Johnson R. F.
To
Isaac W Johnson

The State of Alabama, Shelby County } Whereas, I am justly indebted to I. W. Johnson by promissory note given March 30th 1878 and due November 1st. for the sum of $175 00 One hundred and seventy five dollars, and Whereas I have received from I. W Johnson advances in supplies of meat, corn, farming tools and merchandise, amounting to $175 00 dollars, to enable me to make a crop during the year 1878, 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 $175.00 dollars. Now, therefore, in consideration of the premises and to secure the said I. W. Johnson payment for the advances, and the note above mentioned, I hereby give to the said I W Johnson the Statutory lien on my entire crop of cotton and corn to be raised in Shelby County, Alabama, during the year 1878, as provided for by Section 1858 of the Revised Code of Alabama, and for the payment for said advances, including note, I hereby agree to waive all right or claim to personal property exemption secured to me under the constitution and laws of the State of Alabama, And in order to better secure payment for said advances including note, I hereby bargain, sell and convey unto I W Johnson his and assigns forever, the following described property to wit: One Brown Mule.

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, or if said property should be levied upon or taken possession of by any other person, then the said I W Johnson 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 I W Johnson 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 note and advances, expenses, &c, 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 30th day of March 1878.

Attest: Henry Wilson — R F Johnson (L S)

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J T Leeper Judge of Probate

Satisfied & cancelled
I W Johnson