

Southampton 16 January 1817. -
 This is to certify that Washington Clements
 a citizen of this State, came before me Richd. P. Clements a justice
 of the peace, of the aforesaid County and made oath the four
 negroes to wit, Abraham about twenty two or three years old,
 Jim about the same age, and Silky about twenty with her
 child, which he imported, by marriage into the state of
 North Carolina, which he brought to this State, without
 any intention, of selling either of the said Negroes in this
 state or to violate any Law prohibiting the importation of
 Slaves into this Commonwealth - given under my hand
 and seal the day above written -
 Richd. P. Clements J.P.

And held for the County of Southampton the
 21st July 1817. This Certificate of Washington Clements having
 brought Slaves into this State which was devised by mar-
 riage was this day printed in Court and ordered to be
 recorded -
 John Eastwell Ck.

Edwards
 To
 Tregant
 Grant &
 several to
 Grant -
 May 23rd 1818

This Indenture, made this 29th day of
 May in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred
 and eighteenth, between Martha Edwards of the County of
 Jersey of the first part and James Tregant of the County
 of Southampton of the second part. Witnesses in at the
 said Martha Edwards for and in consideration of the
 sum of fifty five dollars, to her in hand paid at and
 before the said James Tregant and delivery of these presents, the receipt
 whereof the said Martha Edwards doth hereby acknowledge
 and of her acquit and discharge the said James Tregant
 of the same, hereto granted, bargain, sold, aliened, conveyed
 and confirmed, and by these presents doth grant, bargain
 sell, alien, convey and confirm unto the said James Tregant
 his heirs and assigns forever all her right, title and interest
 which she hath as the widow of Thomas Edwards deceased
 of the said County of Jersey, and all other title or interest
 whatsoever she may have to a certain parcel or tract lying
 in the County of Southampton on the South side of Kellway
 river, containing sixty five acres, which was allotted to the
 said Thomas Edwards deceased in his lifetime as one of the shares
 of Benj^d Edwards deceased late of the said County of Southamp-
 ton, and known in the division of the said Benj^d Edwards
 land under a decree of the late High Court of Chancery at
 Richmond by number nine together with all and singular