Thomas Harrison
To
Sylvester Steel

The State of Alabama } This indenture made and
Shelby County } entered into this 23rd day
of May A.D. 1870 between Thomas Harrison as
Sheriff of the County of Shelby in the State
of Alabama of the one part and Sylvester Steel
of the county and State afore said of the other part
witnesseth that whereas on the 20th day of September
1869 a judgement was duly rendered in the circuit
Court for the County of Shelby in the State
afore said at the fall term 1869 of the said
circuit court for the sum of Two Thousand and
fifty dollars besides costs in favor Sylvester Steel
and against Mary W. Deans and whereas in
said judgement the lands herein after discribed
were condemned to satisfaction of said judgement
and said lands ordered to be sold for that purpose
on which said judgement there was issued by the
Clerk of the Circuit Court for said County on
the 19th day of April 1870 venditioni exponas or order
of sale in compliance with said judgement in
favor of Sylvester Steel and against the said
Mary W. Deans directed to any Sheriff of the
State of Alabama whereby such Sheriff was
directed to levy upon the estate of said Mary W. Deans
the sum of Two thousand and fifty dollars besides
Twenty five $25.00 dollars costs and which said writ was
on the 19th day of April 1870 returned in the hands of
the said Thomas Harrison as Sheriff of said County
of Shelby for the purpose of its levy and execution
and whereas said Thomas Harrison as Sheriff
as afore said after the said writ had come in his
hands and while the same was in full force & vigor
on the 19th day of April 1870 advertise for sale the following
tract of land as the property of the said defendant
Mary W. Deans, viz; to wit of the S W 1/4 & S E 1/4
of S W 1/4 of Section 34 Township 20 Range 3 West

120 acres more or less part of the NE¼ of Section 4 Township 20 Range 3 West - 25 acres part of SE¼ of Section 33 Township 20 Range 3 West - 25 acres also NW¼ of Section 3 Township 21 Range 3 West - 140 acres, to have and to hold the aforesaid lands together with all and singular the appurtenances thereunto belonging to said Sylvester Steel and to his heirs and assigns forever and the said party of the first part as Sheriff as aforesaid does covenant with the said party of the second part that he as Sheriff as aforesaid will warrant the title to the said lands so far only as he by virtue of his said office is authorized to do but it is expressly understood that said Thomas Harrison is in no event to be individually liable for anything herein contracted.

In testimony whereof the said party of the first part has signed, sealed and delivered this deed on the day it bears date.

Thomas Harrison Sheriff

United States Revenue Stamp, 50 cts

The State of Alabama } I Paul H. Lewis Notary
Shelby County } Public & ex officio Justice of the Peace in and for said County hereby certify that Thomas Harrison whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance & 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 the 25th day of May 1870

Paul H. Lewis Notary Public & ex off J.P.

James T. Leeper Judge of Probate

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