

Phetteplace Allen H. Know all men by these presents that I Allen H. Phettiplace  
 to of Blackstone in the County of Worcester and State of Massachusetts  
 Alice Thayer House-carpenter in consideration of six hundred dollars paid  
 by Alice Thayer of Mendon in said County wife of Pelatiah  
 Thayer the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge do  
 hereby give grant sell and convey unto the said Alice  
 Thayer her heirs and assigns a certain tract of land  
 with buildings thereon situate in said Mendon containing  
 eighteen acres be the same more or less bounded as follows  
 viz. Westerly on the Dam swamp road so called. Northerly  
 and Easterly on Nahor Fletchers land and Southerly on  
 Stephen Comstocks land or however otherwise bounded or  
 reputed to be bounded. it being the same tract conveyed  
 by Welcome Staples to George Staples by deed dated August  
 8. 1831 and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for said County  
 of Worcester Book 293 Page 552 with all the privileges and  
 appurtenances thereunto belonging. To have and to hold  
 the aforesigned premises to the said Alice Thayer her heirs  
 & assigns without the intervention of a trustee to her & their  
 sole & separate use forever free from the interference or  
 control of her husband and I do for myself my heirs executors  
 and administrators covenant with the said Alice Thayer  
 her heirs and assigns that I am lawfully seized in fee of  
 the aforesigned premises that they are free of all incum-  
 brances except a certain mortgage made by me to the said  
 George Staples which is to be paid by the said Alice Thayer  
 without recourse to me that I have good right to sell  
 and convey the same to the said Alice Thayer and that  
 I will and my heirs shall warrant and defend the same  
 premises to the said Alice Thayer her heirs and assigns  
 forever against the lawful claims and demands of all  
 persons except the mortgage aforesaid. In witness  
 whereof I the said Allen H. Phettiplace have hereunto set  
 my hand and seal this eighteenth day of March in the year  
 of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty seven  
 Signed sealed and delivered Allen H. Phetteplace *seal*  
 in presence of Worcester ss. March 18. 1857.  
 Dan Hill Then the above named Allen H.  
 Phettiplace acknowledged the above instrument to be his free  
 act and deed. Before me Dan Hill Justice of Peace  
 Recd March 28th 1857 at 1<sup>st</sup> 20<sup>m</sup> P.M. Ent<sup>d</sup> & Ex<sup>d</sup> By Alex H. Wilder Reg<sup>d</sup>