
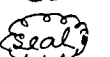


Goss her heirs and assigns all right claim or possibility of dower in said premises. In witness whereof we the said Rufus and Elvira Harris have hereunto set our hands and seals this nineteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven.

Signed sealed and delivered, Rufus Harris.   
in presence of Elvira Harris.   
Andrew H. Reed. } Worcester, ss Dec<sup>r</sup> 5, 1857. Then the above  
David Adams. } named Rufus Harris acknowledged  
the above instrument to be his free act and deed.

Before me: Benj<sup>a</sup> Davenport. Justice of Peace.  
Rec<sup>d</sup> Dec. 16<sup>th</sup> 1857 at W. 25<sup>th</sup> N. Me. Cou<sup>ty</sup> & Ex<sup>d</sup> By M. H. Miller. Reg<sup>r</sup>

Goss Betsy  
to  
Elvira Harris

Know all men by these presents that I Betsy Goss of Mendon in the county of Worcester and Commonwealth of Massachusetts Single woman, in consideration of sixteen hundred dollars to me paid by Elvira Harris wife of Rufus Harris of said Mendon Gentleman, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged do hereby give grant bargain sell and convey unto the said Elvira Harris her heirs and assigns an undivided half of a certain tract or parcel of land with the buildings thereon situate in the central part of said Mendon on the southerly side of the road leading past the dwelling house of Benjamin Davenport in said Mendon containing three acres more or less and bounded and described in a deed from Holland Albe to Rufus Harris dated the first day of December in the year eighteen hundred fifty four and recorded in the Registry of Deeds in and for said county of Worcester Book 55 Page 358 with the same rights and privileges that are given in said deed and subject to the same limitations conditions qualifications and agreements as therein mentioned and referred to, the said premises being an undivided half of the estate which I have this day purchased of the said Rufus Harris by deed of even date here with with the rights and privileges above named and subject to the limitations conditions qualifications and agreements aforesaid, The above conveyance being made to said Elvira in payment of her share of the estate of Henry Goss late of Mendon aforesaid deceased.

To have and to hold the above granted premises with the privileges and appurtenances thereto belonging to the