

precinct of Pasquotank & Province aforesd. ... for the valuable consideration of 50 pounds ... paid by Captain Benjamin WEST of the precinct & province aforesd ... sell 635 acres ... the said Land being granted by patent, bearing date the 14 day of December 1715 to my father Francis HENDRICK Doctor. & by him in his life time by will given unto me ... 8 Jun 1717.
Signed: Thomas H HENDRICK his mark. Wit: W NORRIS, Benja. B MILLER his mark. Ack: 16 July 1717. Regt: 18 July 1717.

[A:206] North Carolina, Thomas HENDRICK of the precinct of Pasquotank & province aforesaid ... make my trusty & well beloved friend William NORRIS, to be my true lawfull Attorney ... to acknowledge unto Capt: Benj: WEST ... a certain tract of Land & plantation, containing 635 acres, commonly called or Known by the name of half way tree ... 8 June 1717.
Signed: Thomas H HENDRICK his mark. Wit: Benja. B MILLER his mark, Benja: WEST. Proved: 16 July 1717. Regt: 18 July 1717.

X Richard MADREN & Ann my wife of Pasquotank precinct in Albermarle County in North Carolina ... whereas the late Honorable Govr. John ARCHIBALD [sic] Esqr. and the Council of North Carolina, aforesd. by patent; bearing date the 26 day of [blank] 1696, given and granted unto John BELLMAN a tract of land containing 198 Acres, being on the south West side of Pasquotank River ... on Nobs Crook Creek ... John BELLMAN & Sarah his wife, did by their Assignment bearing date the 25th day of October 1700, & then by them acknowledged in the Court of Pasquotank precinct, registered in the Register Book of writing of the precinct of Pasquotank aforesd the 3 day of Decbr 1700 assigned sd patent to the sd Richard MADREN ... in Consideration of the natural love & affection I bear my daughter now wife John RIGGS ... sold ... unto the sd. John RIGGS & Penelope his wife the one half or moiety of the before recited tract of land ... then after their death, to the heirs male of them ... & for want of such issue then to the use of the heirs female of them ... & for want of such issue then to the right heirs of me the sd Richard MADREN ... 15 April 1718. Signed: Richard MADREN. Ack: 15 April 1718. Regt: 18 April 1718.

[A:207] Levy CRESSEY of the Precinct of Pasquotank