

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 8th Day of
March 1769

This Indenture & memorandum were proved by the oaths of
Benjamin Clements Benjamin Bruffier & Charles Simmons
Witnesses thereto and ordered to be Recorded.

Tell

A. Wells clk

Nottoway Indians
to
Napier

This Indenture Tripartite made the first Day of January
in the of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & forty nine
Between Sam. Frankl, Dockter Tom, John Turner, Geo. Arpoe, Cha.
Jack Nee, & Matt Bailey Chief Men of the Nottoway Indians of the
first part John Simmons of Southampton County Thomas Coche
& Benjamin Edwards of the County of Surry Gent. of the second
part & Benjamin Napier of the County of Southampton of the
third part Whereas by one Act of the General Assembly made
at a session lately held at Williamsburg in the eighth Year
of the Reign of our Lord George the Second King of Great
Britain intituled an Act to enable the Nottoway Indians to
sell certain Lands therein mentioned & for Discharging
the Indian Interpreter it is among other Things Enacted
that the Chief Men of the Nottoway Nation are Impowered
to make sale of all or any part of a certain circular tract
of Land of six Miles Diameter lying & being on the North
side of Nottoway River in the County of Isle of Wight by and
with the Consent of the said John Simmons Tho. Coche and
Benjamin Edwards who are by the said Act Appointed Trust-
tees to see the said Act duly executed & after any Agreement
made for the sale of any Part of the said Lands so as such parts
do not exceed four hundred Acres to any one person it shall &
may be Lawfull for the said Chief Men together with the said
Trustees aforesaid or the Survivor or Survivors of them to Seal
and Deliver a possession to the Purchaser who immediately after
the Execution thereof shall pay down to the Chief Men the