

Spouse for the County aforesaid do hereby their Names approach Thomas the wife of John L. Thomas whose name and signature to the writing within bearing date the 15th day of April 1869, personally appeared before us in the County aforesaid & being examined by us privately & apart from her husband and having the writing aforesaid fully explained to her, she the said Thomas acknowledged the same to be her act & declared that she had willingly executed the same & does not wish to retract it. Given under our hands this 15th day of April 1869.

James D. Parker, J. C.
William H. Riddick, J. C.

Saunderston County, In the Clerk's Office, May the 18th 1869.
This Sub of Benjamin & Sale found John L. Thomas & Wife to Benjamin C. Thomas. Was this day received & provided for the Clerk of John J. Hendricks, one of the subscribing witnesses as to John L. Thomas. And on the 31st day of May 1869, it was further provided as to the said John L. Thomas by the Clerk of W. H. Rizzo like other subscribing witness, together with the certified returns annexed of the jury examination & acknowledgment of the wife before two Justices of the Peace, admitted to records. A stamp of the Sec. Bur. of the U.S. to the amount of one dollar, being affixed thereto & duly cancelled.

Given, Edwin White, Ck.

To all whom it may concern, Know all men by these presents; That I, William B. Stall of Saunderston County, Virginia, @ himself do hereby declare, & make known, that I have selected as a Homestead, under the act of the General Assembly of Virginia, entitled, "An act to exempt the Homesteads of Families from forced sales," passed April 29th 1867, the following real Estate to wit: A tract of Land of Two hundred & twenty acres, situated in said County, & adjoining the Lands of Peter Holmes, Haguerth's Estate & others, & which Land was at apart to Mrs. Annie C. Stall, my wife, who was Anne C. Brown & Widow of Martin M. Brown dec. at & for her Dower in said Brown's Estate; My right & Interest therein being worth less than Twelve hundred dollars. Witness the following Signatures & Seal.

Wm. B. Stall
Annie C. Stall
J. R. Edwards,

Wm. B. Stall, Seal

Saunderston County, In the Clerk's Office, June 14th 1869.
This Sub from William B. Stall, selecting a Homestead under the act of the General Assembly of Virginia, entitled, "An act to exempt the Homesteads of Families from forced sales," passed April 29th 1867, was this day received & provided for the Clerk of J. R. Edwards & J. R. Edwards, the two subscribing witnesses & admitted to records.

Given, Edwin White, Ck.

Received by
J. R. Edwards
Clerk of Court
for said County