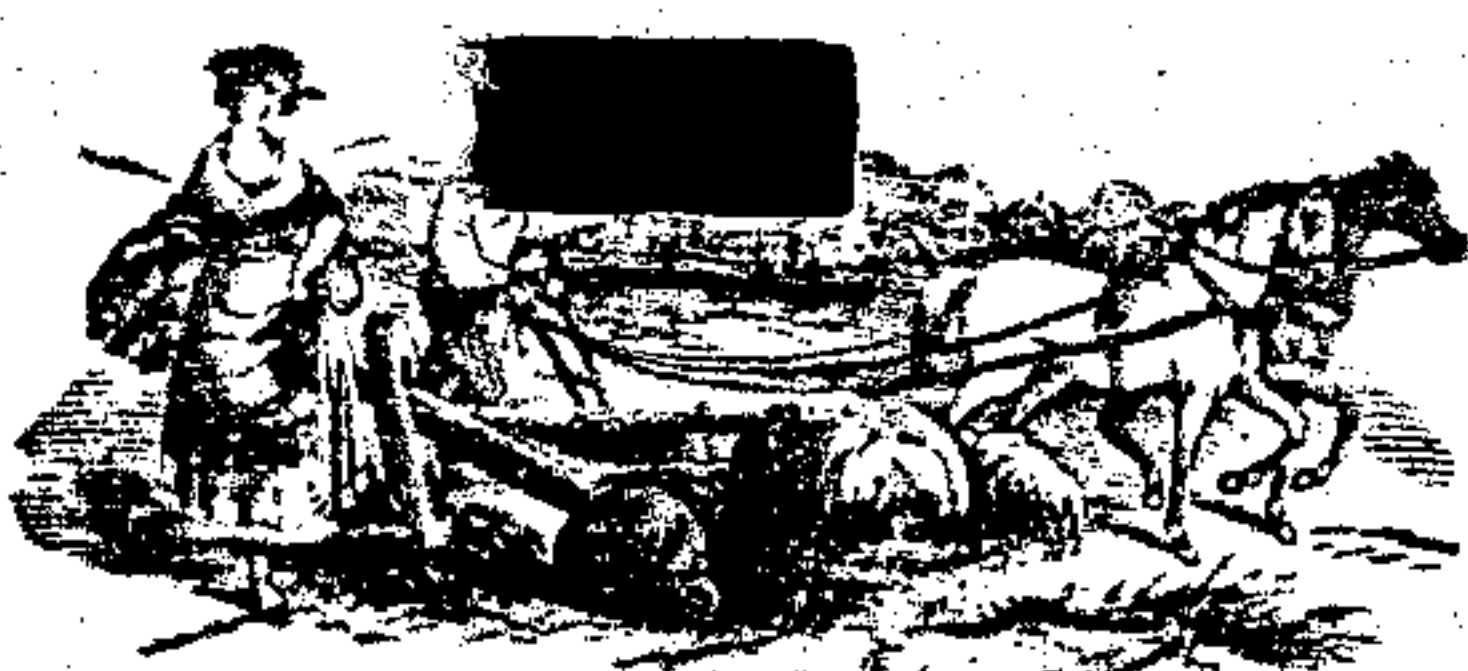




The United States of America,

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME. GREETING:

Homestead Certificate No. 19019
Application 311131

Whereas, There has been deposited in the GENERAL LAND OFFICE of the United States a CERTIFICATE of the Register of the Land Office at Montgomery,
Alabama

, whereby it appears that, pursuant to the Act of Congress approved 20th May, 1862, "to secure Homesteads to Actual Settlers on the Public Domain," and the acts supplemental thereto, the claim of James M. Hale has been established and duly consummated in conformity to law, for the South East quarter of the North East quarter of Section eight in Township Twenty-one South of Range two West of Huntsville Meridian in Alabama, containing thirty-nine acres and eighty-six hundredths of an acre

according to the Official Plat of the Survey of the said Land, returned to the GENERAL LAND OFFICE by the SURVEYOR GENERAL:

Now know ye, That there is therefore granted by the UNITED STATES unto the said James M. Hale the tract of Land above described, TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said tract of Land, with the appurtenances thereof, unto the said James M. Hale and to his heirs and assigns forever.

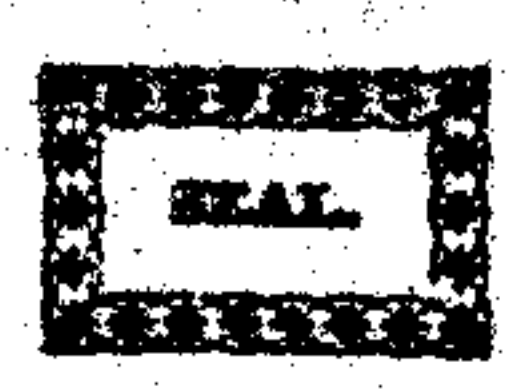
STATE OF ALA. SHELBY CO.
I HEREBY CERTIFY THIS INSTRUMENT WAS FILED
1973 SEP 26 PM 2:04
U.C. FILE NUMBER DR
REC. EX. 2 PAGE 15 SHOWN ABOVE
JUDGE OF PROBATE

In testimony whereof, J. Theodore Roosevelt

PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, have caused these letters to be made Patent, and the seal of the GENERAL LAND OFFICE to be hereunto affixed.

Given under my hand, at the CITY OF WASHINGTON, the fifteenth day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and forty, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and twenty-ninth

By the President: T. Roosevelt
By F. M. McKeen, Secretary.
C. H. Bush, Recorder of the General Land Office.



BOOK 282 PAGE 786

19730926000054340 1/1 \$.00
Shelby Cnty Judge of Probate, AL
09/26/1973 12:00:00 AM FILED/CERT