

At a court held for the county of Southampton on the 1st day of December 1800

Present Rob^t Mordaunt John Lee

Baron Rivers & Charles Mordaunt } Gentlemen

The last will and testament of Benj^m & Richard dec^d was presented into court by Richard Blount and Benj^m Blount, two of the executors therein named and proved by the oaths of John Mordaunt and Benj^m Blount (John) sign the same at the request of the said Benj^m Blount dec^d and ordered to be read and in the motion of the said executors to be made according to law certificate is granted them for obtaining a probate thereof in due form and their giving bond (the will directing no security to be taken) whereupon the said Richard Blount and Benj^m Blount submitted to a charge and stood on the penalty of one hundred thousand dollars for their due and faithful administration on the estate of the said decedent and performance of his will -

A Deed of gift between Drury Powell of the one part and Newman of the other part was fully proved by the oaths of Benj^m Blount dec^d who also deposed that he saw Benj^m Blount, his deice and James Wall who had then moved out of the state sign this writing at the request of Drury Powell and bearing true before proved by the said Benj^m Blount is now ordered to be recorded -

An Indenture of bargain and sale between Mary^e Drury and her wife of the one part and Thomas Gray of the other part was proved by the oaths of Joseph Wuffen and Charles Bury, two of the witnesses therein and having been before proved by the oaths of Richard Mordaunt and with the examinations for the party and witness of Mr. Drury and certificate of its execution it is now ordered to be recorded