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Southampton County (Jct)

In obedience to a commission to us directed by the worshipful bench
Sampson bearing date December 30th 1813. we have personally given
Mary Sumpter wife of Benjamin Sumpter and enquired of her
and apart from her husband whether she hath freely and voluntarily
without the persuasions or threats of her husband executed the same
and whether she be willing the same should be executed the same
and whether she acknowledges the same was executed by her without
the threats or persuasions of her husband and that she is willing the
same should be executed - Given under our hand at this 1st day of Aug
1813 -

Solomon Holmes
Jes. Nugent

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 13th day of August
1813 - This Indenture was proved by the Oath of Solomon Holmes
1 of the witnesses there to and with a Commission & Certificate was
returned and ordered to be recorded -

Jam. Wells

Commission
Jes. Nugent
Solomon
Land
To
Whitfield
James
Whitfield
Per 17th
1815

This Indenture made this 20th day of Decr. in the year of our Lord
Between Henry Thomas Jun. S. Blew & Wm. Blew Commissioners appointed
by a vote of the worshipful bench of Southampton, (reference being had to their
order) of the one part and Reuben Whitfield of the County aforesaid of the other part
Witnesseth that the above mentioned Commissioners for the County of
Southampton of the sum of Twenty four pounds current money of Virginia to them in hand
paid by the said Reuben Whitfield before the undersigned Notaries of the County
- unto the receipt whereof the said Commissioners doth here by acknowledge
(having presented to the above mentioned bench) bargain & sell to the said Reuben Whitfield
and by this indenture doth bargain & sell unto the said Reuben Whitfield
all tract or parcel of land containing by estimation 3 acres more or less
being of Southampton Parish of St. Lukes the bounds of which were more fully
by reference to a deed from John Toler to Nathaniel & Benjamin Bannister
and duly recorded with County Court of said - To have and to hold the said
parcel of land together with its appurtenances to him the said Reuben Whitfield
- his heirs and assigns to the only proper use & behoof of him the said
Whitfield his heirs and assigns forever - In Testimony whereof
Henry Thomas Jun. S. Blew & Wm. Blew Commissioners aforesaid
have hereunto set their hands and seals the 20th day of Decr. 1815

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