

see and convey unto him four miles the once I bought in the year 1878. To have and hold to the grantee and his heirs or assigns forever warrant his property free of encumbrances and fully defend the right. It is agreed however that if the Grantor or my representative fail to pay J. D. Darden or his representatives the rent and interest and all aforesaid on or before the 1st day of December 1879 in redemption for the said four miles and until such payment shall not waste or destroy see or remove the same, and in case of Death of said miles this conveyee shall myself and heirs and assigns responsible for the full value thereof retaining the benefit of all Homestead exemptions. Then these private and everything herein contained shall cease and be void, otherwise to remain in force & effect. On default in the foregoing conditions the grantee may sell the above property at any time after 12 days notice to the grantor retaining enough to pay him and cash and the surplus if any turn over to the grantor. It is agreed also that until default these conditions the grantor may retain possession of the said R. S. Alley and the grantee or his representative may pursue at any reasonable aforesaid. Witness my hand and seal this day of 5th March 1879
R. D. Shelly

State of Virginia, County of Southampton, I do witness:
I, P. E. Darden, a Notary Public for the County aforesaid in the State of Virginia, do certify that A. D. Alley whose name is signed to the above writing bearing date on the 5th day of March 1879, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid Given under my hand this 5th day of March 1879
P. E. Darden C. O.

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office March
5th 1879. This Bill of Sale from R. S. Alley to
Jas. J. Darden was this day received and
with the certificate annexed admitted to record
Date: S. R. Edwards, C. O.

This agreement entered into this 1st day of March
1879 between Jas. J. Darden of the first part and
J. D. Alley of the other part witnesseth as follows
that whereas the said J. D. Alley is about to
abandon the cultivation of the soil, and is