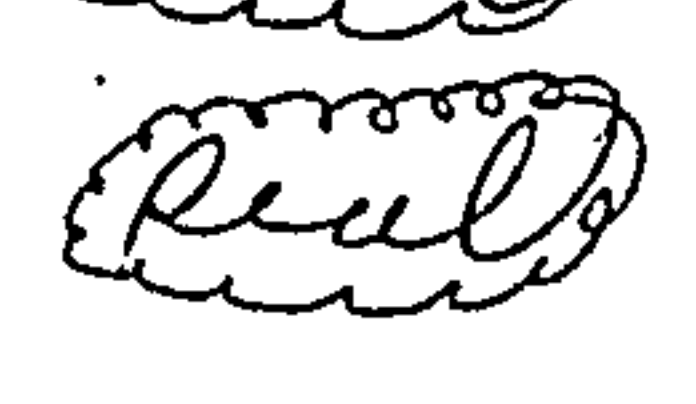


This Indenture made and entered into this the 14th day of November 1859 by and between William P Lewis and his wife Margaret L Lewis of the first part, and William Garner of the second part all of Shelby County Alabama. Witnesseth that the said party of the first part for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged doth hereby grant bargain sell and convey unto the said party of the second part and to his heirs and assigns forever the following property (to wit) the NW¹/₄ of the SE¹/₄ and the NE¹/₄ of the NW¹/₄ and the East half of the NW¹/₄ of Sec 8. Township 23. Range 13 East, containing one hundred and fifty acres more or less together with the following personal property one Gray Mare about five years old and seven head of Stock Cattle to have and to hold the above described Real and personal property to have and to hold the same unto the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever.

Now whereas the said party of the second part at the request and for the benefit of the said party of the second part did heretofore become the security of the said Wm P Lewis on the following notes to wit, on two notes for fifty dollars each payable to Noah Wallace & due on the 20th Decr next, and six notes for forty dollars each due 20th Decr 1860 all of which notes bears even date with these presents

Now therefore this Conveyance is intended to secure the said Party of the second part against loss as the security of the said Party of the first part. Nevertheless the said party of the first part is to retain the possession of all the property herein conveyed, and upon the payment of the two first named notes in this Conveyance then the Gray Mare is hereby conveyed is to be released

Now if the said party of the first part shall pay off all of said notes at or before the time they fall due then this deed shall become void, but in case he fails to pay as the notes fall due then the said party of the second part shall or may seize and sell all the property herein conveyed, after giving thirty days notice by advertisement at three or more public places in said County. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hands and seals, this the day and year first above written

W. P. Lewis 
Margaret Lewis 

The State of Alabama }
Shelby County } Before me Jonathan C. Huckabee
a Justice of the Peace in and for said County

Personally Came W P Lewis and Margaret L Lewis
whose names are signed to the foregoing Conveyance
and who are known to me. appeared before me on this
day and acknowledged that after being informed
of the contents of the Conveyance that they Executed
the same Voluntarily. Given under my hand this the
15th of November 1859. *Jonathan C. Huckabee*
Justice of the Peace

Filed for record the 21st day of Nov. 1859. and
Recorded same day of same month

J. M. M. Clauahan
Judge of Probate