The State of Alabama}
Shelby County } This indenture made and entered into Shelby this 5th day of November A.D. 1897, Between James Benton and wife F. C. Benton of the first part and Wm Leonard of the second part all of the County & State aforesaid witnesseth that the party of the first part hath this day bargained and sold and do by these presents grant bargain sell and convey unto the party of the second part all of their entire right title and interest, to all that part of N.W. 1/4 of S.W. 1/4 N.E 1/4 of S.W 1/4 S. 1/2 N.E. 1/4 N. 1/2 of S.E. 1/4 S.W. 1/4 S.E. 1/4 Sect. 11 Township 21, 3 west land which lies East of Buck Creek it being the land known as the Benton Land or the dower or a part of the down of Mrs. Barnicia Bridges deceased supposes to be two hundred acres more or less for the consideration of the sum of Eight hundred dollars to the party of the first part in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and the said party of the first part do hereby quit claim and convey release and deliver all of their said right unto the party of the second part heirs and assigns together with all improvements and appertainances and every thing thereunto belongeth except one acre of land & its improvements where the tan yard now is to have and to hold the same for his own use and benefit in witness whereof we have here unto set our names affixed our seals day and year first above written

James Benton (seal)
F. C. Benton (seal)

The State of Alabama}
Shelby County } I, N. Lee a justice of the Peace in and for said County do hereby certify that James Benton and wife F. C. Benton whose names are signed to the foregoing conveyance and who is known to me acknowledged before me on this day being informed

of the contents of the conveyance they executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand this the 5th day of November A.D. 1847

M. Lee J. P.

Filed for recorded July 31st 1907 & recorded

A. P. Longshore
Judge Probate