

Southampton County. In the Clerk's Office the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July 1842.  
This Deed of trust between Sarah Lenox of the first part & John A. W. Tamm  
of the second part and William C. Parker and others of the third part was entered  
into by said Sarah Lenox & Nelson B. Parker & Grafton S. Williamson for  
the parties above and admitted to Record.

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This instrument made the 21<sup>st</sup> day of July in the year of our Lord 1842  
between Thomas Grafton and Clara Ashton his wife of the County of Southampton  
of the one part, and Jane A. Anne, Mary Butler, Margaret E. Grafton & Julia L.  
Jordan & and Samuel B. Parker of the said County of the other part. Whiche  
that whereas Thomas Butler late of the County of Southampton departed this life on  
21<sup>st</sup> day of June 1842 after having first executed his last will and Testament and  
whereas doubt having arisen as to the disposition of that part of his estate (real) due  
to his wife, being in plantation wherein the said Thomas Butler resided at the time of  
his death, now therefore in order to secure an equal and just distribution of the estate  
of the said Thomas Butler among all his children as well as for the sum of one mill  
lireful money of the U. States to them the said Thomas Grafton and Clara Ashton a  
sum paid by the said Jane A. Anne, Mary Butler, Margaret E. Grafton & Julia L.  
Jordan & and Samuel B. Parker at or before the sealing and delivery of this  
instrument the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged. The said Thomas Grafton and the  
A. his wife hath given granted sold and confirmed and by these presents doth give up  
all and singular unto the said Jane A. Anne, Mary Butler, Margaret E. Grafton  
& Julia L. Jordan & and Samuel B. Parker their heirs and assigns four  
all rights interest and title in property personal or otherwise which they should  
have in Thomas Grafton and Clara A. his wife his or may have in the said Thomas Butler  
Thomas Butler resided at the time of his death to gather and make application on  
deeds belonging or appertaining to him and to hold the said premises or part of them  
all interest right and title as agreed with its appertinences to the said Jane A.  
Anne, Mary Butler, Margaret E. Grafton & Julia L. Jordan & Samuel B. Parker  
their heirs and assigns to the only purpose and end before mentioned  
Jane A. Anne, Mary Butler, Margaret E. Grafton & Julia L. Jordan & and Samuel B. Parker  
and their heirs and assigns forever. And the said Thomas  
Grafton and Clara A. his wife and their heirs and assigns forever  
hereof of record note when the said Jane A. Anne, Mary Butler, Margaret E. Grafton  
& Julia L. Jordan & Samuel B. Parker their heirs and  
assigns against the claim of the said Thomas Grafton and Clara A. his wife  
their heirs and all other persons whatsoever claiming under or through them and  
such will by them granted over and power released. In witness whereof they have  
hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

J. F. Parker

Clara A. Parker Esq.