Armstrong J. To T. B. Miller

The State of Alabama } This indenture made
Shelby County } and entered into this
14th day of April 1873 between
Jackson Armstrong of the first part, and T. B. Miller of the second part, all of the County and State aforesaid, Whereas the party of the first part is justly indebted to the second part in the sum of Thirty three 75/100 Dollars due the first day of Nov next for advances to make a Crop for the present year, that the same was obtained by the party of the first part bona fide for the purpose of making a Crop for the present year, and without such advances it would not be in the power of the party of the first part ~~to make a crop~~, to procure the necessary means to make the Crop, Now therefore to secure the payment of the said advances, amounting to thirty three 75/100 Dollars I hereby give a lien on all my Corn and Cotton Crop that I may ~~raise~~ make or produce the present year, also a lien on a Gray mare & Colt, the mare is called Dolly Now if the party of the first part fails to pay to the party of the second part, the above named sum on or before the first day of Nov, next it shall be lawful for the said party of the second part to take charge of said Crop and sell the same for cash, giving ten days

The debt secured by this mortgage is satisfied & this mortgage is discharged April 14-1875
T. B. Miller

notice of the time and place, by posting in three public places, in the precinct, and selling the same when he may think best, and applying the procuds of to the payment of said debt, and necessary Expenses, the balance of the procuds of said Sold after paying said debt and Expenses, if any to be paid to the party of the first part,

Given under my hand and seal this the day and year above written,

Henry J. Armstrong (Seal)

State of Alabama }
Shelby County } I G. C. Bain, an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said County hereby certify that Jackson Armstrong whose name is signed to the foregoing Conveyance, 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,

Given under my hand this the 14th day of April 1873

G. C. Bain
Justice of the Peace,

Filed for Record May 22d 1873, and Recorded May 26th 1873,

J. T. Lupo
Judge of Probate,