis McAdams lot; thence South to an iron stake to the Street leading from the Public School grounds along this lot in an Easterly direction; thence West along said Street to an iron stake to SE corner of the old Middleton garden to the alley, between the lot and the Amos Lawrence lot; thence North to the beginning corner, containing 4 3/4 acres, more or less, lying and situated in the Town of Columbiana, in Shelby County, Alabama, and being part of the NW‡ of NW‡, of Section 25, in Township 21, Range 1 West. This is the homestead on which we the said W. W. Carter and his said wife, Eula Carter now reside for which I paid the sum of \$\$225.00 and its value is now not more than \$600."

This property was the same property that was conveyed to my husband, W. W. Carter, by deed filed for record on March 5, 1906, and recorded in Deed Book 33, at page 327, in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, except one small lot conveyed by W. W. Carter and me to Alice B. Liles, about the 7th day of September, 1907; record of which appears in deed book 34. Ages 507 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Ala.

Immediately after my husband secured title to this land in

1906 as aforesaid, he took possession of this property, moving on it, and we were living there until such time as he conveyed this land to me as heretofore stated on August 11,1915.

Since August 11, 1915, I have been in possession of said property and it is the same property upon which my homestead is now located. This property has at all times since my husband and I have lived thereon been under fence.

My husband died November 11. 1935. During his lifetime we were in actual, open, notorious, exclusive, continuous, and adversepossession of this property, and since his death I have continued to live on this property and have had the same possession thereof. also.

We have claimed this said property against all the world and I have at no time heard my title to this property disputed by anyone.

Bula Carter

sworn to and subscribed before me on this 7 day of December, 1955.

Conrad M. Fowler Notary Public

State at large for Alabama

STATE OF AL.B.M., SHELRY COUNTY

I, L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate, hereby certify that the within flow of the day of the last portion of the last paid.

Was filed for record the day of the last paid.

Deed Tax of has been paid.

Judge of Probate