Know all men that we, Jefse G. Jordan Executor of the last will and Testament of Henry Jordan deceased and George Hatton and George W. Jennell of Madison County in the State of Alabama are held and firmly bound unto John C. Thompson, Judge of the County Court of said County and his successors in Office in the penalty of one thousand dollars, for the true payment of which well and truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourself, our and each of our heirs, Executors and Administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents witness our hands and seals this the ~~twenty~~ day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty four

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Jefse G. Jordan Executor &c has applied to the Judge of the County Court of said County for a sale of the real estate of said Testator, which consists of the North ½ of the North West ¼ of section nine Township 3 Range 1 West, the South East part of fractional section four Township 3 of Range 1 West containing 102 acres & 39/100 of an acre, the south West part of fractional section Township & Range aforesaid containing one hundred & two acres & 39/100 of an acre; part of fractional section numbered 4 Township five Range 1 West of the Basis meredian containing 101 acres & 4/100 of an acre bounded on the North by the land of Thomas & William Brandon on the East by the tract of land on which the late James Fagan lived on the South by the tract of land on which said Henry Jordan formerly lived and on the west by the tract of land on which William D Lanier formerly lived; and also one tract or parcel of land containing ~~102~~ 102 be the same more or less known as the meeting house tract and bounded by the lands of Samuel Ward & Alexander & Lester & being the same purchased in part from Isaac Parker and in part from Henry Moore, and excepting out of the tract last aforesaid so much thereof as by the last Will & Testament of said Henry Jordan deceased was bequeathed to his widow, and excepting also the portion thereof conveyed by Bartholomew Jordan to the Trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Jordan's Chapel.

Now if the said Jefse G. Jordan Executor &c aforesaid shall well and truly observe the rules and directions of law for the sale of real estate by ~~Admin~~ Executors &c, and shall well and truly account for the proceeds of said sale and pay that the same shall be disposed of agreeably to law, then this obligation shall be