

470. Whereas Thomas Blunt of the County of Southampton hath this day purchased of two negroes slaves named Rose and James the property of Drewry Cotton now known all by, these presents that I Drewry Cotton for and in consideration of the sum of forty two pounds to me in hand paid by the said Thomas Blunt the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge have bargained sold delivered and by these presents do absolutely bargain sell and deliver unto the said Thomas Blunt the aforesaid negroes and boy slaves named Rose and James to have and to hold the said negroes slaves to him the said Thomas Blunt his heirs and assigns for ever and I the said Drewry Cotton for myself and my executors and administrators do Covenant and agree the aforesaid Rose and James slaves unto unto the said Thomas Blunt his heirs and assigns and assigns against the lawful claim and demands of all persons whatsoever to warrant and for ever defend by these presents In witness whereof the said Drewry Cotton his hand and seal have hereunto subscribed and set this 5th day of July in the 4th year of our Lord Christ one Thousand seven hundred and ninety one in the fourteenth Year of the American Independence

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In presence of

Joseph G Blunt

Drewry Cotton Jr

Drewry Cotton
mark

Received July 9th 1790 of Thomas Blunt the sum of forty two pounds current money of Virginia it being in full for the consideration money within mentioned received by me

Joseph G Blunt

Drewry Cotton Jr

Drewry Cotton Jr
mark

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 10th day of July 1791 This Bill of Sale and receipt above endorsed was acknowledged by Drewry Cotton party thereto and ordered to be Recorded