

St. Albans County, 6th inst.

I, H. Helland, a Justice of the Peace for the County  
of St. Albans, in the State of Virginia, do certify that A. S. Branson, whose name is signed to the writing  
herein bearing date January 25<sup>th</sup>, 1875, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid.  
And under my hand this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January 1875.

H. H. Helland J.P.

St. Albans County, 6th inst.

I, H. H. Helland and H. Apel, Justices of the Peace in and  
for the County aforesaid, State of Virginia, do certify that Henry C. Donnelly, the wife of A. M. Donnelly,  
whose name is signed to the writing on the preceding page bearing date 25<sup>th</sup> day of January 1875,  
having appeared before us in the County aforesaid, and being examined by us privately and openly, gave  
her husband and hearing, affirms fully explained to her, the said Henry C. Donnelly, acknowledge  
the said writing to be her act, and declare that she had willingly executed the same and does not wish  
to retract it. Given under our hands this 26<sup>th</sup> day of January 1875.

H. H. Helland J.P.  
H. Apel J.P.

St. Albans County, 6th inst. Office January 27<sup>th</sup>, 1875.

Recd. Recd. of Trust from Isaac C. Howell, Esq. to Carter C. Vaughan, Trustee for the benefit  
of Frank Helland, was this day received, and together with the certificate thereon annexed, referred to recd.  
Attest, G. R. Edwards, C.C.

J.

Chas. D. Dugay and wife made this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1875, before Stephen Brashier, Deacon  
and his wife Sarah A. Brashier, and Carter C. Howell and his wife Sarah C. Howell, trustees of the first  
and second Testaments of the said Frank Helland, what in consideration of the sum of Three  
hundred and fifty dollars, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, do say Stephen Brashier and  
wife, Carter C. Howell and wife, are given and, to the said Isaac C. Howell and his heirs forever with  
full warranty, wherein is set forth the following real estate lying in St. Albans County, Virginia:  
Containing one hundred and fourty-five acres to the land now or last known to Plaintiff, C. D. Dugay deceased  
on the last, or the tenth by the law of Will Howell deceased. This by the laws of St. Albans C. Howell as he  
made by John D. Vick. And his wife, parents of the said Frank Helland to whom and descend from  
the former hereby conveys, against the claim or claim of any and all persons whatsoever.  
Witness the following seal and signatures this day and year forth above printed.

Stephen Brashier	(Seal)
Sarah A. Brashier	(Seal)
Carter C. Howell	(Seal)
Sarah C. Howell	(Seal)

Virginia, St. Albans County

6th inst. I, W. R. Branson, a Notary Public for the County  
aforesaid certify that Stephen Brashier and Carter C. Howell whose names are signed to the above  
writing bearing date January 25<sup>th</sup>, 1875, have acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid. That  
I further certify that Sarah A. Brashier, wife of said Stephen Brashier and Sarah C. Howell wife  
of the said Carter C. Howell whose names are signed to the writing above, personally, appeared before  
me in the County aforesaid and being examined by me privately and openly from their husband and having  
the said writing fully explained to them, say, the said Sarah A. Brashier and Sarah C. Howell  
acknowledged the said writing to be their act and declared they had willingly executed the same and  
do not wish to retract it. Given under my hand this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January 1875.

W. R. Branson J.P.