The State of Alabama } This Indenture made and entered into
Shelby County } this 19th day of January 1861. between Martha
J. Harrison debtor of the first part, and Benjamin. H. Harrison
Creditor, of the Second part, witnesseth: That whereas the Said parties
of the first part is justly indebted to the party of the Second
part as Administrator of the Estate of Joel. T. Harrison deceased
in the Sum of fifteen hundred & forty three 05/100 dollars due
by promissory note made by Said Martha. J. Harrison on the 13th
December 1858. And payable on the 25th day of December
1859; and the Said party of the first being desirous to Secure
the payment of Said indebtedness; for and in Consideration
thereof, and for the further Consideration of the Sum of One
dollar to the Said party of the 1st part in hand paid by the
Said party of the Second part, the receipt whereof is hereby
Acknowledged, the Said party of the first part has sold, And
hereby Sells And Conveys unto the Said parties of the Second
part, the following described property to wit, A negro woman and
Slave named Henrietta about eighteen years old & her boy
Child named Dave about fifteen months old To have and to

Hold to in trust, as follows. It is hereby agreed that the said party of the first part is to have and retain possession of said property until the 25th day of December 1861. and if the said party of the first part shall fully pay to the said party of the second part, said debt, with interest thereon, and the reasonable expenses hereof by said 25th day of December 1861, then this Indenture to be null and void, But upon default of such payment the said party of the second part is hereby authorized to take into possession and sell said property to the highest bidder for cash. After giving twenty days notice of the time and place of said ~~place~~ sale by advertisement posted up at three or public places and out of the proceeds of said sale retain the said sum of fifteen hundred & forty three 05/100 dollars. and interest thereon. and the reasonable costs hereof. and the ballance if any pay to the said party of the first part. Given under our hands and seals this day & year above written

Attest James H. Page
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Martha. I. Harrison LS

The State of Alabama } I Willis H. Pope Clerk of the Circuit Court
Shelby County } for said County, hereby Certify that James H. Page a subscribing witness to the foregoing Conveyance, known to me, appeared before me on this day and being sworn states that Martha. I. Harrison the Grantor in the Conveyance voluntarily executed the same in his presence & in the presence of the other subscribing witness on the day the same bears date. That he attested the same in the presence of the Grantor & of the other witness & that such other witness subscribed his name as a witness in his presence. Given under my hand this 19th day of January AD 1861.

Willis H. Pope Clerk

Filed & Recorded 19th Jany AD 1861. J. M. M. C Judge of Prs.