

Southampton County to wit

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We Benj<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Johnston and Geo<sup>r</sup> B<sup>r</sup> Bell  
Justices of the peace in the County aforesaid do hereby certify that Helen  
W<sup>m</sup> Edmunds wife of Richard Edmunds parties to a certain deed for  
the conveyance of real estate to Joshua Brothers bearing date on the  
25<sup>th</sup> day of August 1815 and hereunto annexed personally appeared before  
us in our County aforesaid and being examined by us privately & apart from  
her husband and having the deed aforesaid fully explained to her she the  
said Helen acknowledged the same to be her act and deed and avowed  
that she had willingly signed & also and delivered the same and that  
she was not to be taken as a duress under our hands and seals this  
25<sup>th</sup> day of November 1815 —

Benj<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Johnston Esq<sup>r</sup>

Southampton County Justice of the Peace Geo<sup>r</sup> B<sup>r</sup> Bell Esq<sup>r</sup>  
of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1815

This Indenture and the Certificate of W<sup>m</sup> Johnston  
and Benj<sup>r</sup> B<sup>r</sup> Bell magistrates of this County certifying the acknowledging  
of Helen W<sup>m</sup> Edmunds party hereto in pursuance of an act of  
assembly in such case made and provided and ascertained to be correct  
And at a Court held for the County of Southampton the 26<sup>th</sup> day of  
November 1815 This Indenture was acknowledged by Richard  
Edmunds party hereto and ordered to be recorded as herein  
Teste James Rochelle Esq<sup>r</sup>

This Indenture made this 29<sup>th</sup> day of April in the  
year of our lord one thousand eight hundred and fifteen between  
William Monell and Samuel Monell his wife Cary Monell and Sarah  
Monell his wife and Etith Council heirs of Richard Wajell dec'd of  
the County of Southampton and parish of Nettonay of the one part and  
James Johnson of Sale of Wight county of the other part Witnesses  
that the said William Monell and Samuel his wife Cary Monell  
and Sarah his wife and Etith Council for and in consideration of the  
sum of three hundred and eighty dollars current money of Virginia  
to them in hand paid by the said James Johnson the receipt whereof  
the said William Monell and Samuel his wife Cary Monell and  
Sarah his wife and Etith Council doth acknowledge themselves  
satisfied and paid and doth grant bargain sell and deliver and  
confirm unto the said James Johnson his heirs or a certain tract