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Cooper acknowledged the same to be her act and deed and declared that she had willingly
signed said and delivered the same and that she wished not to retract it Given under
our hands & seals this 30th of December 1826

Southampton County,

William L. Everett, JP Esq
William E. Daugherty JP Esq

In the Clerk's office the 30th December 1826 This Indenture
was acknowledged by Coleman Cooper and together with the certificate thereon endorsed certifying
the acknowledgment & sworn examination of Martha Cooper the wife of the said Coleman the parties
forth and admitted to record And at a Court held for the aforesaid County of Southampton on the
15th January 1827 This Indenture and Certificate as aforesaid were entered upon the proce-
ings of the day

To wit

James Rochelle cl^k

Ind
to
Hill

Where William Hicks and John M. Jeffries being mutually chosen and appointed
by Patrick Pond and John A. Hill to settle arbitrate and report all matters in difference between
them touching the Guardianship of the said Pond he being the Guardian of the said John
A. Hill and Martha Hill and Executor of the said Martha who devised her whole Estate
to the aforesaid John A. Hill of Equal date, amount and mutual agreement having been
entered into between the said Hill and Pond before the said referees examined the accounts
of the said Pond touching the premises aforesaid, do say and agree in their award arbitrament
having examined all the debts & credits shown to them by the said Pond which were supported
by sufficient vouchers do award and say that the said John A. Hill is indebted to the said Pond the sum of one hundred & twenty
dollars & ninety three Cents given under our hands & seals this 10th January 1827

Wm. L. Everett JP Esq

William Hicks Esq

John M. Jeffries Esq

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At a Court held for the County of Southampton on the 15th January 1827 This
Indenture award was proved by the oath of Edmund P. Walltham one of the Justices of the Peace
& ordered to be recorded

To wit James Rochelle cl^k

Hill
to
Pond

Know all men by these presents that I John A. Hill am held and firmly bound unto
Patrick Pond in the just & full sum of Two Thousand dollars to be paid to the said Pond
his heirs &c to the true payment of which I bind myself my heirs Executors firmly by
these presents sealed with my seals and dated this 10th day of January 1827 The condition of
the above obligation is such that whereas the above named Pond was chosen Guardian
by the said Hill and Martha Hill his intestate deceased (and qualified as such
in the County of Southampton and State of Virginia and in the County of Norfolk
North Carolina and whereas the said Martha Hill since the qualification of the
said Pond as her Guardian has departed this life having made her last
Will and Testament nominating the said Pond as her Executor who qualified as such
in which Will she devised the whole of her Estate to the said John Hill in now of
age and with the approbation and Consent of the said Pond is willing & desires
that the actings of the said Pond as Guardian for himself and Peter Martha
as well as Executor of the said Martha shall be settled and adjusted between
them without the interference of the Court here and do mutually agree to submit
all the aforesaid accounts to the said award and Arbitrament of William Hicks
and John M. Jeffries or their assigns either of the said Hill shall law-
fully arise by the award and arbitrament of the said Hicks & Jeffries or their
assigns then this obligation to be void unless to remain in full force &
virtue In witness whereof the said Hill has hereunto set hand