E. G. Walker
To
B. B. Lewis

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The State of Alabama } This Indenture made this 24th
Shelby County } day of May A.D. 1869 between
Elias Walker of the one part and B. B. Lewis of the other part
Witnesseth; Whereas the Said Walker is justly indebted to the
Said Lewis in the Sum of thirty one dollars as Evidenced
by a Certain promissary Note bearing Even date with these
presents & payable on 1st day of December next with interest from
date and the Said Walker being desirous to secure the pay-
ment of Said debt to the Said Lewis the Same being a land
debt — Now in Consideration of the premises I the Said
Walker have bargained and Sold unto the Said Lewis and
by these presents do grant bargain & Sell unto the Said
Lewis all my present Growing Crop of Cotton now planted
on the place where I now reside the title of the Same passing
hereby as if the Cotton was now picked, baled & weighed unto the
Said Lewis by these presents. And the Said Walker binds himself
to cultivate gather and haul Said cotton to the gin house
of Isaac Johnson in Said County —
Upon the following Conditions to wit: If the Said
Walker Shall fully pay Said debt at its maturity then
these presents Shall be Null & void, but if the Said debt
is not wholly paid at maturity then Said Lewis is hereby
empowered to enter upon the premises of the Said Walker
and take possession of Said Cotton and Sell the
Same to the highest bidder for Cash in the town of
Montevallo after giving ten days notice of the time
& place of Sale by posting notice at two public places in
Said County. And to apply the proceeds of Said Sale as
follows; 1st to the expenses of this trust. 2nd to the debt
herein secured and the remainder if any to pay over
to the Said Walker —
Witness my hand & Seal this day & year above written
(Revenue Stamp twenty-five cents) Elias G. his x mark Walker
R. D. Harris attest,

The State of Alabama } I James T. Lecher Judge of Pro-
Shelby County } bate for Said County hereby
Certify that R. D. Harris a Subscribing witness to the foregoing
Conveyance known to me appeared before me this day and
being sworn stated that Elias G. Walker the grantor in the
Conveyance Voluntarily executed the Same in his presence on
the day the Same bears date that he attested the Same in the pre-
sence of the grantor — Given under my hand this 19th day of August 1869
James T. Lecher Judge of Pro.

Filed in my office for Record & Recorded August 19th A.D. 1869
James T. Lecher
Judge of Pro.