

Southampton County, To wit

I David H. Kindred, a Justice of the Peace of Southampton County, do certify that Edward Beaton whose name is signed to the instrument of writing hereunto annexed, bearing date on the fifth day of March 1880 acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid. I give under my hand this fifth day of March 1880

David H. Kindred J.P.

Southampton County; In the Clerk's Office March 5th 1880
This Deed of Trust from Edward Beaton to H. M. Beaton, J. B. Prince, Trustee for benefit of H. M. Beaton and Company was this day received and with the certificate annexed, admitted to record.

Teste: L. A. Edwards C. C.

E. Kindred
delivered to
J. B. Prince

Know all men by these presents that I Henry Barrett have this day sold unto Darden & Myrick the following personal property, to wit one Bale Five Hundred pounds of lint cotton first picking, for the sum of Fifty Dollars receipt of which is hereby fully acknowledged, which cotton is contingent and expectant on the crop to be grown during the year 1880 delivery to be made on or before the first day of November 1880 after which time should the said Henry Barrett refuse or fail to deliver said property, it shall be lawful for the said Darden & Myrick or either of them to expose said property to public sale for cash. Witness the following signature and seal this 6th day of March A. D. 1880.

Henry^{his} Barrett 

State of Virginia, Southampton Co. To wit
I R. E. Darden, a Notary Public for the County aforesaid, in the State of Virginia, do certify that Henry Barrett whose name is signed to the above writing bearing date on the 6th day of March 1880, has acknowledged the same before me in my County aforesaid. I give under my hand this 6th day of March A. D. 1880.

R. E. Darden
N. P.