

A returned bond, Virginia, Oct. 20th, 1841. I hereby bind myself, my heirs, or assigns, to and for the use, as may be agreed upon between myself and Dr. R. H. Brown, his heirs or assigns, which is known as the "Cotton Land"; the same being a part of the tract of land formerly owned by James the younger, and I further bind myself, my heirs or assigns, to give to said Dr. R. H. Brown, his heirs or assigns, one half of the net proceeds of crops and or sales from said my land and half as above stated to be made.

J. H. Brown, J. H. Brown (Seal)
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Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office, April the 15th 1840 - This agreement between James the younger and Robert H. Brown, was this day proved by the Oath of J. H. Brown, one of the undersigned witnesses, at the 23rd day of January, 1841, in my full power by the Oath of J. H. Brown, the other undersigned witness, and admitted to record - a blank of the said law of the 14th of the month of July, being affixed thereto and duly cancelled.

J. H. Brown, J. H. Brown (Seal)
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Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office, January the 23rd 1841, before John L. Williams of the first part and Charles W. Williams of the other parties, witnesses, that the said John L. Williams for and in consideration of two hundred and forty five Dollars to him paid by the said Charles W. Williams, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, did give bargain and sell unto the said Charles W. Williams, all my right, title and interest, in the land therein by my Deed of the 14th of July, 1840, made, passed and published the following signature and seal.

John L. Williams (Seal)

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office, January the 23rd 1841. This Deed of bargain and sale from John L. Williams to Charles W. Williams, was acknowledged by the said John L. Williams, to be true, valid and legal, and admitted to record - a blank of the said law of the 14th of the month of July, being affixed thereto and duly cancelled.

J. H. Brown, J. H. Brown (Seal)

Whereas by a Term of the Court held at Southampton County, made at Richmond Town 1839, I was bound to sell the said estate which Henry E. White conveyed to John L. Williams, by Deed of Record in the Clerk's Office of Southampton County on the 14th day of July 1840, and in addition to said Deed, I did advertise such real estate and sell the same to the highest bidder in the Term of, Proceedings; and as the said to be made Jordan I. Swilley, became still purchaser by bidding the sum of Five hundred and forty eight Dollars - Now this Deed of Sale the 23rd day of January 1841, before J. H. Brown, late Sheriff of Southampton County, of the first part and Jordan I. Swilley of the second part.