

Southampton County, in the Clerk's Office the 20th day of September 1847.
This Deed of Bargain and sale from Thos. A. Scoggins and wife to William
Brist was acknowledged by said T. A. Scoggins one of the parties thereto and together
with the certificate of the jury, examination and acknowledgment of the wife admitted
to Record.

Teste J. R. Edwards Esq.

This Indenture made this 11th day of September 1847 between William H. Mason
and Martha A. his wife of the County of Southampton of the one part, and William
Edwards Sheriff of the County of Sussex of the other part. Witnesseth that the said William H.
Mason and Martha A. his wife in consideration of joint hundred dollars to them in
hand paid by the said William Edwards at or before the executing and delivery of these
Shrines provide the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have bargained and sold and by
these presents do bargain and sell unto the said William Edwards his heirs and assigns
a certain tract of Land lying and being in the County of Southampton containing three
hundred and sixty two and one half acres to the same more or less and bounded on the North
by the Lands of William S. Pettit and Elizabeth R. Edwards on the East by the Lands
of Ann James on the South by the Lands of the estate of Howell A. Adams and on
the West by the Lands of the said William Edwards. To have and to hold the said
tract of Land with the tenements and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any way
appertaining unto the said William Edwards his heirs and assigns forever and the said
William H. Mason and Martha A. his wife for themselves and their heirs the said tract of
Land with all and singular the premises and appurtenances before mentioned unto the said
William Edwards his heirs and assigns free from the claims or claims of them the said William
H. Mason and Martha A. his wife or either of them their heirs and assigns of all
and every person or persons whatsoever shall will and do warrant and forever defend by the
present. In Witness whereof the said William H. Mason and Martha his wife have hereunto
set their hands and seals the day and year first above written
Signed sealed and delivered
in presence of
W^m H. Mason (Sd)
Martha A. Mason (Sd)

Supra County S.C. We J. R. Edwards and John S. May Jr. Justices of the peace
in the County aforesaid in the State of Virginia do hereby certify that William H.
Mason a party to a certain deed bearing date on the 11th day of September 1847
and hereunto personally appeared before us in our County aforesaid and acknowledged
the same to be his act and deed and desired us to certify the said acknowledgment
unto the Clerk of the County Court of Southampton in order that the said deed
may be Recorded. Given under our hands and seals the 11th day of September 1847
J. R. Edwards J. P. (Sd)
John S. May Jr. J. P. (Sd)

Supra County P.B. We J. R. Edwards and John S. May Jr. Justices of the peace
in the County aforesaid do hereby certify that Martha A. Mason the wife
of William H. Mason parties to a certain deed bearing date on the 11th day of September
1847 and hereunto personally appeared before us in our County aforesaid
and being examined by us privately and apart from her husband and having the above
aforesaid fully explained to her that the said Martha A. Mason acknowledged the
same to be her act and deed and declared that she had willingly signed and
acknowledged the same and that she wished not to retract it. Given under our