Lyman E. S. To Trustees of the M.E. Church South.

The State of Alabama } This Indenture made and
Shelby County } entered into this the 29th day of July 1885 by and between Edward S. Lyman party of the first part and Christopher C. Vandegrift Charles B. West Samuel H. McCauley Edward C. Seale and H. H. Whatley Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church South for the Montevallo Circuit of the North Alabama Conference parties of the second part all of said County and State Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the sum of One hundred (100) dollars in hand paid to the party of the first part by the said parties of the second part the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged the said party of the first part has granted bargained sold and conveyed and by these presents doth grant bargain sell and convey unto the said parties of the second part their successors or assigns the following described lot or parcel of land in and adjoining the town of Montevallo in said county and State described by the following meets and bounds to wit:
Beginning at a point on the South side of Middle Street Seventy (70) yards West of a lane running North and South between lot number six (6) and the lot now owned

by Mrs H. B. Meredith said point of beginning being the North West corner of said last mentioned lot thence running South one hundred and thirty seven and one third (137⅓) yards more or less to a corner between the lot hereby conveyed the King Field and a lot now occupied by Bob Nelson thence in a North Westerly direction along of said of said King Field to a point thirty five (35) yards distant from the East boundary line of the lot hereby conveyed by a line running parallel with Middle Street thence North to a point on Middle Street thirty five (35) yards from the said point of beginning and thence East along said Middle Street to the beginning. To have and to hold unto the said parties of the second part their successors or assigns together with all rights and privileges thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining thereto forever. In trust that said premises shall be held kept and maintained and disposed of as a place of residence for the use and occupancy of the preachers of the Methodist Episcopal Church South who may from time to time be appointed in said place subject to the usage and discipline of said Church as from time to time authorized and declared by the General Conference of said Church and by the Annual Conference within whose bounds the said premises are situate. And the said party of the first part covenants with said parties of the second part that he is lawfully seized and possessed of said above described premises that he has a good right to ~~sell and~~ convey the same and that he will warrant and defend the title to the same to the said parties of the second part their successors or assigns forever. In testimony whereof the said party the first part has hereunto set his hand and seal on the day and date first above written.

Edward S. Lyman (Seal)

The State of Alabama } I Alexander Nelson a
Shelby County } Justice of the Peace in for said county and State hereby certify that Edward S. Lyman 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 said conveyance he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.
Given under my hand this the 29th day of July 1885

A. Nelson, J. P.

Filed for record April 11th 1887 and recorded
James T. Leeper Judge of Probate.