

J. D. Darden trustee and J. J. Mcard of the first, and Jas. E. Beaton of the second, to it by path. That in consideration of the foregoing facts, the said parties of the first part do grant and convey the aforesaid parcel of land bounded as before written unto the said Jas. E. Beaton free from and discharge of the sum of the aforesaid trustee due, unto the first named signatures and seals,

Jas. D. Darden  
J. J. Mcard

State of Virginia  
County of Southampton to wit

J. M. Mcard, Jas. E. Beaton a Notary Public in and for the County aforesaid do hereby witness that Jas. D. Darden and J. J. Mcard whose names are signed to the foregoing instrument bearing date on this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1870 have acknowledged themselves before me my County aforesaid, this under my hand this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of Dec. A.D. 1870  
W. M. Beaton, N.P.

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office December the 3<sup>rd</sup> anno Domini  
of Release from J. D. Darden trustee of J. J. Mcard to Jas. E. Beaton on this day  
recd and with the certificate that it is now deposited in the records  
Peter G. R. Edwards, Clerk

This document made this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1870 between Jas. E. Beaton and Virginia C. Beaton,  
his wife, of the first part, and J. B. Prince trustee of the second part, to it by path, that in consideration  
of the sum of five dollars the sum of the first part do grant and convey with reservation  
unto the said Jas. E. Beaton trustee a certain parcel of land situated at Branchville con-  
taining 40 acres bounded as follows beginning at a point on a tree chopped on south  
side of the S. & R. R. thence along a line of choppy trees nearly south to a willow oak  
L. B. Prince owns to come in and full thereon west point a line of choppy trees across the County Road  
leading from Branchville to Branches Bridge to a white oak a corner on the west with  
stone faced road thence nearly north a line of choppy trees to said Rail Road above  
or east of Branchville thence thence east down said Rail Road on south side to  
beginning and also the following further tract of land to wit the tract of land com-  
munity known as the Little tract containing one acre more or less, bounded by the County Road  
the lands of Miss Beaton W. M. Mcard, Mrs. Joynes and Parson's Creek including some  
land contiguous to the said Jas. E. Beaton by J. D. Darden and J. B. Prince trustee for trust to said a lot  
for two thousand four hundred dollars due by Jas. E. Beaton to J. J. Mcard said bond is dated  
3<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1870 this stipulated to be on the event of a sale by either of this debt it  
shall be upon written notice to the trustee after 30 days publication of time and  
place of sale and upon such terms as the said Mcard may desire and in such way  
the trustee shall be entitled to the usual commissions of five per cent on gross amount  
of sale, to it by path following signatures and seals,

Jas. E. Beaton  
Virginia C. Beaton