James M Hayle
To
Duman & Nelson

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The State of Alabama } Know all men by these
Shelby County } Presents, That for and in consideration of my indebtedness to Duman & Nelson in the sum of Thirty Dollars, due by note for supplies bearing date, Feb 15th 1878 and payable Nov 1st 1878, now to secure the punctual payment of said indebtedness I do hereby sell and convey to said Duman & Nelson the following goods and chattles, to wit: all the crop of corn and cotton to be Raised by me in the year 1878 also one Bay horse about seven years old with white ~~spotted~~ spots on him. warranted free from incumbrance and against any adverse claims, upon condition, however, That if I pay said note to said Duman and Nelson or assigns, with interest, This deed to be void; but if I fail to pay said note in whole or in part at maturity then said Duman & Nelson agents or assigns are authorized to take possession of said property, and after giving ten days notice by posting at three public places in said County, to sell the same at the Court house, to the highest bidder, for cash, and the proceeds to devote to the paying, 1st, The expenses of advertising and selling, and 2nd, the amount, with interest, that may be due on said note and the surplus, if any, to be turned over to the undersigned. In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal on this, the 15th day of Feb 1878
Attest: J T Leper } J M Hayle (Seal)

The State of Alabama } I James T Leper Judge of
Shelby County } Probate for said County
hereby certify that James M Hayes 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 15th day of February 1878.
J T Leper Judge of Probate

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J T Leper Judge of Probate