Merrell William wife To Wm. A. Mostetter

The State of Alabama } Know all men by these
Shelby County } presents that we William Merrell and wife Priscilla Merrell for and in consideration of the sum of Four hundred dollars to us in hand paid by William A. Mostetter the receipt whereof we do hereby acknowledge have this day granted bargained sold enfeoffed and by these presents do grant bargain sell and convey to the said William A. Mostetter his heirs assigns the following tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Shelby and State of Alabama to wit; The West half ½ of the South West quarter (¼) of Section One (1) in Township Twenty four (24) of Range fifteen (15) East containing in all Seventy 2 8/100 of an Acre to have and to hold the above granted premises to the said William A. Mostetter his heirs and assigns for their use and behoof forever, and we do covenant with the said William A. Mostetter that we are lawfully seized in fee of the above granted premises that they are free of all incumbrances that we have a good right to sell and convey the same and further more we will warrant and defend our title to the afore granted premises to the said William A. Mostetter his heirs assigns or legal representatives forever against the lawful claims and demands of all persons whatsoever. In testimony whereof we have hereto set our names and seals this 3rd day of February A. D. 1879.

Attest
G. H. Shaxton.
Jonathan Merrell

William Merrell (L.S.)
Priscilla her x mark Merrell (L.S.)

State of Alabama } I. H. F. McLane a Justice of the
Shelby County } Peace hereby certify that Jonathan Merrill a subscribing witness to the foregoing

conveyance known to me appeared before me this day and sworn sworn stated that William Merrill and Priscilla Merrill the grantors in the conveyance voluntarily executed the same in his presence and in the presence of the other subscribing witness on the day the same bears date; that he attested the same in the presence of the grantors and of the other witness and that such other witness subscribed his name as witness in his presence.
Given under my hand this 14th day of December 1880.

W. F. McLane
Justice of the Peace,

Filed for record June 11th 1882, and recorded,
James S. Leeper Judge of Probate,