

119 Southampton County (1800)

In Obedience to a Commission to us directed, we  
have personally gone to Ratsy Dells wife of Willie D. Dells, and examined  
in private and apart from her Husband whether she hath fully and voluntarily  
without the procurement or threat of her Husband, we certify the aforesaid Deed  
and whether she be willing the same should be recorded. And do so hereby  
certify she she acknowledged the same was executed by her without the procurement  
or threat of her Husband and that she is willing the same should be  
recorded. Given under our hands and seals this 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1800

Solomon Holmes

William Bailey

At a rent held for the County of Southampton the 14<sup>th</sup> day  
July 1800 This Indenture was acknowledged by Willie  
D. Dells party thereto and with a commission for the true execution  
of Mrs Ratsy Dells and Certificate of its execution was returned and  
ordered to be recorded

Samuel C.

This Indenture made this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October in the year  
of our Lord 1801 Between John Arrington and Julia his wife of  
the County of Southampton and Parish of St. Martin of the one part and  
Henry Arrington of the County and Parish aforesaid of the other part  
Witnesseth that the said John Arrington and Julia his wife for and in satisfaction  
of the sum of one hundred and fifty seven pounds eighteen Shillings and  
six pence Current money of Virginia to them in hand paid by the said Henry  
Arrington before the writing and Signing of these presents the receipt of  
they the said John Arrington and Julia his wife doth hereby acknowledge  
and thereof acquit and discharge the said Henry Arrington his heirs and  
assigns given they the said John Arrington and Julia his wife had given  
and retained in full payment of the said sum of one hundred and fifty seven  
pounds Current money of Virginia to him and assigns forever, all that planta-  
tion and more tract and parcel of land which fell to the said  
Julia Arrington by the Death of her Father John Dells dying

Arrington  
kept  
to  
Arrington