

Samuel Proke, whose name is signed to the within writing bearing date on the 2nd day of May 1879, has acknowledged the same before me in my County of said, since under my hand this 2nd day of May 1879.

R. E. Darden Ch. C.

Southampton County. In the Clerk's Office: May 2nd 1879
This Deed of Trust from Samuel Proke to R. E. Darden Trustee for the benefit of Franklin Myrick was this day received and with the Certificate annexed, admitted to record.

Test: Thos. E. DeWitt Sec.

This agreement entered into this 2nd day of May 1879 between Jas. D. Darden of the first part and Franklin A. Griffin of the other part witnesseth as follows: That whereas the said F. A. Griffin is about to engage in the cultivation of the said, and is desirous to obtain supplies during the year 1879 from the said Jas. D. Darden for the amount of thirty five Dollars and for taking the acknowledgment and for recovering this agreement, and the said Jas. D. Darden having on his part agreed to furnish said supplies, and the said F. A. Griffin on his part and in consideration of the above provisions doth hereby grant a Lien to the said Jas. D. Darden on his part of the crops to be made on his Oaklands land this year and I hereby waive the benefit of my exemptions as to this debt, for the amount advanced to him this year which has been or was intended to have been expended, and the said Griffin binds himself agreeable to law to deliver said crops above mentioned to Jas. D. Darden, at newson's Depot Va., by or before the 1st day of Decr. 1879. This Lien is granted under an Act of the General Assembly of Virginia approved April 2nd 1873 entitled an act to secure the advances for agricultural purposes. With the following signatures & seals

Jas. D. Darden (Seal)
F. A. Griffin (Seal)

State of Virginia, Clerk of Southampton Do wit:

J. B. Darden a Notary Public for the County of said in the State of Virginia do certify that F. A. Griffin whose name is signed to the within writing bearing date on the 2nd day of May 1879, has acknowledged the same before me in my County of said, since under my hand this 2nd day of May 1879.

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