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S. F. Stephenson, J.P.
Robert M. Dolan, J.P.

Southampton County, Va.

I, Robert M. Dolan a Justice of the peace for the County aforesaid (and State of Virginia), do hereby certify that Charles M. Joppe whose name is signed to the within writing hereto annexed bearing date the 8th day of May 1861, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid given under my hand, this 8th day of May 1861.

Robert M. Dolan J.P.

Southampton County. In the Clerk's Office, May 11th 1861.

This Deed of Bargain and Sale was presented and together with the exhibits of the acknowledged of Charles M. Joppe a party thereto, and of the prior examination and acknowledgment of Martha Ann Joppe, his wife, also a party thereto, was admitted to record.

Teste

L. R. Edwards, C.C.

Lewis wife

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Attest

This deed made this 8th day of May in the year 1861, between Elisha Lewis and Nancy his wife of the one part and L. R. Edwards of the other part, Witnesseth, that the said Elisha Lewis & his wife, do grant unto the said L. R. Edwards a certain tract or parcel of land lying in Southampton County containing two hundred eighty one and one-half acres more or less, bounded west by the lands of Temperance Joppe & Josephus Turner North by the lands of Cadey Griffin & Jacob Wlade, East by John Lewis & John Camp & the lands of the estate of Oliver Winfield & North by the lands of Temperance Joppe & John Camp. In trust to Secure William H. Atkinson & family for the said Elisha Lewis to a bond due Alfred S. Stephenson amount eight hundred fifty nine dollars & fifty six cts. bearing date 8th May 1861. And the said Elisha Lewis & Nancy his wife covenant with the said L. R. Edwards that they will warrant generally the property above conveyed. Witness the following Signatures and Seals

Elisha Lewis Seal
Nancy Lewis Seal
made

Southampton County, Va.

We, Alfred S. Stephenson & Robert M. Dolan Justices of the peace in the County aforesaid in the State of Virginia, do hereby certify that Nancy Lewis the wife of Elisha Lewis whose names are signed to the within writing bearing date the 8th day of May 1861, personally appeared before us in our County aforesaid privily and apart from her husband and during the writing aforesaid fully explained to her the the said Nancy Lewis acknowledged the said writing to be her act and deed and declared that she had willingly executed the same, and does not wish to retract it. Given under our hands, this 8th day of May 1861.

Alfred S. Stephenson, J.P.
Robert M. Dolan, J.P.