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State of Alabama
Shelby County

Before me, the undersigned authority in and for said County, in said State, personally appeared Richard Ryan Harrison, who after being by me first duly sworn to speak the truth, deposes and says:

My name is Richard Ryan Harrison. I am 21 years of age and have lived near the following described land all of my life. Said land being described as follows:

A part of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 5, Township 22, Range 3 West, described as follows: Begin at the intersection of the south right-of-way line of the Montevallo-Maylene-Dogwood Highway with the west right-of-way line of the Main line of the Southern Railroad and run southerly along the west right-of-way line of said Railroad to the north right-of-way line of the Southern Railway spur tract leading to Little Gem Coal Company mines; thence westerly along the north right of way line of said spur tract to the east right of way line of the new Montevallo-Maylene-Dogwood highway; thence northeasterly and easterly along said road right of way to the point of beginning; EXCEPT 1/2 acre sold to Eldo C. Heath as shown by deed recorded in Deed Book 73 page 236 being described as bounded on the north by Tuscaloosa Road and east by Southern Railroad; also EXCEPT THE Paul O. Luck and Harris M. Gordon lot described in deeds recorded in Deed Book 85 page 540 and in Deed Book 151 page 233 and being described therein as follows: Beginning at the right of way of the Southern Railroad and run thence west along the center of a plank fence 50 feet south of the Columbiana-Tuscaloosa Road; run thence south 93 yards; run thence 13 yards back to the right of way of the Southern Railroad; run thence north 93 yards along the right of way of the Southern Railroad to the point of beginning, containing 1/2 acre; all being situated in Shelby County, Alabama.

Since I have been big enough to remember Frank Harrison, sometimes referred to as Frank Harrison, Jr. owned said land, was in possession of the same, assessed it, lived in the house situated on it, cultivated or had parts cultivated each and every year, operated a store on the northerly portion of said land for many years and was in possession continuously from 1921 until he sold it to Bernice Delap Reid in April, 1958. Mrs. Reid went into immediate possession of the same and moved upon the land and had a garden plot thereon and has continued to live there until this very day. The westerly line of the land is marked by the ^{Montevallo-}Maylene-Dogwood road; the northerly line is marked by Columbiana-Tuscaloosa Road and there are two lots off the northeasterly portion of said land; the remainder of the easterly line is marked by Southern Railway Company's right-of-way and the southerly line is marked by the spur track to Little Gem Coal Company mines.

Affiant says regarding a tax sale in the name Sallie Ryan to the State of Alabama which sold for 1935 taxes and was bought or redeemed by Frank Harris and Pearl Davidson. Affiant says he has no recollection that the same was a

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part of the above described land; that he has never heard of Sallie Ryan owning 7½ acres in the southwest corner of the above described property. He says he does know Frank Harrison and is sure that is the one who redeemed with Pearl Davidson, as they were brothers and sisters. Affiant says he has never heard of Pearl Davidson making any claim to the above described land.

Affiant says he knows where the Eldo C. Heath lot is; that it was an old store place and there is no conflict between it and the above described land and he is familiar with the Luck and Gordon lot in the northeasterly portion of said land and there is no conflict between the boundary lines of this lot and the above described land.

Richard Ryan Harrison
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Sworn to and subscribed to before me on
this the 28th day of December, 1967.

Martha B. Joiner
Notary Public

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