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STATE OF ALABAMA

SHELBY COUNTY

Before me, Floetta B. Barton, the undersigned authority in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared Bertie Griffin, who, after being by me first duly sworn to speak the truth, deposes and says:

My name is Bertie Griffin. I am 42 years of age and have lived in Shelby County, Alabama, all of my life. Between the years 1875 and 1880 a Mr. Att Griffin deeded the hereinafter described land to the Cedar Grove Community. My husband, Pursey Griffin, had possession of the deed until a few years ago when he delivered it to an attorney in Birmingham who lost it. I recall that the deed conveyed two lots as follows:

One lot on the east side of the Montevallo-Elyton road, being 145' x 300' being called one acre, more or less, and the same was to be used for a cemetery.

Also one lot on the west side of the Montevallo-Elyton road, described as beginning at the middle of a culvert over a branch; run thence north along the west boundary line of the Montevallo Road 420 feet; thence west 120 feet; thence south parallel with the east line 265 feet to the branch, following the branch to the starting point. All being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Said last described lot was to be used for school purposes and for worship by any denomination, except negroes and Mormans.

I understand that a Mr. Richard executed a deed to Sam H. and Alice Sharp in June of 1951, which is recorded in Deed Book 148 page 126 in the Probate Office of Shelby County, Alabama, and said last mentioned deed executed the land described in this affidavit and recognized it as belonging to the Cedar Grove Community.

Bertie Griffin
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Sworn to and subscribed to before me this
the 11th day of July, 1964.

Floetta B. Barton
Notary Public

STATE OF ALA. SHELBY CO.
I CERTIFY THIS INSTRUMENT
WAS FILED ON
RECORDED & \$
DEED TAX HAS BEEN
PD. ON THIS INSTRUMENT.
C. M. J. J. J.
JUDGE OF PROBATE

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