

Charles Barham, he now resides situate lying & being in the parish of St. John the Baptist
County of Southampton aforesaid containing 170 acres more or less (Barham's
the whole known ancient & reputed bounds thereof together with the following
Leaves/Levit/ Frank Perry Abram & Henry Kingsford & John Bain & the said
Judah Venus Amy Day Ben Dill Thant & Judah with their families now living
to have and to hold the said Plantation tract or parcel of Land & premises
together with the pious Negro Slaves and their increase unto the said James
Barham and his heirs and assigns to the only proper use & behoof of the said
James Barham his heirs and assigns forever and it is hereby covenanted granted
and agreed by and between the parties to these presents that in the said Charles
Barham notwithstanding the indenture or any thing therein contained shall
have hold use occupy possess and enjoy the hereby granted premises land & slaves forth
during the time of his natural life and no longer and that from & immediately
after the death of him the said Charles Barham it shall be lawful to and for
the said James Barham his heirs and assigns to enter into & take possession
of the herebefore mentioned lands & slaves & their increase & them & every
part & parcel of them peaceably & quietly to have hold possess & enjoy without
let suit trouble or disturbance of him the said Charles Barham his heirs
Executors or assigns or of any Person claiming by firm or under him or any
of them according to the true intent & meaning of these presents In Witness
whereof the parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands & Seals the day
& Year first above written

Sealed & delivered

in presence

J. Kelle

Sam Kelle

R. Kelle

J. Kelle

Sam Kelle

R. Kelle

Exam'd

Charles Barham
James Barham

Received the 12 day of March 1772 of James Barham

Feb 27

the sum of £1, the consideration above mentioned to his heirs

Charles Barham

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 12
day of March 1772

This Indenture and the receipt
thereon endorsed were acknowledged by the parties & ordered to be recorded

R. Kelle

James W.
To
Council
Sent to Court

This Indenture made this 12 day of March 1772 Between David
Benn & Patience his wife of Southampton County of the one part & Scutling Council
of Isle of Wight County of the other part Witnesseth that for & in consideration of the
sum of £30 Court Money of Virginia by the said Scutling Council in hand paid
at or before the Sealing & delivery of these presents the receipt whereof the said David
& Patience his wife both hereby acknowledge & thereof acquit & do
forever discharge the said Council his heirs & assigns by these presents they the