

to be his act for my County of record.

Given under my hand this 25th day of May 1878.
Jas. H. Edwards Secy.

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office May 16th 1878.

This Bond of Surety and Sale from Edwin Ray wife to Lehigh L. Davison was this day received and together with the certificate there annexed, admitted to record.

Attest, J. H. Edwards Secy.

This Bond of Surety made this 15th day of May A.D. 1878, between James H. Edwards of the first part and Richard S. Bayant, Trustee, of second part, all of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia, witnesses that the said James H. Edwards did grant and convey to the said Bayant, Trustee, the following property, to wit: two sows and eight pigs, one spring wagon, one cow and calf, and all of my present growing crops whatever of every kind, including corn, cotton and peanuts, all that is produced by me the present year, he says, however, to secure the payment of the following debt, to wit: one bond due to Henry H. Whitfield for the amount of one hundred dollars of even date with this date.

Witness the following signatures and seal.

James R. Bayant.

James H. Edwards (Secy.)
witness

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office May 16th day 1878.

This Bond of Surety from James H. Edwards to Richard S. Bayant, Trustee, for the benefit of Henry H. Whitfield, was this day received and acknowledged by said Edwards to be his act and deed, and admitted to record.

Attest, J. H. Edwards Secy.

This Agreement made and entered into this 11th day of May 1878, between J. C. Merrill also, merchants of the first part and Geo. C. Applewhite of the second - all of Southampton County and State of Virginia - witnesses that Geo. C. Applewhite is engaged in the cultivation of the soil and is desirous to obtain supplies during the present year 1878 to carry on the cultivation of his farm to the amount of ten hundred dollars (see ¹ 1st) of the said J. C. Merrill also. And Geo. C. Applewhite does hereby grant unto the said J. C. Merrill also, a lien on all the crops raised and gathered by him or through his agent, and his interest in the following crops cultivated by him Geo. C. Applewhite and this J. C. Merrill also, one fourth of the said one of all kinds, and his interest in a small crop of corn raised by David Smith, which is now sown. For above is ¹ 1st that the said J. C. Merrill also, to secure the amount of above advance, and it is further agreed that the said Geo. C. Applewhite shall have the right to deliver to Messrs. W. H. Waring one lot of long eels, to weigh five hundred and fifty pounds for gawner furnished for said crop and so on, making the amount of said J. C. Merrill's, &c., and it is also agreed that the crops shall be stored and go on to the said Applewhite.