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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Shelby COUNTY.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, THAT We Jasper Holcomb and his wife Lucy H. Holcomb of the County of Shelby State of Alabama for and in consideration of one ($1.00) DOLLARS, to us paid in hand by Trustees of Methodist property on Calera Circuit North Ala Conference, J W Baily James Reynolds, J. D. Wilson William Pilgreen & Jasper Holcomb the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do Grant, Bargain, Sell and Convey unto the said Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, for Calera Circuit Tuscaloosa District north Ala conference the following described property, to-wit:

A lot or parcel of land near Shelly Springs on which there has been a Church house erected adjoining a lot known as the W H Fellows lot; having a front of seventy yards parallel with and fifty feet from the center of the Ala and Tennessee Railroad (now Division of the Southern Railroad) by one hundered and seventy five yards deep, except a small portion in the north west corner which is broken off by the line of what is known as the J. H. Calhoun land - together with the use and enjoyment of the water of Shelly Springs for the Congregations who may worship in the church erected and of wood and timber from the Shelly Springs tract necessary for the purposes of the Church, the said lot containing two (2) rone half acres more or less

Trust Clause: In trust that said premises shall be used, kept 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 by the Annual Conference within whose bounds the said premises are situate and,

situated, lying, and being in the County of Shelly and State of Alabama.

To Have and to Hold the Same unto the said J W Baily, James Reynolds, J. D. Wilson William Pilgreen and J. Holcomb and their successors in office as Trustees of Church property & said Church forever. heirs and assigns forever. And we do for ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, covenant with the said Trustees of Church property for Calera Charge north Ala Conference, M E Church South, their successors in office heirs and assigns, that we are lawfully seized in fee simple of said premises; that they are free from all incumbrances; that we have a good right to sell and convey the said property; that we will, and our heirs, executors, and administrators shall, warrant and defend the same to said J. W. Baily, James Reynolds, J. D. Wilson William Pilgreen & Jasp Holcomb & their Successors in office heirs, executors, and assigns, forever, against the lawful claims of all persons whatsoever. Given under our hands and seal, this 18th day of October A. D. 190 4

ATTEST:

Revenue Stamp to the amount of $..... on this instrument and cancelled.

Jasper Holcomb (L. S.)

Lucy H Holcomb (L. S.)

(L. S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Shelby COUNTY.

I, J W Whatley a Justice of the Peace in and for said County, do hereby certify that Jasper Holcomb & wife Lucy H Holcomb whose names are signed to the foregoing conveyance, and who are known to me, acknowledged before me on this day, that being informed of the contents of the conveyance he executed the same voluntarily, on the day the same bears date.

Given under my hand, this 18th day of October A. D. 1904 J W Whatley J P

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, COUNTY.

I, hereby certify that a subscribing witness to the foregoing conveyance, known to me, appeared before me this day, and being sworn, stated that the grantor in the conveyance, voluntarily executed the same in his presence, and in the presence of the other subscribing witness, on the day the same bears date; that he attested the same in the presence of the grantor and of the other witness, and that such other witness subscribed his name as a witness in his presence.

Given under my hand, this day of A. D. 190

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, Shelby COUNTY.

I, J W Whatley a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid, do hereby certify that on the 18th day of October 1904, came before me the within named Lucy H Holcomb known or made known to me to be the wife of the within named Jasper Holcomb, who being examined separate and apart from the husband, touching her signature to the within Deed, acknowledged that she signed the same of her own free will and accord, and without fear, constraints, or threats on the part of the husband.

In Witness Whereof, I hereunto set my hand, this 18th day of October 1904 J W Whatley J P

I Hereby Certify that the within Deed was filed in this office for record, the 19th day of October 1904, at 4 o'clock P M., and duly recorded in Book 27 of Deeds, 369 page, and examined.

A D Longshore Judge of Probate.