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John Wm. Briggs D.C.

Articles of Agreement made and entered into this 25th day of September 1847 between John Yates of the one part and William D. Clarke of the other part, Witnesseth that the said Clarke being desirous of carrying on the business of said Yates in the Town of Southampton and being unable in consequence of other employments to attend to the duties thereof the said Yates has this day covenanted and agreed to conduct the said business as the agent of and for the benefit of the said Clarke and the said Yates has received of the said Clarke the sum of four hundred dollars to be invested in a stock of goods to carry on the aforesaid business the entire property in the said stock and control over the same to be and remain solely in the said Clarke under whose direction and superintendence the said Yates is to manage the business aforesaid and the proceeds of said stock are to be invested as occasion may require in additional stock to supply the place of such as may have been sold. The said Yates is to have the interest in or control over the said stock or the addition to said stock except as the agent of the said Clarke in whose name alone the business is to be conducted and the said Yates on his part covenants and agrees faithfully to attend to the said business and to account when required for all things received or expended in the prosecution of said business and the said Clarke on his part covenants and agrees to pay the said Yates reasonable compensation for his care and labor about the business aforesaid. In Witness whereof the said parties have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals the day and year afore written to wit the 25th day of September 1847

John Yates (Seal)

Wm. D. Clarke (Seal)

Southampton County in the Clerk's Office the 25th day of September 1847 This Agreement between John Yates and William D. Clarke was acknowledged by both the parties thereto and admitted to Record

John P. R. Edwards C.C.

Know all men by these presents that I Marshall B. Rockwell for and in consideration of the sum of Four hundred fifty dollars to me in hand by John W. Rockwell the Receipt of which I do hereby acknowledge have bargained and sold and do hereby bargain and sell unto the said John W. Rockwell two slaves belonging to the estate of the said James Rockwell to wit: Maria Anthony aged about twenty seven years & by Peter aged about ten years to have and to hold the said slaves unto him the said John W. Rockwell his heirs & assigns forever. Witness my hand & seal this 28th day of September 1847

Witness

W. D. Clarke

Saml B. Himes

Southampton County in the Clerk's Office the 29th day of September 1847 This Deed of Bargain and sale from Marshall B. Rockwell to John W. Rockwell was proved by the Oaths of W. D. Clarke and Saml B. Himes the Witnesses thereto and admitted to Record

John P. R. Edwards

Delivered & acknowledged