

the same to be thus out and paid and that they had willingly bought, sold and delivered
the same and wished not to retract it. Given under our own hands and seals this 17th day of
March in the Year of our Lord 1834.

Saml. H. Duck
W. H. Ballard
T. J. [unclear]

Southampton County In the Clerk's Office the 19th day of March 1832
This Indenture was acknowledged by Matthew Daughton and together with the certificate
stands witness of the said Examination and relinquishment of Dower of Nancy Daughton
wife of the said Matthew Daughton and Polly Daughton wife of Lemuel a District
Court held at a Court held for the County aforesaid the 21st day of May 1832
The said Indenture and Certificate were returned upon the proceedings of the
T. J. James [unclear]

Georgia County Court of Ordinary July Term 1831.
Whereas William B. Stephens, Thomas B. Shad and Martin M. Perryman
Guardians of Nathan Hamis, Francis, Edmund and Elizabeth Hamis have made application
to the Court of Ordinary of said County for leave to sell the following negroes viz. Tom, Henry
and Mary for their benefit and when a legal application had been made for the said purpose.
It is ordered by the Court of Ordinary that the said Guardians have leave to sell the said negroes
for the use and benefit of their respective Heirs July 4th 1831. A true copy from the records
of the Court this the 20th October 1831.

Chas. M. Carthy Clerk
To
Edward

George }
Southampton } This Indenture made this the 20th day of October one thousand eight hundred and
thirty one between William B. Stephens Guardian of Nathan Hamis, Thomas B. Shad Guardian
of Nancy Hamis and Francis Hamis and Thomas Perryman Husband of Martha M. Perryman
and the present Guardian of Edwin Hamis and Elizabeth Hamis of the County and State aforesaid
of the one part, and Peter Edwards of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia of the other
part. Witnesseth that whereas the Court of Ordinary for the County and State first aforesaid had granted
leave to the Guardians aforesaid to sell certain negroes viz. Tom, Henry and Mary mentioned in the
above order and for the purposes therein recited. Now for and in consideration of the sum of several hundred
Dollars by the said Peter Edwards to the said William B. Stephens, Thomas B. Shad and Thomas
Perryman Guardians as aforesaid in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged the said
William B. Stephens, Thomas B. Shad and Thomas Perryman Guardians of aforesaid have
granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said
Peter Edwards his heirs and assigns the following negro to wit Tom, Henry, and Mary their
and to hold the above mentioned negroes to the said Peter Edwards his heirs and assigns forever
And the said William B. Stephens, Thomas Shad and Thomas Perryman as Guardians
aforesaid the said negroes unto the said Peter Edwards his heirs Executors and administrators
with us await and forever defend against the claim of themselves as Guardians and against the
claim of all persons whatsoever In Testimony whereof the said Guardians have hereunto set
their hands and seals the day and year above written
Signed sealed and acknowledged
before me

Robert Woodman J.P.

W. B. Stephens Guardian of [unclear]
Nathan Hamis
Thomas B. Shad Guardian of [unclear]
Nancy Hamis and Francis Hamis
Thos Perryman Guardian of [unclear]
Hamis and Elizabeth Hamis