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to the said Sarah Thomas, and examine her privately and apart from her husband whether she hath executed the said deed freely and voluntarily without the persuasion or threats of her husband and whether she is willing the said Indenture should be recorded in the Court of our County of Southampton aforesaid and when you have examined her as aforesaid that you certify us thereof under your hands & seals returning to us also this writ with the said Indenture annexed Witness Samuel Kello Clerk of our said Court at the Courthouse the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1807 and 31<sup>st</sup> year of the Commonwealth

Samuel Kello

By virtue of a Commission from Southampton Court to us directed and bearing date the twenty second day of September 1807, we have taken the relinquishment of Sarah Thomas wife of George L. Thomas in the said Indenture mentioned, who being examined privately and apart from her said husband acknowledges the same to be her hand & seal act and deed and that she did the same freely and voluntarily without the persuasion or threats of her husband and that she is willing the same should be recorded in the County Court of Southampton given under our hands and seals this twenty fourth day of September 1807

James C. C. C.  
Henry Blunt

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the day of May 1808 This Indenture was proved by the Oaths of Henry Blunt and Edmund Turner: two of the witnesses hereto and continued and at a Court held for said County the 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1810 This Indenture was again proved by the Oaths of Edwin Kuse another Witness hereto ~~and~~ together with a Commission for the private examination of Mr. Sarah Thomas and a certificate of its execution returned are ordered to be recorded —

Blunt &  
wife  
to  
Richard Blunt  
Co. of St.  
to K. & M.  
Co. of  
17<sup>th</sup> Apr  
1808

This Indenture made this 27<sup>th</sup> day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nine between Richard Blunt and Jane his wife of the County of Southampton of the one part ~~of the one part~~ and Nathaniel Stephenson of the other part Witnesses that for & in consideration of the sum of eight hundred dollars Virginia currency to them in hand paid by the said Nathaniel Stephenson the receipt whereof they the said Richard Blunt and Jane his wife doth hereby acknowledge have