Norris to Spradley

The State of Alabama - Shelby County -
Know all men by these presents; That we W. I. Norris and wife M. A. Norris for and in consideration of Ten Hundred and Sixty Dollars to us paid in hand by J. W. Spradley Jr. and wife V. A. Spradley the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do grant bargain, sell and convey unto the said J. W. Spradley Jr. and V. A. Spradley the following described property, to wit; The S. E 1/4 of Section 26. Township 19. Range 2. East containing One Hundred and Sixty (160) acres more or less. situated, lying and being in the County of Shelby and State of Alabama. To have and to hold the same unto the said J. W. Spradley & V. A Spradley heirs and assigns forever. And we do for ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators covenant with the said J. W. Spradley Jr & V. A. Spradley, heirs and assigns, that we are lawfully seized in fee simple of said premises; that they are free from all incumbrance; and that we have a good right to sell and convey the said property that we will; and W. I. Norris & C. A. Norris, our heirs, executors and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons whatsoever.
Given under our hands and seals this 23rd day of October 1897-

W. I. Norris - (L.S)
Mrs M. A. Norris (L.S)

The State of Alabama } I, G. W. Clements, a N. P. & ex. off.
Shelby County } J. P. in and for said County - hereby certify that W. I. Norris, whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who is known to me - acknowledged before me this day, that being informed of the contents of this conveyance he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.
Given under my hand - this 23rd day of October 1897-

G. W. Clements,
N. P. & ex. off. J. P.

The State of Alabama }
Shelby County }
I, G. W. Clements, a Notary Public & ex. off. J. P. in and for said County, hereby certify that on the 23rd day of Oct. 1897 came before me the within named L. A. Morris known to me to be the wife of the within named W. J. Morris who being examined separate and apart from the husband touching her signature to the within conveyance, acknowledged that she signed the same of her own free will and accord and without fear, constraint or threats on the part of the husband.
In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand this 23rd day of October 1897.

G. W. Clements,
N. P. & ex. off. J. P.

Filed for record Feb. 23rd 98 and recorded.
DR. McMillan.
Judge of Probate