Weldon Wm
To
C. C. Harless

The State of Alabama
Shelby County

This indenture made and entered into this 28th day of March 1874, between William Weldon debtor of the first part, and C. C. Harless Creditor of the 2d part in the sum of fifty Six and 10 cts, Dollars, due by note 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 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; One bay horse about four years old, one bay mare Colt, 2 years old, also the Crop raised by him in the year 1874, to have and ~~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 possession of the said property until the first day of November 1874, and if the said party of the first part shall fully pay to the said party of the second part said debt, with interest thereon from the 24th day of December 1873, and reasonable costs hereof, ~~and the balance of any pay to the said party of~~ 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 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 and place of sale by publication in a newspaper if one is published in said County or by posting at three public places and out of the proceeds of said sale retain the sum of fifty Six 10 cts, Dollars and in trust thereon and reasonable costs hereof, and the balance if any pay

pay to the said party of the first part,
Wm Welden (Seal)

The State of Alabama } James L. Vandiver an
Shelby County } acting Justice of the Peace for said County hereby certify that Wm Welden 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 28 day of March 1874,
James L. Vandiver
Justice of the Peace,

Filed for Record March 30th 1874, and Recorded May 19th 1874. James T. Tuper
Judge of Probate.