

30 of November 1799 and in the 24 year of the commonwealth

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Samuel Wells

Southampton county November 30th 1799

In obedience to the above commission we have examined
Lucy Maddy and Betsey Holliman as we are therein directed they
informed us that they had executed the deed which is here annexed
freely and voluntarily and that they were willing it should be
recorded in the court of the county of Southampton we also took the acknow-
ledgements of the Lucy and Betsey of the execution of the Deed
given under their hands and Seals the day and year above written

Lewis Fort
Samuel Wells

At a court held for the county of Southampton the 17th day of
February 1800 This Indenture was proved by the oaths of William
Evans Samuel Woodard & John Johnston three of the witnesses
thereto and with the commission and certificate of its execution
returned and ordered to be recorded

Samuel Wells

This Indenture made this 17th day of September in the
year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred ninety nine between
Samuel Wells of the county of Southampton of the one part
William Ruffin adm^r of the will annexed of William
Edwards dec^d of the county of Surry of the second part and George
Blunt sen^r of the county of Southampton of the third part witness
that whereas the said Samuel Wells stands justly indebted to
the said William Ruffin adm^r of W^m Edwards dec^d by a writing
obligatory under his hand & seal bearing equal with these presents in
the sum of four hundred ninety pounds seven shillings and payable
on or before the 20th day of December next with interest from the
20th day of December 1798 with a discount of interest if