

part thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Benjamin
Wister his heirs and assigns to the only proper use & behoof of the
said Benjamin Wister his heirs and assigns forever and the said
Hardy Pope and wife for themselves their heirs and assigns
the said tract of land and every part thereof against themselves
and their heirs once against all and every other persons who
soever to the said Benjamin Wister shall and warrant and
for ever defend by their presents or witnesses whereof the said
Hardy Pope wife have hereunto set their hands and affixed
their seals this day & year above written

Signed Sealed and
delivered in presence of us

Hardy Pope

Sally ^{his} Pope
mark

Samuel Kello

Chap^l & ⁱⁿ Law

Samuel Kello Jun^r

At a court held for the county of Southampton the 18 day of February
1799 This Indenture was acknowledged by Hardy Pope
and wife Sally she being first previously examined at the same
court and ordered to be recorded

Samuel Kello Esq

Witness
in
presence of

This Indenture made the 17th day of December in the
year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety eight betw
een Hardy Pope and wife Sally of Southampton County of the one
part and Jordan Williams of the S^d County of the other part
Witnesseth that the S^d Hardy Pope and wife for and in consider
ation of the sum of one hundred and seventeen pounds six
shillings to him in hand paid by the said Lord and Williams
the receipt whereof the said Hardy Pope and wife doth hereby acknow
ledge They the S^d Hardy Pope and wife hath granted bargained
and sold them Enfranchised by these presents unto the said Lord and
Williams and his heirs and assigns forever one certain tract or
parcel of land containing by estimation one hundred and
seventy two acres be the same more or less situated lying
and being in the County of Southampton Parish of St. Nicholas
St. Nicholas River and bounded as follows beginning at a
place called Gum in Underwoods line thence S. 86 E. & more line to
Woodlands line a cor. pine tree of Wilkes line. thence Wood
lands line a cor. 1000 lbs thence a long Williams Ditches
line