State of Virginia, County of Southampton, to wit;
I Oswin White Clerk of the County Court for the County of Southampton, in the State of Virginia, do Certify that Elizabeth N. Ridley the wife of Francis T. Ridley, whose Name are Signed to the writing above bearing date on the 9th day of June, 1870 – personally appeared before me, in my Office, and being Examined by me privily and apart from her husband, and having the Writing aforesaid fully explained to her, She the Said Elizabeth N. Ridley, 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 my hand this 9th day of June 1870. –

Oswin White, Clk

Southampton County; In the Clerk's Office, June the 9th 1870 –
This Deed of Trust from Francis T. Ridley and wife to William S. Goodwyn, (Trustee) for the benefit of Ben E. Pope, was this day acknowledged by the Said Francis T. Ridley, to be his act and Deed, and together with the Certificate thereto annexed of the privy Examination and acknowledgement of the wife, admitted to record – Stamps of the Int. Rev. of the United States to the amount of Eight Dollars, being affixed thereto and duly Cancelled –

Teste, Oswin White, Clk

This Deed Made this the 26th day of October 1870, between Kinchelow Holt and Margaret M. his wife, of the first part and John A. Edwards of the Second part, Witnesseth that the Said Kinchelow Holt and Margaret M. his wife in Consideration of two hundred dollars, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do grant unto the Said John A. Edwards all his right and interest, (the same being two eighths) in and to a Certain tract of Land lying in Southampton County, of which John Edwards dies Seized and possessed, Containing about Three hundred acres and is bounded on the North by the Land of Mordecai Braxton, on the East by the Lands of Wilborn Stephenson, on the South by the Lands of William Cowgill, & on the West by the Lands of Copeland Turner –
Witness the following Signatures and Seals – Kinchelow Holt – (Seal)
Margaret M. Holt – (Seal)

State of Virginia, City of Portsmouth, to wit;
I A. J. Godwin a Notary Public for the City aforesaid in the State of Virginia, do Certify that Margaret M. Holt the wife of Kinchelow Holt, whose Names are Signed to the writing above bearing date on the 26th day of October 1870, personally appeared before me in the City aforesaid and being Examined by me, privily and apart from her husband and having the writing aforesaid fully explained to her, She the Said Margaret M. Holt, 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 my hand this 27th October 1870.

A. J. Godwin, (Not. Pub.)

State of Virginia, City of Portsmouth, to wit;
I A. J. Godwin a Notary Public for the City aforesaid, in the State of Virginia, do Certify that Kinchelow Holt, whose Name is Signed to the writing above,