

Shelby J. D.
 Sheriff
 To
 Wyckhoff Pickens
 et al. Page 102.

To all to whom these presents shall come I, J. D. Shelby Sheriff of Shelby County, State of Alabama send greeting. Whereas by virtue of two writs of execution issued out of the Circuit Court of Shelby County, to me directed & deliv'd dated the 1st day of December 1848 I was commanded to make of the goods & chattels lands and tenements of Wm. Baker and Abijah Baker in my County the sum of eight hundred and twenty eight dollars Wyckhoff Pickens et al. M. M. Layton had recovered against them in the said Court for debts & damages, which they had sustained as well for their costs & charges and that sufficient goods & chattels could not be found that I should cause the debt and damages to be made of the lands and tenements whereof the said William Baker seized on the first day of December 1848. and whereas after the rendering of the execution to me before the execution of the said writ I did by virtue of the said writ seize the tract or parcel of land herein before mentioned and for want of goods & chattels in my County of the said William & Abijah Baker to satisfy the said

debts and damages, and the tract of or parcel of land herein after mentioned at public auction, according to the Statute in such cases made and provided to Wyckoff Pickens & Co for the sum of fifty dollars the high or sum bid.

Now know ye, that I J. D. Shelly the Sheriff aforesaid by virtue of said execution and the Statute in such cases made and provided in consideration of the said sum of fifty dollars to me in hand paid by Wyckoff & Pickens do. the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have granted, bargained, & sold land by their parents, do grant, bargain & sell unto the said Wyckhoff & Pickens their heirs & assigns forever, the West half of the north West quarter Section 13 Township 22 in range three West in the district of Iowa, containing eighty two acres its appurtenances thereto belonging and the estate right title and interest which the said Mrs. Baker had in such tract or parcel of land on the said first day of December 1828 or at any time since had or had to have and to hold the land & premises or any part thereof with the appurtenances thereto belonging to Wyckhoff Pickens & Co. their heirs forever absolutely as J. D. Shelly the Sheriff aforesaid might, could or ought to sell and convey the same, In witness whereof I have hereunto set my seal this 6th day of April 1829.

Did prove of E. Stamps J. D. Shelly, Sheriff

J. W. Smith, Thomas Hardin.