

Bryant  
to  
James  
149  
Dec

This indenture made and entered into on this 3th<sup>d</sup> day of June year 1857, by and between Jacob Barnes of the first part and John W. Bryant of the second part, each of those parties above named of the County of Southampton in the State of Virginia: Whereas the said John W. Bryant is now pursuing and his employment is and is expected to pursue the business of cultivating a certain portion of the lands of the above named Jacob Barnes throughout the year 1857, with the expectation of raising a portion of corn, fodder, peas, cotton, potatoes &c say the cultivated growth of said lands and whereas he the said Bryant is unable of his own means to accomplish the purpose intended as aforesaid as well as the matter of consideration which is, said Bryant is previous to this day indebted to said Barnes in a certain amt. appearing by an unadjudged an for sundries amounting as supposed to forty or fifty dollars now in debt to some said Barnes as near as may be he the said John W. Bryant doth hereby bargain and sell unto him the said Jacob Barnes all the intended and now growing crop of corn, fodder, peas, cotton, potatoes & as above named free from the claim of him the said John W. Bryant his heirs, Executors, or Administrators or assigns, also free from the claim or demand of all and every person or persons whomsoever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Barnes, for him the said Barnes to take and do with said crop as to him may seem right and just when said crop become in its mature state, the notwithstanding to apply the same or a part thereof to the discharge to said unadjudged debt as aforesaid, the surplus if any pay or deliver to him the said John W. Bryant his heirs, Executors, administrators - In witness of the foregoing intent and purpose of the above agreement we and each of us have hereto set our hands and affixed our seals this the day and year first above written.

Signed sealed in presence of  
James E. Drake.  
Ben J. Worrell.

Jacob Barnes  
John W. Bryant

Southampton County In the Clerk's office the 21<sup>st</sup> day of July 1857.  
This Deed from John W. Bryant to Jacob Barnes, was acknowledged by said Bryant and admitted to record.  
T. R. Edwards, C. C.

Williams  
to  
Biddicks trustee

An act Sales of property sold Nov 2<sup>d</sup> 1850 conveyed by James J. Williams to Wm. P. Moore, Trustee for the benefit of Adam Biddick.

Book  
in  
1853  
Page 28

Adam Biddick	1 Gray filly	11 05
Warren Edwards	5 Sheep	4 10
Wm. Bracy	1 Clock	2 06
Esteldeo Kitchen	1 crockery in box	1 25
R. H. Edwards	1 Dog chair	3 50
A. Biddick	1 Table	1 50
do do	1 Sun	5 25
John M. Lacey	1 Basket	70
Thomas Drake	1 Table &	43
Wm. Bracy	1 Wash Stand &c	40
do do	1 Table & candle stick	27
A. Biddick	1 Clump	16
Wm. Liffin	Shoe Brist & Brushes	33
Collin Kitchen	2 Cots	57 1/2
Wm. Bracy	Lot baskets &c.	3 1/4