

December. 1832.

The words. "Made for the benefit of the Poor" were  
interlined before signing.

John Denys (Signed)

Southampton County In the Clerks Office the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1832  
This Indenture was acknowledged by John Denys Party Plaintiff and admitted to record  
and at a Court held for the County of Southampton the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January 1833 The said Indenture  
was entered upon the proceeding of the day

Test. James Rochester Esq.

This Indenture made and entered into on the day of December A.D. 1832 between John Denys  
of the first part & William R. Edwards of the second part and Stephen Munden of the  
third part all of the County of Southampton in the State of Virginia. Whereas the said John Denys  
Rochester is party indebted to the said Stephen Munden in the following sum of money  
to wit the sum of Eight hundred and Ninety dollars and fifty four cents due by bond bearing  
date the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1832 the further sum of One hundred and Eighty dollars nineteen  
cents by Bond bearing date the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1832 the further sum of Seven hundred  
dollars by Bond dated the 22<sup>nd</sup> December 1832 and the further sum of Two hundred and two  
dollars 76 cents by date the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of December 1832 and due December 25. 1833 and  
the said Stephen Munden is the security of the said John Denys Rochester to a bond ex-  
ecuted to him 13<sup>th</sup> Decr. for the sum of Three hundred and Eighty six dollars three cents dated the  
22<sup>nd</sup> day of December 1832. And the said John Denys Rochester being willing and desirous  
to secure the payment of the aforesaid sum of money due the said Munden as well as  
to indemnify and save him of the said Munden from all loss damage or inconveniences  
which he may sustain on account of his said security which hath agreed to convey the prop-  
erty herein aforementioned unto the said William R. Edwards in trust to be sold for that  
purpose. Now therefore this Indenture witnesseth that the said John Denys  
Rochester as well for and in consideration of the premises aforesaid as for the further con-  
sideration of the sum of one dollar to him by the said William R. Edwards in hand paid  
the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath given granted bargained and sold  
and by these presents doth give grant bargain and sell and confirm unto the said William R. Edwards  
his heirs and assigns forever the following property to-wit One tract of land  
containing one hundred and Sixty Eight acres bounded by the lands of the heirs of Robert  
H. Beanes and others One other tract of land containing two hundred and Eighty two  
acres bounded by the lands of Littlebury Mason, Arthur Middleton and others, one other  
tract containing One hundred and Sixty one acres which was allotted to the said Rochester  
out of the lands of Lawrence Cook etc. also the following slaves to-wit One negro man  
named Gilbert, One woman named Lucy and her two children Tempery and Tom one girl  
named Martha One man named Danl one other Heston. One woman named Esther and her two children  
Tempery and Danl and the future increase of the females of said slaves to have and to  
hold the estate and property aforesaid under him the said William R. Edwards & his heirs  
and assigns forever. Upon this special trust and confidence that the said William R.  
Edwards when ever requested by the said Munden or his assigns having given at  
least twenty days previous public notice of the time and place of sale set up and all  
at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the property aforesaid or so much  
thereof as shall be necessary and out of the monies arising therefrom first payed