

N. Pyle The State of Alabama } This deed of trust
 do Shelby County } made and entered into
 Reinhardt this 3 day of January 1854 between Nicho-
 las Pyle of the 1st part, and George McDuke
 and Ephraim A. Reinhardt of the second
 part, witnesses that the said second
 party is about to become the securities for
 the personal appearance of the two infants
 sons of the said 1st party of Nicholas Pyle
 and John, H. Pyle at the next term of
 the circuit court of Shelby County
 Alabama to answer the State of Ala-
 bama for an assault & Battery to com-
 mit murder on the body of James Gar-
 ding. Each of said bonds to be for the sum
 of five hundred dollars, and whereas
 said Nicholas Pyle the 1st party is anx-
 ious & desirous to hold said securities
 harmless therefore for and in consid-
 eration of the premises as well the consid-
 eration of ten dollars to him in hand
 paid by said 2nd party said 1st par-
 ty has given granted bargained and
 sold to said 2nd party the following prop-
 erty to wit. One yoke of oxen, 7 years old, one
 yoke of young oxen, 3 years old, five cows & four
 yearlings, ten pork hogs, thirty head of stock
 hogs, twenty five head of sheep, four feather
 beds and bed clothing to each one, ox cart, &
 the eighty acres of land the same on which
 said Nicholas Pyle now lives to have and
 to hold said property & land forever on trust
 however, and this conveyance is to be void &
 of no effect if said Nicholas Pyle & John, H.
 Pyle appear at said circuit court and an-
 swer to said charge so as to discharge said se-
 curities but if said Nicholas & John, H. Pyle
 or either of them shall fail to attend said court

And a forfeiture is taken on said bond then said securities or either of them or their representatives may seize said property and sell the same at publick sale. 1st giving ten days notice by advertisement in three publick places of the time and place of said sale for cash and out of said sale pay said forfeitures or forfeitures & costs and if anything is left after paying the same is to be paid over to said Pyle. Witness our hands and seals day and year above said.

Nicholas Pyle (ss)

Edmunds (ss)

George McCrue (ss)

The State of Alabama

Shelby County } Before the under
signed judge of Probate residing for said
County personally came the within named
parties, who are known to me and acknow-
ledged before me on this day that being
informed of the contents of the foregoing
conveyance they executed the same vol-
untarily on the day the same bears date
Given under my hand and seal this
3 day of January AD 1834

John M. McFlanagan

Judge of Probate

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in the probate office of Shelby county
Alabama 9 day of Jan. 1834
J. M. McFlanagan Judge