

Rec'd July 24th 1878 at 10th A.M. Ent. Reg'd by Harry B. Miller Reg'

Taft Amariah A.

Know all men by these presents that Amariah A. Taft of Milford in the County of Worcester and Commonwealth Liberty Freeman of Massachusetts in consideration of eighty six ²⁵/in dollars paid by Liberty Freeman of Mendon in said County the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged do hereby give, grant, bargain, sell and convey unto the said Liberty Freeman his heirs and assigns a certain tract of pasture land situated on the Northerly side of the road leading from Alberville to Uxbridge bounded on the North and West by land of H. C. Blanchard, Alanson Taft and land now or formerly of Asad Fletchers land, on the East by a Town road leading from Mendon to Chestnut Hill on the South by said road leading from Alberville to Uxbridge containing five acres and twelve rods more or less Meaning hereby to convey this tract of land subject to the rights given to Alanson Taft and H. C. Blanchard by deeds from Kenwell N. Taft to said Alanson Taft and H. C. Blanchard.

To have and to hold the grained premises, with all the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging, to the said Liberty Freeman and his heirs and assigns, to their own use and behoof forever. And I do hereby, for myself and my heirs, executors and administrators covenant with the said grantee and his heirs and assigns that I am lawfully seized in fee simple of the granted premises, that they are free from all incumbrances except said rights and privileges that I have good right to sell and convey the same as aforesaid; and that I will and may lease, execute, and administer shall warrant and defend the same to the said grantee and his heirs and assigns forever against the lawful claims and demands of all persons except as above. And for the consideration aforesaid I Thankful S. Taft wife of the said Amariah A. Taft do hereby release unto the said grantee and his heirs and assigns all right of or to both house and homestead in the granted premises.

In witness whereof are the said Amariah A. Taft and Thankful S. Taft hereunto set our hands and seal this eighteenth day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight.

Signed, sealed and delivered Amariah A. Taft (seal)

in presence of

J. E. Walker

free A. Taft

Thankful S. Taft (seal)

Commonwealth of Massachusetts

Worcester April 30th 1878. Then personally appeared the aforesaid Amariah A. Taft and acknowledged the foregoing instrument to be his free act and deed,