R. P. Poe
To
Wm Abercrombie

The State of Alabama } Whereas R. P. Poe justly indebted to
Shelby County } Wm Abercrombie by Promissory
note, given Jan. 22 and due November 1st 1877 for the
sum of five dollars; and whereas, I have received from
Wm Abercrombie advances in supplies of meat, corn, farm-
ing implements and merchandise, amounting to five
dollars, to enable me to make a crop for the year 1877,
which I obtained from him "bona fide" for the purpose of
making a crop and without such advances it
would not be in my power to procure the necessary team,
provisions and farming implements with which to make
said crop; and whereas he has agreed to make further
advances to me for the purpose aforesaid, not to exceed
sixty dollars,
Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises, and to secure
the said Wm Abercrombie payment for the advances and
the note above mentioned, and the further sum of one dol-
lar, paid me by said Wm Abercrombie hereby give to the
said Wm Abercrombie Statutory lien on entire crop of
corn and cotton to be raised on the plantation one
mile one place as provided for by section 1868 of the
Revised Code of Alabama; and to further secure the

payment of the above note and said advances I hereby bargain, sell and convey unto the said Wm Abercrombie his heirs and assigns forever, the following discribed property, to-wit one claybank horse 9 years old

Now, if the said note and sums advanced, and to be advanced are paid up on or before 1st of next November 1877 then this conveyance to be void and of no effect; but if I should fail to pay off the said sums of money at the time and in the manner aforesaid, or should sell, or attempt to sell the said property, or any part thereof or move the same from the limits of the county then the said Wm Abercrombie shall be authorized by these presents to take said crops and property into possession and sell the same to the highest bidder for cash after first giving five days notice, by posting, at two public places in said County of time and place of sale, and with the proceeds of said sale, pay off said note and sums advanced, with interest accrued thereon and the expenses attending said sale, and the said Wm Abercrombie may lawfully authorize any other person in writing, to take possession of said crops and property and to sell the same as aforesaid, After paying off said notes and advances, expenses, etc., if there is any balance it is to be paid to the undersigned.

In Testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal, on this the 22 day of January 1877

Attest W E Robison — R P his x mark Pope (L S)

J M Scott

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James T Leeper
Judge of Probate