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STATE OF ALABAMA )  
SHELBY COUNTY )

Before me, the undersigned authority, in and for said County, in said Said State, personally appeared ROY BURKE LESTER, who, being known to me, and being by me first duly sworn, deposes and says as follows:

My name is Roy Burke Lester. I am one of the heirs of Sarah L. Lester, deceased. I have been familiar with the occupation, use and possession of the hereinafter described tract of land for a period in excess of fifty years, to-wit:

SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 10, Township 20, Range 1 West,  
Shelby County, Alabama.

The above said land was at one time owned by Samuel R. Lester and was by him sold to Florence Lester Chesnut on April 17, 1929 by deed recorded in Deed Book 83, page 591 in the Probate Records of Shelby County, Alabama. During the more than fifty years I have known said property and been familiar with the occupation, use and ownership and possession thereof, the same has been in the actual, exclusive, adverse, continuous, open, notorious, and hostile possession of Florence Lester Chesnut and Samuel R. Lester, her predecessor in title, and no other person, firm or corporation has been in possession of said lands or any part thereof during said period of time. The property described in paragraph Third of the Will of Sarah L. Lester, which will is recorded in Will Record 1, page 35 in said Probate Office, and consisting of 160 acres of land, does not touch or overlap the above described property in any way. The 160 acres so described in said Will consisted of the North half of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 14, Township 20, Range 1 West, less 6 acres; and the South half of SW $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 11, Township 20, Range 1 West, less 4 acres.

Mary S. Isbell and J. L. Isbell have had no possession of said above described property during said fifty year period. In 1952 the timber on the above described property was sold to W. J. Bentley and the same was later mortgaged by R. M. Lester, Bernice Lester, W. J. Bentley and Ernestine Bentley, to the First National Bank of Columbiana, on March 31, 1952 by mortgage recorded in Mortgage Book 222, page 396 in said Probate Records of Shelby County. None of the aforesaid mortgagors have had any possession or assert any claim, right or

title to the said property, other than under the aforesaid timber deed  
which is now expired under its terms.

Roy B Lester

Sworn to and subscribed before me  
this 28 day of August, 1965.

Frank Elling  
Notary Public

STATE OF ALA. SHELBY CO.  
I CERTIFY THIS INSTRUMENT  
WAS FILED ON 8 PM  
9-28 1965  
RECORDED & \$ 1.00 TAX  
& \$ 1.00 PD. ON T.  
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JUDGE OF PROBATE