Hood Robert
To
Jno T Evans

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The State of Alabama } Whereas, I am justly indebted to John
Shelby County } T Evans by promissory note, given
This February 15th and due the 1st day of November ~~st~~
next, for the sum of Forty five dollars; and Whereas, I
have received from J T Evans in advances in supplies
of meat, corn farming implements and merchandise,
amounting to the sum of forty five dollars, to enable
me to make a crop for the year 1878, which I have ob-
tained 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 teams, provisions, and
farming implements with which to make said crop;
and whereas I have agreed to make further advances to
J. T Evans for the purpose aforesaid, not to exceed Forty
five dollars, Now, therefore in consideration of the
premises, and to secure the said John T Evans payment
for the advances and note above mentioned, and the
further sum of one dollar, paid by said Evans, hereby
give to the said John T Evans statutory lien on entire
crop of cotton to be raised on my farm in the year
1878, I hereby waive my right as provided for by
section 1858 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 John T Evans heirs and assigns forever, the following
described property, to wit; Two white cows & calves.
Now, if the said note and sums advanced, and to
be advanced are paid up on or before November 1st 1878,
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 John T Evans 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 posters, 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 John T Evans may lawfully au-
thorize any other person in writing, to take possession

Satisfied in full and discharged
This January 31/1879
John T Evans

of said crops and property and to sell the same as aforesaid, After paying off said notes and advances, expenses &c if there is any balance it is to be paid to the undersigned
Testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seul, on this the 15th day of February 1878
Attest: C. A. Evans

Robert his x mark Hood (LS)

Filed and Recorded March 16th 1878
J. T. Luper Judge of Probate