

Smith
To
Roper

This Indenture made this 8th day of September one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven between Marshall B. Smith and Lianah Smith husband and wife of the County of Shelby in the state of Alabama of the one part and Wm Roper of the other part, Witnesseth, That the said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to them in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged has this day bargained granted sold aliened conveyed and conveyed and by these presents do grant bargain sell convey and convey to the said Wm Roper all that certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Shelby and state of Alabama and known and distinguished in the plan of survey of said state as the West half of the North East quarter and the East half of the North West quarter of Section No 31 in Township No 19 of Range No 1 East containing one hundred and fifty seven and $\frac{3}{4}$ of an acre To have and to hold the above described tract or parcel of land together with the tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining unto the said William Roper his heirs and assigns forever and the said Smith and Wife for their heirs executors and administrators do warrant and will forever defend the title to the above described and hereby granted premises, unto the said William Roper his heirs and assigns from and against us and our heirs and all and every person or persons claiming or holding under us the said parties of the first part and also against the lawful title claim or demand of all and every person or persons whatsoever claiming or holding by from or under the government of the United States of America In testimony whereof the said Smith and wife have hereunto set their hands and seals this the day and year above written. Signed sealed and delivered

in presence of
James Baseley
Wm. Roper

M. B. Smith *seal*
Lianah Smith *seal*

The State of Alabama, J. Willie H. Pope Clerk
Shelby County } of the Circuit Court
of said county hereby certify that William
M. Roper a subscribing witness to the

foregoing conveyance voluntarily executed ~~the same~~
 known to me appeared before me on this day and
 being sworn stated that Marshall B. Smith and
 Diana Smith husband and wife the grantors
 in the conveyance voluntarily executed the
 same in his presence and, in the presence of
 the other subscribing witnesses on the day the
 same bears date that he attested the same in
 the presence of the grantors and of the other
 witnesses and that such other witnesses subscribed
 his name as a witness in his presence. Given
 under my hand this first day of December
 A. D. 1867

Wm. H. Pope Clerk

Filed for record this 2 Dec^r 1867

J. C. McCannahan
 Judge of Probate