Armstrong W.A.) State of Alabama } This indenture is to certify that
To Shelby County } I. N. A. Armstrong am indebted to
S.H. Byram) S. H. Byram in the sum of Fifty Eight dollars
and fifty cents, due and payable on the first
October next and I am desirous to secure the
punctual payment of said debt, I this day
bargain sell and convey to S. H. Byram all of my
growing crop of corn and cotton after rents
are paid, and one milk cow and calf, cow
yellow and white with specks 8 years old
one bay Horse 8 years old to have and to
hold in trust. It is agreed that I am to have
and retain possession of said property until the
first October next and if I pay said debt by
first October this agreement is void, but if
I fail to pay said debt by first October then S. H.
Byram is authorized to take possession of said

property and sell for cash to the highest bidder at public sale, first giving ten days notice of place, time and terms of said sale, by posting at three different places written notices, and out of the proceeds of said sale, retain fifty Eight dollars and fifty cents together with interest and costs and the balance if any paid to me, - Signed in presence of M E Waldrop this 14th day of May 1878.

N. A. Armstrong (L.S.)
his
mark

Alabama } I. A. B. Waldrop acting Justice
Shelby County } of the peace in said county certify that N. A. Armstrong signed the foregoing agreement and is known to me, and acknowledged after being informed of the contents of this agreement, signed the same voluntarily on the day the same bears date.
This 14th day of May 1878. A. B. Waldrop J. P.
Filed for Record May 20th 1878 and Recorded May 29th 1878. J T Leeper Judge of Probate