to release it — Given under our hands this 17th day of July 1872.

Wm. H. Mitchell. J.P.
Jas. D. Hershler J.P.

Southampton County, To the Clerk's Office, August the 8th 1872.
This Deed from James D. Mahaffey and wife to Samuel J. Windom, was this day received and together with the Certificate thereto annexed, admitted to record. Stamps of the Sub Rev. of the U.S. to the amount of two dollars being affixed thereto and duly cancelled.
Test.

J. R. Edwards, Clk

Southampton County, State of Virginia, Office Clerk's Office, August the 7th day of August 1872.
Returned from James Butler & Martha Butler his wife to Samuel D. Butler, of the State aforesaid, acknowledged that the said James Butler & Martha Butler his wife, do convey unto the said Samuel D. Butler, in trust, the following property that is to wit, a certain tract of land, on which the said Butler & wife now reside, bounded by certain Box Branch and Nicely's Store acres, more or less, and bounded on the North by the land of James E. Blow, East by the land of Henry Jones, South by the land of James W. Butler, to secure the payment of a certain debt of two hundred dollars, due J. W. Butler & bearing date with this deed which and signature of each, the day & date above written.

Proved, release the lien of this Deed from the debt secured therein being paid in full. J. D. Butler

James Butler (Seal)
Martha Butler (Seal)

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office, August the 9th 1872.
This Deed of Trust from James Butler & wife to Samuel D. Butler (Trustee) for the benefit of J. W. Butler, was this day received & acknowledged by the said James Butler to be his act and deed, and Martha Butler the wife of said James Butler, appeared before me in my Office, and being examined by me, privately & apart from her husband, as having the said writing fully explained to her, she the said Martha Butler acknowledge the said writing to be her act and deed, that she has executed it willingly and does not want to retract it. Whereupon the said Deed is admitted to record, a stamp of the Int. Rev. of the U.S. to the amount of fifty cents, being affixed thereto and duly cancelled.
Test.

J. R. Edwards, Clk

This Deed made the twenty first day (21st) of April in the year Eighteen hundred and sixty five between J. W. Butler of County of Southampton of State of Virginia of the first part and William Butler of the same County of the second part; witnesseth that in consideration of the sum of Five hundred and thirty three dollars, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do grant unto the said William Butler with general warranty, that part of the Berkshire tract of land supposed to contain two hundred and thirty three acres, more or less, and bounded as follows, beginning at the Black Oak and is the corner of James Griffin's farm and bounds me the West by the land of James Griffin and Turner White,