

Southampton County

In the clerk's office the 20th day of February 1821
 This deed in trust was proved by the oaths of Joshua Barnett and
 Thomas Jones as to all of the parties and continued and in the clerk's
 Office the 19th of February 1821 This deed as aforesaid was acknowledged
 by Joseph B. Whitehead and as to him admitted to record in the
 Clerk's office the 20th of February 1821 This deed as aforesaid was
 proved by the oath of Sps. Thumans another notary states as to
 Henry Misch and as to him admitted to record And at a court held
 for the county aforesaid the 19th of March 1821 This deed in trust
 as aforesaid was entered upon the proceedings of the day In pursuance
 of an act of assembly in such cases made and provided

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James T. Whitehead

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This indenture made this 22nd day of December in the year
 of our Lord Christ one thousand eight hundred and twenty Present
 John Lewis the debtor of the first part Benjamin Giffen Trustee
 of the second part and Amos Johnson the creditor of the third
 part all of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia
 Whereas the said John Lewis is fully indebted unto the
 said Amos Johnson on the first and full sum of forty five
 dollars due by bond bearing date the 22nd day of December
 1820 which debt with the legal interest thereon the said John
 Lewis is willing and desirous to secure. Now this indentured witnesseth
 that for and in consideration of the above mentioned sum of
 forty five dollars with the legal interest thereon and also for the
 further consideration of the sum of one dollar to him on hand
 paid by the said Benjamin Giffen at or before the making
 and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged
 by the said John Lewis hath given granted bargained and sold
 and by these presents do grant bargain sell release and confirm
 unto the said Benjamin Giffen his heirs executors administrators
 and assigns forever the following property (to wit) Two feather
 Beds and Furniture one pair of Stairs one large iron Bed two trunks
 dishes one large basin one trunk one also two iron milk pails
 and one half horse with all the interest right title claim or
 demand of the said John Lewis on or to the above granted property
 with every part and parcel thereof unto the said Benjamin
 Giffen his heirs executors administrators or assigns forever
 to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Benjamin