Honeycutt Tayler
To
Ehrman & Knoll

The State of Alabama } Whereas, I am justly indebted to
— County } Ehrman & Knoll by promissory note,
given this the 9th of Feb 1878, and due by the first of
Novt 1878 for the sum of Fifty dollars; and Whereas
I have received from Ehrman & Knoll advances
in supplies of meat, corn farming implements and
merchandise, amounting to fifty dollars to enable
me to make a crop for the year 1878, which I
obtained from them "bona fide" for the pur-
pose of making a crop, and without such

advances it would not lie in my power to procure the necessary team, provisions, and farming imple-ments with which to make said crop; and whereas, we have agreed to make further advances to them for the purpose aforesaid, not to exceed — dollars, Now therefore in consideration of the premises, and to secure the said — payment for the advances and note above mentioned, and the further sum of one dollar, paid by said Ehrman & Strauss hereby give to the said Ehrman & Strauss statutory lien on entire crop of corn and cotton to be raised on my farm in Shelby County as provided for by Section 1880-8 of the Revised Code of Alabama, and to further secure the payment of the above note and said advances, hereby bargain, sell and convey unto the said Ehrman & Strauss heirs and assigns forever, the following described property, to wit: One Sorrel Mare,

Now if the said note and sums advanced, and to be advanced are paid up on or before the 1st day of Novb 1878, then this conveyance to be void and of no effect; but if Tayler Honeycutt 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 Ehrman & Strauss 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 Ehrman & Strauss 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 & advances, &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 8th day of February 1878.

Attest: Frank McConaughy } Tayler his + mark Honeycutt (L S)

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