James Mason
to
J W Kidd
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This indenture made & entered into this 6th day of May A D 1837 between James Mason of the county of Shelby & state of Ala of the first part & J W Kidd of the county & state aforesaid of the sect part witness that the said James Mason the party of the first part for & in consideration of the sum of 4 dollars to me in hand paid the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge before the sealing & delivering of these presents bargained sealed & confirmed & by these presents do bargain sell grant & deliver a part of sect no 24 of T 20 R 2 east containing 8 acres be the same more or less & being a part of the north east of the said sect & situated as follows to wit beginning at a sassafras post in the north east corner of said sect 24 thence due west on the sect line of sect 13 & 24 to where it crosses J W Kidds fence thence to a poplar stump thence down the ravine to where it empties into the river thence up the river to the beginning point at the sassafras corner to have & to hold the said land hereby conveyed with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining to the same & the said James Mason the party of the first part doth hereby agree to warrant & forever defend the rights of said land unto the said J W Kidd his heirs executors administrators & assigns from me my heirs executors administrators & assigns & free from all & every other person or persons whatever whether in law or equity in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal the day & date above written signed & acknowledged in presence of John Singleton

James his X mark Mason (Seal)
Polly her X mark Mason (Seal)

State of Alabama
Shelby County } Before me John Singleton a J P for said county came James Mason who acknowledged that he signed the foregoing deed to J W Kidd on the day & date therein named & that Polly Mason being by me privately examined seperate & apart from her husband acknowledged that she signed the foregoing deed freely without fear threats or

compulsion of her said husband Gwin under my hand & seal this 14 Dec 1838

John Singleton (Seal)

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C B Harris Clk