

State of Virginia, County of Southampton East;

We, Irvin Buffum & Thomas L. Brister, Justices of the peace for the County of Southampton in the State of Virginia, do certify that Nancy Stephenson, the wife of M^r. R. Stephenson, whose names are signed to the writing above bearing date the 1st day of April 1856, personally appeared before us in the County aforesaid and being examined by us privately and apart from her husband and having the writing aforesaid fully explained to her, she, the said Nancy Stephenson, acknowledged the said writing to be her act, and declared that she had willingly executed the same and does not wish to retract it. Given under my hand this 5th day of April 1856.

Irvin Buffum, J.D.

Thos. L. Brister, J.D.

Southampton County. In the Clerk's Office the 21st day of April 1856. This Deed of bargain and sale from M^r. R. Stephenson wife to Sylvanus Wines was acknowledged by the said Stephenson and together with the certificate of the Justice examination and acknowledgment of the said wife, was Thompson admitted to record.

Test, L. R. Edwards, C.C.

This Deed made this 21st day of April 1856, between Jordan Stewart, free negro, of the one part and Lilliston R. Edwards, of the other part, M^t witness that the said Jordan Stewart doth grant unto the said Edwards the following property, to wit: a tract of land on which he has containing thirty acres more or less being the same which he purchased of James Holt lying in the County of Southampton. In trust to secure the payment of a debt due by bond to James Snider for fifty three dollars & fifty cents dated the 19th June 1813, subject to a credit of \$12. paid March 27-1853. And the said Jordan Stewart warrants generally the property conveyed. Witness the following signature & seal

Witness

Edwin Broadshaw.

Jordan Stewart Seal
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Southampton County. In the Clerk's Office the 21st day of April 1856. This Deed of deed from Jordan Stewart to Lilliston R. Edwards, was acknowledged by the said Stewart and Thompson admitted to record.

Test,

L. R. Edwards, C.C. by
Henry S. Howard, D.C.

This deed made this 15th day of March One thousand Eight hundred and fifty six, A.D. between Caswell McNeill of the first part, and Kirby Vick and Manah his wife, James Barnes and Caroline his wife, Sallie Bittle, Joseph H. Ellsworth and Elizabeth his wife, William N. Ellsworth and Manah his wife of the second part, M^t witness that, in consideration of Twenty three dollars and 44/100 to them paid by the said Caswell McNeill to the said Kirby Vick and Manah his wife, James Barnes and Caroline his wife, Sallie Bittle, Joseph H. Ellsworth and Elizabeth his wife, William N. Ellsworth and Manah his wife, doth grant unto the said Caswell McNeill a certain piece or part of land containing 19 3/4 acres formerly belonging to Henry McNeill (the wife of said Caswell McNeill her life and surrounded entirely by the lands of said Caswell McNeill. The said grantors, Kirby Vick, his wife & others release to the said grantee Caswell McNeill all of their claims upon the said Land; and the said grantors Kirby Vick, his wife, and others doth warrant generally the above described property

Kirby Vick