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STATE OF ALABAMA SHELBY COUNTY

Before me, the undersigned authority, personally appeared ClaudeR. Brakher, who is known to me, and who being by me first duly sworn, desposes and says as follows:

My name is ClaudeR. Brasher. I am 52 years old and have lived in the vicinity of of Calers, Alabama, for the past 25 years. I have been familiar with the past ownership and possession of the following described property for the past 15 years or more:

"11 4/5 acres lying East of Tract 323, Loyd's Townsite addition to Calera, being in Section 22, Township 22, Range 2 West, and being more particularly described as follows:

All that part of the East 425 feet of the  $SE_{4}^{\frac{1}{4}}$  of the  $NW_{4}^{\frac{1}{4}}$ , Section 22, Township 22, South, Range 2 West, lying SE of present Columbiana-Calera Highway and North of a dirt road marking the North line of E.J. Ford's land.

I remember when W. D. Collum bought this land about the year 1943. I also remember when W. D. Collum and wife conveyed the said land to Ralph L. Collum in 1951.

Ralph L. Collum and wife, Louise Collum, conveyed the following described property to Leonard Knox and Sarah Nell Knox in 1953:

One acre 210 feet square in the SE corner of the above described Tract.

Leonard KnoX built a house on this property shortly after he bought the same and lived in it as a residence until he sold the said property to H.E. Roberson and wife, Irene, in 1954. Clara Guy and Melvin Guy bought the said property from H. E. Roberson and wife in August, 1956, and have occupied the same as a residence since March, 1954, when the Roberson's bought it, and until the present date.

During the time that I have been familiar with the ownership and possession of the property first described above, Ralph Collum, and his predesessor in title, W. D. Collum have owned and possessed all of said property—except the one acre in the SE corner there-of—until the present date, and have held the same, to my personal knowledge, in actual, open, peaceable, notorious, continuous, exclusive, undistribed, adverse possession of all of the said property, claiming the same against the world and against the claims of all W. D. Collum persons, since / bought the said property, and until the present date.

Clara Cuy and husband, Melvin Cuy, and their predesessors in title, as named above, have likewise owned and odcupied the said one acre Gract in the SE corner of the property since I first became familiar with said property first described above/and until the present date, and have been in acutal, open, notorious, continuous, exclusive, undisturbed, adverse possession of said property since W. D. Collum first bought the said property as stated above, and until the present date.

Claude R. Brasher

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 25th day of October, 1956

Notary Public

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