At a court held for the county of Sn the 8 day of March 1792 This Indenture was acknowledged by Mary Branch & Martha Cocke being first privily examined as the law directs And at a court held for the sd county the 11th day of October 1792 The sd Indenture was further acknowledged by the within named Mary Branch she being first privily examined as the Law directs — And at a court held for the sd county the 11th day of Dec. 1794 This Indenture having been formally Acknowledged Is Ordered to be recorded

Sam Hall Cl

Bridger to Ward

This Indenture made this 8th day of April in the year of our Lord 1788 Between James Bridger of the county of Nansemond in the state of Virg. of the one part & Wm Ward of the county of Isle of Wight in the state aforesd of the other part Witnesseth that the sd Jas Bridger for the sum of £25 current money already in hand paid by the Wm Ward before the sealing & delivery of these presents to the sd Jas Bridger hath given granted aliened enfeoffed confirmed & by these presents doth give grant alien enfeoff and confirm unto the sd Wm Ward a certain parcel of lands situate in the county of Sn containing by Estimation 83 Acres more or less bounded by the land that was Glovers on the North side by Joshua Joyner on East side by Benj. Beal on the south side & Joseph Mount Joy on the West agreeable to the old marks & trees with all houses Orchards ways waters & water courses profits commodities hereditaments & appurtenances whatsoever to the sd land and parcel of land belonging or in any wise appertaining & the reversion & reversions remainder & remainders rents issues & profits thereof and also all the estate right title Interest property claim & demand whatsoever of him the said James Bridger in & to the sd land & premises with the appurtenances To have and to hold the sd land & premises hereby given & granted & every part & parcel thereunto belonging with there and every of the appurtenants unto him the sd Wm Ward his heirs & assigns & to the only proper use behoof & behoof of him the sd Wm Ward his heirs & assigns forever and the said James Bridger for himself his heirs Exors & Admors doth covenant & grant to and with the said Wm Ward his heirs & assigns by these presents that he the said Wm Ward his heirs & assigns shall & may peaceably & quietly have hold occupy possess & enjoy the said land & premises hereby given & granted from henceforth forever hereafter & the same shall be free & clear from all incumbrances whatsoever and Lastly that he the sd James Bridger his heirs all & singular the sd premises hereby given & granted there & every of there appurtenants unto the sd Wm Ward his heirs & assigns against all & every other person or persons whatsoever shall & will warrant & forever defend by these presents In witness whereof the said James Bridger hath hereunto set his hand & affixed his seal the day & date first above written

Sealed & delivered
In presence of
Joseph Hile
Wm Urquhart
J. Randolph
D. Barrow

James Bridger (Ls)

At a court held for the county of Southampton the 11th day of December 1794 This Indenture was proved by the oaths of Wm Urquhart J. Randolph & David Barrow three of the witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded

Sam Hall Cl