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dated to T.J.  
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This Indenture made and entered into this County sixth day of January 1843  
between Thomas J Prettlow of the one part and Thomas Prettlow of the other part both  
of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia. Whereas Bennett J Griffin in  
order to provide for the payment of a certain sum of money due from him to Thomas  
Prettlow did by Indenture bearing date the 29<sup>th</sup> day of November 1837 & admitted  
to Record in the Clerks Office of Southampton on the same day, and submitted to me  
again on the 15<sup>th</sup> of April 1839 come unto the said Thomas Prettlow his heirs & assigns  
the following property to wit one tract or parcel of land containing two hundred and  
fifty acres be the same more or less being the same whereon said Bennet J Griffin  
then resided and lying in the County of Southampton and in the parish of Notley  
and bounded as follows, on the east by the lands of Thomas Huntly west by the lands of John  
Charles, north by the lands of George Johnson & Thomas Huntley south by the lands  
of Thomas James & Matthew Wells. In trust nevertheless and with power of authority  
to the said Thomas J Prettlow to sell the said tract of land for the purpose of paying the said  
debt and the expenses attending the execution of the said trust. And whereas the said  
Thomas J Prettlow in execution of the trust confided to him (having fixed on the day &  
place of sale and given reasonable publick notice thereof) did on the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November  
1842 set up & sell at publick auction to the highest bidder for cash the above mentioned  
tract or parcel of land and at the sale so made Thomas Prettlow became the purchaser  
of the said tract or parcel of land and premises bidding therefor the sum of four hundred  
and twenty five dollars that being the highest bid made for the same. Now therefore  
this indenture witnesseth that the said Thomas J Prettlow for and in consideration  
of the said sum of four hundred & twenty five dollars to him in hand paid by the  
said Thomas Prettlow (the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) hath granted bargained  
and sold, and by these presents does grant bargain and sell unto the said Thomas Prettlow  
his heirs & assigns the said tract or parcel of land herein above mentioned & described  
together with the appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining to have  
and to hold the said above described tract or parcel of land and premises with  
their appurtenances unto him the said Thomas Prettlow his heirs and assigns forever  
And the said Thomas J Prettlow hereby covenants to and with the said Thomas Prettlow  
his heirs & assigns that the said Thomas J Prettlow will warrant and defend the title to  
the premises hereby conveyed unto him the said Thomas Prettlow his heirs & assigns against  
the right title claim & demands of him the said Thomas J Prettlow and the claiming  
by through or under him but against no other person or persons whomsoever.  
In Testimony whereof the said Thomas J Prettlow hath hereunto set his hand  
and affixed his seal the day and year first herein aforesaid.

Thomas J Prettlow Seal

Southampton County.

In the Clerks Office the 29<sup>th</sup> day of January 1843  
This deed of bargain & sale from Thomas J Prettlow to Thomas Prettlow was set  
up & admitted to Record by said Thomas J Prettlow Teste L.R. Edwards