

of the said Petition our hands this 20<sup>th</sup> day of July 1797

John H. Barham  
Wm. G. Barham

Southampton Co. }  
Clerk of the

Personally appeared before me R. B. Barham a Justice of the Peace, and one of the Clerks of said County, Samuel H. Barham and Timothy Cochran whose names appear to the above writing and acknowledgments as done in my County. and under my hand this 21<sup>st</sup> day of July 1797  
C. B. Barham

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office August 29<sup>th</sup> 1797

This Bill of Sale from Saml<sup>r</sup> H. and Timothy Cochran to C. B. Barham, was read before the day arrived and together with the certificate thereof admitted to record.

John M. Edwards Clk.

Know all men by these presents, That S. H. H. Coote of the County of Southampton Virginia, for consideration of the sum of one hundred & fifty dollars, advanced to by B. G. H. Nicholas, in supplies, merchandise, &c. as shown by his bills, notes and accounts for the same, to said Coote and him the following property, to wit: One mill and one and half bushels of wheat, and eight and a half acres of Arundel's Farm, good and fertile well lying the year 1797. To have and hold to him, the grantee, and his heirs or assigns forever. I warrant this property free of all incumbrances and fully subject to the right. It is agreed however, that if S. H. H. Coote, or any representative, they have B. G. H. Nicholas or his representatives, the sum above named or before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 1797, in redemption for this property, and until such payments, shall not make, doing, saying, sell or convey the same, and in case of saying, or doing, said sum, of any cattle, hogs or logs, they convey, hold myself, heirs and assigns responsible for the full value thereof, leaving all Incumbrances (excepted), then three months, and conveying hogs, cattle, shall cease and be void, otherwise, he and his heirs or assigns shall be liable in the foregoing conditions, the grantee or his representatives may sell the above property at auction, at any time, after ten days notice to the grantee, returning the sum of money secured above, and all cost and charges of the sale, rendering the surplus, if any, to the grantee or his representatives. It is agreed also, that until default of these conditions, the grantee may purchase all or any part thereof as aforesaid.

Witness my hand and seal this 7<sup>th</sup> day of Aug. 1797  
S. H. H. Coote  
B. G. H. Nicholas

John M. Edwards  
Clerk

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office August 30<sup>th</sup> 1797

This Bill from S. H. H. Coote to B. G. H. Nicholas, and this day arrived, and published by the order of S. H. H. Coote and J. M. Edwards, the respective Clerks and admitted to record.

John M. Edwards Clk.

Edw. +  
Nichols & C. H.  
Nichols

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convey the same,  
and in case of  
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said sum, of any  
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logs, they convey,  
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and assigns responsible  
for the full value  
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and conveying  
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his heirs or assigns  
shall be liable in  
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Timothy  
Cochran

Southampton  
County  
and proved by  
said

John M. Edwards

August 30<sup>th</sup> 1797