C. E. Hale
To
H R Lyman

The State of Alabama }
Shelby County } This Indenture made and entered into this 8th day of January 1872 between C. E. Hale debtor of the first part, and H R Lyman Creditor of the 2nd part witnesseth: That whereas the said party of the first part is justly indebted to the party of the 2nd part in the sum of Sixty dollars, due by Book Acc for Supplies for the current year and the said party of 1st part 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 2nd part, receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said party of the 1st

part has sold, and hereby sells & conveys to the said party of the 2nd part, the following described property, to wit; One crop of cotton to be planted and grown the present year on the plantation belonging to Jasper A Goodson in Shelby County Ala, also one Cotton Burr Mill to have and to hold in trust, as follows It is hereby agreed that the said party of the 1st part is to have & retain possession of the said property until the first day of November 1872 and if the said party of the 1st part shall fully pay to the said party of the 2nd part said debt with interest thereon, and reasonable expenses hereof, by said first day of November 1872 then this indenture is to be null & 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 Ten days notice of the time & place of said sale by posting at three public places, and out of the proceeds of said sale retain the sum of Sixty dollars & interest thereon, & the reasonable costs hereof, and the balance, if any pay to the said party of the first part,

Signed Sealed & delivered this 8th day of Jany,

C. E. Hale (Seal)

The State of Alabama
Shelby County } I Jno M. Storey N.P. & J.P. & officio for said county, hereby certify that Charles E. Hale whose name is signed to the foregoing conveyance & who is known to me, acknowledged before me on this day, that being informed of the contents of the conveyance he executed the same voluntarily, on the day the same bears date.

Witness my hand this 8th day of Jany 1872

Jno M Storey N.P. & J.P. & officio

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