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Certificate No. 5458

The United States of America,

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, Samuel W. Mardis of Shelby County has deposited in the General Land Office of the United States, a certificate of the Register of the Land Office at Tuskaloosa whereby it appears that full payment has been made by the said Samuel W. Mardis according to the provisions of the Act of Congress of the 24th of April, 1820, entitled "An act making further provision for the sale of the Public Lands," for the East half of the North West quarter of Section Nine in Township Twenty four of Range Twelve East, in the district of lands offered for sale at Tuskaloosa, Alabama, containing Seventy nine acres and Sixty seven hundredths of an acre according to the official plat of the survey of the said Lands, returned to the General Land Office by the Surveyor General, which said tract has been purchased by the said Samuel W. Mardis

NOW KNOW YE, That the **UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,** in consideration of the premises, and in conformity with the several acts of Congress, in such case made and provided, have Given and Granted, and, by these presents, do give and grant, unto the said Samuel W. Mardis and to his heirs the said tract above described: To Have and to Hold the same, together with all the rights, privileges, immunities and appurtenances, of whatsoever nature thereto belonging, unto the said Samuel W. Mardis and to his heirs and assigns forever.

In testimony whereof, I, John Quincy Adams **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 first day of December in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty six and of the Independence of the United States the fifty first.

By the President, J Q A

E E Commissioner of the General Land Office.

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I hereby certify that this photograph is a true copy of the patent record, which is in my custody in this office.

Oscar E Colen
Chief, Copy Records Section

Filed in the office of the Probate Judge on the 22 day of March 1956 at 3 o'clock P. M. and recorded in Book 65 Page 510 this 22 day of March 1956.
Deed Tax _____ Mortgage Tax _____ has been paid.

L.C. Walker, Judge of Probate