Pete to Parker

This Indenture made this 16 day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and thirty two between Alexander P. Pete of the County of Southampton of the first part, Harry Harris, John T. Mason, Orris A. Browne, William R. Goodwyn, Spratley Williams the legal representatives of James Ridland deceased, William Parker, George A. W. Newsome and Mark Pete of the second part and William C. Parker as Trustee for the other parties hereto for the purposes hereinafter mentioned of the third part. Whereas the said Alexander P. Pete is embarrassed in his circumstances and is liable to the parties hereto of the second part as responsible for him as security for divers considerable sums of money, and and he is likewise indebted to the said Mark Pete as Guardian that is to say the said Harry Harris is bound as his security in a bond to Joseph Eland for the sum of to J. Drew for the sum of to Lewis Harris for the sum of one thousand dollars to William Whitehead and in a forthcoming bond payable to Mills Lawrence for the sum of and also in a forthcoming Bond payable to Samuel Drewry for the sum of and the said John T. Mason and Orris A. Browne are securities for the said Alexander P. Pete's faithful administration on the estate of Edward Rose deceased and the said William R. Goodwyn is security for the said Alexander P. Pete in a Bond executed to Jesse Hall for the sum of $1000. and the said Spratley Williams is security to the said Alexander P. P. Pete in a bond to George A. W. Newsome and the said James Ridland in his lifetime was security for the said Alexander P. Pete in a bond to William Briggs for the sum of and the said William Parker and George A. W. Newsome as securities for the said Alexander P. Pete in a Bond to Willis Cousins for the sum of $1000. and the said Alexander P. Pete is indebted to the said Mark Pete as Guardian for the sum of and also by two Bonds for the amount of executed by the said Alexander P. Pete to the said Mark Pete and whereas the said Alexander P. Pete deems it right and proper that he should endeavour to secure the said parties if possible against any pecuniary loss injury or inconvenience in consequence of their said embarrassings and liabilities. Now this indenture witnesseth that the said Alexander P. Pete for and in consideration of the premises and of the sum of five dollars to him in hand paid by the said William C. Parker hath bargained, sold, conveyed and delivered and by these presents doth bargain, sell, convey and deliver unto the said William C. Parker and his assigns forever the following property, to wit Slaves, Ben, Isaac, Washington Parham, Tom Belcher, little Tom, Henry, Jordan, Bob, Tom, a Cooper, and his two children Nancy and Child, Alma and her four children, Eliza, Rachel and her four children Pleasant and Child, Henry Chesnut and the future increase of the said female slaves all his growing Crops of Corn, fodder and Cotton all his farming utensils two stills and Canes Household and Kitchen furniture Cotton Gin Waggon and the four mules belonging to the Waggon together with all his other stock whatsoever, consisting of mules, horses, hogs Cattle and sheep and one Gig and harness To have and to hold the said property to him and his assigns forever upon trust, nevertheless and this Indenture is upon this express condition that if the said Alexander P. Pete his heirs Executors or administrators shall well and truly pay and satisfy the said sums of money for which the said parties hereto of the second part are bound as his securities and shall well and truly relieve discharge and exonerate the said parties each and every of them from all loss injury and future liability therefor and shall well and truly pay and satisfy the said Mark Pete all sums of money due to him as Guardian aforesaid as well as the amount of the two Bonds aforesaid