

the said Plaintiff claims his hire and affirms that he the said Richard Barron his hireman  
and son shall and will warrant and forever defend the above mentioned land & premises  
unto the said Plaintiff his heirs and affirms forever against the claim or claims  
of all and every other person and persons who ever Interfered with the said Richard  
Barron hath herunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and year last above written  
Signed sealed and delivered  
in presence of }  
Richard Barron *Seal*

William Judd *Seal* Southampton County

John J. Barron

John J. Barron This Indenture was proved by the oaths of William Juddkins John J.  
<sup>mark</sup> Barron and John Rawlings the witness hereunto and admitted to record and at a Court held for  
the aforesaid County of Southampton on the 16<sup>th</sup> October 1826 This Indenture as aforesaid  
was entered upon the proceedings of the day

Teste James Rochelle *Seal*

Prince  
to  
Clouds

I know all men by these presents that I Richardson Prince have made ordained Constituted and  
appointed and by these presents do make ordain Constitute and appoint Williams Birney my brother  
of the County of Southampton my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name but to my use  
to ask demand sue for recover and receive all and every debt due or demand and every article or Specie  
as of property and every right title interest & therein which now is due or hereafter may become due  
to me or which does or hereafter may belong or may be apportioned to me in the Commonwealth  
of Virginia and for that purpose to execute any legal document voucher or acquittance necessary  
to effectuate the object and also to sell and Convey all and every right title and interest which I  
now hold and enjoy or may hereafter hold or recover to such person and in such manner as he  
may Judge best and particularly to receive my proportion of the avails of the Sale lately effected under  
the authority of a decree of Superior Court in chancery of my interest in a manor or reversion of  
certain lands helden for life by the widow of my deceased Father if he should be unable to  
effect a recovery of the said Decree and Sale so far as my interest therein is concerned and moreover  
to transact all my business of every description in the said Commonwealth in as ample & full  
a manner as I myself could do were I personally present hereby ratifying & confirming whatever  
my said attorney shall lawfully do or cause to be done in or about the premises. In testimony whereof  
have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my Seal this 12<sup>th</sup> day of June 1826

sealed & delivered  
in presence of }  
James Phillips

Richardson Prince *Seal*

James Phillips *Seal* Southampton County

Curtis Land

In the clerks office the 15<sup>th</sup> June 1826 This  
Power of attorney was proved by James Phillips and Curtis Land the witness hereunto sealed & delivered  
to record And at a Court held for the aforesaid County of Southampton on the 16<sup>th</sup> Oct 1826 This  
Power of attorney as aforesaid was entered upon the proceedings of the day

Teste James Rochelle *Seal*

Examined  
and allowed to  
E. D. Hale

July 27/1830.

This Indenture made and entered into on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 1826 by and between  
Alexander Myrick of the County of Southampton of the one part and Edwin Peale of the County of  
Westmoreland in the State of Virginia that whereas on the 12<sup>th</sup> day of August 1820 Jeptha P. Drake  
executed to the said Alexander Myrick a deed in Trust to all the interest he had in the land  
of Jeremiah Drake his deceased Father to secure to Clements Rochelle William E. Daugherty &  
John C. Peale Commissioners appointed to sell and divide the estate of Jeremiah Drake  
deed a certain debt thereon mentioned and the said Alexander Myrick being required by  
the said Commissioners to advertise and sell all the interest the said Jeptha P. Drake  
and myself as of in the lands of his deed Father and to the said Alexander Myrick  
after giving thirty days notice of the same and expose to public sale the same  
and that Edwin Peale became the purchaser thereof at the highest bidder from