

R.R. Sheppard  
(Not Dead)

to  
W.D.J. Collins

25/4/85

To all to whom these presents shall come greeting. Whereas a sale of lands by W.J. Williams Collector of Revenue of the County of Santa Rosa, at Public Auction at Milton in the said County of Santa Rosa on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of May in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Eighty for the non-payment of the Taxes levied and assessed therein for the Year one thousand eight hundred and Seventy nine and which remained unpaid on the day of such sale, together with the Costs and charges due therewith the following described piece or parcel was sold to W.D.J. Collins, who was the best bidder therefor for the sum of Two & <sup>20</sup>/<sub>100</sub> Dollars the Purchase money of  $\frac{1}{2}$  of  $\frac{1}{4}$  of Sect 25 T. 4 R. 25 which said sum was the whole amount of taxes due and unpaid on said above described tract of Land for the Year aforesaid, together with the interest and costs due thereon, and the charges of such sale, and has been paid by the said W.D.J. Collins to the said W.J. Williams, Collector of Revenue aforesaid. Now therefore, We will men by these presents, that the Stat. of Florida, in consideration of the sum of money aforesaid, and the premises, and in conformity with Law, hath and doth hereby give grant and convey the above described tract of Land together with the hereditaments and appurtenances, to the said W.D.J. Collins and to his heirs and assigns to their sole use and benefit forever—

Intestimony whereof I, R.R. Sheppard, County Clerk of Santa Rosa County, have executed this deed, pursuant to and in virtue of the authority vested by Law, and for and on behalf of said State, and have hereunto subscribed my name officially and affixed the seal of the County Court of said County, in the said County of Santa Rosa, at Milton, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January in the Year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and eighty seven—

In the presence of  
M. McCarthy  
Geo. Burgess Sr

R.R. Sheppard (Seal)  
County Clerk

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County Clerk—