

Southampton County. In the Clerk's Office the 2^d day of December 1851.
 This Deed was admitted to record upon the annexed certificate of its authenticity
 by Robert Tyler before John Tyler Jr. a Commissioner of the State of Virginia in and
 for the State of Pennsylvania, and upon the certificates annexed that the same has
 been admitted to record in the Courts of the Counties of Norfolk, & Kingsbury
 Isle of Wight.

Test.

L. R. Edwards, C. C.

This Deed made this 8th day of July in the year eighteen hundred and fifty four, between
 William H. H. Wood and Mary L. C. his wife of the one part and James Johnson, Henry
 J. R. Merrill, William H. C. Merrill and David S. McAlister of the other part, do hereby certify
 that in consideration of Twelve thousand of forty four dollars and eighty five cents paid
 or agreed to be paid to the said Wood by the said parties of the second part,
 the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, they the said Wood and wife do
 grant unto the said parties of the second part all of the right, title and interest
 of them the said Wood and wife a father of them in and to all of the property
 real and personal now owned and belonging to the partnership known as the
 Nottingham Lumber Company, and composed of the following Gentlemen, to-wit:
 the said Wood, George H. Deets, Mark D. Deets, and John M. Bailey,
 the interest of the said Wood being one undivided half of the property of
 the said Lumber Company, and the said Wood doth also upon the considera-
 tion aforesaid convey and assign unto the said parties of the second part,
 all of the right, title and interest in any and all contracts entered into by or on
 account of the said Lumber Company, and doth also upon the consideration aforesaid
 convey unto the said parties of the second part all his right, title and interest and
 property in the logging business connected with said Company and all the tools,
 tools, apparatus and appliances for logging and used on hand, being used
 in the said business and all contracts for logging and sawing for said
 Company, also the claim of the said Wood to compensation for his services rendered
 the said Company, and the said parties of the second part do hereby
 bind themselves severally and jointly in consideration of the premises aforesaid
 to discharge and perform any and all contracts or agreements on behalf of the
 said Company and on account of the said logging business so as to release
 and save harmless from any liability the said Wood on account of any
 engagements of the said Company and to do and perform any and all obligations
 entered into by the said Wood in behalf of the said Company or on account
 of the said logging or sawing business.

It being the true intent and meaning of this deed for the consideration
 aforesaid to transfer to the said parties of the second part all the right, title
 and interest of the said Wood in the Company aforesaid, and all the property
 and property thereof, as well as in the said logging and sawing business free
 from any liability on the part of the said Wood on account of the said
 Company or any of the contracts, obligations or business thereof, connected
 with the logging or sawing business aforesaid heretofore or hereafter incurred
 in any way or any manner whatsoever.

Witness the following signatures and seals.

W^m H. H. Wood (Seal)
 Mary L. C. Wood (Seal)
 Jas. Johnson (Seal)
 H. J. R. Merrill (Seal)
 W^m H. C. Merrill (Seal)
 D. S. McAlister (Seal)