

This Indenture made and entered into this 19th day of February the year 1828,
 Between John Drake of the first part Samuel Kello of the second part and Seth R Strong
 of the third part all of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia being such that
 whereas the said John Drake stands justly indebted to the said Seth R Strong & Co by
 promissory note for the sum of one hundred ninety eight dollars and sixty cents bearing date
 the 19th day of February 1828. being ordered and the same day and the said John
 Drake being anxious to secure and assure to the said Seth R Strong & Co the amount
 of the aforesaid note amounting as aforesaid to the sum of one hundred & ninety eight
 Dollars & 60 cents together with the legal interest which may have been
 Now this Indenture further witnesseth that the said John Drake for & in
 consideration of the premises aforesaid as well the sum of one dollar to him the said
 Drake then hereof paid by the said Samuel Kello paid the receipt whereof the said
 Drake before the signing and delivery of these presents doth hereby acknowledge
 hath granted bargained and sold and by these presents doth grant bargain & sell
 unto the said Samuel Kello & his heirs the following property to wit One negro man
 Bob and the said John Drake for himself and his heirs & assigns doth hereby covenant
 promise and agree to warrant and defend the right and title of the aforesaid
 negro man Bob upon this special Trust and Confidence that if the said John
 Drake shall on or before the 19th day of April 1828. pay to the said Seth R Strong & Co
 the aforesaid sum of one hundred and ninety eight dollars & 60 cents with the legal
 interest thereon then this Indenture to become void but if on the contrary the said
 John Drake should fail in paying to the said Seth R Strong & Co the aforesaid sum of
 money with interest thereon then the said Samuel Kello at the request of the said Seth R
 Strong & Co or the said John Drake shall immediately proceed to sell at some public
 place in this County designated by the parties hereto or the majority of them the
 aforesaid negro Bob to the highest bidder for Cash and out of the proceeds of the
 sale first pay all the expenses attending the execution of this Trust and then
 pay and discharge the aforesaid sum of one hundred and ninety eight dollars & 60¢
 with interest to the said Seth R Strong & Co or to his representatives and if any
 surplus should remain pay the same to the said John Drake his heirs & Co and
 the said John Drake further agrees to and with the said Seth R Strong & Co
 and Samuel Kello that he will at any time at Seth R Strong & Co request
 after the aforesaid 19th April 1828. deliver to the said Samuel Kello the aforesaid negro man
 Bob for the purpose aforesaid and the said Samuel Kello agrees with the parties
 hereto to do and perform what upon him these presents doth require In Testimony
 whereof the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands & affixed their
 seals this the day & year first above written
 Signed Sealed and delivered
 in presence of

John Drake
 Samuel Kello
 Seth R Strong & Co

Southampton County In the Clerk's Office 19th February 1828. This Indenture
 was acknowledged by the said John Drake & Samuel Kello two of the parties thereto & admitted to record
 at a Court held for the County aforesaid the 17th March 1828. the said Indenture was entered
 upon the proceedings of the day.

Teste James M. [Signature]