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### Deed, property transfer, S.W. Paulett to Farmville and Powhatan Railroad, 1888

S. W. Paulett

Farmville and Powhatan Railroad

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Whereas the Farnville & Powhatan  
Railroad Company proposes to run its  
Road across the lands of S. W. Paulitt  
& to condemn & take for its purposes  
 $2\frac{98}{100}$  acres of the lands of the said  
Paulitt & whereas the said Railroad  
Co & said Paulitt desire to arrange &  
settle the matter of compensation & dam-  
ages without controversy between them,  
Now therefore this agreement made  
& entered into this day of March 1888  
between the said Farnville & Powhatan  
Railroad Co represented by & through  
W. S. Archer its Managing Director, of  
the one part, & S. W. Paulitt of the other  
witnesseth, that the parties hereto, therefore  
agree, that the question of damage  
& right of way shall be arranged &  
settled in the following manner, to wit,  
That the said Paulitt is to select  
name & nominate <sup>without delay</sup> two disinterested  
freeholders of the County of Prince  
Edward & the said Farnville & Powhatan  
Railroad Co through its said mana-  
ging Director W. S. Archer also to select  
name & nominate two other disinter-  
ested freeholders of said County & the  
four freeholders so selected are to se-  
lect & name one other disinterested  
freeholder of said County & the five

freeholders so named & selected  
shall constitute a Commission who  
may enter in & upon the premises &  
lands of said Paulitt proposed to  
be taken by said Railroad Co & to  
assess the damages said Paulitt may  
sustain by the running of said  
Railroad through his lands.  
And both parties hereto bind them-  
selves to stand by & abide by the  
~~award~~ award of said Commissioners.  
Witness the following signatures  
& seals.

Wm. A. Paulitt (Seal)  
Managing Director  
D. W. Paulitt