



as above have hereto set my hand & have affixed hereto my official seal as such commissioner, the day and year last aforesaid.

C. J. Bushnell, Commissioner in the State of New York appointed by the Governor of the State of North-Carolina. N^o. 65. Wall Street, 3^d story New York City.

In the Clerk's Office of Norfolk County Court, the 5th day of April 1857.
The foregoing Release was admitted to record upon the certificate annexed of Charles C. Bushnell, a Commissioner appointed by the Governor of the State of Virginia for the State of New York.

Teste,
Wm. J. Howlands, C.C.

In the Clerk's Office of Henric County Court, the 12th day of April 1857.
This Deed of Release was admitted to record upon the certificate annexed of Charles C. Bushnell, Commissioner in the State of New York appointed by the Governor of the State of Virginia, and upon the further certificate of the Clerk of Norfolk County Court that the said deed had been admitted to record in that Court.

Teste,
Peter B. Prentiss, C.C.

In the Clerk's Office of Isle of Wight County Court the 19th day of April 1857.
This Deed of Release was admitted to record upon the certificate annexed of Charles C. Bushnell Commissioner in the State of New York appointed by the Governor of the State of Virginia and upon the further certificates of the Clerk of Norfolk County Court and the Clerk of Henric County Court that the same had been admitted to record in those Courts.

Teste, S. St. Boykin, C.C.

In the Clerk's Office of Southampton County Court the 21st day of April 1857.
This Deed of Release was admitted to record upon the certificate annexed of Charles J. Bushnell, Commissioner in the State of New York, appointed by the Governor of the State of Virginia; and upon the further certificates of the Clerk of Norfolk County Court, the Clerk of Henric County Court, and the Clerk of Isle of Wight County Court, that the same had been admitted to record in those Courts.

Teste,
L. R. Edwards, C.C.

This Indenture, made the twenty eighth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred & fifty one, between the Seaboard and Roanoke Rail Road Company, a Corporation duly constituted as such by the Laws of the States of Virginia and North Carolina of the first part and John J. Palmer of the City of New York of the second part.

Witnesseth, that whereas the parties of the first part pursuant to the terms of the Statutes of the said States incorporating them, and other Statutes of the said States affecting them are engaged in constructing a Rail Road from Portsmouth in Virginia to an intersection with the Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road in North Carolina and for that purpose need and have purchased Iron Rails, Timber and other materials required in the construction and equipment of the road, and have resolved to raise money by Loan for the payment thereof and for other purposes connected therewith and hereby binds to an amount not exceeding four hundred thousand