Champion Elizabeth) The State of Alabama, On or before first day of October
To Shelby County } 1879, I promise to pay to the order
H. Fox of Herman Fox Twenty five dollars, for value re=
ceived. The right of exemption under the laws of Ala=
P bama is hereby waived as provided for in Section 7
Article 10 in the Constitution of the State of Ala=
bama.
Elizabeth her × mark Champion
The consideration of this obligation is an advancement
made by said H. Fox, of money and provisions to
the above amount "bona fide" for the purpose of making
a crop the year 1879, and without which it would not
be in my power to procure the requirements to
make such crop, and I hereby declare the aforesaid
advances or the amount thereof shall constitute a
lien on my crop grown on my plantation in Shelby
County Alabama this year, in accordance with the Act
approved January 15th 1866: and to further secure the
payment of the aforesaid obligation according to
the tenor and effect thereof I hereby also bargain
sell and convey to the said H Fox or agent or assign
the following described personal property, to wit: One
milch cow, two heifers and my plantation in Shelby
County, for the sum of Twenty five dollars, which amount
has been paid to me and for which receipt is herewith given
In default of payment at maturity of the aforesaid
obligation, the said H Fox or agent or assign is hereby
authorized to take said property into his possession,
sell the same as he may deem best, and apply the pro=
ceeds thereof to the payment of this obligation and
expenses incident to the execution of this trust: upo=
on this condition nevertheless, if said obligation is
paid at maturity this conveyance is null and void.
And it is further agreed if the said H Fox shall
advance to the said H Fox during the present year
any money or provisions over and above the amount
of said note, this instrument shall also stand as se=
curity for the same as fully as if included in said
note. And the said Elizabeth Champion hereby de=
clare that the above conveyed property is his own,
and that there is no lien or incumbrance on the
same. In further consideration of the premises, I
hereby also declare that there will be no outside crops

on my place, owned by my daughter, or any one whatsoever, but that this instrument is to constitute a lien on the entire crop raised on place this year,
Witness my signature this 12 day of December 1878,
Attest: Joe MacPherson } Elizabeth her x mark Champion
B Boxhorn }

The State of Alabama } I R D Harris Justice of the Peace in and for
Shelby County } said County hereby certify that B Boxhorn a subscribing witness to the foregoing conveyance, known to me, appeared before me on this day, and being sworn stated that Elizabeth Champion the grantor in the conveyance voluntarily executed the same in his presence and in the presence of the other subscribing witness on the day the same bears date; — that he attested the same in the presence of the grantor and of the other subscribing witness, and that such other witness subscribed his name as witness in his presence;
Given under my hand this 2 day of January 1879.
R D Harris J.P.

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