McLeod Wesley
To
J. E. Deusler & Co.
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State of Alabama } Know all men that the undersigned
Shelby County } J. Wesley McLeod has this day executed
a note to J. E. Deusler & Co. for the sum of Fifty dollars due
the 1st day of March 1877 bearing even date with this
Deed which was given for advances in necessary pro-
visions Horses mules farming implements and in

money to purchase the same obtained by me from them bona fide for the purpose of making a crop and that without such advances it would not be in my power to procure the necessary teams provisions and farming utensils to make a crop. And I also hereby declare that said advances or the amount thereof shall be a lien on my crops grown the present year in said County to make which they are procured and on the Stock furnished or which I may buy with the money so advanced in accordance with the Statute of the Revised Code of the State of Alabama Now to further secure the punctual payment of the above described note with all further advances that may from time to time be made to me and to secure the payment of Commissions of 2½ per cent on the proceeds of 2 bales of 500 pounds lint cotton each for — And also for the further consideration of One dollar to me in hand paid, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged I have bargained Sold and Conveyed and by these presents do bargain Sell and Convey unto the said J. E. Deusler & Co. all my Crop of Corn and Cotton to be grown this year in said County Also One Sorel Mare named Rose To have and to hold the same to the said J. E. Deusler & Co their heirs and assigns forever. The Conditions of the above obligation are: That I to deliver all my Cotton Crop to be grown the present year to J. E. Deusler & Co. in Wilsonville as fast as the Same Can be prepared for market to be sold by them and the proceeds applied to the payment of this Mortgage and if the said Note and all other liabilities which may have accrued on the Same are paid by the 1st day of November 1877 then this deed to be null and void. But if the above note and all other liabilities accruing thereon are not paid by the Said 1st day of November 1877 then in that event the said J. E. Deusler & Co. agent or Attorney shall hereby be fully authorized and empowered to take any of the above described property or any other effects of mine wherever found into possession, and Sell the same, whether in possession or not at a private or public Sale, for Cash and pay off said Note and all other liabilities together with all Costs that may in any way accrue in Selling said property and foreclosing this Mortgage I hereby affirm that there is no other lien or Mortgage on said property and that

Subscribed & sworn to before me this 6 day of Dec 1877
J. E. Deusler

I will interpose no interference to its delivery and sale.
Given under our hands and seals this 23 day of Jany 1877
Witness D. Edwards. Wesley his x mark McLeod (Seal)
The State of Alabama }
County } I, David Edwards an acting Justice of the Peace hereby certify that Wesley McLeod 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
Given under my hand this 23 day of January AD 1877
David Edwards J. P.
Filed for Record Feby 1st 1877. & Recorded March 6th 1877
J. T. Leeper Judge of Probate