

to the said Joseph Pollard a Negroe Girl Hannah Daughter
of Jack and Mary Anne to hold the said Negroe Girl and
her future Increase to the said Joseph Pollard his Executors
and adm^r in trust to and for the use of the said Anne Dandridge
during her natural life and after her death to the use of
her Child or Children equally to be divided if She shall leave
any but if She shall leave no Child living at her death then
to the use of such Child or Children of me the said Nathaniel
West Dandridge to whom the said Anne shall give or dispose
of the same by her Deed or will or any writing purporting to
be her deed or Will or in default of such disposition to such Child
ren equally to be divided! In Witness whereof I have hereunto
Set my hand and Seal this seventh day of May One thousand
seven hundred and eighty
Sealed and delivered
in presence of us — }
James Meriwether,
John Gurd,

W^m Dandridge. J^r

At a Court held for Goochland County June the 19th 1780.
This Deed Poll was presented in Court, and admitted to Record;

Teste Val Woodhull

Recorded by J. Tappin 1781

This Indenture Made this twentieth day of
November in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred
and Eighty Between John Farrar and Mary his Wife
and Joseph Farrar & Sarah his Wife of the County of Gooch-
land of the one part, and Benjamin Hughes of the same

County of the other part Witnesseth that the s^d John
 Farrar and Mary his Wife. Also the s^d Joseph Farrar and
 Sarah his Wife for and in the Consideration of the Sum of
 Sep hundred and fifty five pounds Current money in hand
 paid the receipt thereof they doth hereby acknowledge hath
 Granted, Bargained, and Sold, and by these presents doth
 Grant, Bargain, and Sell, unto the s^d Benjamin Hughes
 his Heirs & assigns forever one certain tract or parcel of Land
 containing Ninety one Acres, Situate lying and being on
 Such-hoe Creek and bounded by the Lines of Anderson
 Pers. Tho^s Harding, W^m Farrar, and the said Benja-
 min Hughes, all Woods, Water & Water Courses profits &
 emoluments whatsoever to the said Land belonging or in
 anywise appertaining the Reversion & reversions Remainders
 and Remainders and every part and parcel thereof and all
 the Estate Right title or Interest, of them the s^d John Farrar
 Joseph Farrar and their Wives of in and to the said Bargain
 & premises, and every part and parcel thereof To have and
 to Hold the said Tract or parcel of Land and all and singu-
 lar the premises with the appurtenances, unto the said Benja-
 min Hughes his Heirs and assigns and to the only proper
 use of him the said Benjamin Hughes Heirs and assigns and
 the said John Farrar and Mary his Wife and Joseph Farrar &
 Sarah his Wife their Heirs and assigns with Warrant and forever
 defend the said Benjamin Hughes and his Heirs and assigns
 in fee simple in the said Tract of Land against all persons what-
 soever Claiming any Right title or Interest in or to the same, and
 the said Benjamin Hughes his Heirs and assigns shall and may
 for ever hereafter peaceably enjoy, have hold and possess the premises
 with the appurtenances without Lett, Suit, or molestation from any
 person or persons whatsoever In Witness whereof we have here
 unto set our hands and affixed our Seals the day and year

as above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of us

John Hines William Willis
Tarlton Hughes William Neaves

John Farrar Seal
Mary ^{his} + Farrar Seal
Joseph ^{mark} Farrar Seal
Sarah Farrar Seal

Memor.^m That the day and Year within written peaceable and Quiet
possession by Living and Seized of the within mentioned premises was
first had & taken by J^r. Farrar and Joseph Farrar and their
Wives and by them delivered up to Benjamin Hughes
In presence of us

John Farrar Seal
Mary ^{his} + Farrar Seal
^{mark}

Joseph Farrar Seal
Sarah Farrar Seal

Rec^d the day and Year within written of Ben^g. Hughes Six Hun^d
2.^d & fifty five pounds Current money in full for the within Granted
Lands and premises

In presence of us

John Hines Tarlton Hughes
William Willis William Neaves

At a Court held for Ceciliana County Feby, the 19th 1781.

William Willis and Tarlton Hughes, proved this Deed with the Living
of seizin endorsed to be the acts & deeds of John Farrar & Mary Farrar
Joseph Farrar, & Sarah Farrar, with were Cont^d for further proof

Test^e Cal. McCaffrey

Aug^t Court 1781. M^{rs} Meaves fully proved this Deed which
is ord. to be Recorded

Testo
G Payne Clk^t,

This Indenture made this fifteenth day of August
in the Year of Christ One thousand Seven Hundred and eighty
one Between Seth Hatcher of the County of Powhatan of
the one part, and Joseph Woodson of the County of Goochland
of the other part, Witnesseth that the said Seth Hatcher for
divers good Causes and considerations him thereunto moving but
more especially for the valuable consideration of Three Hundred
pounds to be paid in Specie unto the said Seth Hatcher by the said
Joseph Woodson at or before the enscating and delivery of these
presents the Receipt whereof the said Seth Hatcher doth hereby
acknowledge and himself there with fully satisfied contented &
paid hath Bargained, Sold, aliened, Enfeoffed and confirmed
and by these presents doth bargain Sell alien Enfeoff and Confirm
unto the said Joseph Woodson and to his Heirs and assigns for
ever, one certain tract Dividend or parcel of Land Situate lying
and being in the County of Goochland adjoining the Lands of
Major Tho^s Harris, the Lands of Daniel Bates, the Lands of
Richard Crouch, the Lands of Barrett Price and the Land
of Joseph Woodson, Containing by Estimation one Hundred
and fifty Acres, be the same more or less the said Land was
purchased by Josiah Hatcher dec^d. of Alex^r M^r Leach and
Ralph Graves. To Have and to Hold the said Lands and
premises with all its appurtenances thereunto belonging or
in any wise appurtenant unto the said Joseph Woodson

and to his Heirs and assigns for ever, to the only proper use benefit
and behoof of him the said Joseph Woodson and his Heirs and
assigns for ever and the said Seth Hatcher doth hereby acknowledge
that he hath a good authentic right in fee simple in the above mention
ed Land, and premises to sell and convey the same which by these
presents I have Sold unto the said Joseph Woodson his Heirs and
assigns for ever, with all Buildings and every other emolument
belonging or appertaining unto the said above sold Land and the
said Seth Hatcher doth hereby warrant the above granted Lands and
premises and appurtenances against himself and his Heirs for
ever, and against the Claim Challenge or demand of all and every
person or persons whatsoever unto the said Joseph Woodson and his
Heirs and assigns for ever shall will & do the same warrant and
for ever will defend In witness whereof I have hereunto Set my
hand and Seal the day and Year above written
Signed Sealed & delivered }

in presence of ————
Will: Tamar John Woodson Seth Hatcher
Gideon Hatcher Tho: Hatcher

AB word (Enfeoffed) in ninth line and the word bargain in the same
line and the words (and premises) in nineteenth line before signing

Memorandum that on the fifteenth day of August in the
year of Christ one thousand Seven Hundred & eighty one that
peaceable and quiet possession and Sign of the within Lands
and premises was had and taken by the within mentioned
Seth Hatcher and by him delivered unto the said Joseph Wood
son in their proper persons according to the tenor form and
effect of the within written Deed in presence of

Will: Tamar John Woodson Seth Hatcher
Gideon Hatcher Tho: Hatcher

Received August fifteenth one thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty one, of Joseph Woodson Three Hundred pounds in Specie being in full satisfaction for the within granted Lands and promises.

Will: Tamar John Woodson Seth Hatcher Seal
Gideon Hatcher Tho: Hatcher

August Court 1781. this Deed with the Survey of Sixⁿ and two^d endorsed from Seth Hatcher to Joseph Woodson was proved by the oaths three Witnesses which was thereupon admitted to Record

Jesse G. Payne teller

Witnessed at
at Cambridge
This Indenture made the Seventh day of April in the year of Christ one thousand Seven Hundred and eighty one Between John Johnson and Anne his Wife of the County of Goochland of the one part and Philip Childers of the same County of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Johnson and Anne his Wife for and in consideration of the Sum of two hundred pounds Current money of Virginia to the said John Johnson in hand paid by the said Philip Childers the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged that the said John Johnson and Anne his Wife have granted, bargained and sold, aliened and confirmed and by these presents do grant, Bargain and sell, alien, and Confirm unto the said Philip Childers his Heirs and assigns, one certain tract or parcel of Land Situate lying and being in the said

County of Goodland on the waters of the broad branch of ¹⁰⁷
Tuckahoe Creek, containing by a late survey of Joseph Wat-
kins two hundred and seventy six Acres be the same more or less
and bounded by the lines of Randal Roundtree, Robert Wade
John Hutchins, John Ford, Joseph Mayo, Charles Johnson
the orphans of William Roundtree, deced., it being the Land
whereon James Johnson, father of the above named John
Johnson formerly lived, and now in the possession of the s^d Philip
Childers together with all Lands Houses buildings, Gardens, Orchards,
Trees, Woods, Profits, Commodities, Hereditaments and appur-
tenances whatsoever to the said tract or parcel of Land and premises
belonging or in ^{any}wise appertaining, and the reversion and rever-
sions remainder and remainders Rents and profits of the
same and every part thereof and all the Estate right, title Interest
+ property claim and demand whatsoever of them the said
John Johnson & Anne his Wife, of in and to the aforesaid tract
or parcel of Land & to every part and parcel thereof To Have
and to Hold the aforesaid Tract or parcel of Land, and all and
singular the premises above mentioned unto the said Philip Childers
his Heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of him the
said Philip Childers his Heirs and assigns forever, and the
said John Johnson for himself his Heirs Executors and ad-
ministrators doth covenant and agree to and with the said
Philip Childers his Heirs and assigns that he the said Philip
Childers his Heirs & assigns may forever hereafter have hold use
occupy possess and enjoy all the aforesaid tract or parcel of Land
and premises with all and singular the appurtenances with-
out the trouble let Suit, hindrance molestation or denial of him
the said John Johnson his Heirs or assigns and that he the said
John Johnson is seized at the time of sealing and delivery of
these presents of good and indefeasible estate of inheritance in fee

Single in the above mentioned Land & premises & every part & parcel thereof free and clear of all former bargains, Sales, jointures, dowers and incumbrances whatsoever and the said John Johnson for himself and his Heirs the aforesaid tract or parcel of Land and premises and every part and parcel thereof against himself & his Heirs and against all and every other person and persons whatsoever unto the said Philip Childers his Heirs and assigns shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents In Wit-
ness whereof the said John Johnson and Anne his Wife have hereunto set their hands and affixed their Seals the day and year first above written

Signed Sealed and delivered } Jo. Johnson Seal
in presence of ----- }
Stephen Sampson Anne Johnson Seal

Peter Fitzgerald
W^m. Sampson

Mem^d that the words "and now in the possession of the said Philip Childers" were interlined before signing & sealing

Rec^d of the within named Philip Childers this 7th day of April 1781
the Sum of two Hundred pounds Current money being the full consideration for the within Bargained & Sold Lands & premises.

Witness. —

Rec^d by me

Jo. Johnson

Augst Court 1781. John Johnson acknowledged this Deed with the tract endorsed to be his Acts & deeds which was ordered to be Recorded,

Teste G. Payne Cl. Ct.

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In the Name of God. I John Evans of the County
of Goodland being in a very low State of Health, but in perfect sense
and Memory do ordain this my last Will and testament in manner
and form following. Item. my will and desire is that all my just
debts be first paid out of my estate and that my Children be Educated and
maintained out of the same

Item. I lend to my beloved Wife Frances Evans the free use of all my
estate during her natural life, and at her decease, the Land Computed
to be one Hundred and thirty three Acres, I give to my Son Archibald
Evans to him and his Heirs forever

Item. my desire is that all my estate except the Land at the decease of
my Wife shall be equally divided between my two Children Archibald
and Anne to them and their Heirs for ever

Item. I do hereby appoint my friend Matthew Woodson Executor
of this my last will and testament revoking all other wills heretofore by
me made as Witnesses my hand and Seal this twenty third day of
May in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and
eighty one

In presence of,

Elliott Lacy
Martha Evans

John Evans seal

August Court 1781. This writing was presented in Court, & was
be the last will & testament of John Evans. Decd & was thereupon admitted
to Records

Teste G. Payne Clerk

Yerchland County

October Court 1780.

On the motion of Jesse Blackwell one of the Legatees of the last will and Testament of William Whitlow dec^d. Matthew Vacoohan Gent. Anderson Peers. & Stockley Towles, or any two of them are appointed, to divide the testators estate agreeable to the said Will, & return the same to the next Court.

Teste Val^r Mos Alther

In obedience to the ordered order we have settled that part of the estate that was devised to Jane Crow as follows, to Jesse Blackwell who intermarried with Mary Crow, two Negroes named Pheby and Rachel, and to Sarah Crow one Negro named Hannah and twenty five hundred pounds of N. B. to receive of said Blackwell.

Feb. 26th 1781.

Anderson Peers
Stockley Towles

This Indenture made this first day of September in the Year of our Lord MDCCLXXXI. Between Robert Coleman of the County of Yerchland on the one part & John Williams of the same County on the other part Witnesseth, that the said Robert Coleman for & in Consideration of the sum of Fifty thousand current money to him in hand paid by the said John Williams the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge, hath given, granted, bargained & Sold, & by these presents do give, grant, Bargain, & Sell to the said John Williams his Heirs and assigns for ever a certain tract or parcel of Land with the appurte-

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nances thereunto belonging, containing Eighty Acres by estimation
be the same more or less as bounded as follows. Beginning at a Corner
spanish Oak in Edward Seruys Line. thence along Hoppers line,
to the Corner, on the path a little black Sack, from thence along Hoppers
path crossing the Road to Mullens line coming on a little Hickory
thence on the S. Mullens line, to Seruys line, and from thence
to the first Station. To have and to hold the said tract of Land
with the appurtenances unto the said John Williams his Heirs
and assigns forever and the S. Robert Coleman for himself &
his Heirs, the aforesaid tract of Land with the appurtenances aforesaid
unto the S. John Williams his Heirs & assigns against all persons
whomsoever, well warrant & by these presents forever defend in Writings,
whereof the said Robert Coleman hath hereunto set his hand, & given
his Seal the day and year above written

Signe Seale & delivance
in presence of

Robert Coleman

Recd. this 1st day of September 1781. the Sum of Fifty thousand pounds
Court money of the within manor John Williams it being the full Consider-
ation money for the within mortgage Land & premises

Robert Coleman

Sept. Court 1781. Robert Coleman acknowledge this Indenture
with the recd. Indorsement to be his Acts & Deeds which was received to
be Recorded

Wm. G. Payne C. C.

This Indenture made this twenty first day of May, in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven Hundred & Eighty one Between Robert Coleman on the one part & John Williams on the other part. Witnesseth that the sd Robert Coleman for & in consideration of the Sum of Five Hundred pounds — Court money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said John Williams the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge, hath given, granted, bargained, sold & by these presents do give, grant, bargain & sell unto the said John Williams his Heirs, and assigns forever a certain tract or parcel of Land with the appurtenances therunto belonging lying & being in the County of Gloucester & containing by estimation one Hundred and twenty Acres be the same more or less and bounded as follows Beginning at the mouth of the Middle Creek, thence up the sd Creek to Robert Pearsons, Gideon Galloway, & John Mullins Corner, thence along the sd Mullins line to where the Corners with Edward Snuggs, & William Wright, thence along the sd Wrights line, a South course to a Corner on Snuggs hole Creek, thence down the sd Creek as it Meanders to the first Station, To have and to hold the sd tract of Land with the appurtenances, unto the said John Williams his Heirs & assigns forever, & the sd Robert Coleman for himself & his Heirs, the aforesaid tract of Land with the appurtenances aforesaid unto the sd John Williams his Heirs & assigns against all persons whomsoever well want & by these presents forever defend In Witness whereof the sd Robert Coleman hath hereunto set his name and affixed his Seal the day and year above written

Signed Sealed & delivered
in presence of

Robert Coleman Seal

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Gideon Hatcher
John Guernant jr.
Tho. Miller ~

Memo, that on the day of the date of the within written Indenture
peaceable and quiet possession of Livery & seizen was had and taken
of the mentioned Land and premises by the within names Robert
Coleman & by him delivered unto the within name John Williams
according to the true Intent & meaning of the within Deed

In presence of
Gideon Hatcher
Tho. Miller
John Guernant jr.

Robert Coleman

Recd. this 21st day of May 1781, the Sum of Two Hundred pounds
Cash money of the within name John Williams
it being the full Consideration money for the within mentioned Land
and premises

Gideon Hatcher
Tho. Miller
John Guernant jr.

Robert Coleman

Sept^r Court 1781. Robert Coleman Acknowledged this Deed with the
Lot & Grant Indorse to be his acts & Deeds, which was o.k. to be
Recorded

John G. Payne Clerk

This Indenture made this xxth day August
 in the year of our Lord mdcclxxxj Between Robert Cole-
 man of the County of Gloucester on the one part & John
 Hopper of the same County on the other part Witnesseth
 that the said Robert Coleman for and in Consideration of
 the Sum of twenty Thousand pounds ———— Curr^t. mo-
 ney to him in hand paid by the said John Hopper the
 Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath given grant
 Bargained and Sold & by these presents do give grant
 bargain and Sell to the said John Hopper his Heirs & assigns
 forever a certain tract or parcel of Land with the appurtenan-
 ces therunto belong Containing by Estimation Ten Acres
 be the same more or less & bounded as follows Beginning
 at a Cornu Pine in Scuggs line, thence along the s^d line
 to a Spanish Oak from thence to the path, thence along
 the path to the Road crossing the said Road to a Mullins
 line, to a Corner red oak, thence a West course to a Corner pine
 at the Head of a Branch, thence down the Branch to the s^d
 Hoppers former line Cornu on a White Oak, thence along the
 s^d line to the first Station To have and to hold this
 tract of Land with the appurtenances unto the said John
 Hopper his Heirs & assigns forever, and the said Robert Cole-
 man for himself & his Heirs the aforesaid tract of Land with
 the appurtenances aforesaid unto the said John Hopper his
 Heirs & assigns against all persons whomsoever well warranted
 & by these presents forever release In Witness whereof the s^d
 Robert Coleman ——— hath hereunto set his hand and affix-
 ed his Seal the day and year as above written ———
 Signed Sealed & delivered }
 in presence of ——— }

Robert Coleman Seal

Recd. this 22.th day of August MDCCXXXI the Sum of twenty
 Thousand pounds — Cash money of the within Name John
 Hopper it being the full Consideration money for the within mention
 ed Land and premises —
 Robert Coleman

Sept.^r Court 1781. Rob.^t Coleman Acknowledges this Dece with
 the Rec.^d Indorsees to be his Acts & Deeds which was Ord.^d to be
 Recorded
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 G. Payne Clk.

This Indenture made the twenty three day of
 December in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred Eighty
 Between William Mesely of the County of Gloucester and parish
 of St. James South ham of the one part, and Solomon
 Williams of the same County and parish of the other part Witness
 that & the said William Mesely for and in Consideration of
 the Sum of four Thousand pounds in hand paid before the Sealing
 and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof I do hereby Ack
 nowledge hath given, granted, bargained, sold, aliened, conveyed
 and made over, and by these presents for me my heirs and
 successors, do give, grant, bargain, sell, alien, Convey and
 make over unto Solomon Williams in fee simple and
 his heirs forever one certain tract or parcel of Land contain
 ing thirteen Acres lying in the County of Gloucester in the

branches of the little Joyce Creek & brande as follows Viz
 by Tho: Mappes Lands on the North and West sides by
 Stephen Davys on the South Side & William Poffett on the
 East side With all Houses, Gardens, Orchards, Fences, Springs
 water and water courses and all the estate right title use and
 property of the William Moseley and my Heirs, of or unto
 the premises and the reversion and accensions, remainder and
 remainders of or unto the premises, with their and every of their
 appurtenances To have and to hold the sixe thutteen
 Acres of Land to the same more or less according to the quan-
 tity I thus possess and all other the before granted premises
 with their and every of their appurtenances unto the said
 Solomon Williams and his Heirs forever against me
 the said William Moseley and my Heirs, and all Char-
 ming or Claims, right by from or under me them or any
 of them have or shall pretend to have I will warrant and for-
 ever defend by virtue of these presents In Witness where-
 of I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the day and
 year above written

Signed Sealed and delivered
 in presence of

W. Head

William Moseley Seal

William J. Norton

William Matthews

Memorandum that quiet and peaceable possession of the Land
 and premises within mentioned was given by William
 Moseley one of the parties within mentioned unto Sol-
 mon Williams the other party within mentioned ac-
 cording to the true effect and honest interpretation of the within

written Indenture the day and year within written In Witness where
of I assign the same
Signed and Sealed and
delivered in presence of

William Mosley Seal

J. M. Keag

William J. C. Norton

December 23. 1780. Received of Solomon Williams four hundred
and seventy pounds current money money of Virginia in full satisfaction
of all demands for the lands of which this is the deed

Witness

J. M. Keag

William Mosley

Augst Court 1781. This deed with Livery of seizin & Act. in law
from W^m Mosley to Sol^r Williams was proved by the oaths of the
witnesses which is continued for further proof

Attest G. Payne Clk.

Sept^r Court 1781. fully proved & ordered to be Recorded

Attest G. Payne Clk.

session of the Law
by William
and unto Sol^r
mentioned accor-
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This Indenture made this sixteenth day of Sep-
 tember one thousand seven hundred and Eighty one Between
 William Isbell of Goochland County of the one part & Tho-
 mas Maysie Jun^r and his wife Elizabeth of the other part.
 Witnesseth that the said Thomas Maysie for & in Con-
 sideration of the sum of one thousand pounds
 Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said
 William Isbell at or before the sealing and delivery of these
 presents the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath
 Bargained & Sold unto William Isbell one Certain tract or
 parcel of Land lying and being in the County aforesaid & con-
 taining by estimation two hundred and twenty nine & a half Acres
 be the same more or less & bounded as followeth to wit Begin-
 ning at point on Daniel Grubbs line, thence on the said Grubbs &
 William Martens lines to point, thence on Anderson Parishes
 line to Veniguns etc line, thence straight on Anne Spungers
 line to a corner pine, thence a straight line to the beginning. To have
 hold & possessably to enjoy the aforesaid two hundred and twenty
 nine & a half Acres of Land above bounded with all Houses, Orchards,
 Gardens, Ways, Waters, Improvements & with all and singular
 the Improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in any
 wise appurtenant free from the claim right & title of him the said
 Thomas Maysie his heirs executors administrators or assigns or any other
 person or persons whatsoever to the only proper Use and behoof of him
 the said William Isbell his heirs executors administrators & assigns
 forever & the said Thomas Maysie doth for himself his heirs &c.
 covenant promise & agree that he will from time to time & at all
 times hereafter against all persons whatsoever the right & title of
 the above mentioned tract of Land & premises warrant & forever
 defend to the said William Isbell his heirs Executors adminis-

tators
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 This M.
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hators & assigns free from the claim & demand of any person
or persons whatsoever In Witness whereof the said Thomas Maspie
his Wife Elizabeth hath hereunto Set their hands and Seals in
the days and year first above written
Signed Sealed & Delivered
in presents of -

Thomas Maspie J^r Seal

Received Septemb^r 16th 1781. of William Isbell One thousand
pounds Current money in full. for the within m^{ts} of
of Land

Thomas Maspie

Mem^o: This day peaceable and quiet Possession of the within
mentioned tract of Land & Premises was given unto William
Isbell & Heirs by Thomas Maspie having full satisfaction for
the same

Thomas Maspie

Sept^r Court 1781. Thomas Maspie acknowledges this Court
with the L. of S. & Test. Amos to be his act and deed
which was ordered to be Recorded

Test. G. Payne Clk

This Indenture made the seventeenth day
 of September in the year of our Lord one thousand seven Hundred
 and eighty between Thomas Mappie and Elizabeth his wife
 of the County of Gloucester two of the parties, and Jesse Payne
 of the said County of the other part Witnesseth that we the said
 Thomas Mappie and Elizabeth his Wife for and in Considera-
 tion of the Sum of five thousand pounds Current money of
 Virginia, to him in hand paid by the said Payne, the receipt
 whereof we doth hereby acknowledge hath given, granted, bargain-
 ed, sold, aliened, enfeoffed, confirmed, and made over and by
 these presents, doth give, grant, bargain, sell, alien, enfeoff con-
 firm, and make over, unto the said Payne & his Heirs for ever
 one Certain tract or parcel of Land, containing seventy five Acres
 lying in the said County and is bounded as followeth Viz. Begin-
 ing at a Hickory and white oak near a small road and running
 thence South eighty seven degrees East forty six poles to a large
 stone in the old field thence South Seventy five degrees East six-
 ty poles to a road called Majors Mill Road at a pine one rose &
 white oak the other then along the road towards Majors mill South
 ten degrees West eighty poles to a red oak at the forks of Majors
 mill road at Nath: Hollons path thence South forty five degrees
 West twelve poles still along the road South twenty nine degrees
 West thirty four poles to a pine and white oak, thence left the road
 & went North seventy three degrees west thirty two poles to a white
 oak near a large poplar in a branch, thence South eighty eight &
 a half degrees west, twenty four poles to a white and rose oak down
 the branch, thence North seventy degrees west fourteen poles, thence
 South sixty five degrees west twenty nine poles crossing the branch
 to a Hickory in the old line thence on the same North eleven and half
 degrees East to beginning with all houses, Orchards, Gardens,

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fences, Springs, waters and water courses, and all the estate, title use
and property of us Thomas Maysie and Elizabeth his wife and our
heirs of or unto the premises and the reversion and reversions, remain-
der and remainders of or unto the premises with their and every of their
appurtenances To have and to hold possess and enjoy the
said seventy five acres of land be the same more or less according
to the bounds aforesaid and other the before granted premises with
their and every of their appurtenances unto the said Payne and his
heirs forever, to the only use and behoof of him the said Payne his
heirs and assigns forever & we Thomas & Elizabeth Maysie his wife
both hereby Covenant and agree for ourselves our heirs executors, and
administrators that we will warrant the said Land and all other the
before granted premises, and every part thereof with their appurtenan-
ces thenceunto belonging unto the said Payne and his heirs and assigns
for ever against us the said Thomas & Elizabeth Maysie his wife
and our heirs & all claiming or to claim, right by from or under us the said
or any of them have or shall pretend to have we will warrant and
for ever defend by Virtue of these presents. In Witness whereof we
have hereunto set our hands, and seals the day and year above written
Signed, Sealed, and delivered
in presence of _____ }
Thomas Maysie

Memorandum that quiet and peaceable possession of the
Lands & premises within mentioned was had and taken by Thomas
& Elizabeth Maysie his wife two of the parties within mentioned
& by them given to the said Jesse Payne the other party within men-
tioned according to the true effect & honest interpretation of the within writ-
ten Indenture in Witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands
& seals the day and year within written
Signed Sealed & delivered in presence of } Thomas Maysie

Received this Seventeenth day of September one thousand seven
Hundred and Eighty one the Sum of five Thousand pounds
Current money being the Consideration money within menti-
-oned. I say recd. of me
Thomas Massie J^r

Sept^r Court 1781. Thomas Massie acknowledges this one
with the L. of S. & T. endorser to be his acts & goods which
was ordered to be Recorded

Teste
G. Payne tellt.

This Indenture made this 2^d day of August in the
year of our Lord one thousand seven Hundred and Eighty one
Between John Williams on the one part, & Turner Christian on
the other part Witneseth that the said John Williams for & in con-
-sideration of the Sum of Ten thousand pounds Current money
of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Turner Chris-
-tian the receipt whereof he hath hereby acknowledge hath given
granted, Bargained & Sold & by these presents do give, grant,
Bargain & Sell, to the said Turner Christian his heirs & assign-
-ees for ever a Certain tract or parcel of Land with the appurten-
-ances thereunto belonging containing by estimation two
Hundred and thirty five Acres lying in the County of Gooch-
-land & on the Branches of the Little 13 yd Creek bounded by
the Lands of George Payne, John Howard, James Howard

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William Parrish, William Hig, & Thomas Craddock, Dees,
Do have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land
with the appurtenances unto the said Turner Christian his
Heirs & assigns forever & the said John Williams for him self
and his Heirs. the aforesaid tract or parcel of land with
the appurtenances aforesaid unto the said Turner Christian his
Heirs & assigns against all persons whomsoever with warrants and
by their presents for ever defense In Witness whereof the said
John Williams hath hereunto Set his hand, and affixed his
Seal the day and year above written
Signed Sealed & delivered }
in presence of ————— } John Williams Seal

Memo^o that on the day of the date of the within written & signa-
ture peaceable & quiet possession of livery and seisin was had &
taken of the within mentioned Land & premises by the within named
John Williams & by him delivered to the within named Turner
Christian according to the true intent and meaning of the with-
in Deed
In presence of John Williams

Received this 20th day of August 1781. of the within named Turner
Christian the sum of Ten thousand pounds Curr. money it being the
full consideration money for the within Land & premises

John Williams

Sept^r Court 1781. John Williams acknowledge this In-
strument with the livery of seisin & Test. endorse to be his
Acts and Deeds which was ordered to be Recorded.

Teste
G. Payne Clk. Ct.

In the name God Amen, I Valentine Wood, of the
County of Goochland, and parish of St. James Northham being
in his perfect senses do make and ordain my last will and testa-
ment in manner and form following.

Inquirmen. I lend unto my beloved Wife Lucy Wood during her natural
life the plantation I purchase of Mr. William Merciother in Gooch-
land County as also a small tract I bought of Jesse Godges a join-
ing the said tract and after her decease bequeath and devise the said
lands with all my lands in the said County unto my Son Henry
Wood to him and his Heirs forever.

Item. devise and bequeath to my Son Valentine Wood, all my lands in
the County of Albemarle laying on the North River and Back Island
Creek to him and his Heirs forever.

Item. I devise and bequeath unto my Son John Wood, my land and plan-
tation in Louisa County, called Forked Creek to him and his Heirs forever.

Item. I devise and bequeath unto my Son William Wood, a tract of Land
I purchase of Mr. Nicholas Merciother by patent granted unto
the said Merciother by his Excellency Thomas Jefferson Governor of our
Common Wealth to him and his Heirs forever I order and direct prop-
riety that my three Sons before mentioned purchase for my Son William
Wood a tract of Land of six or eight hundred Acres and make him

a fee simple to the same

Item. I give unto my Son Henry Wood a Mulatto Boy name Sam.
and my Gold Watch with my Mahoggoni Desk and Book Cases.
with half my Library of Books to him and his Heirs forever

Item. I give unto my Son Valentine Wood my Mulatto Boy name
Simon with my Fathers old Desk and the remaing part of my Books
together with my large Watch to him and his Heirs forever

Item. I give unto my Son John Wood a Mulatto Boy name Moses with
my small Watch to him and his Heirs forever

Item. I give unto my Son William Wood my Mulatto Boy name Bob
and desire a Watch may be purchased out of the profits of the estate
for him to him and his Heirs forever

Item. I give unto my Daughter Martha Wood a Mulatto Girl name
Beth. and my Harpsicord to her and her Heirs forever

Item. I give unto my Daughter Mary Wood a Mulatto Girl name
Amie, to her and her Heirs forever

Item. I give unto my daughter Lucy Wood. a Mulatto Girl name
Ada. to her and her Heirs forever

Item. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Jane Wood a Mulatto
Girl name Suky to her and her Heirs forever

Item my desire is all the remainder of my Negroes be divided into nine
equal lots. and that my said Wife Lucy Wood have her first
Choice and to keep them during her natural life and at her death to
be divided amongst my forsaid eight Children to them and their
Heirs forever

Item. I give and bequeath unto my said Wife Lucy Wood all my
House hold and Kitchen furniture twenty head of cattle half
my Stock of Hogs in in Goodland County and all my
Stock of Sheep to her own disposal

Item my will and desire is that my Children be educated as
well as the Circumstances of my estate will allow

and lastly I revoke all other wills by one heretofore made in any manner whatsoever and do appoint my friend Rich. and James & his eldest son with my Overseer Thomas May six executors to this my last will & Testament. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this tenth day of March One thousand seven hundred and eighty one

Signed Sealed published and declared by the testator, to be his last Will and Testament in presence of the witnesses hereunto subscribed — — — — —

William Mercowether

Samuel Lemay

Mary Limby

Val. Wood Seal

Sept. Court 1781 This writing was presented in Court and proved by the Oathes of W^m Mercowether and Samuel Lemay to be the last Will and testament of Valentine Wood Decd, and was thereupon admitted to Record

Teste G. Payne Clk.

This Indenture made this 14th day of July One thousand Seven hundred and eighty one Between Stephen Davis of Good Land County of the one parts and William Thurston of the same County of the other part Witnesses; that the said Stephen Davis for and in Consideration of the Sum of twenty pounds Current money of Virginia to me in hand paid, and for which I grant receipt to bargain sell and make over as I by these presents have bargained

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 Sold and made over to the said William Thurston his Heirs Executors ad-
 ministrators or assigns a tract or parcel of Land lying and being
 in Goochland County containing twenty Acres be the same more or less
 and bounded as followeth VIZ. beginning at a corner poplar betwix William
 Thurston and John Davis and from thence up John Davis line to a
 Post Oak Saplin and from thence a strait run line down to Payns Road
 to a corner pine, and from thence down the Road to John Thurstons line
 on the said Road together with all woods, underwoods, marshes, meadows, waters
 and water Courses upon upon the same and I the said Stephen Davis by
 these presents make over to the said William Thurston his Heirs Executors ad-
 ministrators or assigns my full right and title in the premises to have
 and to hold the said parcel of Land from thence forth as his, heirs
 right absolutely and without any manner of Condition and Charge
 quit Claim and all & every demand whatever I ever had or might pretend to
 have in the premises and shall warrant maintain and defend the tract or
 parcel of Land to the said William Thurston his Heirs etc. administrators
 or assigns his & their right and title in the same against any person or
 persons claiming afterwards pretending to Claim the premises or any
 part thereof In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal
 day month year above written

Signed sealed & delivered

Stephen Davis Seal

in presence of

William Proffitt

Seal ^{his} Williams
mark

Stephen ^{his} Jones
mark

Mary ^{his} Jones
mark

Samuel Proffitt

Sept. Court 1781. Stephen Davis Acknowledged this Indenture to be
 his acts & Deeds which was ordered to be Recorded

John G. Payne Clerk

This Indenture made this 17. day of September in
 the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty one
 Between William Hughes Lacy and Martha his Wife of Gooch-
 land County of the one part and John Johnson of Stevanna
 County of the other part. Witnesseth that the said W.^m Hughes Lacy
 and Martha his Wife for and in Consideration of the Sum of forty
 pounds — of Lawfull money of Virginia by him the s.^d John
 Johnson to him the said W.^m H. Lacy in hand paid before the sealing
 and delivery hereof the receipt whereof he the said W.^m H. Lacy and
 Martha his Wife doth hereby acknowledge and thereof doth acquit &
 discharge the said John Johnson his Heirs executors and adminis-
 trators hath granted, bargained, sold, Enfeoffed and Confirmed and
 by these presents doth grant, bargain, sell, enfeoff and confirm unto
 the said John Johnson his Heirs and assigns one Certain tract or
 parcel of Land lying and being in Goochland County containing
 by estimation one hundred Acres be the same more or less and bound-
 ed as followeth to wit: Beginning at a Corner piece on Daniel Gubbers
 line thence on his line to a Corner post on Tho.^s Maguies line, thence
 running on his line to pointens standing in a branch, thence on a run-
 ning line to pointens on Daniel Gubbers line, thence on his line to the first
 Station, and the reversion, and reversions, remainder, and remainder rents,
 Issues and Profits thereof with the appurtenances To have and
 to hold the said Messuages plantation and tract of Land with the
 appurtenances unto the said John Johnson his Heirs and assigns for-
 ever and the said W.^m H. Lacy and Martha his wife for ourselves our
 Heirs &c. doth Covenant promise and agree, to & with the said John John-
 son his Heirs &c. that the premises Every part thereof with the appurtenan-
 ces are free and discharged from all manner of incumbrances and that
 the s.^d John Johnson his Heirs &c. for and withstanding any act or
 thing by him the said William H. Lacy & Martha his wife our

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Heirs or assigns or any other person Committee done or suffered shall or lawfully
may forever hereafter have hold use Occupy possess and enjoy the same
and every part thereof with the appurtenances without the Lawfull let, mole-
station or eviction of him the said W^m R. Lacy and Martha his wife, or
heirs or assigns or any other person whatsoever In Witness whereof the said
W^m R. Lacy and Martha his wife to these presents have set their hands &
Seals the day and year above written — —

Signed Sealed and delivered }
in the presence of us — — }

William R. Lacy

Martha ^{his} _{wife} Lacy

Received on the day of the date of the within written Indenture of the with
in name John Johnson the sum of Forty pounds current money of
being the Consideration money within mentioned I say received by me

W^m Hughes Lacy Secy

Memorandum that on the day of the date of the within written
Indenture full and peaceable seison & possession of the within ment-
ed Land and premises with the appurtenances was had and taken by us
the within mentioned William R. Lacy and Martha Lacy his wife
and by us given and delivered unto the within name John Johnson
witness our hands

Witness

W^m Hughes Lacy Secy

Sept. 7 Court 1781. William R. Lacy and Martha his wife acknow-
ledge this Deed to be their Acts & Deeds; the S^r Martha also acknowledging
right of dower, which was ordered to be Recorded

Edmund Legwood to James Vaughan 1887

This Indenture made the fifth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty one Between Edmund Legwood and Mary his Wife of the County of Peshawar of the one part and James Vaughan of the County of New Kent of the other part Witnesseth that the said Edmund Legwood and Mary his Wife for and in consideration of the Sum of Forty thousand pounds of ^{sterling} to us in hand paid before the executing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof We do hereby acknowledge have given granted Bargain, sold, Alien, Enfeoffed, Confirmed & made over and by these presents for us our Heirs and successors do give, grant, Bargain, sell, Alien Enfeoff, confirm and make over unto the said James Vaughan in fee simple and to his Heirs and Successors forever our certain tract or parcell of Land being and lying in the County of Goodland on the Waters of Suchick Creek and Cold Mine Creek containing by estimation four hundred and twelve Acres be the same more or less it being the land and plantation whereon John Watson lately lived & possessed which land being conveyed to the said Edmund Legwood by Deed of Conveyance under the hand & seal of the said John Watson which Deed being proved and recorded in the General Court of this State doth plainly appear and is bounded as followeth Beginning at Captain John Hughes corner Hickory parting him and Bibb thence on his lines fifty two and half Degrees East one hundred and ten poles thence North fifty degrees East one hundred and fifteen poles to a corner Maple thence South sixty seven degrees East fifty six poles to a post oak thence south forty five degrees East thirty eight poles to a Red oak in William Barnetts line thence on his line south twenty two degrees West one hundred and eight poles to a corner Red oak thence south fourteen degrees East one hundred & forty seven poles to a post oak thence south four degrees East thirty three poles to a corner white oak thence south twenty nine degrees East thirty nine poles to a corner White oak on the East side of

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John Barnetts spring branch thence down the same arid meanders one
hundred and seventeen poles to ^{Captain} Stanley Towers branch thence up the same
seventy three poles to Richard Bibbs line thence on his line north twenty
nine degrees West three hundred & four poles to the Beginning with all
houses Gardens Orchards, fences, Springs Waters, & other Courses and
all estate, right, title, use and property of Edmund Logwood or Mary
his Wife and our heirs or unto the premises and the reversion and
reversions, remainder and remainders of or unto the premises with the
and every of their appurtenances To have and to hold the said four
hundred and twelve Acres of Land to the bounds aforesaid and all
other the before granted premises with thia and every of their appurtenan-
ces unto the said James Vaughan & his Heirs to the only use and behoof
of him the said James Vaughan his Heirs and assigns forever and
We the said Edmund Logwood & Mary his Wife doth hereby Com-
it for our selves our Heirs Executors and administrators that we will
warrant the said Land and all other the before granted premises in
part thereof with all and singular the appurtenances hereunto belong-
ing unto the said James Vaughan & his Heirs forever against us the said
Logwood & Mary his Wife and our Heirs all Claiming or to Claim here-
by from or under us them or any of them have or shall pretend to have
warrant & forever defend by these presents In Witness whereof we have
set our hands and Seals the day and year first above written

Signed Sealed and delivered
in presence of us
Robt. Sandridge
Joseph Watson
Math. Vaughan

Edmund Logwood
Mary Logwood

Memorandum that put and peaceable possession of the
lands & premises within mentioned was had & taken by Edmund
Legwood and Mary his Wife two of the parties within mentioned and
by them given unto the within James Vaughan the other party men-
tioned according to the true effect and honest intention of the within
written Indenture the day and year within written In Witness
whereof they have set their hands and seals

Signed sealed and delivered }

in presence of

Robt. Landridge

Joseph Wallen

Matthias Vaughan

Edmond Legwood Seal

Mary Legwood Seal

Received March the fifth one thousand seven Hundred
and eighty one the Sum of Sixty thousand pounds of St.
being the consideration money for the Lands and premises within
mentioned I say received of me

Test

Matthias Vaughan

Edmond Legwood

October fourth 1781. The within Deed. Abdg. & by Edm.
Legwood & Ord. to be Recorded

Teste

G. Payne Cl. Cl.

This Indenture made this 18th day of August in the year
 of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty one Between John
 Tarrar of the County of Maryland of one part, & Thomas Hard-
 ing of the County of Goodland of the other part Witnesseth for and in
 consideration of the Sum of two thousand two hundred and twenty
 four pounds current money of Virginia by the said Thomas Har-
 ding in hand paid to the said John Tarrar at or before the sealing
 & delivery of these presents the receipt whereof he doth hereby ac-
 knowledge the said John Tarrar hath granted bargained sold & trans-
 ferred enfeoffed & confirmed & by these presents doth Grant Bargain &
 sell enfeoff and Confirm unto the said Tho. Harding one certain
 tract or parcel of Land lying in the County of Goodland in the
 Branches of Stickshe Creek and bounded as followeth. to wit
 beginning at a corner farm. thence S. E. $1/2$ of poles to a creek. thence
 up said creek as meanders to White the standing on side to the
 creek S. $85\frac{1}{2}$ W. 32 poles to creek cut, thence S. E. 82 poles to
 thence S. 76° E. 34 $\frac{1}{4}$ poles to three stones thence S. $24\frac{1}{2}$ E. 11
 poles to stump, thence S. $79\frac{1}{2}$ E. 75 poles to the first station contain-
 ing by estimation thirty two & three quarters Acres be the same more or less
 & conveyer unto the said Tho. Harding by this deed with all W. & C.
 ways, waters, water Courses, Recuses, Edifices, Commodities, Hereditaments &
 appurtenances theron being or therunto belonging & the reversion & re-
 mains remainder & remainders rents Issues & profits thereof & unto
 all the estate right title Interest claim & demand whatsoever of him the
 said John Tarrar of in & to the same or any part thereof together
 with all deeds evidences and writings touching or in any way
 concerning the same to have and to hold full & singularly
 bargained and hereby sold premises with there and every of their
 appurtenances unto the said Thomas Harding his heirs and assigns
 unto the only proper use & behoof of him the said Thomas Harding

his Heirs & assigns forever and the said John Farrar for him self
 his Heirs Executors and administrators doth covenant & grant to
 and with the said Thomas Harding his Heirs and assigns that
 the said John Farrar and his Heirs all and singular the premises
 with the appertinances unto the said Thomas Harding his Heirs &
 assigns against all and every other person & persons whatsoever
 lawfully claiming or to claim the same shall and will warrant &
 forever defend by these presents. In Witness whereof the said
 John Farrar hath hereunto set his hand & affixed his Seal the
 day & year first above Written &
 sealed and delivered

in presence of —

Thos. Kerchick Henley
 & Benj. Hughes
 Stockley Twiss

John ^{his} Farrar Seal
 mark

August Court 1781. This Deed with the S. of S. & rec. endow-
 ed was proved by the oaths of two Witnesses & continued for fur-
 ther proof

Teste G. Payne, Clk. Ct.

Oct. Court 1781. Hoz. Henley fully proved this Deed which was
 admitted to record

Teste G. Payne, Clk. Ct.

This Indenture made this fourteenth day of March in
 the year of Christ One thousand seven hundred and eighty one Between
 Ambrose Stodghill and Susanna his Wife of County of Sherrburne
 of the one part and Matthew Woodson of the County of Goochland
 of the other part Witnesseth that the said Ambrose Stodghill and
 Susanna his Wife for divers good Causes and considerations then there
 unto moving but more especially for the valuation Consideration of
 hundred and fifty pounds current money of Virginia to them the said
 Ambrose Stodghill and Susanna his Wife in hand paid by the said
 Matthew Woodson at or before the sealing & delivery of these presents
 the receipt whereof the said Ambrose Stodghill and Susanna his
 Wife doth hereby acknowledge & them self there with fully satisfying
 Contented and paid. hath bargained and sold. and by this deed
 doth bargain sell and Confirm unto the said Matthew Woodson
 & to his heirs and assigns forever one certain tract or portion of
 parcel of Land situate lying and being in the County of Goochland
 land lying on the waters of Suchahoc Creek it being the same land
 on the said Ambrose Stodghill formerly lived. Containing by
 estimation fifty Acres be the same more or less & bounded by the lines of the
 widow of John Stodghill deceased Philip Sinsley the Heir of John
 Woodward deceased & Matthew Woodson. We have and to hold
 the said tract of Land and premises with all the appurtenances
 therunto belonging or in any wise appertaining unto the said
 Matthew Woodson and to his heirs and assigns forever to
 the only proper use and behoof of him the said Matthew Woodson
 and his heirs & assigns forever and the said Ambrose Stodghill
 and Susanna his Wife doth hereby acknowledge that they have a just
 right in fee simple in the above sold Land and premises and doth
 these presents the ^{same} acknowledge and Confirm unto the said Matthew

Woodson and to his heirs and assigns forever against the claim
 of them the said Ambrose Stodghill and Susanna his Wife &
 their heirs forever & also against the claim and demand of all
 and every other person or persons whatsoever from claiming
 any right, title or inheritance in the above sold land & premises
 or shall will and do there presents some warrant & forever will
 defend In Witness whereof the said Ambrose Stodghill and
 Susanna his Wife both hereunto set their hands and seals the
 day and year above written

Signes Seals and deliveries

In presence of - - -

Ben. Childs

John Shepard

John ^{his} Dehes

John Guinnant

Cha. Rice

Tucker Woodson

Ambros Stodget Seal

Susanah ^{her} Stodget Seal

Abundant in the second line the word
 (One) Stone before signing also the word pres-
 ents in the twenty three line

Memorandum that on the fourteenth day of March in the year
 of Christ One thousand seven hundred and eighty, ^{one} that peace-
 able and quiet possession and begin of the within granted Land
 and premises was had & taken by the within mentioned Ambrose
 Stodghill and Susanna his Wife & by them Delivered unto the said
 Matthias Woodson in their proper persons according to the tenor
 form and Effect of the within written Deed

In presence of

Ben. Childs

John Shepard

John ^{his} Dehes

John Guinnant

Cha. Rice

Tucker Woodson

Ambros Stodget Seal

Susanah ^{her} Stodget Seal

Receive this fourteenth day of March in the year of Christ one
 thousand Seven hundred and Eighty, full satisfaction for the
 within granted Lands & premises by me
 In presence of Ambrey Shodgel Seal

As in the above Memorandums & the above receipt
 in each in the second line the word (one) intended
 before signing

August Court 1781. This deed with the Sir of St. & in to me
 from Amb. Shodgel & his wife was proved by the oath of
 Hittings which was continued for further proof

John Payne Clerk

Sept. 6th 1781 further proved by the oath of John Turner
 Oct. 6th 1781 fully proved by the oath of Charles Hittings

{ 3rd Peter to Henry {
 26. Feb. 1834 }

To all people to whom these presents shall come I James H. of
 the County of Goodland send Greeting. Know ye that I the said
 James H. for and in consideration of the tender love and
 Affection I have and bare unto my well-beloved Daughter Lily
 Winn Moss; and for divers other causes & considerations great
 this time moving especially for the sum of twenty shillings to me
 in hand paid by my Daughter Lily Winn Moss. have given
 granted & confirmed unto my said Daughter Lily Winn

Moss, all my right, title, property, claim, & demand, which
 I have, or might have, of the same given me by my Father and
 that descending to me from my Grand Father William Ford,
 both lying & being in the County of Gloucester, which said
 Land I give, grant, and confirm, unto my said Daughter
 Sally Winn Moss, To have hold and enjoy, free from
 the molestation or disturbance of all persons whatsoever: which
 I do by these presents warrant & for ever defend unto my
 said Daughter Sally Winn Moss, and her heirs for ever
 against the Challenge, claim & demand of all persons whatso-
 ever. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
 seal this first day of February 1781
 Signed Sealed and delivered
 in presence of - - - - - }

Heuben Ford
 Nehemiah Ford
 A. Eastin

Jenny Moss Seal

August Court 1781. This Deed Poll was proved by the oath of
 Reuben Ford & Austin Eastin to be the Act & deed of Jane Moss
 which was cont.^d for further proof Test G. Payne, C. Ct

October Court 1781.

Fully proved by the oath of Nehemiah Ford, & order
 to be Recorded Test G. Payne, C. Ct

In the name of God amen. I John Vaiden
 of the parish of St. James Northam in the County of Gloucester
 being in perfect health of Body and sound mind and perfect
 Memory. thank God: But calling to mind my Mortality knowing
 it is appointed unto man once to die; and thinking it prudent
 in all men to dispose of those worldly Goods with which it hath
 pleased God to bless them in a proper and suitable manner
 Do make and ordain this my last Will & Testament in man-
 ner and form following

Item I give and bequeath unto my loving Wife Jenny Vaiden
 Viz. Peggy, Fanny, Abram, Jacob, James, Anderson & Charlotte with
 all their future increase, also two of the Choice Horses or Horse kind to her
 and her Heirs and assigns forever.

Item In case I should leave an Heir or Heirs of my Body begotten of
 my & loving Wife Jenny Vaiden, then I give unto that my
 Heir or Heirs all the remaining part of my estate both real & personal
 with all the future Increase of & remaining part of my estate
 & share alike to that my said Heir or Heirs & assigns forever.

Item But should I leave no Heir or Heirs of my Body begotten of my
 said Wife or should that my said Heir or Heirs die, without Heir
 of his or their Bodies lawfully begotten then I give and bequeath
 unto my said loving Wife Jenny Vaiden two other Negroes Viz. the
 Grace, and Nancy, with all their future Increase to her &
 her Heirs & assigns forever.

Item In case as above I leave no Heir or Heirs of my Body begotten
 of my said Wife Jenny Vaiden then all the remaining part of
 my estate, which is not above given both real and personal with
 all the future Increase of & remaining part of my estate (and
 no other) I give and bequeath unto my three Brothers Jeremiah
 Isaac and Henry Vaiden Share and Share alike unto them and

their heirs and assigns forever

And lastly I do appoint my loving Wife Jenny Vaiden
and my Brother Isaac Vaiden Executors and Executor of this
my last Will and testament hereby revoking all former Wills
or Instruments of Writing whatsoever In Witness whereof I
have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this 23rd day
of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred &
eighty one

Sealed and delivered

in presence of

Will^m Jarvis

Abner Withins

A. Easton

John Vaiden) Seal

13. the w. &c. in the 2^d line (which
is not already given) interline before
signed & the words in the 2^d line (of his
her or their Bodies) lawfully begotten
interline before signed

For proved truly

October Court 1781.

This writing was proved by the oath of the
Witnesses thereto be the last Will & testament of John
Vaiden Dec^d which was admitted to Record -

John G. Dyer Atk

This Indenture made this twenty ninth day of Decemb.
 in the year of our lord one thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Between
 Matthew Dofs of the County of Surry. and Province of North Caro-
 lina of the one part. and William Whitlock of the County of Goochland
 of the other part Witnesseth that the said Matthew Dofs for and in
 Consideration of a Negro Boy or Girl overtaken and under twenty years
 of Age to him delivered by the said William Whitlock the Recd. whereof
 he doth hereby acknowledge Have granted, bargained and sold
 & by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said William
 Whitlock and to his heirs and assigns forever. One Certain tract or
 parcel of land containing one hundred Acres or be the same more or
 less lying & being in the County of Goochland and bounded as follow-
 eth to Wit Beginning at a corner white oak adjoining the lands of
 Mrs Layne & Thomas Middle to a corner in Charles Christians thence
 along John Williams line to a corner Red Oak on Mrs Carrs line
 along the said line to a corner pine on Mrs Layne thence to the begin-
 ing with the reversion and reversions, Remainder & remainders unto
 Issues and profits of all and singular the said Tract or parcel of
 Land & its appurtenances and all the estate right and title of him
 the said Matthew Dofs of in & to the same and every part thereof
 I have and hold the said tract of Land and all and singu-
 lar the premises thence unto the said William Whitlock
 and to his heirs & assigns forever to the only proper use and behoof
 of him the said William Whitlock his heirs and assigns forever
 And the said Matthew Dofs doth covenant promise & grant to and
 with the said William Whitlock that he the said Matthew Dofs and
 his heirs the above bargained and sold premises with the appurtenan-
 ces unto the said William Whitlock his heirs & assigns he the said
 Matthew Dofs and his heirs shall and well forever warrant &

& defend against the claim of all & every other person or persons
whatsoever by these presents in Writings whereof the said Matthew
Dogs hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day
& year above written

Signe seal & deliverance } Matthew Dogs Seal
in presence of ———

Arch^d Payne W^m Dandridge
Rob^t Dandridge Drury Marrell

August Court 1781. This Deed was proved by the oath of two
Witnesses which was continued for further proof —

Goodland County

October Court 1781

Arch^d Payne fully proved this Deed, which
is admitted to record

In the name of God amen I David Mims of
Goodland County, being Agee weak & lov^d, but thanks to God
& perfect sense mind & memory and Calling to mind it is a
lottery for all men Once to die I do therefore make & ordain
this my Last Will & Testament in manner & form followeth, first
I recommend my Soul to God and my Body to the Earth to be

decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named
 and as for my worldly Goods it hath been pleased God to bless
 me with I give and dispose of as follows Viz. my Will and
 desire is that all my just debts & legacies be paid & discharged
 Item I then give and bequeath to my Son Dany Mims ninety pounds
 current money of Virginia to be paid him by Executors after my decease
 Item I give and bequeath to Mary Mims Eliza. Sarah, Martha, and
 Susannah Mims, all Daughters of my Son Shadrach forty pounds
 current money of Virginia to be equally divided and paid them by
 my Executors at the time of Susannah Mims the youngest coming
 to the Age of eighteen years.

Item I give and bequeath to my Son David Mims three hundred &
 fifteen Acres of Land which said Land I have made him a Trust
 for some time past & which I now again grant & Confirm as
 also I give him my said Son three Negroes Viz. Jane. Will
 Jesse which said Land & Negroes I give him my said Son
 and to his heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath to my Son Gedion Mims all the remain-
 ing part of my Land & plantation wherein I now live that
 not already given as also three Negroes (viz.) James Robin
 Harry which said Land and Negroes I give him my
 said Son & to his heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter Elizabeth
 Anderson One Negroe Girl named Kate, as also one reason-
 able good feather Bed & furniture which said Negroe Kate
 and the Bed aforesaid is to be delivered by my Executors to
 her my said Grand Daughter, at the time of her marriage
 or arriving to the age of eighteen years & not before & to be
 to her & her heirs forever

Item I give and bequeath to each of my three daughters
 Elizabeth Jarroth. Mary Woodson. Susannah Anderson.

to each of them respectively five Shillings Curr. money &
no more having given each of them as also my de^d. daugh-
ter Agnes Kittle & Judith Anderson their full propor-
tion and part of my estate already

Then I give and bequeath all the remaining part of my slaves
& other estate of all kinds heretofore not mentioned and given
to my two Sons David & Gedion Mims to be equally divid-
ed between them & to their Heirs forever, And
I do constitute and appoint my two Sons David & Gedion
Mims my Executors of this my last Will & testament re-
voking all other wills by me heretofore made & I do desire
that my estate may not be appraised In Witness whereof I
have hereunto set my hand & Seal this 28th day of April 1778.
Sealed, published & delivered

in presence of

John Payne
Mary Dyer
Elizabeth Hestinstall

David ^{his} Mims ^{seal}
mark

October Court 1781.

This writing was proved by the Oaths of the Witnesses there-
to to be the last Will & testament of David Mims Dec^d.
which was admitted to Record

Ex² In the name of God Amen I James Jordan
of the parish of St James & Northam in the County of Gloucester
being in a low state of health but of sound Sense and memory
do hereby Constitute this my last Will & Testament, in manner
and form following
I mp^t I give my Soul to God who gave it me, and my Body to the Earth to
be buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter mentioned, as to my
estate both real and personal which it has pleased almighty God to
endow me with I give and dispose off in manner & form following
Item I lend to my beloved Wife Sarah Jordan during her natural life
or Widowhood my whole estate both real and personal & at the decease
or Marriage of my beloved Wife Sarah Jordan the said estate
to be given in manner and form following
Item I give and bequeath to my lawfull children my whole estate that I
am now possessed with, and that that they yet to receive from my said
estate when his Executors recovers it by law off Michael Johnson
Benjamin Johnson and one free man which the Executors shall
with for the following Negroes Handy, Will, George & Henry
which I am to have an equal part off among my children when
when recovers and my Will and desire is that the whole of my estate
both real and personal be sold at the death or Marriage of my be-
loved Wife & equally divided among my children hereafter
named and their lawfull Heirs forever James Jordan, John
Jordan, Charles Flemming Jordan, Miles Jordan, Elizabeth
Jordan, Sarah Jordan, Reubin Jordan, John Jordan, William
Jordan, Matthew Jordan, Obediah Jordan, I do hereby appoint
my loving Wife Executrix with Jesse Ellis and John Ellis one
of John who I appoint Executors of this my last will and tes-
tament hereby revoking all other Wills by me made in Testimony
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this twentieth day

of May 1781.
 In presence of
 John Lewis
 Edward Valentine
 Jane ^{his} + Brown
 Maids

James Jordan Test

October Court 1781.

This writing was proved to be the last
 Will & Testament of James Jordan Dec^d, which was
 admitted to record.

G. Payne Clk

In Obedience to an order of Court we the Subscribers being
 first sworn have appraised the Estate of James Toler
 as followeth.

1 Negro man name Abram	15000	3 Small cattle.	3200
1 Negro woman name Fido	35000	2 Sows & Pigs.	4000
1 Negro woman name Sary	25000	11 Hogs.	6000
1 Boy man felt.	12000	6 Small Hogs.	1200
1 Boy mare.	10000	2 Rams.	200
1 Small Horse.	8000	14 Geese.	300
1 Bay Horse felt.	4000	1 Leather Bed	
3 pairs of Calves.	3600	& Furniture	5000
3 Common Cows.	3600	1 Leather Bed & Furniture	5000

1 Leather Bed & Furniture	4000	5 Hoghead	600
1 Leather Bed & Furniture	2000	1 Staff	300
1 Lot puter	2000	To parcel of plow harrow	100
1 Lot old Hoes	990	2 Tables	360
2 Axes	225	2 Chests	600
2 Wedges	400	1 Gun	600
1 Dutch Oven	600	1 Hay Wheel	800
3 pots & hangers	800	5 Old Books	100
1 Sizing pan	300	8 Chain	600
1 Lythe & spaddle	150	1 Iron Skillet	50
To a parcel of Carpenters Tools	270	1 Hatchet	300
1 Mans Saddle	1500	1 Butter Pott	150
1 Womans Saddle	1500	2 Jugs	00
2 Bridles	150	2 Mugs	10
3 reaping Hooks	100	3 Bottles & 1 Horn tumbler	00
1 Box Iron & Nails	150	3 pair of Cotton Girdles	00
1 Spinning Wheel	240	To a parcel of Water Pipes	500
1 Spinning Wheel	400	3 Bee Hives	250
1/2 Dozen Knives & Forks	150	1 Band for 12 Handkerchiefs	4500
2 Wheat & 1 meal Sifters	150	To Cash by Bond due the Estate	000
1 Straw Basket	50	1 Corn	150
6 Old Barrells	500	3 Slays	060
		2 Sides of Suede Leather	150
		1 Grindin Stone	6

Given under our hands this the 16. of October 1781.

Jesse Tacy
William Wilber
Samuel Semmes

This Indenture made this twenty first day of
 Aug^r one thousand seven hundred and eighty Between
 John Salmon and Naomi his wife of the one part
 and Martin Mims of the other part both of the County
 of Goochland Wm^{ts} the said John Salmon
 and Naomi his wife, for and in consideration of
 the sum of one thousand pounds — Current Money
 of Virginia to them in hand paid by the said Martin
 Mims at or before the sealing and delivering of these presents
 the receipt whereof the said John Salmon & Naomi his
 wife do hereby acknowledge and do theroff acquit &
 discharge the said Martin Mims and by these presents
 hath granted, bargained, sold, Alien'd, infeoff'd, confirm'd
 and by these presents doth grant, bargain, sell, and Confirm
 unto the said Martin Mims his Heirs and assigns forever
 one certain tract or parcel of Land lying and being in
 the County of Goochland on the waters of Fishing Hole
 Creek bounded by the Lands of John Perkins Benjamin
 Salmon & Robert Carden including fifty Acres be the
 same more or less together with all houses and houses etc
 fices Buildings, Orchards, yards, Gardens, Woods, ways, water
 Water Courses profits Commodities Woodtraments and appur-
 tenances whatsoever belonging or in anywise appertaining to
 the same with the reversion & reversions, remainder and remain-
 ders, rents profits & issues theroff together with all Goods con-
 tained and writings touching or in anywise concerning the same
 To have and to hold all and singular the bargained and
 hereby sold premises, with their and every of their appurtenances

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unto the said Martin Mims his Heirs and assigns to the only
proper use and behoof of him the said Martin Mims his Heirs
and assigns forever, and the said John Salmon and Naomi his
Wife for themselves their Heirs, Executors and administrators doth
covenant and grant to and with the said Martin Mims his
Heirs and assigns that they the said John Salmon and Naomi
his Wife their Heirs all and singular the premises with the appur-
tenances unto the said Martin Mims his Heirs and assigns aga-
inst all and every other person and persons whatsoever lawfully
claiming or to claim the same shall and will warrant and forever defend
by these presents In Witness whereoff the said John Salmon & Na-
omi his Wife hath hereunto set their hands and affixed their Seals
the day and year first above written
Sealed & delivered in
presence of

John + Salmon & Naomi
his mark

Memorandum

that on the day of the date of the within written Deed
full and peaceable possession and seizen of the within mentioned
Lands and premises with the appurtenances was had and taken by
the within named John Salmon and Naomi his Wife and by
them given and delivered to the within named Martin Mims his Heirs
according to the true meaning and Effect of the within written Deed
In presence of

John + Salmon & Naomi
his mark

Receivd of Martin Mims on the day of the date of the within
written Deed one thousand pounds — Current money of
Virginia being in full Consideration for the Lands and pre-
mises within mentioned

John + Salmonds Seal
his mark

Commonwealth of Virginia by the grace of God. To William
Noyes and Thomas Hatcher Gent. Justices of the
peace for the said County or any two of them Greeting we Com-
mand you or any two of you, that you Cause Lucy Bird the
Wife of John Bird to come before you, but if she be unable to at-
tend you then you her & privately Examine her & apart from her said
Husband touching her relinquishment of her right of Power in the
Land conveyed from her said Husband unto William Monax by
the Deed herunto Annexed & after such Examination you Certify
on the back of this Comin to our Justices of our County County of Gooch
land and such her relinquishment or refusal herein fail not as also
to Cause this Comin & Deed to be returned before our said Jus-
tices Witness Geo. Payne Clerk of our said Court at the Courthouse
the 22. day of Aug. in the 17. year of our Commonwealth

By virtue of the
of the peace for
bird Wife of
Power in the
by the Deed her
that she consents
she agrees to relin-
quently without
and that she is
shall be recorded

At a Court held,
This Commission
Ordinance to be recd

I William I.
of health but of
this to be my last
first my will & a
pray all my Jus-
Secondly my Will