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Evans

To

Wams

This Indenture made this 8<sup>th</sup> day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one between Emery Evans a free man of black complexion about twenty four years of age five feet eight and a half inches high of the County of Southampton of the first part, and Elizabeth Hanes of the said County of the second part witnesseth that the said Emery Evans being desirous and willing and of his own will and accord to set and convey his freedom and become a servant to the said Elizabeth Hanes and for the further consideration of the sum of One dollar to have the said Emery Evans in hand paid by the said Elizabeth Hanes the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do give grant bargain and sell himself to be a servant slave during his life unto the said Elizabeth Hanes and further the said Emery Evans doth for himself and every other person or persons who may be concerned do warrant the right and title of himself unto the said Elizabeth Hanes of him the said Emery Evans and all and every other persons witnesseth whereof the said Emery Evans hath hereby acknowledged that the true intent and meaning of this instrument is to convey his freedom and liberty as a free man unto the said Elizabeth Hanes and the parties have hereunto set their hands and seals this day and year above written

Giles Reed

Emery <sup>his</sup> Evans (Seal)  
maid  
Elizabeth <sup>his</sup> Hanes (Seal)  
maid

Treasy Barnes

Southampton County In the Clerk's office the 21<sup>st</sup> day of November 1831-  
This Indenture was ~~acknowledged~~ by the oath of Treasy Barnes one of the witnesses  
whereof having been produced in the Clerk's office the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November 1831-  
by the oath of Giles Reed also a party, whereof is admitted to record a Proclamation  
of the County aforesaid the 19<sup>th</sup> day of December 1831. The said Indenture was  
entered upon the proceedings of the day

Teste James Rachell Esq

Hathcock  
To  
Barnes

This Indenture made this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December in the year 1831. Between Clara  
is a free woman of color of the County of Southampton of the first part  
and Edwin Barnes of the said County of the second part and his son John P Barnes  
of the third part. Witnesseth that the said Clara being desirous and willing  
and of her own accord to sell and convey her freedom and become a servant to the said  
John P Barnes and for the further consideration of the sum of one dollar to have the  
said Clara a Hathcock in hand paid by the said Edwin Barnes the receipt whereof  
is hereby acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do  
give grant bargain and herself to be a servant during her life unto the said Edwin  
Barnes in trust for the benefit of his son John P Barnes and further the said Clara  
doth for herself and every other person or who might be concerned warrant the right and title  
of herself and her increase unto him the said Edwin Barnes Trustee against the claim and de-  
mand of her the said Clara a Hathcock and all and every other person or persons at  
Witnesseth whereof the said Clara hereby acknowledges that the true intent and mean-  
ing of this instrument is to convey her freedom and liberties as a free woman unto the  
said Edwin Barnes in trust for his son John P Barnes and the parties have hereunto  
set their hands and seals the day and year above written

Treasy Barnes  
David <sup>his</sup> son

Clarissa <sup>her</sup> Hathcock (Seal)  
Emry Barnes (Seal)  
Jno P Barnes (Seal)