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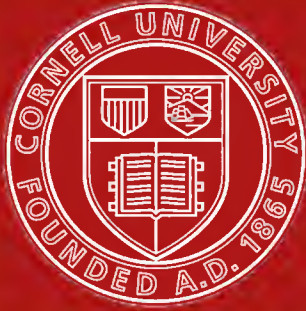
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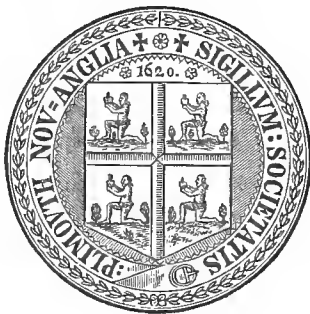
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## INTRODUCTION.

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**T**HIS volume contains a copy of the manuscript lettered "PLYMOUTH COLONY RECORDS, DEEDS, &c., VOL. I. 1627-1651," and of the "Book of Indian Records for their Lands," which is contained in the manuscript lettered "PLYMOUTH COLONY RECORDS,—IND. DEEDS,—TREAS<sup>RS</sup> RECORDS, ACC<sup>TS</sup>, LISTS OF FREEMEN," which Book of Indian Records, with the exception of two pages, is in the handwriting of Nathaniel Morton and Samuel Sprague.

The manuscript Book of Deeds, &c., which is the most ancient record of the first settlers of Plymouth, was begun by Governor Bradford, but the greater part of it is in the handwriting of Nathaniel Sowther and Nathaniel Morton. A few pages are in the handwriting of Antony Thacher and Samuel Sprague.

The book was paged by Secretary Morton, with the exception of thirty-two leaves at the beginning, and seven leaves at the end, which many years afterwards were paged by other persons.

In the year 1716, John Cotton, Esq., made Indexes, or Tables, as he calls them, on some of the leaves left unpagged, and wrote on the first page of the record

"Anno 1627

There are 2 Tables in this Book."

The date "1627," however, probably does not refer to the record on the same page, in Governor Bradford's handwriting, of the meersteads and garden plots laid out in 1620, or to the pages containing the record, mainly by the same hand, of the allotments of land in 1623. Those pages have every appearance of having been written in the years mentioned in the record. The date written by Mr. Cotton, "1627," undoubtedly refers to the record of Deeds, agreeably to the Title, on the leaf preceding the first page, namely,

"Plimouths great Book of Deeds of Lands  
Enrolled: from An<sup>o</sup> 1627 to An<sup>o</sup> 1651:"

A few deeds were also enrolled or recorded in this book of a date subsequent to 1651.

In some instances Deeds and other Instruments were signed by the parties with their own hands on the record, fac-similes of several of which autographs will be found in their appropriate places. A fac-simile of the first page, as recorded by Governor Bradford, is also added.

DAVID PULSIFER.

BOSTON, November 21, 1861.

## MARKS AND CONTRACTIONS.

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A Dash  $\bar{\text{~}}$  (or straight line) over a letter indicates the omission of the letter following the one marked.

A Curved Line  $\sim$  indicates the omission of one or more letters next to the one marked.

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Several characters have special significations, namely: —

<p>@, — annum, anno.            ā, — an, am, — curiā, curiam.            ā̄, — mātrate, magistrate.            b̄, — ber, — num̄b, number; Rōbt, Robert.            c̄, — ci, ti, — ac̄con, action.            cō, — tio, — jurisdic̄con, jurisdiction.            c̄, — cre, cer, — ac̄s, acres; clerīc̄, clericus.            d̄, — d̄d̄, delivered.            ē, — Trēr, Treasurer.            ē̄, — committē, committee.            ḡ, — ḡñal, general; Georḡ, George.            h̄, — chr, charter.            ī, — begīg, beginīg, beginning.            l̄, — lre, letter.            m̄, — mm, mn, — com̄ittee, committee.            m̄, — recof̄ndācon, recommendation.            m̄, — mer, — form̄ly, formerly.            m̄, — month.            n̄, — nn, — Peñ, Penn; āño, anno.            ñ, — Dñi, Domini.            n̄, — ner, — man̄n̄, manner.            ō, — on, — mentiō, mention.            ō, — mō, month.            p̄, — par, por; p̄t, part; p̄tion, portion.            p̄, — pre, — p̄sent, present.</p>	<p>p, — per, par, pur, pear, — psuite, pursue; appd, appeared; pson, person; pte, parte.            p̄, — pro, — p̄por̄con, proportion.            p̄, — proper.            q̄, — q̄stion, question.            q̄p̄, — esq̄p̄, esquire.            r̄, — Ap̄r̄, April.            s̄, — s̄, session; s̄d̄, said.            s̄, — ser, — s̄vants, servants.            t̄, — ter, — neūt, neuter; secrēt, secretary.            t̄, — capt̄, captain.            ū, — uer, — sēñal, seueral; gōñ, gounernor.            ū, — aboū, aboue, above.            v̄, — ver, — sēval, several.            v̄, — ver, verse, verses.            w̄, — w̄n, when.            y<sup>e</sup>, the; y<sup>m</sup>, them; y<sup>n</sup>, then; y<sup>r</sup>, their; y<sup>s</sup>, this; y<sup>t</sup>, that.            z, — us, ue; vilibz, vilibus; annoqz, annoque.            ℔, — es, et, — statut℔, statutes.            ℔̄, &amp;℔̄, &amp;c<sup>a</sup>, — et cætera.            viz<sup>o</sup>, — videlicet, namely.            /, — full point.</p>
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R℔, Regis; RR℔, Regni Regis.



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PLYMOUTH RECORDS.

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The mostowts & garden plots of  
which were first layd out 1620  
The north side

the south side

Peeter Brown

John Goodman

<sup>m</sup> Brewster

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John Billington

<sup>m</sup> Isaac Norton

Francies Cooke

Edmund Winslow

the street

# PLYMOUTH RECORDS.

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[The manuscript volume entitled "Plimouths Great Book of Deeds of Lands Enrolled from An<sup>o</sup> 1627 to An<sup>o</sup> 1651," (a copy of which follows, ending on page 221 of this volume,) is divided into two parts. The first part, containing the allotments of land, &c., was written by Governor Bradford, excepting pages 11, 50—57, and part of page 30, which are in an unknown hand. The second part was written by the following named persons: Edward Winslow, pages 1 and 4. Nathaniel Sowther, 2, 16, 18, 19—82, 84—133, 136—153, 156—189, 194—214, 218, 220, parts of 134, 154, 190, and 192. William Bradford, 6—10, 83, 223, 224, 277—230, 382, 384, part of 134. Antony Thacher, 154, 191, 225, 237, 240, parts of 154, 234, and 236. Nathaniel Morton, 215, 216, 232, 241—368, parts of 190, 192, 234, and 371. William Paddy, receipt on page 236. Samuel Sprague, 375—376. The greater part of the manuscript is written on one side only of the leaf. The folios of the blank pages are omitted in the margin of the printed copy.—D. P.]

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\*The meersteads & garden plotes of [those] which came first layd out 1620.

\*1

The north side

The south side

Peeter Brown<sup>1</sup>

John Goodman

M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Brewster

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high way

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John Billington

M<sup>r</sup> Isaak Allerton

Francies Cooke

Edward Winslow

the streete

\*4 \*The Falles of their grounds which came first ouer in the May-Floure,  
according as thier lotes were cast .1623.

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	Robart Cochman . . . . .	1	the number [of]
	M <sup>r</sup> William Brewster . . . . .	6	akers to [each]
	William Bradford . . . . .	3	one.
	Richard Gardener . . . . .	1	
these lye on the	Frances Cooke . . . . .	2	
South side of	George Soule . . . . .	1	
the brooke to	M <sup>r</sup> Isaak Alerton . . . . .	7	
the baywards.	John Billington . . . . .	3	
	Peter Browen . . . . .	1	
	Samuell fuller . . . . .	2	
	Joseph Rogers . . . . .	2	

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these containe .29. akers.

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These lye one	John Howland . . . . .	4
the South side	Steuen Hobkins . . . . .	6
of the brook to	Edward ^ . . . . .	1
the woodward	Edward ^ . . . . .	1
opposite to the	Gilbard Winslow . . . . .	1
former.	Samuell fuller Juneor . . . . .	3

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these containe .16. akers besids Hobamaks  
ground which lyeth betwene Jo: Howlands & Hobkinses.

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this .5. akers lyeth		
behind the forte	William White . . . . .	5
to the litle ponde.		
	Edward Winslow . . . . .	4
	Richard Warren . . . . .	[2]
these lye one the	John Goodman . . . . .	x
north side of	John Crackston . . . . .	x
the towne nexte	John Alden . . . . .	x
adjoyning to	Marie Chilton . . . . .	x
*5 their gardens	*Captin Myles Standish . . . . .	2
which came in	Francis Eaton . . . . .	4
the Fortune.	Henerie Samson . . . . .	1
	Humillitie Cooper . . . . .	1

\*The sales of their grounds which came in the Fortune according as their  
 Lots were cast 1623. This ship came  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 1621.

\*6

these lye to the sea, eastward.	These lye beyond the f[irst] brook to the wood we[st]ward.
William Hilton . . . . . 1	William Wright { . . . . . 2
John Winslow . . . . . 1	William Pitt } . . . . . 2
William Coñer . . . . . 1	Robart Hickes . . . . . 1
John Adams . . . . . 1	Thomas Prence . . . . . 1
William Tench { . . . . . 2	Steuken Dean . . . . . 1
John Cannon } . . . . . 2	Moyses Simonson { . . . . . 2
	Philipe de la Noye } . . . . . 2
	Edward Bompas . . . . . 1
these folowing lye beyonde the .2. brooke.	Clemente Brigges . . . . . 1
	James Steward . . . . . 1
	William Palmer . . . . . 2
<del>Hugh Statie</del> . . . . . -1	Jonathan Brewster . . . . . 1
Hugh Statie . . . . . 1	Benet Morgan . . . . . 1
William Beale { . . . . . 2	Thomas Flauell } . . . . . 2
Thomas Cushman } . . . . . 2	{ his son, } . . . . . 2
Austen Nicolas . . . . . 1	Thomas Morton . . . . . 1
Widow Foord . . . . . 4	William Bassite . . . . . 2
15. akers.	19. akers.

\*The sales of their grounds which came ouer in the shipe called the Anne  
 according as their, were cast. 1623. \*10

Akers	these to the sea eastward. akx.
James Rande . . . . . 1	Francis Spragge . . . . . 3
these following lye beyond the brooke to Strawberie-hill.	
Edmond Flood . . . . . 1	Edward Burcher . . . . . 2
Christopher Connant . . . . . 1	John Jenings . . . . . 5
Francis Cooke . . . . . 4	goodwife Flauell . . . . . 1
	Manasseh { John Fance . . . . . 2

these but against the swampe & reed-ponde.		this goeth in w <sup>th</sup> a corner by y <sup>e</sup> ponde.	
George Morton & } . . . . . 8		Alice Bradford . . . . . 1	
Experience Michell } . . . . . 1		Robart Hickes his } . . . . . 4	
Christian Penn . . . . . 1		wife & children } . . . . . 1	
Thomas Morton Junior . . . . . 1		Brigett Fuller . . . . . 1	
William Hiltons wife } . . . . . 3		Ellen Newton . . . . . 1	
& .2. children . . . . . }		Pacience & Fear Brewster, } . . . . . 3	
		w <sup>th</sup> Robart Long . . . . . }	
		William Heard . . . . . 1	
		M <sup>rs</sup> Standish . . . . . 1	

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These following lye on the other side of the towne towards the  
eele-riuer.

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Marie Buckett adioyning to } . . . . . 1		Robart Rattlife beyonde the } . [2]	
Joseph Rogers . . . . . }		swampie & stonie ground }	
M <sup>r</sup> Ouldom & those joyned } . . . . . 10		These butt against Hobes Hole.	
with him . . . . . }		Nicolas Snow . . . . . x	
Cudbart Cudbartsonne . . . . . 6		Anthony Dixe . . . . . x	
Anthony Anable . . . . . 4		M <sup>r</sup> Perces .2. Ser: . . . . . x	
Thomas Tilden . . . . . 3		Ralfe Walen, . . . . . x	
Richard Wařen . . . . . 5		Bangs . . . . . 4	
Bangs . . . . . 4			

\*11

\*South side.

North side.

Steph: Tracy three acres . . . . . 3		Edw: Holman 1. acre . . . . . 1
Tho. Clarke one acre . . . . . 1		ffranc & wife to Wit Palmer .1. acre
Robt Bartlet one acre . . . . . 1		Josuah Prat & } . . . . . .2
		Phineas Prat }

An<sup>o</sup> 1632.

April .2.

\*20

\*The names of those which promise to remoue their fam[ilies] to liue in the  
towne in the winter time that they [may] the better repair to the wor-  
ship of God.

John Allden.

Capten Standish.

Johna: Brewster.

Tho: Prence.

\* **P**HILLIP DELANOY hath sould to Stephèn Deane one Acre of Land lying on the North side the towne between the first and second brooke in the Vpper fall of the said field and bounded with the grounds of Moses Simonson on the north side and the saide Stephen on the south side. The said Stephen, to haue ℥ to hould the said Acre soe lying, to the pp vse and benefit of him ℥ his Heires for euer for ℥ in Consideration of the Sum or Vallue of fower pound℥ sterling eyther to be made in currant monyé of England or in such other cōmodity as will Readily pcure or amount vnto the said som, in this plantation: in maner ℥ forme following, viz<sup>t</sup> the one halfe in ℥ vpon the first day of October: 1628: in the now dwelling house of the said Stephen, to the said Phillip, his heires, or assignes, the same being there by him or them demaunded And twenty shillings more vp̄ the first day of October Anno. 1629 ℥ the last 20 shillings Anno 1630: on the first of October each payment to be made at the place afforesaid.

An<sup>o</sup> 1627.  
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PALIPP DELANOY  
STEPHEN DEANE

**E**DWARD BOMPASS, and Moses Simonson sould ech of them an Acre of ground, to Robart Hicks lying on the north side of the towne.

An<sup>o</sup> 1628.  
March 26.

**S**TEUEN DEAN sould to Robart Hixe .2. acers of land lying on the north side of the towne between the first, ℥ second brook, the one being his owe inheritance, y<sup>e</sup> other was that he bought of Philip De le noy. the which .2. acers he sould as aforesaid to the said Robart Hixe for the some of .4.<sup>h</sup> sterling, which painment he haith receiued. ℥ in wittnes hearof hath put to his hand. this .3. of July. 1630.

Feb. 10,  
An<sup>o</sup> 1629.

STEPHEN DEAN.

\* **A**BRAHAM PEIRCE, sould to Thomas Clarck one Acre of land lying on y<sup>e</sup> south side of the towne abutting on Hobs-hole with the one end, and bounded one y<sup>e</sup> one side with the ground of Ralfe Wallen, ℥ on the other end, ℥ side with Cōmone ground. for the Consideration ℥ sume of .30. pounds of good ℥ marchantable Tobaco. to him, ℥ his heirs for euer.

An<sup>o</sup> 1629  
Sept. 28.  
\*32

The .29. of the same month ℥ year aboue writen the said Thomas Clark sould to William Bradford the aforesaid acre of land bought of y<sup>e</sup> said Abraham Peirce, lying ℥ bounded as abouesayd.

And also an other acre of grounde lying on the same side of the towne, abutting with y<sup>e</sup> one ende on y<sup>e</sup> Bay, ℥ boūded one y<sup>e</sup> one side with *with* y<sup>e</sup> land of widow Wafen, ℥ on y<sup>e</sup> other sid with y<sup>e</sup> land of Edward Bangs; both which

All this was paid according to y<sup>e</sup> bargen. acres of land he the said Thomas, hath sould the said William, for the sume of .5.<sup>li</sup> sterling, to haue, & injoye, to him & his heirs for euer. the said .5.<sup>li</sup> is to be payed in good & current money in England, except .6.<sup>li</sup> of beauer to be payed hear.

Teste.

\*36      \*The ——— of June m<sup>r</sup> Oldam by the whole companie was by the wh  
 \*40      \*Orders agreed on at feuerall times for the generall good of the Colony; and the better gouernment, & preferuation of the fame

Anno .1623.  
desemb: 17.

**I**T was ordained .17. day of Desemb. Anno .1623. by the Court then held; that all crimynall facts; and also all maters of Trespases; and debts between man, & man should, be tried by the verdict, of twelue Honest men, to be Impanned by Authority, in forme of a Jurie vpon their oaths.

Anno .1626.  
march .29.

It was decreed by the Court held the .29. of march Anno .1626. That for the preuenting of shuch inconueniences, as doe, and may befall the plantation by the want of timber, That no man of what condition soeuer sell or transport any maner of works as frames, for howses, planks, bords, shiping, shalops, boats, cañoes, or what so euer may tende to the destrucktion of timber aforesaid; how litle so euer the quantie be; without the consent, approbation, & liking of the Gouvernour, & Counsell;

And if any be found falty herein & shall imbarke, or any way convey to that end to make salle of any the goods aforesaid exprest or intended by this decree, the same to be forfeited, and a fine of twice the valew for all so sould to be duly taken by the Gouvernour for the vse & benefite of the Company.

It was funder decreed the day & year aboute writen; for y<sup>e</sup> preuenting of shuch abuses, as doe & may arise amongst vs; that no handicrafts men of what profession so euer, as Taylors, shoemakers, carpenters, Joyners, Smiths, Sawiers or whatsoever w<sup>ch</sup> doe or may residd or belong to this plantation of Plimoth: shall vse their science or Trads, at home or abroad for any streangers or foriners, till shuch time as the necessity of [the] Colony be serued, without the concent of y<sup>e</sup> Gouvernour & counsell; The breach therof to be punished at [their] descretion.

March .29.  
1626.  
\*42

\*It was ordained the said .29. of March .1626. for the preuenting scarcity, as also for the fundering of our trade, that no corne, beans, or pease, be transported, inbarked or sold to that end to be conveyed out of the colony without the leaue & licence of the Gouvernour & Counsell; the breach wherof to be punished with lose of the goods so taken or proued to be sould; & the seler funder fined, or puinshed, or both at the discretion of y<sup>e</sup> Goũ<sup>r</sup> & counsell.

January .6.  
1627.

It was agreed vpon by the whole courte held the .6. of Jenuar<sup>r</sup> .1627. that from henceforward no dwelling-house was to be couered with any kind of thatche as straw, reed, & c. but with either bord, or pale or the like; to wet: of all that were to be new build in the towne.



\* 1627. }

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**A**T a publique court held the 22<sup>th</sup> of May it was concluded by the whole Com-  
panie, that the cattell w<sup>ch</sup> were the Companies, to wit, the Cowes & the Goates  
should be equally deuided to all the psonts of the same company & soe kept vntill  
the expiration of ten yeares after the date aboue written. & that euery one should  
well and sufficiently puid for there owne pt vnder penalty of forfeiting the same.

That the old stock with halfe th increase should remaine for comon vse  
to be deuided at thend of the said terme or otherwise as ocation falleth out,  
& the other halfe to be their owne for euer.

Vppon w<sup>ch</sup> agreement they were equally deuided by lotts soe as the bur-  
then of the keeping the males then beeing should be borne for common vse  
by those to whose lot the best Cowes should fall & so the lotts fell as followeth/  
thirteene psonts being pportioned to one lot.

i. The first lot fell to ffrancis Cooke & his Companie Joyned to him his  
wife Hester Cooke.

- 3 John Cooke
- 4 Jacob Cooke
- 5 Jane Cooke
- 6 Hester Cooke
- 7 Mary Cooke
- 8 Moses Simonson
- 9 Phillip Delanoy
- 10 Experience Michaell
- 11 John ffance
- 12 Joshua Pratt
- 13 Phinihas Pratt

To this lot fell the least of the 4  
black Heyfers Came in the Jacob,  
and two shee goats.

2 The second lot fel to M<sup>r</sup> Isaac Allerton & his Companie ioyned to  
him his wife ffearre Allerton.

- 3 Bartholomew Allerton
- 4 Remember Allerton
- 5 Mary Allerton
- 6 Sarah Allerton
- 7 Godber Godberson
- 8 Sarah Godberson
- 9 Samuell Godberson
- 10 Marra Priest
- 11 Sarah Priest
- 12 Edward Bumpasse
- 13 John Crakstone

To this lot fell the Greate Black cow  
came in the Ann to which they must  
keepe the lesser of the two steers, and  
two shee goats.

- \*52
- \*3 The third lot fell to Capt<sup>r</sup> Standish & his companie Joyned to him  
 2 his wife Barbara Standish \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 Charles Standish To this lot fell the Red Cow w<sup>ch</sup> be-  
 4 Allexander Standish longeth to the poore of the Colonye to  
 5 John Standish w<sup>ch</sup> they must keepe her Calfe of this  
 6 Edward Winslow yeare being a Bull for the Companie.  
 7 Susanna Winslow Also to this lott Came too she goats.  
 8 Edward Winslow  
 9 John Winslow  
 10 Resolued White  
 11 Perigrine White  
 12 Abraham Peirce  
 13 Thomas Clarke
- 4 The fourth lot fell to John Howland & his companie Joyned to him  
 2 his wife Elizabeth Howland  
 3 John Howland Juno<sup>r</sup> To this lot fell one of the 4 heyfers  
 4 Desire Howland Came in the Jacob Called Raghorne.  
 5 William Wright  
 6 Thomas Morton Juno<sup>r</sup>  
 7 John Alden  
 8 Prissilla Alden  
 9 Elizabeth Alden  
 10 Clemont Briggs  
 11 Edward Dolton  
 12 Edward Holdman  
 13 Joh. Alden
- 5 The fift lot fell to M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Brewster & his companie Joyned to him  
 2 Loue Brewster \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 Wrestling Brewster To this lot ffell one of the fower  
 4 Richard More Heyfers Came in the Jacob Caled the  
 5 Henri Samson Blind Heyfer & 2 shee goats.  
 6 Johnathan Brewster  
 7 Lucrecia Brewster  
 8 Wil<sup>m</sup> Brewster  
 9 Mary Brewster  
 10 Thomas Prince  
 11 Pacience Prince  
 12 Rebecka Prince  
 13 Humillyty Cooper

- \*6 The sixt lott fell to John Shaw & his companie Joyned \*54  
 1 to him  
 2 John Adams To this lot fell the lesser of the  
 3 Eliner Adams black Cowes Came at first in the Ann  
 4 James Adams w<sup>th</sup> which they must keepe the biggest  
 5 John Winslow of the 2 steers. Also to this lott was  
 6 Mary Winslow two shee goats.  
 7 Wil<sup>m</sup> Basset  
 8 Elizabeth Bassett  
 9 Willyam Basset Juno<sup>r</sup>  
 10 Elyzabeth Basset Juno<sup>r</sup>  
 11 ffrancis Sprage  
 12 Anna Sprage  
 13 Mercye Sprage

- 7 The seauenth lott fell to Stephen Hopkins & his companie Joyned to  
 2 him his wife Elizabeth Hopkins  
 3 Gyles Hopkins To this lott fell A black weining  
 4 Caleb Hopkins Calfe to w<sup>ch</sup> was aded the Calfe of  
 5 Debora Hopkins this yeare to come of the black Cow,  
 6 Nickolas Snow w<sup>ch</sup> fell to John Shaw & and his Com-  
 7 Constance Snow panie, w<sup>ch</sup> pueing a bull they were to  
 8 Wil<sup>m</sup> Pallmer keepe it vngelt 5 yeares for common  
 9 ffrances Pallmer vse & after to make there best of it.  
 10 Wil<sup>m</sup> Pallmer Jno<sup>r</sup> Nothing belongeth of theſe too, for y<sup>e</sup>  
 11 John Billington Seno<sup>r</sup> cōpanye of y<sup>e</sup> first stock: but only  
 12 Hellen Billington half y<sup>e</sup> Increase.  
 13 ffrancis Billington To this lott theſe fell two shee goats:  
 which goats they posseſe on the like  
 terms which others doe their cattell.

- 8 The eaight lot fell to Samuell ffuller & his company Joyned to him his wife  
 2 Bridgett ffuller To this lott fell A Red Heyfer Came  
 3 Samuell ffuller Junior of the Cow w<sup>ch</sup> belongeth to the poore  
 4 Peeter Browne of the Colony & so is of that Consid-  
 5 Martha Browne eration. (viz<sup>t</sup>) thes psonts nominated,  
 6 Mary Browne to haue halfe the Increace, the other  
 7 John fford halfe, with the ould stock, to remain  
 8 Martha fford for the vse of the poore/  
 9 Anthony Anable To this lott also two shee goats.  
 10 Jane Anable

- 11 Sara Anable  
 12 Hañah Anable  
~~13 Theñ Merten Sono~~  
 13 Damaris Hopkins
- \*56 \*9 The ninth lot fell to Richard Warren & his companie Joyned w<sup>th</sup>  
 2 him his wife Elizabeth Warren  
 3 Nathaniell Warren To this lott fell one of the 4 black  
 4 Joseph Warren Heyfers that came in the Jacob caled  
 5 Mary Warren the smooth horned Heyfer and two  
 6 Anna Warren shee goats.  
 7 Sara Warren  
 8 Elizabeth Warren  
 9 Abigall Warren  
 10 John Billington  
 11 George Sowle  
 12 Mary Sowle  
 13 Zakariah Sowle
- 10 The tenth lot fell to ffrancis Eaton & those Joyned w<sup>th</sup> him his  
 2 wife Christian Eaton To this lott fell an heyfer of the  
 3 Samuell Eaton last yeare called the white belyd  
 4 Rahell Eaton heyfer & two shee goats.  
 5 Stephen Tracie  
 6 Triphosa Tracie  
 7 Sarah Tracie  
 8 Rebecka Tracie  
 9 Ralph Wallen  
 10 Joyce Wallen  
 11 Sarah Morton  
~~12 Edward Fladd~~  
 12 Robert ~~Hilton~~ Bartlet  
 13 Tho: Prence.
- 11 The eleuenth lott fell to the Gouverno<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> William Bradford and  
 2 those with him, to wit, his wife Allès Bradford and  
 3 William Bradford, Junior  
 4 Mercy Bradford To this lott fell An heyfer of the  
 5 Joseph Rogers last yeare w<sup>ch</sup> was of the Greate white  
 6 Thomas Cushman back cow that was brought ouer in  
 7 William Latham the Ann, & two shee goats.  
 8 Manases Kempton



3<sup>ly</sup> The ground to be Judged sufficient before the lots were drawne, and the rest to be left to Common use.

4<sup>ly</sup> This being don ; that for our better subsistance, and conuenience ; those grounds which are nearest the towne, in whose lott so euer they fall ; shall be used by the whole, for the space of .4. years from the date here of, viz. first, that the right owner make choyce of twise that quanty he shall or may vse, within the said terme. and then to take to him shuch nighbours as shall haue nede & he thinke fite ; but if they cannot agree then the Gouvernour and Counsell may appoint as they think meet: Prouided that the woods be ordered for felling & loping according as the owner shall appoint ; for neither firewood nor other timber, either for building, or fencing, or any other vse, is to be feld or carid of of any of these lots, without the owners leaue & licence. but he is to preserue them to his best aduantage.

5<sup>ly</sup> \*That what soeuer the surueigers Judg sufficient shall stand without contradiction, or opposition. and euery man shall rest contented with his lott.  
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6<sup>ly</sup> That after the purchasers are serued, as aforesaid that then shuch planters as are heirs to shuch as died before the right of the land was yeilded to the aduenturers haue also .20. Acres a person, pportionable to their right laid out in pt of their inheritance.

7<sup>ly</sup> That first they shall begine, weer the Acers of the first deuision end. and lay out that to the Eele-riuer so farr as shall be thought fitt by y<sup>e</sup> surueighers ; and returne to the north sid of the town, & so proceed accordingly. And that they leaue all great timber swamps for comon vse.

8<sup>ly</sup> That fouling, fishing, and hunting be free.

9 That the old path-waies be still allowed ; and that euery man be allowed a conuenient way to the water weer so euer the lott fall.

10 Lasly, that euery man of y<sup>e</sup> surueighers haue *haue* a peck of corne for euery share of land laid out by them ; to be payed by the owner therof when the same is layd out.

The names of the layers-out were these.

William Bradford  
Edward Winslow  
John Howland  
Francis Cook

Josua Pratt  
Edward Bangs

\***E**DWARD WINSLOW hath sold unto Capt Myles Standish his six shares in the red Cow for ℓ in consideraçon of five powns ten shillingℓ to be p<sup>d</sup> in Corne at the rate of six shillingℓ p bushell freeing the s<sup>d</sup> Edward from all manner of charge belonging to the said shares during the terme of the nine yeares they are let out to halues ℓ taking the benefit thereof. Jan. 20. 1627.  
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**A**BRAHAM PEIRE<sup>1</sup> hath sold unto Capt Myles Standish two shares in the red Cow for ℓ in consideraçon of two Ewe lambs the one to be d<sup>d</sup> at the time of weaning this p<sup>r</sup>nt yeare ℓ the other at the same time Anno 1628 freeing the said Abraham from all manner of charge belonging to the said shares during the terme of the nine yeares they are let out to halues ℓ taking the benefit thereof. Jan. 20. 1627.  
[<sup>1</sup>Peirce, see  
page 10.]

\*An agreement made this p<sup>r</sup>sent viij<sup>th</sup> of July 1630 betweene  
John Winslow on the one pty and John Shawe of the other  
pty as followeth./ \*2

**I**NPRIMIS the said John Winslow hath fully and absolutely sould to the said John Shawe all his arrable land that is lying in that Tract of land that is co<sup>m</sup>only called Knaues acre otherwise named Woodbee in manner and forme as followeth.

ffirst, the said John Shawe is to pay to the said John Winslow for the said lands six pounds of lawfull money or good commodities of w<sup>ch</sup> said sixe pounds three pounds is already payd downe in hand, and the remaynder is to be payed namely three pound in such good co<sup>m</sup>odityes as the said John Winslow well liketh or els in good merchantable Corne to be payd the first of November next ensuing.

Secondly the said John Shawe is to giue to the said John Winslowe all the Meadow ground that butteth at the vpper end of the said arrable land to the brooke side as well that that was formly the said John Winslowes, as the other of the said John Shawes.

Thirdly the said John Shawe is to allow the said John Winslow his heires and Assignes a payth ℓ heigh way with f<sup>r</sup>ee egressse ℓ regresse through the said land vnto any pte of the said John Winslowes grounds adjoyneing therevnto. In witnesse whereof wee the said p<sup>r</sup>ties haue interchaungably set to our hands the day and yeare aboue written.

Witnes herevnto  
Johnnathã Brewster.

JOHN WINSLOWE.

John **Ʒ** Shawe.  
his marke.

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\*The 25 of June 1631.

**E**DW: WYNSLOW of new Plymouth hath bought of John Wynslow of the same three Acres of land lying in the Cōmon field on the south side the towne of Plymoth aforeſd lying betweene the landℓ of ffrancℓ Eaton on the north side ℓ Capt Myles Standish on the south for a valuable consideraçõn agreed on betweene them. The said John binding himselfe to confirme the same to the ſd Edw: ℓ his heires for ever.

JOHN WINSLOWE.

ffrancℓ Eaton of Plymouth aboueſd hath sold unto Edw: Wynslow of the same four acres of land lying in the north field between the landℓ of Capt Myles Standish on the South side ℓ one acre due unto Henry Sampson on the North for ℓ in Consideraçõ of the second Cow calfe shall fall unto the said Edw: after the date of this pr<sup>nt</sup> viz<sup>t</sup> the 25 of June 1631. The ſd Edw: to deliver the same at the age of six moneths ℓ if it miscarry before then a 3<sup>d</sup> ℓc. till paym<sup>t</sup> be made according to the tenure of this p<sup>rint</sup>. The ſd ffrancℓ binding himselfe ℓ heires, to confirme the said moetic of land to the said Edw: Wynslow ℓ his heires for ever.

FRANCES EATEN.

Capt Myles Standish of Plymouth hath sold unto Edw: Wynslow of the same two acres of land lying in the north field between the late landℓ of John Wynslow on the South side ℓ ffrancℓ Eaton on the North now in the possession of Edward Winslow aforesaid (being by him purchased ℓ acknowledged as aboue mençõned) for ℓ in consideraçõn of seaven powndℓ of lawfull money of Engl. The said Myles Standish binding himselfe ℓ heires to confirme the right ℓ title thereof to the said Edward Wynslow ℓ his heires for ever.



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\*Desemb: 30. 1631.

**F**RANCES EATON of New Plimoth, hath sould vnto m<sup>r</sup> William Brewster of the same towne, one share of land, containing twenty Acers, lying at the place comonly called Nothingelse, next ajoyning to the laud of the said William Brewster lying to the north therof on the one side ;



And haueing the resedew of the land of the foresaid Frances Eaton lying to the sowthward therof; for ℥ in Consideration that the said William Brewster, shall pay his purchas for four shars which comes to .21<sup>li</sup>. 12<sup>s</sup> sterling; the which the said William Brewster doth bind himselfe by these presentes to dischare, ℥ free the said Francis Eaton wholly of the same. ℥ the said Francis Eaton doth likewise by these presents confeirme, for him, his heirs, ℥ exsecutores for euer the said portion of land abouesaid, to the said William Brewster to him ℥ his heires for euer. in wites wherof they haue hearunto put their hands. the day ℥ year aboue writen.

*Francis Eaton*

*William Brewster*

Moreouer the year, ℥ day aboue writen, the said Francis Eaton of Plimoth aforesaid, hath sould other twelwe Acers of land lying in the aforesaid place at Nothingells, next adjonying to the foresaid portion, aboue mentioned, ℥ bounded as before; for ℥ in consideration of the sume of .10<sup>li</sup>. pound sterling; allredy paid by the said William Brewster, to the aforesaid Francies Eaton. And therefore the said William Brewster is to haue ℥ to hould, the abouesaid portion of .12. Acers of land, to him ℥ his heires for euer, in wites wherof the said Francis Eaton hath put to his hand.

FRANCES EATEN.

\*March .24. An<sup>o</sup> 1630.

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**R**ALFE WALLEN sould to Thomas Clarck a parcell of his lott of land called Wallens Well, lying vpon y<sup>e</sup> Eelle-Riuier; haueing y<sup>e</sup> lott of y<sup>e</sup> said Thomas Clarke lying northerly from it on y<sup>e</sup> one side, viz. all y<sup>t</sup> parte or portion of y<sup>e</sup> said lott, called Wallens wells lying betweene y<sup>e</sup> brooke y<sup>t</sup> is in y<sup>e</sup> said ground, ℥ y<sup>e</sup> said lott of Thomas Clarks; from y<sup>e</sup> commone passage by y<sup>e</sup> Eele riuer side forty pole vp into y<sup>e</sup> land. for y<sup>e</sup> sume ℥ consideration of .10<sup>li</sup>.starling. as apears by an Indenture made bettwene them, presented vnto vs vnder their hands, ℥ seale, dated as aboue. to which was wites Josua Pratt.

\*June y<sup>e</sup> .9. 1630.

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**A**NTHONY ANABLE sould to Danell Ray, his dwelling house, ℥ garding plote, ℥ fence, with all y<sup>e</sup> priuileges ther vnto belonging for y<sup>e</sup> sume of .15<sup>li</sup>. sterling. y<sup>e</sup> which being paid, he is to haue ℥ Injoy y<sup>e</sup>

same for him & his heirs for euer. as apperd by a writing presented vnto vs confirmed vnder y<sup>e</sup> hand of y<sup>e</sup> said Anthony Anable.

werevnto was witnes

Josua Pratt.

October y<sup>e</sup> .12. 1630.

**R**ALFE WALLEN sould, to M<sup>r</sup> John Coombe his house garden plote, & y<sup>e</sup> fences therto belonging, and all other benefites & priuiledges any way apertaining to y<sup>e</sup> same. for y<sup>e</sup> some of .9.<sup>li</sup> as appears by a writing more at large prcsented vnto vs, vnder their hands & seals; the paimente to be made as is therin expressed, and he to haue & Inojoy y<sup>e</sup> same to him & his heirs for euer.

To which was witnes

Josua Pratt.

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\*May y<sup>e</sup> .9. An<sup>o</sup> 1631.

**E**XPERIENCE MICHELL, sould vnto Samuell Eddy his dwelling house garden plott & fence, w<sup>th</sup> all things nailefast in y<sup>e</sup> same; for y<sup>e</sup> summe of twelfe pounds starling, as appears more at large by a writing vnder their hands, to which ffrances Eaton was witnes.

Only this was excepted by y<sup>e</sup> abouesaid Experience Michell, so much of y<sup>e</sup> said garden plote as lyeth betweene y<sup>e</sup> ende of y<sup>e</sup> house & y<sup>e</sup> streete; throw which notwithstanding he was to alow y<sup>e</sup> said Samuell a conuenient way of pasage. and to fence y<sup>e</sup> said ground (thus excepted) at his owne charge, & to maintaine y<sup>e</sup> same.

October .16. An<sup>o</sup>: 1632.

**W**ILLIAM PALMER sould his house, & .6. aceres of ground adjoining to y<sup>e</sup> Reede Pond to M<sup>r</sup> John Holmes, for y<sup>e</sup> price of .35.<sup>li</sup> sterling, the paimente to be made within y<sup>e</sup> terme of one whole yeare nexte ensuing y<sup>e</sup> date hearof.

to this bargaen was witness.

Josua Pratt.

Bradford Gouno<sup>r</sup>.

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\*The xxiii<sup>th</sup> of June, Anno Dñi 1637. Anno Caro<sup>l</sup> R<sup>el</sup> Ang<sup>t</sup> 6: xiiij<sup>o</sup>

**W**ILLIAM BASSETT of Ducksburrow hath in writing vnder his hand & Seale freely remitted and released vnto M<sup>r</sup> Raph Partridg of the same all his Right and title into so much of the lott of his land<sup>l</sup> lying in Ducksborrow aforesaid as is now enclosed by the said M<sup>r</sup> Partridg To

haue ℓ to hold the said landℓ to the said Raph Partridge his heires and Assignes foreuer ℓ to their onely pp vse ℓ behoofe.

Witnesses hereof

William Collyer

Jonathan Brewster

**F**rancis Sprague of Ducksborrow hath in writing vnder his hand and Seale freely remitted and released vnto M<sup>r</sup> Raph Partridg of the same all his Right and title into so much of the lott of his landℓ lying in Ducksborrow aforesaid as is now enclosed by the said M<sup>r</sup> Partridg. To haue and to hold the said landℓ vnto the said Raph Partridg his heires and Assignes for euer and to their onely proper vse and behafe.

Witnesses hereof

Wil<sup>m</sup> Collyer

Jonathan Brewster /

The two aboue said pcells of landℓ are bounded thus: To the landℓ of the said ffrancis Sprage to the South To the Landℓ of the said William Basset to the East to the houselott of M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Leſūich now layd forth for him to the North ℓ towardℓ the landℓ of X<sup>p</sup>ofer Waddesworth to the West.

\*Bradford Gour. An. RRℓ Caroli xij<sup>o</sup> 1637.

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**W**HERAS William Spooner of Colchester in the County of Essex by his Indenture beareinge date the twenty seaventh day of March Anno Dñi 1637 in the thirteenth yeare of his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Raigne ℓ hath put himself apprentice w<sup>th</sup> John Holmes of New Plymouth in America gen<sup>t</sup> from the first day of May next after the date of the said Indenture vnto thend ℓ terme of six yeares thence next ensuing w<sup>th</sup> diuers other couenantℓ on both pts to be pformed eich to other as by the said Inden<sup>t</sup> it doth more plainly appeare. Now the said John Holmes w<sup>th</sup> the consent ℓ likeinge of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Spooner hath the first day of July assigned and set ouer the said William Spooner vnto John Coomes of New Plymouth afore<sup>s</sup>d gen<sup>t</sup> for all the residue of his terme vnexpired to serue the s<sup>d</sup> John Coomes and the s<sup>d</sup> John Comes in thend of his said terme shall giue the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Spooner one comely suite of apparell for holy dayes and one suite for workinge dayes and twelue bushells of Indian Wheate, and a good serviceable muskett, bandiliers and sword fitt for service.

The xij<sup>th</sup> of July Anno Dñi 1637. Edward Dotey & Richard Derby.

**T**HE said Edward Dotey for and in consideraçon of the suñe of one hundred and fifty pound℥ of lawfull money of England to be payd in manner and forme following Hath freely and absolutely bargained sould alienated enfeoffed and confirmed vnto the said Richard Derby his heires and assignes All those his Messuages houses and tennement℥ at the heigh Cliffe or Skeart hill together w<sup>th</sup> the foure lotts of land℥ and three other acres purchased of Josuah Pratt Phineas Pratt & John Shawe All which s̄d p̄mis̄s are now in the tenure or occupaçon of the said Edward Dotey and his Assignes and all his right title interest clayme and demaund of and into the said p̄mis̄s and euery part and pcell thereof together w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the appurtenc℥ therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said Messuages land℥ & p̄mis̄s and all ℥ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>tenc℥ vnto the said Richard Derby his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely pper use & behoofe of the said Richard Derby his heires & Assignes for euer.

In consideraçon whereof the said Richard Derby doth p̄mise & agree to pay or cause to be payd vnto the said Edward Dotey his Execut<sup>r</sup>℥ Administrat<sup>r</sup>℥ or Assignes the said sume of one hundred & fifty pound℥ of lawfull money of England as aforesaid in manner following That is to say Twenty pounds by Bill of Exchange in old England (if the said Edward Dotey can p̄cure the same here) or els in lue thereof one heiffer which the said Edward shall make choyce of to be valued by two indifferrent men to be chosen by eich pte w<sup>ch</sup> said suñe to be in pt of payment of the said hundred and fifty pounds & the residue of the said hundred & fifty pound℥ to be payd at the returne of the said Richard Derby forth of old England w<sup>ch</sup> wilbe w<sup>th</sup>in two yeares now next ensuing (if God p̄mitt.)

Iñm it is agreed vpon betwixt the said p̄ties that the said Richard Derby shall haue p̄sent possession of all the said cheif Messuage (except one inner chamber wherein the said Edward Dotey layeth his Corne) and of one lott & three acres of the said lands, and as much more as he cann conveniently take in & make vse of to plant vpon.


Iñm it is also agreed vpon that the said Edward Dotey shalbe in possession of thother house & thother three lott℥ of land vntill he shalbe satisfied and payd the said hundred & fifty pound℥ and that it shalbe lawfull for him to reape this crop & another crop the next yeare and then if the \*said Richard Derby shall not be returned forth of old England or haue not payd or cause to be payd & satisfied the 150<sup>li</sup> by that tyme yt shall be lawfull

for the said Edward Dotey to sowe the second Crop and reape it and so a third vntill the said Richard Derby shall haue payd or cause to be payd the said 150<sup>li</sup>.

Item it is also agreed vpon betweene the said pties That the said Richard Derby shall procure one able man servant to be brought ouer to serue the said Edward Dotey for the terme of five six or seauen yeares for whose passage the said Edward Dotey shall pay five pound℥ to the said Richard Derby ℥ pforme such other couenant℥ to the said servant as the said Edward shall agree vpon w<sup>th</sup> twelue bushells of Indian graine at thend of his terme.

Item it is also agreed vpon betweene the said pties that the said Edward Dotey shall make vse of the two oute houses for the houseing of his Corne and Cattle vntill he be payd the said 150<sup>li</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> said houses the said Edward shall keepe and leaue in as good repaire (as now they are) when he leaues them as also the dwelling house (he is to use as aforeśd) ℥ the fence vpon the land℥ as sufficient as now they are.

Item it is lastly concluded vpon betweene the said pties That W<sup>m</sup> Hodgkinson shall hold his tyme in such pte of the said land℥ as hee now occupyeth for his terme, w<sup>ch</sup> is two crops more besid℥ this p<sup>r</sup>sent crop now vpon the ground.

RICHARD DERBY,  
EDWARD DOTEY, his  marke.

\*BRADFORD GOUNOR 1637.

The xvij<sup>th</sup> July 1637.

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**S**TEEPHEN HOPKINS of Plymouth gent<sup>r</sup> hath the day ℥ yeare aboue said for and in consideraçõn of the sume of threescore pound℥ of lawfull money of England to be payd in manner and forme following That is to say thirtie pound℥ of lawfull money of England at or vpon the first day of May next ensuing the date hereof and thother thirty pounds at or vpon the twenty ninth day of September next ensuing the foresaid payment Hath freely ℥ absolutely bargained sould alienated enfeoffed ℥ confirmed vnto Georg Boare of Scituate yeom<sup>n</sup> All that his Messuage houses tennement℥ outhouses lying and being at the Broken Wharfe toward℥ the Elele Riuer together w<sup>th</sup> the six shares of land℥ therevnto belonging containeing six score acres together w<sup>th</sup> all and singler the meadowes pastures Comõns and all ℥ singuler thappr<sup>t</sup>enc℥ therevnto belonging ℥ all his interrest right title clayme ℥ demanda of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery pte ℥ pcell thereof To haue ℥ to hold the said Messuage houses land℥ tennem<sup>nt</sup>℥ ℥ p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler their appurteñces vnto the said George Boare his heires and assignes foreu<sup>r</sup> To the onely pper vse ℥ behoofe of him the said Georg<sup>o</sup> Boare his heires ℥ assignes foreuer.

' The third day of August 1637. xiiij<sup>o</sup> Caroli RRℓ.

**E**LLINOR BILLINGTON of New Plymouth Widdow hath the day and yeare aboue written for and in consideraçon of the sume of twenty six pounds and six shillings, *Hath* freely and absolutely bargained sould aliened enfeoffed and confirmed vnto Thomas Armitage of the same yeoman All that her Messuage or tenne<sup>nt</sup> at Plaine Dealeing together w<sup>th</sup> all houses edifices ℓ buildings therevnto belonging and the lott of land therevnto lying containeing by estimaçon twenty acres or there aboutℓ bee it more or lesse together w<sup>th</sup> all pastures coimmons meaddowes and all ℓ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñices therevnto belonging And all her interrest right title clayme ℓ demaund whatsoever of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery part and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said Messuage landℓ and p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup> all and euery theire appurteneñcℓ vnto the said Thomas Armitage his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pp vse of him the said Thomas Armitage his heires and Assignes for euer.

\*BRADFORD GOUNO<sup>r</sup> 1637.

\*21 **K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ That I Clement Briggs of Wessaguscus for and in consideraçon of the sume of fve shillings in money to me paid by John Browne of Plymouth the eight day of October 1637 do couenant and graunt that the said John Browne shall haue and enjoy for him and his heires foreuer foure acres of land of the vpper end of that lot of land that appertaineth vnto me the said Clement Briggs And that the said John Browne doth also agree that the s<sup>d</sup> Clement Briggs shall haue for him ℓ his heires for euer the like quantitie of foure acres of land out of the land of the said John Browne lying at the lower end and adjoyneing to the residue of the land of the aforešd Clement Briggs at Joanes Riuer Witnesse my hand the day ℓ yeare aforešd

The marke of CLEMENT  BRIGGS.

Richard Cornish witnes.

\*BRADFORD GOUN<sup>r</sup>: xiiij<sup>th</sup> of King Charles.

\*22 The first day of Nouember 1637.

**R**ICHARD MOORE of Ducksborrow yeom<sup>n</sup> for and in consideraçon of the sume of twenty one pounds sterℓ to be payd in money or beauer in manner ℓ forme following that is to say tenn pounds pt thereof at or vpon the sixteenth day of this instant Nouember and other tenn pounds at or vpon

the twenty ninth day of Septemb<sup>r</sup> next ensuing the former payment and thother thirty shillings the first of Nouember after Hath bargained sould aliened enfeoffed and confirmed vnto Abraham Blush of the same all that his messuage and tennement in Ducksborrow aforesaid w<sup>th</sup> the twenty acres of land therevnto belonging and all the fence about the same w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the p<sup>r</sup>misses therevnto belonging and all his right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misses and euery part and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said Messuage or tennement lands and p<sup>r</sup>misses and all and singuler their appurteñces vnto the said Abraham Blush his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said Abraham Blush his heires and Assignes for eũ.

The thirteenth day of Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1637.

**W**HEREAS M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslowe formly bought three acres of lands of John Winslow lying on the North side of the Towne of New Plymouth and betweene the lands of the said Edward Winslowe & John Alden Now the said Edward Winslow hath for valuable consideraçon sould and reassigned the said three acres of lands vnto the said John Winslowe againe. And the said John Winslowe for £ in consideraçon of the sume of tenn pounds tenn shillings sterl bargained & sould the said three acres together w<sup>th</sup> one other acre lying betweene the lands of M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prince and the said Edward Winslow in the lower diuision of the feild on the North side of the said Towne betweene the two brookes vnto Josias Winslow his heires and assignes To haue and to hold the said foure acres of lands vnto the said Josias Winslow his heires & assignes for eũ to their ownely pp use and behoofe.

Memorand the same day the said Josias Winslow exchaunged the fore said acree lying betweene the land of the said M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslow & M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prince w<sup>th</sup> the said Edward Winslow to haue & to hold the said acre of land to him the said Edward his heires and assignes for eũ to their onely pp use & behoofe for one acre of land of the said Edward Winslowes lying next to the said three acres on the north side To haue and to hold the said acre of land vnto the said Josias Winslow his heires and assignes for eũ & to their ownely pp use & behoofe.

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\*BRADFORD GOU'NOR 1637.

The xvij<sup>th</sup> day of November 1637. xiiij<sup>o</sup> Caroli Regē ℞.

**M**EMORAND<sup>ũ</sup> the day and yeare aboue said That Richard Wright of New Plymouth Taylor for and in consideraçõn of the sume of foure pounds ℥ fiteene shillings sterl to him payd by Georġ Russell of the same yeoman Hath bargained and sould vnto the said Georġ his heires and Assignes All that his lot of lands w<sup>th</sup> the fence and labours vpon the same vpon Oulbery Playne containeing aboute foure or five acres (w<sup>th</sup> said Lot of land the said Richard Wright bought of M<sup>r</sup> Alexander Higgens) and all his right title ℥ interest of and into the said Lands To haue ℥ to hold the said lands and fence about the same vnto the said George Russell his heires and Assignes for eũ to the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said George Russell his heires ℥ Assignes for euer.

The xvij<sup>th</sup> day of November 1637. xiiij<sup>o</sup> Carł RR℥.

**M**EMORAND<sup>ũ</sup> the day and yeare abouesaid That James Davis of New Plymouth Saylor for ℥ in consideraçõn of the sume of three pounds ℥ tenn shillings sterl to him payd by Wilłm Sherman of the same Hath bargained and sould vnto the said Wilłm Sherman his heires and Assignes all that his lott of lands lying neere the lands graunted to M<sup>r</sup> John Weekes containeing by estimaçõn fwe acres or there about℥ (formly graunted to the said James in pte of the lands due to him for his service) And all his right Title ℥ interest of and into the said Lands To haue and to hold the said fwe acres of lands vnto the said Wilłm Sherman his heires and Assignes for eũ to the onely proper vse and behoofe of the said Wilłm Sherman his heires ℥ Assignes foreuer.

The fift day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1637.

**A**BRAHAM PERSE acknowledged that he hath sould to Josuah Pratt a house and a garden Place in Plymouth next to Ady Webbs house for fourteene bushells of Corne To haue and to hold the said house and garden place w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler the p<sup>r</sup>misss there vnto belonging vnto the said Josuah Pratt his heires ℥ Assignes foreũ to the onely pp vse ℥ behoofe of him the said Josua Pratt his heires ℥ assignes foreuer.



## \*BRADFORD GOÜNOR.

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the fift day of January, 1637.

**W**HEREAS I William Basset of the Towne of Ducksborrow, in [the] Plantaçõn of New Plymouth did by word freely consent and giue  
 × vnto M<sup>r</sup> William Leuerich late of the said Towne to enclose some pt of ×  
 Lott of land adjoyneing to a pcell of land w<sup>ch</sup> was graunted to him [for] an  
 house lott Now forasmuch as M<sup>r</sup> Raph Partrich of the said Towne hath  
 satisfied by an agreement made with the said M<sup>r</sup> Wiltm Leuerich for his  
 whole charge in incloseing & breakeing vp of the said ground, and hath the  
 graunt of the said Lott to bee layd to his adjoyneing thereto. Know all men  
 by this p<sup>r</sup>sent writing that I William Basset aforesaid, do freely remitt and  
 release from my self and my heires for euer all my right and title in any pt  
 of the said land that now lyeth inclosed as is aboue mençõned to haue benee  
 by me willingly so pmitted vnto the said Raph Partrich of Ducksborrow  
 aforesaid and to his heires for euer. In witness whereof I haue sett to my  
 hand and seale the vij<sup>th</sup> day of the ninth month Anno Dñi 1637.

Sealed & Delifed in the p<sup>r</sup>sence  
 of vs. William Collyer  
 Johnnathan Brewster  
 Job Cole

WILLIAM BASSET.

**W**EE whose names are herevnder written by Order of M<sup>r</sup> Thomas  
 Prince & M<sup>r</sup> William Collier Assistant℄ haue measured & layd out  
 tenn acres of arrable land lying on the head of Mortons Hole videlz℄ one  
 acre in breadth and tenn acres in length lying in a square the South side  
 butting vpon the garden plott℄ of Edward Hall the West side running into  
 Christopher Wadesworths lott The East side vpon the Heigh way and the  
 north side vpon the common ground w<sup>ch</sup> wee allotted and haue layd out for  
 M<sup>r</sup> Raph Partrich the thirtieth of December 1637.

p vs JOHNNATHAN BREWSTER  
 STEEPHEN TRACYE  
 CHRISTOPHER WADESWORTH

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\*M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOV<sup>n</sup>r 1637.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the fift day of January 1637 that Manasseth Kempton of New Plymouth yeoman doth acknowledg<sup>e</sup> That hee hath freely and absolutely giuen and confirmed vnto John ffaunce All that lott of land whereon the said John ffaunce doth now dwell containeing twenty acres or thereabout<sup>e</sup> and all his right title & interest of and into the said lott of land w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thappurteñces therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said lott of land & all and singuler the appurteñc<sup>e</sup> therevnto belonging vnto the said John ffaunce his heires and assignes foreuer to the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said John ffaunce his heires & Assignes for euer.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the fift day of January 1637 that Manasseth Kempton of New Plymouth Yeoman doth acknowledg<sup>e</sup> That he hath freely and absolutely giuen vnto Nathaniell Morton of the same Yeom<sup>n</sup> All that lott of land whereon the said Nathaniell doth now dwell containeing twenty acres or there about<sup>e</sup> and all his Right title & interest of and into the same with all and singuler the appurteñces therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said lott of land w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the p<sup>r</sup>miss therevnto belonging vnto the said Nathaniell Morton his heires and Assignes for euer and to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said Nathaniell Morton his heires & Assignes foreuer.

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\*M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOV<sup>n</sup>OR 1637.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> The first day of January 1637 That James Skiffe of New Plymouth yeoman acknowledgeth That hee hath sould his house and tenn acres of lands therevnto belonging neere playne Dealeing to Geor<sup>g</sup> Clarke of the same yeom<sup>n</sup> for fourscore bushells of Indian Corne to be payd the fifteenth day of November next ensuinge at the house of M<sup>r</sup> John Holmes neere Plymouth and a goate to be the third choyce of all his goates The house being vnfinished is to haue a boarded chamber floore ouer the house and the house to be couered w<sup>th</sup> boardes and clap boarded w<sup>th</sup>in vp to the floore and a partition to be made of clap board through the middest and the chimney to be daubed and three acres of the said tenn acres to be enclosed w<sup>th</sup> pallasadoes except the vpper end thereof w<sup>ch</sup> is to be hedged The possession of the said house and lands to be giuen to the said George Clark his heires or Assignes when he deliuereth the said Corne and Goate and so to be & remayne To haue and to hold vnto the said Geor<sup>g</sup> Clarke his heires & Assignes fore<sup>u</sup> w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the app<sup>r</sup>teñces to the said house & land belonging to the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said Geor<sup>g</sup> Clarke his heires and Assignes foreuer.

**M**EMORAND<sup>ŷ</sup> The seauenth Day of february 1637 That M<sup>rs</sup> Elizabeth Warren of the Eele Riuer Widdow for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of a Marriage already solempnized betwixt John Cooke the yeonger of the Rockey Noocke and Sarah her daughter doth acknowledge that shee hath giuen graunted enfeoffed and confirmed vnto the said John Cooke one lot of land lying at the Eele Riuer containeing eighteene acres or thereabouts and lying on the North side of Robert Bartletts lott formly also giuen the said Robert in Marriage w<sup>th</sup> Mary another of the s<sup>d</sup> M<sup>rs</sup> Warrens daughters, w<sup>ch</sup> said lott is to begin at the heigh way and so to goe in lengh & breadth w<sup>th</sup> the said Roberts lott together w<sup>th</sup> a heigh way from the said lott to the water side if it be demaunded or requested To haue and to hold the said Lott of land w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler the app<sup>r</sup>teñices therevnto belonging vnto the said John Cooke his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>er</sup> vse and behoofe of the said John Cooke his heires & Assignes for euer.

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>er</sup>nor

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**W**HEREAS formly by a genall Court long since diuers lotts of lands lying at Winberry Hill w<sup>ch</sup> should haue contayned twenty acres apeece were graunted to John Donhame to lye to his house hee hath built therevpon nere the Towne of New Plymouth w<sup>th</sup> all the wood trees and tymber groweing therevpon, And for the moore com<sup>o</sup>dious receipt of people to inhabite in the said Towne of Plymouth the said John Donhame hath relinquished diuers of those said lotts that those lands may be to fitt such p<sup>er</sup>sons as shall there inhabite, and hath onely reserued vnto himself the land hee hath now taken in and vseth w<sup>th</sup> the said house w<sup>ch</sup> by estima<sup>o</sup>n containe about thirty acres w<sup>th</sup> a swampe that was also afterwards graunted vnto the said John Donhame w<sup>ch</sup> said land & are bounded as followeth viz<sup>s</sup> the lands of William Pontus lying on the South East side and the Indian feild called Cattapcheise and the heads of the acres lying on the North East side and the lands lately graunted to John Wood and a Swamp therevnto adjoyneing lying on the northwest side and the open field or com<sup>o</sup>n lands lying on the Southwest side thereof All w<sup>ch</sup> said lands containeing by estima<sup>o</sup>n thirty acres or thereabout & w<sup>th</sup> the trees and woods growing therevpon w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler their appurteñices are now confirmed vnto the said John Donhame his heires and Assignes foreuer To haue and to hold the said lands and all & singuler the p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>es</sup> with their app<sup>r</sup>teñices vnto the said John Donhame his heires and Assignes foreuer and to their onely p<sup>er</sup> vse & behoofe for euer.

**M**EMORAND, that M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prince doth acknowledg the fift day of february 1637 That he hath sould vnto M<sup>r</sup> John Atwood a house and a garden place in Plymouth scituate and being in the lower end of the North Streete for and in consideraçon of the sume of fourescore pound℥ ster℥ To haue and to hold the said house and garden place w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging vnto the said John Atwood his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of the said John Atwood his heires and Assignes for euer.

The xj<sup>th</sup> day of Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1637.

**M**EMORAND that whereas John Cooke hath a lott of land at the Elee Riuer lying next to Robert Bartlett containeing by estimaçon eighteene acres or thereabout℥ giuen him by M<sup>rs</sup> Elizabeth Warren in marriage w<sup>th</sup> his wyfe and Ro<sup>b</sup>te Bartlett hath a lott of land of like quantitie lying on Duxborrow side betwixt the lotts of Thomas Morton and Jonathan Brewster Now this writing of Record witnesseth that the said John Cooke ℥ Robert Bartlett haue exchaunged the said lotts w<sup>th</sup> eich other so that the said John Cooke shall haue ℥ hold the lott of land lying on Duxborrow side to him and his heires foreuer ℥ to their owne pper use and behoofe foreu<sup>r</sup> And the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Bartlett shall haue ℥ hold the said lott of land lying at the Elee Riuer to him and his heires for euer ℥ to their onely pper use and behoofe for euer/

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\*BRADFORD GOÜNOR.

**M**EMORAND the eight day of March 1637 That John Winslow of Plymouth doth acknowledg that he hath sould a house and a garden place scituate in the New street in Plymouth aforešd to M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Burne for the sume of sixteene pounds ster℥ to him in hand payd To haue and to hold the said house and garden place and all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging vnto the said Thomas Burne his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely proper vse and behoofe of the said Thomas Burne his heires and assignes for euer.

**M**EMORAND that M<sup>rs</sup> Elinor Billington Widdow the twentyeth day of March Ann<sup>o</sup> Dñi 1637 by her deede in writing vnder her hand and seale beareing date the eight day of January 1637 in the thirteenth yeare of the Raigne of o<sup>r</sup> now Soüaigne Lord Charles by the grace of God King of England Scotland ffranç ℥ Ireland ℥ Hath giuen graunted enfeoffed and confirmed All and singuler her lands meadowes pastures comons w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler the app<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging scituate and being at Playne Dealing together

w<sup>th</sup> all her right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss & every part and pcell thereof All which w<sup>th</sup> some p<sup>r</sup>visoos and reserua<sup>o</sup>ns appeareth more fully and plainly in the wordes of the deed hereafter following, viz<sup>s</sup>. To all x<sup>p</sup>ian people to whom these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> shall come Ellinor Billington of New Plymouth Widdow sendeth greeting in the Lord God e<sup>n</sup>lasting Know yee That I the said Elinor for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the naturall loue that I beare vnto ffrancis Billington my naturall sonn and for diuers other good causes and considera<sup>o</sup>ns me therevnto especially mooueing Haue giuen graunted enfeoffed and confirmed, and by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> doe giue graunt enfeoffe and confirme vnto the said ffrancis Billington his heires and Assignes foreuer All and singuler those my lands meadowes pastures and co<sup>m</sup>ons w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ce<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging scituate lying and being neere Playne Dealeing w<sup>th</sup>in the gouernment of New Plymouth aforesaid, together w<sup>th</sup> all my Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and every pte and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said lands meadowes pastures and commons w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the p<sup>r</sup>misss and their app<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces vnto the said ffrancis Billington his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said ffrancis Billington his heires and assignes for euer Provided alwayes & reserued vnto me the said Ellinor Billington such a pcell or quantitie of lands out of the p<sup>r</sup>misses as will make a thousand and a halfe of hills to sett w<sup>th</sup> Indian corne or sowe w<sup>th</sup> English graine w<sup>th</sup>in some pte of the p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>ch</sup> shalbe infenced during my naturall life if I shall please to use yt And also p<sup>u</sup>ided & excepted out of the p<sup>r</sup>misss a smale pcell of ground to make a garden place & erect a house vpon together w<sup>th</sup> such a quantitie of land in a new feild as the said Ellinor shall please to be at charge to manure and take in w<sup>th</sup> the said ffrancis to be hers to use during her naturall life; Provided lastly that the said ffrancis Billington doe not sell bargaine aliene or assigne the said p<sup>r</sup>misss or any pte thereof during the life of the said Ellinor w<sup>th</sup>out her consent and approba<sup>o</sup>n And the said Ellinor Billington all and singuler the said p<sup>r</sup>misses and every pte and pcell thereof vnto the said ffrancis Billington his heires and Assignes and euery of them against all men doth couenant and graunt by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> fore<sup>u</sup> to warrant and defend. In witnesse whereof I the said Ellinor Billington haue herevnto set my hand and Seale the Eight day of January in the Thirteenth yeare of the Raigie of our So<sup>u</sup>aigne Lord Charles by the grace of God of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland Kinge Defendor of the fayth @ 1637.

ELLINOR BILLINGTON  her mark.

Sealed & deliued in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of  
Nathaniell Sowther, James Hurst, &  
Robte Lee.

And endorsed w<sup>th</sup> these words viz<sup>t</sup>. Memorand, that quiet & peacable possession & seisin of the p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup>in specified was giuen and received by the w<sup>th</sup>in named Ellinor Billington vnto the w<sup>th</sup>in named ffrancis Billington in the same day in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of vs, James Hurst, Robert Lee, & Nathaniell Sowther.

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\*BRADFORD GOÜNOR.

**M**EMORAND the twenty fourth day of March 1637 Richard Wright acknowledged That hee hath sould to Wilkm Hiller carpenter five acres of lands formly graunted to him lying at fishing poynt towards the Eele Riuer together w<sup>th</sup> the fenc & labours about the same and all his Right title & interest therein w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging for and in consideraçõn of the sũme of foure pounds five shìl sterl To haue & to hold the said five acres of lands and all & singuler the p<sup>r</sup>misss therevnto belonging vnto the said Wilkm Hiller his heires and Assignes for euer and to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse & behoofe of the said Wilkm Hiller his heires and Assignes for euer./

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M<sup>r</sup> PRENCE GOÜNO<sup>r</sup>

**M**EMORAND the nineteenth day of June 1638 in the fourteenth yeare of the Raigne of our Souaigne Lord Charles by the grace of God of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland King Defendor of the fayth & That Jonathan Brewster of Duxborrow gen<sup>t</sup> doth acknowledg that for and in consideraçõn of the sũme of one hundred & fifty pound℥ sterl to him in hand payd & secured to be payd hath fully & absolutely bargained & sould vnto Comfort Starr of New Towne (al<sup>s</sup>) Cambridg in Mattachuset Bay Chirurgon all that Messuage or dwelling house in Duxborrow aforešd wherein the said Jonathan doth now liue & all the houses & outhouses therevnto belonging and fourscore acres of vpland and five acres of meadow ground be it more or lesse w<sup>th</sup> all the fences p<sup>f</sup>itts and comõdities to the said Messuag & land℥ belonging and all & euery their app<sup>r</sup>teñç℥ therevnto appertaineing together w<sup>th</sup> all his Right title & interest of and to the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery part & p<sup>cell</sup> thereof To haue & to hold the said Messuag & fourscore acres of Vpland & five acres of Meddow w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñç℥ therevnto belonging & euery pt & p<sup>cell</sup> thereof vnto the said Comfort Starr his heires & Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said Comfort Starr his heires and Assignes for euer.

**M**EMORANĎ the sixt day of July 1638 that Samuell Eddy acknow-  
ledgeth that for and in consideraċōn of fourty bushells of good Mer-  
chantable Indian Corne hath bargained & sould vnto Richard Clough all that  
his house and garden in Plymouth wherein the said Samuell now dwelleth  
w<sup>th</sup> all the boards & pallysadoes in and about the said house and garden  
together w<sup>th</sup> all his Right title and interest of and into the same and all &  
singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñċ therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said house  
and garden and all & singuler the p<sup>r</sup>mis̄s vnto the said Richard Clough his  
heires & assignes foreuer and to his & their onely pp use & behoofe foreuer.

The said Corne to be payd in Plymouth by the last day of January next  
but the possession of the garden to be deliued to the said Richard Clough the  
first of Septemb<sup>r</sup> next and of the house in October following.

**M**EMORANĎ the sixt day of July 1638 That Nicholas Snow acknow-  
ledgeth that for & in consideraċōn of the sume of Twelue pounds ster<sup>t</sup>  
to be payd him he Hath bargained and sould vnto Samuell Eddy all that his  
house & garden adjoyneing w<sup>th</sup> the fence in & about the same in Plymouth  
wherein the s̄d Nicholas now dwelleth w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thappurteñċ there-  
vnto belonging and all his Right title & Interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis̄s  
& euery pte & pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house & garden and  
all, singuler the p<sup>r</sup>mis̄s w<sup>th</sup> their appurteñċ vnto the said Samuell Eddy his  
heires and Assignes for euer and to the onely pper vse of the said Samuell  
Eddy his heires & Assignes for euer.

The said xij<sup>m</sup> for the p<sup>r</sup>mis̄s to be payd in fourty bushells of good mer-  
chantable Indian Corne at the rate it will passe from man to man & if it shall  
fall short of the said sume then the said Samuell to make vp the same either  
in money or other comōdyty. And the possession of the said house and  
garden to be giuen by the last day of October next at w<sup>ch</sup> tyme the money  
or Corne is to be payd & deliued.

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**M**EMORANĎ the sixt day of July 1638 That William Renolds of Dux-  
borrow acknowledgeth That he hath sould the half of his black heiffer  
vnto John Phillips of the same and that the s̄d John hath sould the said W<sup>m</sup>  
all his pte of the crop of Indian corne he hath w<sup>th</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Lathame and that the  
said Wiltm Renolds is to pay the said John Phillips for the same besids the  
one half of the said heiffer twelue bushells of Indian Corne by the first of  
Decemb<sup>r</sup> next.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> the xvij<sup>th</sup> day of July 1638 That Elizabeth Watson widdow doth acknowledg that shee hath assigned and made ouer vnto Thomas Watson all her Right ℥ interest in the residue of the terme of yeares that Henry Blage by his Indenture is to serue her w<sup>ch</sup> is from Easter day last 1638 vnto thend of the terme of foure yeares next ensuinge In considera<sup>o</sup>n whereof the said Thomas Watson is to pay the said Elizabeth eleauen pounds tenn shillings for this first yeares service, and also after that rate for the residue of the terme in this manner viz<sup>z</sup> viij<sup>li</sup> p añ to the said Elizabeth ℥ thother iij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> p añ to the said Henry Blage for his wages according to his couenant.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> The fourth day of August 1638 That John Barnes doth acknowledg That for ℥ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of vij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> ster<sup>l</sup> to him in hand payd and twenty bushells of merchantable Indian Corne to be payd him in March next by Ro<sup>b</sup>te Bartlet hath assigned all his right ℥ title in the terme of yeares w<sup>ch</sup> he hath in the service in Thomas Shreiuē (w<sup>ch</sup> is three yeares from the first day of this instant August) as by his Indenture beareing date the fourth of May Anno Reg<sup>n</sup> Reg<sup>l</sup> Caroli nunc Ang<sup>l</sup> ℥<sup>o</sup> xiiij<sup>to</sup> it doth most playnely appeare. the <sup>sd</sup> Ro<sup>b</sup>te also paying the <sup>sd</sup> Tho<sup>m</sup> Shreiuē iij<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> p añ for the terme of the said three yeares. And the said Tho<sup>m</sup> Shreiuē doth further couenant w<sup>th</sup> the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Bartlet to serue the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te one yeare more after the said three yeares are expired for fiue pounds ster<sup>l</sup>.

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\*PRENCE Goun<sup>r</sup>.

Concerning the guift of M<sup>r</sup> James Shurley of London Merchant.

The vij<sup>th</sup> day of July 1638.

**W**HEREAS there was great difference about ymploying of the Stock giuen by M<sup>r</sup> James Shurley m<sup>ch</sup>ant to the benefitt of the poore of the Towne of Plymouth because other places claymed an interest therein as Scituate and Duxborrow at this p<sup>r</sup>sent, as appertaineing to the Colony. It appeareth by the testimony of M<sup>r</sup> Winslow ℥ M<sup>r</sup> Holmes that the donor intended the same onely to the Towne of Plymouth as also by his lres vnder his owne hand in these words following as first by a lre dated the xvj<sup>th</sup> of Nouember 1633 ffor the cow I gaue amongst the poore and w<sup>ch</sup> the Lord hath beene pleased to blesse I could not haue any other thought then to the poore of Plymouth, and as you haue deserued praise in continuing of her ℥



her encrease according to the intent of the giuer, so I pray you do still that is onely to the poore of New Plymouth and if you put of any Bull calves or when they grow to bigger stature, I pray let that money or moneys worth purchase hose & shooes for the poore of Plymouth or such necessaries as they most want and this I pray make knowne to all. and also by another letter dated the vij<sup>th</sup> of September Ann<sup>o</sup> 1635 M<sup>r</sup> Hatherly requests me to expresse my self fully concerneing my smale gyft to the poore of the Towne of Plymouth I perceiue he would haue it belong to the Patten, but my answer to him is this: That I cannot justly doe what he requireth, for when I gaue it to the poore of the Towne of Plymouth I had not so much witt as to fore see that in so short tyme there would be other Townes that might lack, And therefore I must confesse that I freely & wholly gaue it to the poore of the Towne of Plymouth and so I hope they will continue it. By the words of which two lres It appeareth that the guift belongeth onely to the Towne of Plymouth and for that cause they were here recorded to put an end to all differencel for tyme to come.

\*Articles of agreement made and concluded vpon the xxviiij<sup>th</sup> of August 1638 Betweene Gregory Armstrong of thone pty and Ellinor Billington, Widdow, of thother pty conēding a marriage to be solempnized betweene the said pties as followeth viz<sup>l</sup>.

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**I**NPRIMIS it is concluded and agreed vpon betweene the said pties to these p<sup>nt</sup>l and in consideraōn of the said Marriage That whereas the said Ellinor hath two Cowes w<sup>ch</sup> the said Gregory is p<sup>rs</sup>ently to enter vpon The said Gregory doth couenant and graunt by these p<sup>nt</sup>l That if it please God that he happen to outliue the said Ellinor that then he shall and will at his decease giue two heiffers of a yeare old & advantage a peece to the benefitt of the naturall children of ffrancis Billington the said Ellinor<sup>l</sup> naturall sonn out of the estate that he shall then haue left, and if it happen that the said Gregory deyt this life before the said Ellinor that then the estate shalbe at the disposing of the said Ellinor, except some thinges to his frend<sup>l</sup> at his death according to his estate at his death.

I<sup>tm</sup> It is also concluded vpon that the said two heiffers shalbe put forth when they fall to the benefitt of the said children by the ouersight & discretion of the Go<sup>vn</sup> and Assistant<sup>l</sup> of New Plymouth for the tyme being Always p<sup>u</sup>ided that the said ffrancis Billington haue the vse of them before any other, if he be then liueinge.

I<sup>tm</sup> it is concluded vpon betweene the said pties And the said Ellinor doth

couenant and graunt to and w<sup>th</sup> the said Gregory That if hee the said Gregory shall surviue and outliue the said Ellinor that then hee the said Gregory shall enjoy the house they now liue in and the land℄ they occupye during his life.

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\* PRINCE GOŪNOR 1638

**M**EMORANĎ That Joseph Grosse the xiiij<sup>th</sup> of August 1638 doth acknowledge that he hath put himself apprentice to John Winslow for the terme of seauen yeares next ensuing after the date hereof ℄ fully to be compleate ℄ ended The said John Winslow fynding him meate drink ℄ apparell during the said terme and in thend thereof to giue him two convenient suits of apparell one for workeing dayes and another for Lords dayes and twelue bushells of Indian Corne.

**M**EMORANĎ the xxv<sup>th</sup> of August 1638 That Peeter Maycock for ℄ in consideraĉon of the sum of fourty shillings ster℄ to him in hand payd by Richard Wright doth acknowledg That he hath absolutely bargained ℄ sould vnto the said Richard Wright the xxv acres of land due to him for his service To haue and to hold the said lands ℄ all his interest ℄ title therevnto vnto the said Richard Wright his heires ℄ Assignes foreu to the onely pp use and behoofe of the said Richard Wright his heires and Assignes for eu.

**M**EMORANĎ the xxix<sup>th</sup> day of August 1638 That Clement Briggs acknowledged that for good ℄ valuable consideraĉon hee hath sould vnto M<sup>r</sup> Robte Heeks one acre of land in the vpper fall neere the second Brooke ℄ all his right title ℄ interest into the same To haue ℄ to hold the said acre of land vnto the said Robte Heeks his heires and Assignes for euer to their onely pper use and behoofe foreuer./

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\* PRINCE GOU<sup>r</sup>. 1638.

~~**M**EMORANĎ that at the suite of M<sup>r</sup> Robert Heekes the xxix<sup>th</sup> August in the xiiij<sup>th</sup> yeare of the Raigne of o<sup>r</sup> Souaigie Lord Charles now of England Kinge ℄ Clement Briggs of Waymouth felmonger was sworne ℄ exaied as followeth.~~

~~This deponant depoeth and sayth That hee this depoit about two and twenty yeares since dwelling w<sup>th</sup> one M<sup>r</sup> Samuel Lathame in Barmundsey street in Southwark and one Thomas Harlow then also dwelling w<sup>th</sup> the said M<sup>r</sup> Robte Heeks.~~

The Deposición of Clement Briggs, of Weymouth fellmonger taken at New Plymouth the xxix day of August in the fourteenth yeare of the now Raigne of our Soſaigne Lord Charles by the grace of God of England 1638. before Thoñ Prence of New Plymouth gent̃ Goũr and Wilłm Bradford of the same Geñ Assistant of the said goũr̃ 1638.

**T**HIS Deponant deposeth and sayth That about two and twenty yeares since this depoñt then dwelling w<sup>th</sup> one M<sup>r</sup> Samuell Lathame in Barmundsey streete in Southwarke a fellmonger and one Thomas Harlow then also dwelling w<sup>th</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Robte Heeks in the same street a fellmonger the said Harlow and this depoñt had often conference together how many pelts eich of their masters pulled a week. And this depoñt deposeth and sayth That the said Robte Heeks did pull three hundred pelt℥ a week and diuers tymes six or seauen hundred ℥ more a weeke in the killinge seasons w<sup>ch</sup> was the most part of the yeare (except the tyme of lent) for the space of three or foure yeares, And that the said Robte Heeks sould his sheeps pelts at that tyme for forty shillings a hundred to M<sup>r</sup> Arnold Allard whereas this depoñt M<sup>r</sup> Samuell Lathame sould his pelt℥ for fifty shillings p C to y<sup>e</sup> same man at the same tyme and M<sup>r</sup> Heeks pelt℥ were much better ware.

CLEMENT  BRIGGS his marke.

\*PRENCE Goũnor

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**M**EMORAND̃ the xxix<sup>th</sup> of August 1638 That Web Adey acknowl- edgeth that for and in consideraçõn of the sume of seauenteene pound℥ sterl̃ twenty shillings whereof is payd in hand hath absolutely bargained ℥ sould vnto M<sup>r</sup> John Jenney all that his house and garden place adjoyneing scituate in Plymouth together w<sup>th</sup> the three acres of land℥ in the new feild therevnto belonging w<sup>th</sup> y<sup>e</sup> fences about the said land℥ and all his right title and interest of ℥ into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̃s and euery pte ℥ pcell thereof To haue and to hold the s̃d house ℥ garden and land℥ therevnto belonging w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singlar thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging vnto the said John Jenney his heires and Assignes foreuer ℥ to their onely proper use and behoofe foreuer /

**M**EMORAND̃ the seaventh day of Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1638 That Thomas Prence gent℥ ℥ Goũnor of New Plymouth William Bradford and Edward Winslow of the same gentl̃e and Assistant℥ of the said Goũment Execut<sup>rs</sup> of the last Will and Testament of Wilłm Palmer of Duxborrow nayler deceased

by vertue and power committed to them by the said Wilt for and in consideraçõn of the sum of one hundred pound℥ sterl Haue fully and absolutely bargained and sould vnto Thomas Besbeeche of Scituate gent All that Messuage house and outhouses together w<sup>th</sup> the lands and fences about the same w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ and all the right title ℥ interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss ℥ euery pt and pcell thereof w<sup>ch</sup> were lately the said William Palmers lying and being in Duxborrow aforesaid To haue and to hold the Messuage houses lands and p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery pt and pcell thereof vnto the said Thomas Besbeeche his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said Thomas Besbeeche his heires ℥ assignes foreũ.

The first day of Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1638.

**M**EMORANĎ That Georg Cleare of Plym Carpenter doth acknowledg that he hath freely ℥ absolutely bargained ℥ sold vnto ffrancis Goulder of the same yeofm All that his house ℥ garden place ℥ fence about the same scituate in Plym aforešd w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therivnto belonging and all his right title ℥ Interest of and into the same vnto the said ffrancis Goulder To haue ℥ to hold the said house and Garden place w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging vnto the said ffrancis Goulder his heires ℥ assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>p</sup> vse and behoofe of him the said ffrancis Goulder his heires ℥ Asss for eũ.

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The xij<sup>th</sup> day of September 1638.

**M**EMORANĎ that M<sup>r</sup> Jonathan Brewster and Peter Meacock haue agreed and concluded about the keepinge of the fferry at the North Riuer for transportaçõn of men and cattle as followeth ffirst That the said Jonathan shall at his owne p<sup>p</sup> cost and charges pvide one boate or skiffe for transportaçõn of men oũ the said Riuer and another vessell for horses and cattell w<sup>th</sup> oares and other necessaries vnto them belonging, And that the said Peter shall keepe the same for the space of three yeares now next ensuing and for his paynes shall haue thone half of the p<sup>f</sup>itt℥ arising for transportaçõn of men and cattell w<sup>th</sup> the said vessells ouer the said Riuer during the said terme And also that the said Jonathan shall and will assigne the said Peter Meacock tenn acres of land℥ neere the said fferry place to haue and to hold the said tenn acres of land℥ vnto the said Peter his heires and Assignes

foreuer Provided alwayes that if the said Peter shalbe disposed to sell the same that then the said Johnnathan Brewster shall buy it before any other man he giueing for it as much as another will doe ; And it is also concluded vpon betweene the said pties That the said Peter shall mayntaine himself w<sup>th</sup> meate drink & apparell and keepe and mayntaine the said vessells or Boats w<sup>th</sup> their furniture & necessaries from tyme to tyme at his owne charges during the said terme in good & sufficient manner & in thend thereof so to leaue them And the said Peter doth further also couenant and agree to discharge and saue harmelesse from tyme to tyme during the said terme the said Jonathan his Execut<sup>r</sup> & Assignēs of & from any losse or damage that may happen or be occasioned by the said Peters absence or want of a ferry there during the said terme And lastly it is concluded betwixt the said pties That the said Jonathan shall fynd or p̄cure a man servant to dwell w<sup>th</sup> the said Peter and to set & plant corne w<sup>th</sup> him there and to fynd his said servant meate drink & apparell and to haue half the encrease of the Corne w<sup>ch</sup> they shall plant yearely during the said terme.

\* PRINCE GOÛN<sup>r</sup>.

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**M**EMORANĎ the fourteenth day of Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1638 That whereas Wiltm Tench and John Carman did bequeath two acres of land vnto John Billington deceased Now Ellinor Billington his wyfe and ffrancis Billington his sonn doe acknowledg that for and in consideraçõn of the sume of foure pounds sterl in hand payd haue freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto M<sup>r</sup> Thoñ Prince Goûn<sup>r</sup> the said two acres of land lying on the South side of the second brooke & next to the land of M<sup>r</sup> Wiltm Bradford w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler the app<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging and all their right title & interest of & into same & euery pte & pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said two acres of land w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñc vnto the said Thomas Prence his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of the said Thomas Prence his heires and Assignes foref. There was one third pt of one of the said acres excepted w<sup>ch</sup> was giuen to M<sup>r</sup> Bradford & was rateably to be abated for, except M<sup>r</sup> Bradford would release the same w<sup>ch</sup> he did in consideraçõn of the bargaine followinge.

Memorand the xxj<sup>th</sup> of Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1638 That Gregory Armestronge Ellinor his now wyfe and ffrancis Billington her naturall sonn doe acknowl- edg that for and in consideraçõn of the sume of fourty shillings sterl in hand payd by M<sup>r</sup> Wiltm Bradford as also for that the said M<sup>r</sup> Bradford hath released

his interest vnto them in third pte of an acre of land lately sould to M<sup>r</sup> Prince Haue freely & absolutely bargained & sould vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Bradford one acre & a halfe of land lying on the north side of the landℓ of the said Will<sup>m</sup> Bradford vpon the lowest diuision next the water side in the feild on the North side of the Towne of Plymouth together w<sup>th</sup> all their Right title & interest of and into the same w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcs therevnto belonging To haue & to hold the said acre & half of land w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler the app<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said Will<sup>m</sup> Bradford his heires & Assignes for euer to the onely pp use and behoofe of the said William Bradford his heires & Assignes foreu<sup>r</sup>.

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\*PRINCE GOÛN<sup>r</sup>.

**M**EMORAN<sup>Ḃ</sup> the fourth day of October 1638 That Thomas Burges did acknowledg that he hath sould to Nicholas Robins Shooemaker all the fenceing and labour & building vpon and about the tenn acres of land lying on Duxburrow side w<sup>th</sup> all his Right title and interest thereinto and also into the said landℓ and the Court graunted the landℓ & 3 acres more to the s<sup>d</sup> Robins.

**M**EMORAN<sup>Ḃ</sup> the xxij<sup>th</sup> of Octob<sup>r</sup> 1638 That John Weekes doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>ḡ</sup>on of the su<sup>m</sup>e of thirty six poundℓ ster<sup>t</sup> to him in hand payd by W<sup>m</sup> Paddy Hath absolutely and freely bargained and sould vnto the said Will<sup>m</sup> Paddy All that his Messuage house outhouses Sellers and buildings whatsoe<sup>u</sup> at Wellingsley together w<sup>th</sup> the nine acres & a half of land therevnto belonging and all the hedgs and other fence in and aboute and all his Right title & Interrest into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> & euery pt and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said Messuag houses and landℓ & p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ vnto the same belonging vnto the said Will<sup>m</sup> Paddy his heires and Assignes for euer and to the onely pp vse and behoofe of him the said Will<sup>m</sup> Paddy his heires & Assignes for euer.

The deposi<sup>ḡ</sup>on of Thomas Harvey of Cohannett yeo<sup>m</sup>n aged xxj yeares or there aboutℓ taken before Tho<sup>m</sup>s Prince gen<sup>t</sup> Gou<sup>r</sup> ℓ<sup>d</sup> the eight day of Novemb<sup>r</sup> in the xiiij<sup>th</sup> yeare of his Ma<sup>t</sup>ℓ now Raigne of England ℓ<sup>d</sup>. 1638.

**T**HE said Thomas Harvey deposeth and sayth That he this depo<sup>nt</sup> haueing a bond or writing vnder the hand and seale of Walter Knight carpenter whereby the said Walter Knight stood endebted in the su<sup>m</sup>e of five

pounds sterl vnto M<sup>r</sup> Christopher Derby w<sup>th</sup> was payd for his passage ouer the w<sup>th</sup> five pounds is to be payd vnto M<sup>r</sup> Richard Derby here: as this deponent was reading the same (at the s<sup>d</sup> Knight℄ request) in the ship as they came ouer The said Walter Knight snatched the said bond or writing out of this depon<sup>t</sup>℄ hand℄ and imēdiately tore the same in peece℄.

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**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the xxvij<sup>th</sup> of Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1638 That whereas Abraham Blush purchased one House and lot of land containeing twenty acres lying on Ducksborrow side of Richard Moore with all the fence and labours vpon ℄ about the same Now the said Abraham Blush doth acknowledg this p<sup>r</sup>sent day that for ℄ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sumē of eight pound℄ ten shillings sterl to him in hand payd by John Willis hath freely and absolutely sould vnto the said John Willis the one half of the said lott of lands being the Easterly end thereof toward℄ the place called the Eagles nest w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler the p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> therevnto belonging together with all his Right title ℄ interest of ℄ into the same To haue ℄ to hold the said half lott of land w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces therevnto belonging vnto the said John Willis his heires ℄ Assignes fore<sup>u</sup> to the onely proper vse ℄ behoofe of the said John Willis his heires ℄ Assignes fore<sup>u</sup>.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the xxx<sup>th</sup> day of Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1638 That M<sup>r</sup> Steephen Hopkins doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sumē of six pound℄ sterl to him in hand payd by Josias Cooke hath freely ℄ absolutely bargained ℄ sould vnto the said Josias Cooke all those his six acres of land lying on the South side of the Towne brooke of Plymouth to the woodward and all his right title and interest of and into the same To haue ℄ to hold the said six acres of land w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces therevnto belonging vnto the said Josias Cook his heires ℄ Assignes foreuer to the onely proper vse ℄ behoofe of him the said Josias Cook his heires ℄ Assignes for euer.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup>; The 29<sup>th</sup> of September 1657 That wheras John Willis purchased of Abraham Blush halfe the twenty acree lott lying on Duxburrew syde; which Lott the said Blush purchased of Richard More as may appeer by an Instrument vpon Record bearing date November 27 i638 Now the said John Willis doth acknowlidg that for and in consideration of eight pounds to him in hand payed by Wiltam Paybody of Duxburrew; haue freely and absolutely sold vnto the said Wiltam Paybody That one halfe

lott That hee bought of the aforesaid Blush being the easterly end of the twenty acree Lott Towards the place called the Eagles Nest point with all and singlegular the premises thervnto belonging, Together with all his Right title and Interest of and in the same To haue and to hold the said halfe Lott of land with all and singulare the Appurtenances thervnto belonging vnto the said Wilkam Paybody his heires and Assignes for euer for the onely proper vse and behooffe of him the said Wilkam Paybody his heires and Assignes for euer.

By mee JOHN WILLIS.

Signed sealed and deliuered  
in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of Nathaniell Morton  
Josiah Standish

This Instrument was acknowlidged this 4<sup>th</sup> of July 1679 before mee

DANIELL SMITH Assistant ;

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**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> the xxvj<sup>th</sup> day of December 1638 That Leiftennant Wilkm Holmes for ℓ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup>e of fifteene pounds tenn shillings ster<sup>t</sup> to him in hand payd hath freely and absolutely bargained ℓ sould vnto M<sup>r</sup> John Howland all that lott ℓ half of landℓ lying on Duxborrowe side betweene the landℓ of Joseph Biddle and Constance Sowthworth containe thirty acres be it more or lesse together with three acres of meadow thereto belonging and all his right title ℓ interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> ℓ euery pt ℓ pcell thereof To haue ℓ to hold the said Landℓ w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singular thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces therevnto belonging vnto the said John Howland his heires ℓ Assignes for euer ℓ to the onely proper use and behooffe of him the said John Howland his heires and Assignes for euer.

**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> the xxvj<sup>th</sup> day of December 1638 That Leiftennant W<sup>m</sup> Holmes of Plymouth doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup>e of sixteene poundℓ ster<sup>t</sup> to him in hand payd wherew<sup>th</sup> he is fully satisfied and payd hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto Nathaniel Sowther of the same yeo<sup>m</sup> All that house and garden place in Plymouth aforesaid lying on the North side of the heigh street betweene the lands of M<sup>r</sup> John Alden and the fort and all the fence about the same w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singular thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces thervnto belonging together w<sup>th</sup> all his right title and interrest into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> ℓ euery part ℓ pcell thereof To haue ℓ to hold the s<sup>d</sup> House and garden place and all ℓ singular thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces thervnto

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beloing vnto the said Nathaniell Sowther his heires and Assignes foreuer and to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Nathaniell Sowther his heires and Assignes for euer.

**M**EMORAND the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> of Janua<sup>r</sup> 1638 That Edward Hall of Duxborrow doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of twenty foure pounds ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd him by M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Wetherell hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Wetherell all that dwelling house and garden place w<sup>th</sup> thenlosure therevnto belonging scituate in Duxborrow aforesaid containeing two acres or there aboute as the same is now enclosed lying betweene the lands of M<sup>r</sup> Raph Partrich & Nicholas Robins together w<sup>th</sup> all his right title and interest of and into the same and all the fence & labours vpon the p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> w<sup>th</sup>all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>e</sup> therevnto belonging & euery p<sup>t</sup>e & p<sup>c</sup>ell thereof To haue & to hold the said dwelling house garden place & p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> w<sup>th</sup>all and singuler their app<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>e</sup>s therevnto belonging to the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Wetherell his heires and Assignes foreuer, and to the onely p<sup>p</sup> vse and behoofe of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Wetherell his heires & Assignes for euer.

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**M**EMORAND the second day of ffebrua<sup>r</sup> 1638 That M<sup>r</sup> John Jenney doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of fourescore and two pounds ster<sup>t</sup> to him paid by M<sup>r</sup> John Howland and also for three acres of land of the said John Howland lying at Caughtaughcanteist hill on the south side of the towne of Plymouth hath freely and absolutely sould vnto the said John Howland All that his house barnes & outhouses at Rockey Nooke together w<sup>th</sup> all the lands therevnto belonging layd forth for the said M<sup>r</sup> Jenneys shares w<sup>th</sup> that w<sup>ch</sup> was Phillip Delanoys allowed him for want of measure and the fiue acres of meadow adjoyneing vnto the said land And all his right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misses and all the fenceing wood tymber & trees in and vpon the same w<sup>th</sup> all & euery the app<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>e</sup> therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said dwelling house barnes & outhouses lands and meadowes & p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler their app<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>e</sup> therevnto belonging vnto the said John Howland his heires and Assignes foreu<sup>r</sup> to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said John Howland his heires and assignes for euer./

**M**EMORANÐ the same day That John Howland doth acknowledg that he hath in the consideraçõn of the bargaine afores<sup>d</sup> absolutely and freely sould & conveyed three acres of land lying at Cautaugcanteist hill vnto the said John Jenney & all his right title & interest of and into the same To haue & to hold the said three acres of land & w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>tenc<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging vnto the said John Jenney his heires and Assignes foreû and to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse & behoofe of him the said John Jenney his heires and Assignes foreû. p<sup>u</sup>ided they be measured oûthawrt the s<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Howland & p<sup>p</sup>ortion there and to haue that pt next the ^

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**M**EMORANÐ the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> of March 1638 That Richard Clough of Plymouth Taylor doth acknowledg that for and in consideraçõn of the sume of seaven pound & tenn shillings ster<sup>t</sup> to him in hand payd by Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis of the same shoemaker hath freely & absolutely bargained & sould vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis all those his five acres of land be it more or lesse lying at fishing poynt betweene the land & of Thomas Pope on the North side and the land & of Wil<sup>m</sup> Hiller on the South side and all the fence and labours in and about the same together w<sup>th</sup> all his right title & interest of and into the same and euery pt & p<sup>cell</sup> thereof w<sup>th</sup> all and singulare thapp<sup>r</sup>tenc<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said five acres of land & & fenceing aboute the same w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>tenc<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis his heires and Assignes foreû to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse of him the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis his heires & Assign<sup>l</sup> foreû.

**M**EMORANÐ the vij<sup>th</sup> of May 1639 That Edward Holiman doth acknowledge that for & in consideraçõn of the sum of five pounds & x<sup>s</sup> ster<sup>t</sup> to him by Ro<sup>b</sup>te Waterman payd and secured to be payd hath freely & absolutely bargained & sould vnto the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Waterman all that his garden place scituate & being in the new streete in Ply<sup>m</sup> afore<sup>s</sup>d betweene the Land & of M<sup>r</sup> John Done on the East side and of M<sup>r</sup> Andrew Hellott on the West side together w<sup>th</sup> all the tymber for buildinge & fence in & aboute the same and all his Right title & interest into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> & euery pt & p<sup>cell</sup> thereof w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>tenc<sup>l</sup>. To haue and to hold the said garden place tymber for buildinge & fence about the same w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>tenc<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging vnto the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Waterman his heires & Assignes foreû to the onely p<sup>p</sup> use and behoofe of the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Waterman his heires and Assignes foreû.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>ũ</sup> the xiiij<sup>th</sup> day of July Anno Dñi 1639 That whereas Robert Hick<sup>ℓ</sup> of Plym<sup>̄</sup> by the name of Rob<sup>t</sup>e Hicks cittyzen & leather seller of London by his bill vnder his hand & seale beareing date the sixt day of July 1618 standeth endedbted vnto one Thom<sup>̄</sup> Heath cittyzen & Cooper of London in the sūme of one hundred and four score pound<sup>ℓ</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> was this day demaunded by tres of Attorney made by ffrancis Newbould Execut<sup>r</sup> to the said Thom<sup>̄</sup> Heath deceased to one Will<sup>m</sup> Heath and by another tre of Attorney made by the said Will<sup>m</sup> Heath to one Hannah Cugley who demaunded the said money which seemed due by the said bill as afore<sup>sd</sup> The said Rob<sup>t</sup>e Hicks shewed a geñall acquittance of all debts & demaund<sup>ℓ</sup> whatsoever from the worlds begining vntill the thirteenth day of July Anno Dñi 1619 in the xvij<sup>th</sup> yeare of King James ℓ<sup>e</sup> of happy memory made vnder the hand and seale of the said Thom<sup>̄</sup> Heath whereby it appeareth that the <sup>sd</sup> debt is fully & clearely discharged.

**M**EMORAND<sup>ũ</sup> the xiiij<sup>th</sup> day of July 1639 That M<sup>r</sup> Rob<sup>t</sup>e Hicks came before the Gou<sup>ũ</sup> and desired the acquittance of Thomas Heath of London Cooper might be recorded (w<sup>ch</sup> was accordingly granted) and it followeth in these words viz<sup>ſ</sup> Bee it knowne vnto all men by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>ℓ</sup> That I Thomas Heath of London Coop<sup>r</sup> haue remised released & for me mine heires execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ and Administrat<sup>r</sup>ℓ do by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>ℓ</sup> remise release and fore<sup>ũ</sup> quite clayme vnto Rob<sup>t</sup>e Hicks of London Leather seller his heires execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ and Administrat<sup>r</sup>ℓ all and all manner of acc<sup>õ</sup>ns cause of acc<sup>õ</sup>ns suit<sup>ℓ</sup> quarrells Debt<sup>ℓ</sup> Duties and Demaund<sup>ℓ</sup> whatsoever w<sup>ch</sup> I the <sup>sd</sup> Thomas Heath mine heires execut<sup>r</sup>s & administrat<sup>r</sup>ℓ now haue or hereafter might haue against the said Rob<sup>t</sup>e Hick<sup>ℓ</sup> his heires execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ or Administrat<sup>r</sup>ℓ for any matter cause or thing whatsoever from the begininge of the world vntill the day of the date hereof In witnesse whereof I haue herevnto set my hand & Seale Yeouen this thirteenth day of July Ann<sup>o</sup> Dñi 1619 and in the seauenteenth yeare of the Raigne of our So<sup>ũ</sup>aigne Lord James by the Grace of God King of England ffrance & Ireland and of Scotland the three & fiftieth ℓc.

Sealed and deliued in

by me THOMAS HEATH

the presence of

Mordicay Hunton

here his

Nathaniell Harris

Seale

Peter Carter.

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**M**EMORANÐ the x<sup>th</sup> of June 1639 That Richard Cluffe of Plym Taylor for and in consideraçon of the sume of fiteene pound℥ sterl to him in hand payd by M<sup>r</sup> John Jenney of the same hath freely ℥ absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said John Jenney All that his house ℥ garden w<sup>th</sup> the fence about the same all that the said Richard Cluff bought of Samuell Eddy w<sup>th</sup> twenty post℥ and fourty Rayles and two hundred of pallasadoes lying in the woods w<sup>th</sup> all his Right title and interest of and into the same ℥ euery pt ℥ pcell thereof together w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcs therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said house and garden place land℥ fence and p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler their appurteñcs and euery pt and pcell thereof vnto the said John Jenney his heires and assignes foreu to the onely pp use and behoofe of the said John Jenney his heires and Assignes for euer.

**M**EMORANÐ the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> June 1639 That John Combe gen<sup>t</sup> doth acknowledge That for and in consideraçon that M<sup>r</sup> Thom<sup>s</sup> Prence hath vndertaken to pay sixteene bushells of English wheate and eighteene bushells of English Rye dry and well condiçoned to Wil<sup>m</sup> Hatch of Scituate or his Assignes at Boston Scituate or Plymouth where the said W<sup>m</sup> Hatch or his Assignes shall appoynt yt to be deliued ℥ saue the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hatch harmelless of so much Corne to be deliued by him to M<sup>rs</sup> Glouer of Cambridg Hath freely ℥ absolutely bargained sould assigned ℥ set ouer vnto the said Thomas Prence All that his Dwelling house and twenty acres of land℥ lying on that side toward℥ ffrancis Cook℥ land w<sup>th</sup> came by his wyfe w<sup>th</sup> all his right title ℥ interest of and into the same w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcs therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said house and land℥ w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging vnto the said Thom<sup>s</sup> Prence his heires and assignes foreuer to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Thomas Prence his heires and Assignes for euer Prouided that if the said John Combe shall satisfye and pay or cause to be satisfied and payd vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hatch or M<sup>rs</sup> Glouer of Cambridg the said sixteene bushells of wheate and eighteene bushells of Rye as aforesaid That then the bargaine and sale aforesaid to be voyde or els to be in full force strength and validitie.

And it is also agreed vpon betweene the said John Combe and Thomas Prence That whereas there was other tenn acres of land exchaunged w<sup>th</sup> the said M<sup>r</sup> Thom<sup>s</sup> Prence which was the said M<sup>r</sup> Combes mother in lawes if the heire when he comes to his age doe not legally confirme the said

exchange so made That then the said Tenn acres shalbe and remayne vnto the said Thomas Prence his heires and Assignes as in his and their former estate Provided that in the meane tyme it shalbe lawfull for the said John Combe to plant & occupie the said land, but not otherwise to exchange sell or mortgage the same.

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**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the xiiij<sup>th</sup> July 1639 That Georg Sowle doth acknowledge that for & in considera<sup>o</sup>n of one Steere Calfe to him payd & Delivered by Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hick<sup>l</sup> of Plymouth hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hicks his heires & assignes all those his two acres of land lying at the place called the watering place on the South side of the Towne of Plymouth and all his right title & interest of and into the same w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcs therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said two acres of land w<sup>th</sup> all and singule the app<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging vnto the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hicks his heires & Assignes fore<sup>u</sup> to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hicks his heires and assignes for euer./

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> of June 1639 That John Winslow of Ply<sup>m</sup> yeom<sup>a</sup> doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of eight pound<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>t</sup> to him in hand payd by John Barnes of the same yeom<sup>a</sup> hath freely and absolutely bargained & sould vnto the said John Barnes foure acres of meddow land assigned and layd forth to the said John Winslowe at the Heigh Pynes lying to the south east side of the meddow ground there likewise layd forth vnto the said John Barnes w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcs therevnto belonging and all his right title & interest of & into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> and euery pt & pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said foure acres of meddow w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcs therevnto belonging vnto the said John Barnes his heires & Assignes fore<sup>u</sup> to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of him the said John Barnes his heires and assignes foreuer.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the xx<sup>th</sup> July 1639 That John Barnes of Ply<sup>m</sup> yeom<sup>a</sup> doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of nine pound<sup>l</sup> and fiteene shillings ster<sup>t</sup> to him in hand payd by M<sup>r</sup> Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hicks of the same Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hick<sup>l</sup> all those foure acres of meddow ground lying at the High Pynes w<sup>ch</sup> he bought of John Winslowe and all his right title and interest of & into the same w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging To haue and to

hold the said foure acres of meddow w<sup>th</sup> all and singular thapp<sup>t</sup>ence℥ therevnto belonging vnto the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hicks his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hicks his heires and assignes foreū.

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**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the xv<sup>th</sup> day of August 1639 That John Cooke the yonger doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of twelue pound℥ ster<sup>t</sup> to him in hand payd by Georg Partrich of Duxborrow Taylor hath freely ℥ absolutely bargained ℥ sould vnto the said Georg Partrich one lott of land containeing twenty acres or there about℥ lying on Duxborrow side betwixt the land℥ of M<sup>r</sup> Comfort Starr lying on the Northeast side ℥ Thomas Morton on the Southwest side thereof w<sup>th</sup> all and singular thapp<sup>t</sup>eñcs therevnto belonging w<sup>th</sup> all his Right title and interest of and into the same To haue and to hold the said lott of land℥ w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singular thapp<sup>t</sup>eñces therevnto belonging vnto the said Georg Partrich his heires ℥ Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of him the said Georg Partrich his heires ℥ assignes for euer.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the xix<sup>th</sup> day of July 1639 That M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Besbeeche of Duxborrow doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of twenty shillings to him in hand payd hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto Edmond Chaundlor of the same one acre of land lying to the north side of the lands of the said Thomas Besbeeche next to the heighway and all his right title and interest of and into the same and the said Edward is to set vp the fence betwixt them before the begining of the next March To haue and to hold the said acre of land and all ℥ singular thapp<sup>t</sup>eñc℥ therevnto belonging vnto the said Edmond Chaundlor his heirs ℥ Assignes foreū to the onely p<sup>p</sup> use and behoofe of him the said Edmond Chaundlor his heires and Assignes for eū.

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\* BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup>:The xxiiij<sup>th</sup> Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1639.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Edward Dotey of Plym<sup>th</sup> Planter doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum<sup>m</sup> of twenty two pound℥ to him in hand payd by M<sup>r</sup> Richard Derby hath freely and absolutely bargained ℥ sould vnto the said Richard Derby one lott of Land contayneing twenty acres lying at the heigh Cliff the Land℥ of John Winslow lying on the North side thereof and the land℥ of the said Edward Dotey on the South side w<sup>th</sup>

all and singuler thapp'tenc℄ therevnto belonging ℄ all his right title ℄ interest therein To haue and to hold the said twenty acres of land and fence about the same ℄ all ℄ singuler thapp'tenc℄ therevnto belonging vnto the said Richard Derby his heires and Assignes for euer To the onely pp use and behoofe of him the said Richard Derby his heires ℄ Assignes for eū.

**M**EMORANÐ the same day That the said Richard Derby for and in consideraçõ of the sumes of xx<sup>s</sup> to him in hand payd and twenty pound℄ ster℄ to be payd in England by the appoyntment of Samuell King of Plym̄ hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said Samuell King the abouesaid xx acres of land℄ at the heigh Cliffe ℄ fence about the same w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler thapp'tenc℄ therevnto belonging and all his Right title ℄ interest of and into the same w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singular thapp'tenc℄ therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said xx acres of land and all ℄ singuler thapp'tenc℄ therevnto belonging vnto the said Samuell King his heires and Assignes for eū to the onely pp use ℄ behoofe of the said Samuell King his heires and Assignes for eū.

The viij<sup>t</sup> of Octob<sup>r</sup> 1639.

**M**EMORANÐ That Peter Collymer for ℄ in consideraçõ of the sume of six pound℄ ster℄ to be payd him the last day of Aprill next by Raph Chapman of Duxborrow hath freely ℄ absolutely bargained ℄ sould vnto the said Raph Chapman all those his xxv acres of land℄ due vnto the said Peter for his service and all his Right title ℄ interest of and into the same w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler thapp'tenc℄ therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said xxv acres of land℄ ℄ all ℄ singuler the app'tenc℄ therevnto belonging vnto the said Raph Chapman his heires ℄ Assignes for eū to the onely pper use ℄ behoofe of him the said Raph Chapman his heires ℄ Assignes for eū.

The xvi<sup>th</sup> Octob<sup>r</sup> 1639.

**M**EMORANÐ That Nathaniell Sowther of Plym̄ doth acknowledg That for ℄ in consideraçõ of the sum̄ of three pound℄ tenn shillings ster℄ ℄ one bushell of Indian Corne to be payd the first day of february next ensuing by John Paybody hath freely ℄ absolutely bargained ℄ sould vnto the said John Paybody all those his two acres marsh meaddow assigned him at Blewfish Riuer and all his right title ℄ interest of and into the same To haue ℄ to hold the s̄d two acres of meaddow w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler thapp'tenc℄ therevnto belonging vnto the said John Paybody his heires ℄ Assignes for euer to the onely pp use ℄ behoofe of him the said John Paybody his heires ℄ Assignes for eū.

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\* BRADFORD GOV<sup>r</sup>.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> The xix<sup>th</sup> of October 1639 That Rob<sup>t</sup>e Mendall of Dux-  
 borrow doth acknowledg that for ℥ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of six  
 pound℥ to him in hand payd and eighteene pound℥ ster<sup>t</sup> more to be payd  
 him by John Phillips yearly euery first day of Octob<sup>r</sup> at M<sup>r</sup> Winthrops house  
 in Bostone vntill the said xvij teene pound℥ shalbe fully payd Hath freely and  
 absolutely bargained ℥ sould vnto the said John Phillips All that his dwelling  
 house ℥ outhouses and all the land℥ therevnto belonging and the fence ℥  
 labours in ℥ about the same w<sup>th</sup> two acres of meddow therevnto assigned ℥  
 all ℥ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ vnto the said p<sup>r</sup>misss belonging and all his Right  
 title ℥ interrest of ℥ into the same and euery pt ℥ pcell thereof To haue ℥ to  
 hold the said house outhouses meaddow land℥ ℥ p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler  
 their appu<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ vnto the said John Phillips his heires ℥ Assignes for euer  
 and to the onely pp use ℥ behoofe of him the s<sup>d</sup> John Phillips his heires ℥  
 Assignes for e<sup>u</sup>. Provided that if the said John Phillips do fayle to make  
 payment of the first payment at the day and place afore<sup>s</sup>d That then the bar-  
 gaine to be voyd.

The fourth of Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1639.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That ffrancis Billington ℥ Christian his wyfe for and in  
 considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of seauen pound℥ ster<sup>t</sup> to them in hand  
 payd by Jonathan Brewster ℥ Loue Brewster Haue freely and absolutely bar-  
 gained ℥ Sould vnto them the said Jonathan and Loue All that third part of  
 the lands lying on that side next to the land℥ of the s<sup>d</sup> Jonathan ℥ Loue  
 accruing vnto the said Christian as her third℥ by her right from her former  
 husband ffrancis Eaton w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging and  
 all their right ℥ interrest thereinto ℥ euery pt ℥ pcell thereof To haue and to  
 hold the said third℥ of the said land℥ w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ thereunto  
 belonging vnto them the said Jonathan Brewster ℥ Loue Brewster their heires  
 Execut<sup>r</sup>℥ ℥ Assignes during the naturall life of the said Christian.

The sixt of November 1639.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> that Wiltm Hiller for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume  
 of foure pound℥ ster<sup>t</sup> and twenty bushells of Indian Corne in hand  
 payd by Marke Mendloue hath freely and absolutely sould vnto the said  
 Marke Mendloue all those his fve acres of land℥ be it more or lesse lying at



the Eele Riuer betweene the land℄ of Wilkm Dennis and Thomas Clark w<sup>ch</sup> the said Wilkm hath lately bought of Richard Wright and all his right title ℄ interest of ℄ into the same w<sup>th</sup> the fence about yt and all ℄ singuler the p<sup>r</sup>misss therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said fue acres of land℄ and all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℄ therevnto belonging vnto the said Marke Mendloue his heires and Assignes foreü to the onely pp use and behoofe of him the said Marke Mendloue his heires and Assignes for eü.

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The vij<sup>th</sup> Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1639.

**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> That Edward Holman for ℄ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of fourty shillings to him in hand payd by John Barnes hath freely ℄ absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said John Barnes all those his two acres of meadow assigned the said Edward and layd forth for him at the Turkey poynt w<sup>th</sup> all his right title ℄ interest of and into the same w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>tenc℄ therevnto belonging To haue ℄ to hold the said two acres of Meadow w<sup>th</sup> the app<sup>r</sup>tenc℄ therevnto belonging vnto the said John Barnes his heires and Assignes foreü to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said John Barnes his heires and Assignes for eü.

The viij<sup>th</sup> Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1639.

**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> That Rowland Leighorne of Duxborrow doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of eightene pound℄ ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd in August next hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto Wilkm Hiller and Georg Pollerd all that his house ℄ garden place in Duxborrow aforesd and tenn acres of land℄ therevnto belonging w<sup>th</sup> one acre of Meadow therevnto adjoyneing w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>tenc℄ vnto the said p<sup>r</sup>misss belonging and all his right title and interest of and into the same ℄ euery pte thereof To haue and to hold the said house garden place tenn acres of vpland and one acre of meadow and all ℄ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging vnto the said Wilkm Hiller ℄ George Pollerd their heires and Assignes for euer to the onely use ℄ behoofe of them the said Wilkm Hiller and Georg Pollerd their heires ℄ Assignes for euer/

The xxv<sup>th</sup> of Novemb<sup>r</sup> 1639.

**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Starr of Duxborrow doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of tenn pound℄ ster<sup>t</sup> fue pound℄ whereof is in hand payd ℄ thother fue pound℄ is to be payd the

xxv<sup>th</sup> of March next by M<sup>r</sup> Andrew Hellet of Plymouth Hath freely & absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said Andrew Hellet One frame of a house w<sup>th</sup> a chymney to be set vp and thacked in Yarmouth in the place appoynted and seaventeene acres of vpland in two divisions and twelue acres of Marsh & meadow vnto the said house and meadsteed belonging in Yarmouth afore-said w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging and all his right title & interest of ℓ into the same w<sup>th</sup> euery ~ & pcell thereof To haue ℓ to hold the said house & meadsteed seaventeene acres of vpland and twelue acres of Marsh & meadow w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said Andrew Hellet his heires and assignes foreū to the onely pper vse and behoofe of the said Andrew Hellett his heires & Assignes foreū.

The frame of the said house is to be made & set vp w<sup>th</sup> a chymney and to be thached studded and latched (daubing excepted) by Wilm<sup>m</sup> Chase who was agreed w<sup>th</sup>all and payd for the doing thereof by the s<sup>d</sup> Thomas Starr before the bargaine was made w<sup>th</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Hellet as afore<sup>s</sup>d and so assigned oū to him.

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\*BRADFORD GOŪN<sup>r</sup>xv<sup>to</sup> Caroli Rℓ.The ix<sup>th</sup> of December 1639.

**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslowe doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of six score poundℓ ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd him by M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Wallis merchant in manner & forme following That is to say fve poundℓ in hand fiteene poundℓ the first day of May next ensuing fifty poundℓ the first of August following and the other fifty poundℓ vpon the first of ffebrua<sup>r</sup> next after Hath freely and absolutely bargained & sould vnto the said Thomas Wallis All that his dwelling house & garden place the backhouse in thend thereof w<sup>th</sup> the fould yard now adjoyneing as the same is now taken in and the outhouse on the banck side & the land lying betweene the p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> and the waterside as farr as the garden & fould yard do extend w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ to the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> belonging & euery pt & pcell thereof and all his right title and interest thereinto & euery pt thereof (except liberty of ingresse egressse & regresse for the said Edward Winslow his heires and Assignes in the said fould yard to his barne and stable w<sup>th</sup> liberty also to lay manure in the said yard and also except the land lying northward from thend of the said barne & stable to the streetward and little pcell of land lying at the south end of the said barne, and liberty likewise to take away the fruit trees when he pleaseth) now growing in the said

garden. To haue ℥ to hold the said house and garden place backhouse fould yard outhouse and all ℥ singular the p<sup>r</sup>misss with their app<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ (except before excepted) vnto the said Thomas Wallis his heires ℥ Assignes foreū and to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of him the said Thomas Wallis his heires and Assignes foreū.

The ix<sup>th</sup> Decembr 1639.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Rob<sup>t</sup>e Hicks hath set and to farme lett vnto John Smyth fūe acres of land℥ be it more or lesse lying at the Reede pound To haue ℥ to hold the said fūe acres of land vnto the said John Smyth and his Assignes from the xxv<sup>th</sup> of March next ensuing the date hereof vnto thend ℥ terme of three yeares thenç next ensuing and fully to be compleat The said John Smyth ℥ his Assignes yielding and paying therefore yearely during the said terme xij bushells of Indian Corne good ℥ merchantable in December yearely and shall fence the East side of the said fūe acres to the Seaward w<sup>th</sup> post ℥ rayles fūe rayles in height.

\* An<sup>o</sup> 1635. -

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**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> that M<sup>r</sup> John Jeney sould vnto Georg Watson, the dwelling house ℥ garden with all y<sup>e</sup> appurtenances thervnto belonging, which was sometimes Richard Maistersons, for the sume of .23.<sup>li</sup> by him then payed to y<sup>e</sup> said John Jeney ; to haue and to hold for him and his heires for euer.

An<sup>o</sup>: 1639.

**M**EMORANDUM that William Bradford, sould vnto Georg Watson, a parcell of land esteemed to be aboute .3. Acres, (be it more or less) for y<sup>e</sup> sume of ten pounds to him then payed by y<sup>e</sup> said Georg Watson ; to haue and hold to him and his heires for euer. The said parcell of land lying beyond a small creek or slough to y<sup>e</sup> eastward of y<sup>t</sup> street wher his now dwelling house is, being part of y<sup>e</sup> Acres that were aloted to y<sup>e</sup> said William Bradford, and part of what he bought of ffrancis Cooke. bounded as foloweth, with the said creek or slough westward, and with a parcell of land bought of M<sup>r</sup> Brewster by John Barnes on y<sup>e</sup> north, and y<sup>e</sup> lands of M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prence to y<sup>e</sup> Southward, and abuting on bay eastward.

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\* BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup> xv<sup>to</sup> Caroli Rē.The vj<sup>th</sup> January 1639.

**M**EMORAND<sup>ŷ</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslow for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of one hundred pound<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd by Georg Bower in manner <sup>&</sup> forme following That is to say tenn pound<sup>l</sup> the first of february next forty pound<sup>l</sup> the first of January w<sup>ch</sup> shalbe in the yeare of our Lord God one thousand six hundred forty one and thother forty pound<sup>l</sup> the first of January in the yeare of ou<sup>r</sup> Lord G. one thousand six hundred forty and two Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said Georg Bower his heires and Assignes All that his barne and stable scituate in Plym<sup>th</sup> together w<sup>th</sup> the two pcells of land<sup>l</sup> lying at the North and South end<sup>l</sup> of the said Barne and Stable w<sup>th</sup> liberty of ingresse egressse <sup>&</sup> regresse in the fould yard for his cattell to come <sup>&</sup> goe to the said barne <sup>&</sup> stable as occation shall serue and liberty to lay donge in the said fould yard And seauen acres of enclosed land<sup>l</sup> lying on the North side of the said towne of Plym<sup>th</sup> betwixt the garden plac<sup>l</sup> and the land<sup>l</sup> of M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford on the north <sup>&</sup> south side<sup>l</sup> thereof together w<sup>th</sup> the land belonging to the said seauen acres not enclosed And also nine acres of <sup>l</sup> lying on the north side of the said Towne of Plym<sup>th</sup> on eich side the first brooke (viz<sup>t</sup>) the most northerly of the two acres w<sup>ch</sup> the said Edward Winslow purchased of Captaine Standish and foure acres purchased of ffrancis Eaton adjoyneing therevnto <sup>&</sup> one acree adjoyneing purchased of Henry Sampson all these lying on the south side of the said first brook and two acres lying on the north side of the said first brook w<sup>ch</sup> fell to the said Edward Winslow in his first diuision and one acree w<sup>ch</sup> was exchauned w<sup>th</sup> Josias Winslow for thother southerly acree purchased of Captaine Standish as aforesaid together w<sup>th</sup> all <sup>&</sup> singuler the p<sup>r</sup>ueledges and graunt<sup>l</sup> graunted to the said Edward Winslow for enclosure of the same w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging and all his right title <sup>&</sup> interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> <sup>&</sup> euery part and pcell thereof (except liberty of housrome this yeare for the said Edward Winslowe <sup>&</sup> his Assignes to lay his Corne groweing on the said seauen acres w<sup>th</sup> in the said Barne To haue <sup>&</sup> to hold the said Barne <sup>&</sup> stable <sup>&</sup> pcell<sup>l</sup> of land<sup>l</sup> at thend<sup>l</sup> thereof the said seauen acres enclosed w<sup>th</sup> the land thereto beloing and the nine acres aforesaid w<sup>th</sup> all <sup>&</sup> singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñ<sup>l</sup> to the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> belonging <sup>&</sup> euery pt <sup>&</sup> pcell thereof vnto the said Georg Bower his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely proper vse and behoofe of the said Georg Bower his heires and Assignes for euer Prouided alwayes

that if the said Edward Winslow shall come and build vpon the two furthermost of the nine acres and dwell vpon them himself That then the said Edward shall haue them at the same rate that the said Georg Bower now payeth for them, allowing him such further charge as the said Georg shall then haue layd forth vpon them.

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup> xv<sup>to</sup> Car<sup>t</sup> R<sup>l</sup>.

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The viij<sup>th</sup> January 1639.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> that whereas George Lewes of Scittuate Clothyer for and in the considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of xix pound<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>t</sup> to him to be payd by Richard Willis of Ply<sup>m</sup> Planter hath freely and absolutely bargained & sould vnto the said Richard Willis his dwelling house in Scittuate and lott of Land<sup>l</sup> adjoyneing containeing by estima<sup>o</sup>n fiue acres or there about<sup>l</sup> and one acre and three quarters of swampe lying before the said Lott and three acres of marish ground lying betweene the land<sup>l</sup> of John Winter and John Lewes in Scittuate aforesaid and all the land<sup>l</sup> giuen the said George Lewes by the ffreemen of Scittuate aforesaid w<sup>ch</sup> the said George Lewes is to p<sup>u</sup>re to the said Richard Willis by all good wayes & meanes (suite of law excepted) Now the said Richard Willis doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of xxx shillings o<sup>u</sup> & aboue the s<sup>d</sup> xix pound Hath bargained sould & assigned vnto Thomas Robert<sup>l</sup> of Ply<sup>m</sup> all his right title and interest of and into the said house & land<sup>l</sup> w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler their app<sup>t</sup>en<sup>l</sup> To haue and to hold the said house & land<sup>l</sup> w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>t</sup>en<sup>l</sup> vnto the said Thomas Robert<sup>l</sup> his heires & Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>u</sup>er use & behoofe of him the Tho<sup>m</sup> Robert<sup>l</sup> his heires and Assignes for euer The said Thomas Robert<sup>l</sup> & his Assignes p<sup>u</sup>formeing & fullfilling all such payment<sup>l</sup> for the same as the said Richard on his p<sup>t</sup> should haue donn Prouided alwayes that if the said Thomas Robert<sup>l</sup> shall fayle in the payment<sup>l</sup> that then it shall and may be lawfull for the said Richard Willis his heires & Assignes into the said house and land<sup>l</sup> to enter and the same to haue & hold vntill such payment<sup>l</sup> shalbe fully satisfied and payd.

The ix<sup>th</sup> January 1639.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That M<sup>rs</sup> Elizabeth Warren Widdow for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of a marriage already consummate betwixt Anthony Snow & Abigail her daughter Hath freely & absolutely giuen granted assigned & made ouer vnto the said Anthony Snow All that her house scittuate nere the place called Wellingsly (alis) Hobs Hole w<sup>th</sup> the eight acres of land<sup>l</sup>

therevnto adjoyneing w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said house and lands w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñces vnto the said Anthony Snow his heires and Assignes for eũ to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Anthony Snow his heires and Assignes foreuer/

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\*BRADFORD GOũ xv<sup>to</sup> Cañli Rℓ.The xj<sup>th</sup> of februař 1639.

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**M**EMORANDŪ That M<sup>r</sup> Robert Hickℓ of Plymouth Planter for ℓ in consideraçõn of the sume of six score poundℓ sterl threescore and fve poundℓ whereof is in hand payd and thother fifty fve poundℓ is to be payd vpon demaund wherew<sup>th</sup> the said Robert Hickℓ is fully satisfied and contented Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto Samuell Hicks his eldest sonne all that his house outhouses and garden place scituate in Plym̄ aforesaid together w<sup>th</sup> foure acres of landℓ lying in the feild on the south side of the said Towne of Plymouth and eight acres of landℓ or thereaboutℓ lying betweene the first ℓ second brooke on the North side of the said Towne of Plymouth together w<sup>th</sup> all the meaddow ground lying at the heigh Pynes and Iland Creeke contayneing seauen acres or thereaboutℓ and all his Right title and interest of and into the said landℓ ℓ p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñces ℓ euery part ℓ pcell thereof, and hath also bargained and sould vnto the said Samuell three Cowes viz<sup>t</sup> one Red cow w<sup>th</sup> a starr in the forehead and two black ones one of them haueing also a starr in the forehead To haue and to hold the said house outhouses garden place the twelue acres of landℓ and seauen acres of meaddow w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ vnto the said Samuell Hickℓ his heires ℓ Assignes for euer to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Samuell Hickℓ his heires and Assignes for euer As also the said three cowes to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Samuell Hickℓ his heires execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ and administrat<sup>r</sup>s w<sup>th</sup> warranties against all people foreuer by these p<sup>r</sup>nts.

The xxvj<sup>th</sup> of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1639.

**M**EMORANDŪ That Willm Lathame of Duxborrow planter doth acknowledge that *that* for and in consideraçõn of the sume of twenty six poundℓ thirteeñ shillings and foure pence to him payd by M<sup>r</sup> Raph Partrich of the same hath freely ℓ absolutely bargained ℓ sould vnto the said Raph Partrich all that his house and twenty acres of landℓ and one acre of meaddow therevnto assigned w<sup>th</sup> the fence now about ℓ vpon the p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s w<sup>th</sup>

all & singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñc& and all his right title & interest of & into the same & euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said house and twenty acres of land and one acre of meaddow w<sup>th</sup> then fence & labour& in about the same w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcs therevnto belonging vnto the said Raph Partrich his heires & assignes fore& to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Raph Partrich his heires and Assignes for euer.

\*BRADFORD GO& 1639. xv<sup>to</sup> Ca&li R&

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The last of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1639.

**M**EMORAN& That Wilm Hoskine of Plym planter doth acknowledg that for & in considera&on of the sume of eight pound& ster& to be payd by Georg Clarke of the same in money Corne or cattell as the will passe from man to man to the said Wilm Hoskine or his Assignes the fifteenth day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> next hath freely and absolutely bargained & sould vnto the said Georg Clarke all those his eight acres of lands and fence & labours in and vpon the same lying by the land& graunted to James Skiffe nere Playne Dealeing and all his right tittle & interest of and into the same w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñc& therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said eight acres of land, w<sup>th</sup> the fence in & vpon the same and all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc& ther&to belonging vnto the said Georg Clarke his heires & Assignes fore& to the onely vse and behoofe of him the ^ Georg Clarke his heires and Assignes for euer /

The vij<sup>th</sup> of March 1639.

**M**EMORAN& That Thomas Robert& of Plymouth doth ackuowledg that for and in considera&on of the sume of forty shillings ster& to be paid by Humfrey Turner of Scituate the first day of May next Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said Humfrey Turner one pcell of Swamp land lately purchased of Georg Lewis of Scituate and lying to the land& of the said Humfrey Turner in Scituate on the North side containeing by estima&on one acre and three quarters or there about& w<sup>th</sup> all his right title & interest of & into the same w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc& therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said acre & three quart<sup>r</sup>& of swamp land w<sup>th</sup> all & euery thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc& therevnto belonging vnto the said Humfrey Turner his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper vse & behoofe of him the said Humfrey Turner his heires & Assignes for euer.

The xvi<sup>th</sup> March 1639.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That Thomas Morton doth acknowledg that for ℥ in consid<sup>r</sup>a<sup>c</sup>ōn of the sūmē of sixteene pound℥ sterl to him in hand payd by m<sup>r</sup> Comfort Starr of Duxborrow hath freely and absolutely bargained ℥ sould vnto the said Comfort Starr all that his lott of land lying on Duxborrow side betweene the land℥ of Wil<sup>m</sup> Kemp and Georg Partrich containeing by estimacōn twenty acres or thereabouts and two acres of meddow land lying at Musketoe hole w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging and all his right title ℥ interest of and into the same and euery pt and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said twenty acres of vpland and two acres of meddow w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging vnto the said Comfort Starr his heires and Assignes foreū to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Comfort Starr his heires and Assignes for efl.

This ~~acknowledgment was condic<sup>h</sup>all that if~~ Manasse<sup>h</sup> Kempton and his wyfe ℥ ~~the s<sup>d</sup> Th<sup>m</sup> Morton's frend<sup>r</sup> did consent to yt then to stand firme.~~

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BRADFORD GOUN<sup>r</sup>.

April 2<sup>d</sup> 1640.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> John Howland doth acknowledg That for ℥ in considera<sup>c</sup>ōn of the sūmē of seauenscore pounds sterl to him in hand payd by M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Kempe of Duxborrow hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said W<sup>m</sup> Kempe all that his message ℥ outhouses situate in Duxborrow aforesaid and fourescore acres of vpland and fūe acres of meddow three whereof lying at the west end of Ilaud Creek pond and thother two in the Marsh before the said house w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ to the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> ℥ euery of them belonging together w<sup>th</sup> the fenceing in ℥ about the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> and all his right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> ℥ euery pt ℥ pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said Message outhouses fourescore acres of vpland and the fūe acres of meddow ℥ all and singuler the p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ euery their app<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging vnto the said W<sup>m</sup> Kemp his heires ℥ Assignes foreū to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Kempe his heires ℥ assignes foreū.



Aprill 2<sup>d</sup> 1640.

**M**EMORANÐ That John Handmore of Duxborrow plant doth acknowledge that hee hath freely and absolutely bargained and exchanged w<sup>th</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Wilłm Kemp of the same All those his tenn acres of vplandℓ lying at the Iland Creeke pond on Duxborrow side for six acres of landℓ be it more or lesse one acre whereof was giuen him by m<sup>r</sup> John Howland out of the p<sup>r</sup>misss aboue said ℓ consented vnto by the said W<sup>m</sup> Kemp, ℓ lying on the southerly part of the foresaid fourescore acres next vnto the landℓ of M<sup>r</sup> Rob<sup>t</sup>e Hicks of Plymouth as the same are now marked ℓ bounded forth w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ vnto them belonging To haue and to hold the said tenn acres at Iland Brook pond vnto the said Wilłm Kemp his heires ℓ Assignes for eũ and to their onely p<sup>p</sup>er use ℓ behoofe for eũ, and likewise To haue ℓ and to hold the said six acres of land be it more or lesse vnto the said John Handmore his heires ℓ Assignes foreũ ℓ to their onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe foreũ.

Aprill 2<sup>d</sup>: 1640.

**M**EMORANÐ That John Shawe of Plymouth Planter doth acknowledge that for and in consideraçon of the sume of fve poundℓ to him in hand payd by M<sup>r</sup> Wilłm Kempe of Duxborrow hath freely and absolutely bargained ℓ sould vnto the said Wilłm Kempe two acres ℓ a half of meddow landℓ lying at the Easterly endℓ of the lands of the said Wilłm Kemp in in Duxborrow aforeşd w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler the app<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging and all his Right title ℓ interest of ℓ into said p<sup>r</sup>misss ℓ euery pt thereof To haue ℓ to hold the said two acres ℓ half of meddow w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said Wilłm Kemp his heires ℓ Assignes foreuer ℓ to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of him the said W<sup>m</sup> Kempe his heires ℓ Assignes for eũ.

\* BRADFORD GOÜNOR.

1640.

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The xij<sup>th</sup> April 1640.

**M**EMORANÐ That George Bower of Plym Plan<sup>t</sup> doth acknowledge That for and in consideraçon of the sume of forty ℓ foure poundℓ ster<sup>t</sup> to him in hand payd by Christopher Winter of Scituate Planter hath freely ℓ absolutely bargained ℓ sould vnto the said Christopher All that his

house & ground thereto belonging w<sup>ch</sup> he bought of John Stowe of Rocksberry or had by division allotted by the ffreemen of Scituate w<sup>ch</sup> house and landℓ are lying and being in Scituate aforesaid & containing by estimaçõn foure acres of vpland & three acres of Marish ground be the more or lesse lying at the easterly end & southerly side of the said four acres and one lott of vpland lying in the third Cliffe in Scituate aforesaid containeing by estimaçõn twenty acres be it more or lesse lying betweene the landℓ of Wilkm Gilson and Humfrey Turner and a pcell of Marish ground lying at the Southwest end thereof containeing by cstimaçõn nine acres be it more or lesse together w<sup>th</sup> all the allotmentℓ w<sup>ch</sup> shalbe hereafter layd forth to the said house and landℓ by the ffreemen of Scituate and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss and euery part & pcell thereof w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñçℓ therevnto belonging To haue & to hold the said house and foure acres of vpland three acres of marish land adjoyneing twenty acres of vpland and nine acres of marish ground adjoyneing therevnto and all other the allottmentℓ to be layd therevnto w<sup>th</sup> all and euery their app<sup>r</sup>teñçℓ to them or any of them belonging vnto the said Christopher Winter his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely proper use and behoofe of him the said Christopher Winter his heires and Assignes for euer.

The xiiij<sup>th</sup> of Ap<sup>r</sup>ill 1640.

**M**EMORAND<sup>õ</sup> That Christopher Winter of Scituate Plan<sup>t</sup> doth acknowledge that for and in consideraçõn of the sume of fourty & five poundℓ sterl to him in hand payd by John Whitcombe of the same Plan<sup>t</sup> hath freely & absolutely bargained & sould vnto the said John Whitcombe All that his house & ground there vnto beloinging w<sup>ch</sup> were formlly bought by Georg Bower of John Stowe of Rocksberry, or had by diuision allotted by the ffreemen of Scituate w<sup>ch</sup> house & landℓ are lying and being in Scituate aforesaid & containeing by estimaçõn foure acres of vpland & three acres of Marish ground be the more or lesse lying at the Easterly end & Southerly side of the said foure acres and one lott of vpland lying in the third Cliffe in Scituate aforesaid containeing by estimaçõn twenty acres be it more or lesse lying betweene the landℓ of Wilkm Gilson and Humfrey Turner and a pcell of Marish ground lying at the Southwest end thereof containeing by estimaçõn Nine acres be it more or lesse together w<sup>th</sup> all the allottmentℓ w<sup>ch</sup> shalbe hereafter layd forth to the said House and landℓ by the ffreemen of Scituate And all his Right title & interest of & into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss and euery part and pcell thereof w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñçℓ therevnto belong-

ing To haue and to hold the said house and foure acres of vpland three acres of Marish land adjoyneing twenty acres of vpland and nine acres of marish ground adjoyneing therevnto and all other the allotment℥ to be layd therevnto w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ euery their appurteñ℥ to them or any of them belonging vnto the said John Whitcomb his heires and Assignes foreü to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said John Whitcombe his heires and Assignes for euer.

## \*BRADFORD GOÜNOR.

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The xxvij<sup>th</sup> of May 1640.

**M**EMORANÐ That whereas M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Wallis of Plymouth merchant hath bought of M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslow All that his house garden ℥ backhouse and fould yard scituate in Plymouth aforesaid for the sume of six-score pound℥ to haue beene payd at certain dayes limmitted, as in the said bargaine ℥ sale more playnely appeareth and hath payd the sume of xx<sup>li</sup> or there about℥ in part of payment Now the said Thomas Wallis for diuers good causes and consideraõns him therevnto mooueing doth acknowledg that he hath and doth reassigne and make ouer the said house ℥ garden backhouse ℥ fould yard w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñ℥ w<sup>th</sup> ingresse egressse ℥ regresse of and into the same ℥ euery pt thereof vnto the said Edward Winslow his heires ℥ Assignes and all his Right title and interest of and to same ℥ into euery part and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house ℥ garden ℥ bakehouse ℥ fould yard w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñ℥ vnto the said Edward Winslow his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Edward Winslow his heires ℥ Assignes for euer Prouided that the said twenty pound℥ shall remayne in the hand℥ of the said Edward Winslow his Execut<sup>r</sup>℥ and Assignes vntill that either the said Edward Winslow can sell the same at the price aforesd or that the said Thomas Wallis can pcure a chapman that will take it at such sd rate ℥ tyme as the sd Thoñ Wallis should *should* haue payd for it.

The xj<sup>th</sup> of June 1640.

**M**EMORANÐ That John Smaly ℥ Richard Higgens haue exchanged two pcells of meddow land w<sup>th</sup> eich other viz<sup>t</sup> one acre that the said John Smaly had at Blewfish Riuer w<sup>th</sup> Richard Higgens for a pcell of meddow ground graunted him at Warrens Wells containeing by estimaõn two acres or there about℥ be it more or lesse.

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\* BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup>.xvi<sup>th</sup> of Charles.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> the fifteenth day of July 1640 That M<sup>r</sup> John Browne doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup>e of two hundred and fourscore pound<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd vnto him by M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury his heires and Assignes all that his Messuage or dwelling house scituate by Joanes Riuer w<sup>th</sup> all the houses outehouses barnes  $\&$  stables therevnto belonging and all that tract of vpland and pcell of marsh meddow thereto adjoyneing  $\&$  also foure acres of Marsh meddow be it more or lesse lying at the head of Joanes Riuer Swamp and all  $\&$  singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging or in any wise appertaineing w<sup>th</sup> the fenceinge in and about the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s and one hundred and twenty post<sup>l</sup> lying vpon the said land<sup>l</sup> and all his Right title and interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s and euery pt  $\&$  pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said Messuage or dwelling house outehouses barnes stables  $\&$  all that tract of vpland w<sup>th</sup> the two pcells of marish meddow therevnto belonging and all  $\&$  singuler the p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s w<sup>th</sup> all and euery their app<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>l</sup> vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury his heires  $\&$  Assignes fore<sup>u</sup> to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury his heires  $\&$  assignes fore<sup>u</sup> Provided that it shalbe lawfull to and for the said John Browne to reape and gett the Corne  $\&$  graine of all sorts now groweing in and vpon the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s and also the grasse growing vpon the said Marshes this yeare and to dwell in the said house vntill the end of May next and make use of the said Barnes  $\&$  outhouses to winter his cattell and lay his fodder in. And it is further agreed vpon betwixt the said John Browne  $\&$  Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury That the said John Browne shall carry forth the manure about the houses into that feild where the wheat is now groweing, and after the Corne is reaped to plow and sowe the same for the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury w<sup>th</sup> such graine as the said Wil<sup>m</sup> shall p<sup>u</sup>ide to sowe the same w<sup>th</sup>all And it is lastly agreed vpon betweene the said pties That the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury shall haue his dyett w<sup>th</sup> the said John Browne freely during the said terme that the said John Browne shall remayne in the said house as aforesaid.

The xxvij<sup>th</sup> July 1640.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That Wil<sup>m</sup> Renolds doth acknowledg that for  $\&$  in considera<sup>o</sup>n of twelue bushells of Indian Corne to be payd assoone as Corne is merchantable hath sould vnto Henry Howland of Duxborrow all those his fve acres of vpland lying in Duxborrow aforesaid betwixt the

land℄ of John Paybody ℄ Wilm Tubbs and one acre of marsh meddow lying at the East end thereof and all his right title ℄ interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery pt ℄ pcell thereof To haue ℄ to hold the said fīue acres of vpland and one acre of marsh ground w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ℄ therevnto belonging and euery pte ℄ pcell thereof vnto the said Henry Howland his heires ℄ Assignes foreuer to onely pp use and behoofe of him the said Henry Howland his heires and Assignes for euer.

\*BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup>. xvj<sup>th</sup> of King Charles.

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**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the fift day of August 1640 That John Combe gen<sup>t</sup> and Phineas Pratt joyner do acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum<sup>e</sup> of three pound℄ ster<sup>t</sup> to them in hand payd by John Barnes of New Plymouth haue freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said John Barnes his heires ℄ Assignes all those two acres of vpland w<sup>ch</sup> they had of Goodbert Godbertson in marryage w<sup>th</sup> their wiues lyinge at the North side next to the Towneward of that parcell of vpland at Wellingsley brooke w<sup>ch</sup> fell to him by lott in the first Diuisions, and all their right title and interest of and into the said two acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ℄ thereto belonging To haue ℄ to hold the said two acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñ℄ vnto the said John Barnes his heires ℄ Assignes foreuer To the onely pper vse ℄ behoofe of him the said John Barnes his heires ℄ Assignes for euer.

The xxix<sup>th</sup> of August 1640.


**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Thomas Pope doth acknowledg that for ℄ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum<sup>e</sup> of twenty two pounds ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd in Indian and English Corne (assoone as it shalbe merchantable) at the rate or price that corne is then sold at viz<sup>t</sup> the Indian in Decemb<sup>r</sup> come twelue months and the English in ffebruary following by Georg Bonam hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said George Bonam all that his house and land thereto belonging containeing fīue acres and thenlargement since and all the fence in and aboute the same w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ℄ therevnto belonging and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery part ℄ pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house and land℄ ℄ fence in ℄ about the same ℄ all ℄ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ℄ therevnto belonging ℄ euery pt and pcell thereof vnto the said George Boname his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Georg Boname his heires ℄ As<sup>s</sup>s fore<sup>u</sup>.

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BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> The second day of June in the xvj<sup>th</sup> yeare of the Raigne of o<sup>r</sup> So<sup>u</sup>aigne Lord Charles by the Grace of God King of England ¶ That Daniell Salmon of Saugust came before the Gouvern<sup>r</sup> and shewed a tre of Attorney made to him by Richard ffrancis (a<sup>t</sup>s) Deacon of Barleston in the County of Leicester in the Realme of England demaunding a certaine legacy bequeathed vnto the said Richard ffranc<sup>e</sup> (a<sup>t</sup>s) Deacon by his brother John ffrancis (a<sup>t</sup>s) Deacon deceased w<sup>ch</sup> said tre of Attorney or deed followeth in these word<sup>e</sup> viz<sup>s</sup>. To all X<sup>p</sup>ian people to whom these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>e</sup> may concerne Richard ffrancis (a<sup>t</sup>s) Deacon of Barlston in the County of Leicester sendeth greeting in our Lord God euerlasting Whereas I haue bene credibly informed aswell by tres as by word of mouth out of New England That my brother John ffrancis (a<sup>t</sup>s) Deacon there deceased did by his last will and testament giue vnto me the sum of tenn or twelue pounds to be payd vnto me or my certaine Attorney by M<sup>r</sup> Winslow Gofinor of Plymouth there Know yee that I the said Richard ffrancis (a<sup>t</sup>s) Deacon haue appoynted constituted & made and by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>e</sup> do appoynt constitute and make my welbeloued in Christ Daniell Salmon of Saugust in the said Countrey my true and lawfull Attorney to aske receiue and take the said sume of Tenn or Twelue pound<sup>e</sup> whether the same be and the same to dispose of as I by a for<sup>m</sup> tre sent vnto him haue limmitted & appoynted, and vpon receipt of the same to make a discharge as fully as I my self might or could do if I were p<sup>r</sup>sonally p<sup>r</sup>sent In witnes whereof I the said Richard ffrancis a<sup>t</sup>s Deacon haue to these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>e</sup> put my hand and seale the thirteenth day of January in the fourteenth yeare of the Raigne of our So<sup>u</sup>aigne Lord Charles by the grace of God of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland King defender of the fayth ¶ An<sup>o</sup> D<sup>ni</sup> 1638./

Sealed and Delivered to the vse of thaboue named Daniell Salmon in the p<sup>r</sup>sent<sup>e</sup> of vs John Salmon Joseph Salmon

And Subscribed further thus viz<sup>t</sup> Wee whose names are Sign   
 herevnder written two of his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Justices of the peace & Rich. ffranc<sup>e</sup> a<sup>t</sup>s  
 quorū w<sup>ch</sup>in the county of Le<sup>e</sup> do certefye that Richard Deacon  
 ffrancis (a<sup>t</sup>s) Deacon is now liueing and dwelleth at Barleston  
 in the said County of Leicester the first day of March Anno D<sup>ni</sup> 1638  
 Dated at Markett Bosworth in the said County the day  
 and yeare abouesaid

W. DIXIE

WILEM ROBERTS.

The second July 1640.

**M**EMORAND<sup>ŷ</sup> that the aboue named Daniell Salmon did acknowledg before Nathaniell Sowther & John Winslow that he hath receiued of M<sup>r</sup> John Howland full satisfac<sup>ō</sup>n for the legacy aforesaid due to the said Richard ffrancis (a<sup>t</sup>s) Deacon & desired the same might be recorded.

\*BRADFORD GOV<sup>r</sup> 1640.

16<sup>th</sup> Charles. King 4<sup>th</sup>.

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The fift day of October 1640.

**M**EMORAND<sup>ŷ</sup> That Josias Winslowe doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>ō</sup>n of the sume of fifty two pounds ster<sup>t</sup> to be discounted & discharged for cattell bought of Richard Sparrow and a pcell of cloth to the value of eight pounds to him deli<sup>u</sup>er<sup>d</sup> & to be discharged as afores<sup>d</sup> by John Barnes of Ply<sup>m</sup> hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said John Barnes All that his house Messuage out houses and garden place w<sup>th</sup> the vpland belonging to the said house in Ply<sup>m</sup> afores<sup>d</sup> and two acres of Marsh meddow lying at the Wood Iland and all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>l</sup> thereunto belonging and all his right title and Interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> and every pt & pcell thereof w<sup>th</sup> the fenc<sup>l</sup> about the same or any pt thereof To haue & to hold the house houseing garden vpland & meddow w<sup>th</sup> all & eury their app<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>l</sup> vnto the said John Barnes his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use & behoofe of him the said John Barnes his heires and Assignes for euer.

The third day of Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1649.

**M**EMORAND<sup>ŷ</sup> That John Barnes doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>ō</sup>n of the sume of fifty pound<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd in money corne goods or cattell by m<sup>r</sup> Thomas Wallis of Ply<sup>m</sup> merchant in manner and forme following That is to say tenn pound<sup>l</sup> in hand ~

\*BRADFORD GOV<sup>r</sup>. xvj<sup>th</sup> of K: Charles 1640.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>ŷ</sup> the fift day of October 1640 That Wiltm Dennis doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>ō</sup>n of the sum of twenty pound<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd by Richard Willis of Ply<sup>m</sup> in manner & forme following That is to say twenty markes by as much as twenty bushells of Indian Corne will yeild this yeare & to be deliuered the first day of Nouember next

and the remaynder of it the next yeare assoone as Corne shalbe merchantable and thother twenty nobles in the same season when Corne is merchantable in the yeare after All w<sup>ch</sup> payment℄ are to be made in money Corne or cattell in manner and forme aforesaid The said Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis hath freely ℄ absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said Richard Willis All that his house and land℄ therevnto belonging lying at the Eele Riuer (w<sup>ch</sup> was lately Richard Cloughs) and lying betwixt the lands of Thomas Pope and Mark Mendloue w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thappr<sup>te</sup>ñc℄ therevnto belonging w<sup>th</sup> all his Right Title and Interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery pte ℄ pcell thereof w<sup>th</sup> the fenceing in ℄ about the same To haue and to hold the said house and lands w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñc℄ vnto the said Richard Willis his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Richard Willis his heires and assignes foreü.

John Barnes vndertaketh ℄ p<sup>r</sup>miseth w<sup>th</sup> the said Richard Willis for the said payment℄ to pay them to the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis or to whom hee shall assigne them to be payd at the tymes they shall growe due and payable /

The xxvj<sup>th</sup> of Octob<sup>r</sup> 1640.

**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> That Mathew ffuller doth acknowledg That for ℄ in consideration of a cow calfe and two goats to him in hand payde by Andrew Ringe of Plymouth hath freely ℄ absolutely bargained ℄ sould vnto the said Andrew Ringe All that his garden place in Ply<sup>m</sup> aforesaid and the six acres of land therevnto belonging lying in the New feild w<sup>ch</sup> the said Mathew lately bought of John Gregory and all the fence in and about the p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñc℄ and all the tymber lying at the garden place and vpon the said land℄ made ready toward℄ the buildinge of a house To haue and to hold the said garden place ℄ the six acres of vpland℄ fence and Tymber w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler the app<sup>r</sup>teñc℄ therevnto belonging vnto the said Andrew Ring his heires ℄ Assignes for euer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Andrew Ringe his heires and As<sup>s</sup>s for eucr /

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\*BRADFORD Goü 1640.

xvj<sup>th</sup> K: Charles.

The xxvij<sup>th</sup> Nouemb<sup>r</sup> 1640.

**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> That Marke Mendloue doth acknowledg that for ℄ in consideration of the sum of twelue pound℄ to him in hand payd by John Barnes of Plymouth hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the s<sup>d</sup> John Barnes All that his house and land℄ lying at the fishing



poynt vpon the Eele Riuer w<sup>th</sup> the fence about the land℄ and the board℄ ℄ poles about the house w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>ñces therevnto belonginge and all his Right Title and Interrest into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss ℄ euery pte ℄ pcell thereof with their app<sup>r</sup>teñces To haue and to hold the said house and lands fenc board℄ ℄ poles and all ℄ singuler the p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñ℄ vnto the said John Barnes his heires and Assignes for eū to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said John Barnes his heires ℄ Ass<sup>g</sup>s for euer.

The first day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1640.

**M**EMORAN<sup>ḽ</sup> That Henry Cob doth acknowledg that for ℄ in consid<sup>r</sup>ation of the sume of twenty pound℄ ster<sup>t</sup> one cowe and two goates to him in hand payd by Manaseth Kempton of Plym<sup>ḽ</sup> hath freely ℄ absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Manaseth Kempton All that his house in Scituate outhouses garden place w<sup>th</sup> twelue acres of vpland be it more or lesse w<sup>th</sup> the pcell of meddow lying before the said house ℄ fourescore acres of vpland falling in the fourth lott abutting on the North Riuer w<sup>th</sup> a pcell of Marsh Meddow therevnto belonging containeing about twelue acres be it more or lesse w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ℄ to the said p<sup>r</sup>misss or any pt of them belonging and all his right title and Interrest of ℄ into the same ℄ euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said house garden place outhouses vpland ℄ meddowes w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ℄ therevnto belonging vnto the said Manaseth Kempton his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Manaseth Kempton his heires and Assignes for euer.

\* BRADFORD Goff      1640.      xvj<sup>th</sup> K: Ch:

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The xxiiij<sup>th</sup> Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1640.

**M**EMORAN<sup>ḽ</sup> That Anthony Snowe doth acknowledg that for ℄ in consid<sup>r</sup>ation of the sume of sixteene pound℄ ℄ tenn shillings ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd by John Jenkyne in manner and form following That is to say five pound℄ tenn shillings the first of October next and five pound℄ tenn shillings that tyme twelue months after and thother five pound℄ tenn shillings the said first of October the next yeare following thother all which paym<sup>nt</sup>℄ are to be made in money Corne or cattell The said Anthony Snow hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said John Jenkin All that his house and eight acres of land lying at Hobbs hole on the South side of Willingsly Brooke w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the p<sup>r</sup>misss therevnto belonging To

haue and to hold the said house and lands and all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said John Jenkine his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper vse ℓ behoofe of him the said John Jenkine his heires and Assignes for euer.

The xxxj<sup>th</sup> Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1640.

**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Comfort Starr doth acknowledg that for and in consideraçõn of the sume of sixteene poundℓ sterℓ to him in hand payd by John Maynard hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said John Maynard All that lot of vpland lying on Duxborrow side betwixt the lands of M<sup>r</sup> Wilkm Kemp on the South side and Georg Partrich on the North side w<sup>th</sup> the two acres of meddow lying in the marsh at the East end of the said lott (w<sup>th</sup> landℓ were lately purchased of Thomas Morton) and all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ thereto belonging and all his right Title and Interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery pt ℓ pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said lott of vpland w<sup>th</sup> the two acres of Marsh Meddow and all ℓ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto beloingng vnto the said John Maynard his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper use ℓ behoofe of him the said John Maynard his heires and Assignes for eũ.

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\*BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup>.

A deed acknowledged in Court the first of December and appoynted to be enrouled. as followeth vizs.

**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>nts That I John Lothrope Pastor of the Church of Barnestable in America for and in consideraçõn of the sume of fourescore pounds of good and lawfull money of England by me receiued haue giuen ℓ graunted and by these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ do giue graunt bargain and sell vnto Tymothy Hatherley of Scituate gen<sup>t</sup> one dwelling house together w<sup>th</sup> barne and outhouses therto belonging together w<sup>th</sup> all such lands both vplands ℓ Marsh grounds as therto belong lying and being nigh to the first hering brooke about a quarter of a mile more or lesse eastward therefrom in Scituate afore-said the vpland lying and bounding on this manner towards the lands of M<sup>r</sup> Checkett on the West towards the lands of John Hewes and the heigh way on the South towards the Coffion and the lands of John Winter ℓ John Emerson on the North towards the Lands of Humfrey Turner on the East being pted by a little Creeke The Marsh ground containeing twenty acres

more or lesse part whereof is an Island bounding towards the land℄ of Mr Checkett on the West Toward℄ the lands of Mr Tilden ℄ Humfrey Turner on the East towards the heigh way on the North Toward℄ the North Riuer compassing an Iland part thereof on the South To haue and to hold the said house vpland Marsh ground w<sup>th</sup> all app<sup>r</sup>teñc℄ thereto belonging to him ℄ his heires foreu Mooreoñ I haue for and in consideraçõn of the aforesaid sume receiued giuen graunted bargained ℄ sould vnto thaboue named Tymothy Hatherley my great lott containeing an hundred acres of ground lying vp the Riuer not farr from Scituate together w<sup>th</sup> my diuident of Marsh ground thereto belonging To haue and to hold the said vpland ℄ Marsh ground to him ℄ his heires foreu<sup>r</sup> And I do by these p<sup>r</sup>nt℄ giue power to the said Tymothy Hatherley by himself or his Assignes to enroule or pcure to be enrowled the title ℄ tenor of the forenamed land℄ to himself and his heires foreu<sup>r</sup> in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court of Plymouth in America before the Right Wor<sup>d</sup>: the Gou<sup>r</sup> and Assistant℄ according to the order of Court and vsuall course of euedence in that case p<sup>r</sup>uided In Witnes of the p<sup>r</sup>misss I haue set to my hand and seale this first day of November 1640 in the xv<sup>th</sup> yeare of our Souaigne Lord Charles of great Brittainne ffrance ℄ Ireland Kinge.

JOHN LOTHROPE



Witnessed by me

Joseph Hull ℄

Richard ffoxwell.

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>.

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A Deed acknowledgẽ in the Court the first of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1640 and appoynted to be enroulled as followeth viz<sup>s</sup>.

**K** NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>nt℄ That I Tymothy Hatherley of the Plantaçõn of Scituate in America gen<sup>t</sup> for and in consideraçõn of the suñ of threescore pound℄ of good and lawfull money of England by me receiued haue giuen ℄ graunted and by these p<sup>r</sup>nt℄ do giue graunt bargaine and sell vnto Christopher Blakewood of Scituate planter one dwelling house together w<sup>th</sup> Barne and outhouses thereto belonging together w<sup>th</sup> all such lands both vpland℄ and Marsh grounds as therto belong lying and being nye to the first hering brooke about a quarter of a mile more or lesse eastward therefrom in Scituate aforesaid The vpland lying and bounding on this manner toward the lands of Mr Checkett on the west toward℄ the lands of John Hewes

and the heigh way on the South toward℄ the Coffon and the lands of John Winter and John Emerson on the North toward℄ the lands of Humfrey Turner on the East being parted by a little Creeke The Marsh ground containeing twenty acres more or lesse part whereof is an Island bounding towards the lands of M<sup>r</sup> Tilden and Humphrey Turner on the East towards the land℄ of M<sup>r</sup> Checkett on the West toward℄ the heigh way on the north towards the hering brooke compassing an Island part thereof on the South To haue hold occupie and enjoy the said house vpland and Marsh ground w<sup>th</sup> all thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℄ thereto belonging to him and his heires for euer Mooreoũ I haue for and in consid- eraçõn of the aforesaid sūme receiued, giuen graunted bargained ℄ sould vnto thaboue named Christopher Blackwood my great lott containeing an hundred acres of ground lying vp the Riuer not farr from Scituate together w<sup>th</sup> my Diudent of Marsh ground thereto belonging To haue and to hold the said vpland and marsh ground to him and his heires foreũ and I do by these p<sup>r</sup>nt℄ giue power to the said Christopher Blackwood by himself or his As- signes to enroule or p<sup>c</sup>ure to be enrouled the title and tenure of the fore- named land℄ to himself and his heires foreũ in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court of Newe Plymouth in America before the Right Wor<sup>sh</sup>: the Goũnor ℄ Assistant℄ accord- ing to the order of Court and vsuall course of Euedence in that case p<sup>r</sup>uided In witnesse of the p<sup>r</sup>misss I the aboue named Tymothy Hatherley haue set to my hand ℄ Seale this xxiiij<sup>th</sup> day of November in the 15<sup>th</sup> yeare of the Raigne of our Soũaigne Lord Charles of Great Brittainne ffrance ℄ Ireland Kinge ℄.

Witnesse

Edward ffoster

Edmond Eddenden

TYMOTHY

HATHERLEY



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\*BRADFORD Go<sup>r</sup> 1640.

The fiteene day of January 1640.

**M**EMORAND<sup>ũ</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Hill doth acknowledg to for and in consideraçõn of the sūme of twenty pound℄ ster℄ to him iu hand payd by John Barnes of Plym̄ hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said John Barnes All that his house ℄ garden and land℄ therevnto belonginge lying on the North side Wellingsly brooke w<sup>th</sup> the fence in ℄ about the same and all ℄ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℄ therevnto belonging and all his right title ℄ interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery pt ℄ p<sup>c</sup>ell thereof To haue ℄ to hold the house garden and land℄ w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñc℄ vnto the said John Barnes his heires and Assignes for eũ to the onely p<sup>r</sup>per use and behoofe of

him the said John Barnes his heires and Assignes for euer. And also fifty apple trees five and twenty whereof are to be first chosen by the s<sup>d</sup> John Barnes out of all the trees that the said Tho<sup>m</sup> Hill hath now vsold and thother xxv<sup>tie</sup> are to be chosen first John Barnes one and the s<sup>d</sup> Tho<sup>m</sup> Hill another of those that are left, and those that M<sup>r</sup> Hill shall haue afterward<sup>l</sup> remayneing to be taken away by the first day of M<sup>a</sup>y next.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the tenth day of february 1640 That John Barnes doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of eighteene pound<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>l</sup> to be payd him by Wil<sup>m</sup> Baker in money goods Corne or cattell as they will passe from man to man in manner and forme following, that is to say six pound<sup>l</sup> the tenth day of februa<sup>r</sup> next following six pound<sup>l</sup> the tenth day of febr<sup>y</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> shalbe in the yeare of our Lord one thousand six hundred fourty and two and thother six pound<sup>l</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> shalbe in the yeare of our Lord one thousand six hundred fourty <sup>l</sup> three Hath freely <sup>l</sup> absolutely bargained <sup>l</sup> sold vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Baker all that his house <sup>l</sup> land <sup>l</sup> fence aboute the same scituate at the Eele Riuer <sup>l</sup> lately purchased of Marke Mendloue w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging and all his right title and interest of <sup>l</sup> into the same <sup>l</sup> euery pt <sup>l</sup> p<sup>cell</sup> thereof To haue and to hold the said house and land<sup>l</sup> <sup>l</sup> all <sup>l</sup> singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Baker his heires <sup>l</sup> Assignes fore<sup>u</sup> to the onely p<sup>per</sup> use <sup>l</sup> behoofe of him the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Baker his heires <sup>l</sup> Assignes for e<sup>u</sup>.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the thirteenth day of february 1640 That Richard Willis doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of eighteene pound<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>l</sup> to be payd in money corne or cattell by Georg<sup>e</sup> Bonume in manner <sup>l</sup> forme following, that is to say six pounds in December next ensuing, eight pounds that tyme twelue months after, and thother foure pounds in Decemb<sup>r</sup> in the yeare of our Lord one thousand six hundred fourty and three, All w<sup>ch</sup> payment<sup>l</sup> are to be made at the se<sup>u</sup>all days in money corne or cattell as they will then passe from man to man The said Richard Willis hath freely <sup>l</sup> absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Georg Bonume all that his house and lands lying at the fishing poynt vpon the Eele Riuer, w<sup>th</sup> the fenceing about the same, <sup>l</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging w<sup>th</sup> all his right title <sup>l</sup> interest of <sup>l</sup> into the same <sup>l</sup> euery part thereof w<sup>ch</sup> said house and land<sup>l</sup> the said Richard Willis lately purchased of Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis To haue and to hold the house <sup>l</sup> land<sup>l</sup> w<sup>th</sup> all <sup>l</sup> euery their app<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging

This Debt was paid by Gorge Bonham to John Barns as the assigne of Richard Willis and is Cleared by an aquittance vnder the said John Barns his hand dated the 16<sup>th</sup> of aprell 1649 which is also entered in this book.

vnto the said George Bonu<sup>m</sup>e his heires & Assignes for euer to the onely pp use & behoofe of him the said George Bonu<sup>m</sup> his heires & Assignes for euer./

It is also agreed vpon betweene the said pties that the said Richard Willis shall set half the ground this yeare rent free if he please./

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\*A deede acknowledged in the Court the 3<sup>d</sup> of March 1640 and appoynted to be recorded as followeth viz<sup>s</sup>.

**B**E it knowne vnto all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sent<sup>l</sup> That I Tymothy Hatherley Planter of Scituate in the Pattent of New Plymouth in America for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup>e of Twenty and eight pounds by me receiued Haue giuen & graunted and by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> doe giue graunt bargaine and sell vnto Thomas Ensigne Planter of Scituate in America as aforesaid All such lands both vpland & marsh grounds thereto belonging co<sup>m</sup>only called the first Cliff lying and being in Scituate aforesaid which in Estima<sup>o</sup>n is eigheteene acres of vpland and twenty acres of Marsh grounds more or lesse there it is to be had It lying and bounding to the mayne Sea to the East to the harbours mouth to the north and nor west to the mayne Channell where vessells ordinary come into the west and southwest to the lands of Thomas Tart to the south there the marsh goes half way to his ground co<sup>m</sup>only called the second cliff w<sup>ch</sup> lands so bounding as aforesaid and lying by it self it is almost an Iland All w<sup>ch</sup> lands both vplands and marsh grounds w<sup>th</sup> all the Tymber or tymber trees w<sup>th</sup> thapp<sup>r</sup>tences thereto belonging to the aforesaid Thomas Ensigne To haue and to hold to him and his heires foreuer And I doe by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> giue and graunt power vnto the said Thomas Ensigne himself or his Assignes to enroule the Title and tenure of the said land<sup>l</sup> to himself & his heires foreuer in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court of Plymouth in America before the Right Wor<sup>sh</sup> the Go<sup>v</sup>nor and Assistant<sup>l</sup> according vnto the Order of Court & vsuall course of euedence in that case provided In witnesse of the p<sup>r</sup>misses I haue set to my hand and seale In Scituate dated the xxij<sup>th</sup> of January 1640 in the sixteenth yeare of the Raigne of o<sup>r</sup> So<sup>v</sup>aigne Lord Charles of great Brittainne ffrance & Ireland Kinge &c.

Signed sealed & deli<sup>u</sup>edin the p<sup>r</sup>sence of

Sam: Poole

Richard Sillis

TYMOTHY HATHERLY  
SUSAN HATHERLY.

\*A deed acknowledged in the Court the third March 1640  
and appoynted to be recorded as followeth viz<sup>s</sup>.

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**K** NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> That I John Lathrope of Barnestable in the<sup>e</sup> Corpora<sup>o</sup>n of New Plymouth in America Mi<sup>n</sup>st<sup>r</sup>er for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of foureteene pounds of good and lawfull money of England by me in hand receiued Haue giuen & graunted and by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> do giue graunt bargaine and sell vnto Richard Scillis of Situate in the Corpora<sup>o</sup>n of New Plymouth aforesaid Planter one dwelling house together w<sup>th</sup> one out house thereto belonging together w<sup>th</sup> f<sup>ve</sup> acres of land more or lesse therevnto adjoyneing the w<sup>ch</sup> land lyeth and is bounded on this manner towards the East w<sup>th</sup> the Common foote path from the stony brook to the Harbours mouth on the north w<sup>th</sup> the land of Eglie Hanford on the west w<sup>th</sup> a certaine lane extending northward into the woods from the Stony brookwards and on the South w<sup>th</sup> the lands of Thomas Ensigne To haue and to hold the said houses w<sup>th</sup> the lands therevnto adjoyneing w<sup>th</sup> all thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>c<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging to him and his heires foreuer And I do by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> giue power to the said Richard Sillis by himself or his Assignes to enroule or p<sup>u</sup>cure to be enrolled the Title and tenure of the said lands to himself and his heires fore<sup>u</sup> in his Ma<sup>t</sup>ies Court of Plymouth in America before the Right Wor<sup>ll</sup> the Go<sup>u</sup>nor and Assistant<sup>l</sup> according to the order of Court and vsuall Course of Euedence in that case p<sup>u</sup>ided In w<sup>i</sup>tesse of the p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> I haue set to my hand & seale the twenty eight day of December 1640 In the xvj<sup>th</sup> yeare of o<sup>r</sup> Sou<sup>u</sup>aigne Lord Charles of Great Brittain<sup>e</sup> ffrance and Ireland Kinge. ℞  
Signed sealed & deliued

in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of vs.

John Cooper

Henry Cobb

Isaack Robinson

JOHN LOTHROPE his

Seale



A deed acknowledged in the Court the third of March 1640  
& appoynted to be recorded as followeth viz<sup>s</sup>.

**K** NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> That I Tymothy Hatherley of Scituate in the Corpora<sup>o</sup>n of New Plymouth in America doe giue vnto Eglie Hanford of Scituate aforesaid f<sup>ve</sup> acres of land more or lesse to her & her heires fore<sup>u</sup> w<sup>th</sup> land lyeth in Scituate on the north side of the Stony Brooke the third lott from the brooke bounded on the East end w<sup>th</sup> the Co<sup>m</sup>on path that runneth from the brooke to the harbours mouth on the South w<sup>th</sup> the

land of Richard Sillis and on the west w<sup>th</sup> a co<sup>m</sup>on drift path or lane running almost north and South and on the North w<sup>th</sup> the land of Gowen White And I doe giue power by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> to the said Egline Hanford by herself or her Assignes to enroll or p<sup>u</sup>cure to be enrolled the title and tenure of the said lands to her self and her heires foreuer in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court of Plymouth in America before the Right Wor<sup>ll</sup> the Go<sup>u</sup> and Assistant<sup>l</sup> according to the order of Court and usuall Course of euidence in that case p<sup>u</sup>ided In witnesse whereof I Tymothy Hatherley haue set to my hand and Seale the twenty fourth day of february 1640 in the xvj<sup>th</sup> yeare of our Sou<sup>er</sup>aigne Lord Charles of Great Brittain<sup>e</sup> ffrance and Ireland Kinge 4<sup>e</sup>.

This land was giuen to the said Egline Hanford the xxvij<sup>th</sup> day of Septemb<sup>r</sup> in the yeare An<sup>o</sup> D<sup>ni</sup> 1634.

Sealed & deli<sup>u</sup>id in the  
p<sup>r</sup>sence of  
Edward Holman

p me TYMOTHY  
HATHERLEY



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\* BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup> 1641.

At a ge<sup>n</sup>all Townes meeting holden by the Inhabitant<sup>l</sup> of the Towne of Duxborrow vpon the seauenth day of Novemb<sup>r</sup> in the yeare of o<sup>r</sup> Lord God 1639 for the makeing of such lawes and orders as should be thought good and beneficiall for the said Towne of Duxborrow, It was agreed as followeth. viz<sup>s</sup>.

**I**MPRIMIS It is couenanted and agreed of betweene Georg Pollard late inhabitant of the Towne of Stokeclere in the Realme of England yeoman and Will<sup>m</sup> Hiller of the Towne of New Ply<sup>m</sup> Carpenter of the one p<sup>t</sup>e and the Inhabitant<sup>l</sup> of the Towne of Duxborrow of the other p<sup>t</sup>e in manner following To witt the said George Pollard and Will<sup>m</sup> Hiller is at their owne p<sup>p</sup>er cost and charges to build frame and set vp one sufficient water Milne to grind Corne on both English & Indian, w<sup>th</sup>in the terme of one whole yeare next after the date hereof As also stampers to beate Indian Corne at, as speedyly as possibly they cann. And that they parties aforesaid are to build the said Milne and Stampers vpon a certaine brooke co<sup>m</sup>only called or knowne by the name of Stony brooke lying by the house of Phillip Delanoy In considera<sup>o</sup>n whereof we the Inhabitants of the Towne of Duxborrow do bynd our selues to the aboue said p<sup>t</sup>ies as followeth.

Imp<sup>r</sup>is That no other Millne shalbe set up or erected w<sup>th</sup>in our Towne



limmits alwayes prouided that the foresaid pties at their Millne be able well & sufficiently to grind all the Corne of thaforesaid Inhabitant℄ of the Towne of Duxborrow in tyme conveyent.

2<sup>ly</sup> Wee the Inhabitant℄ of the Towne of Duxborrow do promise to vse all our best endeavours to procure all the Common lands that lyeth vpon the north side of the said brooke vndisposed of next to the place where the said Milne shall stand, as also that meddow land that lyeth next to yt.

3<sup>ly</sup> Wee the Inhabitant℄ aforesaid do promise to do our best endeavours to procure the land℄ of John Irish and Henry Wallis, and to procure them land℄ elsewhere in exchange or otherwise, but if the said parties will not so exchange, that then the said Georg Pollerd and Wilłm Hiller may if they can procure the said lands either by purchase or otherwise of the owners thereof That wee the said Inhabits do promise to giue vnto the said parties the sum of six pounds towards the purchase of the same.

4<sup>ly</sup> Wee promise to help the said Georg Pollerd & Wilłm Hiller to land both meddow and arrable in some place further of from the Towne of Duxborrow for their use, when their stocks of cattell shall require the same, as we shall allow to other of our townes men and neighbours.

And also that the said pties are to take a pottle of Corne for grinding euery bushell that shall be brought vnto them and no more.

further and lastly It is couenanted graunted and agreed vpon betwixt the Inhabitant℄ of the Towne of Duxborrow and pties aboue said That the said Georg Pollard & Wilłm Hiller shall haue hold occupie use & ymploy the said Milne, together w<sup>th</sup> all and euery the sefall p<sup>r</sup>uiledges prorogatiues benefits immunities and app<sup>r</sup>teñces whatsoever before specified in this p<sup>r</sup>sent writing To haue and to hold the same to them their heires execut<sup>r</sup>℄ and Assignes foreu Dated the seauenth day of Novemb<sup>r</sup> in the fifteenth yeare of the now Raigne of King Charles King of England Scotland ffranc̄ & Ireland Defendor of the fayth &c Anno Dñi 1639.

Subscribed by

W<sup>m</sup> COLLIER

JONATHAN BREWSTER

CHRISTOPHER WADDESWORTH

MILES STANDISH.

Recorded the xj<sup>th</sup> }  
June 1641. }

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\*BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup> 1641.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> the xj<sup>th</sup> of June 1641 That John Irish doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the dwelling house wherein Wil<sup>m</sup> Hiller now dwelleth in Duxborrow and the meadstead or garden adjoyneing w<sup>th</sup> the fruit<sup>l</sup> thereon now groweing hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hiller & George Pollerd of Duxborrow mi<sup>n</sup>ers all those tenn acres of vpland lying on the north side of Stony brooke and on the East side of the lands of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> and George w<sup>th</sup> two acres of Marsh meddow adjoyneing to the said vpland w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging and all his right title & interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misses and euery pt and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said Tenn acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> the said two acres of marsh meddow w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging vnto the said William Hiller and Georg Pollerd their heires and Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of them the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hiller and Georg Pollerd their heires and Assignes for euer.

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\*BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup> 1641.The viij<sup>th</sup> Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1641.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Andrew Hellott doth acknowledg That in considera<sup>o</sup>n of a Debt of fwe pounds & foure shillings he now oweth vnto M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Paddy and twenty nine shillings he also oweth vnto M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury and that hee is now going into England and is not able to pay them hath freely & absolutely assigned mortgaged and made ouer vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Paddy and Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury all that his farme in Barnestable w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging and all his Right title and interest of and into the same and euery pt and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said Land<sup>l</sup> & p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> vnto them the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Paddy and Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury their heires and Assignes for euer and to the onely p<sup>p</sup> use and behoofe of the said W<sup>m</sup> Paddy and Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury their heires and Assignes for euer. Prouided alwayes That if the said Andrew Hellott shall satisfye and pay or cause to be satisfyed and payd vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Paddy and Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury their se<sup>i</sup>all Debt<sup>l</sup> abouesaid within the space of one whole yeare next after the date hereof that then the bargaine and sale aboues<sup>i</sup>d to be voyde or els to remaine in full strengh & vertue as aforesaid.

The x<sup>th</sup> of Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1641.

**M**EMORAN<sup>ḏ</sup> That Edmond Hawes of Duxborrow doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>ḃ</sup>on of the su<sup>m</sup> of two thousand foote of sawne boards to be deli<sup>ḃ</sup>ed and payd him by Robert Caruer of the same Sawyer Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Robert Caruer all those his Tenn acres of vpland lyinge crosse Greens Harbor payth w<sup>th</sup> all his labours in  $\ell$  aboute the same w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ $\ell$  therevnto belonging and all his Right Title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s To haue and to hold the said Tenn acres of vpland $\ell$  w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ $\ell$  therevnto belonging vnto the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Caruer his heires and Assignes for euer and to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of him the said Robert Caruer his heires and assignes for euer.

This bargan is reversed by consent of both partis in June the 7<sup>th</sup> 1648.

\*BRADFORD GO<sup>ḃ</sup> 1641.

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The xvj<sup>th</sup> of Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1641.

**M**EMORAN<sup>ḏ</sup> That John Allen of Ply<sup>m</sup> Planter doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>ḃ</sup>on of the su<sup>m</sup> of twenty pounds to be payd by Ezra Covell in manner and forme following viz<sup>s</sup>. twenty shillings in hand foure pounds the xvj<sup>th</sup> of December next five pounds that tyme twelue months five pounds the xvj<sup>th</sup> of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1643 and thother five pounds 1644 or asoone as Corne shalbe merchantable in any of the said yeares Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Ezra Covell All that his dwelling house and buildings therevnto belonging w<sup>th</sup> all those his tenn acres of lands where his house is and at Woebury playne w<sup>th</sup> all the fenceing in and about the same and all his Right Title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s and euery pt  $\ell$  p<sup>c</sup>ell thereof To haue and to hold the said house houseing and tenn acres of vpland $\ell$  w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ $\ell$  therevnto belonging vnto the said Ezra Covell his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely p<sup>p</sup> v<sup>s</sup>e and behoofe of him the said Ezra Covell his heires and Assignes for euer Provided alwayes that if the Ezra Couell shall fayle in any of the said payment $\ell$  That then it shalbe lawfull for the said John Allen to enter into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s and the same to haue againe vntill the said payment $\ell$  shalbe fully satisfied  $\ell$  payd And it is agreed betwixt the said pties that the said payment $\ell$  shalbe made in Corne when it is m<sup>ḃ</sup>chantable or any kynd of Cattell (except goates) to be apprised by two men chosen by either p<sup>t</sup>e.

The xxvj<sup>th</sup> day of May 1641.

**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> That whereas Thomas Morris of Seacunck by the Name of Thomas Morris of New Hauen in America by his deede beareing date the xxvj<sup>th</sup> Nouember 1640 hath freely and absolutely sold vnto Edward Cope of Prouidence all that his house and lands in Seacunck w<sup>th</sup> all other accommoda<sup>õ</sup>ns that either are or shalbe layd therevnto w<sup>th</sup> all his right and title of and into the same and hath also sold vnto the said Edward Cope one great chest and a nest of boxes and all his clapboard bolts and wood that is felled there as by the said deed or writing it doth more playnly appeare Now the said Edward Cope by ffrancis Weeks his Attorney & Ire vnder his hand doth acknowledg that for & in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of eight melch goates to him in hand payd hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto M<sup>r</sup> Willm Bradford the said house & lands w<sup>th</sup> all thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging and all his right title & interest therein together w<sup>th</sup> the said Chest nest of boxes clapboard bolts and wood that is felled To haue and to hold the said house and land & and p<sup>r</sup>misses w<sup>th</sup> all & euery their appurtenances vnto the said Willm Bradford his heires and assignes foreü to the onely p<sup>r</sup>per use and behoofe of him the said Willm Bradford his heires and Asss foreü & c.

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\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>. 1641.

The xxvij<sup>th</sup> octob<sup>r</sup> 1641.

**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Wallis merchant doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of the sum of thirteene pound & to him in hand payd and twenty foure pounds and tenn shillings vnder taken to be payd for him to John Barnes wherew<sup>th</sup> he is fully satisfyed and payd Hath freely and absolutely sold vnto M<sup>r</sup> William Bradford All that his Dwelling house & gardens one lying to the house another next to M<sup>r</sup> John Done w<sup>th</sup> the out houses and seauen acres of vpland thereto belonging and two acres of marsh meddow lying at the Wood Iland w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc & therevnto belonging and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery pt & pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house & gardens outhouses seaven acres of vpland and the two acres of marsh meddow w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc & therevnto belonging vnto the said Willm Bradford his heires and Asss for eü to the onely p<sup>r</sup>per use and behoofe of him the said William Bradford his heires and Assignes for euer.

All which payments were duly made & fully satisfied.

**T**HE which dwelling house & garden with all y<sup>e</sup> appurtenances together with y<sup>e</sup> seuen Acres of vpland, and the .2. Acres of meadow, aboue mentioned ; bought of m<sup>r</sup> Thomas Wallis marchant as abouesaid. I William Bradford doe freely giue vnto my sone in law Thomas Southworth ; to haue & to hold, to him, & his heirs for euer ; and doe by these presents giue & make ouer my full right & title therto vnto him his heires & assignes for euer, to his & their proper vse and behoöfe, and doe hereby put him in possession of y<sup>e</sup> same, and doe wholly quite all claime, or title therto from me and mine for euer. In witnes wherof I haue put to my hand according to y<sup>e</sup> day & year aboue written.

WILLIAM BRADFORD.

The xij<sup>th</sup> of January 1641.

**M**EMORANÐ That Jonathan Brewster doth acknowledg That for and in consideraçon of the sum of three score pounds to him in hand payd and secured to be payd by Roöte Barker John Barker Thomas Howell and Raph Chapman Hath freely & absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said Roöte Barker John Barker Thomas Howell and Raph Chapman All that his farme lying at the North Riuer containeing one hundred acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> the meddowing belonging vnto it lying on the said North and South Riuers w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñç therevnto belonging and also the fferry and fferry boat & w<sup>th</sup> all thinges therevnto belonging and all his Right title and Interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery part & pcell thereof together w<sup>th</sup> the fferry house and all the fenceing in and vpon the said lands w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñç. To haue and to hold the said vpland & meddow land & fferry house & fferry boat & w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñç therevnto belöinge vnto them the said Roöte Barker John Barker Thomas Howell and Raph Chapman and euery of them their heires and Assignes for eü and to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use & behoöfe of them the said Roöte Barker John Barker Thomas Howell & Raph Chapman their heires and Assignes for euer/

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The xxiiij<sup>th</sup> March 1641.

**M**EMORANÐ That Thomas Cushman doth acknowledg that for and in consideraçon of the sum of tenn pound & sterl to be payd by Thomas Lettis in manner and forme following That is to say fise pound & at <sup>^</sup> before the xx<sup>th</sup> day of August next in money or cattell and thother fise pound & *and thother fise pound* & at or before the first day of Aprill next ensuing the

foresaid payment in Corne or cattell Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Thomas Lettis All that house & garden and seaven acres of land therevnto belonging scituate in Plym wherein Mr Andrew Hellott lately liued *in w<sup>th</sup>* all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging and all his Right title and interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s and euery pt ℓ pcell thereof To haue and to hold the house & garden and seaven acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said Thomas Lettis his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Thomas Lettis his heires and Assignes for eū. Prouided alwayes that the said house & landℓ shall remayne as securytie in case the said Thomas Lettis doe fayle in payment at the dayes & tymes aforeśd.

all which payments are fully made and duly Satisfied.

The xxvij<sup>th</sup> March 1642.

**M**EMORANĎ That ffrancis Sprague doth acknowledg that for and in consideraċōn of the suḡm̄ of three poundℓ to him payd & to be payd by Morris Truant hath freely and absolutely bargained & sold vnto the said Morris Truant two acres of Marsh meddow lying at the Wood Iland betwixt the lands of Richard Sparrow and Steephen Tracy w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging and all his Right title & interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ To haue and to hold the said two acres of marsh meddow w<sup>th</sup> the app<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said Morris Truant his heires and Assignes for eū to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Morris Truant his heires & Assignes foreu<sup>r</sup>.

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\*BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup> 1642.

The fift of Aprill 1642.

**M**EMORANĎ That Mr John Combe doth acknowledg That for & in consideraċōn of the suḡm̄ of fourty shillinges whereof vj bushells of Rye at 3<sup>s</sup> 6<sup>d</sup> p bushell is payd in hand and the remaynder to be paid in July next hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto Mr Thomas Prence all those his two acres of Marsh meddow lying before the house of the said Thom̄ Prence at Joanes Riuer next to the Marsh meddow of Phineas Pratt w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging and all his Right title & Interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s & euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said two acres of Ma<sup>r</sup>sh meddow w<sup>th</sup> all thapp<sup>r</sup>tencℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said Thomas Prence his heires and Assignes foreū to the onely pp use & behoofe of him the said Thomas Prence his heires & As̄s foreū.

The vij<sup>th</sup> Aprill 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Robt<sup>e</sup> Hicks doth acknowledg That for ℓ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of foure pounds ℓ eight shillings to be payd him by M<sup>r</sup> William Bradford the last day of May next in Corne or any sort of cattell as two men shall rate them hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford two acres of marsh Meddow lying at the heigh Pines next to the marsh meddow of Constant Southworth w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the app<sup>r</sup>teñçℓ therevnto belonging and all his right title ℓ interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> ℓ euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said two acres of Marsh meddow w<sup>th</sup> the ap<sup>r</sup>teñçℓ vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford his heires ℓ Assignes for eū to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford his heires and Assignes for euer.

ROBERT HICKS.

The vii<sup>th</sup> April 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> John Done doth acknowledg That for ℓ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of four goats payd him by M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford and all his right title and interest of and into a garden place in Ply<sup>m</sup> lying next to the garden of the said John Done the said John Done hath freely ℓ absolutely exchaunged bargained and sold vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford all those his three acres of Marsh ground or meddow lying at Joanes Riuer next to the landℓ of Nicholas Snow w<sup>th</sup> was bought of Thomas Willet w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler the thapp<sup>r</sup>teñçℓ therevnto belonging and all his Right title ℓ interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> and euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said three acres of marsh ground or meddow w<sup>th</sup> thapp<sup>r</sup>tñçℓ vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford his heires ℓ As<sup>s</sup>s for eū to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse ℓ behoofe of him the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford his heires and Assignes for euer.

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup> 1642.

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The xvij<sup>th</sup> day of April 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Raph Smyth doth acknowledg that for ℓ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of six score pounds to him in hand payd by m<sup>r</sup> John Done wherew<sup>th</sup> he doth acknowledg himself fully satisfied and payd hath freely ℓ absolutely bargained and sould vnto the said John Done (Agent for the church of Plymouth) All that his house and buildings and garden plotts therevnto adjoyneing scituate in Plymouth together w<sup>th</sup> the six acres

of vpland lying in the new feild w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ to the said p<sup>r</sup>misss belonging and euery of them and all his right title and interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said house buildings and garden plotts together w<sup>th</sup> the six acres of vpland and all ℓ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ to the said p<sup>r</sup>misss belonging vnto the said John Done his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>per</sup> use and behoofe of him the said John Done his heires and assignes for euer./

Granted to Mr  
Reyner, p. 154.

The vij<sup>th</sup> May 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That Mr Robert Hicks doth acknowledg That for ℓ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of seaven pounds to be payd him by Wil<sup>m</sup> Brett of Duxborrow hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Brett seauen acres of vpland lying at Iland Creek in the noock towards the Sea next to the lands of m<sup>rs</sup> Elizabeth Kemp as it is now set forth w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>tencℓ therevnto belonging and all his Right title and interest of and into the same To haue and to hold the said seauen acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Brett his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely p<sup>per</sup> use and behoofe of him the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Brett his heires ℓ Assignes for euer./

The xxij<sup>th</sup> of June 1643 This land being almost fenced about the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Brett hath sould vnto M<sup>r</sup> Raph Partrich of Duxborrow for xij<sup>l</sup> in hand payd ℓ all his right title and Interrest of ℓ into the same w<sup>th</sup> thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces To haue ℓ to hold to the said Raph Partrich his heires and assignes for e<sup>u</sup> and to their onely p<sup>per</sup> use ℓ behoofe for ever.

The vij<sup>th</sup> May 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Robert Hicks doth acknowledg That for ℓ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of vj<sup>l</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> to be payd him by m<sup>r</sup> John Reynor hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said John Reynor three acres of marsh meddow lying at the heigh Pynes next the landℓ of w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging and all his right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss To haue and to hold the said three acres of marsh meddow w<sup>th</sup> thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ vnto the said John Reynor his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>per</sup> use and behoofe of him the said John Reynor his heires and Assignes fore<sup>u</sup>.

ROBERT HICKES.



\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup> 1642.

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The vij<sup>th</sup> May 1642.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Josuah Pratt doth acknowledg that for £ in consideration of the sum of fourty shillings to him in hand payd by Edward Dotey hath freely £ absolutely bargained and sold vnto Edward Dotey one acre of vpland lying at the heigh Cliff betwixt the land of Phineas Pratt £ John Shawe and all his right title £ interrest therevnto To haue and to hold the said acree of land vnto the said Edward Dotey his heires £ Assignes foreuer to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Edward Dotey his heires £ assignes foreuer.

The vij<sup>th</sup> May 1642.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Josuah Pratt doth acknowledg That for £ in consideration of the sum of twelue bushells of Corne to him in hand payd hath freely £ absolutely bargained and sold vnto Josias Cooke all those his two acres of Marsh Meddow lying at the wood Iland betwixt the land of Georg Soul in the north £ m<sup>rs</sup> fuller in the South and all £ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc thereto belonging and all his right title £ interrest of £ into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss To haue and to hold the said two acres of marsh meddow w<sup>th</sup> thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc thereto belonging vnto the said Josias Cooke his heires £ Assignes foreu to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Josias Cooke his heires and Assignes foreuer./

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup> 1642.

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A Deede acknowledged and appoynted to bee recorded the first of June Ann<sup>o</sup> Dñi. 1642.

**K**NOW all Men by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> That I Christopher Blakewood of the Plantation of Scittuate in America for and £ consideration of the sume of three score pounds of good and lawfull money of England by M<sup>r</sup> Charles Chauncey in sufficient Bills of exchaung in England Assigned Haue giuen and graunted and by these p<sup>r</sup>nts doe giue graunt bargaine £ sell vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Charles Chauncey of Scittuate aforesaid one dwelling house together w<sup>th</sup> barne and out houses thereto belonging together w<sup>th</sup> all such lands both vplands and Marsh grounds as thereto belongeth (the peece of Marsh lying w<sup>th</sup>out the pallisadoes of the feild next to Goodman Turner excepted) the vpland lying and bounding in this manner towards the land of

Josias Checkett on the West towards the lands of John Hewes & the heigh way on the South towards the Coffin and the lands of John Winter and John Emerson on the North and toward the lands of Humphrey Turner on the East The Marsh ground containeing twenty acres more or lesse part whereof is an Island bounding towards the lands of the heires of Mr Tilden on the East towards the lands of Josias Checkett on the West towards the heigh way on the North and towards the hering brook compassing an Island part thereof on the South To haue hold occupie and enjoy the said House vpland and marsh ground w<sup>th</sup> all the app<sup>r</sup>teñces thereto belonging to him and his heires foreuer Moreouer I haue (for and in consideraçõ of the foresaid Bills of Exchaunge made ouer to me by M<sup>r</sup> Charles Chauncey aforesaid) giuen graunted bargained and sold vnto thaboue named M<sup>r</sup> Charles Chauncey my great lott containeing an hundred acres of ground lying vp the Riuer not farr from Scituate together w<sup>th</sup> my deident of marsh ground thereto belonging To haue and to hold the said vpland and Marsh ground to him and his heires foreuer And I doe by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> giue power to the said M<sup>r</sup> Charles Chauncey by himself or his Assignes to enroll or p<sup>r</sup>cure to be enrolled the title & tenure of the forenamed lands to himself and his heires foreu<sup>r</sup> in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court of New Plymouth in America before the right wo<sup>r</sup>p<sup>l</sup> the Gou<sup>r</sup>nor and Assistant<sup>l</sup> according to the order of Court and vsuall course of Evidence in that case prouided In Witnesse of the p<sup>r</sup>misses I the aboue named Christopher Blakewood haue set to my hand & seale this fift day of October in the seauenteenth yeare of our Sou<sup>a</sup>igne Lord Charles of Great Brittainne ffrance & Ireland King &c.

Signed sealed & deliued  
in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of vs  
Georg Willerd  
John Beamont  
Elisha Bisbe.

CHRISTOPHER BLACKWOOD



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\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup> 1642.


A deed appoynted to be recorded acknowledged  
the second of June 1642.

**K** NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sent<sup>l</sup> that I Anthony Annable of Barnestable in the Corporaçõ of New Plymouth in New England Planter for and in consideraçõ of the full sume of seauenty nine pounds of good and lawfull English money by me in p<sup>t</sup> receiued and the other at the tyme appoynted to be receiued do giue and graunt and by these p<sup>r</sup>sent<sup>l</sup> do bargaine for and

absolutely sell vnto Thomas Raulins of Scituate in the Corporacōn aforesaid Planter my dwelling house and out house and all my lands therevnto appertaineing viz<sup>s</sup> one lott of vpland of twenty two acres more or lesse lying on the North East side of the first hering brooke and nine acres of Marsh land more or lesse lying on the same side of the aforesaid hering brook bounded on the North w<sup>th</sup> the Marsh of James Cudworth and on the westerly side w<sup>th</sup> the vpland and on the South and westerly side w<sup>th</sup> the Marsh land of Henry Cobb and on the South and Easterly side w<sup>th</sup> the hering brooke And one lott of vpland more of fourscore acres more or lesse lying on the north side of the North Riuer bounded on the East with a space of vnlotted vpland part of the way and on the south w<sup>th</sup> the Marsh land and on the West w<sup>th</sup> the lott of Edward ffoster vpland and on the North w<sup>th</sup> the Coñon woods and also thirteene acres of Marsh land thereto belonging bounded on the West w<sup>th</sup> the Marsh of Edward ffoster on the north w<sup>th</sup> the vpland of the said lott and on the East w<sup>th</sup> the Marsh land of Georg Kennerick and on the South w<sup>th</sup> the North Riuer These and all of these I haue sold free from all intaylements to me and my heires for euer to the said Thomas Raulins and to his heires foreū And do giue full power to the said Thomas Raulins by him self or his Assignes to enrolle or pcure to be enrolled the tytle and tenor thereof in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court of Plymouth before the Right Wor<sup>th</sup> Goū and Assistant℄ according to the order of Court in that case p<sup>u</sup>ided In the yeare Anno Dñi 1639 Septemb<sup>r</sup> 29<sup>th</sup>.

Signed sealed & deliued  
in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of us.

Edward ffoster }  
Henry Bourne } witness̄s

ANTHONY  ANNABLS Mark



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The vij<sup>th</sup> June 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That Wilkm Chase doth acknowledg That for and in consideraçōn of the sūm of fīue pound℄ he oweth to m<sup>r</sup> Stephen Hopkins and for the secureing of the said debt vnto him hath bargained assigned set ouer and mortgaged All that his house and land℄ in Yarmouth containeing Eight acres of vpland and six acres more lying at the Stony coue w<sup>th</sup> all ℄ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℄ thervnto belonging and all his Right title and Interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s and euery pt ℄ parcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house and land℄ w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>tences vnto the said Steephen Hopkins his heires and Assignes for eū to the onely p<sup>er</sup> use and be- hoofe of him the said Steephen Hopkins his heires and Assignes for euer

Provided alwayes That if the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Chase doe satisfye and pay or cause to be satisfyed and payd vnto the said Steephen Hopkins or his Assignes the said sume of fve pounds in money Corne or cattell at or vpon the first day of November next ensuing the date hereof That then the mortgage to be voyd or el<sup>s</sup> to remayne in full force and strengh.

The vij<sup>th</sup> June 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That James Cudworth of Barnestable gen<sup>t</sup> doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sume of Eighteene pounds to him in hand fully payd by Thomas Ensinge of Scittuate plant<sup>r</sup> Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Thomas Ensinge All that his dwelling house wherein the said Thomas now dwelleth in Scittuate aforesaid and an outhouse w<sup>th</sup> fve acres of vpland therevnto adjoyneing lying to the land<sup>l</sup> late m<sup>r</sup> Lathrops to the north and to the land<sup>l</sup> of m<sup>r</sup> Tymothy Hatherley East & South and to the Com<sup>o</sup>n lane West w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>tenc<sup>l</sup> thereunto belonging w<sup>th</sup> all his Right title and interest of and into the same and every part and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house out house & vpland<sup>l</sup> w<sup>th</sup> thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces to the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> belonging vnto the said Thomas Ensinge his heires and Assignes for e<sup>u</sup>l to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of him the said Thomas Ensigne his heires and Assignes for e<sup>u</sup>r.

A Deede appoynted to be recorded the first of July 1642.

**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> that I Wil<sup>m</sup> Almy late of Sandwich in the Colony of New Plymouth in New England In considera<sup>o</sup>n of Eighteene pounds to me well and truly payd by Edmond ffreeman of Sandwich the yeonger of w<sup>ch</sup> I do acquit and discharg the said Edmond do hereby giue graunt set sell vnto the said Edmond ffreeman one dwelling house in Sandwich aforesaid w<sup>th</sup> all app<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> together w<sup>th</sup> all the lands whatsoe<sup>u</sup>l to me belonging lying w<sup>th</sup>in the bounds of Sandwich aforesaid and also all such lands or moneys w<sup>ch</sup> either now do belong or hereafter shall accrue to me the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Almy by way of satisfac<sup>o</sup>n for sondry charges by me disbursed in my vndertakership for the laying out of the lands in Sandwich aforesaid To haue and to hold quietly possesse and enjoy to him the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes for euer In witsesse whereof I haue herevnto set my hand and Seale the two and twentyeth day of June in the yeare of our Lord 1642.

Witness<sup>s</sup>

Wil<sup>m</sup> Leuerich  
Edward Wollaston

WILLIAM  
ALMY



\* BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup> 1642.

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The viij<sup>th</sup> of June 1642.

**M**EMORAN<sup>d</sup> That Anthony Annable of Barnestable Planter doth acknowledge That for and in consideration of the sum of threescore and nineteene pounds to him fully satisfied and payd by Thomas Rauline of Scittuate planter Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Thomas Rawline All that his house and outhouses in Scittuate aforesaid w<sup>th</sup> one hundred acres of vplandℓ be it more or lesse twenty three acres thereof lying to the said house and adjoyneing to the lands of Walter Woodward on the East side and to the Swamp of the hering brooke on the west side and thother fourscore acres of vpland lying at the North Riuer the South end abutting vpon the said North Riuer and to the landℓ of John Lewis on the East side and to the landℓ of Edward ffoster on the west side and to the woods Northerly And also one pcell of Marsh Meddow containeing about thirteene acres be it more or lesse lying betwixt the foresaid vplandℓ and the North Riuer and one other pcell of Marsh meddow containeing about nine acres be it more or lesse lying at the first hering brooke betweene the vplands and Marsh meddow of Thomas Robinson w<sup>th</sup> all and euery thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcs to the said p<sup>r</sup>misss belonging and euery part ℓ pcell thereof And all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss ℓ euery of them To haue and to hold the said house outhouses vplands and pcells of marsh meddow w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said Thomas Rawline his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Thomas Rawline his heires ℓ Assignes foref.

The second of August 1642.

**M**EMORAN<sup>d</sup> That Willm Hiller doth acknowledge That for and in consideration That Nathaniell Sowther of Plym is bound w<sup>th</sup> the Released. said Willm Hiller and for his pper debt in the sum of xxviij<sup>t</sup> for the payment of fourteene poundℓ sterℓ in merchantable Corne at certaine dayes men<sup>c</sup>oned in a writing beareing date the last day of May 1642 vnto Robert Caruer made betweene the said Robert Carver and the said Willm Hiller Hath (for the secureing dischargeing and saucing harmelesse the said Nathaniell Sowther his heires Execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ ℓ Administrat<sup>r</sup>ℓ ℓ euery of them of and concerning the said debt) freely ℓ absolutely bargained and sold assigned and mortgaged all that his moyitie of the milne in Duxborrow w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the

p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> & p<sup>r</sup>fits therevnto belonging and all his Right title and interest of and into the same & euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said moyitie of the said milne & all thapp<sup>r</sup>tenc<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging vnto the said Nathaniell Sowther his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely p<sup>r</sup>per use and behoofe of him the said Nathaniell Sowther his heires and Assignes for euer. Prouided alwayes That if the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hiller do from tyme to tyme and at all tymes well & sufficiently saue and keep harmelesse the said Nathaniell Sowther his heires Execut<sup>r</sup> & Administrat<sup>r</sup> & euery of them concerning the said debt & payment<sup>l</sup> and do well and truly satisfye the said payment<sup>l</sup> as they shall grow due and payable, That then the bargaine & sale afore<sup>s</sup>d to be voyd or el<sup>s</sup> to remayne in full force streng<sup>h</sup> & vertue/

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\* BRADFORD GOU<sup>t</sup> 1642.The xxvii<sup>th</sup> Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1642.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslow came into the publik Court and did acknowledg That he hath absolutly & freely giuen graunted enfeoffed and confirmed vnto Peregrine White his sonn in law all & singuler those his lands lying at the Eele Riuer w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>tenenc<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging and all his right title and interest of & into the same To haue and to hold all and singuler the said land<sup>l</sup> w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>tenc<sup>l</sup> vnto the said Peregrine White his heires and assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>r</sup>per use and behoofe of him the said Peregreene White his heires and Assignes for euer/

The xxvij<sup>th</sup> of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1642.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That John Roe of Duxborrow doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of three pounds three shillings ster<sup>t</sup> in hand payd by Wil<sup>m</sup> Browne of Ply<sup>m</sup> plant<sup>r</sup> hath freely and absolutly bargained and sold vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Browne all that his house and three acres of vpland adjoyneing to the said house w<sup>th</sup> the fence about the same and all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging and all his right title and interest of and into the same and euery pt & p<sup>r</sup>cell thereof To haue and to hold the said house and land<sup>l</sup> w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Browne his heires and Assignes for euer vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per use & behoofe of him the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Browne his heires and Assignes for euer

It is agreed vpon betweene the said pties That the said John Roe shall dwell in the said house vntill this day twelue months (viz<sup>t</sup> the 28<sup>th</sup> Decemb<sup>r</sup>

1643) the said John Roe leauing the said house and fence about the ground in as good and sufficient repaire as now it is, casualties not excepted and a flore ouer the Cow house of eight or nine boards & the flores in the house not to be taken away nor remoued nor the shelues about the house nor the cupboard nor the cabbin bedstead but to be left safe & deliuered vp w<sup>th</sup> the house at the said yeares end./

\* BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup> 1642.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That whereas M<sup>r</sup> John Done on the behalf of the Church of Plymouth purchased of M<sup>r</sup> Raph Smyth his dwelling house barnes & buildings and garden plotts in Plymouth w<sup>th</sup> six acres of vpland therevnto belonging lying in the new feild w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging Now the said John Doane w<sup>th</sup> and by the consent of the Church of Plymouth Hath giuen graunted assigned and made ouer *made ouer* the said house and garden plotts w<sup>th</sup> the six acres of vpland & w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler their appurtenances vnto M<sup>r</sup> John Reynor their teacher and all his Right title and Interest of and into the same and euery part and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house barnes buildings garden plotts w<sup>th</sup> the six acres of vpland with their app<sup>r</sup>teñces vnto the said John Reynor his heires and Assignes foreu<sup>l</sup> to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of him the said John Reynor his heires and Assignes foreuer./

The xxxj<sup>th</sup> day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That John Barnes for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of sixteene pounds to be payd by Edward Edwards in manner & forme following that is to say five pounds six shillings & eight pence at or vpon the sixteenth day of June next following and five pounds six shillings & eight pence that day twelue months after and thother five pounds six shillings & eight penc the xvj<sup>th</sup> day of June w<sup>ch</sup> shalbe in the yeare of o<sup>r</sup> Lord one thousand six hundred fourty & five w<sup>ch</sup> said payment & are to be made in money stockings shooes or other merchantable co<sup>m</sup>odytes that the said John Barnes shall accept of at the days of payment Hath freely & absolutely bargained & sold vnto the said Edward Edwards all that his house & land & lying at Wellingly brooke w<sup>ch</sup> was lately purchased of m<sup>r</sup> Thomas Hill w<sup>th</sup> the two acres of vpland lying at Wellingsly brooke lately purchased of M<sup>r</sup> John Combe & Phineas Pratt w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging and all his Right title & interest of & into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss & euery part &

pcell thereof To haue ℄ to hold the said house and lands w<sup>th</sup> all and euery their appurtenanc℄ vnto the said Edward Edward℄ his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Edward Edwards his heires ℄ Assignes for eũ.

The xxx<sup>th</sup> day of October 1644.

**M**EMORANÐ that John Barnes doth acknowledg that hee hath receiued full satisfacõn for the said house and land℄ of Edward Edwards and the said Edward Edwards hath fully and absolutely bargained sould assigned and set ouer all his Right title and interest of and into the said house and land℄ bought of m<sup>r</sup> Thoñ Hill ℄ the two acres bought of Phineas Pratt w<sup>th</sup> their appurtenanc℄ vnto Thomas Whitney of Plymouth in consideraõn of the sum of Nine pounds two shillings and six to be payd vnto the said John Barnes w<sup>th</sup> in the space of one yeare now next ensuing in currant COUNTRY pay either at Plymouth or in the Massachusetts Bay.

**M**EMORANÐ that I John Barnes do acquit release and discharge Thomas Whitten of all debts ℄ demaunds frõ the beginning of the world to this p<sup>s</sup>ent 27<sup>th</sup> of October 1647.

Witnes Henry Coggan  
Samuell Mayo

p me JOHN BARNES

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The xxvi<sup>th</sup> of January 1642.

Relinquished  
by consent of  
both pties.

**M**EMORANÐ That Edward Hall doth acknowledg that for ℄ in consideraõn of the sum of twenty pound℄ sterl<sup>t</sup> to be payd him in manner ℄ forme following by Thomas Gannett that is to say five pounds in hand by sawing this winter w<sup>ch</sup> is already payd and five pounds in wheate at Boston in Massachusetts Bay in March next at the price it goes at when it is merchantable and thother tenn pounds in December next to be deliuered in Braintrey at the water side by Plymouth measure ℄ at the price wheate is then sold at in Plymouth or el<sup>s</sup> in Cattell Hath freely and absolutely bargained ℄ sold vnto the said Thomas Gannett all that his dwelling house oute houses and lotts of land containeing tenn acres of vpland be it more or lesse lying at Houndsditch in Duxborrow betweene the lands of Edward Hunt on the North side and John Tisdall<sup>t</sup> on the South side and one acre of meddow



lying at Blewfish Riuer next to the meddow of M<sup>r</sup> John Alden on the west side w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñçℓ to the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s belonging ℓ euery of them and all his Right title and interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñçℓ ℓ euery of them To haue and to hold the said house houseing vp-lands and meddow w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñçℓ ℓ euery of them vnto the said Thomas Gannett his heires and assignes for euer to the onely pp use and behoofe of him the said Thomas Gannett his heires and Assignes foreü p<sup>r</sup>uided alwayes that it shalbe lawfull for the said Edward to sett one half of the lands (this springe) w<sup>ch</sup> are broken vp and half the garden and to dwell in the said house vntill the xxvj<sup>th</sup> day of July next if he please p<sup>r</sup>uided also that the said Edward then haue the said house and fences about the grounds in as good condiçõn and as sufficient as they were the xxvj<sup>th</sup> of July last past when these p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s were bargained for./

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup> 1642.

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The xxij<sup>th</sup> March 1642.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Whereas Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis of Plymouth before his going into England about a yeare and a half since did authorize and assigne John Winslow of Plymouth afor<sup>s</sup>d to receiue as such Debts and sum̄s of money as were due ℓ oweing vnto him here in New England And whereas also since by his tres beareing date the xij<sup>th</sup> of November 1642 directed to the said John Winslow and another of the same date directed to Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis of Scittuate his Naturall father hath giuen further power that the said John Winslow should assigne and make ouer the said Debts vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis the father for such sum̄e as he should agree w<sup>th</sup> him for so that it was not vnder twenty markes Now the said John Winslow by vertue of the said tres hath assigned and made ouer the said Debtℓ unto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis the father for the sum̄e of sixteene poundℓ. And the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis the father in consideraçõn that the said John Winslow shall pay the said sixteene pounds in Beaver to Wil<sup>m</sup> his sonn and pay him xj<sup>i</sup> more in manner ℓ forme following that is to say vj<sup>i</sup> by a Cowe xxx<sup>s</sup> by a Bill to Georg Lewis of Barnestable and iij<sup>i</sup> x<sup>s</sup> in corne or cattell the first of November next at Plymouth Hath reassigned and made ouer vnto the said John Winslow all ℓ singuler such said Debts and sum̄s of money as were or are due ℓ apptaineing vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Dennis his sonn here in New England.

The vij<sup>th</sup> March 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> That John Allen for and in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of one Cowe to him in hand Payd by Samuell Eddy wherew<sup>th</sup> hee is fully satisfied  $\text{£}$  payd Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold enfeoffed and confirmed vnto the said Samuell Eddy all that his house barnes  $\text{£}$  buildings w<sup>th</sup> the lands therevnto belonging lying at Willingsly and Woeberry playne w<sup>th</sup> all  $\text{£}$  singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc $\text{ł}$  therevnto belonging and all his Right title  $\text{£}$  interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss $\text{s}$   $\text{£}$  euery of them To haue and to hold the said house barnes buildings  $\text{£}$  and land $\text{ł}$  w<sup>th</sup> all  $\text{£}$  singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñc $\text{ł}$  vnto the said Samuell Eddy his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of him the said Samuell Eddy his heires  $\text{£}$  Assignes for e $\text{u}$ .

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\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup> 1642.

The x<sup>th</sup> March 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman doth acknowledg that for and on the behalf of M<sup>r</sup> John Beuchampe of London Merchant by vertue of a warrant of Attorney vnder the hand of the said John Beuchamp beareing date the tenth day of July Anno D<sup>ñi</sup> 1639 and by other l<sup>r</sup>s also to him directed for the sale of certaine land $\text{ł}$  of his lying at Scittuate Hath for  $\text{£}$  in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup>e of fourty pounds absolutely bargained and sold vnto M<sup>r</sup> Tymothy Hatherley of Scittuate gen<sup>t</sup> All those lands vpland  $\text{£}$  meddow belonging or app<sup>r</sup>taineing vnto the said John Beuchamp w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc $\text{ł}$  vnto them belonging and all his Right Title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss $\text{s}$  w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñc $\text{ł}$   $\text{£}$  euery of them To haue  $\text{£}$  to hold the  $\text{ñ}$ d land $\text{ł}$  and p<sup>r</sup>miss $\text{s}$  w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñc $\text{ł}$  vnto the said Tymothy Hatherley his heires  $\text{£}$  Assignes for e $\text{u}$ <sup>r</sup> to the onely p<sup>p</sup> use and behoofe of him the said Tymothy Hatherley his heires and Assignes for e $\text{u}$ .

The wordes of M<sup>r</sup> Beuchamp his l<sup>r</sup>e are these viz<sup>s</sup> ffor my ground at Scittuate sell it if you can although it be neuer so little) w<sup>ch</sup> concerne this bargaine  $\text{£}$  sale  $\text{£}$  subscribed thus

Yo<sup>r</sup> loueing brother

JOHN BEAUCHAMP.

I Edmond ffreeman do acknowledg this Record abouesaid to M<sup>r</sup> Heatherly to be my Ackt  $\text{£}$  Deede.

The xvij<sup>th</sup> day of March 1642.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That John Dunhame the yeonger doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup>e of seauen pounds & tenn shillings to be payd by Henry Wood in manner and forme following that is to say three pounds and tenn shillings at Indian Harvest next and tenn shillings more in Rye assoone as it is ripe and reaped at the prizes that corne is sold for at the tyme of the deliuery thereof at Plymouth and thother three pounds & tenn shillings in cotton cloth or such other co<sup>m</sup>odyties as are worth so much the cotton cloth to be xv teene yerd<sup>l</sup> at ij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> p yard & the rest of the 3<sup>li</sup> 10<sup>s</sup> in other things that amount therevnto, but if the cotton cloth be refused in payment that then the said Henry shall pay in other co<sup>m</sup>odyties assoone as he cann to that value Hath freely and absolutely bargained & sold vnto the said Henry Wood All that his house & buildings and the land<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging lying in Plymouth betwixt the land<sup>l</sup> of Gabriell ffallowell on the north side and the new field on the west side and the land<sup>l</sup> of John Dunham the elder and Wiltm Pontus on the South and East sides containeing tenn acres or thereabout<sup>l</sup> together w<sup>th</sup> his graunt of land<sup>l</sup> and meddow lying at the Swanholt w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging and all his Right title & interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> and euery of them w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> To haue and to hold the said house houseing and vpland<sup>l</sup> lying in Plymouth and the fence about the same together w<sup>th</sup> the graunt at Swanholt w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> to the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> belonging vnto the said Henry Wood his heires and Assignes for e<sup>u</sup> to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said Henry Wood his heires & Ass<sup>s</sup> fore<sup>u</sup>.

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>. 1642.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> the fift day of May 1643 That Edward Dotey doth acknowledge That for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of xvj<sup>li</sup> to be payd in manner & forme following that is to say ij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> in hand payd foure pounds tenn shillings in December next and thother eight pounds in Decemb<sup>r</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> shalbe in the yeare of o<sup>r</sup> Lord 1644 all w<sup>ch</sup> said payment<sup>l</sup> are to be made in Corne or cattell at such price as they will passe from man to man at the tyme of payment<sup>l</sup>) Hath freely and absolutely sold vnto Stephen Bryan and John Shawe jun<sup>r</sup> all those Two lotts of vpland containeing forty acres lying at the heigh Cliffe betwixt the lands of Samuell King on the North side and Samuell Cutbert on the South side w<sup>th</sup> all and sin-

guler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s and euery pt ℥ pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said two lotts of vplands w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging vnto them the said Steeven Bryan and John Shaw their heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pp vse and behoofe of them the said Steeven Bryan and John Shawe their heires and Assignes for euer./

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\* BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup> 1643.

A deede acknowledged and recorded the first  
day of June Anno Dñi 1643.

**T**O all xpian people to whome these p<sup>r</sup>nt℥ shall come James Cudworth of Barnestable w<sup>th</sup>in the Gouēment of New Plymouth in New England Gentleñ sendeth greeting ℥ Know yee that I the said James Cudworth for and in consideraçõn of the sum̄ of threescore and seaventeene pounds and tenn shillings to me in hand payd by Thomas Robinson of Scituate in the Goūment of New Plymouth aforesaid gen<sup>r</sup> wherew<sup>th</sup> I doe acknowledg my self fully satisfied and payd and thereof and of euery pt and pcell thereof do for my self my heires Execut<sup>r</sup>℥ and Administrat<sup>r</sup>s and euery of them exonerate acquitt and discharge the said Thomas Robinson his heires Execut<sup>r</sup>℥ and administrat<sup>r</sup>℥ and euery of them for euer by these p<sup>r</sup>nt℥ Haue freely and absolutely giuen graunted bargained sold enfeoffed and confirmed and by these p<sup>r</sup>nts do giue graunt bargaine sell enfeoffe and confirme vnto the said Thomas Robinson his heires and Assignes for euer All that his dwelling house outhouses barnes and buildings w<sup>th</sup> twenty acres of vpland and tenn acres of Marsh meddow bee they more or lesse therevnto adjoyneing abutting vpon a pcell of Marsh of Wil̄m Roades toward℥ the East and toward℥ the lands of Manasseth Kempton toward℥ the North and towards the lands of Thomas Raulins in the west and South and the hering brook towards the South in Scittuate aforesaid And also one pcell of vpland containeing fourescore and tenn acres and sixteene acres of meddow adjoyneing therevnto abutting vpon the North Riuer toward℥ the south and east and to the Marsh lands of John Hewes Peter Collymer and John Harker towards the west and towards the Coñmons towards the East and North w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces to the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s belonging or any pt of them To haue and to hold All that dwelling house outhouses barnes and buildings twenty acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> the tenn acres of Marsh meddow therevnto adjoyneing and fourescore and tenn acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> the sixteene acres of Marsh therevnto

adjoyneing w<sup>th</sup> all ℓ singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said Thomas Robinson his heires and Assignes foreuer and to the onely p<sup>per</sup> use and behoofe of him the said Thomas Robinson his heires and assignes for euer to be holden of his Ma<sup>tie</sup> as of his Mannor of East Greenwich in the County of Kent in the Realme of England in free and cofion Soccage and not in Capite nor by Knights service by the Rentℓ and servicℓ thereof due and of Right accustomed and w<sup>th</sup> warranties against all people whatsoever from by or vnder me the said James Cudworth myne heires execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ or administrat<sup>r</sup>s or any of us claymeing any use right title or interrest of or into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s or any pt or pcell thereof And I the said James Cudworth do also p<sup>r</sup>mise couenant and graunt by these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ That it shall and may be lawfull for the said Thomas Robinson his heires and Assignes by themselues or their Attorney to enroll these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ or cause them to be enrolled in his said Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court at Plymouth aforesaid before the Goūnor for the tyme being according to the usuall manner and order of recording and enrolling euedencℓ in such case p<sup>r</sup>uided In witnesse whereof I the said James Cudworth haue herevnto set my hand and Seale the tenth day of June in the Eighteenth yeare of the Raigne of our Soūaigne Lord Charles by the grace of God King of England Scotland ffraunce ℓ Ireland defender of the fayth ℓ Anno<sup>q</sup> Dñi 1642.

p me JAMES CUDWORTH



Sealed and deliued in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of us.

Henry Coggen.      Samuell Hinckley  
Thomas Hinckley.    Nathaniel Sowther

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup> 1643.

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A deed acknowledged and recorded }  
the first day of May Anno Dñi 1643 }

**T**O all to whom these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ shall come ffraancis Billington of New Plymouth in America Planter sendeth greeting Know yee that the said ffraancis Billington for and in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of fiftene pounds sterl to him in hand payd by M<sup>r</sup> John Atwood of Plymouth aforesaid wherew<sup>th</sup> hee doth acknowledg himself fully satisfyed and payd and thereof and of euery pt and pcell thereof doth acquitt exo<sup>n</sup>ate and acquitt the said John Atwood his heires execut<sup>r</sup>s and Administrat<sup>r</sup>s and euery of them foreuer by these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold enfeoffed and confirmed and by these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ doth bargain sell enfeoffe and confirme vnto the said John Atwood his heires and Assignes for euer all those his three lotts of vpland

containeing three score acres or there abouts w<sup>th</sup> the Marish meddow there-  
 vnto adjoyneing containeing three acres or there about℥ lying at Playne  
Dealeing w<sup>th</sup>in the Towneship of Plymouth aforesaid ℥ betwixt the lands of  
 the said John Atwood on the South and the Commons on the North the Sea  
 on the East and the woods on the west w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thaſurteñces  
 therevnto belonging and all his Right tittle and Interrest of and into the said  
 p<sup>r</sup>miſſs and euery pt and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said three  
 lotts of vpland and pcell of Marish meddow w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥  
 to the said p<sup>r</sup>miſſs belonginge and euery pt and pcell thereof vnto the said  
 John Atwood his heires and Assignes foreuer to be holden of our Soſaigne  
 Lord the Kinge as of his Mannor of East Greenwich in the County of Kent  
 w<sup>th</sup> in the Realme of England in free and common Soccage and not in Capite  
 nor by Knights service by the Rent℥ and servic℥ thereof and thereout due  
 and of Right accustomed To the onely pp use and behoofe of him the said  
 John Atwood his heires and Assignes for euer and w<sup>th</sup> warrantee against all  
 people for eū by these p<sup>r</sup>nt℥ from by or vnder him his heires Execut<sup>r</sup>℥ and  
 Administrat<sup>r</sup>℥ and euery of them claymeing any right tittle or Interrest of or  
 into the said p<sup>r</sup>miſſs w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñces or any pt or pcell thereof And the  
 said ffrancis Billington doth by these p<sup>r</sup>nts authorize the said John Atwood  
 either by himself or his Attorney to record and enroll these p<sup>r</sup>nt℥ or cause  
 them to be recorded ℥ enrolled before the Goſnor of New Plymouth for the  
 tyme being according to the usuall manner of recording and enrolling deeds and  
 euedences in his said Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court of Plymouth aforesaid Prouided alwayes  
 that it shall ℥ may be lawfull for Ellinor the wyfe of Gregory Armstrong  
 and her Assignes to occupye and enjoy one of the three said lotts of vpland  
 (viz<sup>t</sup>) that lott lying next to the lands of the said John Atwood w<sup>th</sup> one half  
 of the said Marish meddow during her life tyme In witnes whereof the said  
 ffrancis Billington hath herevnto set his hand and seale the second day of  
 March in the Eighteenth yeare of the Raigne of our Soſaigne Lord Charles  
 by the grace of God King of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland Defendor  
 of the fayth ℥ Anno Dñi 1642. FRANCIS BILLINGTON

Sealed and Deliuēd in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of us  
 Constant Southworth Wilkm Bradford  
 Nathaniel Sowther



And endorsed as ffolloweth: viz<sup>t</sup>. — memorand<sup>t</sup> the third day of March  
 Anno Dñi 1642 that quiet and peacable possession ℥ seisen of the w<sup>th</sup>in  
 named p<sup>r</sup>miſſs was giuen and receiued by the within named ffrancis Billing-

ton vnto the w<sup>th</sup>in named John Atwood in their owne pp psons in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of Thomas Willet John Winslow Robte Lee Hermon Atwood and Nathaniel Sowther.

\* BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>

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The viij<sup>th</sup> of June 1643.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Abraham Pearse doth acknowledg that for ℥ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of seauen pounds ster<sup>t</sup> to him in hand payd by John Winslow for the use of Thomas King of Scittuate Plan<sup>t</sup> Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said John Winslow for the use of the said Thomas King his heires and Assignes All those his fourty acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> the meddowing thereunto belonging lying on the South side of the North Riuer and betwixt the lands of Joseph Tilden on the East side and the lands of Henry Sampson on the West side w<sup>th</sup> all and euery the Appurte<sup>n</sup>ces therevnto belonging and all his Right title ℥ interrest of and into the same and euery pt ℥ pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said fourty acres of vpland and meddowing w<sup>th</sup>all <sup>^</sup> euery their appurte<sup>n</sup>ces therevnto belonging vnto the said Thomas King his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pp use and behoofe of him the said Thomas King his heires and Assignes for euer./

The vij<sup>th</sup> of Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1643.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Joyce Wallen Widdow doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of eight pounds ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd by fourty shillings p an<sup>n</sup> by Edward Bangs of Ply<sup>m</sup> Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Edward his heires and Assignes All that her house and messuage scituate and being at Hobs hole or Wellingsly w<sup>th</sup> the garden place and vplands therevnto adjoyneing w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces therevnto belonging and all her right title and interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misses and euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said house or messuage garden place and vpland ℥ w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces therevnto belonging vnto the said Edward Banges his heires ℥ Assignes for euer and to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Edward Banges his heires and Assignes fore<sup>u</sup>.

The xvj<sup>th</sup> of Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1643.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> that Raph Hill of Wellingsly doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of twelue pounds to him in hand payd by Steeven Wood of Plymouth planter hath freely and absolutely bargained ℥ sold vnto the said Steeven Wood all his house out houses and garden places adjoyneing





the name of the Long Iland in Scittuate aforesaid together w<sup>th</sup> all that Marsh meddow or hey ground therevnto appertaineing lying betweene the Hering brook & the North Riuer and bounded on the North side from the lands of m<sup>r</sup> Wilkm Vassell w<sup>th</sup> a smale obscure Creek Palke or Plash of water at the East or most Easterly part of w<sup>ch</sup> said Creek or Plash the said Marsh meddow doth passe w<sup>th</sup> a straight line to that part of the Hering brooke that is nearest to the said Palk or Plash of water w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ therevnto belonging or any wayes appertaineing and all my right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s and euery pt & pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said pcell of vpland called the long Iland w<sup>th</sup> the Marsh meddow therevnto appertaineing and all & euery thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces to the said p<sup>r</sup>misses belonging or any part of them vnto the said Wilkm Wills his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely proper use & behoofe of him the said Wilkm Wills his heires and Assignes for euer To be holden of our Soūaigne Lord the King as of his Mannor of East Greenwich in the County of Kent in free & coñon Soccag and not in Capite nor by Knights service by the Rentℓ & services thereof & thereby due and of Right accustomed and w<sup>th</sup> warranties against all people whatsoever from by or vnder me the said John Cooper or by my Right or title claymeing any Right title or or Interest of & into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss̄s or any part thereof And I the said John Coop do also couenant p<sup>r</sup>mise & graunt by these p̄ntℓ that it shall & may be lawfull to and for the said Wilkm Wills either by himself or his Attorney to record & enroll these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ or to cause them to be recorded & enrolled in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court at Plymouth aforesaid before the Goūnor for the tyme being according to the usual manner of recording & enrolling euedencℓ in such <sup>^</sup> p̄uided In witnes whereof I the said John Coop haue herevnto set my hand and Seale the xxvj<sup>th</sup> day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> in the xix<sup>th</sup> yeare of the raigne of o<sup>r</sup> Soūaigne Lord Charles by the Grace of God Kinge of England Scotland ffrance & Ireland Defender of the fayth ℓ 1643

Sealed & Deliuēd in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of  
 Nathaniell Sowther  
 Austine Bearse his **E** marke

John Coop



\*This ensuing Deed was acknowledged and recorded  
 the fift day of Aprill Anno Dñi 1644, 20<sup>o</sup> Cañt Rℓ

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**T**O all people to whom these p<sup>r</sup>sents shall come Richard ffoxwell of Barne-  
 stable in the Goūment of New Plymouth Taylor sendeth greeting  
 Know yee that the said Richard ffoxwell for and in consideraçõn of the suñ

of fourty shillings of lawfull money of England and Twenty bushells of Indian Corne to him in hand payd by W<sup>m</sup> Wills of Scittuate wherew<sup>th</sup> he doth acknowledg himself fully satisfied and payd and thereof and of euery part and pcell thereof doth by these p<sup>nt</sup>ℓ exo<sup>n</sup>ate acquite and discharge the s<sup>d</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Wills of Scittuate of *Scittuate* in the Go<sup>u</sup>ment of New Ply<sup>m</sup> afore-said Planter his heires execut<sup>ℓ</sup> and Administrat<sup>ℓ</sup> ℓ euery of them for euer by these p<sup>nt</sup>ℓ Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold enfeoffed and confirmed and by these p<sup>nt</sup>ℓ doth freely and absolutely bargaine sell enfeoffe ℓ confirme vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Wills his heires and Assignes for euer All those foure acres of arrable land ℓ w<sup>th</sup> one acree and a half of Marsh meddow the neerest adjoyneing to the said vpland w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>te</sup>nc<sup>ℓ</sup> therevnto belonging or any wayes app<sup>t</sup>aineing w<sup>th</sup> all his Right title and interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> and euery pt and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said foure acres of vpland and the acree ℓ half of Marsh meddow w<sup>th</sup> all and euery their app<sup>t</sup>ences vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Wills his heires and Assignes for euer to be holden of o<sup>r</sup> Sou<sup>u</sup>aigne Lord the King as of his Mannor of East Greenewich in the County of Kent in the Realme of England in free and co<sup>m</sup>on Soccage and not in Capite nor by Knights service by the Rent ℓ seruic<sup>ℓ</sup> thereof and thereout due and of right accustomed and w<sup>th</sup> warranties against all people for euer by these p<sup>nt</sup>ℓ from by or vnder him claymeing any Right title or interrest of or into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> or any pt or pcell thereof And the said Richard ffoxwell doth couenant ℓ graunt by these p<sup>nt</sup>ℓ That it shall and may be lawfull to and for the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Wills his heires and Assignes either by themselues or their Attorney to Record or enroll these p<sup>nt</sup>ℓ or cause them to be recorded ℓ enrolled in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court at Ply<sup>m</sup> before the Go<sup>u</sup>nor for the tyme being according to the usuall manner or order of recording or enrolling euedences in such case prouided In witnesse whereof the said Richard ffoxwell hath herevnto set his hand and seale the Twelft day of March in the Nineteenth yeare of the Raigne of o<sup>r</sup> Sou<sup>u</sup>aigne Lord Charles by the grace of God King of England Scotland ffrance ℓ Ireland Defender of the fayth ℓ Anno<sup>q</sup> D<sup>ni</sup> 1643.

Sealed and deliuered  
in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of  
Nathaniell Sowther  
Wil<sup>m</sup> Paddy  
John Smaley

RICHARD FOXWELL.



\*At a Court of Assistant℄ holden at Plym̄ Jannuař vij<sup>th</sup> 1644 before M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslow Gou<sup>r</sup> Wilłm Bradford Thomas Prence and Wilłm Collyer Gentlemen ℄ Assistant℄ ℄.

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V<sup>P</sup>ON a Ēre directed to the Gou<sup>r</sup>nor from Captaine Miles Standish to giue the Court to vnderstand That Samuell Eaton was misconceiued in the recording of an acre of land to the heires of M<sup>r</sup> Wilłm Brewster deceased The said Samuell Eaton came into the Court and deposeth that whereas the xxvij<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1644 he recorded an acre of land for<sup>m</sup>ly bought by M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup> Brewster of Christian the said Samuells mother lying on Duxborrow side wherein the said M<sup>r</sup> Brewster hath erected a house and planted an orchard ℄ a garden And whereas it was confirmed by the said Samuell Eaton vnto the heires ge<sup>n</sup>all of the said William Brewster as by the Record thereof it more playnely appeareth Now the said Samuell Eaton declareth and deposeth that his intent and meaneing was and is to confirme the said acre of land w<sup>th</sup> the appurteñices onely vnto Loue Brewster and his heires who dwells vpon the same one of the sonnes of the said M<sup>r</sup> Wilłm Brewster To haue and to hold to him and his heires foreuer.

And the said Loue Brewster p<sup>m</sup>iseth that the said Samuell Eaton his heires and assignes shall haue liberty to make use of the water spring there if it fall w<sup>th</sup>in the lands of the said Loue Brewster. And the said Samuell Eaton also p<sup>m</sup>iseth That *that* the said Loue Brewster his heires ℄ Assigns shall haue like liberty to make use of the said water spring there if it fall w<sup>th</sup>in the lands of the said Samuell Eaton.

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>.

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The vi<sup>th</sup> of March 1643.

M<sup>E</sup>MORAN<sup>D</sup> That Henry Bourne of Barnestable doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of three pound℄ to him in hand payd by Wilłm Wills of Scittuate and for other good causes and considera<sup>o</sup>ns him therevnto moueing Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Wilłm Wills all that his Marsh meddow lying in New Harbour marshes in Scittuate and neere adjoyneing vnto long Iland containeing by estima<sup>o</sup>n twelue acres be it more or lesse and bounding to the land℄ of the s<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Wilłm Wills called to long Iland toward℄ the west and North and to the land℄ of m<sup>r</sup> Wilłm Vassell toward℄ the South east and North w<sup>th</sup> free ingresse egress ℄ regress of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> at all tymes

when he pleaseth and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> and euery pt & pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said twelue acres of Marsh meddow bee it more or lesse vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Wills his heires & Assignes w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcs thereto belonging for eñ to his & their onely pp vse & behoofe for euer to be holden of o<sup>r</sup> So<sup>l</sup>aigne Lord the King as of his Mannor of East Greenew<sup>ch</sup> in the County of Kent in the Realme of England in free & com<sup>o</sup>n Soccage and not in Capite nor by Knight<sup>l</sup> service by the Rent<sup>l</sup> and servic<sup>l</sup> thereof due & of Right accostomed and w<sup>th</sup> warranties against all p<sup>o</sup>ns from by or vnder him the said Henry Bourne claymeing any Right title or interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> or any pt or pcell thereof.

The xxiiiij<sup>th</sup> April 1644.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That whereas M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Brewster did some tymes since for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup>e of six pound<sup>l</sup> ster<sup>l</sup> bargaine buy and purchase of Christian late wyfe of ffrancis Eaton deceased but now wyfe to ffrancis Billington one acree of vpland be it more or lesse as it is now fenced in and bounded lying on Duxborrow side whereon the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Brewster hath built a house and made a garden place and an orchard Now Samuell Eaton eldest sonn and heire apparent vnto the said ffrancis Eaton deceased being of the age of twenty & foure yeares and vpwards came before the Gou<sup>n</sup>or and did for good and valuable considera<sup>o</sup>ns him therevnto especially moueing acknowledg the said bargaine and sale of the said acre of vpland and by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> doth further confirme and establish the same vnto the heires and assignes of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Brewster and all his right title and interest of and into the p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> & euery part & pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said acre of vpland be it more or lesse fenced and bounded as aforesaid w<sup>th</sup> the app<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging vnto the heires and Assignes of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Brewster for eñ to the onely pp use and behoofe of them the said heires and Assignes of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Brewster foreu<sup>r</sup>.

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\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>.

This ensuing Deed was shewed and recorded the xx<sup>th</sup> of Aprill Anno D<sup>ni</sup> 1644.

**T**HIS Deed Pole witnesseth that I Samuell House of Cambridge in the Corpora<sup>o</sup>n of the Bay of Mattachusetts in New England in America Ship-carpentor, for and in Considera<sup>o</sup>n of eight pounds of Currant money

of England in hand payd before thensealeing hereof wherew<sup>th</sup> I do acknowledged myself fully satisfied contented and payd haue allienated bargained sold and enfeoffed and by these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ do bargaine allienate sell and enfeoffe vnto Joseph Tilden of Scittuate w<sup>th</sup>in the Goũment of New Plymouth in America and his heires for euer All my Lands both vpland and Marsh or meddow set lying and being nere vnto a certaine Riuer called the North Riuer w<sup>th</sup>in the Gouverment of New Plymouth aforesaid w<sup>ch</sup> pcells of land lyeth on this side of the said Riuer and containeth by estimacõn fifty acres of vpland more or lesse and Nine acres of Marsh land be it more or lesse w<sup>ch</sup> marsh Land joyneth to the said North Riuer at the South east end of it and haueing on the North west end a great Swamp w<sup>ch</sup> is Common and part of it against the vpland of M<sup>r</sup> Charles Chauncey of Scittuate and joyneth to the Marsh Land of the said M<sup>r</sup> Chauncey on the North East side ℓ boundeth on the South west side on the Marsh land of Thomas Clap of Scittuate aforesaid and the said pcell of vpland boundeth on the North west end on the Common land and on the North East side it boundeth to the land of the aforesaid M<sup>r</sup> Chauncey and on the Southwest side it boundeth on the land of Thomas Clap aforesaid and the South East end of yt bounding on the Marsh land of Walter Woodward of Scittuate aforeseid To haue and to hold all the said lands both vpland and Marsh w<sup>th</sup> all the tymber and trees woods and vnderwoods w<sup>th</sup> all the app<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging to him the said Joseph Tilden and his heires for euer warranting vnto the said Joseph Tilden quiett possession of of the aforesaid pcells of land against all opposers whatsoever. And I do hereby couenant to the said Joseph Tilden that Elizabeth my wyfe shall w<sup>th</sup>in six months next after the date hereof giue vp her Right in the said lands vnto the said Joseph Tilden and his heires before the Goũment of New Plymouth for the tyme being. In witneš whereof I haue herevnto set my hand ℓ Seale the thirteenth day of November in the Eighteenth yeare of the Raigne of our Soũaigne Lord Charles by the Grace of God of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland King Defendor of the fayth ℓc 1643.

SAMUELL HOWSE.

Sealed and Delified  
in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of us  
James Torrey 1643  
Samuell ffuller  
Thomas Tilden  
James Tilt



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\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>A Deed shewed and Recorded the xx<sup>th</sup> Aprill Anno Dñi 1644.

**T**O all Christian people to whom these p<sup>r</sup>nt℥ shall come greeting Know yee that John Emerson of Scittuate in America Planter hath for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of fourty shillings of good and lawfull money of England before hand payd haue enfeoffed bargained and sold vnto Nathaniell Tilden of Scittuate aforesaid Planter all my lands vpon the third Cliff and Marish land therevnto adjoyneing the bredth of the said lott w<sup>ch</sup> is in breadth twelue rods and fourteene foote containeing by estyma<sup>o</sup>n fiue acres whether there be of the same more or lesse as by the bounds may appeare adjoyneing to the land of John Stockbridg towards the South to the Sea towards the East to the lands of Thomas Byrd towards the North to the watercoast or greenefeilds towards the west all w<sup>ch</sup> said lands are by thaforsaid John Emerson absolutely sold and confirmed vnto the aforesaid Nathaniell Tilden and his heires for euer w<sup>th</sup> possession and seisine thereof deliuered All w<sup>ch</sup> said lands the aforesaid John Emerson doth warrant against him and his heires for euer In witne<sup>s</sup> whereof the aforesaid John Emerson hath set his hand and Seale Dated the second day of ffebruary in the twelft Yeare of the Raigne of our So<sup>l</sup>aigne Lord King Charles 1636.

Sealed ℥ state Deliu<sup>d</sup>in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of

Thomas Laphame

George Sutton

Joseph Tilden

**T** his mark

JOHN EMERSON.



Another Deed shewed ℥ Recorded the same day.

**T**O all Christian people to whom these p<sup>r</sup>nt℥ shall come greeting Know yee that John Emerson of Scittuate in America Planter hath for ℥ in considera<sup>o</sup>n of three pounds of good and lawfull money of England before hand payd and for one bushell of mault before hand also payd and for diuers other good causes and considera<sup>o</sup>ns him therevnto mooueing haue enfeoffed giuen bargained and sold vnto Nathaniell Tilden of Scittuate aforesaid Planter all my Marsh land in New harbour Marshes layd out to me and to my vse by Edward ffoster by the Townes appoyntment and is now in myne owne occupa<sup>o</sup>n or appoyntment being nine acres more or lesse by a late admeas-urement bounding as followeth viz vnto the lands of Humphrey Turner towards the North to the land of Thomas Chambers towards the East to the

Riuer called the North Riuer towards the South to the lands of Nathaniell Tilden towards the west all w<sup>ch</sup> land w<sup>th</sup> the way and wayes now or here-  
tofore therevnto had or vsed haue giuen and sold vnto the aforesaid Nathaniell  
Tilden & his heires foreuer, and do the same warrant against all men for euer  
In witnes whereof the aforesaid John Emerson hath herevnto set his hand  
and seale Dated the tenth day of October in the fifteenth yeare of the Raigne  
of our Soueraigne Lord King Charles Anno Dñi 1639.

JOHN EMERSON.

Sealed and state deliued  
in the presence of  
Thomas Chambers  
Abraham Preble  
Joseph Tilden

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>

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The xx<sup>th</sup> day of Aprill 1644. A deed acknowledged & recorded &c.

**T**O all Christian people to whom these p<sup>nt</sup>& shall come greeting Know  
yee that I Henry Merritt of Scittuate in America Planter haue in con-  
sideraçon of Twenty shillings before hand payd by Nathaniell Tilden of  
Scittuate Planter in consideraçon thereof I the aforesaid Henry Merritt haue  
giuen bargained and sold vnto the aforesaid Nathaniell Tilden and his heires  
foreuer all that land w<sup>ch</sup> I had of Goodman Byrd lying w<sup>th</sup>in the fence at the  
North end of the third Cliff vnto the land of the aforesaid Nathaniell Tilden  
In witne<sup>s</sup> whereof I the aforesaid Henry Meritt haue herevnto set my hand  
and Seale Dated the this tenth of Aprill 1628.

HENRY MERITT **H** his marke.

Sealed & deliued in  
the p<sup>r</sup>sence of  
Thomas Hayward  
Thomas **T** Lapham  
his marke.



Another Deed acknowledg and recorded the same day.

**T**O all Christian people to whom these p<sup>nt</sup>& shall come greeting Know  
yee that William Crocker of Scittuate in America Planter Hath for and  
in consideraçon of fifty and fue shillings of good and lawfull money of Eng-

land satisfied and payd haue enfeoffed giuen bargained and sold vnto Nathaniell Tilden of Scittuate aforesaid Planter two acres of Marsh land more or lesse lying and bounding as followeth to the lands of Thomas Chittington towards the North to the lands of the aforesaid Nathaniell Tilden towards the East to the lands of Thomas Besbeeche towards the South to the lands of William Crocker and Georg Bower towards the West vnto a water course or Creeke below the third Cliffe and land called Greenefeilds All w<sup>ch</sup> land William Crocker hath sould vnto the aforesaid Nathaniell Tilden and his heires for euer w<sup>th</sup> a sufficient way of thirty foote broad from the heigh way beside Greenfeild stile vnto the Marsh land aboue written sould and bounden lying betweene the landℓ of Thomas Besbeeche and the pallasadoes going from Greenfeild stile to the Creeke aboue mençoned w<sup>ch</sup> way of thirty foote is sould vnto Nathaniell Tilden his heires execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ and Assignes foreuer to goe ride leade driue carry and recarry at all tymes for euer In witnes whereof the aforesaid William Crocker hath herevnto set his hand ℓ Seale Dated the sixteenth day of May Anno Dñi 1638.

Sealed and state Delivered

WILLIAM CROCKER

in the p<sup>r</sup>esence of

Thomas  Lampham his mark

Joseph Tilden

Edward Ginkins



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\* WINSLOW Gou<sup>r</sup>

The xxviii<sup>th</sup> of Octob<sup>r</sup> 1644.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That Caleb Hopkins sonn and heire vnto M<sup>r</sup> Steephen Hopkins of Plymouth deceased hath freely and absolutely giuen graunted enfeoffed and confirmed vnto Gyles Hopkins of Yarmouth Planter one hundred acres of those lands taken up for the Purchasors of Satuckquett w<sup>ch</sup> said landℓ do acruer vnto the said Steephen as a Purchasor To haue and to hold the said hundred acres of lands w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñçℓ therevnto belonging vnto the said Gyles Hopkins his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said Giles Hopkins his heires and Assignes foreu<sup>r</sup> ℓc.



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This ensuing Deed was shewed and recorded the eight of April 1645.

**T**O all people to whom these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> shall come Manaseth Kempton of New Plymouth in New England in America Planter sendeth greeting Know yee that the said Manaseth Kempton for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum<sup>o</sup> of Tenn pounds ster<sup>l</sup> part whereof is in hand payd and the rest secured to be payd at dayes and tymes agreed vpon wherew<sup>th</sup> the said Manaseth Kempton is fully satisfied and contented Hath freely & absolutely bargained sold enfeoffed and confirmed and by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> doth bargaine sell enfeoffe and confirme vnto Joseph Tilden of Scittuate in the Gou<sup>r</sup>ment of New Plymouth aforesaid yeoman All that Iland scittuate and being in the Marshes on the South side of the Towne of Scittuate and next to the mouth of the North Riuer harbour and commonly knowne or called by the name of Coopers Iland and lying on the South side of the said North Riuer containeing by estima<sup>o</sup>n eighteene acres of vpland be it more or lesse together w<sup>th</sup> the Marsh meddow therevnto adjoyneing & belonging containeing by estima<sup>o</sup>n eighteene acres be it more or lesse and lying to the said vpland betwixt two Creeks both yssuing forth of the said North Riuer one extending it self Southerly on the South side of the said Iland and thother Creek extending it self Northerly and trending about southerly and afterward<sup>l</sup> meeting thaforesaid Creek w<sup>th</sup>in some eight or tenn pole or there about<sup>l</sup> w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> to the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> belonging or in any wise appertaineing and euery part and pcell thereof and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> with their app<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> and euery part and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said Iland containeing by estima<sup>o</sup>n eighteene acres of vpland and eighteene acres of Marsh meddow thereto belonging bee they more or lesse w<sup>th</sup> all and euery their app<sup>r</sup>teñces vnto the said Joseph Tilden his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of him the said Joseph Tilden his heires and Assignes for euer to bee holden of our Sou<sup>r</sup>aigne Lord the King as of his Mannor of East Greenwich in the County of Kent w<sup>th</sup>in the Realme of England in free and Common Soccage and not in Capite nor by Knights service by the Rent<sup>l</sup> and servic<sup>l</sup> thereof and thereout due and of Right accustomed and w<sup>th</sup> warranties against all people for euer by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> from by or vnder him claymeing any Right title or interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> or any pt or pcell thereof And the said Manaseth Kempton doth further couenant and graunt by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> that it shall & may be lawfull for the said Joseph Tilden his heires and Assignes either by themselues or their Attorney to

record or enroll these p<sup>r</sup>nts or cause them to be recorded and enrolled in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court at Plymouth before the Go<sup>v</sup>n<sup>r</sup> for the tyme being according to the vsuall manner and order of recording and enrolling euedences in such case p<sup>u</sup>ided In witnes whereof the said Manaseth Kempton hath herevnto set his hand & seale the twenty eight day of January in the xx<sup>th</sup> yeare of the Raigne of o<sup>r</sup> So<sup>l</sup>aigne Lord Charles by the grace of God King of England Scotland ffrance & Ireland defendor of the fayth &c. Annoq; Dñi 1644.



MANASETH  KEMPTON.

Sealed and Delivered in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of  
Nathaniell Sowther  
Nathaniell Morton



And it was further vnderwritten as followeth in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of the said Nathaniell Sowther & Nathaniell Morton viz<sup>s</sup>. And I do authorise hereby Wil<sup>m</sup> Brookes for me & in my name & stead into any pt of the said p<sup>r</sup>misss to enter and peaceable & quiet possession thereof for me & in my stead to deliuer in name of the whole vnto the said Joseph Tilden according to the true intent purport & meaneing of these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup>.

MENASETH  KEMPTON.

And endorsed as followeth viz<sup>s</sup>. Deliuery of seisin and possession was giuen by the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Brookes w<sup>th</sup> in named to the w<sup>th</sup> in named Joseph Tilden in their pp<sup>r</sup> p<sup>r</sup>sons according to the intent of the deede w<sup>th</sup> in written and by the appoyntment of the w<sup>th</sup> in named Manaseth Kempton the third of March 1644 in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of Nathaniell Byam Thomas Tilden John Williams  Gilbert  Brooke.

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\* WINSLOW GO<sup>v</sup>.

The third of March 1644.

**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> That Joyce Wallen widdow doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n that Gyles Rickett sen<sup>r</sup> shall winter her a cowe so long as shee liueth in Plymouth or elsewhere hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Gyles Rickett one acree of meddow land bee it more or lesse lying at Hobbs hole w<sup>th</sup>all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging and all her right title and interest of and into the same and euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said acree of meddow land

vnto the said Gyles Rickett his heires and Assignes for eũ to the onely pp use and behoofe of him the said Gyles Rickett his heires and Assignes for euer./

**M**EMORANĎ the same day That Richard Higgens doth acknowledg that for and in consideraĉõn of the suĩ of fourty shillings. Tenn shillings whereof is in hand payd and thother thirty shillings to be payd by the said Gyles Rickett in October next hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Gyles Rickett half an acree of marsh meddow be it more or lesse lying at Hobbs hole and adjoyneing vnto the foresaid acree (bought of Joyce Wallen) and all his Right title and interest of and into the same To haue and to hold the said half acree of marsh meddow be it more or lesse w<sup>th</sup> all ẽ singular thapp<sup>r</sup>teĩcẽ therevnto belonging vnto the said Gyles Rickett his heires ẽ Assignes for eũ and to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Gyles Rickett his heires and Assignes for euer.

**M**EMORANĎ the same day That Josias Cooke doth acknowledg That for ẽ in consideraĉõn of the suĩ of fiue pounds to be payd him in Cowe Cattell or swyne at Plymouth in October next by Gyles Rickett sen<sup>r</sup> hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the sayd Gyles Rickett his heires and Assignes All that his barne ẽ garden place and fence about the same adjoyneing to the house and garden place of the said Gyles Rickett on the north side and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis̃s every pt thereof w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teĩcẽ To haue and to hold the said Barne and garden place w<sup>th</sup> the fenc about the same w<sup>th</sup> all and every thap<sup>r</sup>teĩcẽ therevnto belonging vnto the said Gyles Rickett his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pp use and behoofe of him the said Gyles Rickett his heires and Assignes for euer.

guided That the said Gyles Rickett shall not enter vpon the p<sup>r</sup>mis̃s vntill the said Josias Cooke haue reaped the corne w<sup>ch</sup> he shall sowe this spring vpon the said garden place./

A deed recorded the 4<sup>th</sup> march 1644 as followeth

October the 25<sup>th</sup> 1642.

**T**HIS witnesseth That I Peter Collymore of Sittuate in the Corporaĉõn of New Plymouth in New England haue fully sold and bargained for my whole parte and share of my house and land w<sup>ch</sup> I haue in ptnership w<sup>th</sup> John Harker vnto Wilłm Wills of Scittuate aforesaid and haue fully and

absolutely sold the halfe of the houseing and the half of the land both of the vpland as also of the Marsh land together w<sup>th</sup> all the appurtenances therevnto beloinging to the said William Wills and his heires foreuer and haue and do by these p<sup>r</sup>sents giue him absolute Right and title and all Interest that I haue in the said house & lands free from my self & my heires execut<sup>r</sup> or successors for euer and do make full surrender hereof vpon the xxv<sup>th</sup> day of qctober in the yeare An<sup>o</sup> Dñi 1642. wherevnto I Peter Collymore do set my hand and seale vpon the day of the date hereof.

Witnesses

PETER COLLYMER

*PC* (Seal.)

Elisha Bisbe

Walter Woodworth

*M*

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\* The xxj<sup>th</sup> of March 1644.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That John Smalley doth acknowledg That for and in consideraçõ of the suff<sup>o</sup> of Nyne pounds and tenn shillings ster<sup>t</sup> foure pound<sup>l</sup> whereof is in hand payd by Edmond Tilson and the residue is to be payd by him in twenty bushells of wheate and eleauen bushells of Rye the tenth day of October next good and merchantable corne Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Edmond Tilson All that his house and houseing & garden place at Wellingsly w<sup>th</sup> the vpland<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging at Wooberry w<sup>th</sup> all his meddow lying at Warrens Wells and at Colebrook meddows in the woods and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s and euery part and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the messuge buildings garden place w<sup>th</sup> the Vplands at Wooberry the meddowing at Warrens Wells and at Colebrook meddowes w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñices to the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s belonging and euery pt and pcell thereof vnto the said Edmond Tilson his heires and Assignes for euer and to the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said Edmond Tilson his heires and Assignes for euer.

It is agreed that the Corne shall be deliued at Plymouth by the old measure.

Edmond Tillson hath fully satisfied and payed mee John Smaley for the house land and meddow and their appurtenances aboue written  
Witnes my hand this sixte of Nouember 1650

JOHN SMALY

The last of february 1644.

**R**OGER CHAUNDLER of Duxborrow acknowledgeth the sale of five and twenty acres of land to ffrancis Godfrey of the same lying on the Northerne side of the ffreshett that ruñeth into Greenes harbour where the way to Situate crosseth the same being on the vpper side the said payth and butting on the lands of the said ffrancis on the other side the said payth, and adjoyneing to sixteene acres w<sup>ch</sup> was giuen out to John Phillips to the Norward of it which said pcell of land the said Roger hath sold for and in the consideraçõn of fourty shillings to be payd thone half in March following and the other half in March come Twelue months. The said Roger bynding himself and his heires to make good the same to the said ffrancis and his heires for euer.

passed before Edward Winslow Gou<sup>r</sup>  
the day and yeare aboue mençõned.

\*BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup>.

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**M**EMORANÐ That M<sup>r</sup> John Holmes of Plymouth Messenger doth acknowledged that for and in consideraçõn of the sum of twelue bushells of Corne or there abouts to him payd by Experience Michell of Duxborrow hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Experience all those his two acres of Marsh meddowing lying next vnto the medow of experienc Michell aforsaid with all his Right title and Interrest of and into the same vnto the onely proper vse of him the said exsperienc Michell his heaires and asynes for euer.

The xij<sup>th</sup> of June 1645.

**M**EMORANÐ That Wil<sup>m</sup> Hiller of Duxborrow Carpenter doth acknowledged that for and in consideraçõn of the sum of fourty shillings to him in hand payd by Wil<sup>m</sup> ffoard of the same Miller wherew<sup>th</sup> he doth acknowledged himself fully satisfied & payd Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> ffoard all that pcell of vpland lying on Duxborrow side on the west side of the heigh way leading from Plymouth to Duxborrow mill pcell of the lands lately purchased of Robert Mendame contayneing by estimaçõn nine acres be it more or lesse all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>t</sup>ences therevnto belonging To haue and to hold the said nine acres of vpland be it

more or lesse w<sup>th</sup> thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> ffoard his heires and Assignēs for euer to the onely pp use and behoofe of him the said Wil<sup>m</sup> ffoard his heires and Assignēs for euer.

The vij<sup>th</sup> July 1645.

Released.

**M**EMORAN<sup>Ḃ</sup> That Edmond Tilson doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>Ḃ</sup>on that John Dunham jun shall pay him thirteene bushells of Indian Corne and fve bushells of Wheate at Major Sedgweeks in Charles Towne in the Massachusets Bay before the end of March next and three pounds more in Countrey pay by that tyme twelue months hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said John Dunhame all that his house and garden place lying at Wellingsley lately purchased of Henry Wad w<sup>th</sup> all and singular thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging and all his Right title and interest of and into the same and euey pt ℥ pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house and garden place w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singular thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging vnto the said John Dūhame his heires ℥ Assignes foreuer and to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said John Dunhame his heires and Assignes foreuer.

This bargaine and sale was released before the Gofūnor w<sup>th</sup> consent of both pties the ix<sup>th</sup> October following the date abouesaid.

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\*The 27<sup>th</sup> of Octobr 1647./.

**M**EMORAN<sup>Ḃ</sup> that Samuell Cutbert doth acknowledge that for and in considera<sup>Ḃ</sup>on of y<sup>e</sup> sum of Eight shillings x<sup>d</sup> in hand paid hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto Giles Ricard se<sup>n</sup> one acre of vpland lying nexte Wellingsly brooke on the north side thereof being p<sup>te</sup> and pcell of an allotm<sup>t</sup> of land of iiij acres there lying abutting on y<sup>e</sup> Sea three acres whereof I formerly sold y<sup>e</sup> said Giles as vpon the Record thereof app<sup>r</sup>s. with all and singular the app<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging and all his right title ℥ interest of and in the same ℥ eūy pte ℥ pcell thereof to haue ℥ to hold the said one acre of vpland w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ singular the app<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging vnto ye said Giles Rickard his heires ℥ assignes for eū ℥ to y<sup>e</sup> only pp vse ℥ behoofe of him y<sup>e</sup> said Giles Rickard his heires ℥ assignes for euer./.

\*BRADFORD GOŪ    xxj<sup>th</sup> Caſli Rē.

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xvij<sup>th</sup> of July 1645.

**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> that John Shawe junior doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the ſu<sup>m</sup> of *of the ſum of* foure pounds and tenn ſhillings to be payd him by Samuell Stertevaunt in good merchantable Beaver at or before the laſt day of October next enſueing the date hereof Hath freely and abſolutely bargained and ſold vnto the ſaid Samuell Stertevaunt all that his lott of land lately purchaſed of Edward Dotey containeing twenty acres lying at the heigh cliff betwixt the lands of Samuell Cutbert on the Southſide and the lands of John Shawe ſenior on the Northſide and all his right title and intereſt of and into the ſaid p<sup>r</sup>miſſs w<sup>th</sup> their appu<sup>r</sup>teñces and euery part and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the ſaid lott of land containeing twenty acres w<sup>th</sup> all and ſingular thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc therevnto belonging vnto the ſaid Samuell Stertevaunt his heires and Assignes for euer and to the onely pp<sup>r</sup> vſe and behoofe of him the ſaid Samuell Stertevaunt his heires and Assignes for euer./

The xv<sup>th</sup> of August 1645.

**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> That Samuell Cutbert doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the ſum of thirty ſhillings to be payd vnto the ſaid Samuell by Gilēs Rickett ſeñ ſome pt thereof in linnen cloth and the reſt otherwiſe hath freely and abſolutely bargained and ſold vnto the ſaid Giles Rickett ſeñ all thoſe his three acres of vpland lying next Wellingsly brook on the North ſide thereof and butting vpon the Sea w<sup>th</sup> all and ſinger thapp<sup>r</sup>tences therevnto belonging and all his Right title and intereſt of and into the ſame and euery pt and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the ſaid three acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> all and ſingular thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging vnto the ſaid Gyles Rickett his heires and Assignes for euer and to the onely pp<sup>r</sup> uſe and behoofe of him the ſaid Gyles Rickett his heires and Assignes for euer./

The xvij<sup>th</sup> of August 1645.

**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> That Richard Higgens doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the ſu<sup>m</sup> of twelue pounds to be payd in manner and forme following by John Churchwell That is to ſay five pounds the firſt of March next fourty ſhillings that tyme twelue months and fourty ſhillings the firſt of March 1647 and the remayneing three pound℥ the firſt of March in the yeare of our Lord 1648 all w<sup>ch</sup> payment℥ are to bee made in Corne or cattell or other current payment of the Countrey as they will then paſſe from

man to man at the said tymes of payment Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said John Churchwell all that his dwelling house outhouses and buildings w<sup>th</sup> the garden and orchard scituate neere Brownes Rock together w<sup>th</sup> the vplands therevnto adjoyneing And all his lands at Wooberry together w<sup>th</sup> his meddow at South ponds and at Colebrook meddowes towards Aggawam and all the fenceing now in and about any part of the p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> and all his Right title and Interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> and euery pt and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house outhouses orchard and garden w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the vplands & meddowes therevnto belonging or in any wise appertaineing w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces to the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> or any part of them belonging or in any wise appertaineing vnto the said John Churchwell his heires and Assignes for eū to the onely pp use and behoofe of him the said John Churchwell his heires and Assignes foreuer p<sup>r</sup>uided that it shalbe lawfull for the said Richard Higgens to take away the boards that lyne an innward roome and the bed stead and board<sup>l</sup> ouer head and some fruit trees in the Orchard so that he leaue the said John thirty good fruit trees in the s<sup>d</sup> orchard And the foresaid payments to be made at Plym.

October the 29 1649.

Receiued by mee Richard Higgins full Satisfaction from John Churchill vpon all accoumpts from the begining of the world to this p<sup>r</sup>sent.

RICHARD HIGGINS

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The xxv<sup>th</sup> August 1645.

**M**EMORAN<sup>o</sup> That Anthony Snow doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of six pounds eighteene shillings to be payd by Thomas Dunhame in manner & forme following That is to say thirty bushells of Indian Corne assoone as Corne is merchantable and sixteene bushells more of Indian Corne in Nouember 1647 to be payd at Plymouth at whose house the said Anthony shall appoynt yt Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Thomas Dunhame All that his house and eight acres of enclosed vpland be it more or lesse adjoyneing to the said house w<sup>th</sup> the lands lying at the head thereof vntaken in and all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging And all his right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> and euery part and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house and lands w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belong-



ing vnto the said Thomas Dunhame his heires & Assignes for euer and to the onely pp use and behoofe of him the said Thomas Dunhame his heires and Assignes for euer./

The xvj<sup>th</sup> Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1645.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Morris Truant and Solomon Lenner of Duxborrow came before the Gofn<sup>r</sup> and acknowledged That they haue mutually exchanged their now Dwelling houses and vplands and meddowes w<sup>ch</sup> now they haue in possession or any graunt of The one w<sup>th</sup> the other So that the said Morris Truant shall haue and enjoy the house vplands and meddow of the said Solomon Lenner w<sup>ch</sup> he lately bought of Edward Bumpas and all the pcell of Cofn<sup>on</sup> land w<sup>ch</sup> the Towne of Duxborrow graunted the said Solomon lying betwixt the said house & land purchased of Edward Bumpas as aforesaid and m<sup>r</sup> Aldens. To haue and to hold the said house vpland meddow land & Cofn<sup>on</sup> land graunted as aforesaid w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> vnto the said Morris Truant his heires and Assignes for eū and to his & their onely p use and behoofe for eū And likewise That the said Solomon Lenner shall haue and enjoy the house garden & buildings and vplands and meddow w<sup>ch</sup> apptained to the said Morris Truant at Blew ffish Riuer w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler the app<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> to the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> belonging To haue and to hold the said house houseing garden vpland & meddow at Blew ffish Riuer w<sup>th</sup> all and euery thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc<sup>l</sup> to the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> belonging vnto the said Solomon Lenner his heires and Assignes for eū and to their onely pper use and behoofe foreū.

The xxiiij<sup>th</sup> Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1645.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That whereas Edward Holman and Amy his wyfe by their deede beareing date the xvij<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1644 in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum<sup>m</sup> of xix<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> to them in hand payd by Wil<sup>m</sup> Browne haue freely & absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Browne all those their six acres of vpland lying in the New feild on the west side the land of Andrew Ring. And the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Browne by his deede beareing date the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1644 in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum<sup>m</sup> of fifty shillings payd vnto the said W<sup>m</sup> by John Harmon hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold the foresaid six acres of vpland vnto the said John Harmon And now the said John Harmon doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of thirty shillings whereof Twenty shillings is in hand payd by Webb Adey and thother tenn shillings to be shortly payd Hath freely and absolutely bargained and

sold vnto the said Webb Adey all the foresaid six acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging w<sup>th</sup> the fenceing in and aboute the same and all his Right title and Interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss ℥ euery pt and pcell thereof To haue ℥ to hold the said six acres of vpland and fenceing about it w<sup>th</sup> all and euery thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging vnto the said Webb Adey his heires ℥ Assignes for eũ and to the onely pp vse and behoofe of him the said Webb Adey his heires and Asss for euer./

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**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Josias Cooke doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of one heiffer to him in hand payd and deliued by Gyles Rickett Señ of Plym weaver whereof he doth acknowledg him self fully satisfied and payd hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Gyles Rickett All those his nine acres of vpland lying at Taughtacanteist hill on the south side Plymouth brooke six acres whereof was lately purchased of m<sup>r</sup> Steeven Hopkins and thother three acres of Samuell ffuller w<sup>th</sup> all and euery thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging and all his Right title ℥ interest of and into the same and euery pt ℥ pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said Nine acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ therevnto belonging vnto the said Giles Rickett his heires and Assignes for eũ and to the onely pper use ℥ behoofe of him the said Gyles Rickett his heires and Assignes for euer/

The xxv<sup>th</sup> Septemb<sup>r</sup> 1645.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Nathaniell Sowther doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of the suff<sup>r</sup> of fíue pound℥ ster<sup>t</sup> (and one Goat Kid in hand) to be payd by John Dunham jun<sup>r</sup> in Corne or Cattell but not aboue a third pt in Indian Corne as the prises are at the tyme of payment that is to say fifty shillings the first of October come twelues months and thother fifty shillings that tyme twelue months after at the said Nathaniells house in Plymouth or where he shall appoynt yt Hath freely and absolutely bargained ℥ sold vnto the said John Dũhame all those his tenn acres of vpland be it more or lesse and the fence about the same and the garden place lying ã Wellingsly w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging w<sup>th</sup> all his right title and interest of and into the same and euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said tenn acres of vpland be it more or lesse and the garden place w<sup>th</sup> all and euery their app<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ vnto the said John Dunhame his heires and Assignes for eũ and to their onely pper vse ℥ behoofe for euer./

The ix<sup>th</sup> October 1645.

**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> That m<sup>r</sup> Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hicks doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>õ</sup>õn of the sum<sup>m</sup> of foure pound<sup>l</sup> to be p<sup>r</sup>sently paid by Georg Partrich in two hoggs and the rest in Corne Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said George Partrich all that pcell of Marsh meddow lying from a little brook behynd a pcell of land sold to m<sup>r</sup> Raph Partrich to the Marsh meddow of m<sup>r</sup> John Howland containeing two acres be it more or lesse and all his right title and interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñ<sup>ç</sup> To haue and to hold the said two acres of Marsh Meddow be it more or lesse bounded as afore<sup>s</sup>d w<sup>th</sup> thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ<sup>ç</sup>s therevnto belonging vnto the said Georg Partrich his heires and Assignes fore<sup>ũ</sup> and to the onely p<sup>p</sup>per use and behoofe of him the said George Partrich his heires and Assignes for e<sup>ũ</sup>. Prouided That the said George Partrich his heires and Assignes shall make and continue a fence on the Creek side next to m<sup>r</sup> Hicks sufficient to keep out Cattell.

The said m<sup>r</sup> Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hicks hath also graunted a swampe running from the Marsh to a well towards John Handmores house vnto the said Georg Partrich for tenn yeares from the first day of Octob<sup>r</sup> last to be used for graseing and mowing (if vpon improuement it will make meddow: And at thend of the said terme of tenn yeares to leaue it to the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Hicks his heires & Ass<sup>s</sup>.

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**W**HEREAS William Brewster late of Ply<sup>m</sup> gen<sup>t</sup> deceased left onely two sonnes surviueing viz<sup>t</sup> Jonathan the eldest and Loue the yeonger And whereas the said William died intestate for ought can to this day appeare The said Jonathan and Loue his sonnes when they returned from the buriall of their father to the house of M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford of Plymouth in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of M<sup>r</sup> Raph Partrich Pastor of Duxborrow M<sup>r</sup> John Reynor Teacher of the Church at Plymouth and M<sup>r</sup> Edward Buckley Pastor of the Church at Marshfeild and many others being exhorted to honor their Ref<sup>ũ</sup>end father w<sup>th</sup> a peaceable p<sup>p</sup>ceeding about the diuision of his estate between them. The said Jonathan first answered for his part that although hee were the elder yet was willing to deuide lands and goods equally betweene himself and brother. And if in case any differrence should arrise betweene them that it might be soone suppressed said he heere are four of my fathers deere and auncient friends viz<sup>t</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford then Go<sup>v</sup>nor of Plymouth M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslow of Marshfeild M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prence of Plymouth aforesaid and Captaine

Miles Standish of Duxborrow. And if my brother please to accept my motion whereinsoeſt we shall differ we will stand to their award w<sup>ch</sup> shalbe as firme as if it had beene done by our father ¶ To all w<sup>ch</sup> the said Loue Brewster condiscended to the greate satisfaccōn of the whole Assembly the said freinds of his father being there also p<sup>s</sup>ent who willingly engaged themselues therein to the vtmost of their power. And whereas afterward difference arose betweene the said brethren Jonathan and Loue in diuers p<sup>t</sup>iculers about the late dwelling house of their said father at Duxborrow wherein the said Loue dwelt and had donn from his marriage to that instant also about certaine accompt wherein Jonathan was made debtor to the estate in a large sume ¶ Herevpon according to p<sup>m</sup>ise they referring themselues to the said speciall and most intimate frends of their said father the said Edward Winslow afterwards Gou<sup>n</sup>or of Plymouth M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prence and Captaine Miles Standish aforesaid haueing heard diuers thinges alleadged on Loues behalf to proue that the said House and half the Lands of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> belonging therevnto aswell as any other the lands of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> devided or to be devided w<sup>th</sup> an entire half part of the estate of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> was giuen to the said Loue and Sarah his wyfe vpon a Couenant of Contract of marryage to be due at the death of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Brewster now deceased. All w<sup>ch</sup> was offerred to be prooued legally if neede require by solemne p<sup>m</sup>ise though not in writing The said Jonathan also offering to take off vpon oath the greatest p<sup>t</sup> of the said debt ¶ also ¶ The said Edward Winslow Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford Thomas Prence ¶ Captaine Miles Standish being well acquainted w<sup>th</sup> their said case aswell by diuers thinges heard from their reſiend father in his life as by the evedence now offerred to be p<sup>d</sup>uced on both sides determyned as followeth And first of all for the said debts w<sup>ch</sup> were alleadged against the said Jonathan the elder brother by the said Loue the yonger as aforesaid we conceiue that if their father had not acquitted them before his death yet hee would neſi haue charged his eldest sonn w<sup>th</sup> them in regard of his greate charge of children and so beleueing it was donn actually or intenuely or both we discharged Jonathan of all the said debt his brother made him debtor to the estate aforesaid except foure pounds sterling w<sup>ch</sup> wee award him to pay his brother Loue in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the wintering of some cattell w<sup>ch</sup> the said Jonathan had the sommering vpon the diuision and for the dyett of Isaack Allerton a grandchild of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> w<sup>ch</sup> he had placed w<sup>th</sup> his sonn Loue to table And because hee was the first borne of his father we gaue him his fathers Armes and also a two yeare old heiffer ouer and aboue his part of the deuideables of the said estate. And for the Dwelling house aforesaid of the said Wil<sup>m</sup> wherein the said Loue Brewster resided we were so

well acquainted w<sup>th</sup> the purpose of the s<sup>d</sup> Willm now deceased and the evidence offerred for prooffe seemed to us so strong as wee beleueing the said Willm had actually or intentiuely or both giuen the said house to his sonn Loue and Sarah his wyfe and their heires &c Wee the <sup>^</sup> Edward William Thomas and Myles awarded the said dwelling house to the said Loue and Sarah his wyfe and their heires &c together w<sup>th</sup> half the said Estate of Lands goods and cattells except before excepted and aswell such other lands as are not yet diuided blonging to the said Willm as a Purchaser of the Patent & Planta<sup>o</sup>n of New Plymouth aforesaid as that at Duxborrow whereon hee liued And whereas some difference might haue arrisen about the diuision of the said Lands at Duxborrow M<sup>r</sup> Willm Vassell being requested to surveye the said Lands he made a diuision of yt in two parts being an hundred & eleauen acres of vpland or thereabout & viz<sup>t</sup> to Jonathan Brewster an sixtie eight acres or thereabouts w<sup>ch</sup> lay entire together next a dwelling house w<sup>ch</sup> the said Jonathan had built on the said land by the leaue of his said father and all the meddow on that side a creeke (w<sup>ch</sup> diuideth the greatest part of the said land) below a Bridg on the way betweene the houses of Jonathan and Loue his brother And to Loue Brewster fourty three acres of vpland or there abouts adjoyneing to his dwelling house whereof thirty acres was cleered land and almost all in tillage the other thirteene being woodland as it was deuided in the said Plott drawne by the said Surveighor and marked out and allowed by us except a pcell of land about three quarters of an acree pte in the garden of the said Jonathan and pt in a Swamp adjoyneing wherein onely the \*said Jonathan had Water to his house as it was marked and staked by us Also we gaue vnto Loue Brewster all the meddow on that side the Creek adjoyneing to his land where he liueth and also that smale pcell w<sup>ch</sup> lyeth aboue the Bridg betweene their two houses before expressed And the reason wherefore we gaue Loue the lesse quantitie was and is because the quality of Loues land in goodnes is equall to the quantitie of Jonathans as we judg And that this is the full determina<sup>o</sup>n of vs the said Edward Willm Thomas and Myles vpon the referrence aforesaid of the said Jonathan and Loue as wee are pswaded in our consciences to be equall and just haueing to our best abillities faythfully discharged our duties towards God their deceased father our former worthy frend and towards Jonathan and Loue his onely children remayneing In Witnes thereof we haue put to our hands and ordered it to be put vpon the Records of the Gouerment. finished at Plymouth the xx<sup>th</sup> August 1645.

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WILLIAM BRADFORD  
THO: PRENCE

EDW: WINSLOW  
MYLES STANDISH.

\*200           \* A deed acknowledged and recorded the vj<sup>th</sup> of January 1645 in these wordℓ following

**T**O all people to whom these p<sup>r</sup>nts shall come Richard Chadwell of Sandwich in the Goũment of New Plymouth in New England in America Ship Carpenter sendeth greeting Know yee That the said Richard Chadwell for and in consideraçõn of the suũ of thirty and five pounds and five shillings sterℓ to him in hand payd by Edmond ffreeman thelder of the same Gentleũ whereof and wherewith he doth acknowledg himself fully satisfyed and payd and thereof and of euery part ℓ pcell thereof doth exõnate acquit and discharge the said Edmond ffreeman his heires Execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ and Administrat<sup>r</sup>s and euery of them for euer by these p<sup>r</sup>nts Hath freely fully and absolutely bargained sold enfeoffed and confirmed and by these p<sup>r</sup>nts doth bargaine sell enfeoff and confirme vnto the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes for euer All that his dwelling house scituate ℓ being in Sandwich aforesaid w<sup>th</sup> one Barne and stalls for cattell adjoyneing therevnto and all the stauncheons for cattell and all other edifices and buildings whatsoever to the same belonging w<sup>th</sup> all the doores locks dressors benches glasse and glasse windowes w<sup>th</sup> the wooden shuttℓ to them belonging and the bedstead matt and bedcord in the said house together w<sup>th</sup> all lands to the said house belonging or any other lands to him appertaineing in Sandwich aforesaid whether vpland or meddowing tilled or vntilled fenced or vnfenced w<sup>th</sup> all and euery thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces to the said p<sup>r</sup>mis̃ss or any pt of them belonging lying ℓ being in Sandwich aforesaid and also all the dong or manure already made or to be made before thend of May next whilst the said Richard Chadwell occupyeth the said p<sup>r</sup>mis̃ss or any part of them and also all the apple trees standing or groweing in ℓ vpon the p<sup>r</sup>mis̃ss together w<sup>th</sup> all woods vnderwoods trees and tymber whatsoever lying growing and being vpon the said p<sup>r</sup>mis̃ss together w<sup>th</sup> all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis̃ss and their appurteñces and euery part and p<sup>r</sup>cell of them And also all the Right title and Interest clayme and demaund That the said Richard Chadwell hath or may or ought to haue in any lands in Sandwich aforesaid or otherwise by reason of his Committeeship or any suũ or suũs of money therefore due vnto him either in regard of charges disbursed by him or any paynes taken for the settling of the said plantaçõn of Sandwich in the begining thereof and all such lands whether vplands or meddowing or both as shalbe at any tyme hereafter further added and graunted to the said dwelling house by the Committees or Townesmen of Sandwich aforesaid To haue and to hold the said Dwelling house barne stalls adjoyneing w<sup>th</sup> the stauncheons for cattell edifices buildings w<sup>th</sup> all doores

locks windowes glasse and glasse windowes w<sup>th</sup> their shutts and all benches dressors bedstead matt and bedcord in the house together w<sup>th</sup> all lands vplands and meddowing whether fenced or vnfenced tilled or vntilled together w<sup>th</sup> all appletrees woods vnderwoods trees and tymber lying being and groweing in and vpon the bargained p<sup>r</sup>misses and the pprietie in them w<sup>th</sup> all and euery thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces to the said p<sup>r</sup>misss or any of them belonging or any wayes appertaineing vnto the said Edmond ffreeman thelder his heires and Assignes for euer and to the onely proper use and behoofe of him the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes for euer to be holden of our So<sup>u</sup>aigne Lord the King as of his Mannor of East Greenewich in the County of Kent w<sup>th</sup>in the Realme of England in free and common Soccage and not in capite nor by knights service by the Rent℥ and service thereof and thereout due and of right accustomed And w<sup>th</sup> warranties against all people whatsoever from by or vnder the said Richard Chadwell or by his title claymeing any right title or interest of and into the said bargained p<sup>r</sup>misss or any pt or pcell of them w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñces whatsoever And the said Richard Chadwell doth further couenant and graunt by these p<sup>r</sup>nts that hee the said Richard Chadwell at the tyme of the bargaine ℥ sale makeing of thabouesaid p<sup>r</sup>misss is and was the Right and lawfull owner of thaboue bargained p<sup>r</sup>misss And doth lastly couenant and graunt by these p<sup>r</sup>nts That it shall and may be lawfull to and for the said Edmond ffreeman either by himself or his Attorney to record and enroll or cause to be recorded and enrolled the title and tenor of these p<sup>r</sup>nts in his said Ma<sup>t</sup>℥ Court at Plymouth aforesaid before the Gouvernor for the tyme being according to the usuall manner and custome of recording ℥ enrolling Deeds and euedences in such case made and p<sup>r</sup>uided. In witnes whereof the said Richard Chadwell hath to these p<sup>r</sup>nt℥ set his hand and seale the sixt day of January in the one and twentyeth yeare of the Raigne of our said So<sup>u</sup>aigne Lord Charles by the grace of God King of England Scotland ffrence ℥ Ireland Defendor of the fayth ℥ Annoq<sup>3</sup> Dñi 1645.

Sealed and deliued in  
the p<sup>r</sup>sence of

Nathaniel Sowther  
Thomas Willet  
Wilm Paddy

RICHARD CHADWELL his seale



Endorsed as followeth

Memorand that quiet and full possession and seasin of the house and p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup>in named w<sup>th</sup> their appurtenanc℥ was giuen and receiued by the w<sup>th</sup>in named Richard Chadwell and Edmond ffreeman in their owne p<sup>r</sup>per persons according to the true intent and tenor of the w<sup>th</sup>in written deed the <sup>^</sup> day of January 1645 in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of <sup>^</sup>

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\*The vj<sup>th</sup> of January 1645 this ensuing acquittance vnder hand and seale was shewed and ordered to be recorded in these words following viz<sup>l</sup>.

**B**EE it knowne vnto all men by these p<sup>nts</sup> That I Thomas Taylor of London merchant haue remised released exonerated acquitted discharged and for euer quite claymed And by these p<sup>nts</sup> do for me my heires executors and administrat<sup>rs</sup> and assignes remise release exonerate acquit discharge and for euer quite clayme vnto Richard Chadwell & Thomas Chadwell of Sandwich in New England Shiprights All and all manner of actions cause and causes of actions suits debts accounts reckonings bonds bills specialties judgment<sup>l</sup> execu<sup>ōns</sup> condemna<sup>ōns</sup> trespasses controuersies differences claymes and demaunds whatsoever which I the said Thomas Taylor heretofore haue had now haue or hereafter may or might haue against the said Richard Chadwell and Thomas Chadwell their execut<sup>rs</sup> administrator<sup>l</sup> or Assignes for any matter cause or thing whatsoever from the beginning of the world vntill the day of the date hereof In witnes whereof I haue herevnto put my hand and seale the second day of June Anno D<sup>ni</sup> 1645 A<sup>no</sup>q<sup>3</sup> Reg<sup>n</sup> D<sup>ni</sup> n<sup>ri</sup> Caroli Dei gra<sup>ti</sup> Ang<sup>l</sup> Sco<sup>ti</sup> ffran<sup>ci</sup> & Hib<sup>ni</sup>e Reg<sup>l</sup> fidei defensor & vicesimo primo.

Sealed and deliuered  
in the presence of  
William Moore Sc<sup>r</sup>  
Daniell Crofford

THOMAS TAYLOR



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\*BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup>

The vj<sup>th</sup> day of January 1645.

**W**HEREAS there was a Debt of 54<sup>li</sup> or ther about<sup>l</sup> oweing vnto M<sup>r</sup> Arthur Mansfeild of London Haberdasher by M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman sen<sup>r</sup> of Sandwich about fve yeares since for w<sup>ch</sup> Debt the said M<sup>r</sup> ffreeman gaue his bill to the said M<sup>r</sup> Mansfeild the w<sup>ch</sup> vpon payment was not deliuered but p<sup>m</sup>ised to be cancelled onely a copy thereof sent vnder publike notaries hands and a l<sup>re</sup> of Attorney to M<sup>r</sup> John Evance of Quillpeock for receipt thereof and diuers other l<sup>res</sup> written about the same and least the said principall should be sued against the said Edmond ffreeman his Execut<sup>l</sup> or administrat<sup>l</sup> all the l<sup>res</sup> and writings were ordered to be recorded that they might euedence the payment thereof if any suite or trouble should hereafter arise about the same.



The copy of the originall bill.

**M**EMORAND I Edmond ffreeman of New England do acknowledg to owe and to be endebted to Arthur Mansfeild cittizen and Haberdasher of London the sume of two and fifty pounds foure shillings and eight pence and is for a pcell of hatts w<sup>ch</sup> hee hath put for me aboard into the Planter w<sup>ch</sup> I Edmond ffreeman do acknowledg to be endebted to him And for w<sup>ch</sup> payment I Edmond ffreeman do bynd mee my execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ and administrat<sup>r</sup>ℓ or assignes to be payd to the said Arthur Mansfeild his execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ administrat<sup>r</sup>ℓ or assignes six months after the said hatts shall safely be landed in New England. In wisse whereof I Edmond ffreeman haue set my hand ℓ scale this p<sup>r</sup>sent twentieth day of July ffifteene yeare of the Raigne of our So<sup>l</sup>aigne Lord King Charles.

Sealed and deliued in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of

Edmond ffreeman.

John Ward

John Morley

Henry Rashlegghe

This is a true copy of the originall examined by me

HENRY RASHLEGGHE

FRAN: NELMES.

And this copy was thus endorsed on the backside

Juñ the 12<sup>th</sup> 1644.

Reç of M<sup>r</sup> William Paddy the sum of twelue pounds in full }  
of his bill for the vse of M<sup>r</sup> Arthur Mansfeild of London by or- }  
der of his tre of Attorney made to M<sup>r</sup> John Evance of Quillpick }  
I say Reç p<sup>r</sup> me ffra. Norton.

41<sup>li</sup>. 0<sup>s</sup>. 0<sup>d</sup> was payd before and  
now receiued more 2<sup>li</sup>. 11<sup>s</sup>. 3<sup>d</sup> for  
charges.

And I p<sup>r</sup>mise for my self my heires ℓ execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ ℓ administrat<sup>r</sup>ℓ to make good any damage that shall come to M<sup>r</sup> ffreeman in England about this bill.

These receiptℓ ℓ p<sup>r</sup>mise was written and subscribed the day and yeare aboue written in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of me Wil<sup>m</sup> Collyer and Wil<sup>m</sup> Paddy.

And further endorsed thus. viz<sup>s</sup> the true copy of M<sup>r</sup> ffreemans bill witnessed by M<sup>r</sup> Colleborne and his man that was witnes here his mans name is Henry Rashley the other two witnesss are in New England.

## The Ere of Attorney.

**K** NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sent<sup>l</sup> That I Arthur Mansfeild cittyzen and Haberdasher of London haue assigned ordayned made deputed authorized and in my place and stead by these p<sup>r</sup>sent<sup>l</sup> do put and constitute John Evans of Quiniapiake in New England merchant my true and lawfull Attorney for mee and in my name and to my use to ask levy sue for recouer and receive all such debt<sup>l</sup> duties and sum<sup>e</sup>s of money as now are and w<sup>ch</sup> hereafter shalbe due oweing or belonging vnto me by or from any person or persons whatsoever in New England aforesaid by bill bond booke contract account reckoning specialty p<sup>r</sup>mise or otherwise howsoever Giueing and by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> granting vnto my said Attorney my full power and lawfull authority touching the p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s and for me and in my name to doe say answere follow p<sup>r</sup>ceede defend and execute in all and singuler the p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s And the debtors and detayners of the p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s or any of them or any pt thereof for none payment of the said debts duties and sum<sup>e</sup>s of money or any of them or any part thereof to p<sup>r</sup>secute by all such lawfull wayes and meanes as fully as law will p<sup>r</sup>mitt And vpon receipt thereof or any pt thereof acquittanc<sup>l</sup> or any other discharges therefore for mee and in my name to make seale and deliuer And one Attorney or more vnder him to make and substitute and at his pleasure to revoake the same againe And further to do execute affect and follow all and euery other act and acts thing and things needfull in and about the p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s or any pt thereof as fully and effectually to all intent<sup>l</sup> and purposes as I my self might doe if I were p<sup>r</sup>sonally p<sup>r</sup>sent And I doe  $\ell$  will at all tymes hereafter ratyfy allow and confirme all and whatsoever my said Attorney shall do or cause to be donn needfull in or about the p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s or any part thereof by these p<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> In witnes whereof herevnto I the said Arthur Mansfeild haue set my hand and seale yeouen the nine and twentieth day of october Anno D<sup>ni</sup> 1639 and in the fifteenth yeare of the Raigne of our So<sup>l</sup>aigne Lord Charles of England  $\ell$ 3.

Sealed  $\ell$  deliued in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of

ARTHUR MANSFEILD

Henry Colbron

Fran: Nelmes



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\*The se<sup>l</sup>all tres: as followeth.

M<sup>r</sup> ffreeman I haue assigned yo<sup>r</sup> bill  $\ell$  debt over vnto my brother Evance w<sup>ch</sup> was for the beuers and hat<sup>l</sup> you bought of me a little before yo<sup>r</sup> going hence now my request vnto you is that y<sup>u</sup> wilbe pleased to pay the

suffi due to me by bill vnto my brother Evance the bill is 52<sup>l</sup> j<sup>s</sup>. 2<sup>d</sup> the charges w<sup>ch</sup> I disbursed afterwards was 2: 11: 3<sup>d</sup> which is in all 54<sup>l</sup>. 12<sup>s</sup>. 2<sup>d</sup>. I suppose my brother wilbe contented to receiue the money here, if you will take care it shalbe currently payd, my man when he tooke the bill of you, did not know what the charges was, but you shall fynd that the charges is not included in the bill of psells you had when you signed the bill, I haue sent you the pticulers in a note what the charges were, my brother Evance discharg shall acquitt you if you pay him there, or if you appoynt payment here, then I shall deliū up the bond to him that makes payment heere, I pray good Sr fayle not of makeing satisfacōn And if you can do any good w<sup>th</sup> our comodities I pray you giue order for another pcell, And so w<sup>th</sup> my love remembred to you I rest

London this 26<sup>th</sup> of  
feb<sup>r</sup>: 1639.

Yo<sup>r</sup> loueing frend  
ARTHUR MANSFEILD

and supscribed thus  
To his very loueing frend  
M<sup>r</sup> ffreeman att  
in New England this dđ  
I pray

Another Ere

Loueing frend

I wrote to you by the first ship and so also by a ship from Bristol to pay the money you owe me vnto my brother in law M<sup>r</sup> John Evance who hath power from me to give you a discharge and hath a true copy of your bond I haue assigned the same ouer vnto him for money that I owe vnto him, the money is to be payd heere by yo<sup>r</sup> pmise, and I know brother Evance had rather haue it payd to one M<sup>r</sup> Mayer a hosier his brother in law, at whose house hee lodged when he was last heere, and M<sup>r</sup> Strang I conceiue will pay it, if you order him to do it, but then I hope you wilbe vpon certainties, that he shall haue wherew<sup>th</sup> to do it and so w<sup>th</sup> my loue remembred to you expecting yo<sup>r</sup> carefull pformance thereof I rest

London this 2<sup>d</sup> of Aprill 1640.

yo<sup>r</sup> loueing frend  
ARTHUR MANSFEILD.

℄ supscribed thus  
To his very loueing frend  
M<sup>r</sup> ffreeman in New  
England this be dđ  
I pray.

Another fre

M<sup>r</sup> ffreeman

I haue assigned yo<sup>r</sup> bill and debt oũ vnto my brother Evance w<sup>ch</sup> was for the beauers ƥ hatts you bought of me a little before your going hence now my request to you is that you wilbe pleased to pay the su<sup>m</sup> due to me by bill vnto my brother Evance the bill is 52<sup>ƥ</sup>. 01. 02<sup>d</sup>. the charges w<sup>ch</sup> I disbursed after was 2<sup>ƥ</sup>. 11<sup>s</sup>. 3<sup>d</sup>. w<sup>ch</sup> is in all 54<sup>ƥ</sup>. 12. 2<sup>d</sup>, I suppose my brother wilbe contented to receiue the money heere if you take care it shalbe currently payd, my man when he tooke the bill of you knew not what the charges were, but you shall fynd that the charges is not included in the bill of pcells you had when you signed the bill I haue sent you the p<sup>t</sup>iculers in a note w<sup>th</sup> what the charges came to, my brother Evance discharge shall acquitt you fully, if you pay him there, or if you appoint payment here, then I shall deliũ up the bill to him that makes payment here, I pray (good S<sup>r</sup>) fayle not of makeing satisfac<sup>õ</sup>n, and if you can do any good w<sup>th</sup> our co<sup>m</sup>odities I pray you giue order for another pcell ƥ so w<sup>th</sup> my loue remembered I rest

London this 17<sup>th</sup> Aprill 1640.

Yo<sup>r</sup> loueing frend

I sent a cobby hereof by M<sup>r</sup> Cutting      ARTHUR MANSFELD  
y<sup>e</sup> bill payable to Barnabas Meayre Hosiere L<sup>õ</sup>.

And supscribed thus

To his very loueing frend M<sup>r</sup>  
ffreeman in New England passenger  
the last yeare in the Champion.

A fre of M<sup>r</sup> Evance.

Quillipacke this 23<sup>o</sup> of Junij 1640.

M<sup>r</sup> ffreeman Saluta<sup>õ</sup>ns p<sup>r</sup>mised as vnknowne ƥ S<sup>r</sup> these serue onely to request y<sup>r</sup> payment of 54<sup>ƥ</sup>. 12<sup>s</sup>. 5 due to my brother Mansfeild to M<sup>rs</sup> Marye Nortonn of Charlestowne according to my brother his fre, w<sup>ch</sup> is to request the payment of it to mee or my assignes, I haue therefore my occasions being vrgent here assigned my sister Norton to receiue it for me whose discharge I shall entreate you w<sup>ch</sup> is my order to serue as amply in full of the bill w<sup>ch</sup> remaynes in my assigne his hand as if were p<sup>r</sup>sent my self to giue you it, thus relying on y<sup>r</sup> complying w<sup>th</sup> my brother his order for the payment of it either in money or by bill of exch for England to my sister Norton I take leaue and rest

and supscribed thus

Yo<sup>rs</sup> JOHN EVANCE

To M<sup>r</sup> ffreeman at Sandwich d<sup>õ</sup>d }  
In }  
Mattachusetts Bay }

\* BRADFORD GOÛN<sup>r</sup>.

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Another tre.

Charlestowne the 5<sup>th</sup> Aug<sup>o</sup> 1640.

M<sup>r</sup> ffreeman This day fynd me w<sup>th</sup> yo<sup>r</sup>s of 28<sup>o</sup> last or rather yo<sup>r</sup> frend℥  
 M<sup>r</sup> Wiltm Paddy intimating Yo<sup>r</sup> care to complye w<sup>th</sup> the payment of the  
 moñes, and therefore your care hath beene to p̄uide a good bill of 33<sup>l</sup> onn my  
 brother Mansfeild due from him to M<sup>r</sup> Kemp of Duxbridg w<sup>ch</sup> shall not  
 accept of not knoweing how it can proue good being charged on one whoe is  
 fayled already, and therefore shall expect the payment of the whole 54<sup>li</sup>:12:4<sup>d</sup>  
 from you whereas you advize of but 52<sup>l</sup> due the rest as by him you will  
 p̄ceiue to bee for charges. S<sup>r</sup> I should be loath to trouble you or my self  
 w<sup>th</sup> further lynes if may bee avoyded, but if bee not to bee p̄cured w<sup>th</sup>out it  
 must be enforced to it, and shall expect satisfaccōn for the tyme if am kept  
 w<sup>th</sup>out it, if here bee to bee p̄cured but desire may not bee forced to it so  
 expecting yo<sup>r</sup> suddaine payment of the whole to my brother Norton who can  
 shew a further order of my brother Mansfeild I rest

And was subscribed

Yo<sup>rs</sup> JNO EVANCETo his Lo: ffrend M<sup>r</sup>

William Paddy at

Plymouth this

bee dd

\* BRADFORD GOÛN<sup>r</sup>.

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**M**EMORAN<sup>Ḃ</sup> the xxvj<sup>th</sup> day of ffbruary Anno Dñi 1645 Whereas  
 Manaseth Kempton of Plym<sup>ḡ</sup> at the speciall instance and request  
 of Ephraim Kempton of Scittuate by his bond or obligacōn beareing date the  
 thirtieth of Octob<sup>r</sup> Anno Dñi 1645 standeth joyntly and seſially bound together  
 w<sup>th</sup> the said Ephraim in the suñ of fourty pounds to the GoÛn<sup>r</sup> of New  
 Plym<sup>ḡ</sup> for the tyme being to make a true and just account and to pay all such  
 debts as Ephraim Kempton señ late of Scittuate aforesaid deceased was  
 endebted at the tyme of his decease so farr as the estate he left would amount  
 vnto w<sup>ch</sup> vpon łres of Administraçōn graunted by the Court appeared to be  
 the suñ of twenty six pound℥ or thereabout℥ And whereas also the said  
 Ephraim Kempton hath had and receiued the said estate into his owne hands  
 Now Know yee That the said Ephraim Kempton for the secureing saueing  
 harmelesse and vndampnyfied the said Manaseth Kempton his heires Execut<sup>rs</sup>  
 and Administrat<sup>rs</sup> and euery of them for euer hereafter of from ℥ concerneing

the said obligacōn and the condiçōn thereof and every thing therein containd hath by these p<sup>nt</sup>ℓ made assigned and set ouer vnto M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Paddy of Ply<sup>m</sup> afore<sup>d</sup> Merchant All his landℓ goods and cattells whatsoever in New England to be and remayne from tyme to tyme ℓ at all tymes hereafter for the secureing saueing harmelesse and vndampnified the said Manasset<sup>h</sup> Kempton his heires Execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ and Administrat<sup>r</sup>ℓ and euery of them from any losse hindrance detryment or damage w<sup>ch</sup> may or shall arise or happen vnto them or any of them by reason or concerning the said obligacōn and the condiçōn thereof or any thing therein containd and hath deliuered vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Paddy in name of full possession and seizin of the said landℓ goodℓ cattells ℓ p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> aforesaid p<sup>u</sup>ided that when the said Ephraim shall p<sup>c</sup>ure a quietus ℓ<sup>e</sup> from the Court or other sufficient discharg or acquittance that then the said landℓ goodℓ ℓ cattells to returne vnto him the said Ephraim as in his for<sup>m</sup> estate notwithstanding these p<sup>nt</sup>ℓ In w<sup>i</sup>tesse whereof the said Ephraim Kempton hath acknowledged these p<sup>nt</sup>ℓ before the Gou<sup>n</sup>or to remayne vpon Record the day and yeare abouesaid.

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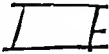
\*BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup>

This deed was acknowledged in the gen<sup>l</sup>all Court the third March 1645 by both pties.

An agreement made the xx<sup>th</sup> January 1645 betweene Robert Barker and Raph Chapman both of Marshfeild viz<sup>t</sup>.

**W**HEREAS Robert Barker is bound to attend and mayntaine the fferry at New Harbor in Marshfeild the aforesaid Raph Chapman doth take vpon him and bynd himself his heires execut<sup>rs</sup> or Assignes to attend this fferry and wholly to discharg Ro<sup>b</sup>te Barker and all men els of it, And in consideraçōn hereof the aforesaid Ro<sup>b</sup>te Barker doth freely giue him a horsboate and *and* a skiff and the fferry house and barne and two acres of planting ground adjoyneing to the house onely Ro<sup>b</sup>te Barker is to haue liberty to take off his donge and the inward fenceing about the garden and the house till the last of March next ensuing come twelue months and for this ground w<sup>ch</sup> the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Barker doth giue him it is to be fenced in p<sup>t</sup>icular, one of them to make the one half and thother of them to make thother half, to make and mayntaine this a sufficient fence w<sup>th</sup> palyzadoes or post ℓ rayles sufficient for to keepe out all kynd of Cattell; and the said Ro<sup>b</sup>te Barker is to haue the use of the horseboat for the carrying of his fence for his marsh and his thatch for his house and barne and hee is to leaue the horse boate and skiff sufficiently fitt and serviceable for the p<sup>r</sup>sent use of carrying ouer men and

cattell, and the said Raph Chapman is to set ouer Thomas Howell John Barker and Robte Barker both them and theires freely w<sup>th</sup>out paying ferryage for euer or so long as the ferry is kept in that place and the said Robte Barker is to haue the use of the ferry house till the last of October next ensuing, but Raph Chapman is to haue the use of the barne the next haruest, and the said Raph Chapman is to take vpon him and attend the ferry two or three dayes after the next March Court, and also to enter the land at the next March: and for witnes hereof they both set downe their handℓ.

The marke of  ROBT<sup>E</sup> BARKER.

The marke of  RAPH CHAPMAN.

Witnesses hands

Thomas Howell

John Barker

Nathaniell Byam.

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>

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**B**EE it knowne vnto all men by these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ That I John Beauchamp of London Merchant for diuers good causes and considera<sup>o</sup>ns me mooueing haue made ordayne and in my stead ℓ place put and constituted and by these p<sup>r</sup>nts do make ordaine and in my place and steede put ℓ constitute Edmond ffreeman of New England Gen<sup>t</sup> my true and lawfull Attorney and Assignee for me and in my name and to my use To ask demaund levey recouer and receiue by all lawfull wayes and meanes whatsoeu<sup>r</sup> of and from all and euery p<sup>r</sup>son ℓ p<sup>r</sup>sons in New England whom it doth or shall concerne all such some and so<sup>m</sup>es of money debtℓ duties and demaundℓ as are or shalbe to me due or payable by or from them or any of them by any wayes or meanes whatsoeu<sup>r</sup> Giueing and by these p<sup>r</sup>ntℓ graunting vnto my said Attorney all my full power and lawfull authoritie concerneing the p<sup>r</sup>misss All and euery p<sup>r</sup>son and p<sup>r</sup>sons whatsoeuer whom it doth shall or may concerne their Execut<sup>r</sup>s Administrat<sup>r</sup>s and goods if neede shalbe to sue arrest attach seize sequester ympleade imprison and condemne and out of prison againe to deliuer and to appeare before all and all manner of Judges Justices ℓ ministers of the law And vpon recouery or receipt of the p<sup>r</sup>misss acquittances or any other discharges in my name for and concerneing the same to make seale and as my deed to deliuer And one Attorney or more vnder him to make substitute and reuoake and gen<sup>r</sup>ally to doe execute prosecute and p<sup>r</sup>forme all and euery other act ℓ actℓ thing and things whatsoeuer w<sup>ch</sup> in and about the p<sup>r</sup>misss shalbe needfull necessary or conuenient as fully and effectually as I myself might or

could doe psonally Holding and allowing for firme ℥ effectuall all and whatsoever my said Attorney his substitutes or Assignes shall lawfull doe or cause to be donn in or about the p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> by vertue hereof In witness whereof I the said John Beauchamp haue herevnto put my hand and seale yeouen the eleauenth day of July 1639 and in the fifteenth yeare of the Raigne of o<sup>r</sup> So<sup>u</sup>eraigne Lord King Charles ℥.

JOHN BEAUCHAMP

Sealed and deliued in  
the p<sup>r</sup>nce of

John Rolfe Sc<sup>r</sup>

Rich: Harris his serv<sup>t</sup>.



And the said Edmond ffreeman doth acknowledg by these p<sup>r</sup>nt℥ That by vertue of the said tre of Attorney hee hath had and receiued in lands according to their se<sup>u</sup>all valuations of them two hundred ninetie and one pounds and tenn shillings ℥ security by specialty for the payment of the remaynder of the said sum of foure hundred pounds: Twenty pounds being allowed and abated by the said Edmond ffreeman w<sup>ch</sup> in all doth amount vnto the said sum of foure hundred pounds In considera<sup>o</sup>n whereof the said Edmond ffreeman hath deliued them the said W<sup>m</sup> Bradford Edward Winslow Thomas Prence Miles Standish John Alden and John Howland the generall Release or acquittance of the said M<sup>r</sup> John Beauchamp being date the twenty eight day of Aprill Anno D<sup>ñi</sup> one thousand six hundred fourty ℥ three and in the Nineteenth yeare of his said Ma<sup>t</sup>℥ now Raigne of England ℥.

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The seaventh day of March Anno D<sup>ñi</sup> 1645. xxj<sup>o</sup> Caroli R℥.

V<sup>P</sup>ON the ending of all the differrences vpon a demaund of foure hundred pounds betwixt M<sup>r</sup> John Beauchamp of London merchant on the one pt And M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslowe M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prence M<sup>r</sup> Miles Standish M<sup>r</sup> John Alden M<sup>r</sup> John Howland ℥ M<sup>r</sup> Isaack Alerton and the heires of M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Brewster deceased of thother p<sup>t</sup>e these lands ensuing were se<sup>u</sup>ally acknowledged the xvij<sup>th</sup> day of March Anno D<sup>ñi</sup> 1645 afore<sup>s</sup>d to M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman as Attorney for the said M<sup>r</sup> Beauchamp by vertue of a tre of Attorney beareing date the eleauenth day of July Anno D<sup>ñi</sup> 1639 in the xv<sup>th</sup> yeare of his said Ma<sup>t</sup>ies now Raigne made by the said John Beauchamp vnto the said Edmond ffreeman as also another t<sup>r</sup>o dated the fourth of June Anno D<sup>ñi</sup> 1645 to take receiue satisfac<sup>o</sup>n in lands or any thing els.



**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> the same day M<sup>r</sup> Willm Bradford doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of twenty and seaven pounds to him allowed vpon the said account in payment to M<sup>r</sup> John Beauchamp Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sould vnto M<sup>r</sup> Edmond Freeman All that his house scituate in Rehoboth (als) Seacunck w<sup>th</sup> six acrees and seauen acrees of meddow w<sup>th</sup> about fourty acrees of vpland w<sup>th</sup> all such ppor<sup>õ</sup>ns as shalbe added therevnto w<sup>th</sup> all  $\text{£}$  euery thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s and euery pt and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said six acrees more or lesse and seauen acrees of meddow w<sup>th</sup> about fourty acrees of vpland and such ppor<sup>õ</sup>ns as shalbe therevnto added w<sup>th</sup> all  $\text{£}$  euery their appurteñ<sup>ç</sup> vnto the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes for euer.

**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> the same day M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslow doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of thirty  $\text{£}$  eight pounds allowed vpon the said account in payment to M<sup>r</sup> John Beauchamp Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman All that his house scittuate in Plymouth w<sup>th</sup> the garden Backhouse doores locks bolts Wainscote glasse and Wainscote bedstead in the parlor w<sup>th</sup> the truckle bed a chaire in the study and all the shelues as now the are in eich roome w<sup>th</sup> the yeard roomth and fences about the same and all  $\text{£}$  euery their app<sup>r</sup>teñ<sup>ç</sup> w<sup>th</sup> all his right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup>s and euery pt and pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house  $\text{£}$  garden place backhouse doores lock<sup>ç</sup> bolts wainscoate and wainscoate bedstead w<sup>th</sup> truckle bed chaire glasse and shelues and yeard roomth w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñces vnto the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes foreuer.

**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> the same day That M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prence doth acknowledg That for  $\text{£}$  in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of one hundred fourty  $\text{£}$  fve pound<sup>ç</sup> allowed him in payment to M<sup>r</sup> John Be<sup>ã</sup>champ vpon the said account Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto m<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman All that his house and garden place and barne in Plymouth w<sup>th</sup> the doores locks glasse and all the shelues in eich roome as now they are  $\text{£}$  tenn acrees of vpland in the woods and about fve acrees at the second brooke eleauen acrees or there about<sup>ç</sup> by John Barnes land<sup>ç</sup> One farme at Joanes Riuer w<sup>th</sup>

the house doores locks glasse shelues as now they are wainscot table board two bedsteads w<sup>th</sup> all the outhouseing and fenc℥ w<sup>th</sup> the additions of vpland adjoyneing and six acres of meddow at the great meddow w<sup>th</sup> all and euery their app<sup>r</sup>teñces and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis̄s and euery pt and pcell thereof w<sup>th</sup> their appurteñc℥ To haue and to hold the said house ℥ garden place barne tenn acres of land℥ in the wood℥ eleauen acres or there about℥ by John Barnes land fue acres or thereabouts at the second brook one farme at Joanes Riuer w<sup>th</sup> the houses outhouses fences and additions of land together w<sup>th</sup> the six acres of meddow at the great meddow and all the aforesaid p<sup>r</sup>misses w<sup>th</sup> all and euery their appurtenances vnto the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes foreuer to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and assignes foreuer./

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\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup> xxj<sup>o</sup> Caroli R℥.

The seauenteenth day of March 1645.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the same day That M<sup>r</sup> Myles Standish and M<sup>r</sup> John Alden do acknowledged joyntly and se<sup>u</sup>ally That for and in consid<sup>r</sup>acōn of the su<sup>m</sup> of three score and eleauen pound℥ and tenn shillings to them allowed in payment of the said account to M<sup>r</sup> John Beauchamp Haue freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman All those their three hundred acres of vpland℥ w<sup>th</sup> the meddowing therevnto belonging lying on the North side of the South Riuer w<sup>th</sup>in the Towneship of Marshfeild to them formly joyntly graunted by the Court the second day of July in the fourteenth yeare of his said Ma<sup>ties</sup> now Raigne of England ℥ and all their Right title and interest joyntly or se<sup>u</sup>ally of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mis̄s w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñc℥ ℥ euery part and pcell thereof To haue ℥ to hold the said three hundred acres of vpland w<sup>th</sup> the meddowes therevnto beloinging w<sup>th</sup> all ℥ euery their app<sup>r</sup>teñces vnto the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said Edmond ffreeman his heires ℥ As<sup>s</sup> foreuer.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> the same day That whereas M<sup>r</sup> Isaack Allerton formly sold vnto M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Bradford M<sup>r</sup> Edward Winslow M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prence ℥ one house and garden place scituate on the South side of the heigh streete in Plymouth in pt of payment of certaine account℥ betwixt them now valued at tenn pound℥ and is allowed the said W<sup>m</sup> Bradford Edward Winslow Thomas Prence and the rest of their ptners in pt of payment

of the said account vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> John Beauchamp Now they the said W<sup>m</sup> Bradford Edward Winslow Thomas Prence Miles Standish John Alden and John Howland &c do acknowledg they haue joyntly & seūally freely and absolutely bargained and sold the said house and garden place w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ vnto M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman and all their Right title and interest of ℓ into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss ℓ euery pt thereof To haue and to hold the said house and garden place w<sup>th</sup> all and euery their app<sup>r</sup>teñces vnto the said Edmond ffreeman his heires ℓ Assignes for euer to the onely use and behoofe of him the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes for euer.

**M**EMORANĎ also the said Wiltm Bradford Edward Winslow Thomas Prence Miles Standish John Alden and John Howland do also seuerally and respectiuey for themselues their heires Execut<sup>r</sup>ℓ and Administrat<sup>r</sup>ℓ p<sup>r</sup>mise ℓ graunt by these p<sup>r</sup>nts vnto the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes to p<sup>r</sup>cure a sufficient euedence or deede vnder the hand and seale of the said M<sup>r</sup> Isaack Allerton for the further confirmeing and establishing the Estate of the fores<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Prences ffarme at Joanes Riuer and the fore<sup>s</sup>d house in the Towne of Plimouth prized at Tenn poundℓ And in the meane season to defend the title of the said p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñces vnto the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes foreuer Or els in default of p<sup>r</sup>curing such said Evedence or deede from the said Isaack Allerton Then to giue the said Edmond ffreeman such further or other assurance as shalbe thought fitt by M<sup>r</sup> John Winthrope or any others according to law And the said Wiltm Bradford Edward Winslow Thomas Prence Miles Standish John Alden ℓ John Howland do enter into an assumpsit of one hundred and seauenteene' poundℓ vnto the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and Assignes for the p<sup>r</sup>formance thereof w<sup>th</sup>in the space of twelue months next ensuing the date hereof And do also seūally further p<sup>r</sup>mise to seale and deliū p<sup>r</sup>ticuler deeds of the p<sup>r</sup>ticuler p<sup>r</sup>cells of landℓ before acknowledged to be bargained ℓ sold when they shalbe therevnto required but at the p<sup>r</sup>per costℓ and charges of the said Edmond ffreeman his heires or Assignes. And shall also cause their wiues respectiuey to acknowledg the s<sup>d</sup> sales seūally.

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\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>.

1645.

The seauenteenth day of March Anno Dñi 1645.

**W**HEREAS diuers differrences haue arisen vpon a partnership betweene James Sherley John Beauchamp and Richard Andrewes merchant℥ and cittizens of London on thone pte And Wilłm Bradford Edward Winslow Thomas Prence Miles Standish John Alden ℥ John Howland ℥ on thother pte vpon a ptnership in the Beauer Trade in New England in America as also for and concerneing the account℥ of two shippes viz<sup>s</sup> the White Angell late of Bristoll and a voyage in the ffriendship of Barnestable as appeares vpon p<sup>t</sup>icular Accounts And whereas by the Agitation of John Atwood late of Plymouth in New England deceased Articles of agreement were made the day of Anno Dñi The said John Beauchamp being then to receiue vpon the said agreement of the said Wilłm Bradford Thomas Prence Miles Standish and the rest of the ptners the sum of foure hundred pound℥ ster<sup>t</sup> ffor w<sup>th</sup> end the said John Beauchamp haueing made his brother in law M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman of Sandwich in New England gen<sup>t</sup> his Attorney to demaund receiue and acquitt the said ptners w<sup>th</sup> speciall order to take it in land℥ or any thing he cann gett of them to the end that the said Edmond ffreeman his attorney may by sale thereof returne the same to his use And for that end hath sent vnto his said Attorney a generall Release for them sealed and to be deliuered vpon such receipt and agreement Now know all men that whereas I the said Edmond ffreeman haue taken and receiued diuers pcells of lands for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of seuerall sum<sup>s</sup> by the mutuall consent of me the said Edmond and the said Wilłm Bradford Edward Winslow Thomas Prence ℥ the rest of the ptners as appeares vpon publicke record beareing date w<sup>th</sup> these p<sup>r</sup>nt℥ w<sup>th</sup> estate and estates of lands are absolutely made ouer to me the said Edmond ffreeman my heires and Assignes fore<sup>u</sup> doe hereby acknowledg my self to be accountable to the said John Beauchamp his heires execut<sup>r</sup>℥ ℥ Administr<sup>t</sup>s for so much as I shall receiue for the said lands goods houses ℥ or any part thereof vpon the sale thereof and am and shalbe ready to giue him his heires execut<sup>r</sup>s Administrat<sup>rs</sup> or Assignes a faire account thereof.

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\*february the third 1648.

**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents that wee William Paddy and Thomas Willit doe acknowlidg our selues Endebted vnto M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman sen<sup>i</sup> the Sum of threescore and fifteene pound sterling to bee payed the one halfe

therof by the third of february 1649 and the Remayning halfe to bee payed by the same day tweluemonth folowing to him the s<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Edmond freeman or his assynes in Corn or Cattell.

1648.

\* M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOUERNER

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**M**EMORANDUM the third of february 1648 that M<sup>r</sup> Edmond freeman sen<sup>r</sup> of the towne of Sandwidg in the Coliny of Newplymouth in New England in america gen<sup>t</sup> doth acknowlidg that for and in Conideration of the full Sum of threescore and fiteene pound sterling to him alredy payed by M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Willit and M<sup>r</sup> William Paddy of the towne of plymouth in the Coliny aforsaid marchants hath freely and absolutly barganed and sould an house and land at Joaneses Riuer somtimes apertaineing vnto M<sup>r</sup> Isaack Allerton being bounded with the lands of m<sup>rs</sup> fuller on the one side and with the lands of Clement briggs and Christopher winter on the other side the nether end buting vpon Joaneses Riuer aforsaid and so extending it selfe in length vp into the woods with all the out houses or housing ffence or ffencing and meadow land whether marsh or vpland with all the aditions and Enlargements of land formerly or laterly aded or graunted therunto of any kind further of or nearer hand and all the afor<sup>s</sup>d p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> with all and euery thair apurtenances in as full maner in euery Respect as the house and land aforsaid was made ouer and confermed vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Edmond freeman to haue and to hold vnto the s<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Thomas willit and M<sup>r</sup> William paddy to them and thair heaires & assignes for euer vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoofe of them the s<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Willite and M<sup>r</sup> William paddy to them and their heaires & assignes for euer.

\*The xix<sup>th</sup> of february 1645.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> John Done doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>õ</sup>n of the sum of tenn pounds ster<sup>t</sup> to be payd by M<sup>r</sup> Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury of Plymouth w<sup>th</sup>in the space of one whole yeare now next ensuing hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury all that his dwelling house and garden places barne & buildings in and vpon the same w<sup>th</sup> all the fruit trees now growing thereon scituate in Plymouth aforesaid w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>nt<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging and all his Right title and Interrest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>miss<sup>s</sup> and euery part and pcell thereof w<sup>th</sup> the fences about the same To haue and to hold the said House and garden places barne & buildings w<sup>th</sup> all the fruite trees and all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñ<sup>l</sup> therevnto belonging vnto the said Wil<sup>m</sup> Hanbury

his heires and Assignēs for euer to the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Wilłam Hanbury his heires and Assignes for euer,

The corne now groweing in the garden is excepted w<sup>th</sup> some half a dossen of smale fruite trees w<sup>ch</sup> the said Wilłm Hanbury shall giue the said John Done at the fall or spring.

The third of March 1645.

**M**EMORANĎ That Samuell Eddy doth acknowledg That for and in consideraċōn of the suġm of foure pound℥ three pounds whereof is to be payd by John Tompson in November next and thother twenty shillings that tyme tweluemonths in goods as they will passe from man to man Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said John Tompson all that his house scituate at the spring Hill in Plymouth w<sup>th</sup> the garden place adjoyneing and three acres of vpland be it more or lesse lying in the Newfeild w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñċ℥ therevnto belonging and all his Right title and Interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñċ℥ and euery part ℥ pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said house and garden place w<sup>th</sup> the three acres of vpland bee it more or lesse w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñċ℥ vnto the said John Tompson his heires ℥ Assignes for euer and to the onely pper use and behoofe of him the said John Tompson his heires ℥ Assignes for euer.

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\*BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup>.

**M**EMORANĎ That Nicholas Snow doth acknowledg That for and in consideraċōn of the suġm of twelue pounds sterł six pounds whereof is in hand payd by Thomas Morton ℥ thother six pounds is to be payd the next Harvest in good merchantable Corne or cattell wherew<sup>th</sup> the said Nicholas Snow is fully contented Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Thomas Morton All that his house and buildings and the vpland therevnto belonging and adjoyneing w<sup>th</sup> two acres of meddow *of meddow* lying at the heigh pines and tenn acres of vpland meddow lying at Colebrook meddowes containeing in all fifty and two acres be it more or lesse w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñċ℥ therevnto belonging and all his Right title and interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misss and euery pt thereof w<sup>th</sup> the fenceing in and about the same To haue and to hold the said House and houseing w<sup>th</sup> the vpland adjoyneing two acres of Marsh meddow and tenn acres of vpland meddow aforesaid w<sup>th</sup> all and singuler their app<sup>r</sup>teñċ℥ and euery pt and pcell thereof vnto the said Thomas Morton his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pp use ℥ behoofe of him the said Thomas Morton his heires and Assignes for euer.

The x<sup>th</sup> March 1645.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> that Nicholas Snow doth acknowledg That for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of tenn shillings to be payd in merchantable corne the next Haruest by Nathaniell Morton Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said Nathaniell Morton one acre of vpland lying at or neere Wellingsley brook w<sup>th</sup> all & singuler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging and all his Right Title & Interrest of and into the same and euery pt & pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said acre of vpland w<sup>th</sup> thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ vnto the said Nathaniell Morton his heires and Assignes foreuer and to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er use and behoofe of him the said Nathaniell Morton his heires and Assignes for euer/

The second day of June 1646.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That Georg Partrich doth acknowledg that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of fīue pounds to him to be paid by John Lewes of Scittuate Hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto the said John Lewes All that his farm being thirty acres of vpland or there aboutℓ w<sup>th</sup> about three acres of marsh meddow lying before the said vpland lying on the South side of the North Riuer and betweene the lands of Joseph Biddle on the south side and Steeuē Tracy or W<sup>m</sup> Wetherell on the westerly side w<sup>th</sup> all and euery the app<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ to the said landℓ belonging And all his Right title and interrest of and into the p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> and euery pt & pcell thereof To haue and to hold the said thirty acres of vpland and six acres of marsh be it more lesse lying vpon the North Riuer betwixt the Creeke com<sup>o</sup>nly called m<sup>r</sup> Vassells Creek on the South East side and the landℓ of John Bryan on the South West side, w<sup>th</sup> all and euery thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcℓ to the said p<sup>r</sup>mis<sup>s</sup> belonging and euery pt & pcell thereof vnto the said John Lewes his heires and Assignēs foreū and to the onely p<sup>p</sup> use and behoofe of him the said John Lewes his heires and Assignes for euer.

\*The last day of July 1646.

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**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> That whereas Leiftennant Wilm Holmes the twenty sixt day of Decemb<sup>r</sup> 1638 by his deed acknowledged as appeares vpon Record sould vnto m<sup>r</sup> John Howland one lott of Land lying on Duxborrow side containeing thirty acres be it more or lesse lying betweene the landℓ of Joseph Biddle and Constant Southworth w<sup>th</sup> three acres of marsh meddow And whereas the said John Howland hath since exchanged the said lott of

Land w<sup>th</sup> Joseph Rogers of Duxborrow aforeſd for a lott of land of twenty acres bee it more or leſſe and three acres of marsh meddow lying at Joanes Riuer Bridge and on the north ſide of the ſaid Riuer the coſmon heigh way lying on the Weſt ſide thereof And whereas the ſaid Joseph Rogers hath the day of the date hereof exchanged the ſaid lott of land (firſt ſold by the ſaid Wilłm Holmes) w<sup>th</sup> Abraham Pearſe for his lotts of Land w<sup>th</sup> the additions layd therevnto lying at Stony Brook next on the Southerly ſide of the lands of m<sup>r</sup> Wilłm Bradford and to Joanes Riuer Eaſterly and to the lands of m<sup>r</sup> Thomas Willett Northerly. Now the ſaid Joseph Rogers Doth acknowledg that for and in conſideraĉon of the ſum of Tenn pounds ſterł to be payd him by m<sup>r</sup> Wilłm Bradford in Countrey pay the laſt day of March next enſuing the date hereof Hath freely and abſolutely bargained and ſold enfeoffed and confirmed the ſaid laſt recited lotts of lands w<sup>th</sup> the additions exchanged w<sup>th</sup> Abraham Pearſe aforeſaid w<sup>th</sup> two acres of Marsh meddow lying betweene the ſaid lands Jones Riuer and Stony brook vnto the ſaid Wilłm Bradford his heires and Assignes for euer w<sup>th</sup> all ĩ ſinguler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñces therevnto belonging And all his Right title and interreſt of and into the ſaid p<sup>r</sup>miſſs w<sup>th</sup> their app<sup>r</sup>teñces and euery part and pcell thereof and all the fencł in and about the ſaid p<sup>r</sup>miſſs To haue and to hold the ſaid Lotts of land ĩ w<sup>th</sup> the additions and the two acres of meddow w<sup>th</sup> all and ſinguler thapp<sup>r</sup>teñcł to the ſame belonging and euery pt and pcell thereof vnto the ſaid Wilłm Bradford his heires and Assignes for euer to the onely pp use and behoofe of him the ſaid Wilłm Bradford his heires and Assignes for euer./

**M**EMORANDĀ it is agreed betweene and among the aboue recited pties That whereas the ſaid Abraham Pearſe hath letten the ſaid two acres of meddow vnto W<sup>m</sup> Merick for two yeares one whereof is now expired ĩ thother wilbe when he hath gotten the hey therevpon growing the next yeare, the ſaid Abraham is to haue the rent thereof for this p<sup>r</sup>ſent yeare and that to come ĩ no more And whereas the ſaid Abraham hath alſo letten the ſaid vpland vnto Steeven Bryan and Samuell Stertevaunt for the terme of three yeares for fifty ſhillings p anñ (this being the firſt yeare w<sup>th</sup> ſaid firſt yeares Rent the ſaid Abraham is to receiue And the ſaid Wilłm Bradford is to receiue the two laſt yeares Rent of them, they being to pay them half in wheate and the reſt in other grayne.

And it is likewise agreed betwixt the ſaid Abraham Pearſe and the ſaid Joseph Rogers that the ſaid Joseph Rogers ſhall ſow or plant the vpper feild on the westerly of the heigh way this next yeare and no more.



\*.1646. The .15. of October William Spooner came before the Gou<sup>r</sup> and vndertooke to saue the towne harmeles from any charge that might befall by reason of a child that M<sup>rs</sup> Coombs left with him when she wente for England, and which he vndertooke to keepe & prouid for. \*223

\*THE .17. of y<sup>e</sup> .7. month .1646. Phineas Prate came before y<sup>e</sup> Goue<sup>r</sup> and acknowledged the sale of his house & land, with all y<sup>e</sup> appurtenances thertoo belonging; to John Cooke, according to a deed then exhibited which they desired might be recorded Also his wife came before y<sup>e</sup> Gou<sup>r</sup> and gaue her consente to y<sup>e</sup> same sale. \*224

Allso Samuell Cudberte did y<sup>e</sup> same day & year aboue written, freely relinquish all y<sup>e</sup> claime, title, or Intrest, that he euer had, or might pretend to haue, to any parte, or ^As also from parcell of y<sup>e</sup> lands afforsaid, And did freely giue, grante, those for which and make ouer all y<sup>e</sup> right, and Intreste that he euer had, they were ex- or hereafter should haue, or at any time might pretend changed with haue, to any parte or parcell of y<sup>e</sup> lands aforesaid, and m<sup>r</sup> prence. those mentioned in y<sup>e</sup> deede Insuing; to Phineas Prate, & his heires, & assignes for euer; for his, & their onely proper vse & behoofe.

WILLIAM BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>:

The .26. of August .1646.

These presents doe witnes that Phineas Prate of Plimoth Joyner, for & in consideration of y<sup>e</sup> sume of twenty pounds sterl: to be payed by John Cooke Ju<sup>n</sup> of plimoth afforesaid planter, iu maner & forme following, that is to say fise pounds to be payed in cloathing within one month nexte after y<sup>e</sup> date hearof, fise pounds in March next, either in wheat, or comodities, fise pounds in a milch Cowe as shee shall be prised by .2. Indifferent men chosen by either party one, and y<sup>e</sup> last .5<sup>th</sup>. this time twelfe months. Hath freely and absolutly bargained and sould, & by these presents doth bargaine & sell vnto the said John Cooke, all y<sup>t</sup> his house, & howsing, and gardine place and orchard (excepting y<sup>e</sup> fruite trees now growing therein, or so many of them to be deliuered to the said Phineas, or his assignes when he shall demande them, so it be in due time) and fiftie acres of vpland tow acres of meadow at Joanes riuer, and all and singuler the appurtenances thervnto belonging, and all his right, title, & Interest of & into y<sup>e</sup> same, & euery parte, & parcell thereof; to haue & to hold the said house housing, garden, and orchard (excepting before

excepted) the fiftie Acres of vpland, and y<sup>e</sup> .2. Acres of meadow at Joans riuer, with the sixe Acres of vpland meadow, at the great meadow, with all, & euery their appurtenances, vnto the said John Cooke, his heirs, & assignes, for euer, and to the only proper vse, & behofe of him the said John Cooke, his heires and assignes for euer, and with warranties against all people, from, by or vnder him, claiming any righte, title, or Interest of, & into the said premises or any parte or parcell therof, and espetically against Samuell Cudberte his heirs, & assignes for euer by these presents; And the said Phineas Prate doth further Couenante and grant by these presents, that it shall & may be lawfull too, & for the said John Cooke either by him selfe, or his Attorney to enrolle or recorde the title or tenure of these before the Gouvernour for y<sup>e</sup> time being, according to y<sup>e</sup> vsuall order & manor of enrolling & recording deeds, & euidences in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court at plimoth in shuch case made, & prouided. In witnes wherof the said Phineas Prate hath herevnto sett his hand & seale the day & year first aboue writen.

In y<sup>e</sup> presence of

Ralfe Whoory  
William Pady  
Thomas Willett  
Nathanell Sowther

PHINEAS PRATE

And in consideration of y<sup>e</sup> sume of .2<sup>s</sup>. 6<sup>d</sup>. to y<sup>e</sup> said Phineas Prate in hand paid hath freely, & absolutely bargained & sould vnto y<sup>e</sup> said John Cooke all his right title & Interest, of & into any lands lying at the head or ende of y<sup>e</sup> afforesaid bargained premises before the sealing and delivery of these presents.

PHINEAS PRATE



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\*Aprile the first Año 1644.

Sprague  
to  
Laurence.

**K**NOW all men that I ffrancis Sprague of Duxborough in the Pattent of Plimouth doe by these p<sup>r</sup>sents sell infeoffe and confirme vnto Wiltm Laurence my sonne in law of the same towne him his heires Executors or As<sup>s</sup>s ffifty acres of land be it more or lesse lying <sup>at</sup> the South Riuer betwixt John Mino<sup>r</sup>s land and John Barkers land, the w<sup>ch</sup> land I the aforesaid ffrancis Spragge do binde my selfe my heires or As<sup>s</sup>s to make good vnto him his heires or As<sup>s</sup>s w<sup>th</sup> all the app<sup>r</sup>teñces conveniences and accomodaçõs app<sup>r</sup>taining therevnto: and further doe binde my selfe myne heires & to giue to the aforesaid William six bushells of Indian Corne at y<sup>e</sup> end of two yeres, in the yere 1646. and is for three yeres service y<sup>e</sup> he hath and is to serue me, In witnesse whereof I set to my hand seale.

Witnesse John Willis

the marke of   
ffrancis Sprage. 

\*Anno 1646. **T**HE .10. of Nouember William Hillier of Duxburie \*227  
 Carpēter came before the Gou<sup>r</sup> and acknowledged  
 y<sup>e</sup> sale of his house & lands and all y<sup>e</sup> purtenances belong-  
 ing to all, or any parte of y<sup>e</sup> same. And his halfe of y<sup>e</sup>  
 mille at Duxburie with all y<sup>e</sup> appurtenances therunto  
 belonging, or any way appertaineing to y<sup>e</sup> same, and  
 his parte of all those lands and meadows, that any way  
 belongs to y<sup>e</sup> same being in partnership betweene Georg  
 Pollerd, and him ; To Constant Southworth of Duxburie  
 aforesaid to him & his heires for euer, as appears more  
 at large in the writing following.

**These presents** doe witnes that William Hillier of Duxburie Carpenter,  
 for & in consideration of y<sup>e</sup> sume of threeskore pounds sterling to be payed  
 by Constante Southworth of Duxburie planter in maner & forme following,  
 that is to say thirtie pounds in hand twenty pounds of y<sup>e</sup> said thirtie in money this 30<sup>th</sup> is paid.  
 or beauer, and the other tenn pound in Cattle. And the other thirtie pounds  
 in wheat by ten pounds a year, in three seuerall payments, viz. tenn pounds  
 the twenty of october .1647. And ten pounds y<sup>e</sup> .20. of y<sup>e</sup> afforsaid month  
 Anno .1648. and the other .10<sup>th</sup>. at y<sup>e</sup> same day Au<sup>o</sup>: 1649. All which  
 three payments are to be made at Boston in y<sup>e</sup> Massachusetts Bay, as the price  
 goes commonly betweene man & man. Hath freely and absolutly barganed &  
 sould, and by these presents doth bargaine and sell vnto the said Constante  
 Southworth all that right and title which he hath vnto the mille at Duxburie  
 standing vpon Stonie riuer being in partnership betweene him and Georg  
 Pollerd late of Duxbury affore said, that is to say the on halfe therof, and  
 all & all maner of things thervnto belonging, with all the rights, & Interests  
 which he hath, or euer had, or may haue vnto the same and all that parcell  
 of land wher the mille stands being thre or foure acres or ther abouts, with  
 tow acres of meadow be it more or less, lying betweene Rowland leighorns and  
 Edmond Chanlers march, with fortie acres of land be it more or less, abutting  
 vpon Stonie broke in Duxburie, & lying on y<sup>e</sup> north side thereof, thus bounded,  
 viz. lying on the south side of a swampe, aboue y<sup>e</sup> home steads on x y brooke,  
 or the mill brook, from a marked tree on y<sup>e</sup> north side of x said swampe to  
 an other marked tree west sowthwest; runing to x parcell of land granted  
 to John Washburne y<sup>e</sup> elder on y<sup>e</sup> one side of, x land and on y<sup>e</sup> other side to  
 rune all along by the said swampe as xked trees are marked on y<sup>e</sup> north side  
 therof, runing to the head \* of y<sup>e</sup> said swampe, and then from other marked \*228  
 trees to an arme of greens harbor brooke, and also all y<sup>e</sup> meadowe lands that  
 lyeth before y<sup>e</sup> said land vpon y<sup>e</sup> said Stony brooke, on y<sup>e</sup> side the brooke.

Allso ten acres of vpland lying on y<sup>e</sup> north side of Stony brooke, and on y<sup>e</sup> east side of y<sup>e</sup> lands of y<sup>e</sup> said William Hillier & georg Pollarde, with tow acers of march meadow adjoyning to y<sup>e</sup> said vpland, with all & singuler the appurtenances ther vnto belonging. And also ten acres of vpland, & one acre of meadow (which the said William & Georg bought of Rowland Leighorne) as it stands bounded vpon recorde, To haue and to hold the said halfe of the mill, and the halfe of all y<sup>e</sup> afforesaid vpland & meadows, and all housing, fences, and all & all maner of appurtenances belonging to any part & parcell therof. vnto the said Constant Southworth his heires and assignes for euer, and to the only proper vse & behoofe of him the said Constante Southworth his heirs and assignes for euer, and with warranties against all people from, by, or vnder him claiming any right, title or Interest of and into the said premisses, or any part therof. Also the said Constante is to be freed from all accounts, reckonings, or charges, aboute y<sup>e</sup> mille or any of the premises, in partnership betweene y<sup>e</sup> said William Hilleir and Georg Pollard, by the said William, any way acrewing before the day of date herof; provided notwithstanding it shall be free and lawfull for y<sup>e</sup> said William to demande satisfaction of the said Georg Pollerd or his Assignes for any charg he hath been at before the making of this bargane about y<sup>e</sup> mille, so as y<sup>e</sup> said Constante be no way charged, or molested aboute y<sup>e</sup> same. Also one dwelling house with a barne & all other out housing and three acres of land, with garden fences & all, and all maner of appurtenances ther vnto belonging, and also a parcell of vpland lying on y<sup>e</sup> east side of y<sup>e</sup> comone hige way and .2. acers of meadow thervnto belonging be it more or less, which y<sup>e</sup> said William bougte, belonging some time to Robart Mendam. All which dwelling house, barne, out-housing lands fences and y<sup>e</sup> apurtenances being his owne proper, and no way belonging to y<sup>e</sup> afforsaid partnership, he for y<sup>e</sup> afforsaid consideration before expresed, hath freely, and absolutly bargained & sould, and by these presents doth bargaine and sell vnto y<sup>e</sup> said Constante Southworth, all that his dwelling house barne garden & lands afforsaid with all & singuler y<sup>e</sup> premises, & & apurtenances, to haue and to hold, to the only behofe & proper vse of him, his heires and assignes for euer, with warrenty as aboue said. In witnes wherof the said William Hilliard hath put too his hand to these presents, before y<sup>e</sup> Gou<sup>r</sup> this .10. of Nouember An<sup>o</sup>: Dom. 1646.

In y<sup>e</sup> presence of  
Wittne℄ hereof  
Myles Standish  
Thomas Southworth

And Captaine Standish gaue in a certificate at y<sup>e</sup> same time, y<sup>t</sup> the wife of y<sup>e</sup> said William Hillier, before him gaue her free consent to y<sup>e</sup> sale of all y<sup>e</sup> premises aboue said.

WILLIAM HILLAR.

\*The second of Feb: Anno .1646.

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CONSTANT SOUTHWORTH acknowledgeth to haue sould vnto William Bradford of Plimoth all his lands & meadows lying at the Iland creeke with all & all maner of apurtenances thervnto belonging for y<sup>e</sup> sume of .12. pounds, ten pounds wherof is to be payd to William Hillier for his vse the twentieth of October Anno .1628. To haue and to hold y<sup>e</sup> said lands, & meadows with all y<sup>e</sup> appurtenances to his owne proper vse, to him & heires for euer. As may more at larg appear in a writing made therof.

\*BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>.

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The 2<sup>cond</sup> of aprell 1647.

THESE p<sup>r</sup>sents doe wittnes That Thomas Besbeeche of Sudbery of New England for and in conideration of the Sum of thirty pound ; to be payed by M<sup>r</sup> John Reiner of Plymouth in New England in maner and form foloing ; that is to say fifteen pound in Cattell or Corn goats excepted to be payed the first of May 1648 and the other fifteen pound in Corn and Cattell goats exceptd to be payd the first of May 1649 hath freely and absolutly barganed and sould and by these p<sup>r</sup>sents doe bargan and sell vnto the s<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> John Reyner all y<sup>t</sup> his house and housing and sixty acares of vpland bee it more or les excepting one acar sould vnto Edmund Chanderler of Duxbery three acars of meadow more or les adjacent and all and singular the apurtenancés therunto belonging and all his Right title and Enterest of and into the same and euery part and parcell therof with all the ffencing To haue and to hould the s<sup>d</sup> house sixty acars of vpland y<sup>t</sup> one acar excepted with the three acars of meadow and all the ffenceing with all and euery the apurtenances vnto the s<sup>d</sup> m<sup>r</sup> John Reyner his heaires and asynes for euer and to the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoof of him the s<sup>d</sup> m<sup>r</sup> John Reyner heairs and asynes for euer and with warrantise from him his heaires and assynes in wittnes wherof the s<sup>d</sup> Thomas Besbeeche hath heerunto set his hand the day and yeare aboue written.

Wittnes

THOMAS BESBEECH

Edmond ffreeman

William Paddy

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\* M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOŪ.The fite of y<sup>e</sup> last moneth 1645.

**T**HESE are to cōfīfe the Hono<sup>r</sup>able Courte holden at Plim<sup>m</sup> the first tewsday in March 1645 that we Nicolas Simpkins and Isabell the wife of y<sup>e</sup> said Nicolas now inhabiting in Bāstable doe acknowledge the sale of the vpland and marsh to y<sup>e</sup> quantity of fiftie ℥ fue acres more or lesse lying w<sup>th</sup>in the planta<sup>c</sup>ōn of Yarmouth vnto Thomas Bordman of Yarmouth and do by these p<sup>r</sup>sents passe oū and confirme vnto the said Thomas Bordman his heires ℥ Assignes all y<sup>e</sup> right ℥ interest into y<sup>e</sup> same that eū we had or might haue ℥ we do humbly intreat m<sup>r</sup> ffreeman of Sandwich being one of y<sup>e</sup> Assistants to cōfīfe y<sup>e</sup> Courte or whom it may cōdēne that this is o<sup>r</sup> free act ℥ acknowledgm<sup>t</sup>. in wisse herevnto we haue set to o<sup>r</sup> hands ℥ seales y<sup>e</sup> day ℥ yere aboue written.

sealed ℥ deliuid to y<sup>e</sup> vse abouemen<sup>c</sup>ōned in y<sup>e</sup> p<sup>r</sup>sence of

John Mayo.

Samuell Mayo.

NICOLAS

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her marke

**T**HE bounds of Richard Tayler sen<sup>rs</sup> land lying Neare Nobscusett in Yarmouth; viued and settled this 2i day of January i679, and first begining att the North westerly Corner att a pyne tree marked on four sids and a stone sett in the Ground by the Roote, of the said tree, on the south side which said tree stands about three Pole southerly from the Marsh, thence Ranging on a straight line south a little westerly eighty Poles, where the Corner bound Marke is two Pine trees about three foot asunder, betwixt them, is two stones sett into the Ground; both the trees are Marked on foure sides, thence turning on a square East a little southerly six score, ℥ fourteen Pole, to the Corner bounds which is to two pyne trees standing about four foot a part; both marked on four sides; and to stones in the ground betwixt them as att the other corner; thence Tvrrning on a square North, a little Eastly the line or range extends about eighty Pole to the Marsh, and in this range about six poles from the Marsh is a stone sett part of it into the Ground, by the ffence which is a bound marke bounded all alonge on the Northside with the Meddowes to the first Mencioned Pine tree, this Tract of vpland containeing threescore and six acrees more or lesse) alsoe the said Richard Tayler his heires and assignes is alwayes for euer to allow the present or as Convenient a Cart way

for p<sup>r</sup>sons to passe through his Land to their meddows to worke to ffech home their hay ; There is alsoe belonging To the said Tayler three Ilands of Creeke thach or sedge that were formerly Giuen vnto him his heires and assignes foreuer lying in Nobscusett Riuer or Creeke the Westermost of the four Mensioned Ilands is of Late yeers a little Joyned to John Hall Juniers Marsh ther is alsoe two acres of Meddow ; Giuen and Graunted to the said Tayler his heires and assignes for euer lying and being att the south syde, or sea in the Meddow att the Doctors warre (so called) this said two acres of Marsh Meddow lyeth adjoyning, to six acres of Meddow in the possession of Thomas ffolon

Bounded as abouesaid by vs

This 2i day of January i679.

M<sup>r</sup> JOHN THACHER.

EDMOND HAWES ;

<p>* <b>R</b> ECD of m<sup>r</sup> Edmund ffreeman for the Cuntry acompt }  fourteene pound w<sup>ch</sup> I layd out for the prisson and }  tenn pound w<sup>ch</sup> I payd to John Minar vppon the prisson } 30 — 0 — 0  acompt and six pound w<sup>ch</sup> I payd to m<sup>r</sup> Thomas vppon the }  bridg acompt I say Recd and soe disposed }</p> <p>In the year _____ by me WILĒ PADDY  w<sup>ch</sup> is In payment for the Necke of land at Sandwich.  witnes Ant: Thacher.</p>	<p>*236  [This is the original receipt, pasted on the leaf and recorded below on the same page.  D. P.]</p>
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June 3. 1647. A record of y<sup>e</sup> lands of M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman graunted unto him by his dwelling house at Sandwich viz<sup>s</sup> fourescore acres of vpland and twenty acres of meadow also six acres lying on the Beach to the North and by west side of his said house & adioyning to a peece of land cald Cussett.

An Acquittance acknoleged and recorded June 4<sup>th</sup> 1647.

<p><b>R</b> EC of M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman for the Country account }  fourteene pound w<sup>ch</sup> I laid out for the prison. and }  tenne pound w<sup>ch</sup> I paid to John Minor vpon the prison ac- } 30 — 0 — 0  count and six pound w<sup>ch</sup> I paid to M<sup>r</sup> Thomas vpon the }  bridge account. I say received and so disposed }</p> <p>in the yere _____ by me WILĒ PADDY.  w<sup>ch</sup> is in payment for the necke of land at Sandwich.  witnesse Ant: Thacher.</p>	<p>*236  [This is the original receipt, pasted on the leaf and recorded below on the same page.  D. P.]</p>
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M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOÜNO<sup>r</sup>.Kempton  
to  
Church.

**J**UNE 3<sup>d</sup> 1647. It is agreed vpon betweene Richard Church and Manasseth Kempton both of the towne of Pli<sup>m</sup>outh in New England the said Manasseth Kempton hath exchanged a parcell of land w<sup>th</sup> the said Richard Church in Considera<sup>õ</sup>n of fforty acres of land lying att the head and on the South side of y<sup>e</sup> Eale riuer Swampe & now in the hands of the said Richard given and granted by the Court in the yere of o<sup>r</sup> Lord 1637. as by the Court booke will app<sup>r</sup>e to the said Richard Church his heires and Assignes for ever. And in considera<sup>õ</sup>n hereof the said Manasseth Kempton hath assigned and set over for him his heires & assignes vnto the said Richard Church his heires and assignes for e<sup>u</sup> a parcell of land nexte adioyning vnto the said Richard Church his lott from y<sup>e</sup> out bounds of the said Richard vntill it stop at a bounde marke tree w<sup>th</sup>in the fenced meadow there adioyning of the said Manasseth Kemptons: w<sup>h</sup> said marke tree was now bounded to the true intent of the bounds betweene the said Manasseth and Richard theire heires Executo<sup>r</sup>s administrato<sup>r</sup>s & assignes for time to come. p<sup>r</sup>vided that the said Manasseth Kempton reserveth to himselfe his heires and Ass<sup>s</sup> for euer a free way and passage for egress & regress for carriage or oth<sup>r</sup>wise w<sup>th</sup>out the fence vpon the vpland that adioynes next vnto y<sup>e</sup> aforesaid fenced meadow. And further the said Manasseth having a smale p<sup>r</sup>cell of meadow adioyning vnto ano<sup>t</sup>h p<sup>r</sup>cell of y<sup>e</sup> said Richard at or neere the place of y<sup>e</sup> bound marke afore men<sup>r</sup>õned from the meadow of Richard Church to a little Creeke where Manasseth Kemptons fence stands butting on y<sup>e</sup> Rivers side: he doth also vpon the former considera<sup>õ</sup>n of Exchange of y<sup>e</sup> forty acres afore men<sup>r</sup>õned giue & graunt the said smale p<sup>r</sup>cell of Meadow vnto y<sup>e</sup> said Richard his heires & Assignes for e<sup>u</sup>. The said land of y<sup>e</sup> afore men<sup>r</sup>õned Manasseth now exchanged w<sup>th</sup> the said Richard is to runne vp fr<sup>õ</sup> the bound markt tree vp into the woods as farre as the other lotts adioyning do runne and according to y<sup>e</sup> poynt of Compasse as now they runne vpon.

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\* M<sup>r</sup>. BRADFORD GOÜNO<sup>r</sup>.

1647.

June 3. 1647.

Eaton  
to  
Lo: Brewster.

**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents that whereas Samuell Eaton of Duxborough w<sup>th</sup>in the go<sup>u</sup>m<sup>t</sup> of New Pli<sup>m</sup>outh in America in New England hath bargained sould remised & enfeofed vnto loue Brewster of Duxborough aforesaid for a valewable considera<sup>õ</sup>n all that third p<sup>t</sup>e of land sometime belonging vnto Christian Billington wife of ffrancis Billington formerly wife of ffrancis Eaton and father of the said Samuell Eaton: to haue & to hold to him the foresaid Loue Bruster his heires and Assignes for ever w<sup>th</sup> all the app<sup>r</sup>teñces I<sup>m</sup>unities and hereditam<sup>t</sup> whatsoever belonging and



accrewing to the said third p<sup>te</sup> of land. now know ye that the said Samuell Eaton by these p<sup>r</sup>sents doth remise quit claime and discharge him selfe his heires Executors administrato<sup>r</sup>s or Assignes of any right title or interest for ever to any p<sup>te</sup> pcell or Imūnity to the fore said third pte of land, also the said Samuell Eaton bindeth him selfe by these p<sup>r</sup>sents his heires & assignes & to giue vnto the said Loue Brewster at his request such further Assurance as shalbe required from time to time as shalbe according to y<sup>e</sup> lawes customes or orders of this Gou<sup>r</sup>nt of New Plimouth to all the said p<sup>r</sup>misses according to the true intent of the same The said Samuell Eaton bindeth himselfe as aforesaid vnder his hand & seale this 10<sup>th</sup> of march 1646.

the marke of  SAMUELL EATON  y<sup>e</sup> seale

this bargaine and sale as aboue is acknowledged by Elizabeth Eaton before y<sup>e</sup> ensealing of y<sup>e</sup> same y<sup>e</sup> day & yere aboue written before me.

MYLES STANDISH.

\* 1647.

M<sup>r</sup> W<sup>m</sup>. BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>no<sup>r</sup>.

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The xxvij<sup>th</sup> octob<sup>r</sup> .1647.

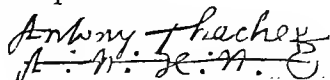
**T**HESE p<sup>r</sup>sents wisse in considera<sup>o</sup>n of Tenne pounds paide to me William Handbury in hand p Christopher winter in one yoake of Steeres, and sefall bills to the valew of 110<sup>li</sup> to be paid yerely as p sefall bills may app<sup>e</sup> I the said William Handbury haue sold to the abouesaid Christopher winter his heires and Assignes for ever all that said farme now being in my hand at p<sup>r</sup>sent lately bought of m<sup>r</sup> Browne both vpland and meadow housing and all other accomoda<sup>o</sup>ns therevnto belonging w<sup>th</sup> that meadow of my fathers w<sup>ch</sup> is about 6 acres be it more or lesse lying about 3 miles frō my farme. Also I giue vnto him my right vnto that 6 acres of meadow grānted me & 4 acres of vpland neere y<sup>e</sup> towne w<sup>ch</sup> sefall parcells I doe freely resigne vp to Christopher Winter his heires and Assignes for ever from me Williā Handbury my heires and Assignes for ever. And doe p<sup>r</sup>mise to send the Deede thereof w<sup>ch</sup> I had frō m<sup>r</sup> Browne w<sup>th</sup> an Assignm<sup>t</sup> thereof to the said Winter & also the consent of my wife for the sale thereof and Deede frō my father for his 6 acres of meadow. vnto all these p<sup>r</sup>mises I haue set to my hand this 26<sup>th</sup> of Octob<sup>r</sup> 1647.

Hanbury  
to  
Winter.

Sig<sup>n</sup>d & Deliv<sup>d</sup>

in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of

WILLIAM HANDBURY

  
Thomas Tupper.

Octob<sup>r</sup> xxvij<sup>th</sup> .1647.

Hanbury  
to  
Browne.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> that m<sup>r</sup> William Hanbury doth acknowledge that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of Tenne pounds: viz<sup>t</sup>; v<sup>th</sup> in hand, ℥ v<sup>th</sup> in marchantable fish at Currant price the first of Septemb<sup>r</sup> next 1648 hath freely and absolutely bargained and sold vnto will<sup>m</sup> Browne all that his dwelling house and gardeine places barne ℥ buildings in and vpon the same w<sup>th</sup> c<sup>t</sup>aine fruite trees growing thereon. scituate in Plimouth w<sup>th</sup> all and singular the app<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces therevnto belonging and all his Right ℥ title of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>misses and e<sup>u</sup>y p<sup>te</sup> and parcell thereof, w<sup>th</sup> the fences about the same. To haue ℥ to hold the said house ℥ gardeine places barne and buildings w<sup>th</sup> the fruite trees and all and singular thapp<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces therevnto belonging vnto the said william Browne his heires and Assignes for ever to y<sup>e</sup> only pp v<sup>e</sup> and behoofe of him the said William Browne his heires and Assignes for ever witnes his hand the day ℥ yere first aboue said./.

Witnesse Antony Thacher.

WILLIAM HANBURY.

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\* M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GO<sup>u</sup>no<sup>r</sup>.

1647.

October 27<sup>th</sup> 1647.

Tinkham  
to  
Sampson.

**M**EMORAN<sup>D</sup> that Ephraim Tinkeham and mary his wife doth acknowledge that for and in considera<sup>o</sup>n of the su<sup>m</sup> of seven pound℥ in hand paid by Henry Sampson of Duxborough hath freely and absolutely bargained and solde vnto Henry Sampson afore said all that Third p<sup>te</sup> of that Lott w<sup>ch</sup> was for<sup>m</sup>ly the land of Peter Browne deceased. dwelling house and buildings in and vpon the same w<sup>th</sup> all and singular the app<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ce℥ therevnto belonging (Except the third p<sup>te</sup> of the whole meadow) the said third of y<sup>e</sup> vpland lying and being next adioyning vnto the land of the said Henry Sampson in Duxborough aforemen<sup>o</sup>ned, and all his Right title ℥ interest of and into the said Third p<sup>te</sup> of vpland ℥ p<sup>r</sup>misses and e<sup>u</sup>y p<sup>te</sup> and pcell thereof. To haue and to holde all that third p<sup>te</sup> of allottm<sup>t</sup> of vpland housings and all and singular the app<sup>r</sup>te<sup>n</sup>ces there vnto belonging (except before excepted) vnto the said Henry Sampson his heires and Assignes for ever to the only pp v<sup>e</sup> and behoofe of him the said Henry Sampson his heires ℥ As<sup>s</sup> for ever p<sup>r</sup>vided the said Ephraim Tinkh<sup>a</sup> is doth reserue to his owne vse all the fruite trees and li<sup>b</sup>ty to remoue them in convenient time, as also the v<sup>s</sup>e of all the housing for this winter./.

Octobr 27<sup>th</sup> 1647.

**T**HESE wisse whereas Comfort Star by Guifte gaue vnto his son in law John Maynard one pcell of meadow & vpland conteining by estimaçõn 22 acres lying & being in Duxborough betweene the land of George Partrich & y<sup>e</sup> lande of y<sup>e</sup> heire of m<sup>r</sup> Kempe, the said Comfort doth hereby acquit and disclaime any right title or interest y<sup>t</sup> he or any other by him, shall or may, by any p<sup>t</sup>ence lay claime vnto the same otherwise then aboue mençõned. In wites of w<sup>ch</sup> release & discharge frõ or by the said Comfort the said Comfort hath subscribed his hand this 26<sup>th</sup> day of October 1647.

Star  
to  
Maynard.

p me COMFORT STARRE.

**T**HESE wites that I John Maynard of Boston in New England haue alienated & sould vnto George Partrich of Duxborough in the Pattent of New Plim in new England all my vpland and meadow lying & being in Duxborough aforesaid, adioyning vnto the abouesaid George conteining by estimaçõn .20 acres for him & his heires for ever to inioy. and I doe hereby acquit release and disclaime all right title or interest that either I or my heires may any way lay claime vnto the same in wisse whereof I haue set to my hand this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August 1647.

Maynard  
to  
Partrich.

wisse Comfort Starre.

JOHN MAYNARD.

These wisse that Mary Maynard of Boston doe hereby manifest my free and full consent & willingnes to y<sup>e</sup> sale of all the land and meadow made by my husband vnto George Partrich in New England. In wites of this my free and full consent I haue subscribed my hand this 20<sup>th</sup> of August 1647.

MARY *M* MAYNARD.

JOB *H* HAKENS.

\*1647. M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD Gouernor.

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The fite of Dessemer 1647.

**M**<sup>R</sup> EDMOND FREEMAN senior of Sandwidg in the colliny of New plimonth gen<sup>l</sup> doeth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in consideration of twelue pound sterling to be payed in manner and forme folõing by Ephraim hickes of plimouth aforesaid planter that is to say six pound therof to bee payed on the last of october next folõing the date heerof and the other six pound to

bee payed on the last of october next folōing the first payment in the ordinary pay of the Country viz<sup>s</sup> corn and cattell hee hath fully freely and absoletly barganed and sould vnto the said Ephraim Hickea a parsell of land contayning eleuen acres or therabouts bee it more or lesse lyng on the south side of the towne of plimouth aforsaid next adjoyneing vnto gorg watsson and John barnes on the one side and vnto m<sup>rs</sup> fuller on the other side with all and singuler the apurtenances therunto belonging with all his Right title and Interest of and into the said premeses to haue and to hold the said eleuen acres of vpland with all and singuler the apurtenances thereunto belonging vnto the said Ephraim hickes his heaires and asynnes for euer to the only pper vse and behoofe of him the said Ephraim hickes his heairs and asynnes for euer.

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\* M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOUEN

A Record of sertaine articls of ageement between Richard Chadweell and Thomas Dexter senior as folows.

**M**EMORANDOW y<sup>t</sup> I Thomas Dexter of Linn in the Massachusits Bay doe aquit and discharge Richard Chadweell of Sandwidge of actions debts dewes and demands from the begining of the world vnto this present day being the fife of Jenuary 1638.

p me THOMAS DEXTER.

November 29 Anno 1647.

**These presents** may satisfy such as it may Consuern y<sup>t</sup> whereas wee whose names are vnderwriten were made Choise of by ffarmer Dexter and Richard Chadweell to Arbtrate sertaine differences depending between them and thay binding them selues in the som of twenty £ a peece to stand to y<sup>t</sup> end w<sup>h</sup> wee vpon the hearing and dew Consideration of ther defferences and evidences should make or in Casse wee should not agree between ourselues to make Choisse of a third man; haue seen Cawsse to order things repented to vs as folows.

Imprimis for a debt Required by a bill Assyned to ffarmer Dexter by Richard Chadweell wee have found it payable by M<sup>r</sup> Willis in Casse hee Canot otherwise Cleare the payment of it a debt I say of 24<sup>s</sup> Richard Chadwell Cleered of it.

Item for a debt required by an other bill wee order Richard Chadweell to pay 4<sup>s</sup> to the farmer 5<sup>s</sup> more remaying to bee payd by Hugh Burt of Linn.

Item for an other debt of 20<sup>s</sup> required of Richard Chadweell wee have

found it Cutt off by a generall aquitanc dated after the time of the promise wherupon this debt should ARisse was made vnto the farmer.

WILLIAM LEVERIDG  
RICHARD BOURNE.

ffinally ther being a differenc Refered to us Conserning the exchange of an horsse and a mare and not Agreeing aboute it made Choisse of M<sup>r</sup> Dillingam as the third man have ordered Richard Chadweell to pay farmer Dexter 3<sup>z</sup> and tenn shillings w<sup>h</sup> som together with the former 4<sup>s</sup> is to bee payed in a Cow valued at 4<sup>z</sup> out of which 4<sup>z</sup> the farmer is to pay six shill. backe again to Richard Chadweell vpon the Rescript of the said Cow.

WILLIAM LEVERIDG  
EDWARD DILLINGHAM  
RICHARD BOURNE.

\*January the 19<sup>th</sup> 1647.

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**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents y<sup>t</sup> i John Dunham of New plimouth weauer doe acknowlidg that I haue frely and absolutly giuen vnto my soon Samuell Dunham six acars of vpland ground being bounded by my neighbor William pontus on the North side and with the coffion hyway on the south side and nex adJoyning vnto the Rest of my land and the land of my naighbor William pontus on the easte side p<sup>r</sup>vided y<sup>t</sup> the said Samuell Dunham doe alow vnto mee a sutfient cartway into the woods through the said six acares of land going out at the pertition between my naighbor pontus and my selfe and so the convenientest way into the comon and further y<sup>t</sup> the said Samuell Dunham is to permit mee to haue free vse of the timber both for fierwood and other vse and allso y<sup>t</sup> the said Samuell Dunham is to maintayn and continew a constant and sutfient fence about the said six acares of land and y<sup>t</sup> whosoever heerafter shall purchase the said six acars of land be InJoyned to maintayn and continew the said fence these things p<sup>r</sup>vided I the said John Dunham as aforsaid have and doe frely and absolutly giue vnto my soon Samuell Dunham the aforsaid six acars of vpland bee it more or lesse vnto the only p<sup>r</sup>per vse of him the said Samuell Dunham his heirs and asynnes for euer in witnes whereof I haue heervnto set my hand

in the pressenc of  
Nathaneell Morton  
James Glasse.

JOHN DUNHAM.

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M<sup>r</sup>. BRADFORD Gouvernor.

January 19<sup>th</sup>. SAMUELL DUNHAM of new plymouth planter for and in consideration of five pound sterling to be payed in maner and form folōing y<sup>t</sup> is to say thirty five shill to bee payed the last of Nouember next folōing the date heerof and other thirty five shillings to bee payed the last of Nouember next folōing the first payment and the remaying thirtys to be payed the laste of Nouember next folōing the 2<sup>cond</sup> payment in the ordinary pay of the country viz corn or catell by James Glasse of plimouth aforesaid planter hath freely barganed and sould vnto the said James Glasse six acars of vpland ground next adJoyneing vnto the land of John Dunham senior and of William pontus being bounded by a part of the land of the said william pontus on the north side and on the South side with a cofion hyeway.

and wheras the said six acars of vpland or therabouts be it more or lese was by way of giufte formerly bestowed on Samuell Dunham aforesaid by his father John Dunham aforesaid the said John Dunham reseruing vnto himselfe the vse and p̄priety of the timber of the said six acares of land both for fierwood and other vses.

These p<sup>r</sup>sents are to signify vnto all whom it shall for the futuer conssern y<sup>t</sup> the said John Dunham of plimouth aforesaid weauer hath and doeth freely surrender vp all his Right titell and Interest of and into the said timber whether for fierwood or other vse vnto the aforesaid James Glasse in leue of a smalle moyety of land belonging vnto William pontus aforesaid being estemated at about halfe an acare be it more or lese the norwest side therof being bounded with Thomas Dunhams land and on the southeast side with a little pond which smale moiety of land the said william pontus by way of exchange in the behalfe of his soon in law James glasse aforesaid for the aforesaid timber on the aforesaid six acars of vpland doeth by these presents freely surrender vp all his right title and Interest of and into the said moiety of land with all and singuler the apurtenances therunto belonging vnto the aforesaid John Dunham his heairs and asynnes for euer.

furthermore James glase aforesaid doeth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents couenant and condition to alow vnto the aforesayed John Dunham a sutfitient cartway throw the aforesaid six acares of land going out at the pertition between william pontus and the said John Dunham and so the conuenientest way into the comon as allso the said James glasse is to maintain a constant and sutfitient fence about the said six acars of vpland and y<sup>t</sup> whosoever shall for the futuer purchase the aforesaid six acars of vpland bee inJoyned to contineu the said fence

These things beeing premised the aforesaid John Dunham and Samuell Dunham his soon doe by these presents freely and fuly make ouer all theair

Right title and Interest of and Into the said six acres of land vnto James Glasse aforsaid with all and singuler the apurtenances thervnto belonging vnto the onely pper vse of the said James Glasse his heairs and asynes for euer with all and singuler the premises therunto belonging vnto the onely pper vse and behoofe of the said James Glasse his heairs and asynnes for euer.

March the 20<sup>th</sup> 1647.

**S**AMUELL EEDY for and in consideration of thirty shillings or therabouts allredy payed by Experienc Michell of Duksbery hath barganed and sould vnto the said experienc Michell one acar of marsh medow liing next vnto the medow of experienc Michell aforsaid on the one side and vnto a smale parsell belonging vnto James Cole on the other syed with all his Right title and Interest of and into the same vnto the said experienc Michell his heairs and asynes for euer.

\*1647. BRADFORD GOUERNER

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**M**EMORANDUM the twentyeth of January y<sup>t</sup> m<sup>r</sup> William Paddy of New Ply<sup>^</sup> marchant in the behalfe of m<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman seni<sup>^</sup> of Sandwidg gen<sup>l</sup> doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in concideration of twentyone pound sterling to bee payed in maner and forme folōing by m<sup>r</sup> Arther howland of the townce of Marshfeild in the Coliny of New Plymouth aforsaid planter videlecet five pound to bee payed on the fifteenth day of ffebruary 1648 and eight pound mor to bee payed on the fifteenth day of ffebruary next after the first payment and the other eight pound to bee payed the fifteenth day of ffebruary next after the 2<sup>cond</sup> payment in the ordenary pay of the Cuntry viz<sup>z</sup> Corn and Cattell hath freely and absolutly barganed and sould vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Arther howland the one halfe of a Certaine tract of vpland and mersh meadow being estemated at about three hundred acars or thereabouts bee it more or les the w<sup>h</sup> was formerly graunted vnto Captaine Miles Standish and M<sup>r</sup> John Alden lying on the north side of the south Riuer the breadth of the said whole tracte begining at the easterly side of the beauer pond the said pond being Encluded vnto the westerly side of the little brooke next settuaat path over the south Riuer and so to Rang in length vpon a North linne on both sids vp into the Land; y<sup>t</sup> halfe being vnderstood y<sup>t</sup> lyeth next vnto the bridge; with all the said m<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman his Right title and Enterest of and into the said halfe of the aforsaid tract of vpland and *and* marsh meadow belonging therunto with all and singuler the apurtenances thereunto belonging vnto the said

M<sup>r</sup> Arthur howland to haue and to hold all and singular the premises with all and singulare the apurtenances therunto belonging vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Arther howland his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said M<sup>r</sup> Arther howland his heairs and assignes for euer.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> the 7<sup>th</sup> of March 1647 that John Rogers of Duxbery doth acknowldg y<sup>t</sup> for and in Concideration of thirty six shillings to bee payed vnto him by Gyels Rickard seni of Plymouth hee hath barganed and sould vnto the said Gyels Rickard a smale pcell of marsh meadow being Estemated at an acare or therabouts be it more or les lying at Joanses Riuer between M<sup>r</sup> howlands ffence and the Causway with twenty foot Square of vp-land lying between the hieway and m<sup>r</sup> howlands ffence aforsaid against the said meadow with timber to ffence it for the present as acording to these conditions the said John Rogers bought it of M<sup>r</sup> William hanbery in the year 1646 the w<sup>h</sup> Bargan was acknowldged by the said M<sup>r</sup> William hanbery before William Colyar gen<sup>t</sup> Assistant now sould both the vpland and meadow as aforsaid vnto Gyels Rickard by John Rogers with all his Right title and Enterest of and into the said premises to haue and to hould vnto the said Gyels Rickard his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the only proper vse and behoofe of him the said Gyels Rickard his heairs and assignes for euer.

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\* M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOUER.March the 7<sup>th</sup> 1647.

**M**<sup>R</sup> CHANSY pastor of the church of Christ at Setaat dezired to haue his house and lands recorded in the court booke.

Impri. the house y<sup>t</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Hatherly bought of M<sup>r</sup> Varsall with the Inlargments therof. **G<sup>y</sup>** a new biulding and barne and other out houses.

I<sup>z</sup> all the ground lying about the house being about six acars.

I<sup>z</sup> a Stony feild inclosed buting to therby vpon the marsh aforsaid.

I<sup>z</sup> an orchyard behind the house.

I<sup>z</sup> the barne close compasing the ground on all sydes but on the Sowth syde.

I<sup>z</sup> twenty acars of vpland tenn acars wherof are inclosed and comonly called the new feild.

I<sup>z</sup> twelue acares of conahaset marsh.

I<sup>z</sup> twenty acars of land at the plase called the hoop pole necke with the other lands not yet deuded belonging to him for his part among the purchasers of Conahaset. P. 260.



March 21: 1647:

**M**<sup>R</sup> WILLIAM PADY James Hust and John cooke deacons of the church of Christ at plimouth in the behalfe of the said church doe acknowledg y<sup>t</sup> for and in consideration of the Som of five pound Sterling to be payed in the ordinary pay of the cuntry viz corn or catell fifty shill. therof to bee payed on the last of Nouember next foloing the date herof and the other fifty shilli to be payed on the last of Nouember next foloing the first payment by Nathaneel Morton of plimouth haue barganed and sould vnto the said Nathaneel Morton a house and 4 acars of land bee it more or lesse lyeing at Weelingsla beeing bounded by a persell of land belonging vnto Mr William bradford gouener on the north side and with a sertayne persell of land belonging vnto Samuell Jeny on the south side and buting vpon Weelingsla creeke with all thayer or the aforsaid churches Right title or Interest of and in to the same with all and Singuler the apurtinances therunto belonging vnto the said Nathaneel Morton to haue and to hould with all and singuler the premises therunto belonging vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said Nathaneel Morton his heairs and asynes for euer.

These seuerall payments have bin since fully payed to the church by Nathaniel Morton.

\* 1647. BRADFORD GOV<sup>n</sup>r.

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A Deed appointed to bee Recorded.


March the 4<sup>th</sup> 1647.

**B**EE it Knowne vnto all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents That I Moris Truante Inhabitant of the Towne of Duxborrow and Jaane my wife haue for diuers Reasons and vpon good Coniderations sould to John Washburne Inhabitant of the same Towne to him and To his heaires for euer all the Right title & Enterest wee the aforsaid pties haue in our lands housses out housses as in manor & form following.

**I**mprimis all the planting land lying between John Irishes & John Aldens Inhabitants of the same Towne which quantity of land is twenty acars bee it more or les; Together with another pcell of planting land as is supposed to bee about the sum of eight acars bee it more or les; The same land likewise adioyning to the lands of the aforsaid John Alden a hieway parting them at the Corners of their land next a swampe;

Wee doe likewise sell all our Right & Enterest to the aforsaid John Washburne To him and to his heaires for euer, in our meadow lands which lyeth in two pcells the one pcell adioyning to the lands of Phillipe Delanoy Constant

Southworth John Irish The other pcell lying at a place vssually Called Ducke hill & adioyning to the same The said Moris Truent doth promise his wife Jaane shall acknowledg according to order the sale of the said lands & y<sup>t</sup> the said Moris & Jaane shall at any time giue vnto the said John Washburne or his heaires & further & more ample assurance of the said land being Required ; in Wittnes wherof wee have set to our hands the day & yeare aboue written.

The mark of  MORIS TRUANT.  
before mee Miles Standish the  
day & yeare aboue written.

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M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOVERNOR.October the 4<sup>th</sup> i648.

**M**<sup>R</sup> EDMOND FREEMAN seni of the towne of Sandwidg in the colynie of New plymouth gen<sup>t</sup> acknowledgeth y<sup>t</sup> for and in concideration of six and twenty pounds sterling<sup>e</sup> to bee payed vnto him in maner and form folowing: viz at three payments: the first in September next folowing the date heerof: the 2<sup>cond</sup> in September i650 and the third and laste payment in September i65i in the ordynary pay of the Cuntry viz corn or cattell by Thomas Chillingsworth of Marshfeild in the coliny aforsaid Shoemaker hath freely and absolutly barganed and Sould vnto the said Thomas Chillingsworth the one halfe of a certaine tracte of vpland and marsh meadow being estemated at aboute three hundred acars or theerabouts bee it more or les which was formerly graunted vnto Captaine Myles Standish and M<sup>r</sup> John Alldin lying on the north side of the south Riuer the bredth of the s<sup>d</sup> whole tracte begining at the easterly side of the beauer pond the said pond being included vnto the westerle side of the litle brooke next Setcaat path ouer the south Riuer and so to Rang in length vpon a norwest lynne on both sides vp into the Cuntry ; M<sup>r</sup> Arthur howland haueing formerly purchased that halfe of the aforsaid tracte lying next vnto the bridge the Remayning halfe is to bee vnderstood: with all the s<sup>d</sup> m<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman his Right title and intereste of and into the s<sup>d</sup> halfe of the aforsaid tracte of vpland and marsh meadow belonging therunto with all and singuler the apurtenances therunto belonging vnto the s<sup>d</sup> Thomas Chillingsworth to haue and to hould with all and singuler the premises therunto belonging vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said Thomas Chillingsworth his heaires and asynes for euer.

M<sup>r</sup> Edmond Freeman seni<sup>r</sup> acknowledged before M<sup>r</sup> John ffreeman Assistant that hee hath Receiued full satisfaction in

Reference to the seuerall payments expressed to be due to him for the abouesaid land sold by him the said Edmond ffreeman to Thomas Chillingsworth deceased.

\* 1648.

M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOUERNER.

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October the 23. 1648.

**J**OHN DUNHAM Junier acknowledeth y<sup>t</sup> for and in Concideration of twelue pound sterling to be payed vnto him in maner and forme folowing viz<sup>t</sup> three pound therof to bee payed out of hand in cloth and comodities and fwe pound therof to bee payed by the fifteenth day of aprill next folowing the date heerof in corn and cattell and the Remayning four pound to bee payed on the last of october 1649 in Rye and Indian corn by Nathaneel Masterson hath sould vnto the s<sup>d</sup> Nathaneel Masterson tenn acars of vpland ground or therabouts bee it more or les being and lying at Weelingsla with all the housing vpon the s<sup>d</sup> land with the orchyard and the Rye now growing vppon the s<sup>d</sup> land and all the ffence or ffences therunto belonging vnto the s<sup>d</sup> Nathaneel Masterson to haue and to hold to him the said Nathaneel Masterson his heaires and asynes for euer with all and singuler the apurtenances apertaining vnto the aforsaid land vnto the only proper vse and behoofe of him the said Nathaneell Masterson his heaires and asynes for euer: provided y<sup>t</sup> the s<sup>d</sup> John Dunham is to dwell in and make vse of the aforsaid houses or howsing vntell the fifteenth day of aprell next folowing the date heerof in wittnes of the aforsaid premeses they haue set to thayer hands.

JOHN DUNHAM

NATHANEELL MASTERSON.

\* 1648.

M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOUERNER.

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January the 23<sup>d</sup> 1648.

**M**EMORANDUM That John Rogers of Duxbery hath bought of Ephraim hicks of plymouth all the Rent of the lands now Improued the which m<sup>r</sup> Robert hickes now deseased did lett to Georg Partridg Christofer Wadsworth M<sup>r</sup> Stare John Washburn and Thomas heward for which John Rogers bindeth himselfe to pay to Ephraim hicks afor<sup>s</sup>d the Just Sum of fwe pound sterling in marchantable corn Sutch as hee doth Receaue of the p<sup>r</sup>sons to whom those lands are let; at his house the next Nouember Com twelue-month and the s<sup>d</sup> John Rogers is to fulfill and make good the bargan of Robert hicks deseased concerning the land so let as aforsaid and to discharg

the s̄d Ephraim of all Damages whatsocuer w<sup>h</sup> may fale by the s̄d bargan  
in witnes heerof the parties aboue mensioned haue heerunto Set theire hands  
in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of

John Morton.

JOHN ROGERS  
EPHRAIM HICKS

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M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD Gouverner.

**M**EMORANDUM the 23<sup>d</sup> of January 1648 That Ephraim hicks of  
New plymouth yeaman acknowledgeth y<sup>t</sup> for and in consideration of  
the Som of eightenne pounds ster<sup>li</sup> to bee payed in maner and form foloing  
viz the first payment being nine pound therof to bee payed in Marchantable  
corn and catell by the 15<sup>th</sup> of Nouember 1650 and the Remander to bee  
payed by the 15<sup>th</sup> of Nouember 1651 in marchantable corn and cattell as afor-  
said each payment to bee payed in corn the one halfe therof and the other halfe  
in catell; the cattell to bee valleued at the deliuey of them according as  
two Indifferent men Shall Judg of them the corn to bee wheat Rye and Indian  
corn of each a licke quantity by John Rogers of Duxbery yeaman hath  
ffreely and absolutly barganed and Sould vnto the said John Rogers a  
p<sup>r</sup>sell of vpland ground being about threescore acars or therabouts bee it  
more lese lyeing at the Illand creek at Duxbery afor said next vnto the  
land on w<sup>h</sup> the s̄d John Rogers now liueth the length to begin at the water  
side wher the ffence on the s̄d land now Standeth and so to extend it selfe vp  
into the woods with all the ffence now vpon the s̄d threescore acars of vpland  
afor said with all his Right title and Enterest of and into the s̄d p<sup>r</sup>mises with  
all and singuler the apurtances vnto the s̄d p<sup>r</sup>mises belonging vnto the s̄d  
John Rogers his heaires and asynes for euer vnto the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and be-  
hoofe of him the s̄d John Rogers his heaires and asynes for euer p<sup>r</sup>vided y<sup>t</sup>  
the s̄d John Rogers is by this p<sup>r</sup>sent bargan and couenant to maintaine the  
one halfe of the fence vpon the vpland afor said against the meadow of the  
s̄d Ephraim hicks and the s̄d Ephraim hicks the other halfe for euer and the  
said Ephraim hicks is to haue so many trees as long as thay are on the ground  
afor said as wilbee needfull to mayntaine his half of the said fence; and further  
y<sup>t</sup> the s̄d John Rogers is to deliuer the corn aboue mensioned and the seuerall  
psells therof vnto Ephraim hicks at his house at Ileland creek afor said.

John Rogers hath fully paied the seuerall paiments due  
vnto Ephraim hickes for the abouesaid Land vnto Samuell  
hickes as the heire and Successer of the said Ephraim hickes  
deceased and accordingly by consent of the said Samuell  
hickes these p<sup>r</sup>sents were entered January the 19<sup>th</sup> 1652.

\*1648.

M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD Gouverner.

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January the 24<sup>th</sup>

**A**N agreement made betwext Gyles Rickard seni of Plymouth on the one part and Edward holman of Plymouth afor̄sd as foloeth viz y<sup>t</sup> the s̄d Gyles Rickard Couenanteth to take Richard Willis the soon in law of Edward afor̄sd aged about seauen yeares after the maner of an apprentice and to teach and Instruct him in the trade or art of a weauer according to the maner of weauing the s̄d Gyles Rickard now Employeth himselfe in and to shew and Instruct him to his best abillity in whatsoever himselfe can doe in the trade or arte afor̄said ; and that the s̄d Richard Willis shall continew with Gyles Rickard afor̄sd after the maner of an apprentice as afor̄sd vntell hee bee of the age of twenty one yeares duering which time the s̄d Gyles Rickard Shall provid for Richard Willis afor̄sd competent and convenient meat drinke aparell washing and lodging and all other nessesaryes beffiting one of his Degree and Ranke and in the terme of time afor̄sd to giue and provide for him two sutes of aparrell oue for best and an other for his dayly wearing ; and in Case the s̄d Gyles Rickard should bee taken away by Death beffore the time afor̄sd bee expired y<sup>t</sup> the s̄d Richard Willis shall continew notwithstanding after the maner of an apprentice as afor̄said vnto Judith Rickard the wife of the s̄d Gyles Rickard or his heaires or excecuters and thay to perform that w<sup>h</sup> conserneth Gyles Rickard on his part towards the s̄d Richard willis as acording to the conditions afor̄sd furthermore y<sup>t</sup> the s̄d Richard Willis shall Cary and behaue himselfe in all truth and faithfulness towards the s̄d Gyles Rickard as a trew and faithfull aprentice ought to doe nether Imbezeling nor stealing any of his goods nor Revealing his seacrets nor contracting himselfe in mariage to any during the tearm of yeares afor̄said but behaueing himselfe in euery Respect as becometh one in his condition in wittnes of the premises afor̄sd that thay shallbe trewly and faithfully performed the s̄d Gyles Rickard and Edward holman in the behalfe of Richard Willis afor̄said haue heerunto Set thaire hands in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of Nathaneell Morton.

EDWARD HOLMAN  
GYLES RICKARD

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M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOUERNER.

Recorded february the sixt.

**T**O All peopell to whom these p<sup>r</sup>sents shall come Timothy Hatherly of Seteaat in the gouerment of New plymouth in New England in America gen<sup>t</sup> sendeth Greeting; know yea that wheras a sertaine tract or parsell of land lying on the norwest syde of Seteaat brooke w<sup>h</sup> was giuen and granted by M<sup>r</sup> William Bradford and his asociates in the gouerment afor<sup>s</sup>d vnto M<sup>r</sup> Richard Andrews M<sup>r</sup> John Beachamp M<sup>r</sup> James Sherly Settesens of London vnto mee the afor<sup>s</sup>d Timothy Hatherlee equally to be devided between vs into fouer equall parts or Shares w<sup>h</sup> s<sup>d</sup> land is bounded with a brook of water lyeing south<sup>t</sup>herlee of the harbor at Seteaat and from hywater marke in y<sup>t</sup> brook to run threemyles west into the woods and from the mouth of the s<sup>d</sup> brook to run east to the Sea haueing Seteaat land on the south border and the north border being att a little neck of land formerly Called and knowne by the Indians or natiues by the name of Conahaset allies Cohaset and is neare a great fall of water and from hywater mark at the s<sup>d</sup> neck to run three myles on a west lynne vp into the woods ℥ from the vtmost extent of the s<sup>d</sup> threemyle west lynne in the woods to run a directe lynne for the west horder vnto the vtmost extent of the threemyle west lynne y<sup>t</sup> Runes from the foresaid Seteaat brook into the woods vtell it meets; hauing the common on the west border and the Sea on the East border of the s<sup>d</sup> land of all w<sup>h</sup> s<sup>d</sup> foure parts I the s<sup>d</sup> Timothy Hatherle am lawfully possessed of three of the w<sup>h</sup> s<sup>d</sup> foure parts y<sup>t</sup> is to say M<sup>r</sup> Richard Andrews part M<sup>r</sup> John Beacham his part and M<sup>r</sup> James Sherle his part being devided into thirty equall parts or shares I the s<sup>d</sup> Timothy Hatherle for and in concideration of one hundred and eight pound currant New England pay to mee in hand payed by Charles Chansy pastor of the church of Seteaat Thomas Chambers planter John Williams seni farmer James Cudworth salter Joseph Tilldin yeaman Henery Merett planter Thomas Raulins seni planter Thomas Tarte planter John Hoare farmer Richard Sillis planter Thomas Insyne planter Thomas Chittenton weauer John Stockbridg wheelwright John Allin planter Thomas Hyland planter John Whetcom planter John Woodfeild planter Edward Jenkins planter John Hollet planter Ann Vinall Spinster William Holmes planter John Wheston planter Gowin White planter John Damman planter Redulfus Elmes planter Richard Man planter all and every one of them of Seteaat afor<sup>s</sup>d in the gouerment afor<sup>s</sup>d with which afor<sup>s</sup>d Sum I the s<sup>d</sup> Timothy Hatherle doe acknowledg my selfe Suffitiently satisfied contented and fully payed and therof

and of euery part and persell therof doe exownerate aquit and discharg the aforsaid Charles Chansy Thomas Chambers John Williams James Cudworth Joseph Tilldin &c thay and euery of them their heaires Excecuters Administraters and Asynes for ever by these p'sents haue ffreely and absoloutly barganed and Sould Enffefed and confermed and by these p'sents doe bargan sell Enfeffe and conferm from mee the s̄d Timothy Hatherle and my heaires to them the said Charles Chansy Thomas Chambers John Williams James Cudworth Joseph Tilldin Henery Merit &c. \*To them and either of them thay thaire heaires and asynes for euer twenty seuen parts or Shares of the afors̄d thirty parts or Shares that is to say to Charles Chansy one thirtyeth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer To Thomas Chambers one thirtieth part to him his heaires and asynes for euer to the s̄d John Williams one thirtyeth part to him his heaires and asynes for euer to James Cudworth one thirtieth part or share to him his heaires and asynes foreuer to the said Joseph Tillden two thirtieth parts or Shares to him his heaires and asynes foreuer to Henery Meret one thirtieth part or Share to him his heairs and asynes for euer To Thomas Raullins one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer to Thomas Tart one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes foreuer to John Hoare one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes foreuer to Richard Sillis one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer to Thomas Ensyne one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes foreuer to Thomas Chittenton one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer To John Stokbridg one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer to John Allin one thirtieth part or Share to him his heairs and asynes for euer to Thomas Hyland one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer to John Whitcom one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer to John Woodfeild one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer to Edward Jenkins one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer to John Hollet one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer to Ann Vinall one thirtieth part or Share to Shee her heaires and asynes for euer to William Holmes one thirtieth part or Share to him his heairs and asynes for euer to John Wheston one thirtieth part or Share to him his heairs and asynes foreuer to Gowin White one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer to John Damman one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes foreuer to Redulfus Elmes one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes for euer to Richard Man one thirtieth part or Share to him his heaires and asynes foreuer with all and singular the priviliges and apurtenances therunto belonging

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or any way apertaining to all or any one of the s<sup>d</sup> twenty seauen thirty parts or Shares or any part or parsell of them to haue and to hould to them the s<sup>d</sup> Charles Chansy Thomas Chambers ℥ and either of them and their and either of their heaires and asynes to them and thayer pper vse and behoofe for euer to bee holden of our Souerain lord the King as of his maner of East greenwidg in the County of Kent in ffree and comon Soccage and not in capety nor by knight seruis by the Rents and seruises therof and thereby due and of Right acustomed and warranting the salle against all people what-soeuer as shall any way claime any Right of or in the s<sup>d</sup> twenty seauen thirty parts or Shares of the s<sup>d</sup> land or any part or parsell therof And I the s<sup>d</sup> Timothy Hatherle doe also further couenant p<sup>r</sup>mise and graunt by this p<sup>r</sup>sent y<sup>t</sup> it Shall and may bee lawfull to and for the s<sup>d</sup> Charles Chansy Thomas Chambers John Williams ℥ \*Thay or either of them or thair aturny to Record or Enrole these p<sup>r</sup>sents or to Cause them to bee Recorded or Enroled in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court at Newplymouth or in any other court of Judecatuer or in any other place in y<sup>t</sup> Case p<sup>r</sup>uided before the gouerner for y<sup>t</sup> time being or any other magistrat or offecer in y<sup>t</sup> Case p<sup>r</sup>uided acording to the vssual maner of Recording or Enroleing Euedences in wittnes wherof I the afor-said Timothy Hatherle haue hecrunto set my hand and Seall the first day of December in the two and twenty yeare of the Raigh of our Souerain lord Charles by the grace of God of England Scotland ffrance Ireland and New England King Deffender of the ℥ and in the yeare of our Lord God i646.

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TIMOTHY HATHERLE

his



Syned Sealled and Deliuered  
with possession and seasing  
in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of

John Bowers  
John Safin  
Robert Hammon  
Richard Garett.



\*1648.

M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOUERNER.

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Recorded the sixt of ffebruary

**K** NOW all men whom this may concerne ¶.

Whereas Nathaneel Tilden of Seteaat in America desseased by his last will and Testament bearing date the twenty fve day of May 164i did giue vnto mee Thomas Tilden second sonn now liueing of the afor̄sd Nathaneell Tilden desseased certain legacies of land and goods and of his s̄d last will and Testament Did make Josephh Tilden my brother his Excecuter ¶.

I the said Thomas Tilden Doe heer by these p<sup>r</sup>sents acknowledg my selfe to haue Receaued and am fully satisfied for all and euery part and p<sup>r</sup>sell that was dew vnto mee by the afor̄said will ; and I the said Thomas Tilden doe by these p<sup>r</sup>sents Release aquit and discharg the afor̄sd Josephh Tilden my brother together with his heaires executers adminestraters for euer and I doe further graunt the s̄d Josephh Tilden or any for him full power to Record this Release and Receait of myne in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> court at plymouth and y<sup>t</sup> for his further security in wittnes wherof

I haue heerunto set my hand and Seale this twenty seauenth day of July 1648.

THOMAS TILDEN,

syned Sealed ¶ Deliuered in  
the p<sup>r</sup>sence of

Humfry Turner  
Richard Sillis  
Richard Garrett.

his



\* 1648.

M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOUERNER.


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Recorded ffebruary the sixt.

**W**HERAS Richard Sillis humfry Turner Thomas Pinchin of Seteaat in New England weer by henery Meret and Josephh Tilden of Seteaat afor̄said vpon the 4<sup>th</sup> of July in the year 1648 Chosen arbetraters Indifferently by the afor̄sd henery Merit and Josephh Tilden to arbtrate and Determine of a Difference about a persell of ffence lyeing on the North syde of the third Clift which standeth between henery Meret and Josephh Tildens land from the Sea east and being to the marsh west now we the afor̄said Richard Sillis humfry Turner Thomas Pinchin hauing frely heard both their determinations and differences ; doe order and determin that the afor̄sd Josephh

Tildin make and maintaine halfe of the ffence being from the sea westward and further wee determine y<sup>t</sup> the afor<sup>s</sup>d Henery Merit shall make and maintaine the other halfe lyeing from the marsh Eastward and so to Joyne vnto the said Joseph Tildens ffence in the midst in witnes wherof wee haue heervnto

Subscribed our hands this twenty seauenth day of July i648.

RICHARD SILLIS  
HUMFRY TURNER  
The marke of  THOMAS PINCHIN

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M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD Gouerner.

Recorded february the sixt.

**K**NOW all men whom this may concern y<sup>t</sup> whereas Nathaneell Tilden late of Seteaat in america desseased by his last will and Testament bearing date the twenty fve day of May i64i did giue vnto mee lidia Tilden his yongest daughter now wife unto Richard Garrett sertaine legacies of land & goods and of his <sup>s</sup>d last will and Testament did make Joseph Tilden my brother his executer wee the <sup>s</sup>d Richard Garrett and Lidia Garrett my wife doe heer by these p<sup>r</sup>sents acknowlidg our selues to haue Receaued and are fully satisfied for all and euery part and parsell y<sup>t</sup> was due vnto vs by the aforsaid will and wee the said Richard Garrett and Lidia his wife doe by these p<sup>r</sup>sents Release aquite and Discharg the aforsaid Joseph Tilden our brother together with his heaires executers adminestraters for euer and wee doe further graunt the said Joseph Tilden or any for him full power to Record this Release and Receite of ours in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> court at plymouth and y<sup>t</sup> for his further security in wittnes wherof wee haue heervnto set our hands and Sealls this twentieth of July i648.

syned Sealled and Deliuered in the

p<sup>r</sup>sence of Gorg Suttun

Simon Suttun

Steuen Tilden

RICHARD GARRETT his

LIDIA GARRETT her



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June the 19<sup>th</sup> 1648.

**T**HE agreement made between John Phillips and John Barker Robert Barker and Ralph Chapman.


Impri the aboue said p<sup>r</sup>ties are agreed y<sup>t</sup> the sowth syde of John Barkers brooke shalbee the bounds of the abouesaid John Phillips for his meadow to hould for euer as his owne p<sup>r</sup>per Right to him and his heaires for euer and to the Sowth Riuer and so for the vpland vpon the Same Rang which m<sup>r</sup> Staars land Runes acording to the Court Roule and y<sup>t</sup> this is our Joynt acte and agreement wee Set to our hands in wittnes heerof the day and yeare

aboue written

Wittnes John Allden  
Experience Michell

JOHN BARKER

the marke of  of ROBERT  
BARKER

The mark of  JOHN PHILLIPS

The mark of  RALPH  
CHAPMAN

\*1648.

M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD Gouerner.

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ffebrewary the twenty sixt.

**M**EMORANDUM that Constant Sowthworth of Duxbery and Thomas Sowthworth of Plymouth his brother in the Coliny of New plymouth in New England in America yeamen doe acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in concideration of the full Som of sixteene pound sterling to them alredy payed by ffrancis Godfray of the towne of Duxbery in the Coliny afor<sup>s</sup>d Carpenter haue ffreely and absolutely barganed and sould vnto the said ffrancis Godfray a certaine parsell of vpland ground Containeing an hundred acars or thereabouts bee it more or les lyeing at the north Riuer from M<sup>r</sup> Vassels Range in breadth east and by north along the <sup>s</sup>d north Riuer to a marked tree vpon the <sup>s</sup>d Range with all the Meadow ground belonging therunto to haue and to hould with all their Right title and Enterest of and into the said premises with all and singular the apurtenances belonging vnto the <sup>s</sup>d premises vnto the said ffrancis Godfray to him and his heires  $\ell$  assignes for euer vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the <sup>s</sup>d ffrancis Godfray to him and his heaires  $\ell$  assignes for euer.

**M**EMORANDUM the 16<sup>th</sup> of March y<sup>t</sup> Samuell fuller of Plymouth with the concent of his mother M<sup>rs</sup> Bridget fuller doth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents make ouer vnto Leiuetennat Matthew fuller of Plymouth afor<sup>s</sup>d all theire Right title and Enterest of and into a Small pcell of vpland ground liing at Strawbery hill neare Plymouth Somtims belonging vnto Edward Burcher being about two acars or therabouts bee it more or lese being bounded with the Marsh at goose point on the one syde and M<sup>r</sup> Jeningses land on the other syde the nether end butting vpon the bay vnto the said Matthew fuller to haue and to hould to him and his heaires for euer vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoofe of him the <sup>s</sup>d Matthew fuller vnto him and his heaires for euer.

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**T**HESE p<sup>r</sup>sents wittneseth y<sup>t</sup> John Balden hath Couenanted with m<sup>r</sup> William Colliar of Duxburow to doe him honest and faithfull servis in Sutch work and Employment as the said M<sup>r</sup> William Colliar shall haue Ocation to Employ him the said John Balden in and about from the twentieth day of December i648 the full tearm of five yeares; and the <sup>s</sup>d M<sup>r</sup> William Colliar Couenanteth to giue the said John Ballden meat Drinke and Cloathing lodging and washing and at the end of fouer yeares servis to giue the said John Balden a heaiffer of two years old

beffore mee MILES STANDISH.

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BRADFORD gouerner.

New plymouth.

**M**EMORANDUM the 8<sup>th</sup> of March y<sup>t</sup> M<sup>r</sup> William Bradford Gouerner doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in concideration of fifty pounds to him allredy payed in Cattell and worke by M<sup>r</sup> John howland of plymouth afor<sup>s</sup>aid and his asignes hath freely and absoluteutly barganed and Sould vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> John howland a certaine tract of land lying within the limits of Marshfeild Comonly called the great yland with all the marsh meadow lyeing before the s<sup>d</sup> yland lying on the weast syde from the Ceader tree to the weast point therof containing about thirteene acars bee it more or lese with all the <sup>s</sup>d M<sup>r</sup> William Bradford his Right title and Enterest of and into the <sup>s</sup>d premises with all the apurtenances apertaning vnto the said premises to haue and to hold vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> John howland his heaires and asynes for euer vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoof of him the said m<sup>r</sup> John howland his heaires and asynes for euer.

And I the said John howlaud seni the day and year aboue written doe acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in concideration of the sum of twenty fue pound sterling to mee all Redy payed haue ffreely and absoleutly barganed and Sould vnto my sooninlaw John Gorum the one halfe of the aforsaid yland and marsh meadow belonging therunto to bee equally deuided betwixt my selfe and him the one halfe of the aforsd yland and marsh meadow to belong vnto the said John Gorum his heaires and asynes for euer vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoofe of him the sd John Gorum his heaires and asynes for euer.

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M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD GOUER<sup>r</sup>

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**M**EMORANDUM the 9<sup>th</sup> of Aprell i649 y<sup>t</sup> Richard Church senier the day and yeare aforsd before the Gouverner did acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in concideration of twenty fue pounds sterling to bee paid by Robert Bartlet of New plymouth hath ffreely and absoleutly barganed and sould vnto the sd Robert bartlet an house and land lyeng at the Eel Riuer near plymouth aforsaid with all the meadow land of any kind at any time graunted or any way apertaining vnto the said Richard Church vnto this p<sup>r</sup>sent day within the limits of plimouth aforsd with all the seuerall apurtenances belonging vnto the sd house and land acording to a wrighting vnderneath entered

In the yeare of our Lord i649 Aprell the 9<sup>th</sup>

Bee it knowne vnto all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents y<sup>t</sup> I Richard Church haue sould vnto Robert Bartlet all the Right and title y<sup>t</sup> I the sd Richard Church hath in house and houseing and land with all the meadow ground with the addition y<sup>t</sup> hee had of goodman Kemton at the Eel Riuer and hee is to leaue a Cubbert and a bime<sup>1</sup> and all the shelues and benches y<sup>t</sup> are in the house and all the ladders y<sup>t</sup> are about the house and the sd Richard Church doth bind himselfe his heaires and asynes to Ensure all y<sup>t</sup> the sd Richard Church hath sould to Robert Bartlet y<sup>t</sup> no man shall *not* truble him for it but the said Richard Church is to take his Corn of from the ground and to threash it in the barn in fourteen days and hee is to leaue the plancks y<sup>t</sup> are in the barne.

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And the said Robert Bartlet is to giue vnto the sd Richard Church for his house and land the full Sum of twenty fue pound in maner and form foloing a Rid oxe y<sup>t</sup> they Call his name Mouse for eight pound and ten shi. and six pound to bee payed at M<sup>r</sup> Paddies in Comodities and the Resedew to bee paid the next yeare foloing in the last of September either in Catell or in Corn or in Marchants pay if in Cattell thay must be prised if in Corn it must be at the prise Currant if in Marchants pay hee must take it as

hee Receveth it; and the marchants pay is to bee paid in linnen and woollen and shoos and stockens heere at plymouth if they be there to bee had if not hee is to take it in the other pay.

And Elizabeth the wife of Richard Church aforſd the day and yeare aboue written did according to order giue her free and full Conccent vnto the ſalle of the house and land and theire seuerall apurtenances aforſaid according to the tearmes and Conditions aboue mensioned.

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M<sup>r</sup> BRADFORD Gouer<sup>r</sup>Aprell the 16<sup>th</sup> i649.

**M**EMORANDUM that I John Barnes Doe acquite Release and discharge Gorg Bonham of all debts dewes and demaunds from the beginning of the world to this p<sup>r</sup>sent day being the i6<sup>th</sup> of aprell in wittnes wherof I haue heerunto set my hand.

JOHN BARNES <sup>his</sup>  mark.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>ſ</sup> the eighteenth of aprell that John Barnes of New Plymouth doth acknowldg that for and in Conccideration of the Som of three pound sterling to bee payed by Gorg Bonum of Plymouth aforſaid husbandman; y<sup>t</sup> is to say twenty shilling therof to bee payed on the fifteenth of october in the yeare i650 and the Remaynder therof to bee payed by twenty shillings a year the two foloing yeares in Corn as it goes at a Currant prise at the times of payment; that hee hath freely and absolutly barganed and sould a p<sup>r</sup>cell of Land lyeing at the ffishing point at the mouth of the Eel Riuer formerly bought of Mark Mendum next adioyning vnto the other Land belonging vnto the said Gorg Bonum ~~to haue and to hold~~ the said p<sup>r</sup>cell of Land with all and singular the apurtenances and Inlargments any way belonging therunto vnto the said Gorg Bonum his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the only proper vse and behoofe of him the said Gorg Bonum his heaires and assignes for euer.

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**T**O all to whom these p<sup>r</sup>sents shall Com Thomas Ricard of Scittuaat in the gouernment of New Plymouth in New England in america Sendeth Greeting.

**Know** yee that I the aforsaid Thomas Ricard for and in Concidera-  
tion of eight pound of Currant New England pay to mee in hand payed by  
Joseph Tilden of Scittuaat aforsaid in the gouernment aforsaid yeaman ; wher-  
with I the aforsaid Thomas Ricard doe acknowldg my selfe Suffisciently satisfied  
Contented and fully payed and therof and of euery part and pcell therof doe  
Exownarate aquit and discharge the aforsaid Joseph Tilden hee his heaires  
Executers adminnestrators and assignes for euer by these p<sup>r</sup>sents haue ffreely  
and absolutly barganed and Sould Enfeafed and Confermed and by these  
p<sup>r</sup>sents doe bargan Sell Enfeafe and Conferme from mee the said Thomas  
Ricard and my heaires to him the said Joseph Tilden and his heaires and  
assignes for euer my Lot at the Clift Comonly knowne by the name of the  
third Clift lying and being in Scettuate aforsaid and is bounded towards the  
East to the Sea towards the West to the marsh land of the aforsaid Joseph  
Tilden towards the north to the Land of Thomas Chambers and towards the  
south to the Land of Thomas Pincin ; the which said land is by Computation  
seauen acars more or les, **to haue and to hold** the aforsaid seauen acars of vp-  
land with all and singular the apurtenances therunto belonging or any way  
apertayning to all or any part or pcell of the aforsaid land vnto the aforsaid  
Joseph Tilden hee his heaires exequetors adminestrators and assignes for  
euer To the p<sup>r</sup>per vse & behoofe of him the said Joseph Tilden hee his  
heaires and assignes for euer **¶ To bee holden** of our Soueraign Lord the King  
as of his manor of East greenwidg in the County of Kent in ffree and Co<sup>m</sup>on  
Sockage and not in Capete nor by Knights seruice by the Rents and seruices  
therof and therby dew and of Right acustumed and with warrantice against  
all peopell whatsoever from by or vnder mee the said Thomas Ricard or by  
my Right or title Cla<sup>m</sup>ing any Right title or Enterest of or in the said p<sup>r</sup>mises  
or any part or pcell therof **¶ And** I the said Thomas Ricard doe allso Couenant  
promise and graunt by These p<sup>r</sup>sents y<sup>t</sup> it shall and may bee lawfull to & for the  
said Joseph Tilden either by himselfe or his attorney to Record or Enrowle  
these p<sup>r</sup>sents or to Cause them to bee Recorded or Enrowled in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court  
at Plymouth aforsaid or in any other place in y<sup>t</sup> Case p<sup>r</sup>uided before the Gou-  
ernor for y<sup>t</sup> time being or any other Maiestrait in y<sup>t</sup> Case p<sup>r</sup>uided according to  
the vsuall manor of Recording or inrowling Euidences in Wittnes wherof I  
the said Thomas Ricard haue heerunto set my hand and Seale the tenth day

of October in the four and twentieth yeare of the Raigne of our Soueraigne Charles of England Scotland France and Ireland and New England King and in the yeare of our Lord God 1648 one thousand six hundred fourty and eight.

Signed Sealled seasing and possession  
and deliuered in the p<sup>r</sup>sence  
of Richard Garret  
Wilkam Hatch.

The signe of  
THOMAS RICARD his 

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**T**O all peopell to whom these p<sup>r</sup>sents shall Com John hanmore of Scettuaat in the gouernment of New Plymouth in New England in america sendeth Greet ^

Know yee that I the aforsaid John hanmore for and in Conccideration of fiteene pounds of Currant New England pay to mee in hand payed by Joseph Tilden of Scettuaat aforsaid in the gouernment aforsaid yeaman; wherwith I doe acknowlidg my selfe Suffissiently satisfied Contented and fully payed and therof and of euery part and pcell doe Exownarate acquite and discharg the aforsaid Joseph Tilden hee his heaires exequetors adminestrators and assignes for euer; by these p<sup>r</sup>sents haue ffreely and absolutly barganed and sould Enffeafed and Confermed and by these p<sup>r</sup>sents doe bargan Sell and Enffeafe and Conferme vnto the said Joseph Tilden hee his heaires Exequeters adminestrators and assignes for euer ffeue acares of vpland lying and beeing in Scettuaat aforsaid on the Clift Comonly Called and knowne by the name of the third Clift and is bounded to the Sea towards the East; towards the west to the Mersh land of the said John hanmore; to the Land of M<sup>r</sup> foot y<sup>t</sup> was somtims the land of Daniell Pryor Toward the south and to the Lands of henery Merit toward the North; as allso two acars more or les of marsh meadow lying adioyning to the aforsaid vpland and is bounded towards the east to the Land of the aforsaid henery Merrit vnto the aforsaid vpland towards the west to the hieway Toward the North to the marsh land of the aforsaid Joseph Tilden and Towards the south to the swamp of Thomas Pincin; lickwise ffeue acars more or les of vpland lying ouer against the aforsaid marsh land on the other side the hieway and is bounded towards the East to the hieway toars the west to the Comon toward the north to the Land of Gorg Pitcoke toars the South to the lands of Thomas Pincin all



which said too p̄ells of vpland and two acars of mersh weer somtimes the Land of Gorg Kenrick somtimes of Scettuaat to haue and to hold the aforsaid vpland and mersh with all and singular the apurtenances therunto belonging or any way apertaining to all or any part or p̄cell of the aforsaid land from mee the said John hanmore and my heaires to him the said Joseph Tilden and hee his heaires and assignes for euer to the p̄per vse and behoof of him the said Joseph Tilden hee his heaires and assignes for euer.

**To be holde<sup>d</sup>** of our Souaraine Lord the King as of his maner of east greenwidge in the County of Kent in ffree and Common Sockage and not in capite nor by Knights seruis by the Rents and servises therof and therby dew and of Right acustomed and with warrantice against all peopell whatsoever from by and vnder mee the said John hanmore or by my Right or title claiming any Right title or Enterrest of or in the premises or any p<sup>t</sup> or p̄sell therof.

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**And I the said** John hanmore Doe also Couenant and promise Ann hanmore my wife Shall Resigne vp vnto the aforsaid Joseph Tildine all her Right and Enterest in the aforsaid land and y<sup>t</sup> in sutch maner as the law hath appointed in sutch Resignations of Rights of the thirds; and this to be done within one month after the date heerof **And I** the said John hanmore doe further Couenant promise and graunt by these p<sup>r</sup>sents y<sup>t</sup> it Shall and may bee lawfull to and for the said Joseph Tildine either by himself or his aturny to Record or inrowle these p<sup>r</sup>sents or to cause them to bee Recorded and Inrowlled in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court at New Plymouth aforsaid before the Gouern<sup>r</sup> for y<sup>t</sup> time being or any other offecer in y<sup>t</sup> Case provided **In witness** Wherof I the said John hanmore haue heerunto set my hand and seale twelfth day of Agust in the twentyfourth yeare of the Raygne of our Soueraine Lord Charles of England Scotland ffrance and Ireland and New England King and in the yeare of our lord God i648.

Signed Sealled and Deluered in the p<sup>r</sup>sence

of vs Together withe the Possession and Deliuery of the land by

Turfe and Twigg

Richard Garrett ffrancis Crooker

John Saffin

  
JOHN HANMORE



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Recorded according To Order the thirtieth of Aprell.

**To all to whom** these p<sup>r</sup>sents shall come William Hatch the Elder of Settuat in the gouerment New plymouth in new England in america Youman sendeth greeting **Know yee that I** the aforsaid William Hatch for and in consideration of twenty pound of Currant New England pay to mee in hand payed by Joseph Tildine of Settuat aforsaid in the gouerment aforsaid yeaman wherwith I the said William hatch doe acknowlidg my selfe fully satatisfyed contented and fully paid and therof and of euery part and parsell therof doth exownerate aquite and discharg the afforsaid Joseph Tildine hee his heaires Exequetors adminestrators and assignes for euer by these p<sup>r</sup>sents **Haue freely** and absolutly barganed and sould Enfeaffed and Confermed and by these presents doe bargan sell Enfeaffe and conferme from mee the said William hatch and my heaires to him the said Joseph Tildine and hee his heaires and assignes for euer one Iland of vpland containing by Computation Twenty acres more or les together with all the mersh meadow therunto adioyning lyeng and being by the Riuer Comonly Called the North Riuer w<sup>h</sup> said Land is knowne by the name of Old Iland, and is bounded toward the east to the afforsaid North Riuer oposite overagainst the Clift comonly called and knowne by the name of the ffourth or ffowe Clift and toward the East there is a Creeke w<sup>h</sup> prosedes from the North Riuer between the afforsaid Iland and mersh and the Iland Comonly Called and known by the name of Coopers Iland and so Trencheth about westerle and on the north side it is bouned with a Creeke y<sup>t</sup> prosedes out of the afforsaid North Riuer and Trencheth about Southerly neare to the afforsaid Creeke there being but a Smale distance between the said Creeks towards there vpper ends, with all and singular the apurtenances therunto belonging or any way apertaining to all the said vpland and mersh or any p<sup>t</sup> or parsell therof **To haue and to hold** the afforsaid vpland and mersh vnto the said Joseph Tilden hee his heaires and assignes for euer to the prop<sup>r</sup> vse and behoofe of him the said Joseph Tilden hee his heaires and assignes for euer **To bee holden** of our Soueraine Lord the King as of his mannor of East Greenwich in the County of Kent in ffree and Common Sockage and not in Capete nor by Knights Seruis by the Rents and Seruices therof and therby dew and of Right acustumed and with warrantice against all peopell whatsoever from by or vnder mee the said William hatch or by my Right or title claiming any Right title or Enterest of or in the aforsaid premises or any p<sup>t</sup> or parcell therof.

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**And I the said** William hatch doe allso Couenant and promise p these p<sup>r</sup>sents y<sup>t</sup> Jaane hatch my wife shall within one month next after the date herof yeald vp and Resigne ouer her Right of the thirdes of the aforsaid lands vnto the aforsaid Joseph Tilden acording to the Custome of the Cuntry and as law Requires in sutch a Case **And I the said** William hatch doe further Couenant and promise and graunt p these p<sup>r</sup>sents that it shall and may bee lawfull to and for the said Joseph Tilden either by himselfe or his aturney to Record or Inrowle these p<sup>r</sup>sents or to cause them to be Recorded or InRowled in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court at New Plymouth afforsaid or in any other place in y<sup>t</sup> Case provided beefore the Gouverner for y<sup>t</sup> time being or any other Maiestrait in that case provided acording to the vsuall mannor of Recording and Inrowing Euidences **In witnes wherof** I the said William hatch haue heerunto set my hand and seale the fourth day of October in the four and twentieth yeare of the Raigne of our Soueraine Lord Charles of England Scotland ffrance Ireland and New England King and in the yeare of our Lord God one Thousand Six hundred ffourty and eight.

WILLIAM HATCH

Signed Sealed and Deliuered  
in the presence of Richard Garrett  
Steven Tildine



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**M**EMORANDUM the 24<sup>th</sup> of Aprell i649 y<sup>t</sup> M<sup>is</sup> Ann Atwood doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in Conconsideration of the som of eight pound sterling to bee paid by John Shawe the younger this p<sup>r</sup>sent yeare in June next at Boston in the Massachusets Bay in Such Comodities as the said M<sup>is</sup> Atwood shall send for shee hath freely and absolutly barganed and Sould vnto the said John Shawe all y<sup>t</sup> parsell of Marsh Medow lyeing in Greens harbor Marsh neare the Cut being estimated at about eight acares bee it more or les which was formerly graunted vnto M<sup>r</sup> John Atwood her husband deseased to haue and to hould vnto the said John Shawe his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said John Shawe his heairs and assignes for euer

**R**ICHARD CHADWELL in regard of diuers ocations of traouelling to and fro Lest hee should loose these aquitances heer vnder written desired thay might be entered and Recorded and accordingly weer the 17<sup>th</sup> of May i649.

Bee it knowne vnto all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents y<sup>t</sup> I Thomas Mayhew of Meadford Marchant doe acclaime acquitt and discharg Richard Chadwell of Sagus shipwright of all debts Reconings debt and accompts betwixt, from the begining of the world vnto this p<sup>r</sup>sent witnes my hand this 12<sup>th</sup> of august in the yeare of our Lord God one Thousand six hundred thirty and fwe i635.

p MATHEW CRADOCCK.

p THOMAS MAIHEW.

Receaued 14<sup>h</sup>—5<sup>a</sup> in full Satisfaction of all accounts between Richard Chadwell and my selfe

RICHARD BELLINGHAM.

the 29<sup>th</sup> of the 2<sup>cond</sup> month. }

**T**HE bargan of Meddow ground abouemencioned sould by M<sup>is</sup> Ann Atwood vnto John Shaw Juni was sence sould by the said John Shaw vnto his Brother in law Steuen Bryant and acknowledged before Captaine Standish in the words following

I John Shaw doe acknowledge that I haue sould all my Right and title that I haue in the meddow ground aboue mencioned to my brother Steuen Bryant to him his heires and assignes for euer.

JOHN SHAW.

This Bargan and sale acknowledged the ninth day of June i65i.

before mee MILES STANDISH.

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**To all people to whom** the p<sup>r</sup>sent writing shall Com Samuell house of Scettuate in the Gouverment of New Plymouth in New England in america Shipcarpenter sendeth greeting

Know ye that I the aforsaid Samuell house for and Conclideration of a valluable som to mee in hand payed p Thomas Rawlins seni of Scettuaate aforsaid in the gouernment aforšd Planter wherwith I doe acknowledge my selfe suffissiently sattisfied Contented and fully Payed and

therof and of euery pt & pcell therof doe Exownerate aquite and discharg the aforsaid Thomas Rawlins hee his heaires Exequetors administraters and assignes for euer p these p<sup>s</sup>ents haue freely and absolutly barganed and sould infeafed and Confermed and p these p<sup>s</sup>ents doe bargain sell infeafe and Conferme vnto the said Thomas Rawlins hee his heaires and assignes for euer one small pcell of land lyeing and being in Setuaat aforsaid and was somtims pt of y<sup>t</sup> land y<sup>t</sup> was Christofer Winters and is p Computation twelue Rodds more or les and is bounded toward the north to the land of the aforsaid Thomas Rawlins toward the South to the land of the aforsaid Samuell house ; Towards the east to the hyeway towards the west to the land of the aforsaid Samwell house with all and singular the apurtenances therunto belonging or any way apertaining to any pt or pcell of the aforsaid land and all my Right title and Interest into the said premises or any p<sup>t</sup> or pcell therof to haue and to hold the aforsaid twelue Rodds of vpland vnto the aforsaid Thomas Rawlins hee his heaires and assignes for euer to the pper vse and behoofe of him The said Thomas Rawlins hee his heaires and assignes for euer To be holden of our Soueraigne Lord the King as of his Maner of East greenwidge in the County of Kent in free and Comon Sockage and not in Cappaty nor by Knightes Seruis by the Rents and seruisses therof and therby dew and of Right accustomed, and with warrantix against all peopell whatsoever from by or vnder mee the said Samuell house or by my Right or title claiming any Right title or Interest of or in the premises or any part therof And I the said Samuell house doe also Couenant promise and graunt p these p<sup>s</sup>ents y<sup>t</sup> it shall and may bee lawfull to and for the said Thomas Rawlins either by himselfe or his attoray to Record these p<sup>s</sup>ents or to cause them to bee Recored or Inrowled in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court at New Plymouth aforsaid or any other place in y<sup>t</sup> case prouided before the Gouverner for y<sup>t</sup> time being or any other offecer in y<sup>t</sup> Case prouided according to the vsuall maner of Recording and InRowling Euidences In that Case prouided in wittnes wherof I the said Samuell house haue heervnto set my hand and Seale the first day of January in the two and twentieth yeare of the Raigne of our Soueraigne Lord Charles of England Scotland ffrance Ireland and New England King and in the yeare of our Lord God one thousand six hundred forty and six i646

Sealed and deliuered  
in the p<sup>s</sup>ence of vs  
James Cudworth  
Isaack Chittenden

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**T**HIS Date made in the tweluth day of May Anno Domini i645 betwene John Whetherden of Settuaate in the Coliny of New Plymouth in New England in america miller and Thomas Rawlins of Setuaat aforsaid yeaman witnesseth y<sup>t</sup> the aforsaid John Whetherden for and In Concideration of eight pounds p mee alredy Receaued haue giuen barganed and sould and p these p<sup>r</sup>sents doe giue bargan and sell free from all Intaillments of mee and my heaires vnto the aforsaid Thomas Rawlins and hee his heaires for euer ; a Portion of vpland marsh Containing twenty acars more or les lying on the North side of the 2<sup>cond</sup> Clift it being bouned on the Sowth with the land of ffrancis Rawlins on the east with the Sea, on the west and north Rounded with the Creeks ; and Concidering y<sup>t</sup> the said land was formerly the ffree Simple of Christofer Winter Purchased of Thomas Tart Purchased of Anthony Annable I the said John Whetherden doe by these p<sup>r</sup>sents bind mee my heaires Exequetors Adminestrators to suffer and permit the said Thomas Rawlins hee his heaires Exquetors Administrators and assignes peacably to Inioy and hould the aforsaid land for euer ; and lickwise doe secuer him the said Land ; ℥ against the formencioned pties or any other y<sup>t</sup> shall opose him in Through or vnder mee ; and lickwise doe giue him full power to Inrowle the tenor of the aforsaid land at his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court at New Plymouth according as it is in y<sup>t</sup> Case prouided in wittnes wherof I have heerunto set my hand and Seale the day and yeare aboue written i645

Sealled and deliuered

in the presence of vs

Thomas Tart

John Whiston

JOHN WHETHERDEN

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At the generall Court holden at New Plymouth the 8<sup>th</sup> of June befor M<sup>r</sup> William Bradford Gou<sup>r</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Prence M<sup>r</sup> William Coliar Captaine Miles Standifh M<sup>r</sup> Timothy Hatherle M<sup>r</sup> John Browne and M<sup>r</sup> William Thomas gent. affiltants :

**M**<sup>R</sup> EDMOUND HAWES of Yarmouth Came into the said Court and acknowledged y<sup>t</sup> hee hath freely and absoleutly barganed and sould vnto M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Burne of Marshfeild a Certaine pcell of vpland being in Marshfeild aforsaid lying on the North side of the south Riuer esteemed at about thirty acares bee it more or les bounded allso with the lands of Daniell Cole

on the one side and M<sup>r</sup> John Aldins on the other side with all his meadow land belonging therunto with all his Right title and Interest of and into the said Premises and the apurtenances apertaining vnto vnto the said premises to haue And to hold the aforsaid pcell of vpland and meadow with their apurtenances vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Burne his heirs and assignes for euer vnto the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Burne his heirs and assignes for euer; and the said M<sup>r</sup> Hawes did also acknowlidg before the Court abouesaid y<sup>t</sup> hee was fully satisfied by the said M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Burne for the aforsaid Lands.

**T**HE day and yeare abouesaid before the Court abousaid Daniell Cole of Nawset did acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> hee hath giuen vp all his Right title and interest into his land in Marshfeild being about fifty acres bee it more or les with all the meadow land belonging therunto vnto Edmond Weston the administrator of the estate of Thomas howell Desseased; as also all and singular the apurtenances any way apertaining vnto the said premises and y<sup>t</sup> hee the said Daniell Cole is fully satisfied for the said Lands.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>m</sup> the 11<sup>th</sup> of July 1649 y<sup>t</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prence of the towne of Nawset in the Coliny of New Plymouth in New England in america gen<sup>t</sup>: doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in consideration of twenty one pound and tenn shillings hee hath freely and absolutly barganed and sould vnto Jakob Cooke of the towne of Plymouth in the Coliny of New Plymouth planter a percell of vpland being estimated at about forty acres bee it more or les lying in Rocky noocke near Plymouth aforsaid being bounded with the lands of M<sup>r</sup> John Combe on the one syde and of ffrancis Cooke on the other side abuting vpon the bay and so extending itselpe vp into the woods with the Inlargment at the vper end therof as is expressed in the Record of the Inlargment aforsaid entered in the Court booke with three acres of Mershe meadow or therabouts bee it more les aiocnyng vnto the vpland aforsaid; all and singular the premises with all and singular the apurtenances apertaining vnto the said premises. to haue and to hold videlecett the aforsaid forty acres of vpland more or les with the Inlargment aded therunto and the three acres of meadow with thaire seuerall apurtenances vnto the said Jakob Cooke his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the only proper vse and behoofe of him the said Jakob Cook his heaires and assignes for euer.

ffurthermore the said M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prence Couenanteth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents

to deffend the propriety and title of the lands aforesaid from time to time and at all times from any p<sup>r</sup>son or p<sup>r</sup>sons y<sup>t</sup> shall or may lay any Claime or title from by or vnder him or any before him vnto the whole or any part or pcell of the lands and thaire seuerall apurtenances aforesaid and shall warrantice the salle therof against any y<sup>t</sup> shall opose the same vnto the said Jakob Cook his heaires and assignes for euer.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> the 13<sup>th</sup> of July that M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prence of the towne of Nawset in the Coliny of New Plymouth in New England in america gen<sup>t</sup> doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in concideration of forty fve pound sterling hee hath freely and absolutly barganed alianated and sould vnto Richard Church of the towne of Nawset in the Coliny aforesaid Carpenter and vnto Anthony Snow of the towne of Marshfeild in the Coliny aforesaid felt maker a Certaine tract of vpland and mersh meadow lying in the limits of greens harbor allies Marshfeild aforesaid ; videlicet all his both vpland and meadow lying betwixt M<sup>r</sup> Burns and a little Creeke lying on the west side of the said tracte of land towards M<sup>r</sup> Buckles and forty acars of vpland on the other side of the said Creeke or el<sup>s</sup> a pcell of land lying by the south side of the south Riuer and Inuironed with Swamps on the sowthwest side and the said south Riuer on the north side as is expresed in the Record of the graunt of the said lands vnto the aforesaid M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prenc bearing date the fift of ffebruary i647 with all the said M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prence his Right title and Enterest of and vnto the said premises with all the apurtenances belonging or any way apertaining to the said premises to haue and to hold the said tract of vpland and mersh meadow in euery Respect as is aboue mensioned vnto the said Richard Church and Anthony Snow to them and their heaires and assignes for euer vnto the only proper vse and behoof of them the said Richard Church and Anthony Snow to them their heaires and assignes foreuer.

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A deed appointed to bee Recorded.

**B**EE it known vnto all Men that I Mary Smith somtimes the wife of Richard Masterson desseased doe by these p<sup>r</sup>sents acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> I haue ffreely and absolutly giuen and made ouer and doe by this my deed ffreely giue and Resigne vnto my soon Nathaneel Masterson and vnto my daughter Sara the wife of John Wood all my Right title and Interest of and into an



house in Leyden in Holland somtimes apertaining vnto my desesed husband Richard Masterson aforsaid the said house to haue and to hold vnto the said Nathaneel Masterson and Sara Wood to them thaire heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoofe of them the said Nathaneel Masterson and Sara Wood vnto them and their heirs and assignes for euer.

The 20<sup>th</sup> of the 10<sup>th</sup> month i645 a Record of Land pchased from The towne of Rehoboth with an agreement of what other lands are to be aded for John Browne.

**W**HEREAS there was a 2<sup>cond</sup> agreement made with the Indians for their full Consent in their Remoueing from Wanomoycet and the vallew of fifteene pounds sterling to bee payed them or theirabouts in seuerall Comodities ; it was in seuerall Town meetings ppounded y<sup>t</sup> if any one man woold pay y<sup>t</sup> pticuller Purchase thay should haue y<sup>t</sup> Land with twelue acres lying at Watchemoquit Coue & so mutch more land at Wanomoycet as should be thought worth the payment of the same ; afterward Richard Bowin Robert Martin and Steven Paine by the apointment of the Rest of the Townsmen viewed & layed out y<sup>t</sup> necke of Land called & knowne by the name of Wanomoycet necke from the salt water wher the Indians had formerly made a hedge Rainging vnto the Northerly end of the Indian ffeild & so Round about the said Indian ffeild vnto the salt water wher vpon the 29<sup>th</sup> of the tenth month i645 M<sup>r</sup> John Browne in a towne meeting did promise & vndertake to pay the said Purchase in Concderation y<sup>t</sup> the said lands to belong to him & his heaires or assignes for euer ; and ffurther it was agreed in the said Towne meeting y<sup>t</sup> in all deuissions of Lands y<sup>t</sup> was or y<sup>t</sup> heerafter should bee made y<sup>t</sup> what pportion should fall to his Share after the rate of 308 estate should bee layed forth for him adioyning to the aforsaid lands on the ffurther side from the Towne or towards the salt marsh or so as may bee both lest p*ri*uditiiall to the Towne or to himselfe saueing y<sup>t</sup> fourty fouer acres vpon Watchemoquet necke allredy allotted him to bee part of the same ; and hee doth ffurther agree to accept of tenn acres of salt marsh wher hee mowed this yeare ; formerly allotted to him in full of all meadow land belonging to the Towne & doth further promise y<sup>t</sup> when the Rest of the Townsmen shall ffence their Land allredy allotted vpon Wachemoquit Necke hee to ffence his part with them & to bear his part in Town Charges after the aforsaid som of three hundred pounds Estate ; & hee doth further p<sup>r</sup>mise not to make any sutch ffence so fare into the salt water vpon the westerly side of Wanomoycet Neck as shall bare out hoggs

from Claming nor from the south point of the said neck ; a quarter of a mile on the East part of the said neck.

p me EDWARD SMITH  
Towne Clarke.

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**M**EMORANDUM the twentyeight of July i649 y<sup>t</sup> Gorg Partridg of the towne of Duxbery in the Coliny of New Plymouth in New England in america Tayler doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in Concoideration of the Som of fouer pound sterling to him alredy payed by Sergeant William Mericke and John Vobes of the towne aforsaid in the Coliny aforsaid Tayler hee hath freely and absolutly barganed alianated and Sould vnto the said William Mericke and John Vobes a smale pcell of vpland ground being esteemed at about fiue acars or therabouts bee it more or les being in Duxbery aforsaid at poulder point betwixt the lands of Gorg Soule on the one side and Solomon Lenerson on the other side with all the said Gorg Partridg his Right title and Enterest of and into the said premises with all and singular the apurtenances belonging therunto **to haue and to hold** vnto the said William Mericke and John Vobes to them their heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of them the said William Merick and John Vobes to them their heaires and assignes for euer.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> the day and yeare abouewritten that wheras Sergiant William Mericke abouesaid hath formerly been in partenership with John Vobes abouesaid in an house and parcell of vpland Containing about fiteene acars bee it more or les being in the towne of Duxbery aforsaid at poulder point aforsaid being bounded with the lands of Gorg soule and Solomon Lenerson with a pcell of meadow apertaining thervnto These are therefore to Signify vnto all whom for the futuer it shall Concern y<sup>t</sup> the said William Mericke doth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in Concoideration of the full som of twelue pound sterling to him allredy payed by John Vobes aforsaid y<sup>t</sup> hee hath ffreely and absolutly barganed allianated and sould vnto the said John Vobes the one halfe of the aforsaid house and fiteene acars of vpland and the meadow land apertaining therunto w<sup>h</sup> said house and lands thay had formery in Joynt partenership betwixt them together with his part of a Smale pcell of vpland purchased Joyntly by the said pties of M<sup>r</sup> John Alden of Duxbery aforsaid which said Smale pcell being about two acars bee it more or les the said M<sup>r</sup> John Alden the day and yeare aboue

written did acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> hee hath formerly sould vnto the said William Mericke and John Vobes when thay weer in partnership together and y<sup>t</sup> hee is fully satisfied for it ; The said William Mericke his said halfe part of the aforsaid house fifteen acres of vpland and his halfe of the meadow apertaining therunto with his halfe part of the s̄d two acars of vpland purchased of M<sup>r</sup> John Alden the said premises with all and singular the apurtenances belonging vnto the said premises **to haue and to hold** vnto the said John Vobes his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoofe of him the s̄d John Vobes his heaires and assignes for euer.

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**M**EMORANDUM the sixteenth of September y<sup>t</sup> Thurston Clarke the elder doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in Concideration of the som of ten pound sterling wherof five pound is already payed by John Dunham Juni of Plymouth ; and the Remaying five pound to bee payed by the fifteenth day of September i650 by John Dunham aforsaid hee hath freely fully and absolutely barganed and sould vnto the said John Dunham an house and tenn acars of vpland bee it more or les beeing in the townshipe of New Plymouth aforsaid lyeing aboue the hieway going to Joanses Riuer abuting vpon the vper ends of the lots of Samuell Cutbert & Edward Doty with all the houses and housing ffences and ffencing now in and vpon the said Land with all the boards and shelues dōres and locks now in vse in the aforsaid house or housing with the orchyard and all the frute trees of any kind in the same ; the said house and tenn acars of land bee it more or les with the orchyard and all and singuler the apurtenances **to haue and to hold** vnto the said John Dunham his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoofe of him the said John Dunham his heaires and assignes for euer.

And Faith Clarke the wife of the aforsaid Thurston Clarke the day and year aboue written did according to order giue her free and full Concent vnto the Saile of *of* the aforsaid house Land and Orchard and there seuerall apurtenances.

December the 13<sup>th</sup> i649.

**M**EMORAND<sup>ũ</sup> that M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman seni doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> on the eight of June last past for and In Concideration of the som of twelue pound sterling to him already payed & fully satisfied by Steuen Payne of Rehoboth hee hath ffreely fully & absolutly barganed & sould vnto the said Steuen Payne all y<sup>t</sup> his house sittuate in Rehoboth aforsaid with six acars and

seauen acars of meadow with about fourty acars of vpland with all such pportions as either haue been aded therunto sence the time that the said M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman Purchased the said house and lands of M<sup>r</sup> Wiltam Bradford or shallbee ; with all ℓ euery the apurtenances thereunto belonging ℓ all his Right title ℓ Interest of ℓ Into the said premises ℓ euery p<sup>t</sup> ℓ pcell therof To haue and to hold ; the said six acars more or lese ℓ seauen acars of meadow with about fourty acars of vpland ℓ such pportions as haue or shalbee added thervnto accordingly in euery Respect as it was sould vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman by m<sup>r</sup> Wiltam Bradford aforsaid vnto the said Steuen Payne his heaires ℓ assignes for euer to the onely pper vse ℓ behoofe of him the said Steuen Payne his heaires ℓ assignes for euer.

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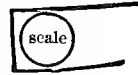
BRADFORD GOUER.

Primo die Juni i649.

**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents y<sup>t</sup> I Edward ffitstrandulph of Barnstable in the Coliny of New Plymouth haue the day ℓ yeare aboue named in and for the Concideration of ten pounds in hand payed before the Ensealling and Deliuery heerof to mee the said Edward by John Chipman of Barnstable aforsaid wherof ℓ of euery pt and pcell therof I acknowlidg my selfe fully Satisfyed ℓ payed ℓ therof ℓ of euery p<sup>t</sup> ℓ pcell therof I doe freely ℓ fully acquite ℓ discharge the said John Chipman his Executors ℓ administrators fermly by these p<sup>r</sup>sents; for euer barganed sould assigned ℓ set ouer and by these p<sup>r</sup>sents doe bargan sell assigne and set ouer vnto John Chipman of Barnstable aforsaid one dwelling house with eight acars of vpland aioyning therunto and standing lying and being next the house and Land of Gorg Lewis of Barnstable aforsaid on the one side and the hieway on the other side therof as allso two acars of marsh lying neare the end of the said vpland together with a barne ℓ whatsoever other out houses are vpon the said land ℓ whatsoever Orchard or garden plot. is vpon the said vpland and thervnto apertaineth ; and also fvue acars of vpland lying in the feild Comonly Called the Comon feild three acars wherof is next aioyning to the land of Isaack Wells ℓ the other two acars next aioyning to the Land of John Scudder as also halfe an acare ℓ twelue Rode of vpland lying in the feild called the Calues pasture and being next the land of <sup>^</sup> to haue and to hold the said dwelling house vpland marsh barne outhouses orchyard gardenplot Comonfeild lot Calues pasture and all ℓ euery the premises aforsaid to him the said John Chipman his heaires and assignes for euer I say to the onely proper vse

ℓ behoofe of him the said John Chipman his heires and assignes for euer ; in wittnes wherof I the said Edward ffitzrandulph haue heerunto Set my hand and Seale Euen the 2<sup>cond</sup> day of June Anno Domini one Thousand six hundred fourty nine.

Edward ffitzrandolph his



Signed Sealled and Deliuered  
in p<sup>r</sup>sence of Wiltam Caseley

Henery Cob

The signe **RS** of Richard Church

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**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> y<sup>t</sup> M<sup>rs</sup> Ann Atwood doth acknowlidg the eleuenth of July in the yeare aforsaid y<sup>t</sup> shee hath freely and absolutly barganed alianated ℓ sould vnto M<sup>r</sup> Benjamin ffermayes an house and garden Place settuate in Plymouth aforsaid being in the lower end of the North street with all the dores locks glase ℓ shelues in eich Rome as thay now are in the house aforsaid ℓ a pcell of shingles now in the seller of the said house with all the fence or fencing in or about the garden place aforsaid and all the frute trees of any kind now growing in the said garden place ; for and in Consideration of the som of thirty fue pound sterling to bee *to bee* payed at three seuerall payments videlicet ten pound therof in Cattell or English Comodities in October next folowing the date heerof ℓ ten pound therof in october i650 and the Remaying fiteene pound in October i65i to haue ℓ to hold the said house garden place fence ℓ fencing with all ℓ singulare their apurtenances aformensioned or any way apertaining vnto the said premises vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Benjamin Fermayes his heaires ℓ assignes for euer vnto the onely pper vse ℓ behoof of him the said m<sup>r</sup> Benjamin Fermayes his heaires ℓ assignes for euer.

January the thirtyeth i649.

**A**N agreement made betwixt Tho: Whitney of New Plym ℓ Winnefrute his wife on the one part ; ℓ John Smith of Plymouth aforsaid ℓ Bennit his wife on the other pt as followeth

Videleset y<sup>t</sup> Tho: Whitney aforsaid doth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents Couenant to take from this p<sup>r</sup>sent day Jeremiah Smith the sonne of the said John Smith aged foure yeares or therabouts to liue ℓ bee with him as his

owne Child & to haue the full & sole disposing of him the said Jeremiah without anoyance or disturbance from the said John Smith or Bennit his wife or any by from or vnder them; & the said Tho: Whitney doth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents further Couenant & promise to prouid for the said Jeremiah Smith Competent & Convenient meat drinke apparrell Washing & lodging fit for one of his Degree & Rank And the s<sup>d</sup> John Smith & Bennit his wife doth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents Confer & make ouer all their Right title & Enterest w<sup>h</sup> they haue in the said Jeremiah Smith vnto the aforsaid Tho: Whitney to haue the full & sole disposing of him as aforsaid all due Respects from sonne to parents being excepted the said Tho: Whitney doing & dealing with the said Jeremiah Smith as his owne Child as aforsaid; And incase the said Tho: Whitney depart this life before Winnefrut his wife shee the said Winnefrute doth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents Couenant & promise to make good on her part whatsoever the said Tho: Whitney hath by these presents Couenanted to doe vnto the said Jeremiah Smith & is also to haue the said Jeremiah during the tearme of her life to bee at her owne p<sup>t</sup>icular disposing without molestation from the said John Smith or Bennit his wife or any other shee dealing with the said Jeremiah as if hee were her owne Child in Witnes of the p<sup>r</sup>mises y<sup>t</sup> they shalbee faithfully p<sup>r</sup>formed wee haue heerunto set our hands.

THO: WHITNEYS  mark.

I Nathaneell Morton am witnes  
to this agreement abouemensioned

WINEFRUT   
JOHN SMITHS  mark

BENNET SMITHS  mark.

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March the sixt 1649.

**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents y<sup>t</sup> I Wilkam Colliar haue made ouer vnto my kinsman Wilkam Clark all my Right title & Enterest of & into a pcell of vpland ground lying att North hill in the Townshipe of Duxburrow being Esteemated at about ten acars bee it more or less lying on the south east side of the said North hill; being bounded on the south with the hieway & otherwise bounded as it is now Inclosed The said ten acers of vpland bee it more or les with all & singular the appurtenances. To haue & to hold vnto the said Wilkam Clark to him & his heaires for euer vnto the onely proper vse & behoofe of him the said Wilkam Clark his heaires & assignes for euer.

by mee WILLEAM COLLIAR.

**M**EMORAND the seauenth of March i649 That wheras Ephraim hicks late desseased in the yeare i647 Purchased a pcell of land of M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman seni lying on the south side of the Towne of Plymouth ; and y<sup>t</sup> it doth appeere y<sup>t</sup> there is seauen pound ℥ sixteen shillings Remayning due vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman in y<sup>t</sup> behalfe These p<sup>r</sup>sents wittneseth y<sup>t</sup> M<sup>is</sup> Margeret hicks Couenanteth to make payment of the said seauen pound ℥ sixteen shillings and to Cleare the Estate of Ephraim hicks aforesaid of the said debt ; in Concideration wherof M<sup>r</sup> John howland in the behalfe of Elizabeth hicks wife of the said Ephraim hicks doth by the p<sup>r</sup>sents allso Relinkquish ℥ Renounce all her Right title ℥ Enterest of ℥ into the said pcell of land vnto the said M<sup>is</sup> Margeret hicks her heaires ℥ assignes for euer vnto the only proper vse ℥ behoofe of her the said M<sup>is</sup> Margeret hicks her heaires ℥ assignes for euer provided the said Elizabeth hicks is to haue the thirds of the Corn now vppon the land aforesaid.

**M**EMORAND The 14<sup>th</sup> of March i649 M<sup>r</sup> John howland doth acknowledge y<sup>t</sup> hee hath barganed and sould vnto Georg Partridg of Duxborrow Tayler three acars of meadow ground or therabouts lying at Muskeeto hole in Duxborrow aforesaid And That the said Gorg Partridg hath fully satisfyed him for the same according to a wrighting vnderneath entered ; Wherin M<sup>is</sup> Elizabeth howland his wife hath according to Order giuen her free Concent vnto the sale therof ; the said three acars of meadow bee it more or les to haue and to hold vnto the said Gorg Partridg his heaires and assignes for euer.

M<sup>r</sup> howland and his wife haue both acknowledged the sale of three acars of meadow land or therabouts bee it more or lese att Muskeeto hole before mee Miles Standish September the third i649.

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BRADFORD Gouer<sup>r</sup>.

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A Deed appointed to be Recorded.

**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents That I Edward ffooster of Scittuaat in the Corporation of New Plymouth in New England ; haue fully ℥ absolutly sould vnto George Russell of hingham within the Gouverment of the Massachusits Bay ; my lott of Land both marsh land ℥ vpland lying in Scittuaat at the first hearring brooke bounded on the westerly part with the land of Isaake Stedman vntill it cometh to the marsh South<sup>ther</sup>ly on the south<sup>ther</sup>ly part with a Creeke which Runeth Easterly and turneth about Northerly into the said hearring brooke ; bounded on the Northerly part with

the said herring brooke vtell it meeteth with the marsh land of Goodman Kemton & then bounded with the said marsh land of Goodman Kemton ; But at the Easterley end of Goodman Kemtons Marsh it is deuided from y<sup>t</sup> with a stoke or stumpe of a tree standing on the vpland & a straight linne drawne from the same to the neerest place of the said herringe brooke ; as also from the westerly part of Goodman Kemtons marsh it strecheth along to the aforsaid Isaak Stedmans ground ; Excepting the hieway or land y<sup>t</sup> is designed & appointed to goe throw it ; The Marsh at the southwest part therof is deuided with a straight linne from the other marsh som three or foure pole westward on the passage way This I say thus bounded and described both vpland bee it sixteene eighteene or twenty acars more or les And marsh land bee it ten acars more or les This & this onely & thus onely ; I the said Edward ffoster haue sould to the said Gorg Russell with all the wood & Timber both standing & fallen downe with all other appurtenances therunto belonging free from all Intailment to mee or my heaires or Successers for euer To him I say & his heaires and Successers for eucr ; These and all of these I the said Edward ffoster haue sould for & in Concideration of twenty pounds sterling to bee payed to mee for the same ; excepting ten shillings which I haue vppon som conditions sence been perswaded to abate of the said sum ; The whole sum to bee payed at three seuerall payments the one third downe ; the other third at midsummer following the date heerof And the last third part of payment by the latter end of august next Insuing the date heerof ; To bee payed in such things as the said Edward ffoster liketh & hath need of at home at his house at Scittuaat and at such prisses as they shall agree vpon ; And I doe by these p<sup>r</sup>sents giue full power to the said Gorg Russell by himselfe or his assignes to Inrowle or Cause to be Inrowled the title and tenor of the said lands ; To himselfe his heaires & Successers for euer in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court att Plymouth before the Right wor<sup>sh</sup> Gouer<sup>r</sup> and assistance according to the Order of Court in that Case made and prouided ; In Wittnes to the premisses I Edward ffoster doe Set to my hand & Seale this p<sup>r</sup>sent June day the 2<sup>cond</sup> in the yeare Anno Dom: i643.

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Isaak } Stedmans marke

Edward ffosters





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BRADFORD Gouer<sup>t</sup>

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**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That on the 9<sup>th</sup> of aprell 1650 ffrancis Cooke did com before the Gouer and acknowldige y<sup>t</sup> hee hath freely giuen & made ouer vnto his sonne Jacob Cook all his Right title and Enterest of & into a Certaine Tract of vpland & meadow being estemated att an hundred acars bee it more or lesse; lying att the North Riuer accordingly as it was graunted vnto him the said ffrancis Cooke as appeers by the Record of the said graunt bearing date the fift of October 1640 The said Tract of vpland & meadow with all & singulare the apurtenances & priuiledges therunto belonging to haue & to hold to him the said Jacob Cooke his heaires & assignes for euer vnto the only proper vse & behoofe of him the said Jacob Cooke his heaires and assignes for euer;

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> the 9<sup>th</sup> of Aprell 1650 That Jacob Cooke of Plymouth doth acknowldig y<sup>t</sup> for and in Concideration of the som of sixteene pound sterling to him allredy payed by Moris Truant of Marshfeild in the Colonie of New Plym. aforsaid hee hath freely & absolutly barganed & sould vnto the said Moris Truant a Certaine Tract or percell of vpland & meadow lying att North Riuer the said vpland being esteemated att about an hundred acars or therabouts bee it more or lesse beeing the one halfe of a Certaine Tract of Land formerly graunted vnto ffrancis Cooke & John Cooke his sonne; being bounded with the lands of Leiuetenant Holmes on the one side and the lands of Constant Southworth & Tho: Southworth Joseph Rogers & John Rogers on the other side; & abutting vppon the said North Riuer; The said halfe of the aforsaid Tract being vnderstood which appertained formerly vnto ffrancis Cooke which hee hath freely giuen & made ouer with all & singulare the apurtenances vnto his sonn Jacob Cooke aforsaid with all the meadow land apertaining therunto w<sup>h</sup> meadow land is the one halfe of all the meadow lying against the end of the whole Tract Concidered together as it was graunted to ffrancis Cooke & John Cooke as aforsaid; With the one halfe of whatsoeuer meadow belongeth vnto the aforsaid Tract lying before or somway bounding vppon the land of John Rogers aforsaid; And wheras the said meadow is not yet equally deuided betwixt the said Jacob Cooke & John Cooke nor their assignes it is to be equally deuided according to the goodnes therof betwixt the said Moris Truant and Tho: Tilden who hath also Purchased the other halfe of the aforsaid Tract both of vpland & meadow of John Cooke to whom it formerly belonged as aforsaid; The said halfe part of the aforsaid

Tract both of vpland & meadow formerly belonging vnto ffrancis Cooke and sence giuen and made ouer by him vnto his sonne Jacob Cooke To haue and to hold vnto the said Moris Truant his heaires & assignes for euer ; The said premises with all the said Jacob Cooke his Right title & Enterest of & into the said premises with all & singular the apurtenances belonging therunto ; To belonge vnto the said Moris Truant his heaires & assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse & behoofe of him the said Moris Truant his heaires & assignes for euer.

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This is paid by Thomas Burd to Willam Nelson and soe acknowledged by him and acquitted.

**M**EMORAN<sup>d</sup> the 8<sup>th</sup> of June That Willam Nelson of Plym: doth acknowledge y<sup>t</sup> hee hath freely and absolutly barganed and sould vnto Tho: Burd of Scittuate a sertaine pcell of Land lying att the North Riuer next aboute the land of Edmond Chandeler with the meadow against the said land Ranging to the lott of John Daman ; for and In Conideration of four pound sterling to bee paid in a young heifer forthwith as they the said pties shall agree ffurthermore The said Willam Nelson doth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents Couenant and promise both for himselfe his heaires executors and adminestraters to defend the proprietie and title of the land aforsaid with all and singulare the apurtenances thervnto belonging or any way apertaining therunto ; from time to time and at all times from any p<sup>r</sup>son or p<sup>r</sup>sons y<sup>t</sup> shall or may lay any Claime or title therunto from by or vnder him or any before him and shall warrantice the sale therof against any that shall opose the same ; vnto the said Tho: Burd his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said Tho: Burd his heaires and assignes for euer.

apointed to bee Recorded the 8<sup>th</sup> of June i650.

This sale was made about the last of January i649.

**M**EMORAN<sup>d</sup> That Willam Allin of the Towne of Sandwidg in the Colonie of New Plym: doth acknowledge y<sup>t</sup> for and in Conideration of the sum of fve pound to him allredy paied by John Browne of Duxburrow in the Colonie aforsaid weauer ; hee hath freely and absolutly barganed and sould vnto the said John Browne a pcell of vpland beeing about thirty acars bee it more or lesse Lyinge and being in Duxburrow aforsaid next aioyning on the one side vnto the land of M<sup>r</sup> John Reainer being the one part of three of the land which appertained vnto the Children of Peeter Browne brother vnto John Browne aforsaid ; the said thirty acars of vpland with all and singular the apurtenances thervnto belonging To haue and to hold vnto

the said John Browne his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoof of him the said John Browne his heaires and assignes for euer.

And Presilla the wife of the said Wiltam Allin did giue her free Conccent vnto the sale of the aforsaid pcell of land before M<sup>r</sup> Wiltam Collyar asistant. with all the apurtenances thervnto belonging.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> The 8<sup>th</sup> of June i650 That Edmond Chandeler of Duxburrow doth acknowlidg That hee hath freely and absolutly barganed and sould vnto John Browne of Duxburrow aforsaid Weauer an house Scittuate in Duxburrow aforsaid and an acare of land on w<sup>h</sup> the said house standeth next aioyning vnto the house and land of M<sup>r</sup> John Rener about the path; and the said Edmond Chandeler doth acknowledge himselfe fully satisfied for the same; The said house and acar of land on which the house now standeth, with all the boards shelues dores locks and windows beeloning vnto the said house with all the fenceing stufe and all other apurtenances now standing vppon the aforsaid acar of land on which the house now standeth; to haue and to hold vnto the said John Browne his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said John Browne his heares and assignes for euer.

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June the 9<sup>th</sup> i650.

**M**EMORANDUM That Wheras Daniell Cole of the Towne of Nawsett in the Colonie of N<sup>e</sup>w Plym: in New England Tayler; hath ffreely and absolutely made ouer all his Right title and Enterest of and into a Certaine Tract of Land in the bounds of Marshfeild in the Colonie aforsaid beyand the South Riuer being about fifty acars bee it more or lesse; vnto Edmond Weston of the Towne of Duxburrow in the Colonie aforsaid Planter; With all his Right title and Enterest of and into whatsoever meadow ground apertaineth vnto the said land with all and singulare the apurtenances and priuilidges apertaining vnto the said land vnto the said Edmond Weston as adminestrator vppon the estate of Tho: howell Bricklayer deseased as apeereth by a deed enrowled bearing date the 8<sup>th</sup> of June i649 These p<sup>r</sup>sents therfore Witnesseth That Whatsoever Right title and Enterest the said Edmond Weston hath in and vnto the said Lands and Meadowes with all and singular the apurtenances and priuilidges belonging therunto as adminestrator vppon the estate of Tho: howell aforsaid deseased according to the deed aforsaid hee hath and doth ffreely and absolutely with the Courts Conccent. make over and Relinquish vnto

five acres in  
breadth.

John Barker of the Towne of Marshfield in the Colonie aforsaid Bricklayer to him and his heaires and assignes for euer being bounded as apeereth by the Originall graunt of the said Land bearing date the sixt of aprell i640 as foloweth Videlect from the marked tree of Wiltam Bassetts the Iland or necke of Land lying in the mersh on the south side of the said tree ; and the Meaddow Land lying before the said Iland begining att the homack Wher Wiltam Bassett leaues ; to the head of a Coue on the west side of the said Iland To haue and to hold vnto the said John Barker his heaires and assignes for euer the fifty acars of vpland bee it more or lesse with whatsoeuer Meaddow ground apertaineth therunto also with Whatsoeuer other apurtenances and priuilidges therunto belongeth ; vnto the onely proper vse and behoof of him the said John Barker his heaires and assignes for euer ; And also the said Edmond Weston doth further by these p'sents acknowlidg that the said John Barker hath fully satisfied and payed him for the said Lands and all and singular the apurtenances and priuilidges aforsaid belonging therunto.

**M**EMORANDUM the tenth of June i650 That Tho: Tupper of the Towne of Sandwidge in the Colonie of New Plym: in New England shoemaker, with the Conccent of his wife doth acknowlidg That for and In Conccideracion of the som of seauen pound sterling to him allredy satisfied and fully payed by M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman seni of the Towne of Sandwidge aforsaid in the Colonie aforsaid gent:) hee hath freely and absolutly barganed and sould vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman a pcell of meaddow ground being about two acars and an halfe bee it more or lesse lying and being on the other side of Skussett River vpon Skussett necke by John Ellises house ; the said two acars and an halfe of meaddow bee it more or lesse ; To haue and hold vnto the said Edmond ffreeman his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoof of him the said Edmond ffreeman his heaires and assignes for euer.

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June the 10<sup>th</sup> i650.

**M**EMORAND: That M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman of the Towne of Sandwidge in the Coloni of New Plym: in New England gent: doth acknowlidg with the Townes Conccent that for and in Conccideration of the som of five pound to him allredy fully payed by Tho: Tupper of the Towne of Sandwidge shoemaker ; hee hath barganed and sould vnto the said Tho: Tupper a pcell

of land being betweene Jonathan fishes Land vpon one side and Skussett Riuer on the other side ; a Riuer parting M<sup>r</sup> ffreemans and that ; and the mersh Creeke on the south side of it ; all this Land excepte a pcell of Creek weed belonging to Benjamin Nye y<sup>t</sup> lyeth against Skussett Riuer ; To haue and to hold the said pcell of land so bounded as aforsaid vnto the said Tho: Tupper his heaires and assignes for euer ; vnto the onely proper vse and behoof of him the said Tho: Tupper his heaires and assignes for euer.

June the 10<sup>th</sup> 1650.

**M**EMORANDUM That M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman Seni of Sandwidge with the Concent of the said Towne doth acknowldige that for and in Concideration of the som of six pound sterli to him allredy payed by Tho: Tupper and Edmond ffreeman the younger both of Sandwidge aforsaid ; hee hath barganed and sould vnto the said Tho: Tupper and Edmond ffreeman six acars of vpland ground where they shall make Choise of it ; and a pcell of meaddow lying at Lawrances hole vpon the north side of a fresh Creeke henery Sanders land now in vse by him lying vpon the other side of the said Creeke To haue and to hold the said vpland and meaddow as allredy specified vnto the said Tho: Tupper and Edmond ffreeman the younger to them their heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of them the said Tho: Tupper and Edmond ffreeman the younger. their heaires and assignes for euer :

**M**EMORAND<sup>ũ</sup> The first of July 1650 That Andrew Ringe of Plym: doth acknowldige That for and in Concideration of the sum of three pound to him allredy fully Satisfyed and payed by Experience Michell of Duxburrow ; hee hath freely and absolutly barganed and sould vnto the said Experience Michell two acars of Marsh Meddow lying in Duxburrow aforsaid att Blewfish Riuer next aioyning on the one side vnto other meddow land belonging vnto the said Experience Michell the one end therof abutting vpon the mouth of Blewfish Riuer aforsaid and the other end bounded with the vpland ; the said two acars of meddow to haue and to hold vnto vnto the said Experience Michell his heaires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said Experience Michell his heaires and assignes for euer.

And Debora the wife of the said Andrew Ringe hath giuen her full Concent vnto the sale of the said two acars of meddow vnto the said Experience Michell as aforsaid.

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**These presents witnesseth** That Whereas there is a Certaine tract or pcell of Land giuen and graunted p M<sup>r</sup> Wilkam Bradford and his asosiates in the gouerment of **New Plym:** in New England in America vnto M<sup>r</sup> Richard Andrewes M<sup>r</sup> John Beachamp M<sup>r</sup> James Sherly and M<sup>r</sup> Timothy Hatherley Which said land was equally to bee deuided between the aforsaid ffour men ; which said land is bounded with a brooke of Water Comonly Called Scittuate brooke and is p Sittuate harbor, and from high water marke in y<sup>t</sup> brooke to Runn Three mile on a West linne into the Woods ; and from the mouth of y<sup>t</sup> brooke to Runn East to the Sea ; haueing Sittuate on the South border ; the North border begineth at a Little necke of Land Comonly called and knowen by the Indians or Natives Conihassett al<sup>ts</sup> Cohasset ; and is neare a great fall of water, from heighwatermarke att y<sup>t</sup> necke to Runn three mile on a West linne into the Woods ; and from the outermost extent of y<sup>t</sup> three mile linne in the Woods to runn a direct Line for the West border to the outermost extent of y<sup>t</sup> three mile line att Scittuate brooke in the Woods vntell it meete ; haueing the Woods on the West border and the Sea for the east border **the** aforsaid Timothy Hatherley bought M<sup>r</sup> Richard Andrewes p<sup>t</sup> or share M<sup>r</sup> John Beachams p<sup>t</sup> or share and M<sup>r</sup> James Sherlys p<sup>t</sup> or share ; And sould vnto Certaine men of the Inhabitants of Scittuate aforsaid of which Companie Thomas Rawlins Sen: was one ; Twenty and seauen Thirty parts or shares of the aforsaid three p<sup>ts</sup> or shares onely excepted out of the aforsaid three p<sup>ts</sup> or shares and the said Timothy Hatherleys p<sup>t</sup> or share of land Certaine Land y<sup>t</sup> was som giuen som sould before the sale of the aforsaid Twenty and seauen thirty p<sup>ts</sup> or shares which said land is fully specified in the Records of this Land ; **These are to** Certifye all men whom this may concerne That I the aforsaid Thomas Rawlins sen. of Scittuate aforsaid in the Gouerment of **New Plym:** in **New** England Planter for and in Conconsideration of twenty pounds Corrant New England pay to mee in hand payed p John Williams Junier of Scittuate aforsaid in the Gouerment aforsaid Planter ; Wherwith I the said Thomas Rawlins doe acknowledge my selfe fully satisfied Contented and paied and therof and of euery p<sup>t</sup> and pcell therof doe exonerate aquite and discharge the aforsaid John Williams hee his heaires exequitors adminestrators and assignes for euer p these p<sup>s</sup>ents **Haue freely and** absolutely bargained and sould and by these p<sup>s</sup>ents doe bargain sell infeafe and Conferme from mee the aforsaid Thomas Rawlins and my heaires to him the said John Williams and his

heaires and assignes for euer **All that my** Iland of vpland lying and being in Scittuate by the harbor comonly called and knowne by the name of Conihassett harbor being bounded toward the west and north to the aforsaid Conihassett harbor toward the south and east to the Mersh y<sup>t</sup> lyeth yet undeuided which said Iland is p<sup>r</sup> Computation seauen acars more or lesse; Likwise eighteene acars of vpland to bee layed out on the Westerly end of the great necke neare to the glade to bee layed out as the said John Williams shall see fitt; Likwise six acars and halfe more or lesse of mersh meddow lying in the great mersh by the great necke and is bounded towards the East to the Mersh land of John Whetcome towards the west to the mersh land of Thomas Chambers towards the north to the aforsaid great necke and toward the south to the hoop pole necke; \*As also six  $\frac{1}{2}$  acars more or lesse of mersh meddow lying and being by the said great necke and is bounded towards the East to the mersh land of Goyne White towards the West to the mersh land of John Whestone towards the North to the aforsaid great necke; and towards the South to a great Creek **Together** With all the Remynder of my thirtieth p<sup>t</sup> or share of Conihassett land as aforsaid Likwise one thirtieth p<sup>t</sup> or share of M<sup>r</sup> Timothyes Hatherlyes quarter; p<sup>t</sup> of vpland w<sup>h</sup> is not yet layed out; That is to say a thirtieth p<sup>t</sup> of y<sup>t</sup> Land on the Southeast side of accord pond line y<sup>t</sup> Runeth to bound brooke and Crosseth the Weste border line with all and singular the apurtenances therunto belonging or any way appertaining to all or any p<sup>t</sup> or pcell of the aforsaid Iland of vpland eighteen acars of vpland six acars  $\frac{1}{2}$  of mersh six acars and halfe of mersh; Together with the Residew of the thirtieth p<sup>t</sup> or share of land And the thirtieth p<sup>t</sup> or share of y<sup>t</sup> Land which was M<sup>r</sup> Timothy Hatherlyes Remynder p<sup>t</sup> of his quarter p<sup>t</sup> of y<sup>t</sup> vpland on the southeast side of accord pond line which is not yet layed out and all my said Right title and Enterest to all and euery p<sup>t</sup> or pcell therof **To haue and** to hold the aforsaid Iland of vpland eighteene acars of vpland six acars and halfe of Mersh six acars and halfe of mersh; Residew of thirtieth p<sup>t</sup> of Land and thirtieth p<sup>t</sup> of Remynder of M<sup>r</sup> Hatherlyes quarter p<sup>t</sup> of vpland on the southeast side of accord Pond line as yet vnlayed out; vnto the said John Williams hee his heaires and assignes for euer To the pper vse and behoofe of him the said John Williams hee his heaires and assignes for euer **To be holden** according to the mannor of East Greenwich in the County of Kent in ffree and common Soccage and not in Cappite nor by Knights seruice by the Rents and Seruices therof and therby due and of Right accustomed and with Warrant against all People Whatsoeuer from by or vnder mee the said Thomas Rawlins or by my Right or title Claiming any Right or title or Enterest of or in the premies or any p<sup>t</sup> or pcell therof

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And I the said Thomas Rawlins doe also Couenant Promise and graunt y<sup>t</sup> it shall and may bee lawfull to and for the said John Williams either by himselfe or his attorney to Record or Inrowle these p<sup>r</sup>sents or to Cause them to bee Reccorded or Inrowled in the Court of New Plym: aforsaid or in any other place of Recordes before the Gouver<sup>r</sup> for y<sup>t</sup> time being or any offecer in y<sup>t</sup> case provided according to the vsuall mannor of Recording or Enrowling evidences **In witnes** Wherof I the aforsaid Thomas Rawlins haue heerunto set my hand and Seale this twentieth day of ffebruary in the yeare of our Lord God one Thousand six hundred forty and Nine.

Signed sealed and  
deliuered in the p<sup>r</sup>sence  
of ffancis Crooker  
Richard Garrett

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**To all people**

To whom these Presents shall Com M<sup>r</sup> Nicolas Simpkins of Scittuate in the Gouverment of New Plym: in New England gentleman Sendeth Greeting; Know yea That I the aforsaid Nicolas Simpkins for and in Conclideration of thirty pounds of currant New England pay to mee in hand payed by John Williams Junier of Scituate in the Gouverment aforsaid husbandman; Wherwith I the aforsaid Nicolas Simpkins doe acknowledge my selfe sufficiently satisfied Contented and fully payed and therof and of euery part and pcell therof doe exownarate aquite and discharg the aforsaid John Williams hee his heaires exequitors adminestrators and assignes for euer by these p<sup>r</sup>sents haue ffreely and absolutly barganed and sould Infefed and Confermed and by these presents doe bargaine sell Infefe and Conferme from mee the said Nicolas Simpkins and my heaires to him the said John Williams and his heaires and assignes for euer All my dwelling house wherin I now liue with my barne and all other housing whatsoever att this time being; together with thirty acars of vpland more or lesse Lying and being in Scituate aforsaid and was somtimes the Land of M<sup>r</sup> John Laytrope and Samuell house; and is bounded toward the East to the Lands of Johu Williams Jni; and the hieway towards the West to the Lands of Leiuetenant Hewes; towards the north to the Lands of John Williams Junier and the Common towards the South to the aforsaid hieway; as also thirty acars of mersh meaddow Lying before the aforsaid dwelling house and is bounded as towards the North to the hieway towards the south to the herring Riuer; towards the East to the Marsh Meddow of Widdow Lapham; and towards the Weste to the Mersh

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meddow of Leiuetenant hewes with all and singulare the apurtenances therunto belonging or any way apertaining to all or any p<sup>t</sup> or pcell of the said house & barne and any of the other houses with all the Land abouesaid bounded And all my said Right title and Enterest to all the said premises and any pt or pcell therof; To haue and to hold the aforsaid houses Barne and thirty acars of vpland as allso thirty acars of mersh vnto the aforsaid John Williams hee his heaires and assignes for euer To the proper vse and behoofe of him the said John Williams hee his heaires and assignes for euer; To bee holden of our Soueraine Lord the King as of his Mannor of East Greenwidg in the County of Kent in ffree and Common Soccage and not in Capitie nor by Knights service by the Rents and services therof and therby due and of Right acostomed and with Warrants against all people whatsoever from by or vnder mee the said Nicolas Simpkins or by my Right or title Claiming any Right or title or Enterest of or in the premises or any pt or pcell therof, \*And I the said Nicolas Simpkins doe promise Couenant and graunt That Esbell Simpkins my wife shall within one full month next after and Enseuing the date heerof yeild vpp all her Right in the thirds of the said Land before a Maiestraite according to the vsuall Custom in such Case puided And I the said Nicolas Simpkins doe allso further Couenant promise and graunt by these p<sup>s</sup>ents That it shall and may bee Lawfull to and for the said John Williams either by himselfe or his attorney to Record or Enrowle these p<sup>s</sup>ents or to Cause them to be Recorded or Enrowled in his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Court att New Plym: or in any other place in y<sup>t</sup> case prouided before the Gouver<sup>r</sup> for the time beinge or any other Maiestraite according to the vsuall mannor of Recording or Enrowling euidences In Wittnes Wherof I the said Nicolas Simpkins haue heerunto Sett my hand and Seale this first of March in the four and twentieth yeare of the Raigne of our Soueraine Lord Charles by the Grace of God of England Scotland ffrance Ireland and New England King; and in the yeare of our Lord God one Thousand six hundred fourty and eight i648.

Signed Sealled and deliuered  
in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of vs Viz.

John Barker  
Wiltam Pabes  
Tho: Hiland

NICOLAS  
SIMPKINS

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**T**O all People to whomsoever these p<sup>r</sup>sents shall Com Know yea That I Esbell Simpkins the Wife of M<sup>r</sup> Nicolas Simpkins doe ffreely giue vpp all my said Right in the thirds of the house and Lands with all the apurtenances therto belonging which this deed mensions; with all Rights

whatsoever belonging or any way apertaining to any pt or pcell of the said premises doe freely Resine vpp all my Right in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of M<sup>r</sup> Timothy Hatherley maiestrait for the vse of the afornamed John Williams and his assigns for euer.

Aprell the fourth and in the yeare i649.

TIMOTHY HATHERLEY.

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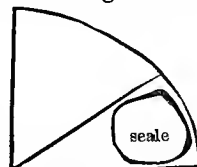
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**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That Wilfam Betts of Scittuate within the Pattent of Plym: in america; doth acknowledge That for and in Concideration of the sum of five pound to him in hand fully payed by Tho: Ensigne of Scittuate planter; hath freely and absolutly barganed and sold vnto the said Thomas Ensigne fouer acars of vpland more or lesse lying in Scittuate as afor-said vnto the Land of Wilfam Perie to the North; to the Lands of M<sup>r</sup> Timothy hatherley east; and to the land of Robert Shelly and Wilfam holmes to the South; to the Kings hieway to the west; with all and singular the apurtenances therunto belonging with all his Right title and Enterest of and into the same & euery part and pcell therof; To haue and to hold the said Land with the apurtenances to the said premises belonging vnto the said Thomas Ensigne his heaires and assigns for euer to the onely proper vse and behoof of him the said Thomas Ensigne his heaires and assigns for euer.

Recorded the  
first of Septem-  
ber i650.

Signed Sealled and deliuered  
in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of Richard Seallis  
Wilfam Holmes



WILFAM BETTS.

**T**HIS 22<sup>cond</sup> of June 1650 Mary Lapham Widdow did freely acknowledge the sale of a little house and about halfe an acar of land in Tenterden in old England near to Sir Edward Hales his land near a place called Bures Ile; which house and about halfe an acar of land her husband Thomas Lapham in his life time did sell to Thomas Hiland for the sum of twelue pound; for which I the abouesaid Mary Lapham doe acknowlidg my selfe fully satisfied.

This the said Mary did acknowledge before mee Timothy Hatherley one of the assistants for the Gouerment of New Plym: the day and year aboue written.

TIMOTHY HATHERLEY.

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MEMORAND<sup>ũ</sup> the 2<sup>cond</sup> of October i650

**M** That Jobe Cole of the Towne of Nawsett in the Colonie of Plym: in New England Doth acknowlidg .That for and in Concoideration of a Cow and a Calfe and twenty shillings in Mony to him allreddy satisfied and fully payed by Tho: Chillingsworth of the Towne of Marshfeild in the Colonie aforsaid shoemaker hee hath freely and absolutely barganed allianated and sould vnto the said Thomas Chillingsworth a pcell of vpland ground being fourty acars or therabouts bee it more or lesse lying and being in the Townshipe of Marshfeild aforsaid neare vnto a pcell of meddow belonging vnto M<sup>r</sup> Ralph Partridg being bounded from a great White Oake on the North West side of it over the breadth of it to a dead tree neare the said M<sup>r</sup> Partridges Rayles ; as also a pcell of meddow being esteemed at about six acars or therabouts bee it more or lesse belonging vnto the aforsaid vpland abuting from the end therof vnto the Riuer The said fourty acars of vpland ʒ six acars of meddow bee it more or lesse so bounded as aforsaid with all and singular the appurtenances belonging therunto To haue and to hold vnto the said Thomas Chillingsworth his heires and assignes for euer ; The said p<sup>r</sup>emeses with all and singular the p<sup>r</sup>uidiges belonging therunto ; To belong and appertaine vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoofe of him the said Thomas Chillingsworth his heires and assignes for euer.

MEMORANDUM the third day of December i650

**M** That Mary Padduk of New Plym: widdow doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in Concoideration of the sum of nine pound and ten shillings to be paied in manor and form following by Steuen Wood of Plym: aforsaid Smith ; shee hath ffreely and absolutly barganed allianated and sould vnto the said Steuen Wood ; all that her house shop and garden plot on which the said house and shop doe now stand Scituate in Plym: aforsaid in the south street ; Together with all the shelues and boards in and about the said house and shope nailed and loose with all the dores locks and windows and glase in and about the said house and shop with all other appurtenances any way belonging vnto the hou

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MEMORAND<sup>o</sup> the third of October 1650

That John Cook Jun<sup>r</sup> of the Towne of Plym: in the Colonie of New Plym: in New England in america yeaman doth acknowldg y<sup>t</sup> for and in Consideration of the full sum of twenty three pound sterling to him allreddy satisfied Contented and fully payed by Thomas Tilden of the Towne of Marshfeild in the Colonie aforsaid yeaman; hee hath freely and absolutly barganed allianated and sould vnto the said Thomas Tilden the one halfe of a Certaine Tract òr pcell of vpland lying and being at the North riuer; Videleceet the one halfe of all the land lying betwixt the Land which was Leiuetenant Wiltam holmes his land and the land which belonged to John Rogers the whole said Tract Containing two hundred and twelue acars bee it more or lesse with the one halfe of the meddow belonging to the said whole Tract which lyeth before it; as allso the one halfe of the halfe of the meddow lying before or any way bounding vppon the vpland of John Rogers aforsaid with the one halfe of the meddow belonging to the said Tract lying betwixt the said Leiuetenant Wiltam Holmes his meddow or mersh ground and the said North Riuer; according to the tenor of the graunt of the said vpland and meddow vnto ffrancis Cook and John Cook aforsaid bearing date the fit of October 1640 The one halfe of the aforsaid Tract of vpland and meddow and euery pt and pcell therof with all and singular the appurtenances belonging therunto; to haue and to hold vnto the said Thomas Tilden his heires and assignes for euer; The said p<sup>r</sup>mises with all the said John Cook his Right title and Enterest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mises and euery p<sup>t</sup> and pcell therof with all and singular the p<sup>r</sup>uileges and emunities any way appertaining therunto; To belonge vnto the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of him the said Thomas Tilden his heires and assignes for euer.

furthermore Sara the Wife of the said John Cook hath according to order giuen her free and full Conccent vnto the sale of the aforsaid halfe p<sup>t</sup> of the aforsaid Tract of vpland and meddow and the appurtenances belonging therunto.

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BRADFORD Gouer<sup>r</sup>

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**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> the 22<sup>cond</sup> of October 1650 That Richard Church sometimes of the towne of Nawsett in the Colonie of Plym: in New England in america Carpenter doth acknowledge That for and in Concideration of the sum of twenty two pound and fiteene Shillings Wherof sixteene pound and fifteen shillings is allredy fully payed and the Remayning six pound to bee payed vpon demaund by John Dingley of the towne of Marshfeild in the Colonie aforsaid Smith; hee hath fully and absolutly barganed allianated and sould vnto the said John Dingley the one halfe of a Certaine pcell of vpland and mersh meddow lying and beeing in the Townshipe of Mershfeild allies Greensharbor aforsaid; which said Tract or pcell of vpland and meddow the said Richard Church hath formerly bought in Joynt ptenshipse with Anthony Snow of the Towne of Marshfeild aforsaid felt maker; of M<sup>r</sup> Tho: Prence of the Towne of Nawsett aforsaid gent: as apeereth by a deed bearing date the 13<sup>th</sup> of July anno 1649 The said tract or pcell of vpland and meddow being bounded as followeth Videlect lying betwixt M<sup>r</sup> Burnes and *and* a little Creek Runing on the west side of the said tract of land Towards M<sup>r</sup> Buckleys and fourty acars of vpland on the other side of the said Creek or els a pcell of land lying by the south side of the south Riuer and Invironed with swamps on the south west side and the said south Riuer on the North side; as is expressed in the Record of the graunt of the said lands vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Tho: Prence bearing date the fift of february 1639 The one halfe of the aforsaid Tract of vpland and meddow so bounded as aforsaid with all and singular the apurtenances thereunto belonging to haue and to hold vnto the said John Dingley his heaires and assignes for euer the said p<sup>r</sup>meses with all and singular the p<sup>r</sup>uilidges therunto belonging vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoofe of him the said John Dingley his heaires and assignes for euer.

John Dingley hath paid fully whatsoeuer was due from him to the said Richard Church vnto M<sup>r</sup> Prence as the assigne of the said Church.

**M**EMORANDUM the 24<sup>th</sup> of October 1650

That M<sup>r</sup> Thomas Prenc of the Towne of Nawsett in the Colonie of New Plym: doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in Concideration of the sum of  
 to him allredy payed by John Cook Juni of Plym: aforsaid; hee hath freely and absolutly barganed allianated and sould vnto the said John Cook two acars of Mersh meddow bee it more or lesse lying before the house and land of the Elder Cushman at Joaneses Riuer next vnto a pcell of meddow which was samtimes Phenias Prats; The said two acars of mersh meddow with all the said M<sup>r</sup> Tho: Prence his


Right title and Enterest of and into the same and euery pt and pcell therof  
To haue and to hold vnto the said John Cook his heires and assignes for  
euer vnto the onely pper vse and behoof of him the said John Cook his  
heires and assignes for euer.

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November the 19<sup>th</sup>

**W**HERAS Robert Padduk of Plym: lately deseased did on his death  
bed giue and dispose his sonn John Padduk aged about fiue yeares  
vnto Captaine Tho: Willet to bee att his desposing and vnder his guidance as  
his owne Child ; These p<sup>r</sup>sents doe therefore Wittnes That Mary Padduk the  
wife of the said Robert Padduk doth Condecend vnto and allow of the said  
acte of her said husband in the desposing of her said sonn John to Captain  
Willet as aforesaid ; In Wittnes of the p<sup>r</sup>meses shee the said Mary hath heer-  
unto sett her hand and given way to haue this p<sup>r</sup>sent writing entered vpon  
publick Record.

MARY PADDUKS  mark

Wittnes heerunto

NATHANIELL MORTON Clarke

**M**EMORAND<sup>ũ</sup> the twentieth of Nouember i650 That Wilam Paybody  
of the towne of Duxburrow in the Colonie of Plym: in New Eng-  
land planter doth acknowlidg That for and in Concideration of the sum of  
fourteen pound sterling to him allreddy satisfied Contented and fully payed  
by Experience Michell of the towne of Duxburrow in the Colonie aforesaid  
Planter ; hee hath freely and absolutely barganed allianated and sould vnto the  
said Experience Michell an house and land in Duxburrow aforesaid att blew-  
fish riuer next aioyning on the one side vnto the land the said Experienc  
Michell now Inhabyteth and on the other side vnto the land of Wilam Tubbs ;  
with a pcell of meddow land belonging vnto the aforesaid house and land and  
lyeing att the one end therof being esteemed att about fiue acars bee it more  
or lesse ; with whatsoever Right title or enterest the said Wilam Paybody  
hath in or vnto any land or meddows att blewfish riuer aforesaid To haue and  
to hold the said house and vpland being esteemed att about ten acars bee it  
more or lesse with the said fiue acars of meddow bee it more or lesse with  
whatsoever Right title or Enterest the said Wilam Paybody hath in and  
vnto any land or meddows att blewfishriuer aforesaid ; vnto the said Experience  
Michell his heaires and assignes for euer the said p<sup>r</sup>meses with all and sin-

gular the appurtenances and priviledges apertaineing therunto ; To belonge vnto the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Experience Michell his heaires and assignes for euer.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> the third day of December 1650

That Mary Padduk of Plym: in the Colonie of New Plym: Widdow doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in Concoideration of the sum of nine pound and ten shillings to bee paied in mannor and form folowing Videlecet foure pound and ten shillings therof to bee paied by the first of March next following the date heerof ; and the Remaining fue pound to bee paied by y<sup>t</sup> time tweluemonth in Cattle by Steuen Wood of the towne of Plym: aforsaid in the Colonie aforsaid Smith shee hath freely & absolutly baganed allianated and sold vnto the said Steuen Wood all y<sup>t</sup> her house garden plot and shop Scittuate in Plym: aforsaid in the south street ; Together with all the shelues and boards both loose and nailed in or about the house shop or garden place aforsaid with all the dores locks winddows and glase in and about the house and shop aforsaid as allso three acars or therabouts bee it more or lesse of vpland ground lying in the Newfeild being bounded with the land of Richard Sparrow on the one side & the land of John Tompson on the other side With all and singular the apurtenances belonging vnto the said house shop garden place and three acars of vpland aforsaid ; To haue and to hold vnto the said Steuen Wood his heires and assignes for euer ; The said p<sup>r</sup>mises with all and singular the p<sup>r</sup>uilidges appertaining therunto ; To belong vnto the onely pper vse and behoof of him the said Steuen Wood his heires and assignes foreuer.

It is further agreed vpon by the said pties That the said Mary Padduk shall dwell and Remaine in the aforsaid house vntell the first of March next following the date heerof and then shee is to leaue the said house vnto Steuen Wood aforsaid.

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The sixt of December 1650.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That M<sup>r</sup> Wilham Paddy of the Towne of Plym: in the Colonie of New Plym: in New England in america marchant doth acknowlidg y<sup>t</sup> for and in Concoideration of the sum of three score pound sterling to him allreddy satisfied and paid by Robert finney of the towne of

Plym: in the Colonie aforsaid Planter ; hee hath freely and absolutly barganed allianated and sold Enfeaffed and Confermed and by these p<sup>r</sup>sents doth bargan sell Enfeafe and Conferme vnto the said Robert ffinney all That his house and land at the mouth of the Eelriuer formerly Called and knowne by the name of broken Wharfe ; the said land Containing six score acars being bounded on the North side with the land of Tho: Morton ; and on the south side with the land of Gorg Bonum and abuting vppon the bay or mouth of the Eelriuer aforsaid and so extending it selfe in length vppon a southwest linne vpp into the Woods ; Together with the out houses barnes and ffences and all other appurtenances standing vppon and belonging vnto the said Tract or pcell of Land Together with a smale pcell of fresh meddow lying att the head of the Eelriuer aforsaid Containing by Esteemation two acars bee it more or lesse as Allso all Enlargments and aditions of land att any time graunted and added vnto the house and Land aforsaid ; The said house and six score acars of vpland Together with the outhouses barnes and fences on the said land with all other appurtenances belonging therunto with the two acars of fresh meddow att the head of the Eelriuer aforsaid with all other aditions and Enlargments att any time added vnto the said house & land &c To haue and to hold vnto the said Robert ffinney his heires and assignes for euer The said p<sup>r</sup>mises with all and singular the appurtenances pruilidges and Emunities appertaining therunto ; with all the said m<sup>r</sup> Wiltam Paddy his Right title and Interest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mises and their appurtenances and euery pt and pcell therof ; To beelonge and appertaine vnto the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Robert ffinney his heires and assignes for euer.

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A deed apointed To bee Recorded.

**To all people to whom** these p<sup>r</sup>sents shall Com humphery Johnson of Scittuate in the Gouernment of New Plym: in New England in america Planter sendeth greeting

**Know** ye that I the aforsaid Humphery Johnson for and in Concidera-tion of sixteen poundes of Corrant New England pay to mee in hand paied p John Hewes seni of Scittuate aforsaid in the gouernment aforsaid Planter ; wherwith I the said humphery Johnson doe acknowlidg my selfe suffisiently satisfied Contented and fully paied and therof and of euery p<sup>t</sup> and pcell therof doe exonarate aquit and discharge the aforsaid John hewes hee his



heires exequitors adminestrators and assignes for euer p these p<sup>r</sup>sents **Haue freely and** absolutly barganed and solde infeafed and Confermed and p these p<sup>r</sup>sents doe bargan sell infeafe and Conferme from mee the said Humphrey Johnson and my heires to him the said John Hewes hee his heires and assignes for euer all That my dwelling house and barne together with twenty acars more or lesse of vpland on which the said house and Barne standeth ; which said house and Land was somtimes the land and house of John Williames Juni of Scittuate ; and is bounded toward the east and south to the high way y<sup>t</sup> lyeth by the first herring brook mershes ; Toward the West to the land of M<sup>r</sup> ffoot and toward the North to the land of the said Humphery Johnson which was sometime the land of John Winter and p<sup>t</sup> to the Common with all and singular the appurtenances therunto belonging or any way appertaining to all or any pt or pcell of the said twenty acars of vpland house and Barne except the priuillidg of Commoning which the said Humphery Johnson doth Reserue for himselfe and his heires and assignes for euer **To haue and to** bold the aforsaid dwelling house and Barne and twenty acars more or lesse of vpland with all the Right title and Enterest therunto belonging or any way appertaining to all or any p<sup>t</sup> or pcell therof vnto the aforsaid John Hewes hee his heires and assignes for euer to the pp vse and behoof of him the said John Hewes hee his heirs and assignes for euer except as before excepted the p<sup>r</sup>uillidg of the Common To bee holden according to the mannor of East greenwidge in the County of Kent in free and Common Soccage and not in Capite nor by Knightes Service by the Rents and seruices therof and therby due and of Right acustomed and warrant against all people Whatsoeuer from by or vnder mee the said Humphery Johnson or by my Right or title Claiming any Right or title of or into the p<sup>r</sup>meses or any p<sup>t</sup> or pcell therof **And the said** Humphery Johnson doth allso Couenant and promise y<sup>t</sup> Elnor Johnson wife of the aforsaid Humphery Johnson shall within one month next Ensewing the date heerof Resigne and yeald vp vnto the said John hewes all her Right and Enterest y<sup>t</sup> shee hath in the thirdes of the said dwelling house and barne and twenty acars of vpland and y<sup>t</sup> before a Magestrait according to the vsuall Manner and Custom in such Case p<sup>r</sup>vided \* **And I the said** Humphery Johnson doe allso further Couenant promise and graunt y<sup>t</sup> it shall and may bee Lawfull to and for the said John Hewes either p himselfe or his attorney to Record or inRowle these p<sup>r</sup>sents or to Cause them to bee Recorded or inrowled in the Court of <sup>at</sup> New Plym: or in any other place of Records before the Gouer<sup>r</sup> for that time being or any other Magestrait in y<sup>t</sup> Case p<sup>r</sup>vided according to the vsuall mannor of Recording or inrowling euidences **In witnes** Wherof

Which said land John Hewes desireth it may bee known for the future by the name and tearm of hie-land.

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I the said Humphery Johnson haue heerunto sett my hand and seale this ffourth day of august in the yeare of our Lord God one Thousand six hundred and ffiftye i650

Signed Sealed and Deliuered  
 in the p<sup>r</sup>sence of vs  
 Humphry Turner  
 Richard Garrett

HUMPHERY  
 JOHNSON



This ffourth of September i650

Elnor Johnson the wife of Humphery Johnson did freely Resigne vp her Right of the within mentioned house and Land before mee Timothy Hatherley one of the asistants of this Gouerment

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BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>

**R**ECEIUED of Humphery Johnson of Scittuate in the gouerment of New Plym: planter the full and whole sum of ffifteen pounds and fve shillings and is in full for a bill due to mee to bee payed the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June last past ; I say Receiued of humphery Johnson in full pay for the aforsaid bill the sum of ffifteene pounds and fve shillings and I John Williams doe also promise and ingage my selfe to Inrowle or Cause to bee Inrowled this receite in the Court of New Plym: and in the Records of the Towne of Scittuate at or before the tenth day of March next Insuing ; In wittnes Wherof I haue heervnto sett my hand and seale this first day of December i650.

Signed Sealed  
 and deliuered in the  
 p<sup>r</sup>sence of Richard Garrett  
 John Saffin

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\*The 18<sup>th</sup> of february i650.

**M**EMORANĎ that John Donham Juni of New Plym: doth acknowlidg that for and in Consideration of the sume of six pounds and ten shillings to him allreddy satisfied Contented and fully payed by Samuell Donham of the Towne of Plym: aforsaid ; hee hath freely and absolutly barganed and sold vnto the said Samuell Donham a pcell of vpland ground being esteemed att about twelue acars bee it more or lesse lying at Wellingsla neare Plym: aforsaid ; being bounded on the east with an highway betwixt

the vpper end of M<sup>r</sup> Bradfords and Nathaniell Mortons land att Wellingsla aforsaid and the said land and headed with the land of Henery Wood ; as also a smale pcell of vpland meddow lying in the woods being esteemated at about halfe an acar more or lesse ; to haue and to hold the said pcells of vpland and meddow with all and singular the appertenances therunto belonging vnto the said Samuell Donham his heires and assignes for euer the said pmisses with all the said John Donham his Right title and enterest of and into the said pmisses and euery p<sup>t</sup> and pcell therof to belong and appertaine vnto the onely pper vse and behoof of him the said Samuell Donham his heires and assignes for euer.

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BRADFORD GOU<sup>r</sup>

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The 18<sup>th</sup> of february i650.

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> That Samuell Donham of the Towne of New Plym: in the Colonie of New Plym: Planter doth acknowledg that for and in Consideration of the sume of thirteene pounds sterling to him allreddy satisfyed Contented and fully payed by John Donham senior of the Towne aforsaid in the Colonie aforsaid Weauer ; hee hath freely and absolutly barganed allianated and sold vnto the said John Donham an house and land ; next aioyning vnto the land the said John Donham now Inhabyteth being esteemated att about twelue acars bee it more or lesse being bounded on the norwest with the land of Gabryell ffallowell and John Wood and with the Comon on the southwest and on the southeast with the land of Wiltam Pontus and other land of the said John Donham as also a smale pcell of meddow lying att the Watering place being esteemated at about half an acar bee it more or lesse ; as also a pcell of vpland ground at Wellingsla being about ten or twelue acars bee it more or lesse ; being bounded on the east with an highway which lyeth betwixt the vpper ends of M<sup>r</sup> Bradfords and Nathaniell Mortons lands and the pcell of vpland aforsaid and at the head with the land of henery Wood on the south ; To haue and to hold the said house and land and orchyard and all other appurtenances belonging therunto with the smale pcell of meddow at the Watering place with the pcell of vpland at Wellingsla and all and singular the appurtenances belonging therunto vnto the said John Donham his heires and assignes for euer the said pmisses with all the said Samuell Donham his Right title and enterest of and into the said pmisses and euery part and pcell therof to belong and appertaine vnto the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said John Donham his heires and assignes for euer.

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BRADFORD GOV<sup>r</sup>February the 22<sup>cond</sup> 1650.

**K** NOW all men by these p'sents that I Mannasses Kemton of Plym: in New England Planter doe acknowlidg that I haue freely and absolutely giuen vnto my sonn in law Ephraim Morton of the Towne aforsaid in the Colonie aforsaid Planter all that pcell of Land on which the said Ephraim now liveth being bounded on the norwest side therof with the smale brook Runing by the said side therof and on the southeast side with the land of Thomas Morton; abutting with the neather end vpon the bay and so extending it selfe in the length vp into the woods together with all the houses out houses fences Timber and all other appurtenances therunto belonging; And also a pcell of meddow at Sagaquas viz all that is there; as allso my part and Right in the land belonging to the Purchasers att Satuket or therabout; provided that in Case there shallbee a Plantation there or therabouts and my other sonns viz Nathaniell Morton or John Morton shall think meet to goe thether and to make vse of any of the said lands that then my said lands shalbee equally deided into three parts vnto euey of my said sonns an equall part therof together with all and singular the appurtenances therunto belonging. To haue and to hold the said pcell of vpland at Plym: aforsaid bounded as aforsaid with all the houses fences and all other appurtenances therunto belonging with all the Meddow at Sagaquas with my part of the purchasers land at Satukett with all and singular the appurtenances therunto belonging the pviso abouemencioned obserued, vnto the onely pper vse of the said Ephraim Morton his heires and assignes for euer; the said p'mises with all my said Right title and Enterest of and into the said p'mises and euey p<sup>t</sup> and pcell therof (the pviso aforsaid obserued) to belong vnto the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Ephraim Morton his heires and assignes for euer in Wittnes wherof I haue heerunto sett my hand.

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BRADFORD GOV<sup>r</sup>

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> The sixt of March  
That M<sup>r</sup> Timothy Hatherley of the Towne of Scittuate in the Colonie of New Plym: in New England in america gen<sup>t</sup> doth acknowlidg that in the yeare 1645 for and in Consideration of the sum of one and thirty

pounds sterling to him allreddy satisfied Contented and fully payed by M<sup>r</sup> John Floyde of the Towne of Scittuate aforsaid in the Colonie aforsaid marchand; hee hath freely and absolutely barganed allianated sold Infeafed and Confeirmed and doth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents bargan sell Infeafe and Confeirm vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> John Floyd; all that his house barne orchyard and home lott in Scittuate aforsaid with the marsh meddow belonging therunto together with the great lott vp the North Riuer both vpland and meddow videlecet all the housing and lands both vpland and meddow which formerly belonged and was the p<sup>r</sup>per Right of Samuell hinckley in Scittuat somtimes Inhabitant of the said Towne of Scittuate; excepting twenty four acars which the said M<sup>r</sup> Timothy Hatherley in the yeare 1645 aforsaid sold vnto Thomas Clapp of Scittuate aforsaid; The said house barne orchyard home lott together with the great lott vp the North Riuer Videlecet all the Right title and enterest that Samuell hinckly hath formerly had in any houses out houses barns orchyards lands or meddows in Scittuate aforsaid; excepting 24 acars of land sold by M<sup>r</sup> hatherley aforsaid vnto Thomas Clapp as aforsaid; to haue and to hold vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> John Floyd his heires and assignes for euer; the said p<sup>r</sup>mises with all and singular the p<sup>r</sup>uiledges Imunities and appurtenances belonging vnto the said p<sup>r</sup>mises with all the said M<sup>r</sup> Timothy hatherley his Right title and enterest of and into the said p<sup>r</sup>mises and the seuerall appurtenances belonging therunto; To belonge and appertaine vnto the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoofe of him the said M<sup>r</sup> John Floyd hee his heires and assignes for euer.

**W**HERAS Loue Brewster late deseassed in his life time did make sale of three acars of Marsh meddow bee it more or lesse vnto Samuell Eaton of Duxburrow in the Collonie of New Plym: laborer; for and in Consideration of the sum of seauen pounds to him allreddy fully satisfied and paid; which said Meddow lyeth against the neather end of the land of Henery Howland in Duxburrow aforsaid; These p<sup>r</sup>sents doth therfore Wittnes that Sara the late Wife of Loue Brewster executrix of his last will and Testament doth heerby acknowledg and Consent vnto her said husbands acte in the aforsaid p<sup>r</sup>mises Videlicet That hee the said Samuell Eaton shall haue and enioy x x x three acars of Meddow with all the appurtenances belonging therunto as his x x x p<sup>r</sup>per Right to him his heires and assignes for euer To haue and to x x x x the onely p<sup>r</sup>per vse and behoofe of him the said Samuell E x x heires and assignes for euer.

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**A** RECORD of the bounds of a Certaine adition of land graunted vnto John Cook Juni at Rockey nooke in the yeare 1641 and sence viewed and layed forth according to order by M<sup>r</sup> John Howland Joshua Prat and Samuell Sturtivant as followeth

From a Cleft Rock by the waterside about nine pole lying on the north side of the way by a linne southwest and northeast to the Common highway to the smelt riuer is agreed to bee the southerly bounds of the lands graunted to John Cook Junier from the south side to the vper way that leads to the smelt riuer and from a Remarkable Rocke a little aboue the said smelt riuer way two pole on the one side of the Rock and two pole on the other side a perpetuall highway vp into the woods on the south side of the land graunted to John Cook Junier lying on the north side of the said hieghway which land and highway are to Rang on the same point of the Compase with the Rest of the lots adioyning which the said John Cook hath bought of Pheuias Prat ; Agreed by the psons deputed and heerunder named.

JOHN HOWLAND

JOSHUA PRAT

SAMUELL STURTIUANT

The abouesaid addition of land soe bounded as aforsaid to belong and appertaine vnto the said John Cooke as his pper Right to him and his heires and assignes for euer vnto the onely pper vse and behoof of him the said John Cook his heires and assignes foreuer.

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**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>s</sup>ents that I ffrancis Godfry of Marshfeild in the Collonie of New Plym: in america Carpenter for and in Consideracion of foure score pound secured to mee by bill ; haue barganed vnto Anthony Eames and Mark Eames the son of the said Anthony both of them of Hingham in the County of Suffolke in the Massachusetts in america a Certaine psell of land Containing one hundred acars bee it more or less together with one dwelling house vpon it with all the appurtenances belonging therunto lying vppon the North Riuer in the Collony of New Plym: from M<sup>r</sup> Varsells Rang east and by North along by the said North Riuer to a marked tree vpon the said Rang with all the meddow ground belonging

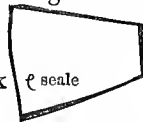
therunto ; To haue and to hold with all the Right title and enterest of and Into the said p̄mises to the onely p̄per vse and behoofe of the aforsaid Anthony Eames and Marke Eames them and their heires for euer ; And the aforsaid ffrancis Godfry doe warrantice the true sale therof and bind my selfe my heires executors and assignes to maintaine the Right and title therof against any p̄son or p̄sons that shall lay Claime therunto In Wittnes Wherof I haue set to my hand and Seale this tenth day of December in the year of our Lord i650.

Wheras It is expressed that ffrancis Godfry is to maintaine the Right and title against any p̄son or p̄sons that shall lay Claim therunto it is explained and agreed vpon before the sealling that it is against all p̄sons except the Indians.

ffrancis Godfry.

In the p̄sence of vs  
Moses Payne  
Thomas Hammond

his  mark



Acknowledged before mee MILES STANDISH.  
June the 3<sup>rd</sup> i65i.

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BRADFORD Gou<sup>r</sup>

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The 7<sup>th</sup> of June i65i

**M**EMORAN<sup>Ḃ</sup> That Edmond Chandeler of Duxburrow in the Collonie of New Plym: in New England doth acknowledg that for and in Consideracion of the full som of ten pounds to him allreddy secured by bill by Thomas Byrd of Scittuate in the Jurisdiction of New Plym: aforsaid yeaman hee hath fully freely and absolutly barganed allianated and sold vnto the said Thomas Byrd a Certaine p̄cell or Tract of vpland ground being about fifty acars bee it more or lesse lying at the North Riuer in the Collonie of Plym: aforsaid being bounded ou the west with the North Riuer aforsaid and soe extending it selfe vp into the woods and on the north with the lands of Richard Silvester and on the south with the land the said Thomas Byrd bought of Wilfam Nelson and is now Posessed of ; with all the meddow land or mersh abuting vpon the aforsaid fifty acars of vpland bounded as aforsaid To haue and to hold the said fifty acars of vpland with all the mersh meddow abuting against the same with all and singular the appurtenances belonging vnto the said vpland and mersh vnto the said Thomas Byrd to him his heires and assignes for euer to bee holden according to the mannor of East Greenwidge in the County of Kent in free and Comon Scokage and not in Capite nor by Knights seruis by the Rents and seruices therof and therby due and of Right accustomed ; With warrantice against any or all peopell that shall any

The money is  
sence paied by  
Thomas Byrd  
and the bill  
Returned.

way oppose the sale therof The said p<sup>r</sup>mises with all and singular the appurtenances apperteining vnto the said p<sup>r</sup>mises so' bounded as aforesaid to bee holden in mannon as aforesaid ; and to belong vnto the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoof of him the said Thomas Byrd his heires and assignes for euer.

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BRADFORD Goue<sup>r</sup>

**M**EMORAND<sup>o</sup> the 7<sup>th</sup> of June i651.

That Thomas Chillingsworth of the Towne of Marshfeild in the Colonie of New Plym: in New England in america shoemaker ; doth acknowlidg that for and in Consideracion of the sum of fiftene pounds and fifteen shilling to bee payed in Corn and Cattell ; by Robert Carver and John Russell of the towne of Marfeild aforesaid in the Collonie aforesaid Planters ; hee hath fully freely and absolutly barganed allianated and sold vnto the said Robert Carver and John Russell a Certaine pcell or tract of land which the said Thomas Chillingsworth bought of Jobe Cole of the Towne of Nawsett in the Collonie aforesaid the said land lying and being in the bounds and lymets of Marshfeild aforesaid being about fourty acars bee it more or lesse ; lying neare vnto a pcell of meddow belonging vnto M<sup>r</sup> Ralph Partridg being bounded from a great white oake on the Norwest sid of it ; to a dead tree neare the said M<sup>r</sup> Partridges Rayles as allso a pcell of meddow being esteemated at about six acars bee it more or lesse belonging vnto the aforesaid vpland abuting from the end therof vnto the Riuer ; To haue and to hold the said fourty acars of vpland more or lesse with the six acars of meddow more or lesse vnto the said Robert Caruer and John Russell to them and their heires and assignes for euer the said p<sup>r</sup>mises with all and singular the appurtenances and priuilidges any belonging therunto or vnto any p<sup>t</sup> or pcell therof to beelonge and appertaine vnto the onely p<sup>p</sup>er vse and behoofe of them the said Robert Carver and John Russell vnto them and their heires and assignes for euer.

The 22<sup>cond</sup> of June i65i

**M**EMORANDUM That Edward Banges of Eastham in the Collonie of New Plym: in New England doth acknowlidg that for and in Considera<sup>o</sup>n of the sum of three pounds and ten shillings to him allreddy paied by Samuell hickes of the towne of Plym: in the Collonie of New Plym: aforesaid ; hee hath freely and absolutely barganed and sould vnto the said Samuell hickes a pcell of Marsh meddow lying at the high pynes on the salthouse beach ; viz



all the meddow the said Edward Banges hath there lying in one Intire peece or pcell on that side the point or mersh which is toward the Gurnets nose The said pcell of Mersh Meddow lying on the salthouse beach as aforsaid To haue and to hold vnto the said Samuell hicks his heires and assignes for euer the said pmisses with all and singulare the appurtenances belonging vnto the said pmisses to beelonge vnto the onely ppor vse and behoofe of him the said Samuell hickes his heires and assignes for euer.

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**M**EMORAND<sup>Ń</sup> The 22<sup>cond</sup> of June i65i.

That Edward Banges of the Towne of Nawset allies Eastham in the Collonie of New Plym: in New England in america yeamen doth acknowledge that for and in Considera<sup>ç</sup>on of the sum of thirteene pounds to him allreddy satisfied Contented and fully payed by Mannasses Kemton of the towne of Plym: in the Jurisdiction of New Plym: aforsaid yeamen: hee hath freely fully and absolutly barganed allianated and sold forty acars of vpland ground lying and being in the Townshipe of Plym: aforsaid neare Brownes Rock lying ten acars in breadth by the water side and extending it selfe in the length therof vp into the woods being bounded on the oneside with the other lands of the said Mannasses Kemton which hee hath giuen and made ouer vnto his sonn in law Ephraim Morton on which the said Ephraim is now seated and doth dwell; and on theother side with the lands of Thomas Morton as also a pcell of mersh meddow videlect all the meddow or mersh that is on the Iland or spott of land Comonly Called and knowne by the name of Sagaquas To haue and to hold the forty acars of vpland bounded as aforsaid with all the mersh meddow lying and being at Sagaquas aforsaid with all and singulare the p<sup>r</sup>vilidges and appurtenances belonging vnto the said vpland and mersh land vnto the said Mannasses Kemton to him his heires and assignes for euer to bee holden according to the Mannor of East Greenwidge in the County of Kent in free and Common Sockage and not in Capety nor by Knights service by the Rents and seruices therof and therby due and of Right acostomed; The said pmisses with all and singular the appurtenances belonging vnto the said pmisses being bounded as aforsaid to bee holden in mannor as aforsaid to belonge vnto the onely pper vse and behoofe of him the said Mannasses Kemton to him his heires and assignes for euer.

furthermore Rebeckah the Wife of the said Edward Banges doth by these p<sup>r</sup>sents according to order giue her free Consent vnto the sale of the said lands vnto the said Mannasses Kemton in forme and mannor aboue mencioned.

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\*ffor the preventing of further trouble that may Come ;  
Att the generall Court holden att Plymouth the sixt of March  
i655 the following writing was ordered to bee heer vnder  
entered.

WEE whose names are heer vnder written doe giue our full and free  
consent that Thomas Dexter the younger shall haue those two  
Ilands of vpland that lye in his Mersh near John ffreemans house witnes our  
hands this twentieth of September i647.

EDMOND FREEMAN  
EDWARD DILLINGHAM  
WILLAM WOOD  
GORG KNOT  
THOMAS DEXTER  
THOMAS TUPPER

I doe acknowlidg my selfe freely  
willing heerunto ; THOMAS PRENCE.

This aboue written was entered  
verbatim according to the originall.

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BRADFORD Gour<sup>r</sup>

A Resignaçon or sale made by the said Gouver<sup>r</sup> as followeth.

WHERAS about tenn yeares past the within named Wilam Bradford  
Gouernor and the Rest of his parteners within written being of the  
old Companie have Purchased the Towne of Sandwidge of the Indians and  
paied to them for the said purchase the vallew of sixteene pound nineteen  
shillings in Comodities ; Now know yee that I the said Wilam Bradford for  
my selfe and in the behoofe of my parteners for ℥ in consideraçon of the sum  
of sixteene pound nineteen shillings to mee in hand payed by Edmond ffree-  
man of Sandwidge ; I the said William Bradford haue assigned sould and  
sett ouer all my Right and title that either my selfe or my parteners haue to  
the said Towne of Sandwidge by Reason of the said Purchase to haue and to  
hold to him the said Edmond ffreeman his heires and assignes for euer  
in wittnes wherof I haue sett to my hand this 24<sup>th</sup> of January 1647.

Witfes

Tho: Willett  
Wilam Paddy

WILLAM BRADFORD

**A**RTICLES made Concluded and agreed vpon betweene the six men deputed by the towne to agitate things betwixt the Comitties and the Towne Videlecet Gorge Allen John Vincent Wiltam Newland Robert Botfish Anthony Wright and Richard Bourne this 26<sup>t</sup> of ffebruary 1647.

Imprim<sup>o</sup> The said Gorge Allen John Vincent Wiltam Newland Robert Botfish Anthony Wright and Richard Bourne; doe Couenant and agree to and with the said Edmond ffreeman to satisfy y<sup>e</sup> Just demaunds of the Comitties and their assignes of the said Towne by Reason of their Charges for the vse of the Towne and likewise to satisfy the said Edmond ffreeman seauenteen pounds laid out for the Purchase; and allso to saue and keepe harmles the said Edmond ffreeman in any damages that shall Com vpon him by Reason of his buying of the Purchase.

I The said Edmond ffreeman doe Couenant and agree to and with the said Gorg Allen John Vincent Wiltam Newland Robert Botfish Anthony Wright and Richard Bourne that I the said Edmond ffreeman vpon the Condiçõn of the pformance of the Condiçõns of the first article abouesaid to make and assigne ouer the said purchase to the said Gorge Allen John Vincent Wiltam Newland Robert Botfish Anthony Wright and Richard Bourne in as good manner as I had it from the said Gouver<sup>r</sup> Witness our hands

GORG ALLEN	ANTHONY WRIGHT
JOHN VINCENT	ROBERT BOTFISH
WILLAM NEWLAND	RICHARD BOURNE.

i65i august the 20<sup>th</sup>

**T**HE pties heerunder written videlecet John Vincent Wiltam Newland Anthony Wright Robert Botfish and Richard Bourne being deputed by the towne of Sandwidge in the behalfe of the said Towne; to sell and dispose of lands vnto the vndertakers of the said towne; and to satisfy their Just demaunds for their paines and Charges in the townes behalfe; They the said pties haue desposed vnto M<sup>r</sup> Edmond Freeman seni as one of the aforsaid vndertakers a Certaine pcell of land adioyning vnto the ffence of the aforsaid M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman and x x x it selfe vnto the boggs and alsoe to the lands of Miles Black \*leauing a drift way of foure pole wide to haue passage vnto the said boggs and twenty acars of land adioyning vnto the lands of John Ellis by the beach if it bee there to bee had; and six acars more now possessed by Thomas Butler at the head of the spring or Cove; These seuerall pcells of land soe bounded as aforsaid to bee and Remayne vnto the

said M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman in the aforsaid Consideraçon, to him his heires and assignes for euer To haue and to hold the said pcells of land with all and singular the appurtenances and privilidges belonging therunto vnto the onely pper vse and behoof of him the said M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman senior his heires and assignes for euer.

And Wheras the Towne of Sandwidge were engaged to pay vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman senior the sum of seauenteen pounds in the Consideraçon of the purchase of the lands from the Indians; Wee the aforsaid pties viclecet John Vincent Willam Newland Anthony Wright Robert Botfish and Richard Bourne; doe despose vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman (in lue of 9 pound of the said seauenteen pounds) a Certaine pcell of Meddow ground now in the possession of M<sup>r</sup> John ffreeman adioyning vnto a pcell of land Called the plowed Neck being esteemed at about ten acars bee it more or lesse; To haue and to hold the said pcell of Meddow ground with all and singular the appurtenances vnto the said M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman his heires and assignes for euer; and 4 pounds more of the said seauenteen pounds was payed by M<sup>r</sup> Edmond ffreeman Junier for land sould to him; and the Remyning 4 pounds of the said seauenteene pound was payed by M<sup>rs</sup> Joane Swift.

The 20<sup>th</sup> of august 1651.

**T**HAT Wheras by a Writting made ouer to mee by Willam Bradford Gouvernor of Plym: bearing date the 14<sup>th</sup> of January 1647 as is aboue specified Concerning the purchase of the lands of the Indians for the towne of Sandwidge which Came to seauenteene pound sterling and the towne of Sandwidge by their assignes, haue now fully satisfied the said sum of seauenteen pound and performed such other Condiçons as they were engaged in by a mutuall writing vnder our hands which being now performed I doe heerby (according to my p<sup>r</sup>mise therin) Resigne and make ouer vnto the towne of Sandwidge and their heires and Successors all that Right and title that I haue or might any way p<sup>r</sup>tend to haue by vertue of the aforsaid writting; onely Reseruing what Right I haue to all such lands as I haue in pticular and am Justly possessed of with their appurtenances as that pcell Comonly called Plym Neck and the Rest to mee and my heires and assignes foreuer; It is also to bee vnderstood that all such as now haue lands in the said Townshipe and are Rightfully possessed of the same are Comprehended heerin though at p<sup>r</sup>sent they liue elsewhere Wittnes my hand

Plym: august the 20<sup>th</sup> 1651.

EDMOND FREEMAN SEN.

Wittnes WILLAM BRADFORD  
NATHANIEL MORTON.

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BRADFORD Gouer<sup>r</sup>.

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MEMORANDUM the 7<sup>th</sup> of October i65i.

That Gorge Russell of Scittuate doth acknowledg that for and in Consideracion of the sum of five pounds and ten shillings to bee paied vnto him by Gyles Rickard senior of the towne of Plym: in the Jurisdiction of New Plym: Weauer ; hee hath freely and absolutely barganed allianated and sould vnto the said Gyles Rickard his house and land att Wellingslay neare Plym: aforsaid ; videlect the said house with all the Romes therof with all the boards shelues dores and lockes in about or belonging to the same ; with two acars of land bee it more or lesse on which the said house now standeth with seauen acars of vpland more or lesse lying at Wobery playne ; bounded with the land of henery Wood on the one side and with the land of Edward Tilson on the other side together with all the ffence or ffences vpon or any way belonging to the said house and lands ; as allsoe all other appurtenances ; and Wheras there are Certaine fruit trees on the aforsaid two acares of land neare the house ; which said trees were planted by ffrancis Goulder the late Inhabitant of the said house and lands ; The said Gyles Rickard is to giue and make payment of fiftene shillings vnto the said ffrancis Goulder for the said trees ; as allsoe the said Gyles Rickard is to pay vnto the said ffrancis Goulder forty shillings of the aboue said five pound and ten shillings by order from Gorge Russell aforsaid ; and the said Gyles Rickard is to haue and enjoy a smale addicion of swampe lying by the said two acares which the said ffrancis Goulder Purchased of Samuell Dunham ; To haue and hold the said house and all the boards shelues dores and locks belonging therunto ; with the two acares of (land bee it more or lesse) on the which the said house now standeth ; with the seauen acares of vpland bee it more or lesse) at Wobery plaine with all and singular the ffence or ffences and all other appurtenances belonging thervnto ; vnto the said Gyles Rickard to him his heires and assignes for euer The said p̄mises with all and singulare the appurtenances belonging vnto the said p̄mises with all the said Gorg Russell his Right title or enterest of and into the said p̄mises or any part or p̄cell therof ; with whatsoever Right or enterest the said ffrancis Goulder hath in the said fruit trees or smale p̄cell of Swampe to belong and appertaine vnto the said Gyles Rickard his heires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said Gyles Rickard to him his heires and assignes for euer.

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**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>s</sup>ents that I John Barnes of Plym: in the Jurisdiction of New Plym: vpon speciall Considera<sup>o</sup>n moueing mee thervnto doe think meet to bestow som part of my Cattell vpon my Children in manor and forme following I giue and make ouer by these p<sup>s</sup>ents vnto my deare Children videlecet Jonathan Mary Hanna and Lidia two mares with their two Coultts of this yeare one of the said mares being at Eastham and the other at Plym:; as also fouer ewe sheepe which said sheepe are put forth to the halfe their encrease vnto Wilham Nelson; the said mares and sheepe with all their encrease that shall through Gods blessing arise of them from this day forward to bee and Remayne as a stocke for my said Children and incase my said Children shall decease before they bee of age or bee married my mind is the said Cattell shall equally belong vnto those of them that shall survive; and if any of them at the time of their marriage shall Require their part of the said Cattell and their encrease that then they shalbee deuided equally and the Remainder to goe on as before; And in case I shall see Reason to make sale of any of the horse Coultts; I doe Retaine liberty vnto my selfe soe to doe prouided allwaies that I Convert them into other Cattell which may probably Conduce to the vphoulding and encreaseing of the stock aforsaid; and I doe heerby bind my selfe to bee acountable vnto the p<sup>t</sup>ies heerunder written whom I entrust to bee ouerseers for the desposing of the said stocke vpon their demaund how I have desposed of such part of the Cattell by sale or exchange as aforsaid; and to see that I make good vnto the stock what I take from the same; and I doe heerby promise and Couenant to vse my best dilligence and Care I Can for the p<sup>r</sup>seruacion of the said stock of Cattell and their encrease that soe they may Conduce to the ends aforsaid; promising allsoe not to require any thing for my dilligence and Care in that behalfe nor to deminish the said stock in way of Recompence for any such dilligence or Care; furthermore I do by these p<sup>s</sup>ents enuest my trusty and welbeloued frinds Constant Southworth of Duxburrow leiuetenant Tho: Southworth of Plym: and Josiah Cook of Eastham with full power & authoritie to ouersee and despose of the aforsaid Cattell & their encrease soe as in their best wisdoms may Conduce to the good of my said Children according to the tennor of my mind in this writting allreddy expressed; and incase any of the three men shall decease that an other bee apointed in his stead by the aduise of the gouernor; and to haue full power to acte in the aforsaid behalfe as any of the other and for such Charges as they or any of them shalbee at in the said busines that they bee satisfied out of the said

stock ; These p̄sents not frusterating or any way hindering whatsoever I shalbee enabled for the future to bestow vpon my said Children ; In Wittnes of the p̄mises that they shalbee faithfully p̄formed I haue heerunto sett my hand and seale this 24<sup>th</sup> of august i65i.

Signed Sealed and JOHN BARNES <sup>his</sup> *JB* marke and 

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deliuered in the p̄sence of  
Nathaniell Morton  
Gyles Rickard.

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**K** NOW all men by these p̄sents That Wheras I John Barnes Inhabitant of the Towne of Plym: in the Jurisdicōn of New Plym: on the 24<sup>th</sup> of august in this p̄sent yeare anno i65i did make a deed of giuft of sundry Cattell viz Mares and sheepe with their encrease vnto my deare Children videlect Jonathan Mary Hanna and Lidia according to the tearmes in the said deed expressed, I haue sence thought good to make an addicion vnto the aforsaid deed of giuft as followeth ; Videlect I giue vnto my aforsaid Children fouer Cowes one wherof is in the keeping of M<sup>r</sup> Tho: howes of yarmouth which is a pyed Cow with two heifers and a steer Calfe y<sup>t</sup> Came of her that is to say my part of the said heifers and Calfe ; the said Cow being put forth to the said M<sup>r</sup> howes to halfe the encreas and a black Cow in the keeping of John Crocker of Barnstable & my part of a Steer Calfe that Came of her shee being allsoe put forth to halfe y<sup>e</sup> encrease with two Cowes in the keeping of John Willis of Duxburrow with whatsoever belongeth to mee of their encrease they being allsoe put forth to halfe the encrease ; the said foure Cowes with my part of their said encrease as allsoe my part of whatsoever encrease shall by Gods blessing arise of them for the future I doe freely and absolutly giue and bestow them on my said Children to bee as a stock aded vnto the former for them ; and I doe by these p̄sents Resigne all my Right and title that I either haue in the said Cattell & encrease or might p̄tend to haue ; vnto my trusty and beloued frinds Constant Southworth lieutenant Tho: Southworth and Josiah Cook ; by them to bee faithfully desposed of to the vse and for the good of my said Children ; according to the tenor and in the same way and mannor in euery p̄ticular ; as is expressed in the aforsaid deed ; in Wittnes wherof I haue heerunto sett my hand this i4<sup>th</sup> of October i65i.

BARNES

JOHN *JB* his mark.

In the p̄sence of vs  
Nathaniell Morton  
Gyles Rickard

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•BRADFORD Goue<sup>r</sup>

**M**EMORANDUM the 26<sup>t</sup> of october i65i.

That Steuen Bryant of Duxborrow in the Jurisdiction of New Plym: doth acknowledge that for and in Consideracion of the sum of five pound to bee paid vnto him by Wiltam Ford of the Towne of Duxborrow in the Jurisdiction aforsaid Miller; hee hath freely and absolutely barganed allianated and sould vnto the said Wiltam Ford the one halfe of a Certaine pcell of mersh meddow being estemated at about eight acars bee it more or lesse lying in the mersh Comonly Called and Knowne by the name of the great mersh or Greens harbor mersh; at the Cutt in the said mersh; being bounded with the said Cutt on the one side and with the salthouse beach on the other side; the length therof extending from the said Cutt to a Certaine lone and Remarkable Ceder tree growing vpon a homack in the said mersh; To haue and to hold the said halfe part of the said eight acares of mersh meddow bee it more or lesse soe bounded as aforsaid with all the said Steuen Bryant his Right title or enterest of and into the same vnto him the said William Ford his heires and assignes for euer the said p̄mises with all and singulare the appurtenances belonging vnto the said p̄meses; to appertaine vnto him the said Wiltam Ford his heires and assignes for euer vnto the onely proper vse and behoofe of him the said Wiltam Ford his heires and assignes for euer.

**K**NOW all men by these P̄sents that I Job Cole of Eastham have sold unto Christopher Wadsworth of Duxborough a house and land lying against a place called Mortons-hole with meadow & fencing and all thereunto belonging unto y<sup>e</sup> said Christopher Wadsworth his heires Executors or Assignes for ever in Consideration of y<sup>e</sup> sum of Seventeen pounds Sterling.

Witness my hand JOB COLE August this 13<sup>th</sup> i65i  
 Reb: Cole his wife y<sup>e</sup> day and year aboue Written  
 did freely acknowledge her consent to the said sale  
 of house and land.

Before me THO: PRENCE

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\* **W**ILLIAM H x x x x x x x x x x full terme of six  
 x x x x x x x x x x consideraçon of faith x x service by him  
 to be pformed x x Basset is to allow him three pounds sterling to be pai x  
 x x x x x x paym<sup>t</sup> & viz<sup>s</sup> one in march & the other at the xpiraçon of x x x  
 & at the full end of the said terme to giue him twenty five acres of land.



\***T**O all people to whome these presents shall come Thomas Simons of Scituate in y<sup>e</sup> Gouverment of New Plymouth in New England in America Planter sendeth Greeting &c Know ye that I the said Thomas Simons for and in Consideration of fiteene pounds & ten shillings of Currant New England pay to me in hand paid by Gilbert Brookes of Scituate afor<sup>s</sup>d in y<sup>e</sup> Government aforesaid Planter wherewith I the aforesaid Thomas Simons do acknowledge my self sufficiently satisfied Contented & fully paid And thereof & of every part & parcel thereof do exonerate acquit & discharge The aforesaid Gilbert Brookes he his heirs Executors Administrators & Assignes for Ever p<sup>r</sup> these presents Have freely & Absolutely Bargained & sold Enfeoffed & Confirmed And p<sup>r</sup> these presents Do Bargaine sell Enfeoffe & confirme from me the said Thomas Simons & my heirs to him the s<sup>d</sup> Gilbert Brookes his heirs & Assigns for euer All that my Dwelling House Barne outhouses Garden orchard & yards Together with nine Acres more or less of upland on which the s<sup>d</sup> Dwelling house & Barne standeth And is lying & Being in Scituate aforesaid And is Bounded towards y<sup>e</sup> north to y<sup>e</sup> land of William Hatch jun<sup>r</sup> towards y<sup>e</sup> south to y<sup>e</sup> lands of Thomas Hick towards the East it Buts to y<sup>e</sup> high way that Leads to y<sup>e</sup> first Herring Brooke And towards the west to the swamp Likewise ten Acres more or less of vpland lying & being in Scituate aforesaid on that Hill commonly called Brushey hill And is Bounded towards y<sup>e</sup> east to the land of Thomas Chittenden Towards the west part to the herring Brooke aforesaid and part to the marsh of John Dammon Towards the north to the Common and towards y<sup>e</sup> south to y<sup>e</sup> land of Thomas Ingum<sup>ñ</sup> being one hundred & sixty Rods in length with all & singular the Appurtenances priviledges & Immunities thereunto belonging or any way appertaining to all or any part or parcell of the aforesaid dwelling house Barne out houses orchard yards nine acres more or less of upland & ten acres more or less of upland To Have and to hold the aforesaid Dwelling House Barne outhouses Garden Orchard yards nine Acres more or less of upland & Ten acres more or less of upland unto the aforesaid Gilbert Brooks he his heirs & Assigns for ever to y<sup>e</sup> proper use & behoofe of him the said Gilbert Brookes he his heirs & Assigns for ever To be holden according to y<sup>e</sup> manour of East Greenwich in y<sup>e</sup> County of Kent in free & common soccage & not in Capite nor p<sup>r</sup> Knights Service by the Rents & Services thereof & thereby due & of Right accustomed & warranting y<sup>e</sup> sale hereof Against all people whatsoever from by or under me y<sup>e</sup> aforesaid Thomas Simons or p<sup>r</sup> my Right or title Clayming any Right or Title of or in the premisses or any part or parcel thereof And I

the said Thō Simōns do also Covenant promise & Grant That it shall & may be lawfull to & for the aforesaid Gilbert Brookes or his Attorney to Record or Enroll these presents or to Cause them to be Recorded or Enrolled in the Court at New Plimouth aforesaid or in any other place of Record before y<sup>e</sup> Governour for that time being or any other magistrate or officer in that Case provided according to y<sup>e</sup> usuall manner of Recording or Enrolling Evidences in such case provided In witness whereof I the sd Thomas Simōns Have heer- unto set my hand & seal this Twenty sixth day of January In the year of our Lord God one thousand six hundred forty & nine.

THOMAS SIMONS



Signed Sealed & Delivered

in y<sup>e</sup> presence of us

Viz<sup>t</sup> Joseph Tilden

Richard Standlake

Richard Garrett

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\***T**O all people to whome these presents shall come Robert Crossman of Taunton in y<sup>e</sup> County of Bristoll in New England Sendeth Greeting & Know ye that Whereas Gilbert Brookes late of Scituate Did formerly purchase of Thomas Simōns also late of Scituate A certaine tract of vpland containing nine acres more or less lying in Scituate aforesaid and bounded towards y<sup>e</sup> north to y<sup>e</sup> land of William Hatch jun<sup>r</sup> Towards y<sup>e</sup> South to y<sup>e</sup> land of Thomas Hick Towards y<sup>e</sup> East Butting on the high way & towards the west to a Swamp as by the within written deed under y<sup>e</sup> hand & seal of the said Thomas Simōns more fully doth & may appear Wherefore now further Know yee That I the above said Robart Crossman in consideration of Thirty shillings in money to me in hand already paid by Joseph Otis of Scituate in y<sup>e</sup> County of plimouth in New England and by vertue of Letter of Attourney under the hand & seal of the said Gilbert Brookes Dated the twentyeth day of March 169½ to me Given & by vertue of y<sup>e</sup> power to me therefrom derived Have Granted and do hereby Grant Sell Assign & sett over to the said Joseph Otis his heirs & Assignes the within written And above recited Deed Together with all the said Brookes his Right and Interest in and unto the said Nine acres of Land within specified and contained And as the same is within and above Butted and Bounded as fully to all Intents Constructions and Purposes as in the same, y<sup>e</sup> said Land is confirmed to the said Gilbert Brookes To Have and to hold The said and within written Deed and the said nine acres more or less of Land with the Appurtenances excepting onely what said Brookes for-

merly sold to John Hanmore deceased unto him the said Joseph Otis his heirs & Assignes To his & their proper use & behoofe for euer In Witness whereof I the s̄d Robert Crossman Attourney as abovesaid have hereunto set my hand and seal. This nineteenth day of Aprill Anno Domini one thousand six hundred ninety and fue: i695:

Signed Sealed & Delivered

in presence of

Sam<sup>l</sup> Sprague

Samuel Sprague Jun<sup>r</sup>

ROBERT CROSSMAN.



Entered & Recorded

March y<sup>e</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> i699.

p<sup>r</sup> SAM<sup>L</sup> SPRAGUE Record<sup>r</sup>.

Memorand that on y<sup>e</sup> 22<sup>th</sup> day of March Annoq; Domini i698 The above named Robert Crossman came before me the subscriber one of his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Justices & acknowledged the aboue written Instrument to be his act & deed.

NATHANAEL THOMAS.

\* **K** NOW all men by these presents that I Gilbert Brookes of the Town of Rehoboth in y<sup>e</sup> County of Bristoll in their Ma<sup>ties</sup> Province of the Massachusetts Bay in New England Have Assigned ordaining made and in my stead and Place by these presents put & constituted my well beloved friend And Son in Law Robert Crossman of the Town of Taunton in y<sup>e</sup> County of Bristoll & Province aforesaid to be my true & Lawfull Attorney in my name to seek after enter upon and Possess any land or lands of what kind or nature soever that is mine or belonging to me the said Gilbert Brookes or that ought to be mine & belong unto me within y<sup>e</sup> Township of Situate in y<sup>e</sup> County of Plimouth in the province aforesaid or any part thereof Also I do further give full power & lawfull Authority to my said Attorney to make sale of any part or parcel or all of said lands as he my said Attorney doth or may se cause And to give Deeds of y<sup>e</sup> same in his own name or otherways to Act as he my s̄d Attorney doth se cause And in my name to do execute & performe as fully amply effectually to all intents constructions & purposes whatsoever as I my self might or could do if I were personally present Giving & by these presents Granting unto my s̄d Attorney my full & whole power & Authority in and about y<sup>e</sup> premises Ratifying & holding firm & stable whatsoever my said Attorney shall do in and about y<sup>e</sup> Premises. In witness whereof I the said Gilbert Brookes have

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hereunto set my hand & Affixed my seal This twentieth day of March 1694  
In the seventh year of his Ma<sup>ties</sup> Reign.

Signed Sealed & delivered

In presence of

Stephen Paine

Samuell Paine

GILBERT BROOKES

his *B* mark

Seal.

Memorandum that on the 29<sup>th</sup>  
of March 1695 Gilbert Brookes  
Acknowledged this Instrument  
to be his voluntary act and  
Deed Before

NICHOLAS PECK one of  
theire Ma<sup>ties</sup> Justices.

Entered & recorded

March 27<sup>th</sup> 1699.

p<sup>r</sup> SAM<sup>L</sup> SPRAGUE Record<sup>r</sup>.

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\*THE forme of Oath which x x x x x which  
liue in this Colonie x x x x x x the  
Oth of alegance to his maj<sup>x</sup> x x fidelity to the same.

YOU shall sweare by the name of the Great God x x x x & earth,  
& in his holy fear, & presence that you shall not speake, or doe, deuse,  
or aduise, any thing or things, acte or acts, directly, or indirectly, By land, or  
water, that doth, shall, or may, tend to the destruction or ouerthrowe of this  
present plantation, Colonie, or Corporation of this towne Plimoth in New  
England.

Neither shall you suffer the same to be spoken, or done, but shall hinder,  
& opossé the same, by all due means you can.

You shall not enter into any league, treaty, Confedera<sup>c</sup> or combination,  
with any, within the said Colonie or without the same that shall plote, or  
contriue any thing to the hurte, & ruine of the growth, and good of the said  
plantation.

You shall not consente to any shuch confederation, nor conceale ~~the~~  
~~same~~ any known vnto you certainly, or by conje<sup>x</sup> but shall forthwith mani-  
fest & make knowne the same, to the Gouvernours of this said towne for the  
time being.

And this you promise, & swear, simply, & truly, & faith<sup>ly</sup> to performe  
as a ~~true Christian~~ as you hope for help x x God, the God of truth & pun-  
isher of falshoode.

\*THE forme of the Oath which x x x x x x \*384  
of the Gouvernour, & Counsell at every Election of  
any of them.

YOU shall swear, according to that wisdom, and measure of discerning  
giuen vnto you ; faithfully, equally, & indifrently without respect of  
persons ; to adminster Justice, in all causes coming before you. And shall  
labor, to aduance, & further the good of this Colony, & plantation, to the  
vtmost of your power ; and oppose any thing that may hinder the same.

So help you God.



BOOK OF  
INDIAN RECORDS  
FOR THEIR LANDS.





# BOOK OF INDIAN RECORDS

## FOR THEIR LANDS.

[The manuscript of the Book of Indian Records is, with the exception of two pages, in the handwriting of Nathaniel Morton and Samuel Sprague. Pages 1, 2, 3, 5, 10, 11, 20, 21, 23, 24, 26, 28, and 30 are in the handwriting of Nathaniel Morton. Pages 13, 15, 16, 17, 19, 33, and 34 are in the handwriting of Samuel Sprague. Pages 7 and 9 are in an unknown hand. The title-page is bound in the volume of Laws, as also the order in relation to David Hunter, on page 242 of the printed copy. — D. P.]

\* i674.

WINSLOW

**P**APAMO MACHACAM and Achawanamett being the Right owners of the land heer mentioned doe desire to haue them Recorded in the court of Plymouth collonie that soe wee may p'serue our lands for our children ; the bounds of our lands are as followeth ; from the Eastern bounds of Dartmouth, att the watersyde to a place called Wassapacoasett ; and soe into the woods to the southeast end of a pond called Masquanspust, which is about six or seauen Myle ; and along the southsyde of the pond, To a great spruce tree marked, on four sydes, which is the head bound, on the east syde of our land, and from thence to a swamp which lyeth south from the Marked tree. The swamp is called quanumpacke ; and from thence downe to the two Rockes lying by the Pathsyde ; which goeth from Dartmouth to Sandwich ; Eastern syde of Dartmouth bounds is the westersde of our bounds ; and Sandwich path is our head bounds, on the westsyde of our land from Dartmouth bounds to them two Rockes before Named, our Tract of land is called by the Name of Mattapoisett.





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Arther Hathewey and Jonathan Dellano doe Witnesse that wee haue seen these bounds ;

ARTHER HATHAWEY  
JONATHAN DELLANO

The Names of the Indians that doe witnesses that the aboue written tract of land doth belonge to the aboue named three Indians.


October the 3. i673.

HESQUEPEST	his marke	
WASNECKSUCKE	his marke	
PEWAT	his marke	
PESWONTKOM	his marke	

The bounds of the tract of land which doth belonge to Papaumo Machacome and Achawanomett, which they doe desire to haue Recorded, are as followeth from the easteren bounds of Dartmouth alonge the watersyde to a place called Wassapacoasett; and from thence to the woods, to the Land which Joseph Laythorp and Barnabase Laythorp and John Tompson bought of Willam Tuspaquin and from thence to a swamp called Quanapacke; and from thence to two Rockes, by the path which goeth from Dartmouth to Sandwich; the line of Dartmouth is their bounds, on the Westsyde of their land, the reason why all the bounds, are not Mensioned heer, which are in the other writing is because they are in the aforementioned tract, which Willam Tuspaquin sold: which sale they haue condended vnto, their land is comonly called by the Name of Mattapoissett;

Dated att Dartmouth July the 2<sup>cond</sup> 1674.

Written by Jonathan Delano  
being acquainted with their land  
and desired by them to write  
their bounds.

Witnes heervnto the  marke of PECHAWONCHEM.

\* 1674.

WINSLOW Gou<sup>r</sup>

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**K** NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents that I Quachattasett Sachem of Man-  
nomett doe acknowlidg that I haue receiued of Will Hedge or Weba-  
quequan of Koomasabunkawitt the full sume of Nine pounds in Indian goods;  
with the which some of nine pounds I doe acknowlidg my selfe fully satisfied  
and payed therwith, for and in consideration of a certaine tract or p<sup>r</sup>sell of  
land sold by mee the aforsaid Quachattasett vnto the aforsaid Will: Hedge;  
the which tract of land lyeth att a place called by the English the blacke  
banke neare vnto break hart hill but called by the Indians Monechchan; the  
bounds of the afore mensioned land begining neare vnto the blacke banke;  
and soe extending easterly vpon the topp of the hill or clift for one hundred  
pole, and from this bound of the end of one hundred pole vpon the hill then  
extending southerly to a little pond called by the Indians Weakpocoinke and  
a little hill; and from this little hill vnto a place called Patoompawksicke;  
the which southermost end is to be one hundred pole likewise and from  
Patoompawksicke, runing to the seaward vnto the blacke banke aforsaid; all  
which the aforementioned p<sup>r</sup>misses according to the aforsaid bounds I the  
aforsaid Quachattasett for my selfe my heires and assignes; To haue and to  
hold foreuer with all the Right title, Interest that I haue; might or ought to

haue ; with all the Appurtenances comodities conveniencyes priviledges and proffitts ; with all woods timber or whatsoever is in the land or vpon the land in any Respect appertaining thervnto, I the aforsaid Quachattasett doe by these p<sup>r</sup>sents allianate from my selfe my heires executors and assignes and fully and absolutely deliuer vnto the aforsaid Will: Hedge his heires and assignes ; to warrant and saue harmles the aforsaid Will: Hedge his heires and assignes for his owne true and proper Inheritance for euer ; and furthermore I the aforsaid Quachattasett doe Couenant and graunt to and with the aforsaid Will: Hedge his heires and assignes to warrant and saue harmles the aforsaid Will: Hedge his heiers and assignes ; from any manor of p<sup>r</sup>sons, that shall or may, any lawfull claime to the aforsaid bargained p<sup>r</sup>mises from by or vnder mee the aforsaid Quachattasett or my heires or assignes, In witnes wherof I the aforsaid Quachattasett haue heervnto sett my hand and seale this sixt day of Aprill in the yeare one thousand six hundred seauenty and four.

The marke of QUACHATTASETT

and a



Signed sealed and deliuered

in the p<sup>r</sup>sence off

Richard Bourne

Sherjashubb Bourne

This deed was acknowlidg by  
Quachattasett this 4<sup>th</sup> of the 4<sup>th</sup>  
month i674 before mee

JOHN ALDIN, Assistant.


\* 1672.


PRENCE GOU<sup>r</sup>.

**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents that I Pumpanahoo of Cautuhticutt in the Collonie of New Plymouth in New England doe ffreely giue vnto my welbeloued frind and brother Charles or Pumpmunnitt off Ashimuitt neare Sandwich in the Collonie of New Plymouth, a certaine tract of land lying and being in a place, called Ahquanauwansuh River, runing into Cautuhticutt Riuer ; and soe vnto another brooke called Peeskhamnett lying to the Northward of Cautuhticutt Riuer, being the bounds wherin the forementioned hundred acres lyeth ; and likewise I the aforsaid Pumppanaho doe ffreely giue vnto the aforsaid Pumpmunnitt or Charles liberty for the feeding or grassing of any kind of cattle and for the giting of any sort of Timber or wood, and likewise free libertie for ffishing fouling or hunting, what hee or his assignes hath occation for, all the which the afore mentioned hundred acres with the aformensioned liberties and priviledges I the aforsaid Pam-

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panaho doe freely giue for my selfe, my heires and assignes for euer vnto Pompmunitt or Charles, for himselfe his heires and assignes To haue and to hold foreuer; for his owne true and feirme and proper possession and for the confeirmation heerof I the aforesaid Pampanuhoo haue sett my hand and seale; this one and thirty day of October, in the yeare one Thousand six hundred seauenty and two,

The marke  of POMPANUHOO

and his 

Signed sealed and deliuered

in the p<sup>r</sup>esence of vs the witnesses

Richard Bourne

Noauweeas  his marke

The marke o  Cottnuttaquan

Samuell Ponaupam

This deed was acknowledged this 1 of the 9<sup>th</sup> i672  
before mee JOHN ALDEN, Assistant.

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\*New Plymouth.

In reference vnto the request made to the Court held att Plymouth the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June i671 by Gorge Wampey, concerning a p<sup>r</sup>sell or Tract of Land lying att Sampsons pond challenged by the wife of the said Gorge Wampey; hee haueing produced three euidences: viz: three Indians namly Jawannah Captaine John of Assowamsett and Joseph of Assawamsett; whoe testified before the Court; that shee the wife of the said Wampey is the trew and right propriator theroff; The Court haue therfore ordered; that in case noe other doe appeer betwixt this date and the 10<sup>th</sup> of July i672 to haue a better title thervnto that then shee shalbe rendered and reputed the true propriator therof; and the said Court ordered that the p<sup>r</sup>mises should be recorded as aboue expressed.

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\* 1669: 1670.

Wofako alias Harry his Booke of Records.

**W**ITNESS that I Wasoko alius Hary do freely and willingly [giue] & bequeath all the lands that I am possessed of, vnto my son Ma — alijs Sam Hary. after my desease. and that my son shall not [sell] any part or parcell thereof but shall remaine to him & his heirs successiuey. but if Sam Hary should not liue to enioy it then to the next brother to vphold my name. vnto the which I do subscribe my name.

Witnes

William Hoskins

John Harman

The marke of WASOKO 

\*The last Will and Testament of Pamantaquash allies the Pond Sachem.

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**W**ITNESETH these p<sup>r</sup>sents that Pamontaquash the pond Sachem [being weak] in body but of perfect disposing memory declared it to be his last [will and] Testament concerning all his lands at Assawamsett or elsewhere [that he is] now possessed of, that he would after his desease leaue them vnto his [ ] Tuspaquin alius the black Sachem, for his life and after the s<sup>d</sup> Tuspaquin [his desease vnto Soquontamouk alius William his sone and to his heires [for] euer, and desired seuerall of his men that were then about him to take [notice] of it, and be wittnesses of it if he should not liue himselfe to doe [the] writing vnder his owne hande.

The Indians that were present  
doe here vnto subscribe.

PAEMPOHUT

alius Joseph

his  
marke

The marke of SAM: HARRY

alius Matwatacka

WOSAKO his marke

alius Harry

PELEX his marke

alius Nanauatauate

The land that the said Pomon[taquash] challenges, the names of the places x  
said witnesses haue made description x  
followeth: Pachamaquast Wekam x  
Nekatatacouek. Setnessnett Anec x path  
that goes from Cushenett to x goes  
through it: Wacagasaneps: Wacom x  
Quamakeckett Tokopissett: Maspenn x  
Wampaketatekam: Caskakachesqua[sh] Wach-  
pusk. ester side of y<sup>e</sup> pond: p x Pachest:  
soe o<sup>r</sup> Namassakett ri[uer] Pasamasatuat.


p JOHN MORTON.


Harry and his sone Sam: Harry: desiars that neither Tuspaquin nor his sone be prest to sell the said lands ~ by any English or others whatsoever:

The lands mentioned which Tuspaquin posseseth: Ha ~ Wosako w<sup>ch</sup> is as long as he liues.

29 October: 1668:


Witnes

Wapetom his mark: 

Wasnukesett his mark: 



[Where the above blanks are in pp. 228 and 229, the original is worn away. The words in brackets are supplied in conjecture.]

- \*10 \* **W**HERAS the Indians of Assowamsett haue agreed amongst themselves concerning their land for to leaue out homlots; ffelix his Lott is 58 acres and an halfe these was graunted by old Tuspaquin and Wiltam Watuspaquin did willingly and ffreely, to consent what men willing to doe, and heer I sett my hand the 11<sup>th</sup> day of March i673.

The Marke of old  WATUSPAQUIN  
 The marke of WIL<sup>L</sup> WATUSPAQUIN  
 The Marke of MEMEHEVTT

**K**NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents that I old Watuspaquin doe graunt vnto John Sassamon; allies Wussasoman twenty seauen acres of land for a home lott; att Assowamsett Necke. this is my gift Giuen to him the said John Sassamon By mee the said Watuspaquin in Ann<sup>o</sup> i673.

Witnes my hand

OLD WATUSPAQUIN;  his marke  
 WIL<sup>L</sup>AM TUSPAQUIN  his Marke

Witnes alsoe NANEHEVNT  his Marke

This abouesaid land John Sassamon aboue Named Gaue vnto his son in law ffelix, in Marriage with his daughter Bettey, as appeers by a line or two rudely written; by the said John Sassamons owne hand but onely witnessed by the said old Watuspaquen; as followeth

Saith old Watuspaquin; it was his Will to his daughter, to haue that land which was John Wasasomans; by old Watuspaquin; witnessed

OLD WATUSPAQUEN his  marke

Onely ther is a home lott graunted by the said Watuspaquin vnto one Capt: John an Indian deceased which is expressed in a writing which is the same writing in which the words abouesaid of Tuspaquin is expressed.

- \*11 \*March the fift i67<sup>8</sup>/<sub>9</sub>. WINSLOW Gou<sup>r</sup>.

It was ordered and agreed by the Court before Named that all such lands as were formerly John Sassamons in our Colloni shalbe settled on ffelix his son in law; and to be and remaine vnto him the said ffelix as his owne proper Right, with all and singulare the appurtenances belonging thervnto, to him the said ffelix To him and heires and assignes for euer.

February 25: 1678.

The bounds of land giuen by Nanumett to his son Ralph or Aspuchchamuck.

The lands lying neare Wauquanchett adjoyning to the bounds of Mr Edmond Freeman seni<sup>r</sup> called Poekquamscutt or a great rocke neare vnto the brooke and from this great Rocke vpon a straight line vnto the red brooke; and runing Northerly on this side Partriches marsh and soe goeing to a place Kowpiscowonkouett and soe runing Northwest called Makewaumaquest and runing Northwest to a place called Wonammanitt; and soe runing to the Northeast to a place called Meshmuskuchtecutt; and soe runing Northeaster to a place called Paukohkoesseke; and soe runing easterly to a place called Sauqutagnappiepanquash and soe runing Southerly vnto a place called Quaupaukoessett and soe runing Northeasterly vnto a place called Mashashinett, and soe goeing to a place called Pethto Pogsett; and soe runing southerly to a place called Muskapasesett and soe runing southerly to a place called Quoh-tauanuet and soe runing to a place called Vntsatuitt and soe goeing to a place called Mussauwomineukonett; and soe goeing Westerly to a place called Wauphaneeskitt and soe Westerly to Mr ffreemans bounds aforsaid but for the swamp called Muchquachema This belongeth to the widdow Bourne and Elisha Bourne; all the aforementioned bound belonging to the aforsaid Ralph or Aspuchchaumake with all appurtenances and pruilidges thervnto belonging; as trees woods knotts or what euer benefitt belonges thervnto except one swamp aforsaid called Mauthquohkoma.

Nanumett gaue his son Ralph more about 30 acrees of land lying by the herring pond adjoyning to the old feild runing Easterly towards Sandwich and Namunett in his will ordered that this 30 acrees last mensioned should not be sold or giuen away from his son Ralph; and his Generation successiuey.

One Necke of land more that shoold into the herring riuier pond called Taupoowaymsett and soe to Sandwich bounds; all this belonging to the aforsaid Ralph;

Witnes Mannomett Peter  
 Tom Peenis  
 Amawekett  
 Willam Pease

This was recorded by order of the Court held att Plymouth the 5<sup>th</sup> of March Ann<sup>o</sup> 1678.

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\*The Testimony of Massentumpain this 7<sup>th</sup> of 8 : 73.

That he being at Naumosaukusset about seven years since that he heard Josiah or Wompatuk say that if he the said Josiah were absent or taken away by Death: He did give power and order to Pompanuhoo to give to Charles Pompmunit A certaine parcel of land lying Betwixt two Brookes and the Great River Cotuhtikut River and so to extend unto Bridgwater Bounds the names of the Rivers one is Ahquonsooawmsooh Runing toward the Northward: And the name of the other river is Namunuxet runing toward the Northwest. All this Tract of Land being thus Bounded as above Massentumpaine saith he heard Josiah giue to Charles and desired Pompanuhoo to confirm it unto Charles

The mark of  MASSENTUMPAINE.

The testimony of Paupsuckquoad this 7 : of 8 : 73 :

That he being at Assooaumsoo about six years since that he heard Josiah Wompatuck say that he had already given unto Charles Pompmunit a certaine parcel of land lying betwixt two Brookes and the great River the name of one Riuer is Ahquonsoonumsoo and the other River is called Namunnunkqsit :

The mark of  PAUPSUKQUNUAD.

The Testimony of George Wampeï this 31 of October 1673 :

Who saith that Josiah Wompatuk with y<sup>e</sup> consent of George Wampeï, gave vnto Charles Pompmunit first of all one hundred acres of Upland. And afterward the foresaid Josiah gave unto the aforesaid Charles another tract of land lying upon the Norther side of Cotuhtikut river and lying betwixt two Brookes one of y<sup>e</sup> Brookes is called Namuneunkquassit And the other Brooke is called Auhquannissonwaumissoo about one mile from Titikut River towards Bridgwater And Josiah gave this land to Charles with all Appurtenances for himself his heirs and Assigns for ever.

The mark  of GEORGE WAMPEI.

Witness Richard Bourne

Sachamus Indian of Satucket saith that he well remembers that he was at Josiah Wompatucks Wigwam at Mattacheeset before that y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Josiah went to the Moquaas Countrey from whence he returned no more And the said Josiah bid him the said Sachamus remember that he did now give to Pompmunit alias Charles & his heirs for ever All that peece of Land lying betweene two Brookes or Rivers one called by y<sup>e</sup> Indians Aquausowouso the



other is called Namuwouxit and from y<sup>e</sup> great river called Titticut river one mile towards Bridgwater. Sachamus further saith that the said Josiah did then before him bid his two chief men George Wompy and Peter Pompanohoo to see that this said tract of land should be accordingly settled to y<sup>e</sup> said Charles.

This above written evidence y<sup>e</sup> said Sachamus affirms is certaine true before,

JOHN THACHER

Jus. of peace this 12 June 1695.

\* **T**O all Christian People to whome these presents shall come Josias an Indian Sachem living at a place called Mattakeeset in the Colony of New Plimouth and Son of Josias alias Chickatabut Sedeth Greeting. Know yee that whereas it doth appear by a writing under the hand of the said Josias alias Chickatabut Dated y<sup>e</sup> nineth of June in the y<sup>e</sup> year one thousand six hundred sixty and four that y<sup>e</sup> said Josias alias Chickatabut did then and thereby promise and engage to give and confirm certain lands at Titticut unto two Indians one now called Peter by y<sup>e</sup> English and the other (when living) Thomas Hunter and to y<sup>e</sup> rest of y<sup>e</sup> Indians living upon Titticut river Therefore the said Josias y<sup>e</sup> son of Josias alias Chickatabut aboves<sup>d</sup> (the said Josias alias Chickatabut being deceased) his son y<sup>e</sup> aboves<sup>d</sup> Josias doth by these presents and in pursuance of his s<sup>d</sup> ffathers promise give grant confirm and deliver unto the said Peter an Indian of said Titticut and living there between Taunton and Bridgwater in s<sup>d</sup> Colony All the Lands of all sorts that are and lye on the Northeasterly side of a direct line from y<sup>e</sup> ffort that is now standing on y<sup>e</sup> Hill above said Titticut wear and on the southeasterly side of y<sup>e</sup> river unto the place where the line betweene Middleborough land and Titticut land doth cross the path that leadeth from the said Titticut to Middleborough mill that is to say All y<sup>e</sup> lands called Titticut lands on the Southeastwardly side of Titticut river and on the Northeaswardly side of s<sup>d</sup> line that are not already disposed of unto the English Furthermore the said Josias the son of Josias alias Chickatabut deceased doth by these presents covenant and promise to and with the said Peter that it shall be free and lawfull for ever hereafter to and for the s<sup>d</sup> Peter and such Indians that shall hereafter be his heirs of asigins from time to time To have and to hold the said lands with all ℥ singular the rights priveledges Iñunities and Appurtenances within or upon the same or any maner of ways thereunto belonging or appertaining without any Trouble molestation charge suits at law or any Incumbrances that shall or may arise from by or under him the s<sup>d</sup> Josias the son of Josias alias Chickatabut or his heirs executors or administrators or any

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\*16 maner of way by any of their procurement for ever And whereas it is desired and the designe of y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> Josias the son of y<sup>e</sup> said Josias alias Chickatabut That the said Peter may be able and capable to accomodate and supply with land such Indians as shall desire to live in Titticut and want land to plant Therefore the said Josias the son of y<sup>e</sup> said Josias alias Chickatabut doth by these presents fully and absolutely forbid and prohibit the said Peter his heirs or assigns or either or any of them from \*giving selling or any maner of way making over or conveying the said lands or any part or parcell thereof unto the English for ever. Therefore if y<sup>e</sup> said Peter or any heir or assign of his shall at any time hereafter attempt to give sell or any way make over any part or parcell of y<sup>e</sup> said lands unto the English he or they that shall so doe shall by vertue of this prohibition forfeit and loose all his and their Interest in y<sup>e</sup> said lands and by vertue of this deed the said lands lost of forfeited shall fall to and belong to the rest of y<sup>e</sup> then Titticut Indians and their Indian heirs and Assigns for ever.

In Testimony whereof the said Josias the son of Josias alias Chickatabut have hereunto set his hand and Affixed his seal y<sup>e</sup> eighth day of September in y<sup>e</sup> year of our Lord one thousand six hundred eighty and six. 1686 :

Signed sealed and delivered  
in y<sup>e</sup> presence of  
Benjamin Leonard  
The mar j of John Cobb jun<sup>r</sup>  
Thomas Leonard.

The mark of

JOSIAS




In Taunton in Bristoll County May the 8<sup>th</sup> 1694. The said Benjamin Leonard and s<sup>d</sup> John Cobb tooke oath that they saw the above said Josias signe seal and deliver the above written deed as his act and deed unto the said Peter y<sup>e</sup> day of y<sup>e</sup> date thereof. Sworne before

THOMAS LEONARD Justice

Entered and recorded July y<sup>e</sup> 9<sup>th</sup> 1695 :

p<sup>r</sup> SAM<sup>L</sup> SPRAGUE Record<sup>r</sup> /


\* **K** NOW all men by these presents that I y<sup>e</sup> said old Wattuspaquin and \*17  
 William Wattuspaquin both of us have give a free grant or gift  
 unto a Woman called Assowetough A tract of land called Nahteawanet the  
 bounds of that Neck is by the little swamp place called Mashquomoh from  
 the west side of that little swamp and run a straight line to A pond called  
 Sasonkususet ranging over that pond to an old fence and so going along with  
 that ffence till we come to a great pond called Chupipoggut This we have  
 given unto Assowetough with the consent of all the chief men of Assowamset  
 that she might enjoy it peaceably without any mollestation Neither by us nor  
 by ours or under us after us. But she shall have it for ever especially her  
 eldest daughter that they shall not be troubled upon no account Neither by  
 morgage or gift or sale or upon no account therefore we set our hands.


The mark  of WATTUSPAQUIN


The mark  WILLIAM WATTUSPAQUIN


December 23: 1673.

Witness


The mark  of Tobias alias Poggapanossoo.

The  mark of old Thomas

The  mark of Pohonohoo

The mark  of Kankunuki.

I The above named Assowetough alias Bettey do freely will give and  
 bequeath the abovesaid Tract of land unto my Daughter Mercy  $\zeta$  to her heirs  
 for ever. Witness my hand this 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1696.


The  mark of  
 BETTY alias ASSOWETOUGH.


Witness Sam<sup>l</sup> Sprague  
 icharles  
 Isack Wonno.

\* **T** HIS is y<sup>e</sup> Gift or sale of Quateashit living at Monamat of that land called \*19  
 Kawamasuhkakamid. I Quateatahshit do give that land to Pompmunet  
 or Charles Ahaz living at Ashamuit which land lies at Kawamasohkakannit  
 the first bounds of it is called Pochuppunnukaak in English Break heart Hill.  
 There *there* Acquanootas bounds meets with it Then goe's down to y<sup>e</sup> sea side  
 And from waters side goe's into woods which is y<sup>e</sup> Southwesterly bounds and  
 there it goe's into y<sup>e</sup> salt water there standing a great rock in y<sup>e</sup> water called  
 Qussuknashunk which is Charles his bounds which is y<sup>e</sup> westerly bounds  
 And upon y<sup>e</sup> upland stands a markt pine tree then runs into y<sup>e</sup> woods westerly  
 and runs up Quite on y<sup>e</sup> north side of a fresh pond called Patopacassett which

pond stands in Charls his land And Charls his land goes not beyond that pond but y<sup>e</sup> pond is the head bounds of his land And from that pond turning a corner vpon a square it runs for y<sup>e</sup> Southerly bounds which land I give according to y<sup>e</sup> breadth at salt water to have the same breadth on y<sup>e</sup> other side of it in y<sup>e</sup> woods there being mark trees on y<sup>e</sup> north bounds I Queatatashit give this land to Pompmunit or Charles for ever with Commonage fire wood ways priviledges of hunting and fences and for grass and fishing and all manner of priviledges to him y<sup>e</sup> said Pompmunit or Charles and his heirs and Assigns for ever.

March 16<sup>th</sup> 1664 alias 1665.

QUETEATASHIT  his hand  
and mark

Witness Saseakouit his mark. 

I Job Antkoo living at Soconeset I heard and saw Queteatashit at that time above mentioned declare and sign this Instrument or writing.

I Amy so called by name together with y<sup>e</sup> wife of Queteatashit heard him speak all these words and have hereunto set my hand

my hand.

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\*Som Testimonyes concerning the lands of Watuchpoo of Sepecan

The Testimoy of Amawekitt being an old man saith hee heard from his father that these lands in difference did belong vnto the predecessors of Watachpoo ;

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Wassauwon hee had these lands for his owne possession.

2

Vspauhquan the sonne of Wassauwon held these lands for his owne.

3

Naunaumasso the sonne of Vspauhquan, hee likewise held these lands.

4

Maumoowampees the sonne of Naunaumosso hee had these lands which Maumoowampees Amawekkett knew himselfe to enjoy these lands.

5

Pohquantaushon the sonne of Maumoowampees Injoyed this land ;

6

Wattachpoo the sonne of Pohquantaushon desires still to Injoy the land of his forefathers.

These witnesses Testify Concerning these lands.

The blacke Sachem with his wife testify the same that the rest of the witnesses doth.

Wausoopausuke the same

Josias witnesseth the same

Sampoiateen Navmvott the same witnesseth.

ffrancis vnderstands the same.

Sampson hee heares and vnderstands by his father that this is truth.

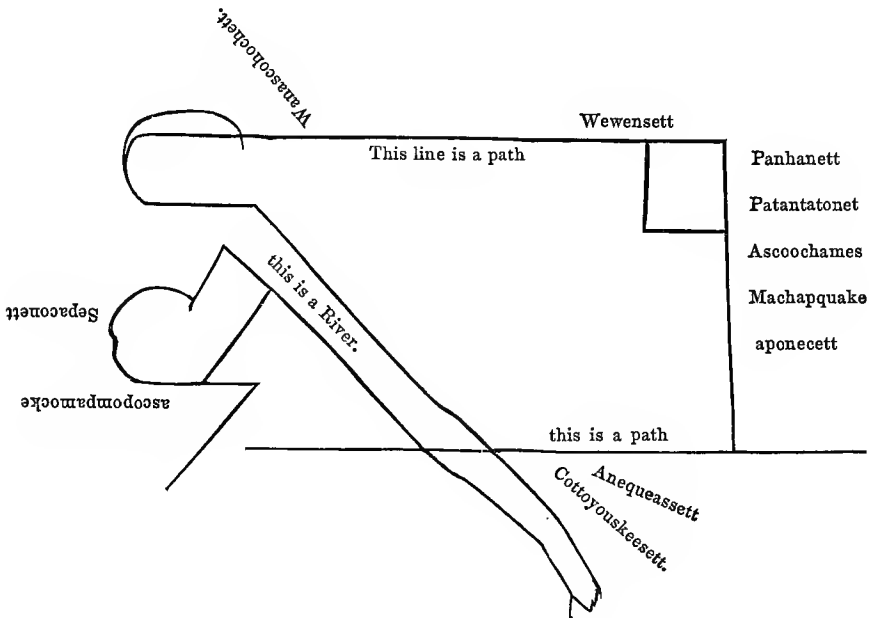
Phillip hath heard and knowne p<sup>r</sup>te.

Ompatakesuke witnesseth the same.

**T**HIS may informe the honor<sup>d</sup> Court that I Phillip ame willing to sell the Land within this draught ; but the Indians that are vpon it may liue vpon it still but the land that is [waste] may be sold and Wattachpoo is of the same mind ; I haue set downe all the principall names of the land wee are not willing should be sold.

ffrom Pacanaukett  
the 24<sup>th</sup> of the 12<sup>th</sup> month 1668.

PHILLIP: *P*: his mark.



**K**NOW all Men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents that Phillip haue giuen power vnto Watachpoo and Sampson and their bretheren To hold and make sale of to whom they will by my consent ; and they shall not haue it ; without they be Willing to lett it goe ; it shalbe soe by my consent ; But without my Knowlidge they cannot safely to: but with my consent there is none that can lay claime to that land which they haue marked out ; it is theirs for euer soe therefore none can safely purchase any otherwise but by Watachpoo and Sampson and their bretheren.

Witnesse my hand that I giue it to them  
The marke *P* of Phillip 1666.




John Sassamon is a Witnesse ;

\*1665

PRENCE Gou<sup>r</sup>






A deed appointed to bee Recorded.

**T**HES p<sup>r</sup>sents witnesseth that I Josias allies Chickatabutt doe promise by these p<sup>r</sup>sents to giue vnto the Indians liueing vpon Catuhtkut Riuer (viz) Pompanohoo Waweevs and the other Indians liueing there; that is three miles vpon each side of the Riuer (excepting the lands that are alreddy sold to the English either Taunton Bridgwater or to the Major and doe promise by these p<sup>r</sup>sents not to sell or giue to any any pte or pcell of land; but that the aforsaid Indians shall peacably enjoy the same without any Interuption from mee or by my meanes in any respect; the which I doe engage and promise by these p<sup>r</sup>sents: witness my hand this 9<sup>th</sup> of June in the yeare 1664.

CHICKATABUTT allies JOSIAS  his marke.  
 WITTANAUMATUKE  his marke.  
 Witnes Richard Bourne  
 John Low  his marke

A deed appointed likewise to bee recorded.

**T**HESE p<sup>r</sup>sents witnesseth that wee Josias allies Chickatabutt Pompanahoo Waweevs and Wottanamatuque doe freely giue vnto Charles allies Pimpanunett a sertaine pcell of land lying by the riuer Cotuhtikutt bounded as followeth (viz) to the westward by a smale riuer called Namuwarnuksit; to the eastward bounded by a riuer called Ahquannissowamsoo and towards the North the riuer calld Cotuhtikutt; and soe one hundred acrees within this bounds; extending in the woods; to accomplish the aforsaid hundred acrees and soe to bee bounded; as it appeers when layed out; all the which one hundred acrees wee the Afforsaid Chickatabutt Pompanahoo Waweevs and Wattanamatuque; doe freely giue from vs and ours to the aforsaid Pimpanunett hee and his with all priuilidges emunities or whatsoever may bee for his benefitt within the aforsaid bounds. Witness our hands this sixt day of october in the yeare one thousand six hundred sixty and four i664.

Witnes Richard Bourne The marke  JOSIAS.  
 Apwanoonke  his marke The marke  of POMPAHOO  
 Humpees  his marke The marke of  WAWEEUS  
 The marke of WUTTANAMATUCKE

PRENCE Gou<sup>r</sup>

\*A deed appointed to bee Recorded.

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**K** NOW all Men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents that I Quechattasett Sachem of Manmomett doe sell vnto Hope a certaine pcell of Land lying att Pokeesett; bounded as followeth (viz.) of land lying betwixt the Riuers or brookes called Annussanatonsett and another called Wakonacob; and soe downe to the sea and to the old way as they goe to Saconeasett; all which the p<sup>r</sup>mises I the aforsaid Quechattasett doe freely sell from mee and myne vnto him and his for euer all priuilidges swamp libertie libertie of the sea and what euer is nessesary for theire welbeing respecting this pcell of land; all which the p<sup>r</sup>mises; I doe confeirme this p<sup>r</sup>sent day being the 9<sup>th</sup> of June in the yeare 1664. Witnes my hand





QUECHATTASETT his  marke

Witnes Richard Bourne  
Paumpunitt  
James Attukoo.

A Deed appointed to bee Recorded.

**K** NOW all men by these p<sup>r</sup>sents that wee Quachattasett and Jepaupow both of Mannomett haue sold vnto Pompmunitt al<sup>tis</sup> Charles one tract or pcell of land and meddow being bounded as followeth; vpon the North-erly side being bounded by the lands of James Skiffe of Sandwich; vpon the southerly side extending to a riuer called Coppoanissett al<sup>tis</sup> Pinguin hole riuer vpon the Easterly end extending two miles into the woods from the salt water; and the westerly end being bounded by the salt water; all the aforsaid Tract or pcells of land and meddow wee doe resigne from vs and ours for euer; acknowledgging ourselues fully satisfied and payed; and deliuering vp the aforsaid lands and meddowes with all the timber wood grasse ffishing fowling and what priuilidges belongs thervnto either by sea or land; wee say wee fully and absolutely convey vnto the aforsaid Pompmunitt al<sup>tis</sup> Charles vnto him and his with three Ilands lying before this land adjoining by smale beaches of sand vnto the aforsaid p<sup>r</sup>mises all which the aforsaid p<sup>r</sup>mises with euerly pte and pcell within the aforsaid bounds either lands meddowes or Ilands or any other priuilidge therto belonging; wee say wee doe fully convey vnto the aforsaid Pompmunitt vnto him and his heires assignes for euer;

To Haue and to hold without any just molestation from vs or any of ours.  
 witnes our hands this sixteenth day of march in the yeare i664 Alkis i665.




	JEPAWPOW his		his marke
Witnes p <sup>r</sup> sent	QUACHATTASETT		his marke
Richard Bourne	SEPITT		his marke
Sherjashubb Bourne.	NANQUATNUMACH		his marke

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

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Prence Gou<sup>r</sup>:

**T**HIS writing witnesseth that I Quachattasett of Manomett haue sold a p<sup>r</sup>sell or necke of land vnto Pompmunett allies Charles ; called Messatuag being bounded by a Riuer called Wansaquatomsa vpon the Northeast side haueing two heads ; and this bounds to be betwixt these two heads runing vp to the barren hills about one mile and an halfe to a little pond amongst the hills called Sakesett and for the southerly bounds vnto a riuer called Tausakaust and soe into the woods to a marked tree being the bounds of Edmond ffreemans land ; and soe to the barren hills vpon the southeast about one mile and an halfe ; I Quachattasett doe acknowldig that I haue sold and receiued full satisfaction for all the foremencioned necke of land with all timber and wood vpon the said necke with all the meddow land about the said necke and all pruiliges thervnto belonging in any respect either by land or sea I say I doe allianate from mee and mine fore euer vnto the aforesaid Charles to him and his heires foreuer. To haue and to hold for his possession ; Witnes my hand this 28<sup>th</sup> day of December in the yeare i665.

Witnesse Richard Bourne	QUACHATTASETT his		marke
Kunnoovnisse.	NUMOTT		his marke
	SEPITT		his marke.



**T**HESE p<sup>r</sup>sents Witnesseth that wee Adtoquanpoke and Saseekowett both of Onkowam doe sell vnto Nokunowitt of Ashumueitt a sertaine Iland with a longe beach adjoyning to it being neare vnto a place called Quanaconwampith the Iland being called Ontsett ; the which Iland wee convey from vs and our childern for euer vnto the aforesaid Nokanowitt and his assignes for euer acknowldiging ourselues fully satisfied and payed. Witnes our hands this twenty fourth of July i666.

Witnesse	SÁSEEEKOWUTT his		marke
Richard Bourne	ADTOQUANPOKE his		mark.




\*THESE p<sup>r</sup>sents testify That wee Quechattasett and Nanquidnumacke doe  
 giue vnto Jacob alties Pampequin a certaine p<sup>r</sup>sell of land lying att a  
 place called Pawkeesett about forty acres be it more or lesse bounded at a  
 springe called by the Indians Mooskuhkaquant and soe to the eastward to a  
 great rocke without the ffence now in being and soe by the marked trees vpon  
 a Northwest line to a place called by the Indians Tautachanekanesseke and  
 then by marked trees vpon the southwest to a place called Haquesukkuppa-  
 muke; all which the foremencioned p<sup>r</sup>mises wee the aforsaid Quechattasett  
 and Nanquidnumacke doe freely giue and convey from vs and ours vnto the  
 aforsaid Jacob alties Pompequine vnto him and his heires for euer; To haue  
 and to hold for his proper Inheritance with all timber wood grasse fishing  
 fowling or what priuillidge thervnto belonging; all which the aformencioned  
 p<sup>r</sup>mises wee doe confeirme vnto the aforsaid Jacob and his children for euer;  
 Witnesse our hands this seauenth day of June in the yeare i666.

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QUACHATTASETT his  mark  
 NANQUIDNUMACKE  his marke

Witnes

Keencomsett his  marke

Charles;

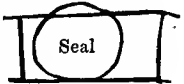

hope  his marke

This deed was acknowledged  
 this 8<sup>th</sup> of the 4<sup>th</sup> (66) before mee  
 JOHN ALDIN Assistant.






\*THESE p<sup>r</sup>sents witnesseth that wee Wosniksuke and Wuttantauson both  
 of Sepaconit doe sell vnto Paumpmunnitt alties Charles of Ashimuitt  
 one Necke of land with the meddow adjoyning; called Mehtukquaumsett  
 lying betwixt two Riuers the one being to the Southwards of this Necke  
 called Acoont the other Riuer lying to the eastward called Pawkihchatt; the  
 end of this necke extending to the salt water vpon the southeasterly line;  
 the head of this necke being bounded by a place called Pitchuohutt adjoy-  
 ning to an old feild vpon the easterly syde and soe vpon a straight line runing  
 westerly vnto a place called Waquompohchukoit; with all liberties priuillidges  
 and emunities thervnto belonging with libertie of Comonage for Cattle and  
 likewise to make vse of any *Comonage for Cattle and likewise to make  
 vse of any* timber for ffenceing or building that is without this necke with  
 libertie of ffishing or ffowling or whateuer priuillidge is belonging ther-  
 vnto as nessesarie; all which the foremencioned p<sup>r</sup>mises wee doe sell and  
 convey from our selues and heires and assignes vnto the aforsaid Charles

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his heires and assignes for euer for and in consideration of eight pounds; to be payed in any sort of pay but peage; all which wee the aforsaid Wosniksuke and Wuttauntauson doe confeirme vnto the aforsaid Charles, to haue and to hold for euer. Witnes our hands and seales this 11<sup>th</sup> of July in the yeare i667.

Witnes	Richard Bourne	WUTTANTAUSON	his marke	his marke	theire	
	Thomas	Burge	his marke	his marke	theire	

**T**HESE may certify all whom it may concern That wee whose names are vnderwritten doe heerby Testify and affeirme that the Tract of land bounded as followeth that is to say easterly bounded by a smale Riuer or brooke called by the Indians Mastucksett; which compaseth the said tract of land to Assonett Riuer and soe to Taunton Riuer; and Northerly bounded by land belonging to English men, the which land bounded as aforsaid hath for many yeares bin the Posession of Piowant; without disturbance The line betwixt the English men and him; to run vpon a straight line from the Marked tree; att or neare Mastucksett to the Northsyde of a place in Taunton Riuer called and knowne by the Name of Chippascutt; as witnes our hands this twenty and seauenth day of the fourth month 1673.

This writing being a cleare Testimony that Piawant aboue named is the true and sole Proprietor of the lands aboue named and bounded was by Captaine Bradford ordered to be Recorded for the said Piawants Securitie of the said land to him and his heires foreuer.	BENJAMINE the husband to Wetamo his  mark
	WETAMO Squa Sachem  her marke
	PANTAUSETT his  marke
	QUANOWIN his  marke
	NESCANCOO ( ) his marke
	PANOWWIN  his marke





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By William Bradford Esq<sup>r</sup> Judge &c. July 9<sup>th</sup> 1695.

**J**OHN NEEHOHAST an Indian is appointed and approved of to be Gaurdian & Overseer of David Hunter son of David Hunter an Indian deceased and is hereby impowered to take care of said Orphan and to preserve his land and estate.

\***T**O all Christian people to whome these presents shall come George Hunter & Joseph Hunter y<sup>e</sup> sons of Thomas Hunter an Indian formerly living at Tittecutt an Indian Plantation in Plimouth County Send Greeting &c Know ye that whereas Josias alias Charles an Indian Sachem late of Mattakeeset in y<sup>e</sup> County of Plimouth deceased did in his life time give unto David Hunter deceased brother unto the said George & Joseph a Tract of Lands at Tittecutt abovesaid as may appear by a deed vnder y<sup>e</sup> hand & seal of s<sup>d</sup> Josiah dated September the eighth in y<sup>e</sup> year 1686 reference thereunto being had And whereas the s<sup>d</sup> David Hunter hath now no child surviving and said George & Joseph Hunter being convinced that their brother David on his death bed expressed himself so that his sister Betty y<sup>e</sup> wife of John Eechee of s<sup>d</sup> Titecutt should haue some of y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> lands The ^ George Hunter & Joseph Hunter do hereby for themselves and their heirs Executors & Administrators agree with each other and with their sister Bettey y<sup>e</sup> wife of s<sup>d</sup> John Eechee & their heirs Executors & Administrators that y<sup>e</sup> lands given by Josias alias Charles unto s<sup>d</sup> David Hunter as in s<sup>d</sup> deed is specified shall be & is by these presents divided as followeth that is to say that y<sup>e</sup> said Betty & her Indian heirs Executors Administrators & Assigns shall for ever hereafter haue and hold & enjoy that part of s<sup>d</sup> land next unto Taunton bounds & as far up by the great river as to y<sup>e</sup> place where s<sup>d</sup> David Hunters upermost ffence came to s<sup>d</sup> River to fence in y<sup>e</sup> neck then called Davids neck & from thence on a direct line to y<sup>e</sup> bounds betweene Middleborow's land & the s<sup>d</sup> Indians land bearing y<sup>e</sup> same bredth there as it doth at y<sup>e</sup> river and that Isaac Wannan an Indian of s<sup>d</sup> Tittecutt & his Indian heirs & assigns shall for ever hereafter Have & hold & enjoy twenty acres of land above Tittecutt greate wear & next unto y<sup>e</sup> land given by said Josias unto old Peter late of s<sup>d</sup> Tittecutt deceased said twenty acres of land to be layd as square as conveniently may be by y<sup>e</sup> great river side & also half y<sup>e</sup> grass in y<sup>e</sup> next neck below s<sup>d</sup> ware And all y<sup>e</sup> rest of s<sup>d</sup> Tittecutt lands given by s<sup>d</sup> Josias unto s<sup>d</sup> David Hunter by s<sup>d</sup> deed to be equally divided between George Hunter & his s<sup>d</sup> Brother Joseph Hunter s<sup>d</sup> Georg Hunter & his Indian heirs & assigns To have & to hold & for ever to enjoy that part next to what said Betty hath & the s<sup>d</sup> Joseph Hunter & his Indian heirs & assigns To have & to Hold for ever that part next to y<sup>e</sup> land given by s<sup>d</sup> Josias unto s<sup>d</sup> Peter deceased except y<sup>e</sup> twenty acres for Isaac Wannan And in Testimony that y<sup>e</sup> s<sup>d</sup> George Hunter & Joseph Hunter have divided s<sup>d</sup> lands as is above specified & that it is to y<sup>e</sup> good liking & acceptance of s<sup>d</sup> Betty & s<sup>d</sup> Isaac Wannan, these persons viz<sup>t</sup> y<sup>e</sup> said George Hunter, Joseph Hunter, Betty y<sup>e</sup> wife of John Eechee & s<sup>d</sup> Isaac Wannan for themselves

ℓ their heirs executors ℓ administrato<sup>rs</sup> have hereunto set their hands ℓ affixed their seals this eleventh day of March In y<sup>e</sup> year of Christ 1697 in y<sup>e</sup> tenth year of y<sup>e</sup> reign of William y<sup>e</sup> third over England Scotland France ℓ Ireland King defender of y<sup>e</sup> ffaith.

<p>*34 Signed sealed and Delivered          * In y<sup>e</sup> presence of us          Samuel Phillips          Samuel Leonard          Elkanah Leonard</p>	<p>Signum <i>X</i> of          GEORGE HUNTER          JOSEPH HUNTER          his <i>C</i> mark          The <i>g</i> mark of          BETTY          ISAAC WANNO</p>	<p> seal.   seal.   seal.   seal.</p>
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March y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup> 1697. The above<sup>d</sup> George Hunter ℓ Joseph Hunter ℓ the abovesaid Betty ℓ Isaac Wanno acknowledged y<sup>e</sup> above written Instrument to be their own free act ℓ deed

Before me, THOMAS LEONARD Justice

Memorandum That on y<sup>e</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> day of September 1701 before me y<sup>e</sup> subscriber Judge of Probate for y<sup>e</sup> County of Plimouth personally appeared the above named George Hunter and y<sup>e</sup> aboves<sup>d</sup> Betty his sister and Issac Wanno ℓ acknowleged the above written Instrument to be their voluntary act ℓ deed. And I do approve thereof ℓ order y<sup>e</sup> same to be recorded.

WILLIAM BRADFORD

Entered ℓ recorded October 28<sup>th</sup> 1701

p<sup>r</sup> SAM<sup>L</sup> SPRAGUE Register.

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