Shortridge Elizabeth To R.R. Gaines.

Know all men by these presents that I, Elizabeth Shortridge of Lamar County Texas in consideration of Twenty five Hundred dollars to me in hand paid by R.R. Gaines also of said county (the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) have bargained and sold and do by these presents grant ~~bargain~~ and convey unto the said Gaines all those certain tracts of land lying in Shelby county in the State of Alabama described as follows to wit;
The South East quarter (¼) of the South East quarter (¼) of Section Seven (7) in Township Twenty one (21) in Range One (1) East and the North East Quarter (¼) of the North East quarter (N.E.¼) of Section Eighteen (18) also in Township Twenty one in Range One (1) East each containing forty acres. To have and to hold to the said Gaines and to his heirs and assigns forever. And I hereby bind myself my heirs executors and administrators to warrant the title to the above described and to forever defend the same unto the said Gaines and to his heirs and assigns forever,
Witness my hand and seal this the 7th day of January 1888.

Witness
W. J. Sedberry,
C. G. Grahams,

Elizabeth Shortridge (Seal)

The State of Texas) I, M.F. Jones Clk of the county court in and
Marion County) for Marion County in the State of Texas
hereby certify that Elizabeth Shortridge 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 the conveyance she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date,

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office this the 7th day of January A.D. 1888,

M. F. Jones Clerk County Court Marion Co. County Texas

V The State of Texas } I T D Rowell a Notary Public in and
Marion County } for Marion County in the State of Texas hereby certify that Elizabeth Shotsidye 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 the conveyance she executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date,

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of office this the 16th day of January A.D. 1888,

T. D. Rowell
Notary Public of Marion County in the State of Texas,

Filed for record January 28th 1888 and Recorded,
James T. Leeper Judge of Probate