Know all men by these presents that I Joel Crawford for and in consideration of Fifty dollars to me in hand paid by James M Smith the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge do hereby convey and quitclaim sell unto said James M Smith two acres or about two acres in the South East corner of the S W ¼ of the S W ¼ of section 29 Township 24 Range 15 East in the Huntsville land District To have and to hold the aforegranted premises to the said James M Smith his heirs and assigns to their use and behoof forever And I do covenant with the said James M Smith his heirs and assigns that I am lawfully seized in fee of the aforegranted premises that they are free from all incumbrances that I have a good right to sell and convey the same to the said James M Smith his heirs and assigns and that I will warrant and defend the premises to the said James M Smith his heirs and assigns forever against the lawful claims and demands of all persons In Witness whereof I the said Joel Crawford have hereunto set my hand and seal this 10th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight Hundred and Sixty three

Joel Crawford (Seal)

The State of Alabama } N B Marsh Judge of Probate
Shelby County } in and for the County and State aforesaid hereby certify that Joel Crawford whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance and who is known to me acknowledged before me on this day that being informed of the contents of the conveyance he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date Given under my hand this tenth day of December 1863 N B Marsh
Judge of Probate

Filed for record the 10th day of December 1864 and recorded the 10th day of March 1864 N B Marsh
Judge of Probate