The United States of America,

To all to whom these presents shall Come Greeting:

Homestead Certificate No. 4038. Application 8631.

Whereas, There has been deposited in the General Land Office of the United States a Certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Montgomery Alabama, whereby it appears that, pursuant to the Act of Congress approved 20th May 1862, "To secure Homesteads to actual Settlers on the Public Domain" and the acts supplemental thereto the Claim of Thomas H. Horton has been established and duly Consummated in Conformity to law, for the South East Quarter of the North East Quarter of Section Twenty four in Township Twenty South of Range Four West of Huntsville Meridian in Alabama Containing Thirty Nine acres and Ninety Three Hundredths of an acre according to the Official Plat of the survey of the said Land, returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General: Now know ye, that there is therefore granted by the United States unto the said Thomas H. Horton the tract of Land above described. To Have and to Hold the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances

thereof unto the said Thomas H. Horton and to his heirs and assigns forever. In Testimony whereof, I, Grover Cleveland, President of the United States of America, have caused these letters to be made patent, and the seal of the General Land Office to be hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the City of Washington the Twenty fifth day of May, in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and Eighty Four, and of the Independence of the United States the One Hundred and Ninth.

Seal

By the President: Grover Cleveland
By M. McKean Secretary
S. W. Clark, Recorder of the General Land Office.

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The State of Alabama } I hereby Certify that the within
Shelby County } Conveyance was filed in this
Office for Record 14th January 1913 at 10 O'clock
A.M. and recorded in Deed Record 48: Page 563
and examined.

A. P. Lanphon - Judge of Probate.