

expenses as may be incurred by sale. In witness whereof, we have each of us individually assigned our names and seal this 13th day of November 1852.

Signed Seals and acknowledged in the presence of } Edward Hargrave
 Thos. Bristol
 Wm. H. Davis
 Benjamin Travis

Southampton County. In the Clerk's Office the 13th day of November 1852. This deed of Trust between Edward Hargrave of the first part, Augustus J. Stephenson of the second part, and Meritt J. Davis & Co. of the third part, was acknowledged by the said Hargrave and admitted to record.

Teste,

L. R. Edwards, C.C.

Briggs } Bonds
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Know all men by these presents, that we William M. Briggs, Hamon S. Moore, of L. R. Edwards are held and firmly bound unto the Commonwealth of Virginia in the just and full sum of Two thousand dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made to the said Commonwealth of Virginia, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally, jointly by these presents. Seals with our seals and dates this 15th day of November 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above named William M. Briggs was on the 15th day of November 1852, by the Board of School Commissioners in and for the County of Southampton appointed as Superintendent of Schools for said County for the year commencing the 1st day of January 1853. Now if the said William M. Briggs shall faithfully apply and account for all monies which may come to his hands by virtue of his office, and shall do, perform and execute all and every such act and thing appertaining to his office according to law, during his continuance therein, then the above obligation to be void or else to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed and delivered in presence of } Wm. W. Briggs
 Hiram S. Moore
 L. R. Edwards.

At a Court held for the County of Southampton, the 15th day of November 1852. This Bond was acknowledged by the obligors therein named, appeared by the Court and ordered to be recorded.

Teste,

L. R. Edwards, C.C.

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Know all men by these presents, that I, James S. Marlin of the County of Brunswick for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars in hand paid by Francis T. Rutley of the County of Southampton, the receipt whereof I hereby acknowledge, hath given, granted, bargained and sold and do by these presents give, grant, bargain and sell unto the said Francis T. Rutley and his heirs forever, all my right title and interest in and to a certain tract of land situated in the County of Brunswick and bounded by the lands of John S. Brown and Peter Brown and the Meherrin river; being the whole of my interest in the same inherited by me from my mother, who before her marriage was Louisa Elmer. To have and to hold unto the said Francis T. Rutley

and his heirs
 In witness
 15th day

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