Southampton County, to wit: This day personally appeared before me, Gustavus R. Edwards, a Justice of said County, P. L. Berdinaud, whose name is signed to the writing above bearing date the 3rd day of February 1869, & acknowledged the same to be his act.
Given under my hand this 5th day of February 1869.

Gustavus R. Edwards, J. P.

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office, February 6th 1869.
This Deed of Trust from P. de Berdinaud to Thomas Jeffries, Trustee, for the benefit of W. S. Bracy, was this day received & together with the Certificate thereto annexed of the acknowledgement of the said P. de Berdinaud, before a Justice of the Peace, admitted to record.
A Stamp of the Internal Revenue of the United States to the amount of fifty Cents, being affixed thereto & duly Cancelled.

Teste; S R Edwards, Cl

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This Indenture made this the 31st day of October in the year One thousand Eight hundred & Sixty Eight, between Mills St. Eure of the County of Gates & State of North Carolina of the first part, & Sarah Beal of the County of Southampton & State of Virginia of the second part, Witnesseth, That the said Mills St. Eure, for & in Consideration of the sum of Seven hundred & Sixty Seven dollars & fifty Cents ($767.50/100) to him in hand paid by the said Sarah Beal, the receipt whereof is hereby fully acknowledged, has given, granted, bargained, Sold & Conveyed, & by these presents does give, grant bargain, sell & Convey unto the said Sarah Beal, his heirs & assigns, all that tract of land lying in the County of Southampton, State of Virginia, known as the Jackson land, adjoining the lands of John Whitehead, B. C. Wallace, Sarah Beal, Wm A. Jeffries, & James R. Jeffries, Containing by estimation, Seven hundred & Sixty acres, (760) To have & to hold the said Conveyed land & tenements, to him the said Sarah Beal, his heirs & assigns, with all & singular the privileges & appurtenances thereunto belonging, to him the said Sarah Beal, his heirs & assigns absolutely in fee simple forever. And the said Mills St. Eure for the Consideration aforesaid, does Covenant & agree to & with the said Sarah Beal, to warrant & defend the title to the said Lands free & discharged from the incumbrances of all persons whatsoever.
In Testimony whereof the said Mills St. Eure has hereunto set his hand & seal the day & year above written.

Signed, Sealed & delivered in the presence of
P. L. Beale,
Henry his H Channell, mark

M. St. Eure, (Seal)

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office, the 21st day of December, 1868.
This Deed of bargain & Sale, from Mills St. Eure to Sarah Beale, was proved by the Oath of Henry Channel one of the witnesses thereto. And on the 15th day of February, 1869, was fully proved by the Oath of P. L. Beale, the other subscribing witness thereto, & admitted to record. Stamps of the Internal Revenue of the United States to the amount of One dollar, being affixed thereto and duly Cancelled.

Teste; S R Edwards, Cl