

forever. Witness the following Signatures and Seals the day and year above written.

Joshua Pickett

Anne E. Pickett

E. W. Mafsenburg

(Seal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

(Seal)

This day personally appeared before me a Justice of the Peace in and for the County of Southampton State of Virginia Anne E. Pickett whose name is assigned to the above deed after having been examined by me privily and apart from her husband, acknowledged the same to be her act and deed, and did not wish to retract it. Given under my hand and seal this 28th 1866

Southampton County to wit

Jos. B. Crumpler J.P.

This day personally appeared before me E. W. Mafsenburg and Joshua Pickett whose names are signed to the above deed, who acknowledged the same to be their act and deed before me a Justice of the Peace in and for the said County. Given under my hand this 4th day of March 1867.

M. V. Cobb J.P.

Southampton County. In the Clerk's Office March 18th 1867

This deed of bargain & sale from E. W. Mafsenburg, Trustee P. and Joshua Pickett & wife To Frank W. Holland was received together with the certificates annexed of the acknowledgment of the said Mafsenburg & Pickett and of the privy examination & acknowledgment of Anne E. Pickett admitted to record. Stamps of the internal revenues of the United States of the amount of One dollar and fifty Cents being affixed thereto.

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L. R. Edwards Ck.

Delivered to
J. A. Council
Jan 5-1890

This Deed made the 22nd day of February in the year 1867, between William J. Council and Mary J. Council his wife of Hanover County of the one part and John A. Council of Southampton County of the other parts, all of the State of Virginia. Witnesseth that in consideration of the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, the said William J. Council and Mary Council his wife do grant unto the said John A. Council all their right title and interest to a certain tract or parcel of land willed to the said William J. Council by his Father Joel Council the right thereof retained until the death of his widow, lying in the County of Southampton and State aforesaid, containing one hundred and fifteen & 1/4 acres more or less, and bounded as follows, beginning at a lightwood post at the road, a corner post in Henry Councils line, then down a line of marked trees to a dogwood a cypress tree, then down a line of marked trees to a black gum in the gum branch, then down the run of S. branch to the run of Black creek swamp, then up S. branch to the line of George H. Gardner, then out to the water's edge to a white oak, then up a line of marked trees to a post oak, a corner tree between the S. of H. Gardner and John Edwards, then up a line of marked trees to a post oak at the road then down S. road to the lightwood post first mentioned. That will warrant and defend the right to the property hereby conveyed. All witness our hands and Seals this day and date above written.

Signed in the presence of-

Ann J. Council (Seal)

Mary J. Council (Seal)

Southampton County - State of Virginia to wit.

We Shugars Law and M. D. Butler Justices for the County and State aforesaid, do certify that Mary Jane Council the wife of W. J. Council whose names are signed to the writings hereto annexed bearing date 22nd day of February 1867, appeared before us in our County aforesaid and being examined by us privily and apart from her husband and having the writing aforesaid fully explained to her, she the said Mary Jane Council 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 our hands this 25th day of February 1867

Shugars Law J.P.
M. D. Butler J.P.