Barrow as security. Said property hereby conveyed to be kept by the said Alsey & not disposed of for the exclusive use and benefit of said Alsey & her children and separate family. To have and to hold the same to the said Alsey & and her heirs forever, & covenant with the said Alsey & that I am lawfully seized of said property have a good right to convey it and the same is unincumbered. I do also covenant and bind myself my heirs and assigns to warrant and forever defend the title to the said lot to the said Alsey & her heirs and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons whatsoever. But it is distinctly agreed that should there be any returned on said lot until the notes of said Barrow are paid and the lien is to cease in favor of any assignment of said notes as well as myself. It is further mutually agreed that this conveyance is made for the sole and separate use and benefit of said Alsey & and free from all control of the said Barrow & and that by the terms of the sale is to have the same power of disposition of said property as any may as if she were a feme sole. Witness my hand this 14th day of Feb. 1857. N. Hobson

State of Tennessee } Personally appeared before me H.R. Cheatham Clerk of the County Court of
Davidson County } said County, the within named N. Hobson the bargainor with whom I am personally acquainted and who acknowledged that he executed the annexed instrument for the purposes therein contained. Witness my hand at office this 28th day of Feby. 1857.

(Rec'd Feby 28. 1857 11 o'clock A.M.) H.R. Cheatham Clk & By P.L. Nichol D.C.

Registered February 28. 1857

P.C. Lewis to Gift to M.C. Lewis

Know all men by these presents that I P.C. Lewis of the County of Davidson and State of Tennessee have this day for and in consideration of the love and affection which I bear my daughter M.C. Lewis given granted and by these presents do give grant and convey to my said daughter M.C. Lewis to her sole and separate use and benefit independent of any husband she may hereafter take in marriage my negro girl Maria a bright mulatto aged about 11 years, to have and to hold as aforesaid and to dispose of as she may see fit and proper either by deed or will. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Feby 1st 1857. Test. C.C. Lewis. H.P. Compton. P.C. Lewis (Seal)

State of Tennessee } Personally appeared before me H.R. Cheatham Clerk of the County Court of
Davidson County } said County, C.C. Lewis & H.P. Compton subscribing witnesses to the attached deed of Gift who being first duly sworn depose and say that they are personally acquainted with the above named P.C. Lewis the bargainor and that she acknowledged the same in their presence to be her act & deed for the purposes therein contained. Witness my hand at office this 28th day of Feby 1857. H.R. Cheatham Clerk & By P.L. Nichol D.C.

(Received February 28. 1857 2 o'clock P.M.)

Registered February 28. 1857

P.P. Lewis to Gift to M.C. Lewis

Know all men by these presents that I P.P. Lewis of the County of Davidson and state of Tennessee have this day for and in consideration of the love and affection which I bear my daughter M.C. Lewis given granted and by these presents do give grant and convey to my said daughter M.C. Lewis, to her sole and separate use and benefit independant of any husband she may hereafter take in marriage my negro girl Lily a bright mulatto aged about 18 years. To have and to hold as aforesaid and to dispose of as she may see fit and proper either by deed or will. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this February 1st 1857. Test C.C. Lewis. H.P. Compton. P.P. Lewis (Seal)

State of Tennessee } Personally appeared before me H.R. Cheatham Clerk of the County Court of
Davidson County } said County, C.C. Lewis & H.P. Compton subscribing witnesses to the attached Deed of Gift who being first duly sworn depose and say that they are personally acquainted with the above named P.P. Lewis the bargainer and that she acknowledged the same in their presence to be her act & deed for the purposes therein contained. Witness my hand at office this 28th day of February 1857. H.R. Cheatham Clerk & By P.L. Nichol D.C.

(Received February 28. 1857 3 o'clock P.M.)

Registered February 28. 1857

W.J. Somers to Wife & Heirs

This Indenture made and entered into this twenty eighth day of February A.D. 1857 between William J. Somers of the County of Davidson and State of Tennessee of the first part and John H. Wells of the County of Marshall and State of Tennessee aforesaid of the second part Witnesseth that the said William J. Somers for and in consideration of the Sum of Twenty five hundred dollars to him in hand paid, to wit: Two hundred and fifty dollars in cash, and two notes for Eleven hundred and twenty five dollars each at one and two years bearing even date the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath bargained and sold and conveyed to the said John H. Wells his heirs and assigns forever a certain tract or parcel of Land lying and being in the County and State aforesaid in the City of Nashville and bounded as follows to wit: Beginning at the corner of High & Line Streets, thence running Westwardly along said Line Street thirty three feet, thence in a Northward direction one hundred and feet to Union Cartey Line, thence Eastwardly thirty three feet to High Street, thence Southwardly along said High Street one hundred and feet to the beginning To have and to hold said and every part of the above mentioned tract or parcel of Land with all and Singular its appurtenances &c and the said William J. Somers for himself his heirs and assigns agree to and with and to forever warrant the title to the written bargained premises to the said John H. Wells his heirs and assigns forever, against the lawful claims of all persons whatsoever. Provided the said Wells shall well and truly pay his three notes as part of the consideration money aforesaid, to Twenty Two hundred and Fifty Dollars which are to be conveyance and lien upon said property. In Witness whereof the said William J. Somers hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his Seal the day and year first written.

W.J. Somers (Seal)

State of Tennessee }
Davidson County } Personally appeared before me H.R. Cheatham Clerk of the County Court of said County the above named W.J. Somers the bargainer with whom I am personally acquainted and who acknowledged that he executed the above annexed Instrument for the purposes therein contained. Witness my hand at office this 28th day of February 1857. H.R. Cheatham Clk & By P.L. Nichol D.C.

(Received Feby 28. 1857 4 o'clock P.M.)

Registered March 1. 1857

H.G. Scovil & Wife to R. Thompson

I H.G. Scovil of the County of Davidson and State of Tennessee have this day bargained Sold aliened and conveyed and do hereby bargain, Sell alien and convey unto Robert Thompson of the County and State aforesaid his heirs and assigns forever, for the consideration of Seven hundred and fifty dollars Cash to be paid as herein after mentioned, a certain piece or Lot of land situated in said Davidson County Tennessee near the City of Nashville on a plan of Lots known as M. Gowdy's Sale plan of Lots having of record in the Register's Office of Davidson County in Book No 21 page 28 The Lot herein conveyed being designated on said plan as Lot No one hundred and Seventy four (174) and fronting fifty (50) feet on the Burrus Water Turnpike The consideration above mentioned of Seven hundred and fifty Dollars for the payment of which the said Robert Thompson has executed and delivered to me his five promissory notes of even date herewith each for Three hundred and Seventy five dollars and due in six and twelve months from date respectively all under Seal. And I do hereby retain on the above described property until all of said notes are paid in full and without force the conveyance shall be absolute To have and to hold the same to the said Robert Thompson his heirs and assigns forever. I covenant to and with the said Robert Thompson that I am lawfully seized and possessed of the above described real estate property and have a good right to convey it. I further covenant and agree and bind myself my heirs and legal representatives to warrant and forever defend the title to the above described property to the said Robert Thompson his being assigns against the lawful claims of all persons whomsoever. Witness my hand and seal this 28th day of February A.D. 1857.

H.G. Scovil (Seal)

State of Tennessee }
Davidson County } Personally appeared before me H.R. Cheatham Clerk of the County Court of said County the within named H.G. Scovil the bargainer with whom I am personally acquainted and who acknowledged that he executed the annexed Instrument for the purposes therein contained. Witness my hand at office this 28th day of Feby 1857.

(Rec'd March 1. 1857. 9 o'clock A.M.) H.R. Cheatham Clk. By P.L. Nichol D.C.