

This indenture made and entered into this the seventh day of March AD 1859 between P. S. Allen of the first part & W. Lee of the second part all of the County of Shelby and State of Alabama Witnesseth that whereas the party of the first part is justly indebted to the party of the second part in the sum of sixty dollars due the 25th of December next evidenced by a promissory note bearing even date with this date payable to S. W. Lee and as said party of the first part is desirous of securing said party of the second part he has this day bargained & sold and by these presents bargained & sell his entire crop of Corn and Cotton that he may raise this year also said party of the first part is to cultivate said crop good and gether the same in good order and deliver the Cotton crop at the Gin House of or by the 25th Decr next and if said party should fail to deliver said crop of Cotton any or by that time then said party of the second part is authorized to take possession of said cotton any where he may find it and deliver the same at the expense of said Allen and if said indebtedness is not paid off or by the 25th Decr next then said party of the second part is authorized to advertise the cotton crop and sell it to the highest for cash the corn crop to be sold on the premises of said Allen after giving twenty days notice but if said party of the first part should pay off said indebtedness then this conveyance to be void else to remain in full force with my hand and seal day and year above written

Allen
P. S. Allen
to
W. Lee

P. S. Allen
The State of Alabama }
Shelby County } an acting Justice of
the Peace in and for said County do certify that P. S. Allen 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 executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date Witness my hand March 7th AD 1859

Filed for Record March 14th & Recorded S. Merideth
March 15th 1859
J. H. McClanahan Justice of the Peace
Judge at Probate