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Virginia. Wm. Phillips; that in consideration of one thousand and fifty dollars to him in hand paid the said Edw<sup>d</sup>. D. Phillips doth grant unto the said Nathl. D. Phillips a certain tract of land lying and being in the County of Southampton State aforesaid bounded by the land allotted to the widow of Edwin Picks dec'd as her dower, & that of Caroline P. Picks. Notw<sup>n</sup> to the Appomattox and the Peasey Swan<sup>s</sup>, containing by estimation three hundred and <sup>and</sup> being all that portion of land lying on the said river, drawn by the said Edw<sup>d</sup>. D. Phillips in sight of his wife Virginia, who was Virginian P. Picks (for particulars see Commissioner's report of Surveyor's plot of the Division of Edwin Picks best confined at March Court 1854.) The title thereto the said Edward D. Phillips doth hereby warrant and forever defend to the said N. D. Phillips and his heirs. Witness the following signature and seal.

E. D. Phillips (Seal)

County of Nansemond, Town:

J. Pick<sup>s</sup>. A. Crump a Justice of the Peace for the County aforesaid in the State of Virginia, do certify that Edw<sup>d</sup>. D. Phillips whose name is signed to the writing hereunto annexed bearing date the 29<sup>th</sup> day of March 1854, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid Given under my hand this 30<sup>th</sup> day of March 1854.

J. Pick<sup>s</sup>. A. Crump, J.P.

Southampton County. In the Clerk's office, 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 1854. This deed of Bargain & Sale from Edw<sup>d</sup>. D. Phillips to Nathl. D. Phillips was presented and together with the certificate of the acknowledgement of the said Edward D. Phillips, Therupon admitted to record.

Test S.R. Edwards, C.C.

This Indenture made and entered into the 10<sup>th</sup> day of May 1854, between James Barnes of the one part, Edward Beaton of the second part and Everett Bryant of the third part. W<sup>m</sup>. Phillips, that whereas the said James Barnes stands justly indebted unto the said Everett Bryant in the following sum, one bond for forty five dollars due the 25<sup>th</sup> day of December 1853, also one bond for Sixty Dollars due the 16<sup>th</sup> day of May 1854, and being desirous to secure the payment thereof, hath, for and in consideration of one dollar to him in hand by the said Edward Beaton, bargained, sold, aliened, enfeoffed and confirmed and by these presents, doth grant, bargain, and sell, alien, enfeoff and confirm unto the said Edward Beaton his heirs, Executors, administrators and Assignees the following property, to wit: One big mare, one cart & wheels, one gun and nine shot, and other incuse, three plough horses, one colt, one plough and gear, three axes, five hundred pound of bacon, three feather beds, Sheets & furniture, two shot guns, two tables, one bureau, three banks, eight sitting chairs, one lampot, one iron, one kettle, two hand saws, and all my crop now growing viz: Corn, fodder, Cotton, peas and potatoes. To have and to hold the aforesaid property unto him the said Edward Beaton his executors and administrators for the following trust and purpose, that is to say, if the said James Barnes shall fail to pay unto the said Everett Bryant the debt aforesaid due him with interest which may accrue thereon, any part of said debt and interest when demanded shall he may be lawful for the said Edward Beaton or in case of his death for his legal personal representative who is hereby authorized to act upon trusts required by the said Everett Bryant, his executors, administrators or assigns to make sale of the property aforesaid for cash having given at least six days previous notice of the time and place