

To all to whom these presents shall come know ye that I Benjamin Drew
 of the county of Southampton being possessed of a certain white woman
 named Striana a about twenty three years of age and of her child named
 Kipped about three years old whom I have hitherto held as slave but
 being willing and desirous to emancipate the said Striana and her
 child as by the laws of the commonwealth I am empowered I have
 in conformity with the act of assembly in that case made and
 provided I do for myself my heirs executors and administrators
 and set free the said Striana and her child and do hereby declare
 them to be forever discharged from slavery and I do further for
 myself my heirs executors and administrators disclaim all right
 title and interest either to their person or any property they may
 hereafter acquire In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and seal this ninth day of June in the year of our Lord one
 thousand seven hundred and ninety one

Signed Sealed and deliv-
 red in presence of

Wm. Fairbairn Jr.

Benj^r Drew

At a Court held for the county of Southampton the 9th day of
 June 1791 This Deed of Emancipation of Striana and child
 was acknowledged by Benjamin Drew party thereto and ordered
 to be recorded

Wm. Fairbairn Jr.

Altem? He also named woman who was purchased by Benj^r Drew
 at Capt. Smith's sale on 10th June 1791 from James Smith by Mackin Bros or kids. 1800

This Indenture made this eighth day of January
 in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and
 ninety one Between Droway Cotton the Elder of Southampton
 of the one part and Miriam Scott and Jordan and Joseph Denson
 of the same County of the other part Whereas the said Droway
 Cotton stands Justly Indebted to the said Jordan and Joseph
 Denson in the Just and full sum of fifteen pounds Current money
 of Virginia due by bond also to the said Miriam Scott as guardian
 of James Jordan Scott's orphans in the sum of about Twenty five
 pounds by bond like Current money of Virginia with

Cotton

to

Denson

8th Dec.

1791

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