

Shelby Iron  
Co.  
to  
S. & N. A. R. Co.

The State of Alabama,  
Jefferson County.

For and in consideration of the sum of One & no Dollars paid to the Shelby Iron Company the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged the said Shelby Iron Company does grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the said South & North Alabama Railroad Company the right of way for its railroad to be One Hundred (100) feet wide being Fifty (50) feet wide on each side of the center line of its Selma Hill new line of railroad as the same is now surveyed and located through, over and across the following lands, situated in Shelby County, Alabama, to wit: The Northwest Quarter of the Northeast Quarter of Section Eighteen in Township Twentyone South, Range Two West of the Huntsville Meridian (N.W. 1/4 of N.E. 1/4 Sec. 18, Township 21 South, Range 2 West) The new line for which right-of-way is herein conveyed being shown on a map in red ink and marked proposed track, which map is hereto attached and made a part of this deed, said above lands being bounded on the west by the lands of J. S. Patton and adjoining same and on the south by the lands of J. W. and W. H. Ozley and adjoining same and being in distance across said land Six Hundred (600) feet more or less.

To Have and To Hold to above granted strip of land to the said South & North Alabama Railroad Company, its successors and assigns forever.

In witness whereof the Shelby Iron Company has caused this deed to be signed by its President in execution thereof on this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July 1901

Attest  
B. P. Frost  
Secretary.

Shelby Iron Company  
J. S. Bush  
President

Seal.

The State of Alabama,  
Jefferson County

I, J. M. Bowers, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, hereby certify that U. S. Bush whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who is known to me, and known to me to be the President of the Shelby Iron Company, acknowledged before me on this day, that being informed of the contents of the conveyance, he executed the same voluntarily in the name of, and for and on behalf of said Shelby Iron Company, as its deed and conveyance, on the day said conveyance bears date.

Given under my hand this 26<sup>th</sup> day of July A.D. 1901

*[Handwritten signature]*

J. M. Bowers  
Notary Public

Office of the Shelby Iron Company  
80 Broadway

New York, April 23<sup>rd</sup> 1902.

The following is an extract from the minutes of a special meeting of the Board of Directors of the Shelby Iron Company held at its office 80 Broadway, New York, on April 23<sup>rd</sup>, 1902.

"The President stated that he had agreed to convey a certain right-of-way through lands of this company, in Shelby County to the Louisville & Nashville Railroad Company, and asked that his action be confirmed by the Board and a copy of such action be given him for delivery to the L. & N. Railway Company. On motion of Mr. Hewitt, seconded by Mr. Johnson, it was Resolved, that the President be authorized to execute deed in the usual form for lands of this company in Shelby County, between Leola and Birmingham and situated in the Northwest quarter of the Northeast quarter of Section 18, Township 21, Range 2, West, Shelby County, Alabama.

Resolved that a copy of this resolution, duly certified by the Secretary, be furnished to the L. & N. Railroad Company.

Attest:

*[Handwritten signature]*

B. M. Frost  
Secretary

U. S. Bush  
Chairman

Filed for record June 11<sup>th</sup> 1902 & recorded

A. P. Gough  
Judge of Probate