

she came to the said Mills Pape against the claim or claims of them the said B. B. Nash and H. Benson and all persons claiming by or under them or either of them the said Witness whereby the parties to these presents have heretofore set their hands and affixed their seals this day and year first above written

Witness

W. H. Briggs

William Benson

Thos. Magist

Southampton County In the Clerk's office this 9th day of October 1863

This deed of release from B. D. Wright Nash and Richard Benson to Mills Pape was proved by the oaths W. H. Briggs William Benson and Thomas Magist the witnesses thereto and admitted to record

Teste. L. R. Edwards C. C.

Pape
To

Richard Benson

Grand 30

This Indenture made this 9th day of October A.D. 1863 between Mills Pape of the first part, B. D. Wright Nash of the second part and Richard Benson of the third part, witnesses the said Mills Pape stands fully indebted unto the said Richard Benson in the just and full sum of three thousand and twenty five dollars and twenty six Cents and by bond bearing even date with these presents And Whereas the said Mills Pape is desirous to receive and each agreed to secure the payment of the said debt and interest with all charges attending the same as incurred by reason of the premises by conveying the property hereafter mentioned unto the said B. D. Wright Nash the first named or assignee the Trust (Now Therefore) This Indenture Witnesseth that the said Mills Pape in consideration of the premises and of the further consideration of one dollar to him by the said Trustee in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath bargained and sold Confirmed assigned and Made over and do hereby these presents bargain and sell Confirm assign and Make over unto the said B. D. Wright Nash the following property to wit one Certain tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Southampton and adjoining the lands of Thomas D. Knight Charles C. B. White & Richard Benson containing by estimation three hundred and thirty seven acres less the same more or less one Negro Man named Will To have and to hold the aforementioned tract of land and premises aforesaid unto the said B. D. Wright Nash his heirs and assigns forever In Testimony whereof the said Mills Pape shall retain possession of the said tract of land & cargo above conveyed until the said B. D. Nash shall be requested by either of the parties to make delivery of the said land & cargo at public auction to the highest bidder for cash after giving reasonable public notice of the time and place of sale And out of the proceeds of such sale in the first place to discharge all legal and usual and attorney's fees of such sale in the second place to pay and satisfy the said debt and the salary this Conveyance in the second place to pay and satisfy the said debt first united to the said B. D. Nash and the surplus of any sum paid over to the said Mills Pape or his heirs assigns or assigns In witness whereof the said parties have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals

This day & year first above written
Signed sealed and delivered
in presence of
W. H. Briggs
William Benson
Thos. Magist

Mills Pape
B. D. Wright Nash
Richard Benson

Southampton
This deed of
part and R.
Benson and

This Teste

William Benson
To
Barrett

Grand 30

Witness
Barrett

William Benson
of the County
of Southampton
do hereby certify
that the within
deed was duly
recorded in the
office of the
Clerk of the
County of Southampton
this 9th day of
October 1863
and that the
same is a true
and correct
copy of the
original as the
same appears
from the
records of the
County of Southampton
this 9th day of
October 1863
L. R. Edwards
C. C.