

The Testimony of Silvester Gilbert of lawful Age is  
as follows; that some time since Mr. Peters' Negroes were  
sold to Prior I saw a letter from Mr. Peters addressed to Gen. Pitt-  
singham in which he directed Buckingham to tell Mr. [?]  
to let his former Negroes remain where they were &  
according to the best of my remembrance not to sell  
them - and further saith not - Silvester Gilbert

Dolland County ss Hebron January 5. 1759

then personally appeared Silvester Gilbert the subscriber  
to the aforesaid Deposition and made solemn oath to the truth  
of the same before me Benj<sup>n</sup> Bull Justice peace