

State of Virginia and County of Southampton, Trust.
 We William N. Summerell and Peter J. Holmes justices of the peace for the County and State aforesaid, do certify that Elizabeth R. the wife of Joseph Pretton whose names are signed to the writing above bearing date on the nineteenth day of March 1853 personally appeared before us in our court aforesaid and being examined by us privately and apart from her husband and having the writing aforesaid fully explained to her she the said Elizabeth R. Pretton acknowledged to be writing to be her act and declared that she has willingly executed the same and does not wish to retract it.
 Given under our hands this 19th day of March 1853.

Wm N. Summerell, J. D.
 Peter J. Holmes, J. D.

State of Virginia, Southampton County, Court.
 I, Peter J. Holmes, a Justice of the peace for the County aforesaid in the State of Virginia do certify that Joseph Pretton whose name is signed to the writing hereto annexed and bearing date the nineteenth day of March 1853, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid. Given under my hand this 16th day of April 1853.
 Peter J. Holmes, J. D.

Southampton County, In the Clerk's office the 18th day of April 1853.
 This deed of bargain and sale from Joseph Pretton of Elizabeth R. his wife to William Winford, was presented and together with the certificates of the acknowledgment of the said Pretton and of the prior examination and acknowledgment of the said Elizabeth R. his wife, admitted to record.

Edwards, C. C.

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Original sent to
 Mary Story by
 J. B. Worrell

This Deed made the 18th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, between Elliott L. Story of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia acting under power of Attorney bearing date executed by Levi H. Story and Emaline Whitfield of the State of Missouri and County of Boone and duly recorded unto the Clerk's office of this County of the one part, and Mary Story of the said County of Southampton and State of Virginia of the other part: Witnesseth, that in consideration of the sum of Two hundred and forty one Dollars and fifty cents the said Elliott L. Story Attorney doth grant unto the said Mary Story all the right title and interest of them the said Levi H. Story and Emaline Whitfield in and to the lands of their father Jackson Story dec'd lying in Southampton County to which they are entitled by their father's will and by inheritance from him, which said lands are bounded by the lands of Miles Story, Jno. C. Beale, John N. Bishop, Rev. G. Daughtry, Charles Rhoades, Joshua Visk, Josiah Ferguson and Ethelred Daughtry. Witness the following
 Levi H. Story
 By Elliott L. Story my Agent
 Emaline Whitfield
 By Elliott L. Story my Agent
 Signed Sealed and delivered in presence of
 Thos. R. Newell
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