

remaining to be null and void. And it is further stipulated and agreed by and between the said Robert Williams and Richard Clouper that the said Robert Williams shall retain the possession of the said tract of land until he shall be required to surrender the same for the purpose of being sold for the satisfaction of said debt in writup which with the said Robert Williams and Richard Clouper as trustees have hereunto set our hands and seals this 15th March AD 1848.

Signed, Sealed, acknowledged and delivered in presence of

Robert Williams *(Seal)*
Richard Clouper *(Seal)*

the word said, interlined before signing

Wm. D. Williams

Bouthampton County.

Alexander Britt

H. T. Smith

Riddick

In the Clerk's Office the 14th day of April 1848.

This Deed of Trust from Robert Williams to Richard Clouper for the benefit of Henry L. Williams was proved by the oaths of Alexander Britt, Sumner T. Smith & Riddick then of the witnesses thereto and admitted to the records

Teste L. R. Edwards *(Seal)*

This Indenture made and entered into this seventeenth day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty three, between Wilton Gay, of the County of Southampton of the first part, John T. Sudkins, of the second part, and William Sudkins of the third part, mutually that whereas the said Wilton Gay stands justly indebted to said William Sudkins in the sum of forty two dollars by note, bearing date the twentieth day of March, one thousand eight hundred & forty three; also one other bond of twenty five dollars bearing the same date, and due the 20th day of December next, they being accepted for land rent for three several years, as set forth in said notes. Now therefore, in order to secure the payment of the aforesaid bonds together with all legal interest expenses and cost arising from the execution of this Indenture and for the further sum of one dollar in hand paid, the said John T. Sudkins trustee chosen and appointed by the said Wilton Gay and William Sudkins; the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged by the said Wilton Gay hath granted, bargained and sold unto the said John T. Sudkins the following property, to wit: one negro man two horses two head of cattle, twelve head of hogs two beds of furniture, cart and wheels, together with all the crop of corn fodder and brandy which may or shall in any manner be raised this present year, on the aforesaid land and plantation, either by himself or by any other person or persons who may be employed to cultivate and raise such crop; and I do further more bind myself, my heirs, executors and administrators to defend the title to the foregoing property, unto the said John T. Sudkins his heirs and assigns forever notwithstanding that should the said Wilton Gay, his heirs, executors or administrators pay, or come to be paid unto the said William Sudkins his heirs or assigns the aforesaid sums of money, together with all legal interest expenses and cost as aforesaid, on or before the twenty fifth day of December

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To

Exam^d J^r