

Nicholson
To
Pate

Know all men by these presents that I Charlotte Nicholson of the County of Southampton for and in consideration of the natural love and affection which I bear to my Grandson William Pate son of Alexander Pate of the County aforesaid as well as for the further consideration of the sum of five dollars to me in hand paid at or before the making or delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have given and granted, and by these presents do give and grant unto the said William Pate his Executors, administrators and assigns for ever the following negro slaves to wit: Polly, Pamel, Henry, Albert and Jack Negro woman Hannah and her child Marcus To have and to hold the said negro slaves with the future increase of the females thereof unto him the said William Pate his Executors administrators and assigns forever: And the said Charlotte Nicholson for herself her Executors administrators and assigns, the said negro slaves above mentioned and the future increase of the females thereof unto the said William Pate his Executors administrators and assigns against the claim of her the said Charlotte Nicholson her Executors and administrators and against the claim or claims of all and every person or persons whatsoever shall and lawfully can and lawfully will defend themselves by these presents Witness whereof the said Charlotte Nicholson hath hereunto set her hand and affixed her seal this 17th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one

Signed sealed & acknowledged

Charlotte Nicholson (Seal)

In presence of
John L. Barham Southampton County In the Clerk's Office the 17th day of August 1831
Joseph H. Barham This Deed was acknowledged by the oath of John L. Barham and Joseph H. Barham Justices of the Peace admitted to record and acknowledged for the County aforesaid the 19th day of September 1831 The said Deed being entered upon the proceedings of the day

Teste James Rockwell

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Know all men by these presents that I Charlotte Nicholson of the County of Southampton and held and firmly bound unto Alexander P. Pate of the same County in the just sum of Two thousand dollars to be paid to the said Alexander P. Pate his certain Attorney his Executors administrators or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made I bind myself my heirs Executors and assigns firmly by these presents sealed with my seal and dated this 17th day of August 1831. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above named Charlotte Nicholson and Alexander P. Pate on or about the last of December 1830 did jointly execute two notes or Bonds to William Richardson for the sum of five hundred dollars each with an endorsement on each of the said notes or Bonds that the sum of money thereby secured should not be demanded until Mary Richardson the wife of the said Richardson should relinquish her right of dower in a certain tract or parcel of land conveyed by the said John P. Richardson to the said Alexander P. Pate and Charlotte Nicholson by Deed bearing date the 9th day of January 1830 and admitted to record the same day which bonds or notes have been transferred to and are now in the possession of a certain Thomas Patten and since the execution of the said two bonds or notes an arrangement has been made between the said Charlotte Nicholson and Alexander P. Pate by which it is understood between them the said Charlotte Nicholson and Alexander P. Pate by which the said Charlotte Nicholson is to pay