

th day of July
to Richard party
Hells & Co.

city of South Hampton
and valuable consideration
the natural love and
affection and confirmed
in one house and one
wedding, hooly giving
assistance in fee simple
the quire & granted
unto the said Thomas
Hall & wife warrant
to the said David Burn

Burn

day of May 1786
By John two of the
Hells & Co.

at one thousand seven
hundred and fifty barrels
in consideration of
paid by the said
they the said Edwin
and confirmed and
the said Jesse barrel
station two hundred
side of the lightwood
making the poplar in
back a corner tree
to the babbin
lines in the patent

line, thence along the said line to the poplar branch thence down the said branch to the beginning, being part
of patents granted to John Drows bearing date the fifth of September one thousand seven hundred and twenty
three & the ninth of July one thousand seven hundred and thirty seven, and also all trees, woods, under-
woods, commons, common of pasturage, profits, commodities, advantages, and also all trees, woods, under-
wood to the said tract or parcel of land above mentioned belonging, or in any wise appertaining, or in or
upon the same growing, happening or arising and also the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders
and every part thereof and also all the estate, right, title, interest, claims and demand whatsoever of them the said Edwin Gray and Juliana his wife of and in to the said premises
the said Edwin Gray and Juliana his wife of in and to the said premises and every part thereof with the ap-
portionment unto the said Jesse barrel his heirs and assigns for ever and the said Edwin Gray and
Juliana his wife for themselves and their heirs the said tract of land and every part and parcel thereof
against his heirs and against all and every other persons and persons whatsoever the said Edwin Gray
and Juliana his wife and their heirs and assigns shall and will warrant and for ever defend by these
words in witness whereof the said Edwin Gray and Juliana his wife hath hereunto set their hands
and seals the day and year above written.

Signed, Sealed & Delivered
in presence of
John Fort W. Bennett
Anna Blunt St. Bailey
William West Nonsom Branch

Edwin Gray
Juliana Gray



Received the eighth day of August one thousand seven hundred and eighty six of Jesse barrel
the sum of Two hundred and twenty five pounds the consideration within mentioned

Witness
Anna Blunt W. Bennett
John Fort St. Bailey
William West Nonsom Branch

Edwin Gray

The commonwealth of Virginia to John Simmons, William Bines and William Edmunds
greeting: Whereas Edwin Gray and Juliana his wife have by their certain indentures of bargain and
sale dated the 8th day of August 1786 conveyed the fee simple estate of land in one certain tract or parcel
of land containing two hundred and ninety five acres of land to Jesse barrel and whereas the said
Juliana sumeth conveniently travel to the court of our said county to relinquish her right of dower in the
same as the law directs. These are therefore to command you or any two or more of you personally to go
to the said Juliana and examine her privately and apart from her said husband, whether she hath
executed the deed hereto annexed without the persuasions or threats of her said husband, and
whether she is willing that the same should be recorded in the court of our said county of South
ampton and when you have examined her as aforesaid that you distinctly and plainly certify us
thereunder your hands and seals returning to us also the writ annexed to the said indentures
the 2nd day of January 1787 in the
11th year of the commonwealth.

Samuel Wells

In obedience to the within writ to us directed we did personally go to the within named Juliana
wife of the said Edwin Gray and examined her privately and before as she acknowledged the said
indenture hereto annexed and freely and voluntarily relinquished her right of dower to the lands
contained therein and that she was willing the same should be recorded in the county court of