State of Alabama,
Cherokee County. } Know all men by these Presents:
That we J. T. Dorough and H. A.
Dorough of the County and State aforesaid, for and
in Consideration of the Sum of ($300.00) Three hun-
dred dollars to us in hand paid by William
D. Graves of Shelby County, Alabama, the receipt
whereof is hereby acknowledged, have granted

bargained, sold and conveyed unto the said William D. Graves, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the said William D. Graves, the following described real estate lying in Shelby County, to-wit; The North half of the South East quarter, and the East half of the North East quarter of the South West quarter, and the East half of the South East quarter of the North West quarter of Section 8, in Township 18, Range 1 East, containing one hundred and twenty acres more or less. To have and to hold the above described real estate unto the said William D. Graves, his heirs and assigns forever. In testimony whereof we have hereunto subscribed our names and fixed our seals this October the 21st 1897.

J. T. Dorough (L. S.)
H. A. Dorough (L. S.)

The State of Alabama,
Cherokee County. } Personally appeared before me, Leander Copeland, an acting Justice of the Peace, in and for said County, J. J. Dorough, who is personally known to me, and who being informed of the contents, acknowledged before me, that he did sign the foregoing deed of Conveyance voluntarily the day the same bears date this Oct. the 21st 1897.

Leander Copeland
Justice of the Peace.

The State of Alabama,
Cherokee County. } I, Leander Copeland, an acting Justice of the Peace, in and for said County, Came H. A. Dorough, known to me to be the wife of the within named J. T. Copeland, who being by me examined separate and apart from her husband, touching her signature to the within conveyance, acknowledged that being informed of the contents, she signed the same of her own free will and accord, without fear, constraint or threats on the part of her husband.
In witness of all of which I hereunto set my hand this 21st day of Oct 1897. } Leander Copeland
Justice of the Peace.

Filed for Record Dec. 14th & recorded.
A. P. Longshore
Judge of Probate