

To all to whom these Presents shall come, Greeting.

K NOW YE, That We, for and in Consideration of the Sum of Fifty Shillings for every Hundred Acres hereby granted, paid into our Treasury by *Robert Jones* have Given and Granted, and by these Presents do Give and Grant unto the said *Robert Jones* a Tract of Land, containing

One hundred and Fifty Acres, lying and being in our County of *Bladen*

On the South side of Downing Creek and South side of Ashpole Swamp and West side of Jones Mill Branch Beginning at a Pine near the head of a small Branch about a quarter of a Mile from Ashpole Swamp Running West One hundred and Ten Poles to a stake among three Pines Pointing then South Two hundred and Twenty Poles to a stake among two Pines and a white Oak Pointing thence East One hundred and Ten Poles to a stake then direct to the Beginning

as by the Plat hereunto annexed doth appear; together with all Woods, Waters, Mines, Minerals, Hereditaments, and Appurtenances, to the said Land belonging or appertaining: To hold to the said

Robert Jones his Heirs and Assigns, for ever. Yielding and paying to us such Sums of Money yearly, or otherwise, as our General Assembly from Time to Time may direct. PROVIDED ALWAYS, That the said *Robert Jones* shall cause this Grant to

be registered in the Register's Office of our said County of *Bladen* within Twelve Months from the Date hereof, otherwise the same shall be void and of no Effect.

IN TESTIMONY whereof, we have caused our Great Seal to be hereunto affixed. WITNESS *RICHARD CASWELL*, Esquire, our Governor, Captain-General, and Commander in Chief, at *Kingston*, the *Twentieth* Day of *November* in the *fourth* Year of our Independence, and in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and *Twenty nine*

By His Excellency's Command

Chas. Lee

R. Caswell