

Commissioner to collect the purchase money and to make a deed for the said tract of land to the purchaser - Now this deed Witnesseth, that the said Richard L Bryant, Commissioner by virtue of the foregoing authority, by the said R. L Bryant, the receipt of which sum (\$1031.50 cts) is hereby acknowledged, doth grant and suppose to contain two hundred and fifty acres, more or less, lying in the said County and bounded by the and conveying only such title as may be vested in him as such Commissioner. Witness the following signature and Seal.

Richard L Bryant (Seal)
Commissioner

Southampton County In the Clerk's Office the 2^d day of May 1863.
This deed of bargain and sale from Richard L Bryant Commissioner to Benjamin J Bryant was acknowledged by the said Richard L Bryant to be his act and admitted to Record.

Teste

J. W. Edwards Secy

Examined & delivered to J. B. Davis

This deed made this the 9th day of April 1863 between Dr. C. Gillette and E. Emeline Gillette his wife of the one part and Dr. Davis of the other part all of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia Witnesseth: that in consideration of the sum of two thousand Dollars (\$2000^{00/100}) the said Dr. C. Gillette and E. Emeline his wife hath sold to the said Dr. Davis all their right title and interest in a certain tract or parcel of land lying in the aforesaid County containing two hundred and sixty two and $\frac{1}{2}$ acres more or less, it being a portion of the Edwin Ricks tract of land purchased by the said Dr. C. Gillette of J. E. Preblow and Virginia E. Phillips and bounded by the lands of the said Dr. Davis, John Scarborough and William Whitehead with general warranty. Witness the following signatures and seals this the day and date above written.

Witness

Joshua Preblow
James Holmes

Joseph C. Gillette (Seal)
E. Emeline Gillette (Seal)

State of Virginia, County of Southampton to wit

We James Holmes and Joshua Preblow Justices of the Peace for the County and State aforesaid do certify that E. Emeline Gillette the wife of Dr. C. Gillette whose names are signed to the within deed or writing bearing date on the 9th day of April 1863 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 E. Emeline Gillette acknowledged the said writing to be her act and declared she had willingly executed the same and does not wish to retract it. Given under our hands this the 9th day of April 1863.

James Holmes J.P.
Joshua Preblow J.P.

Southampton County to wit.

We James Holmes and Joshua Preblow Justices of the Peace for the County aforesaid in the State of Virginia do hereby certify that Dr. C. Gillette whose name is signed to the within deed or writing bearing date on the 9th day of April 1863 personally appeared before us in our County aforesaid and acknowledged the said writing to be his act and deed. Given under our hands this the 9th day of April 1863.

James Holmes J.P.
Joshua Preblow J.P.

Southampton County In the Clerk's Office the 7th day of May 1863.
This deed of bargain and sale from Dr. C. Gillette and E. Emeline his wife to Dr. Davis was this day received and together with the certificates thereto annexed of the acknowledgment of the said Dr. C.