

Southampton County In the Clerk's Office the 29th day of October 1842.

This certificate of the jury examination and acknowledgment of Mary Nicholson was this day returned and admitted to record

Teste L.R. Edwards Clk

Nicholson
to
Barham Trustee
G. G.
Had to
McCurley
April 13

This Indenture made the 31st day of October 1842 between Albert M. Nicholson of the one part John M. Gurley of the second part and Joseph A. Barham of the third part all of the County of Southampton & State of Virginia. Witnesseth that the said Albert M. Nicholson in order to secure the following debts a bond is covenanted to Jos A. Barham for about fifteen dollars due Jan'y. 1/1842. one other bond executed by the same to the same due Jan'y. 1/1842 for the sum of fifty three dollars & 40 cts. One other bond executed by the same to the same dated October 31/1842 and payable Jan'y. 1/1842 for the sum of two hundred and twenty dollars. and in consideration of the sum of one dollar in hand paid by the said John M. Gurley at a before the making and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged. He the said Albert M. Nicholson hath granted, bargained and sold and by these presents doth grant bargain & sell unto the said John M. Gurley all right and title I have in and to the following Slaves Negro man Isaac, Moses boy Washington and girl Rebecca also my interest in all the Slaves now held as shown by Mrs Ann Brown which devolved to her by her intermarriage with my deceased father, Robert Nicholson. and also all my right title and interest in the above land now held by the aforesaid Ann Brown. To Have and To Hold the said Slaves and Land herein before mentioned to be hereby granted, with them and every of their appurtenances unto the said John M. Gurley his heirs executors administrators and assigns forever. Upon Trust nevertheless that the said John M. Gurley shall as soon as required by either of the parties hereto advertise the property hereby conveyed, at three or more public places within County, giving at least twenty days notice of the time and place of sale proceed to sell to the highest bidder at public auction the aforesaid property, and out of the monies arising from such sale in the first place to pay and satisfy all reasonable charges attending such sale and then the debt above mentioned and the residue if any remain pay to the aforesaid Albert M. Nicholson his executors, administrators, or to such person or persons, as he by his writing shall appoint to receive the same. In witness whereof we the parties hereto have this day & date first above written set our hands and affixed our seals.

Albert M. Nicholson (Seal)

Jos^r M. Gurley (Seal)

Joseph A. Barham (Seal)

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This deed of trust between Albert M. Nicholson of the first part John M. Gurley of the second part and Joseph A. Barham of the third part was acknowledged by the said Nicholson & Barham two of the parties thereto and admitted to record

Teste L.R. Edwards Clk

Murrell
to
Barham Trustee
G. G.
Had to
McCurley
April 13

This Indenture made and entered into this second day of November in the year of our Lord 1842 between Robert Murrell of the first party John M. Gurley of the second part and Joseph A. Barham of the third part all of the County of Southampton & State of Virginia. Witnesseth that whereas the said Robert Murrell has become bound unto the said Jos A. Barham in one written obligation for three hundred dollars bearing date on the 15th day of October 1842

which said debt a deed in trust had been made to secure, but in order to more effectually to secure the same the said Robert Murrell for and in consideration of the above sum of three hundred dollars as also one dollar in hand paid him by the said John M. Gurley the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged by the said Robert Murrell he the said Murrell hath granted, bargained and sold &