

procured & contained in the South Store room of the McLennan Building situated in the town of Franklin, on the East side of Lincoln Street and consisting of Sealers, Whiskies, brandy, Wine, rum, flour, sugar, molasses, Bacon and a considerable quantity of other goods together with a full supply of Bowdoin's letters, In trust to the undersigned, and to secure to the said J. R. Edwards, R. M. Brannon, R. R. Griffin, J. P. Bryant and J. W. Allen or either or any of them, the payment of such such amount of money as they may have to pay, or become liable to pay by reason of their becoming parties as aforesaid And the said parties of the first part covenants that should the said J. R. Edwards, R. M. Brannon, R. R. Griffin, J. P. Bryant and J. W. Allen, or any of them, have to pay any money on account of either of the aforesaid bonds by reason of their signature thereto, then the said J. W. Brannon Trustee, shall after ten days notice of time and place of sale, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, this stock of liquors, goods, brandy, molasses, sealers &c &c and pay said stock and its administration as assigns, the amount of the money that he is or becomes liable to pay on account of the aforesaid bonds, and apply the residue thereof as the law directs in such cases.

Witness the following signatures and date the day and year first above written.

R. M. Brannon *Trus*
 Otilio J. Drives *Trus*

State of Virginia }
 County of Southampton } to wit:

I James R. Tyler a Commissioner in chancery for the County Court of Southampton do hereby certify that R. M. Brannon and Otilio J. Drives his wife whose names are subscribed to the foregoing writing bearing date the 19th day of December 1880, have acknowledged the same before me in my said County as their act and deed and do further certify that the said Otilio J. Drives was examined by myself and apart from his said husband, and has in said writing fully explained to her she the said Otilio J. Drives acknowledged that she had knowingly executed the same and does not wish to retract it, being under my as Commissioner of this 19th day of December 1880

James R. Tyler
 Commissioner in chancery

Southern County, In the chancery office *Wednesday*
 the 17th 1880 this deed of trust from R. M. Brannon to John W. Brannon Trustee for the benefit of J. R. Edwards
 Otilio J. Drives was this day received and continued for the payment of \$1000 on the 17th day of February 1881 said deed together with the certificate thereto annexed was admitted to record the said deed being the property
 John W. Brannon to be