

STATE OF ALABAMA)
JEFFERSON COUNTY)

Before me, the undersigned authority, a Notary Public in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared L. C. Abbott, who being duly sworn, deposes and says:

My name is L. C. Abbott. I am 60 years old and live at 2500 29th Avenue, North, Birmingham, Alabama. I am well acquainted with the $W\frac{1}{2}$ of $NW\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 24, Tp. 19, R. 1 East in Shelby County, Alabama. I moved on the property just one forty from the above described property in 1933, and lived there until 1946. I rented the land on which I lived, but I owned land joining the tract on which I lived. Mr. Johnnie Lee Speer's boys lived on the $NW\frac{1}{4}$ of the $NW\frac{1}{4}$ for some two or three years. The old house on this forty burned and the Speer boys built another house. During the whole time I lived right near the Speer land from 1933 to 1946, I never knew of anyone being in possession of any part of the Speer land except Mr. Speer, his boys and his tenants, and Mr. Speer was in possession when I left in 1946. I never heard of anyone claiming to own the land or of anyone being in possession of any part of the Speer land during these years I lived there, except Johnnie Lee Speer, his boys and his tenants.

L C Abbott

Affiant

Sworn to and subscribed before me,
this 5th day of August, 1953.

Roy M. Johnson, Jr.
Notary Public

STATE OF ALABAMA, SHELBY COUNTY

I, L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate, hereby certify that the within was filed for record the 2 day of Aug, 1953, at 2 o'clock P.M. and recorded in Deed record 181 page 316 and the Mortgage Tax of 1 Dced Tax of 1 has been paid.

L.C. Walker Judge of Probate