Shelly Mfg & Improvement Company To N. H. Self & others Trustees

The State of Alabama }
Shelly County }

This Indenture made and entered into this the 5th day of May 1890 by and between The Shelly Manufacturing and Improvement Company of the first part, and N. H. Self James McGowen, Henry Millstead, James Holmes and Hardy Nelson as trustees of the M. E. Church South in Columbiana Circuit North Alabama annual Conference and their successors in office of the second part, witnesseth, that the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of seven hundred & 00/100 Dollars in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath granted bargained sold and conveyed, and doth by these presents grant bargain sell and convey unto the said party of the second part and unto their successors in office forever, the following described real estate viz:

Lot Number one (1) Block Number sixty five (65)

"In trust, that said premises shall be used, kept and maintained and disposed of, as a place of divine worship for the use of the Ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church South, subject to the discipline usage and ministerial appointments of said church as from time to time authorized and declared by the General Conference of said Church and the annual Conference within whose bounds the said premises are situated being so numbered and described on the map of the plan of the town of Shelly made by E. S. Safford Engineer, March 20th 1890 and recorded in the office of the Probate Judge of Shelly County: it being situated in said Shelly County, Alabama: with all the tenements and appurtenances thereunto belonging

or in any wise appertaining.
To have and to hold to the said party of the second part, their successors in office forever. And the said party of the first part warrants and will forever defend the title to the above bargained premises against the lawful claims of all persons what soever. In testimony whereof the aforesaid party of the first part has executed this Indenture by causing its name to be hereunto signed by its Secretary who is duly authorized thereto, and by causing its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed on this the 5th day of May 1890.

The Shelly Manufacturing & Improvement Company - by
J. H. Hopkins
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The State of Alabama } I. Ed T. Witherby a Notary
Shelly County } Public in and for said State and county hereby certify that J. H. Hopkins Secretary of the Shelly Manufacturing & Improvement Company whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day, that being informed of the contents of the conveyance he executed the same voluntarily as such official of said company on the day the same bears date.
Given under my hand 5 day of May 1890.
Ed. T. Witherby
Notary Public

Filed for record June 7, 1890 and recorded.
R M Cott Judge of Probate