

and labor to enable him the said J. P. Davis to cultivate his crop and the said J. P. Davis being desirous to secure the said W. H. Bond for said advances, which amounts to Seventy Seven Dollars and Sixty three cents, Now the said J. P. Davis for and in consideration of the above premises doth grant a lien to the said W. H. Bond on the crops made during the year 1880 to secure him the said Bond for the said amount of Seventy Seven Dollars and Sixty three cents upon the land on which the said amount of advances was intended to have been expended. This Lien is granted under an Act of the General Assembly of Virginia approved April 2nd 1878 entitled "An Act to secure advances for Agricultural Purposes" Witness the following Signatures

J. P. Davis
 Wm. H. Bond

Southampton County To Wit

I David H. Kindred a Justice of the Peace of said County do certify that J. P. Davis and Wm. H. Bond whose names are signed to this instrument of writing bearing date on the 3rd day of May 1880 and hereto annexed acknowledged the same before me in my said County. Given under my hand this 3rd day of May 1880.

David H. Kindred J. P.

Southampton County In the Clerk's Office June 4th 1880
 This Writing between William H. Bond and J. P. Davis, was this day received and with the Certificate annexed, admitted to record.
 Wm. L. P. Edgewood C. C.

Ex. 101

This Article of Agreement made and entered into this 2nd day of April 1880 between Niemeyer, Etheridge & Brooks Corn Merchants and dealers in Grain &c of the first part and Austin J. Chapman of Southampton County Va. of the second part Witnesseth That whereas the said Austin J. Chapman is engaged in the cultivation of ~~the~~ crop on half stock or shares on a farm now owned by Joe Seaborn, but occupied by said Chapman, and being desirous to obtain supplies during the year 1880 from the said Niemeyer, Etheridge & Brooks for the amount of