

Check & Warren  
J. N. & J. B. Princes

State of Virginia  
Southampton Co.

I George McK Hughes, a justice of the peace for the County aforesaid in the State of Va. do certify that Ed Cooke, Bob Key, Check Warren and J. N. & J. B. Princes whose names are signed to the writing above bearing date April 26. 1879 have acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid. Given under my hand this 26<sup>th</sup> April 1879.  
G. McK Hughes J.P.

Southampton County In the Clerk's Office: May 1. 1879  
This agreement between J. N. & J. B. Princes and Ed. Cooke, Bob Key and Check Warren was this day received and with the certificate annexed admitted to record.

Teste: L. R. Edwards Clk.

Frank  
delivered to  
W. B. Princes

This agreement made this 3<sup>rd</sup> day April 1879 between Frank Ridley and J. N. & J. B. Princes. Witnesseth that in as much as said Frank Ridley is engaged in agriculture and desires advances and supplies to an amount not exceeding forty five dollars and whereas the said J. N. & J. B. Princes are willing and have agreed to furnish said Ridley to an amount not exceeding forty five dollars it is therefore the said Ridley hereby gives and grants a lien to said J. N. & J. B. Princes upon \$2500 (two thousand five hundred) or two bales Cotton each to weigh 1250 lbs., and to be delivered at the Store-house of the said J. N. & J. B. Princes by the 1<sup>st</sup> day of December 1879. Witness the following signatures

Frank <sup>as</sup> Ridley  
J. N. & J. B. Princes

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I George McK Hughes a justice of the peace for the County aforesaid in the State of Virginia, do certify that Frank Ridley and J. N. & J. B. Princes whose names are signed to the writing above bearing date April 3. 1879 have acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid. Given under my hand this 3<sup>rd</sup> day April 1879.  
G. McK Hughes J.P.