

Tels of Night Co. to wit:

I, B. L. Roberts a Notary Public in and for the said County and State of Virginia do certify that Alexander J. Byrd whose name is signed to the annexed deed bearing date this 12th day of May 1879, personally appeared before me in my said County and acknowledged the same. I further certify that Annastatus Byrd the wife of Alexander J. Byrd whose names are signed to the annexed deed bearing date as above mentioned, personally appeared before me in my aforesaid County and State and being by my examination privily and apart from her husband and having the said writing fully explained to her, she the said Annastatus Byrd acknowledged the same to be her act and declared that she had willingly executed the same and does not wish to retract it. Given under my hand this 12th day of May 1879.

B. L. Roberts
Notary Public

State of Virginia
County of Southampton, to wit:

I, J. M. Duke a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid do certify that John St. Justine, whose name is signed to the foregoing writing bearing date 12th day of May 1879, personally appeared before me in my County aforesaid and acknowledged the same to be his deed. May 12th 1879.

J. M. Duke J. P.

Southampton County: In the Clerk's Office: May 23rd 1879
This Deed of Trust from A. J. Byrd, dec'd to C. W. Beale trustee for the benefit of Spikes Beale was this day received and with the certificate annexed, admitted to record.

W. R. Edwards C. C.

State of Virginia
County of Southampton

I know all men by their presents that I, S. S. Lewis of the County of Southampton and State aforesaid, for and in consideration of the sum of Forty (\$40.00) Dollars to me in hand paid by J. P. Phelps the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have granted bargained & sold to said Phelps my entire crop