

William Hill to } The State of Alabama Shelly County
 and of trust }
 J. McElanahan } This Deed of Trust made and intended
 into this 23 day of February 1849 between
 William Hill the debtor of the 2^d part both of the County
 & State of said Alabama that the party of the 1st
 part is indebted to the party of the 2^d part the sum
 of one hundred and sixteen dollars to be due 1 January
 next which debt the said party of the 1st part is anxious
 and desirous to secure them for and in consideration
 of the promises so will the sum of one dollar
 to him in hand paid by the party of the 2^d part the
 receipt of which is hereby acknowledged the said party
 of the 1st part has given granted bargained and
 sold & by the presents do give grant bargain and
 sell to said party of the 2^d part his Cotton Gin (hand)
 Thrasher & fan pair Oxen and yearlings fifty head of
 hogs & two horse wagon & 1 blind man & blind horse
 the same which are now in the possession of said debtor
 upon trust nevertheless said Creditor is to permit
 said debtor to remain in possession of said property
 till default be made in the payment of said debt
 in whole or in part then said McElanahan his
 heirs or representatives may seize and sell said
 property at public outcry first giving ten days
 public notice of the time and place of said sale &
 out of the proceeds pay said debt & such costs
 as may accrue but should said debt be fully paid
 this Deed to be void witness our hands & seals

William Hill

J. McElanahan

The State of Alabama

Shelly County

William Hill & John W.
 McElanahan appeared in person
 before me & acknowledged that they signed sealed

and delivered the foregoing Deed of Trust on the day then
 in named for the consideration therein expressed with my
 my hand and seal this 23 July 1849 George Harris *sub*
Filed for record Feb 22^d recorded in Town & Justice of the peace