

before the undersigned Clerk of the Chamoy Court of said county, Rachel Johnson who acknowledged that she executed signed sealed and delivered the above Deed on the day and year aforesaid and for the purposes therein mentioned as her act and deed given under my hand and seal of office, at Chamoy this 19th day of March A.D. 1873.

Seal

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C. S. Jeffrey Clerk

J. W. Durfey
and R. M. Burton
1873 Deed of Trust
R. M. Burton Trustee

Filed to Record this 19th day of
March 1873 at 12 o'clock m.
Recorded April 10th / 873.

C. S. Jeffrey Clerk.

I now all men by these Presents,

That this indenture made and entered into this 19th day of March A.D. 1873 by and between J. W. Durfey & R. M. Durfey of the first party. R. M. Burton of the second party. Trustee and J. W. Walker and A. H. Stanford comprising the firm of Walker & Stanford of the third party is to witness that for and in consideration of the sum of ten dollars this day paid said first by said second party said first party do by these presents bargain sell alien and convey and deliver unto said second party the following described property real and personal lying and being in the county of Madison and state of Mississippi and more fully set forth as follows viz One Black Mare Mule aged about seven years Two Black horse Mules aged about Four years One Small Horse Mule aged about seven years One Black Horse aged about seven years One Mocise Col'd Mare Mule aged about seven years One Four Horse Wagon, also all the crop of cotton corn and all other produce raised or grown by said first party anywhere during the year A.D. 1873 to have and to hold the same unto him (the said second party) and his heirs and assigns forever to gather with all the lernements appurtenances and hereditaments theron to belonging; But in trust and upon the following conditions and none other: Whereas the said first party is indebted to the said third parties in the sum of six hundred dollars and cents for money supplied his goods wares and merchandise heretofore advanced and to be advanced to J. W. Durfey & R. M. Durfey during the year A.D. 1873 now if on the 1st day of November next said first party shall and truly pay to said third parties all that is due them of said indebtedness then this deed to be null and void, but if when said day shall arrive said first party shall not have paid said third parties what is due them then said second party for in the event of his death or failure or neglect from any other cause to act then any one

whome the said third parties or either of them shall request to act, shall take said personal property into possession where ever found and shall advertise the sale of it and said lands by posting a written notice on the County house door of Madison County five days before the day of sale, and when said day shall have arrived shall sell said property to the highest bidder for cash at public outcry before said County house door and from the proceeds shall pay the amount of money due said third party and the commission of the trustee for making sale and the remaining money shall pay over to said first party, it being agreed further between the parties hereto that said property may remain in the possession of said first party until the day for the payment of the amount due said third parties. It is further understood and agreed that said first parties hereby transfer assign and set over unto said third parties all the rights which they have as laborer against the employer for wages and work done in the crop and as employer against laborer for supplies said third parties to have all liens and rights to enforce the same in any manner legal or equitable which any and all of said first parties have against each other or any other person. And to the end that this deed may evidence a contract within the meaning and provisions of an Act of the Legislature of Mississippi entitled "An Act for the encouragement of Agriculture" approved February 18th, 1867. it is further to witness that the indebtedness above mentioned is for plantation supplies for the year A.D. 1873 to enable said S.W. Durfey & R.W. Durfey to operate and carry on their plantation or farm in Madison county Mississippi during said year to become due as aforesaid it is agreed that it shall constitute a Prior Lein according to said law upon said crop of cotton, corn and all other produce of said farm. It being the intent of this deed that the said Walker & Stamford shall have all the rights and benefits to be derived from this instrument as a Deed of Trust as well as a contract under the above entitled Law. In testimony whereof said first parties have here to set their hands and seals this the 19th day of March A.D. 1873.

Walker & Stamford
S.W. Durfey
R.W. Durfey

State of Mississippi
County of Madison This day personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County S.W. Durfey and R.W. Durfey who acknowledged that they executed signed sealed and delivered the above Deed on the day and year aforesaid and for the purpose therein mentioned as their act and deed. Given under my hand and seal of office at Corinth this 19th day

of March A.D. 1873

[Signature]

E. S. Jeffrey, Clerk

John L. Howcott } Filed for record this 19th day of
wife Carrie V. Howcott } March A.D. 1873. at 3 o'clock P.M. Recorded
} 703 Mortgage April 11th 1873.
W. H. Howcott

E. S. Jeffrey, Clerk

Mortgage Deed.

This Indenture made this 14th day of March 1873 between John L. and Carrie V. Howcott of the first part and W. H. Howcott of the second part. Witnesses that whereas said parties of the first part indebted to said party of the second part. in the sum of \$3300 plus thirty three hundred dollars. evidenced by one promissory note due on the first day of March 1874. And being desirous to secure the prompt payment of said note with the interest that may accrue thereon said parties of the first part for and in consideration of the premises. have granted bargained and sold. and do hereby grant bargain sell and convey to said W. H. Howcott. all of the following described lands. one house and lot situated in the City of Canton county of Madison and State of Mississippi and more particularly described as follows. commencing at the north west corner of the lot now owned by Mrs Fela V. Jeffries thence north one hundred and thirty feet. thence east three hundred feet. thence south one hundred and thirty feet. thence west three hundred feet to the beginning. To have and to hold the above described lands. with all there improvements to the only use and benefit and behoof of W. H. Howcott the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns forever. And the said parties of the first part for their heirs.

~~executors and administrators~~ covenants with said of the second part his heirs and assigns. that they will forever warrant and defend title to the lands herein conveyed against the claim or claims of all and every person or persons whomsoever. This conveyance is however intended to operate as a mortgage to secure the debt above mentioned. Now should said parties of the first part well and truly pay said note at maturity. then this deed is to be void and of no effect. otherwise to remain in full force and testimony of which said parties of the first part have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals this day and year first above written.

John L. Howcott *[Signature]*
Carrie V. Howcott *[Signature]*

I acknowledge and declare that the premises above described do in fact belong to the parties described above this 13th day of March 1873.

State of Mississippi) Madison County I personally appeared before me E. S. Jeffrey Clerk of the Chancery Court of said County therewith named John C. Howcott and Learie V. Howcott his wife who severally acknowledged that they signed sealed and delivered the foregoing and annexed deed as their own act and deed. And the said Learie V. Howcott upon a private examination by me made separate and apart from her said husband acknowledged that she signed sealed and delivered the same as her own voluntary act and deed, without any fear threats or compulsion of her husband. Given under my hand and seal of said Court this 15th day of March A.D. 1873.

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E. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Steven Andrews } Filed for Record March 19th 1873 at
No 3 Deed of Trust } 12:30 o'clock P.M. Recorded April 11th 1873
J. S. Pool, Trustee } E. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Know all men by these presents that this indenture made and entered into this 19th day of March A.D. 1873 by and between Steven Andrews of the first part. J. S. Pool of the second part - Trustee. and J. Mayson and D. L. Landers, composing the firm of Mayson & Landers of the third part is to witness: That for and in consideration of the sum of ten dollars this day paid said first party by said second party. said first party do. by these presents bargain sell alien and convey and deliver unto said second party the following described property real and personal lying and being in the county of Madison and State of Mississippi and more fully set forth as follows: Viz:
 1 Sorrell Mule. also all the crop of cotton corn, and all other produce raised or grown by said first party anywhere during the year A.D. 1873. to have and to hold the same unto him (the said second party) and his heirs and assigns forever together with all the instruments appurtenances and hereditaments thereto belonging: But in trust and upon the following conditions. and none other: Whereas the said first party is indebted to the said third parties in the sum of One Hundred & Fifty dollars and cents for money supplies goods. wares and merchandise heretofore advanced and to be advanced to Steven Andrews during the year A.D. 1873. now if on the 1st day of Oct. next said first party shall well and truly pay to said third parties all that is due them of said indebtedness then this deed to be null and void but if when said day shall arrive said first party shall not have paid said third parties what is due them then said second party (or in the event of his death or failure or neglect from any other cause to act then any one whom the said third parties or either of them shall request to act) shall take said

personal property into possession where ever found and shall advertise the sale of it and said lands by posting a written notice on the Court House door of Madison County five days before the day of sale and when said day shall have arrived, shall sell said property to the highest bidder for cash at public auction before said Court House door and from the proceeds shall pay the amount of money due said third party and the commissions of the trustee for making sale and the remaining money shall be paid over to said first party it being agreed further between the parties hereto that said property may remain in the possession of said first party until the day for the payment of the amount due said third parties. It is further understood and agreed that said first parties hereby transferring and set over unto said third parties all the rights which they have as laborer against the employer for wages and work done in the crop and as employer against laborer for supplies. said third parties to have all liens and right to enforce the same in any manner legal or equitable which any and all of said first parties have against each other or any other person. And to the end that this deed may evidence a contract within the meaning and provisions of an Act of the Legislature of Mississippi intitled "An Act for the encouragement of Agriculture" approved February 18th 1867 it is further to witness that the indebtedness above mentioned is for plantation supplies for the year A.D. 1873. To enable said Steven Andrews to operate and carry on a plantation or farm in Madison county Mississippi during said year to become due as aforesaid, it is agreed that it shall constitute a Prior debt according to said law upon said crop of cotton corn and all other produce of said farm it being the intent of this deed that the said Mayson & Sanders shall have all rights and benefits to be derived from this instrument as a deed of trust as well as a contract under the above entitled law In testimony whereof said parties have hereunto set their hands and seal this the 19th day of March A.D. 1873

Steven Andrews *Seal*

State of Mississippi
 County of Madison) This day personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said county Steven Andrews who acknowledged that he executed signed sealed and delivered the above Deed on the day and year aforesaid. and for the purposes herein mentioned as his act and deed. Given under my hand and seal of office at Canton this 19th day of March A.D. 1873

Seal

C. J. Jeffrey Clerk

Nelson Love

To Deed of Trust - Filed for Record this 19th day of March
R. M. Burton A.D. 1873. at 3.15 o'clock P.M. Recorded April
Trustee. 11th 1873 S. S. Jeffreys Clerk.

I know all men by these Presents. That this indenture made and entered into this 18th day of March A.D. 1873, by and between Nelson Love & me of the first party R. M. Burton of the second party - Trustee. and G. M. Walker and A. W. Stamford, composing the firm of Walker & Stamford of the third party is to witness: That for and in consideration of the sum of ten dollars this day paid said first by said second party said first party do by these presents bargain sell alien and convey and deliver unto said second party the following described property real and personal lying and being in the county of Madison and State of Mississippi and more fully set forth as follows: To: also all the crop cotton corn and all other produce raised or grown by said first party anywhere during the year A.D. 1873. to have and to hold the same unto him (the said second party) and his heirs and assigns forever together with all the tenements appurtenances and hereditaments thereto belonging: But in trust and upon the following conditions and none other. Whereas the said first party is indebted to the said third parties in the sum of Fifty dollars and cents for money supplies goods wares and merchandise heretofore advanced and to be advanced to Nelson Love & me. during the year A.D. 1873. now if on the first day of November next said first party shall well and truly pay to said third parties all that is due them of said indebtedness then this deed to be null and void. but if when said day shall arrived said first party shall not have paid said third parties what is due them then said second party (or in the event of his death or failure or neglect from any other cause to act then any one whom the said third parties or either of them shall request to act.) shall take said personal property into possession where ever found and shall advertise the sale of it and said lands by posting a written notice on the Court House door of Madison County five days before the day of sale. and when said day shall have arrived shall sell said property to the highest bidder for cash at public outcry before said Court House door and from the proceeds shall pay the amount of money due said third party and the commissions of trustee for making sale and the remaining money shall pay over to said first party it being agreed further between the parties hereto that said property may remain in the possession of said first party until the day for the payment of the amount due said third parties. It is further understood and agreed that said first parties here by transfer and set over unto

said third parties all the rights which they have
as laborer against the employer for wages and for work
done in the crop and as employer against laborer for supplies
is said third parties to have all ~~rights~~ and right to enforce
the same in any manner legal or equitable which any and
all of said first parties have against each other or any
other person. And to the end that this deed may evidence
a contract within the meaning and provisions of an Act of the
Legislature of Mississippi entitled An Act for the encou-
agement of Agriculture approved February 18th 1867, it is
further to witness that the indebtedness above mentioned
is for plantation supplies for the year A.D. 1873, to enable
said Nelson Love to operate and carry on his plantation
or farm in Madison county Mississippi during the said
year to become due as aforesaid, it is agreed that it
shall constitute a Priordein according to said law upon
said crop of cotton corn and all other produce of said
farm it being the intent of this deed that the said Walker
& Stanford shall have all the rights and benefits to be
derived from this instrument as a deed of trust as well
as a contract under the above entitled Law. In testimony
whereof said parties have hereunto set their hands and seals
this the 19th day of March A.D. 1873.

Witness

R. M. Brown

Walker & Stanford Esqrs,
C. Nelson Love Esqrs,
mark mark

State of Mississippi

Begynly of Madison } This day personally appeared before
the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery located in said
county Nelson Love who acknowledged that he executed
signed sealed and delivered the above Deed on the
day and year aforesaid and for the purposes therein
mentioned as his act and deed given under my hand
and seal of office at Leanton this 19th day of March
A.D. 1873

Seal

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S. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Wm Brown
Monday Murray
Jared Ward
Eli Johnson
Loy Deed of Trust
J. D. Moore
Loy Transfer
J. Staderkson

} Filed for Record this 20th day of March
A.D. 1873. at 11 o'clock A.M. Recorded
April 11th A.D. 1873 by S. S. Jeffrey Clerk

This Deed made the 13th day of March A.D. 1873
by Wm Brown Eli Johnson Monday Murray & Jared Ward to
J. D. Moore to secure J. D. Moore in the payment of dollars
which the J. D. Moore has promised and agreed to furnish

the said Brown Johnson Murray & Wars to enable the said
 Brown Johnson Murray & Wars to carry on a plantation or farm
 in Madison county during the year A.D. 1873, witnesseth.
 That in consideration of the indebtedness incurred and in
 consideration of the advances to the said Brown Johnson
 Murray & Wars by the said J. D. Moore, this day made in
 provisions and supplies to the amount of dollars and
 in consideration of the advances hereafter to be made by said
 J. D. Moore, to said Brown Johnson Murray & Wars,
 hereby grant bargain sell alien and convey to the said J.
 D. Moore, party of the second part and trustee herein for the
 uses and purposes thus named and herein mentioned, the
 following described property viz: and also whatsoever mule
 horses cattle hogs wagons carts buggies goods and chattels
 that may hereafter be acquired by the said Brown Johnson
 Murray & Wars, and the crop of cotton corn fodder pease
 potatoes and whatever else may be grown by the said
 Brown Johnson Murray & Wars, for their use on any lands during
 the year 1873, or any subsequent year until said inde-
 btedness is discharged. And it is agreed and understood
 between the parties that said indebtedness here incurred
 and to be incurred under this contract shall be due and
 payable on the first day of November A.D. 1873. And if said
 indebtedness shall then not have been discharged fully it
 shall be lawful for the said J. D. Moore or any one he
 or is said Brown Johnson Murray & Wars may appoint to seize
 where ever found and to sue at the door of the Court House
 of Madison County Mississippi at public out-cry to
 the highest bidder for cash after 10 days notice in
 writing posted at the said Court House door any
 or all of said property as may be necessary to ex-
 eute this trust and out of the proceeds to pay said
 money so due to said party at the time of sale and
 the remainder if any to be paid back to said Brown
 Johnson Murray & Wars. Nevertheless the said indebtedness
 is to be discharged in the following manner to which the
 said Brown Johnson Murray & Wars, hereby consent to and
 accept that is to say the said Brown Johnson Murray
 & Wars are to have in payment by the 1st day of November 1873
 such an amount of cotton as will fully pay off said
 indebtedness besides cost of this instrument and in
 case said indebtedness is not paid at maturity then
 the said Brown Johnson Murray & Wars to pay to
 said J. D. Moore 2½ percent on the whole of said inde-
 btedness which is agreed on as liquidated damages
 in case of the non performance of the allegations herein
 And to the end that this Deed may evidence a contract
 within the meaning and provisions of an Act of the Leg-
 islature of Mississippi entitled An Act for the encou-
 ragement of Agriculture approved February 18th 1867 it is

further to witness that the indebtedness above mentioned
is for plantation supplies for the year A.D. 1873 to enable
said Brown Johnson Murray & Wars to operate and carry on
a farm or plantation in Madison county Mississipp during
said year to become due as aforesaid it is agreed that
it shall constitute a prior lien according to said law upon
said crop of cotton corn and all other produce of
said farm - it being the intent of this deed that the said
J. D. Moore shall have all the rights and benefits to be de-
rived from this instrument as a Deed of Trust as well as
a contract under the above entitled law. In witness whereof the
said Brown Johnson Murray & Wars have affixed their names
and seals to this deed this the 15th day of March A.D. 1873
signed sealed and delivered

in presence of

H. D. Latham (Witnesses)
J. P. Tucker

William Brown
Monday Murray
Jared Wars
Eli Johnson

Seal
Seal
Seal
Seal
Seal

State of Mississippi
County of Madison I this day personally appeared before
the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said
county William Brown Monday Murray Jared Wars and
Eli Johnson who acknowledged that they executed signed
sealed and delivered the above Deed on the day
and year aforesaid and for the purposes therein
mentioned as their act and deed. Given under
my hand and seal of office at Canton this 20th day
of March A.D. 1873.

Seal

B. S. Jeffrey Clerk

For value received I herewith transfer all my right-
title & interest in the within named Leons & Deed of Trust
of William Brown Monday Murray Jared Wars and Eli
Johnson to J. D. Stadcker & Son In witness whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and seal this the 15th day
of March A.D. 1873.

J. D. Moore *Seal*

State of Mississippi
County of Madison I this day personally appeared
before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court
of said county J. D. Moore who acknowledged that
he executed signed sealed and delivered the
above Transfer on the day and year aforesaid
and for the purposes therein mentioned as his
act and deed Given under my hand and seal of office
at Canton this 20th day of March A.D. 1873

Seal

B. S. Jeffrey Clerk

J. J. Richards) Filed for Record this 18th day of
 1873 First Deed) March A.D. 1873. at 4 o'clock P.M.
 J. J. Semmes. Recorded April 11th A.D. 1873

This Deed of Trust executed this 11th day of January 1873 by and between J. J. Richards of 1st part. Emily Stewart of the 2nd part and Benedict J. Semmes of the 3rd part. Witnesseth. That for and in consideration of the sum of Two Thousand Three Hundred Dollars, the said Richards sells and assigns transfers and conveys unto the said Semmes the following real estate located in the County of Madison and State of Mississippi South East 1/4 Section 15 Township 9 Range East less 60 acres off of the north end, with all the improvements thereon to have and to hold unto the said Semmes his successor and assigns. And the said Richards covenants that the said land is free and clear of all encumbrances. And that he will warrant and defend the title thereto. And the said Richards also transfers and assigns over to the said Semmes a certain note of Benj Glick for \$1140. of date Jan 1st 1872 and payable one year after date to the order of J. J. Richards. Also a certain Provisioning Note of Tom B. Jones & Thos. Strait for \$2117.50 of date Jan 20th 1873. and payable one year after date to J. J. Richards or order said notes being secure in real estate. The conditions of the above sales and transfers is as follows. That whereas the said Richards is justly indebted to the said Emily Stewart in the sum of Two Thousand Three Hundred dollars, as evidenced by his note of even date herewith & due 12 months thereafter, and is anxious to secure the same. Now therefore if the said Richards shall well and truly pay to the said Emily Stewart the said note, then this obligation to be void. But if not paid at maturity then the said Semmes is hereby authorized to sell said land and notes or as sufficiency thereof, at public sale to the highest bidder for cash before the door of the Court House in Canton after giving 20 days notice by posting before the door of said Court House. And out of the proceeds of sale to pay 1st all costs and commission in the execution of this Trust, 2nd to pay off and discharge said note & 3rd to pay over any balance to said Richards if said Semmes from death or any other cause shall fail to execute this Trust. Then Henry S. Foster is hereby appointed his successor for said purposes of execution. Witness my hand and seal this 11th day of January 1873.

J. J. Richards *Seal*
 Benedict J. Semmes *Seal*

State of Mississippi)
 (County of Madison) This day personally appeared before
 the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said

Officer of the City of Canton Mississippi
 On the 15th day of February
 This 1873
 Attest
 J. J. Semmes
 Clerk of the
 Chancery Court
 of Madison
 Mississippi

county of. J. P. Richards who acknowledged that he executed signed sealed and delivered the above Deed on the day and year aforesaid and for the purposes therein mentioned as his act and deed. Given under my hand and seal of office at Leanton this 18th day of March A.D. 1873

(Seal)

J. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Webster Bridgeman) Filed for Record this 20th day of March
1st Trust-Deed } A.D. 1873, at 2.15 o'clock P.M. Recorded April
B. J. Simmes } 12th A.D. 1873

This Lien & Trust Deed made this 1st day of April 1873
by & between Webster Bridgeman party of 1st part John H.
Foster & Emily P. Prichard. Executors of Will of B. L. Prichard
deceas'd, parties of 2nd part & B. J. Simmes party of 3rd part
Witnesseth. That for and in consideration of the sum
of \$165. the said parties of the 2nd part rent lease
to said Webster Bridgeman in food & board during the
year 1873. the place known as the Old Newhouse
in the County of Madison State of Miss. To secure said
rent the said Webster Bridgeman in said rent the said
Webster Bridgeman sells to said B. J. Simmes all the crops
raised on said Place for in & during the year 1873, whether
raised by himself or a sub-lessee. Now if said Webster
Bridgeman shall pay said rent on or before the 1st day
of Oct - 1873. then this instrument to be void. But if not then
paid the said Simmes shall take possession of said
crops & after advertising same for 10 days by written notice
posted at County House door to sell the same for
cash at public outcry for cash and out of the proceeds of
sale 1st all costs and commissions in the execution of
this trust 2nd said rent with interest at 10 percent after
maturity & 3rd to pay over any balance remaining
to said Webster Bridgeman. If said Simmes
for death or any other cause shall fail to execute
this Trust then Henry J. Foster is hereby appointed his
successor for said purpose.

Webster Bridgeman ^{his} _{mark} Seal
B. J. Simmes ^{his} _{mark} Seal

State of Mississippi)

County of Madison This day personally appeared before
the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said county
Webster Bridgeman who acknowledged that he executed
signed sealed and delivered the above Deed on the
day and year aforesaid and for the purpose therein
mentioned as his act and deed. Given under my hand
and seal of office at Leanton this 20th day of March A.D. 1873.

(Seal)

J. S. Jeffrey Clerk.

Henry Sanders.

For Deed of Trust
Geo. L. Houston
Trustee } Filed for Record this 10th day of March
A.D. 1873. at 2.15 o'clock P.M. Recorded
April 12 A.D. 1873

B. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Be it known to all whom it may concern, that this indenture, made and entered into this the tenth day of March A.D. 1873, by and between Henry Sanders of the first part and Wm. Houston Ford of the second part and George M. Houston or his successor of the third part is to witness - That for and in consideration of fifty dollars in hand paid by said third party unto said first said first party doth by these presents bargain sell alien and convey unto said third party all his right-title and interest in any crop of cotton corn or all produce of the soil raised or to be grown by him, the said first party or on his account during the current year or any subsequent one, and also all his right-title or interest in a bay mare mule, and in all other cattle stock or agricultural implements now in possession of said first party or which shall be in his possession his heirs assigns executors or administrators, during and for the next ensuing four years from date of this indenture, to have and to hold the same unto him, the said third party his heirs and assigns forever, with all the tenements appurtenance and hereditaments thereto belonging - But this deed in trust is made upon the following terms and conditions and none other - That whereas said first party hath this day made, executed and delivered unto said second party, his promissory note for the sum of One hundred dollars, payable to the order of said Wm. Houston Ford, on the first day of November next for supplies furnished, and to be furnished during the current year by said second party to said first. If when said note becomes payable it shall be duly paid, then this deed to be null and void - But if when said note becomes due it shall not be paid, then said trustee shall advertise for sale by written notice on the Court House door in Canton so much of the crop raised by said first party and the said mules and other stock or so much thereof as will fully satisfy and pay off said note, with interest at ten per cent of maturity only, expenses of transportation of property to place of sale, and commissions of trustee and shall offer ten days from time of notice sell for cash at public outcry the property aforesaid, before the Court House door in Canton to the highest bidder, and with the proceeds shall fully pay said note, paying over any balance remaining after sale to said first party - In witness whereof said first party hath hereunto set his hand and seal this day and year above written

H. Sanders *Seal*

State of Mississippi }
 County of Madison } This day personally appeared before the
 undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said county
 Henry Sanders who acknowledged that he executed signed
 sealed and delivered the above Deed on the day and year
 aforesaid and for the purposes therein mentioned as his
 act and deed. Given my hand and seal of office at Leanton
 this 16th day of March A.D. 1873.

Seal

E. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Kent-Pritchard } Filed for Record this 20th day of March A.D.
 To Trust Deed } 1873 at 2:15 o'clock P.M. Recorded April 12th
 B. J. Semmes } A.D. 1873.

E. S. Jeffrey Clerk.

This Lease & Trust Deed made this 1st day of Jan'y 1873 by and
 between Kent-Pritchard party of 1st part, John H. Foster & family
 Pritchard. Execution of Will of B. J. Pritchard deceased and B. J. Semmes
 party of 2nd part. Witnesseth, that for and in consideration
 of the sum of \$365. the said parties of 2nd part have this day
 rented & leased unto to said Kent-Pritchard in full during the
 year 1873. the Place known as the Johnson land in County of
 Madison & State of Miss. To secure said parties of the 2nd
 part in payment of said rent, said Kent-Pritchard sells to
 said B. J. Semmes all crops raised on said Place for in
 and during the year 1873, whether raised by himself
 or any sub-lessee. Now if said Kent-Pritchard should
 pay said rent on or before 1st day of Octo^r 1873. then this
 Instrument to be void. But if not paid at said time then
 the said Semmes shall take possession of said crops &
 after advertising same for ten days. by written notice posted
 at Court House door next the same at public outcry
 for cash & out-of-proceeds to pay it all costs and commission
 in the execution of this trust & said note with interest at
 10 percent after maturity & 3rd to pay over any balance
 remaining to said Kent-Pritchard. If said Semmes from
 death or any other cause shall fail to execute this
 Trust. Then Henry S. Foote is hereby appointed his successor
 for said purpose. Witness my hand seal this 17th day of
 Feb'y 1873.

C. Kent-Pritchard *Seal*
 B. J. Semmes *Seal*

State of Mississippi }
 County of Madison } This day personally appeared before
 the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said
 County Kent-Pritchard who acknowledged that he execut-
 ed signed sealed and delivered the above Deed on the day
 and year aforesaid and for the purposes therein mentioned
 as his act and deed. Given under my hand and
 seal of office at Leanton this 20th day of March A.D. 1873

E. S. Jeffrey Clerk.

Frank Stovall et al) Filed for Record this 20th day of
 1873 Trust Deed } March A.D. 1873. at 2:15 o'clock P.M.
 B. J. Semmes } Recorded April 12th A.D. 1873

B. D. Jeffrey, Clerk

This Lease and Trust Deed by and between Frank Stovall
 John Derry & Tom Luckett parties of the 1st part. John
 M. Foster and Emily D. Richardson. Exec't of last will of
 B. L. Richardson dec'd. parties of 2nd part & B. J. Semmes party of
 third part. Witnesseth, that parties of 2nd part: for and in
 consideration of \$ 275 has leased & rented to parties of 1st
 part for in & during the year 1873 the following Place viz
 Donahoe Place Orchard Field & the Barn Eighty in county of
 Madison & State of Miss. To receive said rent the said
 parties of 1st part hereby sell to B. J. Semmes all the crops
 raised on said Place for in & during the year 1873 whether
 raised by themselves or any sub lessee Now if said parties
 of 1st part shall pay said rent on or before 1st day of
 Oct 1873 then this deed to be void. But if not paid said
 time then the said Semmes shall take possession of
 said crops. and after advertising the same for 10 days
 by written notice posted at Court House door to sell
 the same or a sufficiency thereof at said Court House
 door at public outcry to highest bidder for cash &
 out of proceeds of sale to pay 1st all costs and commis-
 sions in the execution of this trust 2nd said rent with
 interest at 10 percent after maturity. and 3rd to pay
 over any balance remaining to said parties of 1st part
 If said Semmes from death or any other cause shall
 fail to execute this trust. Then Henry S. Fode is hereby
 appointed his successor for the said purpose It was
 our hands and seals this day & year above written

Frank Stovall

John Derry Thomas Luckett

B. J. Semmes

(State of Mississippi)

County of Madison This day personally appeared before
 the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said
 county John Derry who acknowledged that he executed signed
 sealed and delivered the above Deed on the day and
 year aforesaid and for the purposes there in mentioned
 as his act and deed. Given under my hand and seal
 of office at Courtion this 15th day of March A.D. 1873

 B. D. Jeffrey Clerk

(State of Mississippi)

County of Madison This day personally appeared before
 the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of
 said county Frank Stovall and Thomas Luckett who acknowl-
 edged that they executed signed sealed and delivered
 the above Deed on the day and year aforesaid and

for the purposes therein mentioned as their act and deed
given under my hand and seal of office at Canton
this 20th day of March A.D. 1873.

Seal

E. S. Jeffrey - Clerk

Joshua Jackson
Isaih Jackson
Jos Deed of Trust
J. J. Galhoon Trustee

Filed for Record this 22nd day of
March A.D. 1873 at 4:15 o'clock P.M.
Recorded April 12th 1873.

E. S. Jeffrey Clerk

This Deed made the 10th day of
March A.D. 1873 by Joshua Jackson & Isaih Jackson to
J. J. Galhoon Trustee to secure Mrs. M. A. Gill in payment
of three hundred & eighty-five 385⁰⁰ dollars which the
said Mrs. M. A. Gill has promised and agreed to
pay to the said Joshua & Isaih Jackson to enable
the said Joshua & Isaih Jackson to carry on their plan-
tation or Farm in Madison county during the year A.D.
1873. It is further agreed: That in consideration of the indebtedness
incurred. Joshua & Isaih Jackson by the said Mrs. M. A.
Gill. this day, made in provisions and supplies to the
amount of three hundred & eighty-five dollars. and in consid-
eration of the to said Jacksons the said Joshua & Isaih
Jackson hereby grants bargains sells alienes and con-
veys to the said J. J. Galhoon party of the second part
and trustee herein for the uses and purposes thus
named and herein mentioned the following descri-
bed property viz: (1) one sorrell Mare & Hule. and also
whatever mules horses cattle hogs wagons carts buggies
goods and chattles that may hereafter be acquired by
the said Joshua & Jackson and the crop of cotton
corn fodder peas potatoes and whatever else may be
grown by the said Jacksons for their use on any
lands during the year 1873 or any subsequent year
until said indebtedness is discharged. And it is agreed
and understood between the parties that said indebt-
edness here incurred. and to be incurred under this contract shall
be due and payable on the 15th day of October A.D. 1873. And
if said indebtedness shall then not have been dischaged
fully it shall be lawfull for the said Galhoon or any one
he or said Mrs. M. A. Gill may appoint to seize whenever
found and to sell at the door of the Court-House of
Madison county Mississippi at public out cry to the
highest bidder for cash after 10 days notice in writing
posted at the Court-House door any or all of said prop-
erty as may be necessary to execute this trust. and out
of the proceeds to pay said money so due to said party
at the time of sale and the remainder if any to be paid
back to said Joshua & Isaih Jackson nevertheless the said
indebtess is to be discharged in the following manner

which the said Joshua & Isaih Johnson here by con-
sents to and accept to - that is to say, the said Jacksons is
to have in Lanton by the 15th day of October 1873 such an
amount of cotton as will fully pay off said indebtedness
besides cost of this instrument and in case said ind-
ebtedness is not paid at maturity then the said
Joshua & J. Jackson to pay said Mr. M. A. Hill 2½ per cent
on the whole of said indebtedness which is agreed on
as liquidated damages in case of the non-performance
of the allegations herein. And to the end that this
deed may evidence a contract with in the meaning and
provisions of an Act of the Legislature of Mississippi
entitled An Act for the encouragement of Agriculture
approved February 18th 1867. it is further to witness that the
indebtedness above mentioned is for plantation supplies
for the year A. D. 1873. to enable said Jacksons to operate
and carry on their farm or plantation in Madison county
Mississippi during said year to become due as aforesaid.
it is agreed that it shall constitute a Prior Loien accord-
ing to said law upon said crop of cotton corn, and all
other produce of said farm it being the intent of this deed
that the said Mr. M. A. Hill shall have all the rights
and benefits to be derived from this instrument as a
Deed of Trust as well as a contract under the above
entitled Law. In witness whereof the said have affixed their
names and seal to this deed this the 10 day of March A.D. 1873.

Witness

J. C. Wright

J. A. Reed

The State of Mississippi
Madison County

Joshua X Johnson ^{his} *Seal*
Isaih X Johnson ^{his} *Seal*

Personally appeared before me
C. S. Jeffrey Clerk of the Chancery Court the above named
J. C. Wright one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing
deed who being first duly sworn deposeth and saith that
he saw the above named Joshua Jackson and Isaih
Jackson whose names are subscribed thereto sign seal and
deliver the same to the above named Mr. M. A. Hill that
he the deponent subscribed his name as a witness thereto
in the presence of the said Grantors and that he saw the
afore mentioned witness J. A. Reed sign the same in
the presence of the said Joshua Jackson and Isaih Jackson
and in the presence of each other on the day and year
therin named. In testimony whereof Witness my hand and
seal of said Court this 22nd day of March A.D. 1873.

Clerk

C. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Thos. Shelton } Filed for Record this 22nd day of March
 To a Deed of Trust of A.D. 1873. Recorded April 14th A.D. 1873
 Neil & Coeb G. S. Jeffry Clerk

This Deed of Trust made this 17th day of March A.D. 1873
 by and between Thomas Shelton, of the first part and
 Neil and Coeb Merchants at Madison Station Mississippi
 ifpi of the second part: all the county of Madison
 State of Mississippi Witnesseth: That whereas the party
 of the first is indebted to the parties of the second
 part in the sum of One Hundred and thirty-five
 Dollars evidenced by a promissory Note bearing even
 date with these presents payable to the order of
 the said second parties on the first day of October
 1873. And whereas the party of the first is desirous
 of securing the payment of said note at matur-
 ity; therefore in consideration of the sum and
 the sum of One dollar in hand paid to the
 first party by the second parties the receipt of
 which is hereby acknowledged the said party of the
 first part has granted bargained and sold and does
 hereby grant bargain sell and convey unto the
 parties of the second part the following property to
 wit: One sowsell Mare "Dunen," One Bay mare "Pet" One
 sorrel Mare "Franny" and all the crops of every kind
 and description that may be raised cultivated or
 gathered by the party of the first part during said
 year and those under his employ, to have and to hold
 into them the parties of the second part their heirs
 and assigns forever with full power in said
 second parties to seize and sell any or all of
 said property on ten days notice in case of default
 of payment of any part of said note: In trust how-
 ever and for the following purpose to wit: If the
 party of the first part shall on or before the first day
 of October 1873, fully pay and satisfy said note then
 this Deed to be void otherwise to remain in full force
 and virtue. In testimony whereof the party of the
 first part has set his hand and seal this day and
 year first above written

Thomas X. Shelton
 Seal

The State of Mississippi
 Madison County } Personally appeared before
 me J. W. Jenkins a Justice of the Peace in and for said
 state and County Thomas Shelton who acknowledged
 that he signed sealed and delivered the fore-
 going Deed of Trust on the day and year herein
 mentioned as his act and deed. Witness my hand
 and seal this the 17th day of March A.D. 1873

J. W. Jenkins J. P. Seal.

J. H. Phares Filed for Record this 22nd day of
 Deed of Trust March A.D. 1873. at 4.15 o'clock P.M.
 Neil & Locb Recorded April 14th A.D. 1873

E. S. Jeffrey Clerk.

This Deed of Trust made this 14th day of March
 A.D. 1873. by and between Wilbur H. Phares of the first
 part and Neil & Locb Merchants at Madison Sta-
 tion Mississippi parties of the second part.
 Witnesseth: That whereas the party of the first part
 is indebted to the parties of the second part in
 the sum of One hundred and Eighty-five dollars.
 (\$185.00) evidenced by a promissory note bearing
 even date with these presents, payable to the order
 of the said second parties on the first day of
 October after date. And whereas, the party of the
 first part is desirous of securing the payment of
 said note at maturity; therefore in consideration of
 the promises, and the further sum of one dollar in
 hand paid to the first party by the second parties
 the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the
 said party of the first part has granted bargained
 and sold and does by these presents grant, bar-
 gain, sell and convey unto the parties of the
 second part, the following property to wit: Two Black
 Horse Mules. (being the same purchased of the sec-
 ond parties by the first party,) to have and to hold unto
 them the parties of the second, their heirs and assi-
 gns, forever with full power to seize, either or both of
 said mules and sell the same on ten days notice,
 in case of default in the payment of the aforesaid
 sum or any part thereof and apply the proceeds to
 the payment of the same. In trust nevertheless, and
 for the following purposes. To wit: If the party of the
 first part shall, on or before the said first day
 of October 1873, fully pay and satisfy said note then
 this Deed to be void otherwise to remain in full
 force and virtue In testimony whereof the party of the
 first part has hereunto affixed his name and seal
 this the 14th day of March A.D. 1873.

J. H. Phares Seal

The State of Mississippi
 Madison County Personally appeared before
 me J. W. Jenkins a Justice of the Peace in and for said
 state and county, Wilbur H. Phares who acknowledged
 that he signed sealed and delivered the foregoing
 Deed of Trust on the day and year therein mentioned
 as his act and deed. Witness my hand and seal
 this the 14th day of March A.D. 1873.

J. W. Jenkins J. P. Seal

We acknowledge this fact and see
 and witness the above
 and affix our seals.

Granville Williams filed for Record this 22nd day of
Feb Deed of Trust } March A. D. 1873. at 4:15 o'clock P.M.
A. L. Trowbridge } Recorded April 14th A.D. 1873.

This deed of trust made and entered into by and between Granville Williams of the first part and A. L. Trowbridge of the second part, all of the county of Madison State of Miss. Witnesseth - that whereas, the said first party is indebted to the second party, in the sum of Two Hundred Dollars - evidenced by a promissory Note bearing date 4th day of January 1873, payable to A. L. Trowbridge or order on the first day Nov 1873. Now in order to secure the ultimate payment of said Note, on said first day of Nov 1873 the said first party does hereby grant bargain and sell unto the said A. L. Trowbridge all the crops of every description to be raised by the said Williams on the lands of said Trowbridge, during the year 1873. In Trust however and for the following purpose to wit: If the said Williams shall pay said Note at maturity, then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and effect. In testimony whereof we have set our hands & seals this 4th Jan 1873.

Witness

John D. Moore

It is further agreed that said Williams is to do his part of then fencing on the land that he cultivates & further in case he fails to do so, said party of the second part is to have it done & charge same to said Williams and it is further agreed that said Trowbridge is to furnish said Williams with necessary Provisions during the year 1873. and it is further agreed that said Trowbridge is to take cotton for all indebtedness due by said Williams, at the gin house on said Trowbridge plantation at the market price this agreement to be a lien on all the crops until all debts due by said Williams is paid and discharged. In testimony we have set our hands & seals.

Witness

John D. Moore

Granville Williams ^{his} Seal
A. L. Trowbridge ^{his} Seal

Granville Williams ^{his} Seal
A. L. Trowbridge ^{his} Seal

The State of Mississippi

Madison County } Personally appeared before me
J. W. Jenkins a Justice of the Peace in and for said State and
County Granville Williams and A. L. Trowbridge who acknowledge that they signed sealed and delivered the foregoing Deed of Trust and contract on the day and year above mentioned as their several acts and deeds Witness
my hand and seal this 15th day of March A. D. 1873

J. W. Jenkins J. P. Seal

Robert Allen) Filed for Record this 22nd day of
March A.D. at 4.15 o'clock P.M. Recorded
M. E. Allen) April 14th A.D. 1873.

S. S. Jeffrey Clerk.

This Indenture made and entered into this 30th
day of December in the Year Our Lord One Thousand Eighty
and Seventy Three between Robert Allen the party of the first
part and M. E. Allen party of the second part Witneseth
that the said party of the first for and in consideration
of the sum of Two Hundred and Sixty dollars \$260 ~~xx~~
each in hand the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged
have this day granted bargained sold and conveyed and
by these presents do grant bargain sell and convey into
the said part of the second part and to her Heirs and
Assigns all and singular the following described of land
situated lying ^{and being} in the county of Madison State of Mississippi
East half of the north west quarter of Section five Township
10 Range three east also west half of north East quarter
and Seventy five acres off of north end of the west half
of the south east quarter and fifty acres off the north
end also of the south west quarter of Section five Township
Ten Range three east together with all buildings trees
fences & timber belonging to as connected therewith to have
and to hold the said tract of land together with all and
singular the rights privileges and appurtenances thereto
upto legally and of right belonging to the said part of
the second part and to her Heirs and Assigns in fee simple
absolute forever and the said part of the first part
his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns covenant and
agree to warrant and forever defend the right title interest
and possession of the estate herein granted to the said
part of the second part Heirs and Assigns against the
claim or claims if any and all persons claiming or to claim
the same whatsoever either in law or equity On Testimony
Whereof the said party of the first part has hereunto set hand
and seal the day and year first above written.

Witness

G. W. DeWitt
F. M. Bishop

Robert Allen *Seal*

State of Texas) ss Personalty appeared before me G. W. DeWitt
Lamar County) clerk of the District Court of Lamar County who above
named Robert Allen who acknowledged that he signed
sealed and delivered the foregoing Deed on the day
and year herein written as his act and deed for the
purposes therein set forth Given under my hand and
Seal this 23 day of January A.D. 1873.

G. W. DeWitt Clerk of the
D. C. L. Co. T.

Exhibit 3

R. J. Ross Tax Collector } Filed for Record 24th March
 J. P. Deed } at 8:45 o'clock A.M. A.D. 1873 Recorded
 Photo Shackleford. } April 14th 1873.

B. S. Jeffrey Clerk.

State of Mississippi
 Madison County } Know all men by these Presents, that
 I, R. J. Ross, Tax Collector of said County have this
 day, in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the
 Legislature of the State of Mississippi entitled An Act
 to amend the Revenue Laws and for other purposes,
 approved April 5th 1872, sold the following described
 lands, viz 1/5th interest in 1/4th A. C. 14 Sec 23. T. 9. R. 2 E. for the
 Taxes of the year 1872, on the following described lands,
 to wit 1/5th interest in 1/4th A. C. 14 Sec 23. T. 9. R. 2 E., annexed
 to J. D. Masby, the reputed owner thereof when Thomas
 Shackleford, Trustee^c, became the best bidder at the
 sum of Eight¹⁶/₁₀₀ (\$816) dollars. I therefore, in comp-
 pliance with said law do hereby sell and convey
 said lands to the said, Thomas Shackleford
 Trustee & his heirs and assigns forever in absolute and
 indefeasible right, subject however to the following
 proviso contained in said law. Provided however
 that all minor children, idiots, lunatics and persons
 in dimes at the time of such sale may at any time
 within two years after such disability shall be rem-
 oved, redeem any interest they may respectively have
 therein by paying to the purchaser his heir or assigns
 the amount of the purchase money and all subsequently
 paid taxes and ten percent. interest thereon from the
 date or dates of the payment or payments hereof.
 Given under my hand and seal this the 10th day
 of March 1873.

R. J. Ross ^{Seal 3}
 Tax Collector of Madison County.

State of Mississippi
 Madison County } Personally appeared before me
 B. S. Jeffrey Clerk of the chancery court of said County
 R. J. Ross, Tax Collector of Madison County who
 acknowledged that as Tax Collector he signed,
 sealed and delivered the foregoing deed, on the day
 and year therein mentioned as his own
 official act and deed, given under my hand and
 seal of the chancery court at my office in Canton
 this 10th day of March 1873.

Seal 3
 Seal 3
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E. S. Jeffrey, Clerk

J. M. Evans } Filed for Record this 24th day of
 J. F. Deed } March A. D. 1873, at 9:30 o'clock A. M.
 J. H. Beard } Recorded April 14th 1873.
 C. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Know all men by these Presents that J. M. Evans
 of Madison County Mississipi have granted
 bargained & sold & by these presents do grant barga-
 ain & sell unto J. H. Beard of Madison County Mississipi
 trustee herein for B. F. Sherrard of Madison County &
 State of Mississippi all the crops grown planted
 & sown or hereafter to be grown planted & sown
 gathered & made upon my plantation situated
 near Loupale City in the county offoresaid together
 with all the implements, farming utensils & horses
 & stock thereon or enough thereof to pay & satisfy
 their trust for in consideration of the advance in
 money & supplies to be hereafter furnished by said
 B. F. Sherrard according to his account Books & vouchers.
 This conveyance to operate in all respects as a deed
 of Trust with power of sale in said J. H. Beard Trustee
 for cash on thirty days notice. Witness our hands & seals
 this Feb 28th, 1873.

Witness

D. G. Monday
 A. Phivis

J. M. Evans
 B. F. Sherrard
 John H. Beard.

State of Mississippi
 Madison County } Personally appeared before me,
 Sam Milton Justice of the Peace of said county they
 within named D. G. Monday and A. Phivis the
 subscribing witness to the foregoing deed of trust
 who being by me duly sworn deposes and saith
 that they saw the within named J. M. Evans, B. F. Sherrard
 and John H. Beard whose names are subscribed thereto
 sign seal and delivered the same, that they doth subscribe
 and affix their names as a witness thereto in the presence of
 the said J. M. Evans B. F. Sherrard and John H. Beard
 and that they signed in the presence of each other on
 on the day and year therein named. Given under
 my hand and seal this the 22nd day of March

Sam Milton J. P. Seal

Gord G. Johnston } Filed for Record this 24th day of
 J. F. Deed of Trust } March A. D. 1873 at 8:45 o'clock A. M.
 Robinson & Stevens } Recorded April 14th 1873.
 C. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Merchant's Deed of Trust.

This Deed of Trust. Made this 18th day of March A.D. 1873. Witnesseth: That Whereas Sam'l S. Johnson of the county of Madison State of Mississippi party on part of first part expects said Robinson & Stevens to advance money supplies and merchandise during the year 1873. And whereas. said party has agreed to secure the payments of said sum as also any amount that may be advanced as aforesaid. That the party of first part in consideration of the premises as well as for ten dollars to him paid by C. H. Reber Trustee does hereby bargain sell and convey to said Trustee the property being in said Madison County Mississippi and described as follows: Three(3) Miles Three(3) Milk cows and calves One(1) Four-Mule wagon, all crops of cotton and other agricultural products raised and produced as crops of 1873. All plows. and other farming implements the title to which unto said Trustee or any successor he warrants and agrees. forever to defend; In Trust; however that if said party shall on or before the first day of November 1873. pay what may be due said Robinson & Stevens as aforesaid. and all costs incurred on account of this Deed. then this Deed to be void. but if default is made in said payments the Trustee shall take possession of said property and having given ten days notice of the time place and terms of sale by posting in three conspicuous places in said county. sell said property or a sufficiency thereof to make said payments for cash at public auction, at the court house door in Jackson. And said Robinson & Stevens or their legal representatives can at any time they may desire appoint a Trustee in the place of C. H. Reber or any succeeding Trustee. And should the Trustee at any time believe said property or any part thereof endangered as a security for said payment he shall take the same into his possession and hold till said payments are made or till said property is sold as aforesaid but until demanded by the Trustee for either of the purposes as aforesaid. said part of first part can hold the same In Trustee. Whereof said Sam'l S. Johnson has hereunto set his hand and seal

Sam'l S. Johnson (S)

I hereby accept the above trust

C. H. Reber

State of Mississippi

I, Hinds County } Personally appeared before the
undersigned an acting Justice of the Peace duly commissioned
in and for said Hinds County Sam'l S. Johnson who
acknowledged that he signed sealed and delivered

the foregoing Deed of Trust as the time therein named
as his act and did witness my hand and seal of office
this the 18 day of March A.D. 1873.

Peyton Robinson J. P. (L.S.)

Judie Scott } Filed for Record this 25th day of
1st Deed of Trust } March A.D. 1873. at 8:30 o'clock A.M.
D. A. Gillley } Recorded April 15th 1873.

C. S. Jeffreys Clerk

This Deed of Trust made this 1st day of January
A.D. 1873. by and between Judie Scott of the first part and
D. A. Gillley of the second part. all of the county of Madison
State of Mississippi. Witnesseth: That whereas the
party of the first part has promised and agreed to
work with the party of the second part during the
present year 1873; and whereas the party of the second
part has promised to furnish to the party of the first
part during said year provisions clothing necessary
plantation supplies and such other things as may
be required by said first party to enable him to
farm with the said second party as above mentioned.
And whereas the party of the first part is desirous of
securing the payment of all sums in which she
may or shall become indebted to the party of the
second part during said year for such provisions &c.
or otherwise! Therefore in consideration of the promises
and of the sum of One Dollar in hand paid to the
first party by the second party. the receipt of which
is hereby acknowledged. the said party of the first
part has granted bargained and sold and does
by these presents grant bargain and sell unto
the party of the second part the following property
to wit: One Bay Horse, "Nick" - Eight Dogs. One Double-
Barrel Gun. now owned and held by the first party
also all the crop or crops of every kind and description
that may be raised cultivated or gathered by the party
of the first part. and those under her employ:
during said year to have and to hold unto
him the party of the second part. his heirs. and
assigns forever. with full power in said second party
to seize. and sell any or all of said property. on
ten days notice. in case of any default in the pay-
ment of the aforesaid sums. In Trust nevertheless.
and for the following purposes. to wit: If the party of
the first part shall. on or before the 1st day of November
A.D. 1873. fully pay and satisfy all such sums as she
may become indebted to the second party during said
year for provisions clothing. and necessary plantation
supplies or for other purpose. then this Deed to be

void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.
In testimony whereof the party of the first part has
hereunto affixed her name and seal this day and
year first above written

Judie Scott Seal

The State of Miss.

Madison County Personnally appeared before me J. W. Jenkins a Justice of the Peace in and for said State and county Judie Scott who acknowledged that she signed sealed and delivered the foregoing Deed of Trust on the day and year herein mentioned as her act and deed Witness my hand and seal this 22nd day of March A.D. 1873.

J. W. Jenkins J. P. [Seal]

A. M. Cameron et al. } Filed for Record this 25th day of
Mar. } 1873. at 8:30 o'clock A.M.
Lizzie Rollins. } Recorded April 15th. 1873.

D. S. Jeffreys Clerk

This Indenture made and entered into this first day of January A.D. 1873, by and between A. M. Cameron and John C. Cameron her husband parties of the first part, and Lizzie Rollins party of the second part all of the county of Madison State of Mississippi
Witnesseth, That for and in consideration of the sum of One Hundred and Twenty five Dollars \$125.00 in hand paid to the said first parties by the said second party, at and before the sealing and delivery hereof, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged the parties of the first part hereby grant bargain and sell unto the party of the second part the following described lot or parcel of land lying and being at Madison Station in the county and state aforesaid—
to wit: A lot known as the Hemerocallis lot no 86 containing one acre of ground fifty-five by Eighty-eight yards and further described as follows, commencing at a point on the east boundary line of the 1/4 of S.W. 1/4 section eight, Township Seven, R. Two (2) East, Fifty-five yards from the land formerly conveyed by the said first parties to Mrs Mary L. Cameron and running due West eighty-eight yards, thence South fifty-five yards thence East Eighty-eight yards, thence North fifty-five yards to the point of beginning together with all the buildings, improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging to have and to hold unto her the party of the second part, her heirs executors administrator and assigns forever in fee simple. In testimony whereof the parties

of the first part have hereunto signed their names
and affixed their seals this day and year first
above written

The State of Mississippi^{ss.} Madison County Personally appeared before
me, J. W. Jenkins a Justice of the Peace in and for said
state and County John L. Cameron who acknowledged
that he signed sealed and delivered the foregoing
Deed of Conveyance on the day and year therein mentioned
as his act and deed. Also appeared A. M. Cameron
wife of the said John L. Cameron, who on a private
examination separate and apart from her husband
acknowledged that she signed sealed and delivered
the foregoing Deed of Conveyance freely and without
any fear threat or compulsion of her said husband
on the day and year therein mentioned as her voluntary
act and deed. Witness my hand and seal this the 17th
day of January A.D. 1873.

J. L. Cameron *[seal]*
A. M. Cameron *[seal]*

J. W. Jenkins J. P. *[seal]*

M. L. Dinkins & wife } Filed for Record this 13th day of
Feb Trust Deed } March A.D. 1873 at 3:45 o'clock P.M.
R. H. Hoffman } Recorded April 15th 1873.
Trustee

D. S. Jeffrey Clerk

This Deed made the 18th day of February A.D. 1873 by Ann
M. Dinkins & M. L. Dinkins to R. H. Hoffman to secure
Jones & Stuart in the payment of Five Hundred fifty
dollars which the said Jones & Stuart has promised
and agreed to furnish the said Ann M. Dinkins &
husband to enable the said Parties to carry on their plan-
tation or farm in Madison county during the year A.D. 1873
Witnesseth: That in consideration of the indebtedness incurred
and in consideration of the advances to the said Ann M.
Dinkins & M. L. Dinkins by the said Jones & Stuart this day
made in provision and supplies to the amount of Five
Hundred & fifty dollars and in consideration of the advances
hereafter to be made by said Jones & Stuart to said Ann M.
Dinkins & M. L. Dinkins. The said Ann M. Dinkins & Hus-
band hereby grants bargain sells alien and conveys to
the said R. H. Hoffman party of the second part and
trustee herein for the uses and purposes thus named and
herein mentioned the following described property viz:
Two bay Mares & one black Horse, Two Cows & calves and
about Ten head of Hogs and Cotton Corn or other produce
raised by said parties during the year 1873. and also
whatever mules horses cattle hogs wagons carts buggies goods
and chattels that may hereafter be acquired by the said
Ann M. Dinkins & Husband and the crop of cotton com fodder

peas, potatoes and whatever else may be grown by the said
 Ann M. Dinkins & Husband for their use on any lands during
 the year 1873, on any subsequent year until said indebted-
 ness is discharged. And it is agreed and understood be-
 tween the parties that said indebtedness here incurred, and to
 be incurred under this contract, shall become and payable
 on the 1st day of November A.D. 1873. And if said indebtedness
 shall then not have been discharged fully, it shall be lawful
 for the said R. H. Goffman or any one heir of said Jones &
 Stuart may appoint, to seize where ever found, and to sell at the
 door of the Court-House of Canton Madison county Mississippi
 at public outcry to the highest bidder for cash after 10 days notice
 in writing, posted at the Court-House door, any or all of said
 property as may be necessary to execute this trust, and out
 of the proceeds to pay said money so due to said party at
 the time of sale, and the remainder, if any, to be paid back
 to said Ann M. Dinkins & Husband, Nevertheless the said
 indebtedness is to be discharged in the following manner
 to which the said Ann M. Dinkins & Husband hereby con-
 sens to and accept that is to say the said Ann M. Dinkins
 & Husband is to have in Canton by the 1st day of Novem-
 ber 1873, such an amount of cotton as will fully pay off
 said indebtedness, besides cost of this instrument and in
 case said indebtedness is not paid at maturity, then the
 said Ann M. Dinkins & Husband to pay said Jones &
 Stuart 2½ per cent, on the whole of said indebtedness, which
 is agreed on as liquidated damages in case of the
 non-performance of the allegation herein. And to the end
 that this Deed may evidence a contract within the meaning
 and provisions of an Act of the Legislature of Mississippi
 entitled, An Act for the encouragement of Agriculture, appro-
 ved February 18th 1867. It is further to witness: that the indebtedness
 above mentioned is for plantation supplies for the year
 A.D. 1873 to enable said Ann M. Dinkins & Husband
 to operate and carry on their farm or plantation in Madison
 county Mississippi during said year to become due
 as aforesaid, it is agreed that it shall constitute a
 Prior Lien according to said law, upon said crop of
 cotton corn, and all other produce of said farm, it being
 the intent of this deed that the said Jones & Stuart
 shall have all the rights and benefit to be derived from
 instrument as a Deed of Trust as well as a contract
 under the above entitled Law. On witness whereof the
 said Ann M. Dinkins & M. L. Dinkins have affixed their
 names and seal to this deed this the 18th day of
 February A.D. 1873.

Ann M. Dinkins (Seal)

M. L. Dinkins (Seal)

State of Mississippi
 Madison County I this day personally appeared before
 me S. W. Wood, a Justice of the Peace of the County and
 state offoresaid M. L. Dinkins who acknowledged that he
 signed sealed and delivered the within instrument
 of writing as his act and deed and on the day and
 year therein named and also at the same time
 personally appeared before me Mrs. Ann Mary Dinkins
 wife of the said M. L. Dinkins, who on examination
 apart from her said husband acknowledged
 that she signed sealed and delivered the foregoing
 instrument of writing voluntarily as her act and deed
 without any threats compulsion or under influence
 of her said husband and on the day and
 year therein named. Given under my hand and
 seal this the 24th day of February 1873

Dear

S. W. Woods J.P.

Nick Jones
 & S. G. Blanton
 for Deed of Trust
 Isidor Gross

Filed for Record this 25th day of
 March A.D. 1873, at 10 o'clock A.M.
 Recorded April 15th 1873.

Trustee Merchant's Lin.

Know all men by these Presents that I, Nick Jones
 & S. G. Blanton, of Madison County and State of Mississippi
 have granted bargained and sold, and do by
 these Presents grant bargain and sell, unto Isidor
 Gross of said County and State Trustee herein
 for S. Loeb & Co. of the city of Canton and State aforesaid all
 the crops grown planted and sown gathered and made
 by me or those in my employ on the plantation on which
 I reside now, or may hereafter reside, within the County and
 State aforesaid, for the year 1873, or for any year hereafter
 until this present Lin is satisfactorily settled to gather
 with all the implements farming utensils and stock, to wit:

One Cow & Yearling, One Cow & Calf + 1 Calf, all situated
 in the County and State aforesaid, or enough to satisfy and
 pay their trust, and in consideration of advances money
 supplied already furnished by said S. Loeb & Co. to the amount
 of \$130.80, and in consideration of the further sum of \$100.00
 to be hereafter furnished at any such times as may be
 wanted according to the Account Books and Vouchers, and
 it is expressly understood that this conveyance is to operate
 in all respects as a Deed of Trust, with power of sale in the
 said Isidor Gross, Trustee for cash after ten days notice of sale,
 on all the above described personal property. And it is
 hereby agreed that all of said crop is to be shipped to S. Loeb & Co.
 as my factors for the usual commissions or sold to them at

the regular market price, I further promise and agree that I will deliver enough of my crop by the first day of November 1873 to satisfy the above sum in full, or failing to do so, I obligate myself to pay ten percent extra for damages, witness our hands and seals this 18 day of March 1873

Witness:

J. D. Bruce
J. W. Williams

Wick Jones seal
J. W. Blanton seal

The State of Mississippi
Madison County ss. Personally appeared before me S. S. Jeffrey Clerk of the Chancery Court the above named married J. W. Williams, one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing deed, who being first duly sworn, deposes and saith that he saw the above named Dick Jones and S. J. Blanton whose names are subscribed thereto, sign seal and deliver the same to the above named S. Loeb & Co. but he, this deponent, subscribed his name as a witness thereto, in the presence of the said Dick Jones and S. J. Blanton, and that he saw the other subscribing witness J. D. Bruce, sign the same in the presence of the saids Dick Jones and S. J. Blanton, and in the presence of each other, on the day and year therein named. In Testimony Whereof, Witness my hand and seal of said Court this 25th day of March A.D. 1873.

*Seal
removed*

S. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Charles J. Dillard } Filed for Record this 25th day of
by Deed of Trust } March A.D. 1873 at 10 o'clock A.M.
Isidor Gross Trustee Recorded April 15th 1873.

S. S. Jeffrey Clerk.

Merchants Lien

Know all men by these Presents, that I, Charles J. Dillard of Madison County and State of Mississippi have granted bargained and sold and do by these Presents grant, bargain and sell unto Isidor Gross of said County and State Trustee herein for S. Loeb & Co. of the City of Brandon and State aforesaid, all the crop grown, planted and sown, gathered and made by me or those in my employ on the plantation on which I reside now, or may hereafter reside, within the County and State aforesaid, for the year 1873, or for any year hereafter until this present lien is satisfactorily settled together with all the implements, farming utensils and stock, to wit: 1 Light colored Mare Mule 1/2 Oxen & wagons all situated in the County and State aforesaid, or enough to satisfy and pay their trust, for and in consideration of Two Hundred and twenty five Dollars advance in money supplies, already furnished by said S. Loeb & Co. to the amount of \$ One Hundred and in consideration of the further sum of \$ One hundred and

Twenty Dol. to be hereafter furnished at any such time as may be named according to the Account-Books and Vouchers, And it is expressly understood that this conveyance is to operate in all respects as a Deed of Trust, with power of sale, & to give said property in the said Isidor Gross Trustee, and sell after five days notice of such sale; on all the above described personal property. And it is hereby agreed that all crop is to be shipped to said S. Jacob also, as my Factors for the usual commissions or sold to them at the regular market price I further promise and agree that I will deliver enough of my crop by the first day of Oct 1873, to satisfy the above-mentioned in full. Witness our hands and seals this tenth day of March 1873.

Witness

J. H. Baldwin
J. W. Williams

L. J. Dillard *[seal]*

The State of Mississippi
Madison County Personally appeared before me
S. S. Jeffrey Clerk of the Chancery Court the above named
J. W. Williams one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing deed
who being first duly sworn, deposeth and saith that he saw
the above named L. J. Dillard, whose name is subscribed
thereto, sign seal and delivered the same to the above named
S. Jacob also, that he this deponent subscribed his name as
a witness thereto in the presence of the said L. J. Dillard and
that he saw the other subscribing witness J. H. Baldwin sign
the same in the presence of the said L. J. Dillard, and
in the presence of each other on the day and year therein named.
In testimony whereof Witness my hand and seal of said Court
this 25th day of March A.D. 1873

S. S. Jeffrey Clerk
[seal]

S. S. Jeffrey Clerk W. G. Bryant & Littleton Raglin To. J. Deed of Trust Isidor Gross Trustee	Filed for Record this 27 th day of March A.D. 1873. at 2.15 o'clock P.M. Recorded April 15 th 1873.
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S. S. Jeffrey Clerk.

Know all men by these Presents That
 We, S. S. Jeffrey Clerk, W. G. Bryant & Littleton Raglin of Madison County and state
 of Mississippi have granted bargained, and sold, and do by
 these presents grant, bargain and sell unto Isidor Gross of said
 County and State, Trustee herein for L. Mass of Livingston and
 State aforesaid all the crop grown, planted, and sown, gathered
 and made by us, or those in our employ on the plantation on
 which we reside now, or may hereafter reside, within the
 County and State aforesaid for the year 1873, or for any year here-
 after until this present Deed is satisfactorily settled together
 with all the implements of farming utensils and stock to wit,
 One Bay Horse Named Bill 9 Years Old, One Bay

Mule named Bull, 4 years Old, all situated in the county and State of said or enough to satisfy and for their trust for and in consideration of Two Hundred & Fifty Dollars advance in money supplies furnished by said L. Mass to the amount of \$125⁰⁰ and in consideration of the further sum of \$125⁰⁰ to be hereafter furnished at my such time as may be named according to the Account-Books and Vouchers. And it is expressly understood that this Conveyance, is to operate in all respects as a Deed of Trust with power of sale in the said F. Sidor Gross, Trustee, for cash after ten days' notice of such sale, on all the above described personal property; And it is hereby agreed that all of said crop is to be shipped to said L. Mass, as my factors for the usual commissions or sold to them at the regular market price, I further promise and agree that I will deliver enough of my crop by the first day of November 1873, to satisfy the above Lien in full or failing to do so, I obligate myself to pay ten percent, extra for damages. Witness our hands and seals this 27th day of March 1873.

Jeffrey Bryant [Seal]
Littleton Ragin [Seal]

State of Mississippi }
County of Madison } This day personally appeared before
the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said
county, Jeff Bryant and Littleton Ragin who acknowledge
that he executed, signed sealed and delivered the
above Deed on the day and year aforesaid, and for
the purposes therein mentioned as his act and deed,
Given under my hand and seal of office at Canton
this 27th day of March A.D. 1873.
[Seal] E. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Charles Henry } Filed for Record this 28th day of
Deed of Trust } March A.D. 1873. at 10.25 o'clock A.M.
Weil & Loeb. Recorded April 16th 1873.

E. S. Jeffrey Clerk
This Deed of Trust, Made this 24th day of March A.D. 1873.
Witnesseth: That Whereas, Charles Henry party of first
part, is indebted to Weil & Loeb, Merchants at Madison this
in the sum of Three Hundred \$300.00 Dollars on a Promis-
sory Note dated March 24th 1873, payable October 1st 1873.
and, whereas, said party of first part expects said Weil
Loeb to advance him money supplies and merchandise
during the year 1873. And whereas, said party has agreed
to secure the payment of said sum, as also any amount
that may be advanced as aforesaid, that the party of
the first part, in consideration of the premises as well

as for i[n] dollars to him paid by Weil & Loeb, Trustee
 does here by, bargain sell and convey to said Trustee
 the property, being in Madison County Mississippi and
 described as follows: One Bay Horse "Grant" One Bay
 Mare "Minnie" Four Milch Cows and Calves, now owned and
 held by the First party: also all the crop or crops of every
 kind or description raised or that may be raised
 cultivated or gathered by the Party of the First Part or
 those under his employ during the year 1873, to have
 and to hold unto them the said Weil & Loeb, their
 heirs executors administrators and assigns forever
 the title to which unto said Trustee or any successor
 he warrants and agrees forever to defend; In Trust however
 that if said party shall on or before the 1st day of Oct
 ober, 1873, pay what may be due said Weil & Loeb, as
 aforesaid, and all costs incurred on account of this Deed:
 then this Deed to be void; but if default is made in said pay
 ments the Trustee shall take possession of said property,
 and having given ten days notice of the time place and
 terms of sale by posting at three public places in the
 county, sell said property, or a sufficiency thereof to
 make said payments, for cash, at public auction at
 Madison Station. And said Weil & Loeb or their legal
 representative, can at any time they may desire, appoint a
 Trustee in the place of themselves, or any succeeding Trustee.
 And should the Trustee at any time believe said prop
 erty, or any part thereof endangered as a security for
 said payments, he shall take the same into his
 possession and hold till said payments are made,
 or till said property is sold as aforesaid; but until
 demanded by the Trustee for either of the purposes as
 aforesaid, said party of first part can hold the same. In
 Testimony Whereof, said Party of the First Part has hereto
 set his hand and seal; having first duly stamped
 the same.

Charles Henry (ls)

The State of Mississippi }
 Madison County } Personally appeared before the
 undersigned Justice of the Peace in and for said
 Madison County, Charles Henry, and acknowledged
 that he signed sealed and delivered the fore
 going Deed of Trust, at the time therein named as his
 and did, Witness my hand and seal of office this
 the 24th day of March A.D. 1873.

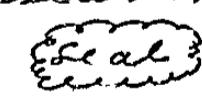
G. W. Jenkins J.P. (ls)

Henry Charles

To Deed of Trust Filed for Record this 27th day of
March A.D. 1873. at 3 o'clock P.M.
Trustee.

E. S. Jeffreys Clerk

Merchantile firm.

Know all Men by these Presents, That I, Henry Charles of Madison County and State of Mississippi herein above named, bargained, and sold, and do by these Presents grant, bargain and sell unto Isidor Gross of said County and State, Trustee herein for S. Loeb & Co & G. A. Baldwin of the city of Canton and State of aforesaid all the crop grown planted and sown, gathered and made by me or those in my employ on the plantation on which I reside now, or may hereafter reside, within the County and State of aforesaid, for the year 1872, or for any year here after until this present day is satisfactorily settled to gether with all the implements farming utensils and stock, to-wit: 1 Blk Horse mule 1 Sorrel mare, or enough to satisfy and pay their trust for and in consideration of Two \$26. unduced. Seventy five dollars advance in money supplies, already furnished by S. Loeb & Co. to the amount of \$126⁵⁰ furnished by G. A. Baldwin, and in consideration of the further sum of \$148⁵⁰ to be hereafter furnished at any such times as may be named according to the Account Books and Vouchers. And it is expressly understood that this conveyance is to operate in all respects as a Deed of Trust, with power of sale, in the said Isidor Gross Trustee for cash after ten days notice of such sale, on all the above described personal property. And it is hereby agreed that all of said crop is to be shipped to said S. Loeb & Co. as my Factors for the usual commissions or sold to them at the regular market price. I further promise and agree that I will deliver enough of my crop by the first day of November 1873, to satisfy the above Lien in full or failing to do so, I obligate myself to pay ten percent extra for damages. Witness our hands and seals this 27th day of March 1873. Henry Charles 
Witnesses

G. A. Baldwin

J. D. Grice

The State of Mississippi Personage appeared before me E. S. Jeffreys Clerk of the Chancery Court the above named G. A. Baldwin one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing deed, who being first duly sworn, deposeth and saith, that he saw the above named Henry Charles whose name is subscribed thereto sign seal and deliver the same to the above named Loeb & G. A. Baldwin that he, this deponent

subscribed his name as a witness thereto in the presence
of the said Henry Charles, and that he saw the other
subscribing witness, J. D. Grinnell sign the same in the
presence of the said Henry Charles, and in the presence
of each other on the day and year herein named, for
testimony whereof, witness my hand and seal of said Court
this 27th day of March A. D. 1873.

(Seal)

S. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Andrew Randolph } Filed for Record this 27th day of
1st Deed of Trust } March A. D. 1873. at 11.30 o'clock A.M.
J. S. Pool Trustee } Recorded April 16th 1873.

S. S. Jeffrey Clerk.

I, now am, men by these presents, that this indenture made
and entered into this 27th day of March A.D. 1873 by and between
me, Andrew Randolph of the first part J. S. Pool of
the second part, Trustee, and J. R. May and D. L. Landers
composing the firm of Mayson & Landers, of the third part,
is to witness, that for and in consideration of the sum of Ten
Dollars this day paid said first by said second party
said first party do - by these presents bargain sell alien
and convey and deliver unto said second party the
following described property, real and personal, lying
and being in the county of Madison and State of Mississippi
and more fully set forth as follows, viz: 1 Brown
Horse, male named Sam, 1 ox & 1 cow, bearing also
all the crop of cotton corn, and all other produce raised or
grown by said first party anywhere during the year
A.D. 1873 to have and to hold the same unto him (the
said second party) and his heirs and assigns forever
together with all the tenements appurtenances and her
editaments thereto belonging but in trust and upon
the following conditions, and none other. - Whereas the
said first party is indebted to the said third parties in
the sum of One hundred dollars an cent for money
supplies, goods, wares and merchandise heretofore advo-
ced, and to be advanced to Andrew Randolph during
the year A.D. 1873, now if, on the 1st day of Oct next said
first party shall well and truly pay to said third
parties all that is due them of said indebtedness, then
this deed to be null and void; but if, when said day
shall arrive, said first party shall not have paid
said third parties what is due them, then said second party
(or in the event of his death, or failure or neglect from any
other cause to act, then any one whom the said third
parties or either of them shall request to act) shall take
said personal property into possession, where ever found,
and shall advertise the sale of it and said lands by
posting a written notice on the front house door of

Deed signed this 27th day of March
1873 by S. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Madison County five days before the day of sale, and when said day shall arrive shall sell said property to the highest bidder for cash, at public outcry before said Court House door, and from the proceeds shall pay the amount of money due said third party and the commissions of the trustee for making sale, and the remaining money shall pay over to said first party; it being agreed further between the parties hereto that said property may remain in the possession of said first party until the day for the payment of the amount due said third parties. It is further understood and agreed that said first parties hereby trans fer, assign and set over unto said third parties all the rights which they have as laborer, against the employer for wages and work done in the crop, and as employer against laborer for supplies, said third parties to have all liens, and rights to enforce the same in any manner legal or equitable, which any and all of said first parties have against each other or any other person. And to the end that this deed may evidence a contract within the meaning and provisions of an Act of the Legislature of Mississippi entitled "An Act for the encouragement of Agriculture" approved February 18th 1867, it is further to witness that the indebtedness above mentioned is for plantation supplies for the year A. D. 1873, to enable said Andrew Randolph to operate and carry on a plantation or farm in Madison county, Mississippi during said year, to become due as aforesaid, it is agreed that it shall constitute a Prior Lien according to said law, upon said crop of cotton, corn, and all other produce of said farm - it being the intent of this deed that the said Mayson & Landers shall have all the rights and benefits to be derived from this instrument as a Deed of Trust, as well as a contract under the above entitled Law. In testimony whereof said first parties have hereto set their hands and seals, this the 27th day of March A.D. 1873.

Andrew Randolph *Seal*

State of Mississippi
County of Madison this day personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said county, Andrew Randolph, who acknowledged that he executed, signed sealed and delivered the above Deed on the day and year aforesaid, and for the purposes therein mentioned as his act and deed, given under my hand and seal of office at Canton this 27th day of March A.D. 1873.

*Seal
G. S. Jeffreys*

G. S. Jeffreys Clerk

P. A. Luckett Jr
and Mary A. Luckett his
wife. To Deed of Trust -
J. R. Powell, Trustee

Filed for Record this 27th day of
March A.D. 1873 at 1 o'clock P.M.
Recorded April 16th 1873

S. J. Jeffery, Clerk

This Deed of Trust made this 15th day of March A.D. 1873
in P. A. Luckett Jr and Mary A. Luckett his wife to J. R.
Powell to secure Robert Powell in the payment of Four
Hundred and fifty dollars this day borrowed & obtained
from the said Robert Powell for the cultivation & improvement
of the plantation of the said Mary A. Luckett the wife of
said P. A. Luckett as evidenced by the promissory note
of the said first parties of even date with this instrument
payable to the said third party or his order on the first
of November A.D. 1873, is to witness: That in consideration of
said indebtedness, incurred upon a promise to make this
Deed of Trust, the said first parties hereby bargain and
alien and convey to the said second party above named
for the uses and purposes herein mentioned, the following
described property to wit: A certain tract or parcel of land
lying and being situated in the County of Madison State
of Mississippi, more particularly described as follows a
parcel of land bounded on the west and north, by
land now belonging to John Robinson on the south by
land belonging to Joseph Lane and by the Brownsville
and Livingston road. On the east by the land of Emily And-
rews containing Sixty or Sixty-five acres more or less. Also
One Black horse named Bob, One Black mule named Jack
four years old. Also two head of cattle also a wagon and
plantation implements. And if upon the first day of
November A.D. 1873 the said indebtedness shall not
have been fully discharged, it shall be lawfull for
the said second party or any one he or the said
third party or the executor or administrator of said third
party may appoint, to seize wherever found and however
may be necessary and to sell at the door of the Court
House of Madison County Mississippi at public outcry
to the highest bidder for cash after five days notice
in writing posted at said Court House door any or all
of said property so may be necessary to execute said trust
and out of the proceeds to pay said money so due to said
third party at the time of sale and the remainder if any to said
first parties. Nevertheless if said indebtedness shall be fully
discharged by or before the first of November A.D. 1873 then
this instrument to be void, otherwise to remain in full force
and effect. Witness our hands and seals this the 15th day
of March A.D. 1873

P. A. Luckett *[Signature]*

Mary A. Luckett *[Signature]*

The State of Mississippi

Madison County

This day personally appeared

before me G.W. Wood, a Justice of the Peace in the county and State aforesaid O.A. Luckett Jr. who acknowledged that he signed sealed and delivered the within instrument of writing as his act and deed on the day and year therein named, And also Mrs Mary E. Luckett wife of the said O.A. Luckett Jr. who acknowledged on examination apart from her said husband that she voluntarily signed sealed and delivered said instrument of writing as her act and deed on the day and year therein named without any favoritism or compulsion of her said husband Given under my hand and seal this the 20th day of March 1873

G.W. Wood, J. P. [Seal]

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Richmond Gibson } Filed for Record this 27th day of March
 & Deed of Trust } A.D. 1873. at 2:30 o'clock P.M. Recorded
 J. S. Pool Trustee } April 16th. A.D. 1873

O. S. Jeffry. Clerk

At the request in writing of citizens Mayson & Landers
 I have this 12th day of November A.D. 1873 on and to
 the within Deed of Trust Ratified witness.

Know all Men by these Presents. That this instrument made and entered into this 27th day of March A.D. 1873, by and between Richmond Gibson of the first part R.S. Pool of the second part Trustee and John May and J.D. Landers comprising the firm of Mayson & Landers of the third is to witness; that for and in consideration of the sum of ten dollars this day paid said first by said second party said first party do by these presents bargain sell alien and convey and deliver unto ^{said} second party the following described property, real and personal lying and being in the county of Madison, and State of Mississippi and more fully set forth as follows viz: 1 Red Cow & Calf 1 Bay Mare named Water, also all the crop of cotton corn and all other produce raised or grown by said first party anywhere during the year A.D. 1873 to have and to hold the same unto him (the said second party) and his heirs and assigns forever, together with all the tenements appurtenances and hereditaments there to belonging: But in trust and upon the following conditions and none other: Whereas the said first party is indebted to the said third parties in the sum of Seventy Five dollars and cents for money supplied, goods wares and merchandise heretofore advanced and to be advanced to Richmond Gibson during the year A.D. 1873 now if on the 1st day of Oct next said first party shall well and truly pay to said third parties all that is due them of said indebtedness, then this deed to be null and void but if when said day shall arrive said first party shall not have paid said third parties what is due them, then said second party (or in the event of his death or failure or neglect from any other cause to act then any one whom the said third parties or either of them

shall request to act) shall take said personally property into possession, where ever found and shall advertise the sale of it and said lands by posting a written notice on the Court-house door of Madison County five days before the day of sale, and when said day shall have arrived, shall sell said property to the highest bidder, for cash at public outcry before said Court-House door, and from the proceeds shall pay the amount of money due said third party and the commissions of the trustee for making sale, and the remaining money shall pay over to said first party, it being agreed further between the parties hereto that said said property may remain in the possession of said first party until the day for the payment of the amount due said third parties. It is further understood and agreed that said first parties hereby transfer assign and set over unto said third parties all the rights, which they, have as laborer against the employer for wages and work done in the crop, and as employer against labor for supplies said third parties to have all liens and rights to enforce the same in any manner legal or equitable, which any and all of said first parties have against each other or any other person. And to the end that this deed may evidence a contract within the meaning and provisions of an Act of the Legislature of Mississippi entitled "An Act for the encouragement of Agriculture" approved February 18th 1867. It is further to witness that the indebtedness above mentioned is for plantation supplies for the year A.D. 1873, to enable said Richmond Gibson to operate and carry on a plantation or farm in Madison county Mississippi during said year to become due as aforesaid, it is agreed that it shall constitute a Prior Lein according to said law, upon said crop of cotton corn, and all other produce of said farm, it being the intent of this deed, that the said Mayson & Landus shall have all the rights and benefits to be derived from this instrument as a Deed of Trust as well as a contract under the above entitled Law; In testimony whereof said first parties have hereto set their hands and seals this the 27th day of March A.D. 1873

Richmond Gibson ^{his seal}

State of Mississippi

County of Madison This day personally appeared before me the undersigned Clerk of the Chancery Court of said county, Richmond Gibson who acknowledged that he executed signed sealed and delivered the above Deed on the day and year aforesaid, and for the purposes herein mentioned as his act and deed given under my hand and seal of office at Ganton this 27th day of March A.D. 1873

Seal

E. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Sam Lester) Filed for Record this 13th day of March A.D.,
 To Deed of Trust-) 1873, at 3:30 o'clock P.M. Recorded April
 J. R. Mayson Trustee) 16th A.D., 1873.

E. S. Jeffrey Clerk

Know all Men by these Presents: That this indenture, made and entered into this 13th day of March A.D. 1873, by and between, Sam Lester of the first part & J. R. Mayson of the second party trustee; John Lipscomb of the third part, is to witness: That for and in consideration of the sum of Ten Dollars the day paid said first by said second party, said first party do by these presents bargain sell alien and convey and deliver unto said second party the following described property, real and personal lying and being in the county of Madison and State of Illinois just and more fully set forth as follows viz: 1 Woke Oyen & Wagon 1 Moose cold Mare Mule named "Cat" also all the crop of cotton corn and all other produce raised or grown by said first party anywhere during the year A.D. 1873 to have and to hold the same unto him, (the said second party) and his heirs and assigns forever to gather with all the covenants appurtenances and hereditaments therunto belonging; But in trust and upon the following conditions "and none other" Whereas the said first party is indebted to the said third parties in the sum of Six Hundred & Fifty dollars, and cents, for money supplies goods wares and merchandise heretofore advanced and to be advanced to Sam Lester during the year A.D. 1873 now if on the 1st day of Oct next said first party shall well and truly pay to said third parties all that is due them of said indebtedness, then this deed to be null and void, but if, when said day shall arrive, said first party shall not have paid said third parties what is due them then said second party, or in the event of his death, or failure or neglect from any other cause to act, then any one whom the said third parties or either of them shall request to act, shall take said personal property into possession, where ever found, and shall advertise the sale of it and said lands bearing a written notice on the court-house door of Madison County five days before the day of sale, and when said day shall have arrived shall sell said property to the highest bidder, for cash at public outcry, before said court-house door and from the proceeds shall pay the amount of money due said third party and the commissions of the trustee for making sale and the remaining money shall pay over to said first party, it being agreed further between the parties hereto that said property may remain in the possession of said first party until the day for the payment of the amount due said third parties. It is further understood and agreed that said first parties hereby transfer assign and re-open unto said third parties all the rights which they have as laborer against the employer for wages and work done in the crop, and as employer against laborer

for supplies, said third parties all liens, and right to
 enforce the same in any manner legal or equitable, which
 any and all of said first parties have against each
 other or any other person. And to the end that this
 deed may evidence a contract within the meaning
 and provisions of an Act of the Legislature of Mississippi
 entitled "An Act for the encouragement of Agriculture"
 approved February 18th 1867. it is further to witness that
 the indebtedness above mentioned is for plantation sup-
 plies for the year A.D. 1867. To wittoe said Sam Lester
 to operate and carry on a plantation or farm in Madison
 county, Mississippi, during said year, to become due,
 as aforesaid, it is agreed that it shall constitute a Prior
 Lien, according to said law, upon said crop of cotton
 crop, and all other produce of said farm it being
 the intent of this deed, that the said John Lipscomb
 shall have all the rights and benefits to be derived
 from this instrument as a Deed of Trust as well
 as a contract under the above entitled Law. In
 testimony whereof said first parties have hereunto
 set their hands and seals this the 13 day of March
 A.D. 1873

Sam ^{his} Lester ^{Seal}

State of Mississippi }
 (County of Madison) This day personally appeared before
 the undersigned, Clerk of the Chancery Court of said
 county, Sam. Lester, who acknowledged that he
 executed signed sealed and delivered the abovesigned
 on the day and year aforesaid and for the purpose
 therein mentioned as his act and deed. Given under
 my hand and seal of office at Canton this 13th day
 of March A.D. 1873

^{for}
 Seal

E. S. Jeffrey Clerk