

Book and Lydia & my wife — have hereunto set our hands and seal this twenty third day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty four.  
 Signed Sealed and delivered in presence of William Cook  
 of Geo. B. Allen Marcy M. Daniels Lydia C. Cook  
 Worcester S.S. Sept 23. 1854. Then the above named William Cook, acknowledges the above instrument to be his free act and deed.

*Seal*  
*Seal*

Before me. Dan Will

Just of Peace.

Rec'd Oct 3<sup>d</sup> 1854 at 1<sup>h</sup> 55<sup>m</sup> P.M. Entd & Enr by Alex. H. Wilder Reg'

Riley, John.  
to  
Walter Thorpe

I know all men by these presents that I John Riley of Wellington in the County of Norfolk Commonwealth of Massachusetts Yeoman in consideration of Seventy five dollars paid by Walter Thorpe of Blackstone in the County of Worcester Commonwealth of Massachusetts Yeoman the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge do hereby grant sell and quitclaim unto the said Walter Thorpe his heirs and assigns all my right title claim and demand made unto a certain lot or parcel of land situate in Mendon in said County of Worcester bounded and described as follows to wit. Said lot is near where the old Parish Meeting house formerly stood on the westerly side of the road leading by the house of the late Warren Rawson bounding easterly on said road westerly on land of the late L. C. P. Hastings & Mary M. Maynard Northwesterly on the late Warren Rawson's office lot and on road leading from the southwesterly end of said office and southerly on land of Hezekiah Fletcher to the north end of said Fletcher's house containing about forty rods. And also a certain other lot of land situate in said Mendon near the house of Chaney Alenich containing about four acres and bounded by land of Welcome Staples the road and land of Abbe & having thereon a dwelling house now or lately occupied by William Sudy late of said Mendon deceased. Meaning & intending hereby to convey all and the same real estate that Henry Hammond conveyed to me by deed dated June 20<sup>th</sup> 1854. & recorded in the Worcester County Registry of Deeds Book 527 Page 608 to which reference is to be had for a more particular description of the premises & meaning also hereby to convey all my real estate in said Mendon.

To have and to hold the same to the said Walter Thorpe his heirs and assigns to his and their use and behoof forever. And I do covenant to warrant and defend said granted and quitclaimed premises to the said Walter Thorpe his heirs and assigns forever against the lawful claims and demands of all persons claiming by or under me.

In witness whereof I the said John Riley have hereunto set my hand and seal this second day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty four.  
 Signed Sealed and delivered in presence of John Riley

C. W. Baker. Andrew Booth Worcester S.S. October 2<sup>nd</sup> 1854. Then personally appeared the above named John Riley and acknowledged the above instrument to be his free act and deed. Before me. P. P. Godd. Justice of Peace.

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