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Elliott A. W.
 Guardian
 To
 Mrs. M. A. Morris

The State of Alabama; This Indenture made and entered into on
 County of Shelby, this the 29th day of May 1871 by and between
 Amos M. Elliott as guardian of Fauncie L. Morris John S. Leach
 Jasper J. Morris Jr. Charles F. Morris & Robert E. Morris minor
 children of Jasper J. & Mary A. Morris of the one part and
 Mary A. Morris of the other part all of said County witness-
 eth that whereas the said Elliott after having been regu-
 larly appointed guardian of said minor children did
 as such guardian on the 31st day of October 1870 file his
 petition in the Probate Court for said County praying a
 decree of the sale of the interest of said minors in & to
 the lands hereinafter described situated in said County and
 known as the Shelby Springs tract of land, Comprising $\frac{1}{2}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$
 & the $\frac{3}{4}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29 & $\frac{1}{4}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ of Section
 32 Township 21 Range 1 west except ten acres sold W. H.
 Boykin & $\frac{1}{2}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ except two acres of Section 1 Township
 22 of Range 2 West & $\frac{1}{2}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{3}{4}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{1}{2}$ of
 $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{3}{4}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ Section 6 and all of Section 7 & $\frac{1}{2}$ of
 of $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{1}{4}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{1}{2}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 8 Township 22 of Range
 1 West & $\frac{1}{2}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{3}{4}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{1}{2}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 12 & $\frac{1}{2}$ of
 of $8\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 13 Township 22 of Range 2 West & $\frac{1}{2}$ of
 $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{3}{4}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{1}{2}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 18 Township
 22 of Range 1 West & $\frac{1}{2}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{3}{4}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ & $\frac{1}{2}$ of Sec-
 tion 32 & $\frac{1}{2}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 31 Township 21 Range 1 West & $\frac{1}{2}$ of
 of $8\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 5 & $\frac{1}{2}$ of $8\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 6 Township
 22 Range 1 West other acres beginning at the center

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of Southern boundary line of the seventy acre tract sold by J H Bailean
to W W Boykin in the NE corner of Section 12, Township 22, Range
2 west running North 70 yards West 140 yards South 70 yards & East
140 yards also half interest in the $\frac{1}{2}$ of $\frac{3}{4}$ of Section 6, Township
22, Range 1 west excepting in the property described lands
sixty two & a half acres heretofore conveyed to divers parties for lots
at Shelley Springs in said County said lands containing
in all truly eight hundred & fifty acres more or less and known
as the Shelley Springs tract of land - And whereas the Judge of
Probate for said County did on the 12th day of December 1870
grant and enter upon the minutes of said Court a decree
empowering and directing said Elliott as such guardian
to sell the interest of said minors in said lands and whereas
the said Elliott as such guardian after having given notice
by advertisement in the Shelley Guide a newspaper
published in said County for three successive weeks of the
day place and terms of sale did on the premises on the 18th
day of February 1871 sell at public outcry to the highest
bidder for cash all the rights title & interest of said minors
to said lands to Mrs Mary A Morris for the sum of five
thousand dollars it being the highest & best bid for the
same and whereas the said Elliott did as such guard-
ian on the 15th day of April 1871 file in said probate
Court his report of the sale of said lands to the said Mary
A Morris & the payment of the said purchase money for
said lands and whereas the said Judge of Probate did
on said 15th day of April 1871 grant and enter upon the
minutes of said Probate Court a decree confirming
said sale of said lands and empowering & directing
said Elliott as such guardian to execute & deliver
to said Mary A Morris as such purchaser a deed con-
veying the said interest of said minors in & to said
lands now in consideration of the premises and the
payment of said sum of five thousand dollars by
the said Mary A Morris as aforesaid the receipt of
which is hereby acknowledged I the said Mary A Morris
Elliott as such guardian do hereby bargain sell &
convey to the said Mary A Morris all the rights title
& interest of the said minors in & to the above described
lands to have and to hold the same together with
the appurtenances thereto belonging or in any
wise appertaining unto the said Mary A Morris

her heirs and assigns forever Amos M. Elliott Guardian
The State of Alabama
Shelby County. I James T. Leppin Judge of Probate for said
County hereby certify that Amos M. Elliott whose name is
Signed to the foregoing Conveyance and who is known to
me acknowledged before me on this day that being in-
formed of the contents of the Conveyance he executed
the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date

Given under my hand this 18th day of June AD 1871.

James T. Leppin
Judge of Probate.

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J. T. Leppin Judge of Probate.