

The State of Alabama

Shelby County } This indenture made and
 entered the 21st day of September and thousand
 eight hundred and fifty eight between William B.
 Huddleston of the first part and Thaddeus Catts of the
 second part all of the County and State aforesaid
 Witnesseth that whereas the said party of the first
 part is justly indebted to the said party of the second
 part in the sum of forty eight and 30/100 (\$48.30) doll
 ars due the 23rd of December next and as said
 party of the first part is anxious and desirous
 of clearing said party of the second he has this
 day for said consideration and by these presents
 doth give grant bargain and sell a certain
 tract of land known and described as follows
 to wit one black male slave about five or six
 years old now in the possession of said party
 of the first part also the party of the first part
 conveys his entire interest in that crop he bought of
 McMillins & Consists of about six acres Cotton and
 growing on the land belonging to Mrs Wilson said
 Cotton is to be gathered by said Huddleston and
 delivered at the Gin in good order and as by the time
 said indebtedness is due if said crop is not deliv
 ered by said party by that time said party of
 the second part is to take possession of said property
 whenever he may find it and if said party fails
 to pay off said indebtedness on or by the 1st day of
 January next then it shall be lawful for said
 party of the second part to advertise said property at
 three or more public places in this but for not less
 than 15 days and sell the same to the highest bidder
 for cash and if said property should more than
 pay off said indebtedness then said party of the
 second part shall refund all surplus to said party
 of the first part and in testimony whereof I have
 hereunto set my hand and seal day and
 year above written W B Huddleston (S)

The State of Alabama } J S Merrett is a Justice
 Shelby County } of the peace in and for said

County do hereby Certify that M. B. Hindleston whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance and who is known to me acknowledged before me on this day after being informed of the contents of the conveyance that he signed the same voluntarily on the day the same was dated. Witness my hand this September 21st A.D. 1838.

J. N. McQuade

Justice of the Peace
Filed for Record the 22^d September 1838 and Recorded
the 30th day of the same month J. M. McQuade
Judge of Probate