

comes impeded in a small black thimble along James & Bergans line to the ploughing  
swamp thence up the said swamp to a back gully in Nettles & Steele's line  
thence I left in 3<sup>rd</sup> poles to the westward thence along the road 55<sup>th</sup> poles to a post  
pole standing in the side of the road thence I 5<sup>th</sup> 60<sup>th</sup> poles to a very back  
tree standing in the bank of Nettles' thence up the various courses of land over  
& the beginning. We have and to hold the said highway and premises and every  
part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Jonathan Darrow his  
heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of the said Jonathan Darrow  
his heirs and assigns forever and the said Bay Denny and Dorothy his wife for  
themselves and their heirs the said highway and premises and every part thereof  
against them and their heirs and every person or persons whatsoever to the said  
Jonathan Darrow his heirs and assigns shall and will warrant and forever  
defend. Wm. Wilkins sheriff the said Bay Denny and Dorothy his wife have  
herunto set their hands and affixed this date the day and year first before  
written.

Signed sealed and delivered  
in presence of  
Southampton County to wit

Bay Denny (Signed)  
Dorothy Denny (Signed)

W<sup>t</sup> James Magg & Thos B. Morell justices of the  
peace in the County aforesaid in the state of Virginia do hereby certify that  
Dorothy Denny the wife of Bay Denny parties to a certain deed bearing date on  
the 21<sup>st</sup> day of April 1845 and herein unsealed personally appeared before us in  
our County aforesaid and being examined by us personally and apart from her husband  
and having the said agreement fully explained to her did the said Dorothy  
Denny acknowledge the same to be her act and deed and declared that she  
had willingly signed sealed and delivered the same and that she wished not to retract  
it even under no consideration this 21<sup>st</sup> day of April 1845

James Magg J.P. (Signed)

Thos B. Morell J.P. (Signed)

Southampton County in the Clerk's office the 21<sup>st</sup> day of April 1845  
The Clerk of Bergans and sole friend Bay Denny wife to Jonathan Darrow  
was acknowledged by him & Dorothy me of his/her hands and sealing with the  
affidavit of the foregoing examination and acknowledgment of the wife submitted to Record  
Test. T. R. Edwards Esq.

This 17<sup>th</sup> day of December in the year of Christ one  
thousand eight hundred and forty four William C. Weston of the County of Isle  
of Wright and State of Virginia of the one part and William Ball of the County  
of Southampton and State aforesaid of the other part, whereas a certain William  
Lounsbury by a certain indenture bearing date the 2<sup>d</sup> day of March in the year  
aforesaid did grant transfer and convey unto the said William C. Weston his heirs  
and assigns all that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of  
Southampton and bounded by the lands of Allen Edwards or Blackwater Head  
and the land of Johnathan Johnson and by the main back water together with the  
appurtenances to the said land belonging in trust and with fence and authority  
to the said William C. Weston his heirs and assigns to use and dispose of the said  
land for certain purposes in the said tract except and otherwise the said William