Roper M. P.
To
Joe. Roper
Cromwell.

State of Alabama. } Know all men by these presents
Shelby County. } that for and in consideration of
the love and affection I bear my great grandson
Joe Roper Cromwell, I, Mary P. Roper, do by these
presents, hereby grant, bargain, sell and convey to the
said Joe Roper Cromwell, the following described real
estate to wit: The home and lot in the town of
Columbiana, Alabama, known as the Mary P. Roper
Store house, bounded on the north by the Parker &
Armstrong Store house, & lot, on the South by the
Elizabeth Stewart Store house & lot, on the East by
a line running parallel with main street twenty
feet to the rear of the ~~South~~ back part of the house
herein conveyed, and on the West by main street to
have and to hold to the said Joe Roper Cromwell
his heirs & assigns forever. The grantor, however hereby
expressly reserves to herself the use of the house
& lot and the rents and profits thereof during the life
of the grantor,
Witness my hand and seal this 13th day of July 1883.
M. P. Roper. (L. S.)

The State of Alabama } I, James T. Leeper, Judge of Probate in and
Shelby County. } for the said County, hereby certify that
Mary P. Roper, whose name is signed to the foregoing convey-
ance, who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day
that being informed of the contents of the conveyance, she executed
the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.
Given under my hand this 13 day July 1883. Jas. T. Leeper, Judge Probate.
Filed July 13th 1883 & recorded July 13th 1883.
James T. Leeper. Judge of Probate.