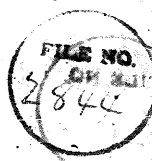


STATE of NORTH-CAROLINA.

No. 359

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 *Thomas Dawson*
have Given and Granted, and by these
Presents do Give and Grant unto the said *Thomas Dawson*
a Tract of Land, containing

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

*On the West side of Brown Marsh Swamp and on both sides
of Bigfords Branch Beginning on the East side of the said
Branch at a small Pine Running North One hundred and
Twenty seven Poles to a white Oak and a stake, then West
One hundred and Twenty seven Poles to a stake then
South One hundred and Twenty seven Poles to a stake
then East One hundred and Twenty seven Poles 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

Thomas Dawson 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

Thomas Dawson 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*, Es-
quire, our Governor, Captain-General, and Commander in Chief, at
Kingston, the *fourth* 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

J. Glasgow Sec.

R. Caswell