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with a house here in the County of Hampton the 18th day of July 1801. This Act
 of Trust was given by the acts of David Mason and John Richards on the
 witnesses then and ordered to be recorded —

Saml. K. Co.

Know
all
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by these presents that I James Harper of Hampton
 County being indebted to Thomas Mason of Superior County the sum of two
 hundred dollars current money of Va^{ts} and being willing and desirous to
 secure the payment thereof have as well for the consideration of the appraisals
 thereof all one dollar to me in hand paid by John Masfombing and John
 Myrick as trustees for the said Thomas Mason, the receipt whereof is hereby
 acknowledged — The said James Harper have granted bargained and sold and
 by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said John Masfombing
 and John Myrick the following property to wit: Seven topsoil acres of land
 lying and being in the County of Southampton bounded as follows, begin-
 ning at a gum tree standing in the corner swamp in Joseph Markers line
 thence along the said Markers line to Harolds place thence along
 the said Harolds line to Henry Barners line thence along the said
 Barners line to the Michael Parkers line thence along the said Harolds line
 and thence to the beginning. Also one negro man named Peter one negro
 woman named Jenny, two horses and six head of cattle, To have and
 to hold the said property unto the said John Masfombing and John Myrick
 their heirs and assigns in Special Trust and Confidence to the intent and
 purpose that if the said sum of two hundred dollars shall remain unpaid
 to the said Thomas Mason his heirs or assigns at the first day of
 September next that then the said John Masfombing
 and John Myrick their heirs or assigns or either of them shall after giving
 reasonable notice in person the aforesaid property to public sale at and after
 after the first day of September and with the money arising therefrom
 they pay and satisfy the aforesaid sum of two hundred dollars with interest
 and be as also the expenses attending the execution of this Trust and Sale
 (being) To Return to me the said James Harper his heirs or assigns at the
 first day of January next between hours and four
 o'clock in the afternoon of the said day of January next
 Signed and sealed and attested in presence of
 David Mason, John Richards

James Harper