The State of Alabama
Shelby County } Whereas Elizah Blackaby
in the State of Alabama as party indebted unto
B A Lester of the same place in the sum of
forty Six Dollars and ninety Eight Cents by
promissory note bearing date with true
presents payable to the said B A Lester
or his order and due the 25 day of Dec
1868 and whereas the said Elizah Blackaby
is desirous of securing the said debt I the
said Elizah Blackaby do hereby bargain
and sell unto the said B A Lester the
following personal property to wit:
One Cow and two Yearlings and two
feather beds & bedding in trust to have

and to hold the Same in trust however if the said Sum of money or any part is due and unpaid on the 25th of Decr 1868 the said B A Sistr to have the privilege of advertising said property at three public places in the precinct giving twenty days notice of the time and place of Sale Sell the Same or so much thereof as will satisfy said debt and the expenses of this trust and the Remainder if any pay to the said E Blackaly but if the said Blackaly shall pay the debt and Expenses the said B A Sistr is to Reconvey unto the said Blackaly the title of said property

This mortage satisfied in full
B A Sistr

Witness Whereof I the said E Blackaly have hereunto set my hand and the 10 day of December 1868

test W R Kirkrick

Eliza his mark Blackaly Seal

The State of Alabama } I James Baxly a Justice
Shelby County } of the Peace in and for said County hereby certify that Eliza Blackaly whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance and who is known to me acknowledged before me that being informed of the contents of the conveyance he executed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date

Given under my hand this the 10th day of December 1867.

James Baxly J. P.

Filed for Record December 10th 1867 Recorded April 11 1868

I certify that it so cents North Revenue Stamps on it

W B Harris
Judge Probate