The State of Alabama } This Indenture made and entered into
Shelby County } 9th day of May AD 1861. between George
M Baker and Cintha L Baker husband and wife of the first
part; and Jefferson Holly of the second part, witnesseth: That the said
parties of the first part, for and Consideration of the sum of nine
hundred dollars to them in hand paid by the said party of
the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged
have sold, and hereby sell, confirm and Convey, unto the
said party of the second part the following described land
lying in Shelby County, State of Alabama to wit; the W½ of SW¼
of Section 28. Township 21. Range One East, Except 3 acres and 38½
poles bounded and described as follows beginning the line
Crosses the road at a fence root Corner S 45° W 45 L to a red
oak marked X: thence S with the line 3 outs to red oak X
thence W 17 poles to the road X thence N 12 E with the road
three outs One Chain to the beginning being the lot
whereon is situated Said Hollys gin house to have and to hold
to Said second part his heirs and assigns forever, the above de-
cribed and hereby granted lands and premises, And the said
parties of the first part husband and wife, hereby Covenant with
the said party of the second part that we are lawfully seized of
and have good right to Sell and Convey Said lands & premises
and hereby bind ourselves, our heirs and legal representatives
forever, to warrant and defend the title to said land and premises
to the Said party of the second part his heirs, assigns and legal
representatives, against the Claim of all and every person in law
or Equity, and against the government of the United States.
Given under our hands and seals this day and year above written
Signed, Sealed and delivered this 9. day of May 1861. } G. M. Baker } L S
Cynthia Baker } L S

having recd the Consideration for the above land I hereby release my
lien on the Same, Witness my hand and seal this 9 May 1861. J Roper } L S

The State of Alabama } I J. M. McClanahan Judge of Probate for
Shelby County Said County, hereby Certify that Geo. M Baker
& Cynthia Baker & Joseph Roper whose names are signed to the
foregoing Conveyance, and who are known to me, acknowledged
before me on this day that being informed of the Contents of the Con-
veyance, they Executed the same voluntarily on the day the

Same bears date, Given under my hand this 9th day of May 1861.

J. McC. Cunningham
Judge of Probate

Filed & recorded 9th May 1861. J. M. McC. Judge C