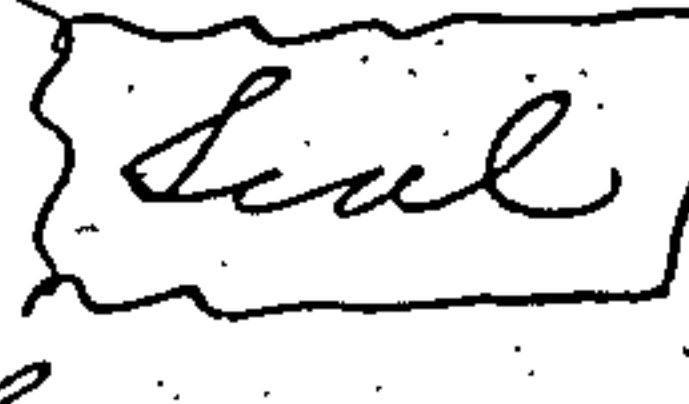


Mardis
To
Barnett

The State of Alabama } This Indenture Made and
Shelby County } entered into this 29th day of
August 1861 between N B Mardis and H A Mardis
husband and wife of the first part and John Barnett
of the second Witnesseth. That the said parties of the first
part for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred
& Eighty five 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 & Town of Columbiana Commencing
at the North West Corner of Bakers lot opposite D N
McClanahan's Corner near the Methodist Church
thence along the Depot road to the lane leading from
my house to the Depot road 9 chains from thence
along said lane to the Corner of said lot to a pine
post 5 chains & 13 links thence East with the fence
to Bakers lot 9 chains & 21 links thence along Bakers
line to the beginning point 4 chains & 38 links to have
and to hold to said second party his heirs and assigns
forever the above described and hereby granted land
and premises. And 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
land 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 claims 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 29th day
of August in presence of

N B Mardis 
H A Mardis 

The State of Alabama } J M McClanahan
Shelby County } Judge of Probate for said
County hereby Certify that N B Mardis & H A Mardis
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 conveyance they executed
the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date
Given under my hand this 30th day of August 1861

Filed & Recorded mch 10/63 N B Mardis } J M McClanahan
and wife H A Mardis } Judge of Probate