

Copy Of Deeds

The State of Texas] Know all men by these presents that
County of Hill] We R.M. Graham and Sophia E.
Graham, W.J. Graham, and Martha J.
Graham, F.M. Reed and Nancy E. Reed all of the County of
Hill and State of Texas for and in consideration of the love
we bear for the cause of Christ and from an earnest desire to
promote his heritage on earth and for the further consideration
of the sum of one Dollar to us in hand paid by R.M. Graham
trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church South in District
North West Texas Annual Conference of said Church the
receipt of which is hereby fully acknowledged we have this
day and do by these presents sell transfer and convey to the
above mentioned trustees and to their successors in Office to
be held in trust by them for the use and benefit of the said
Methodist Episcopal Church South the following described
tract or parcel of land with the conditions that the land
hereinafter described shall be forever held by said Church to
be used for school, parsonage burial or other Church purposes,
beginning: — One acre of land off of the R.M. Graham tract -
one acre off of the W.J. Graham tract and one acre off of the
F.M. Reed tract in all three acres be the same more or less.
Bounded as follows to wit Beginning 75 varas S60 W from
W.J. & R.M. Grahams cor in F.M. Reed's line at a stake
whence an elm 2 in dia bears S. 43 $\frac{3}{4}$ E 30 varas. Thence S.
30 E 75 varas to a stake whence a hackberry 6 in dia brs S49 \circ
45' W 9-4/5 varas. Thence N60E 150 varas to a stake whence
a 6 in Locust brs S73 \circ 15' E 2 varas. Thence W 30 W. 11 2 $\frac{1}{2}$
varas to a stake whence a 3 in Elm brs. S.44, W. 5-4/5 vrs.
Thence S. 60, W. 150 varas to a stake. Thence S. 30 E 37 $\frac{1}{2}$
varas to the beginning. Containing 3 acres be the same more
or less all bearing trees marked IXI. To have and to hold unto
the above mentioned Trustees and to their successors in
office with all the rights thereto appertaining and do find
their heirs assigns and legal representatives to forever warranty
and defered the title to said property and premises unto said
Trustees and to their successors in office, forever against the
lawful claims of all persons claiming or to claim the same or
any part thereof. Witness our hands and scroll for seal this
the 9th day of September AD1876.

R.M. Graham
S.E. Graham
W.J. Graham
M.J. Graham
F.M. Reed
N.E. Reed

State of Texas] Before me the undersigned authority
County of Hill] this day personally appeared R.M.
Graham, Sophia E. Graham, W.J. Graham and Martha J.
Graham, F.W. Reed and Nancy E. Reed all of the County of
Hill whose names appears to the with in deed of conveyance
dated on the 9th day of September AD1876 all of the grantors
thereof to me well known and acknowledged that they had
signed sealed and delivered the same for all the purposes and
considerations therein set forth and expressed Also their
wives Sophia E. Graham Martha J. Graham and Nancy E.
Reed all of the said County of Hill all grantors of the within
deed fully explained to them the said Sophia E. Graham,
Martha J. Graham and Nancy E. Reed who after being by me
examined privately and apart from their said husbands and
having the within deed fully explained to them the said
Sophia E. Graham Martha J. Graham and Nancy E. Reed
acknowledged that they had willingly signed sealed and
delivered the same as their act and deed for all the purposes
and considerations therein set forth and expressed without
fear or compulsion of their said husbands and that they
wished not to retract it.

Witness my Official Seal and signature
this the 9th day of September AD1876
W D McFarland a Justice of the Peace
and exofficio Notary Public