

Champion J. E. To the State of Alabama, & This Indenture made
in Shelley County, I and entered into this
H. R. Lyman 1st day of May 1873 between
James E. Champion debtor, of the first part
and H. R. Lyman Creditor of the second part
witnesseth: That whereas the said party of
the first part is fully indebted to the said
party of the second part in the sum of Forty
Dollars, and by account for supplies the cur-
rent year and payable on or before the 1st day
of October 1873! And the said party of
the first 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 first 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 to the party of the
 second part the following described proper-
 ty to wit: My Entire Crop of Canned and
 Corn planted and grown by me the past
 year on the farm belonging to Thomas
 Findham in Shelby County, Ala.
 to have and to hold in trust as follows:
 It is hereby agreed that the said party of
 the first part is to have and retain posses-
 sion of the said property until the 1st day
 of November 1873, and if the said party of
 the first part shall fully pay to the said
 party of the second part the said debt
 with interest thereon and the reasonable
 costs hereof by said 1st day of October 1873
 then this indenture is to be null and void,
 But upon default of such payment the
 said party of the first part is hereby author-
 ized to take possession of said property and
 sell the same to the highest bidder for cash
 after giving ten days notice of the time and
 place of said sale by posting written no-
 tices in three public places, and out of the
 proceeds of said sale retain the sum of
 Forty Dollars and interest thereon and
 the reasonable Costs hereof, and the balance
 if any pay to the said party of the first part.

James E. Champion

The State of Alabama }
 Shelby County } I R. D. Harris an
 acting Justice of the
 Peace for said County hereby certify that
 James E. Champion whose name is sign-
 ed to the foregoing Conveyance, and 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 above
 last done.

Witness my hand this 1st day of May 1873,

R. D. Harris

J. P.

Filed for Record in my office June
 2^d 1873 and Recorded June 10^a 1873,
 J. T. Luper
 Judge of Probate,