Atkinson Wm
to
P. H. Earle

The State of Alabama } This indenture
Jefferson County } entered into between
} William Atkinson
of the first part, and Paul H. Earle of the second part. Witnesseth: That the said party of the second part agrees to advance supplies during the year to the said said party of the first part, not to Exceed in amount Forty Dollars.
The said supplies advanced, and those agreed to be advanced, are obtained to enable the party of the first part to make a crop, and without said advances the said party of the first part could not procure the necessary team and supplies to make a crop in the present year. Now therefore, in order to secure the payment of said sums of money, the said party of the first part has this day bargained, sold and conveyed unto the party of the second part the following personal property to wit: a certain Sorrel mare mule about eight years old,
Also all of the interest of the party of the first part in the crop of Cotton + Corn planted or that may be planted grown or raised by the said party of the first part, his employees and tenants, during the present year in Shelby County Ala. To hold and to hold forever, on conditions of trust as follows:
If the the said party of the first part shall on or before the 25th day of December next pay off as much of the said sum of Forty Dollars as may have been advanced, and the cost of this deed, this instrument is to be void.
But if the said party of the first part should fail to pay off the said sums of money at or by the time as above stated or should attempt to sell any of the said property, or move the same from the limits of Shelby County it shall be lawful for the said party of the second part to take said property into custody, and after giving ten days notice by writ ten notices posted in two public places in said County of the time, place and terms of said sale, to sell the same for cash, and from the proceeds of said sale pay off as much of the

said sum of Forty dollars as may be justly owing, together with the cost of this deed. The balance if any shall be paid to the party of the first part.

This the 15th day of May 1874.

Witness
J. W. Browne
J. M. Smith

William Atkinson (Seal)

Filed for Record July 10th 1874, &
Recorded July 27th 1874.

James T. Leiper
Judge of Probate.