

Thence due North 250 poles to a post oak, J.M. Grant's corner, thence S 87 W 44 poles to the avenue, thence S 82 W 81 poles to Green's Creek, thence down said creek, to the aforesaid River thence down said Roake River along its margin to the first station, containing by survey four hundred and sixty two acres, to have and to hold the said land with all the improvements unto him the said Thomas Parker his heirs and assigns forever. And the said P.K. Garner, for himself and his heirs doth hereby covenant and agree to and with the said Thomas Parker his heirs and assigns that he will well and truly warrant and defend the right and title to the said land unto him the said Thomas Parker his heirs and assigns against the claims of all persons, whomsoever. In witness whereof the said P.K. Garner has hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal, the day and date first above written.

Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of us  
J.M. Grant, M.W. Ransom.

Northampton County Court Clerk's Office Dec: 23: 1863.  
Clerks Office Dec: 23: 1863. And the due execution thereof is proved, before the subscription on oath by James M. Grant a subscribing witness thereto. Let the Deed with this certificate be Registered.  
Registered Dec: 24: 1863  
Nicholas P. Register.

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State of North Carolina

To the Sheriff of Northampton County; Greeting: Whereas Rachel Gay widow of Samuel Gay lately filed her petition in the Court of Pleas and Equity for Deptions of Northampton County against Scion Wheeler & wife Rachael, Gay & Jesse Gay heirs at Law of her said husband and whereas the said Court was brought by an appeal to the Superior Court of Law and whereas at the fall Term 1862 of said Superior Court, it was ordered by the Court that writs of dower should be issued to the Sheriff in her behalf as to the following lands tenements & hereditaments in said County of which her said husband died seized and possessed to wit one tract containing about two hundred and twenty acres adjoining the lands of John S. DeLoatch, Thomas Archer and Lewis D. Gay and one other tract containing about sixty acres adjoining the lands of Bryant Smith, Wilcox Warrick & Jas. H. Long: There are therefore to command you to summon twelve free holders connected with the parties neither by consanguinity nor affinity and entirely disinterested who after being duly sworn by you are to allot and set off to the said Rachael Gay by proper meets and bounds one third in value of all the said lands tenements and hereditaments including therein the dwelling house and all offices out houses buildings and improvements put her in possession of the same and the allotment of Dower made by said Jury after being reduced to writing and signed by them you are to return to our next Superior of Law to be held for the County of Northampton on the fifth Monday after the fourth Monday in September next together with this writ. Witness William T. Beaton, Clerk of the said Court at office the fifth Monday after the fourth Monday in September A.D. 1862.

State of North Carolina  
Northampton County

Pursuant to the annexed order to me directed I Saml. A. Warner Sheriff of said County have this day met upon the premises set forth in said order attended by William T. Beaton Deputy Surveyor to Joel Bonner, County Surveyor and the following Jurors (to wit) Isaac Pule Nicholas P. Register, Rivers Reese, Henry Boone, Willis C. Newson, Alfred Hart, Thomas Boone, Jefferson B. Putrell, Bryant Smith, William P. Edwards, Collin B. Cooke and William T. Beaton good and lawful Jurors by me summoned and qualified according to Law have proceeded to allot off and set apart to Rachel Gay widow of Saml. Gay dec'd ninety four acres of land as her dower including thirty one acres of the tract which Solomon T. Gay now resides on and holds a deed for the same and sixty three acres which is the home tract making ninety four acres in all including the dwelling house and out houses and have put her in possession of said dower will fully att.

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