Butler
Batton Christopher
to
Benjamin May
& Jas. B. Street
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This Indenture made and entered into this thirteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred & twenty seven, between Christopher Batton and Mahala his wife, of the one part, and Benjamin May & James B. Street of the other part, all of the State of Alabama, and county of Shelby. Witnesseth that the said Christopher Butler and Mahala his wife, for and in consideration of the sum of eight hundred dollars to them in hand paid by the said Benjamin May and Jas. B. Street, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath this day granted, bargained & sold, and by these presents doth grant bargain & sell, unto the said Benjamin May and James B. Street, a certain peice, parcel & tract of land lying & being in said county on the North side of Beech creek to wit, the East half of the South East quarter, of section ten, in township twenty in & range three West together with all the lands lying in the North East quarter of section fifteen which lies north of Beech creek, except a betterment & the mill shoal on the north bank of said creek containing one hundred & twenty acres be the same more or less, To have and to hold the above peice, parcel & tract of land with the appertenances and hereditaments thereto appertaining or belonging unto the said Benjamin May and James B. Street their heirs and assigns forever and the said Christopher Butler, and Mahala his wife, for themselves and their heirs, executors & administrators doth warrant and will forever defend the title to the afore described and hereby granted premises unto the said Benjamin May and James B. Street, & their heirs & assigns forever against the said Christopher Butler and Mahala his wife all and every person or persons claiming or holding under them and also against the lawful title, claim or demand of all and every person or persons claiming or holding by from or under the Government of the United States.
In testimony whereof the said Christopher Butler & Mahala his wife have

hereunto set their hands & seals the date above written.
Signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of. Christopher Butler (Seal)
Mahala her x mark Butler
mark

The State of Alabama } Personally appeared before
Shelby County. } me Thomas W. Smith
Clerk of the Circuit Court, of Shelby County
Christopher Butler and Mahala his wife and
acknowledged that they signed, sealed & delivered
the forgoing deed to Benjamin May and James
C. Street on the day & year therein expressed: and
the said Mahala, being by me privately exam-
ined apart from her said husband acknowledged
that she freely without any fear threats
or compulsion of her said husband signed &
sealed the said deed on the day and year therein
expressed. In testimony whereof I have hereunto
set my hand & private seal having no seal
of office this 13th day of August A.D. 1827.
Thos. W. Smith Clk. (Seal)
Recorded the 31st Aug. 1827. O.B. Davis Clk. Cty. Co.