Pope Robert
To
Duran & Nelson

The State of Alabama } This indenture made
Shelby County } and entered into this 24th
day of Jany 1874 between
Robert Pope, debtor of the first part, and J. H.
Duran Creditor of the second part
Witnesseth: That whereas the said party
of the first part is justly indebted to the
said party of the second part in the
sum of Sixty dollars, due by note for
a mule and payable on or before the
first day of November 1874: 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
1st part in hand paid, by the said
party of the second part, receipt whereof
is hereby acknowledged, the said party
of the first part has sold, and hereby
sells and conveys to the said party of
the second part the following described

property to wit: all the crop Corn and Cotton, to be raised, by me or my family in the year 1874, also one black mare mule, twelve or more years old. One Cow and calf. Cow red muley. Calf spotted muley, to have and to hold in trust as follows: It is here by agreed, that the said party of the first part is to have and retain possession of the said property until the first day of November 1874, And if the said party of the first part shall fully pay said debt, with interest thereon and the reasonable expenses hereof, by said first day of November 1874, then this indenture is to be null and void, But upon default of such payment, the said party of the first 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 and place of said sale, by posting at three public places, and out of the proceeds of said sale retain the sum of Sixty Dollars and interest thereon, and the reasonable costs hereof, and the balance if any pay to the said party of the first part.

Signed sealed & delivered
this 24th day of January 1874
J. T. Leeper

Robert his + mark Pope (Seal)

The State of Alabama
Shelby County

I James T. Leeper, Judge of Probate, in and for said County, hereby certify that Robert Pope whose name is signed 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 the same bears date.

Witness my hand this 24th day of January 1874

J. T. Leeper
Judge of Probate,

Filed for Record ~~Jany~~ 24th Feby 12th 1874 and Recorded Feby 20th 1874,

J. T. Leeper
Judge of Probate,