

STATE OF ALABAMA

SHELBY COUNTY

Comes before me, W. W. Rabren, a Notary Public for the State of Alabama at large, W.H. Nabors, who after being first by me duly sworn according to law to speak the truth, deposes and says:

My name is W.H. Nabors and I reside at Route 2, Calera, Shelby County, Alabama, and have since the time of my birth in the year 1908, I am well acquainted with the hereinafter described land, having lived on adjacent land since the year of my birth in 1908, said lands being described as follows, to-wit:

The $W\frac{1}{2}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 27 Township 21 Range 2 West; All that part of the $SE\frac{1}{4}$ of $NE\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 33 Township 21 Range 2 West, lying East of R.J. Mabry, Sr's land, being 30 acres more or less. The $W\frac{1}{2}$ of $NW\frac{1}{4}$; $NW\frac{1}{4}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$ and all that part of the $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 34 Township 21 Range 2 West, lying North of Public road; situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

My father, who was known as H.B. Nabors owned lands adjacent to the above described lands at the time of my birth and I have lived on the property formerly owned by my Father since the time of my birth and I am presently residing on lands adjacent to the above described property.

I remember when Mr. Charles L. O'Neal owned the above described lands and I remember that as far back as 1921 Charles L. O'Neal was in possession of all the lands described above as he lived in a house that was situated on the North half of Section 33 Township 21 South, Range 2 West and in 1921 had lived in that house for as far back as I can remember. Mr. O'Neal had a Lime Manufacturing Plant situated on the $N\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 33 and operated a Lime Manufacturing Plant on said lands for a number of years and used the above described lands in the operation of said lime manufacturing plant. On some of these lands, he had tenant houses in which some of his employees lived and parts of said lands were cleared and Mr. O'Neal and his tenants cultivated said lands for a number of years. Mr. O'Neal used a part of the above described lands for getting timber off of it for the manufacture of barrell staves and heading and wood for use as fuel in the operation of his lime kilns, his kilns being in constant operation and wood for fuel being from time to time cut on said tract of land and taken therefrom. Mr. O'Neal had lime stone quarries on a part of the above described lands which he used in the operation of his lime manufacturing plant referred to above.

I know from my own personal knowledge that in the year 1921, that C.L. O'Neal and wife, Annie Lee O'Neal, conveyed the above described lands to W.C. Gewin by deed which is recorded in deed Book 71 page 306 Office of the Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, that no one was in possession of any part of said lands

claiming said lands adverse to the said grantors and I have never known of any one claiming any right, title or interest in or to said lands adverse to said grantors.

I remember that about the year 1923 when the O'Neals Lime Works was incorporated with Mr. W.C. Gewin as its President and about the year 1924 when the name of O'Neal Lime Works, Inc. was changed to Alabama Lime and Stone Corporation, and remember that Mr. E.T. Schuler was President of the Alabama Lime and Stone Corporation and that they were in possession of the above described lands or held said lands through their tenants until about the year 1929 when they conveyed said lands to R.L. Holcombe by deed which is recorded in Deed Book 90 page 127 of the Office of Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama. I do not remember ever having known Claude Shill, who took title as trustee of the above described lands as shown by the record in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama. However, I do know that during the years 1929, the year Mr. R.L. Holcombe bought the said lands, until the year 1936, when Mr. C.O. Chambless bought the above described lands as shown by deed record in Deed Book 101 page 425 of the Office of Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, that there was no one in possession of said lands claiming any part of said lands adverse to the record owners.

After Mr. C.O. Chambless bought the above lands in 1936, he formed the Twin Oaks Land Company and about the year 1942, Mr. J.O. Anderson became associated with Mr. Chambless in operating the Twin Oaks Land Company and I know that from the time of their purchase in 1936 until the time of their executing a deed in October, 1953 which conveyed the above described lands with exception of the North 30 acres of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 27 to R.J. Mabry, Jr. and wife, Joyce Baker Mabry, by deed recorded in Deed Book 163 page 324 of the Office of Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, that the Twin Oaks Land Company or Mr. Chambless and Mr. Anderson as individuals or tenants holding under them and the Twin Oaks Land Company were in possession of the above described lands under color of title and claim of ownership.

I remember that about the year 1944 J.T. Canady and M.L. Canady entered upon above described lands with the exception of that part in Section 33 under a timber deed which is recorded in Deed Book 118 page 193 of the Office of Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama, and cut on the land described in said deed. I also remember that about the year 1952, M.L. Canady entered upon the above described land except that located in Section 33 and cut timber and removed it therefrom under a timber deed which is recorded in Deed Book 153 page 468 in the Office of Judge of Probate, Shelby County, Alabama.

I also know that R.J. Mabry, Jr. and wife, Joyce Baker Mabry, have been in possession of the above described lands claiming to own the same in their own

right since the time of purchase of said lands in October, 1953 up to the present time.

I know that no one else has at any time been in possession of any part of the above described lands claiming adverse to the said J.O. Anderson and wife, Mary E. Anderson and C.O. Chambless and wife, Willie L. Chambless, or the Twin Oaks Land Company and their predecessors in title as far back as the ownership of said lands by Charles L. O'Neal referred to above, nor have I ever known of anyone claiming any right, title or interest in or to the above described lands adverse to said owners as far back as the year 1921.

I know from my own personal knowledge that no one by the name of J.W. Harden or J.I. Marden has at any time within the past 20 years been in possession of any part of the above described lands or made any claim thereto.

I know that the possession of the said J.O. Anderson and C.O. Chambless and their wives, the Twin Oaks Land Company and their predecessors in title as far back as that of Charles L. O'Neal in the year 1921 which I referred to above, has been open, notorious, peaceful, quiet, direct, advers, hostile, under color of title and claim of ownership.

W. H. Nabors
W. H. Nabors

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this 10th day of February, 1956.

W. W. Rabren
Notary Public

STATE OF ALABAMA

SHELBY COUNTY

Comes before me, W.W. Rabren, a Notary Public for the State of Alabama at large, J.R. Edwards, who, after being first by me duly sworn according to law to speak the truth deposes and says:

My name is J.R. Edwards, and I am 56 years of age and I now live in Calera, Shelby County, Alabama, and have lived near the hereinafter described lands all my life time.

I am well acquainted with the hereinafter described land, having lived on adjacent land during the years 1914 through 1921 inclusive, said lands being described as follows, to-wit:

The $W\frac{1}{2}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 27 Township 21 Range 2 West; All that part of the $SE\frac{1}{4}$ of $NE\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 33 Township 21 Range 2 West, lying East of R.J. Mabry, SR's land, being 30 acres more or less. The $W\frac{1}{2}$ of $NW\frac{1}{4}$; $NW\frac{1}{4}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$ and all that part of the $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 34 Township 21 Range 2 West, lying North of Public road; situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

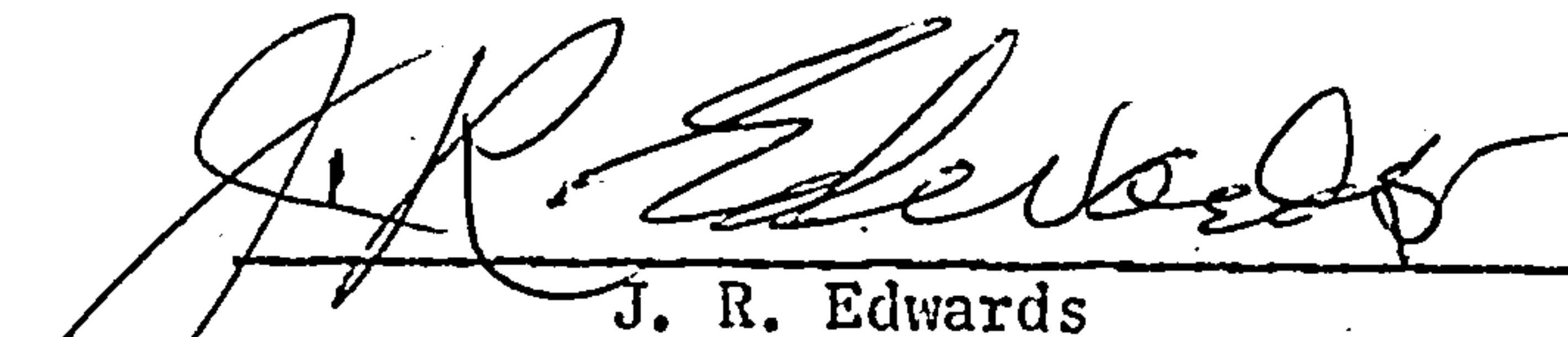
My Father who is known as J.F. Edwards owned lands adjacent to the above described lands from the year 1914 until about three years ago and I lived on lands adjacent to the above described lands from 1914 through 1921 with my Father.

I have read the affidavit made this date by W.H. Nabors and I also have personal knowledge of the facts related therein by Mr. Nabors pertaining to the above described lands and I hereby adopt those facts as though they were made by me as I concur with what Mr. Nabors said in his affidavit with reference to the ownership and possession of the above described lands back as far as the year 1921 when Mr. Charles L. O'Neal was in possession of these lands and operating a lime manufacturing plant on adjacent lands and using parts of the above described lands for lime stone quarries and farming.

I know from my own personal knowledge that no one else has at any time been in possession of any part of the above described lands claiming adverse to the said J.O. Anderson and wife, Mary E. Anderson and C.O. Chambless and wife, Willie L. Chambless, or the Twin Oaks Land Company and their predecessors in title as far back as the ownership of said lands by Charles L. O'Neal referred to above, nor have I ever known of anyone claiming any right, title or interest in or to the above described lands adverse to said owners as far back as the year 1921.

I know from my own personal knowledge that no one by the name of J.W. Harden or J.I. Harden has at any time within the past 20 years been in possession of any part of the above described lands or made any claim thereto.

I know that the possession of the said J.O. Anderson and C.O. Chambless and their wives, the Twin Oaks Land Company and their predecessors in title as far back as that of Charles L. O'Neal in the year 1921 which I referred to above, has been open, notorious, peaceful, quiet, direct, adverse, hostile, under color of title and claim of ownership.


J. R. Edwards

Sworn to and subscribed before me on this 10th day of February 1956.


Notary Public

STATE OF ALABAMA, SHELBY COUNTY	
I, L. C. Walker, Judge of Probate, hereby certify that the within	Deed
was filed for record the	and recorded in
day of Feb 1956 at	o'clock
Record 178 Page 174	and the mortgage tax of
Deed Tax of	has been paid.
Judge of Probate	