

Wm. C. Blanton
T. L. Jackson
State of North Carolina
Harris County

We William C. Blanton and Thomas L. Jackson, Justices of the peace for the County aforesaid, do hereby certify that Mary A. Brown, Wife of Lafayette Brown, parties to a certain deed of bargain & sale bearing date with these presents & presents annexed personally appeared before us in our County aforesaid and after said deed was fully explained to her privately and apart from her husband, acknowledged the same to be her act, and deed and that she had willingly signed sealed and acknowledged voluntarily and of her own accord and with no to contrary if lived under our hands & seals this 21st day of April Eighteen hundred & thirty eight.

Wm. C. Blanton J.P. (Seal)
T. L. Jackson J.P. (Seal)

Southampton County. In the Clerk's Office the 2nd day of May 1838.

This Indenture was acknowledged by Lafayette Brown a party thereto to be his act, and deed, and with the wife & consent of the spring examination and acknowledgments of his Wife admitted to record. And as a lawful sale for the said county the 21st day of said month, the said indenture was entered upon the proceedings of the day.

Teste J. R. Saunders Clerk

Sadler
Holliman

Commenced

This Indenture made this 12th day of April in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight between Emily Sadler of the County of Southampton and Parish of Newmar of the one part and John Holliman of the same County and Parish of the other part: witnesseth that the said Emily Sadler for and in consideration of the sum of Thirty five dollars good and lawful money of Virginia to her in hand paid by the said John Holliman, the receipt whereof the said Emily Sadler doth acknowledge herself fully and amply satisfied and paid, hath granted bargain sold, alien, conveyed and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain and sell unto the said John Holliman his heirs and assigns forever, all my interest title claim or demands to and in a certain Tract or parcel of land and premises that formerly belonged to my father John Smith Sadler, situate lying and being in the County aforesaid supposed to contain County acres be the same more or less and bounded as follows (to wit) beginning at a large old oak on the west side of the Posters Road in Sec. B Holliman's line thence along said line westward to the head of Stables branch thence down the various courses of said Branch to Longoria Branch thence down the various courses of said Branch to the mouth of a small Branch, a line between the land of John Crumpler and John L. Sadler, thence ^{up} the various of said Branch to a small Black Run thence along said line to the said Posters Road thence along said road northward to the beginning together with all Houses out houses edifices buildings yards gardens Orchards swamps waters and water courses whatever belonging or in any wise appertaining therunto, he have and to hold the said land and premises to him and his heirs forever, and the said Emily Sadler doth by these presents covenant and grant to and with the said John Holliman his heirs and assigns that she will by these presents warranty and forever defend all right title claim or demands of any person or persons claiming or demanding the same or any part or parcel thereof. In Witness whereof the said Emily Sadler hath hereunto set her hand and affixed her seal the day and year above written

Emily Sadler
her mark
John Holliman

Signed sealed & acknowledged
in presence of
Saml. C. Hardy
George B. Holliman
James Stephens
James Hardy
Charles Freeman

April 13th 1838. Then received of John Holliman the sum of Thirty five dollars (to him) in full of the within contained money

Saml. C. Hardy
George B. Holliman
James Hardy
Charles Freeman

Teste James Stephens
George B. Holliman
James Hardy

Southampton County In the Clerk's Office the 5th day of May 1838

This Indenture was proved by the oath of Samuel C. Hardy George B. Holliman James Hardy & Charles Freeman Principals thereto and admitted to record and as a lawful deed for the said County the 21st day of said month