

Given under my hand this 14th day of May 1877
 J. H. Williams
 Notary Public

Smithsonian County, In the Clerk's Office July 19th 1877.
 The Clerk of said Court from Wm. H. Williams to J. H. Williams, Justice for the
 the benefit of Wm. H. Williams, was received and together with the
 certificate thereof annexed, are admitted to record.

Wm. H. Williams

Whereas, Wm. H. Williams, J. P. Adams, Geo. H. Deane, Suther C. Co
 and A. H. Jones and trustees for W. H. Williams are joint defendants in the
 suit by said State to Geo. C. Sells. Also for orphans of Geo. C. Sells
 by and to John C. Adams, Justice, to secure and save harmless the said
 Justice from any loss by reason of said suit, did agree to execute a
 deed of said State to said Geo. C. Adams upon all the crops by night made
 any one year for the benefit of said Justice. Now therefore, this deed of
 said State this 18th day of July 1877 between W. H. Williams of one part
 and Geo. C. Adams of the other part, witnesseth that the said
 Geo. C. Adams of the one part and State of the other part do hereby convey and grant
 unto the said Geo. C. Adams, Justice, all his entire crops of corn, wheat and
 all other crops during the present year, and also, his entire crops of corn, wheat and
 all other crops of all his land, to secure and save harmless the said
 Justice from any and all loss by reason of these said crops. And the
 is agreed by the parties hereto that the said State may dispose of the
 said crops at their maturity, provided the proceeds thereof are applied
 to the liquidation of the debt to which the said parties are indebted.
 Witness the following signatures and seals.

W. H. Williams

Smithsonian County, In the Clerk's Office July 18th 1877.
 The Clerk of said Court from W. H. Williams to J. H. Williams, Justice for the
 benefit of W. H. Williams, was received and acknowledged by said
 State to his and said deed, and admitted to record.

Wm. H. Williams

Whereas all owed by the parents, John D. Morris & Son of the
 County of Smithsonian State of Virginia, do languish and call and by
 the parents do press and claim for the consideration of the said
 and fifty dollars (\$50) to wit, and bonds paid by J. C. Adams and W. H.
 Adams of the said County, and State, the said Adams, do hereby
 acknowledge, to the following property, to wit, four bush of cattle
 sheep, one head of pigs, one head of milk and a lot of cotton to wit
 4 1/2 bales and 25 lb. long and the above said and other
 personal and real estate and all the personal property and the said Adams
 heretofore mentioned are now in my possession, and I do hereby agree
 that all persons to deliver the above mentioned articles to the said J. C.
 Adams and W. H. Adams by or before the 15th day of November 1877, and if

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Dist. J. H. Williams

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