

The said Jas D'Ormes on his part and in consideration of the above sum of money  
hereby granted a Bill to the said Jas D'Ormes on his behalf or behalfs made this year  
1777 at the place where he now lives called the Old Millhouse place owned by Captl Jno  
Trotter for the amount advanced to him this year which his hand or seal intended  
to have been appended, and the said James D'Ormes binds himself agreeably to have to deliver  
and entitle also mentioned to Jas D'Ormes at Tuckahoe Plantation by or before the 1<sup>st</sup>  
day of December 1777. This Bill is granted under an act of the General Assembly of  
Virginia approved April 3<sup>rd</sup> 1773 entitled and act to secure the advance for agricultural  
purposes. Witness the following signatures.

Jas D'Ormes

Jas D'Ormes  
William D'Ormes

State of Virginia, County of Southampton, to wit:

Jas D'Ormes, a Notary Public for the County  
aforesaid in the State of Virginia do certify that James D'Ormes whose name is  
signed to the within writing bearing date on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of May 1777, has ac-  
knowledge the same before me and my County aforesaid, and I, Jas D'Ormes a  
Notary Public for the County and State aforesaid do further certify that Jas D'  
Ormes whose name is signed to the within writing bearing date on the 26<sup>th</sup> day  
May 1777, has acknowledged the same before me and my County aforesaid.  
Signed under my hand this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May 1777.

Southampton County, In the Clerk's Office May 30<sup>th</sup> 1777.

This instrument between Jas D'Ormes and Jas D'Ormes, was this day signed  
and together with the certificate thereto annexed, admitted to record  
Recd, P. McAdams C. C.

On the 29<sup>th</sup> day of May 1777 between D'Ormes and  
John Hinchliffe of the first party and Jack Hinchliffe of the other party witnesseth as follows:  
That whereas the said Jack Hinchliffe is about to engage in the cultivation of the  
soil, and is desirous to obtain subsistence during the year 1777 from the said  
D'Ormes and Hinchliffe for the sum of twenty five dollars, and for taking the said  
acknowledged and recording this agreement, and the said D'Ormes and  
Hinchliffe having on their part agreed to furnish said subsistence, Now the said  
Jack Hinchliffe on his part and in consideration of the above sum of money  
hereby grant a Bill to the said D'Ormes and Hinchliffe - all the corps of action  
and, troddes, fees &c. and any and all other corps which the said Hinchliffe  
may cultivate together with one work ox, eight head of hogs and their fattening  
incarnation, one dog and whelp, for the above amount of advance which has  
been made or was intended to have been advanced, and the said Hinchliffe binds  
himself agreeably to have to deliver such corps or else remittances to D'Ormes  
and Hinchliffe at Petersburg April 3<sup>rd</sup> by or before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1777.  
This Bill is granted under an Act of the General Assembly of Virginia  
approved April 3<sup>rd</sup> 1773 entitled and act to secure the advance for agricultural  
purposes. Witness the following signatures and seals.

Jack Hinchliffe

Virginia, Southampton County, to wit.

W. J. S. Spe a Notary Public for the County aforesaid