

the present year as per master Carpenter's Certificate dated the 1st Sep year aforesaid
 a new schooner. And the said James Smith having certified that the said ship
 or vessel has one Deck and two Masts and that her length is sixty feet six inches
 her breadth Twenty feet six inches her Depth five feet and that she measures Fifty two
 tons & $\frac{5}{8}$ part of a ton that she is a schooner has a square stern no Gallies and no
 figure head and the said owner having agreed to the description and a measure-
 ment above specified and sufficient security having been given according to the
 said Act. the said schooner has been duly enrolled at the port of Oxford. Given
 under my hand and seal at the port of Oxford this eighth day of September in the
 year one thousand eight hundred & forty two. 1842. To have and to hold. the
 said Schooner or vessel Called the Benjamin Le Compte of Oxford and appurte-
 nances thereto belonging. unto the said James Hooper. John P Hooper and
 James Hooper. Or their executors administrators and assigns to the only proper
 use and behoof. and as the proper goods and chattels of the said James Hooper.
 John P Hooper and James Hooper. Or their executors administrators and
 assigns. from henceforth forever: and I the said James Smith for my self my
 Executors and administrators. do hereby covenant and agree to and with the said
 James Hooper. John P Hooper and James Hooper. Or their executors admini-
 strators and assigns. that at the execution of these presents I the true and lawful
 owner of the said Schooner or vessel called the Benjamin Le Compte of Oxford
 and appurtenances. and I have full right and authority to sell and dispose
 of the same. freed from and cleared of all claims. incumbrances or demands
 whatsoever. Provided always. and these presents are upon this condition
 Nevertheless. that if the said James Smith his executors or administrators
 shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said James Hooper.
 John P Hooper and James Hooper. Or their executors. administrators or
 assigns the sum of seven hundred \$100 Dollars lawful money of the
 United States of America and Interest thereon to be paid as mentioned
 and set forth in the three herein before described Promissory notes given
 by the said James Smith to the said James Hooper & Sons as the same
 shall respectively become due and payable that then and from thenceforth
 these presents and every thing herein contained. shall cease and determine
 and be absolutely void. otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue
 And it is hereby covenanted and agreed by and between the parties to these
 presents that if default shall be made in the payment of the said sum of
 seven hundred \$100 Dollars with Interest thereon to be paid as mentioned
 and set forth in the three herein before described. Promissory notes as the
 same shall respectively become due and payable or any part thereof that
 then and from thenceforth it shall be lawful for the said James Hooper
 John P Hooper and James Hooper Or their executors administrators or
 assigns. to enter upon and take possession of the said Schooner or vessel
 her masts yards. sails. Rigging. Anchors cables, boats, Tackle. Apparel