

Bill of Sale from the State of Alabama Shelly
 David Owens to County Thirtieth day of
 M. B. Smith January one thousand eight
 hundred and forty eight then received of Marshall
 Ben Smith eight hundred dollars in full
 payments for three Negroes for which I have this day

sold him the room by the name of As about
 twenty eight years of age and a boy about three years
 of age named Tom and a boy child about one year
 old named Jeffers which negroes do warrants and
 forever defend him and against the legal claims or
 claims of all and my person whatever to him the said
 Marshall M Smith and his heirs forever do also
 warrants them sound from all the negroes etc —
 Witness my hand and seal this day and date above
 written

David Owens

The State of Alabama } before me C. C. Smith an acting
 Shelby County } Justice of the Peace in and for
 said County personally appeared David Owens and
 acknowledged that he signed sealed and delivered the
 foregoing bill of sale to Marshall M Smith on the day
 therein stated and for the purpose therein expressed
 In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
 seal this 13th January A D 1848 C. C. Smith

Justice of the Peace

Filed for Record 21st January A D 1848

Recorded 25th January A D 1848 by E. B. L. and by C. C.