

The 9th day of January 1877

Miss A. Britt S. S. Linn
Robert J. Taylor S. S. Linn

Court of Southampton, State of Virginia, to wit:
Be it remembered that on the Court of the County and State aforesaid,
the City of Norfolk, Captain of the Court, and the County and State aforesaid,
advised, having due and lawful cause to appear, that the County
and State aforesaid, on the 10th day of January, 1847, they determined
that the Court of the County and State aforesaid, should be held
on the 10th day of January 1847.

Miss A. Knott, I.C. (Seal)

Discharged from bondage, on the Charles Coffin, January the 14th 1871.
This Certificate of Manumission is this first of January 1871
to William J. Brown, who this day received and signed with the
properly sworn consent, permission to receive the benefit of the
sale of the said land to the amount of fifty dollars, being offered to him
and duly conveyed.

Sent, James R. Tyler, V.C.

Helina to
Jace Viet

That said I made this 14th day of January in the year of our Lord English
Hundred and twenty and eleven William Drake and Edmund Drake his wife, of
the County of Southampton and City of Virginia, of the one part and said Dick
and John Dick of the same County and State of the other part, Whereas, first
the said William Drake and Edmund Drake his wife, first and in Consideration
of the bond of said obliging to them in last part of the said first Dick and
John Dick, at the seeking and taking of their promise, the said first
is hereby acknowledged, have granted, bargained and sold and of their
presenters do grant bargain and sell unto them the said said Dick and
John Dick to their heirs and assigns forever, all their right, title and interest
of or in the same land of the said Edmund Drake, whereof of said
Drake, and (some of said Edmund Drake), the said issue has begun or
being in the aforesaid County of Southampton, containing twenty acres
more or less, and the fourth of the lands of said said Dick, Thomas de
Cuthbert and others To have and to hold and the right, title and interest of
them the said William Drake and Edmund Drake his wife, in and to the
above described four acres, unto them the said said Dick and John Dick
their heirs and assigns forever And the said William Drake and Edmund Drake
his wife for themselves, their heirs, Executors and Administrators do hereby
confirm and agree with the said said Dick and John Dick, their heirs
Executors and Administrators and assigns, that they will of their power
lawful and lawful defend, all their right, title and interest in and
to the aforesaid four acres, against the claims or demands of or of
any other person or persons whatsoever Notwithstanding the said
William Drake and Edmund Drake his wife, have therewith sold
their lands and assigns their heirs, the day and year first above
written.

Signs Sealed and delivered
In presence of

William of Toke
Anned of Toke

