

one certain Parcell or Tract of Land containing one hundred acres being more or less lying  
and being in the Parish and County of Henrico on a Branch of Deep Run called the  
Drinking hole Branch and is part of a greater Tract Granted by Patten to  
Thomas Conway and is Bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at Edward Byers  
line and running along the said Byers line to Christopher John Thomas line thus  
along the said Thomas line to John Savage line and then along Savage line to  
the Branch aforesaid and thus down the said Branch to the Beginning  
together with all houses orchards gardens woods waters and revanages whatsoever  
thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining To have and To hold the  
said hundred Acres of Land with more or less and premises with their and  
every of their appurtenances and the said Thomas Page for himself his Heirs  
Executors and Administrators doth by these Presents Covenant grant and agree to and  
with the said Thomas Miller his heirs and assigns that the said Tract of Land  
is free and clear from all other Sales Deeds Leases or Encumbrances whatsoever  
and that he the said Thomas Page his heirs Executors Administrators the above  
said Land and Premises with their and every of their appurtenances unto the  
said Thomas Miller his heirs and assigns against him the said Thomas Page  
his heirs Executors and Administrators and against all other Persons whatsoever  
deth by these Presents Warrant and forever will Defend In Writing whereof he  
hath hereunto set his hand and Seal the day month and year first above Written  
Signed Sealed and Delivered in the Province of Virginia this 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1754  
Nich Schurer Jacob Powers Jacob Ege { Thomas P. Page mark

Memorandum that on the twenty second day of June in the Year of our Lord one  
thousand seven hundred and fifty four full and payable possession of the said  
Land and premises within granted was delivered by the said Thomas Page  
unto the said Thomas Miller by Turf and twig  
In the Presence of us Nich Schurer, <sup>his</sup> Thomas P. Page mark  
Jacob Powers Jacob Ege . . . .

Twenty second June 1754 Then Received of Thomas Miller the sum of  
two hundred pounds Current Money of Virginia in full Satisfaction for the within  
mentioned Tract of Land asay Received by me <sup>his</sup> Thomas P. Page mark  
Nich Schurer Jacob Powers Jacob Ege

A Court held for Henrico County the first day of July 1754  
Thomas Page acknowledged this Indenture of Release with the Livery  
Custian and Receipt endorsed to Thomas Miller to be his acts & Deed. His  
Ley wife to Thomas Page being examined hourly and apart from her said  
Husband Relinquished her Right of Dower in the Land by the said Deed bearing  
all which were Ordred to be Recorded

Jas. O. Adams C. C.

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I now all men by these presents that I John Houlder of Eagle Street in the parish of Saint George the Martyr in the County of Middlesex Journey Coachman Harnesse Ordained constable and apprentice and by these presents Do make ordain constitute and appoint Mr. Anderson Smith of Charles City in James River County in his Majestys Plantation of Virginia Attorney at Law my true and Lawfull Attorney and agent for me and in my name and to my use to ask demand sue for and recover of and from William Wills late of London Surgeon but now residing in the said Island the several Sums of Money following (to wit) the sum of two pounds and two shillings Sterling lent and advanced by me to the said William Wills on or about the seventh day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty four the sum of eleven shillings Sterling paid by me for the hire of Boat for the said William Wills and at his request on or about the seventh day of April aforesaid and the sum of one pound and sixteen shillings Sterling paid by me for a great boat for the said William Wills and at his request on or about the eighth day of April aforesaid And the sum of fifteen pounds seventeen shillings and six pence Sterling Advanced and paid by me for and at the request of the said William Wills unto me Thomas Brownes attorney at law for his the said Thomas Browns fees and disbursements in a certain Suit at Law wherein the said William Wills was Plaintiff and George Jackson Philip Dorell and Richard Crabb Defendants which said several Sums amount to twenty pounds two shillings and six pence and are now due and owing to me from the said William Wills and I do hereby authorize and empower my said Attorney for me and in my name to acquit Release and discharge the said William Wills of and from the said several Sums of Money or any part thereof and for me and in my name to do and perform all such other acts matters and things in the premises as he my said Attorney shall think proper as fully and effectually to all intents and purposes as myself might or could do if I were personally present Ratifying & hereby allowing all and whatsoever my said Attorney shall lawfully do or cause to be done touching the premises by Virtue of these Presents In WMS Whereof I the said John Houlder have hereunto set my hand and Seal this sixteenth day of February in the twenty fourth Year of the Reign of his Majesty King George the second and in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty four

Scaled and Delivered at London the day and year

above said in the presence of E Randolph Goffe } John Houlder, Esq. 200  
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At a Court held for Henries County the first day of July 1754 This Power of attorney from John Houlder of London Journey Coachman to Anderson Smith Esq. was proved by the Oath of Edward Randolph Clerk one of the Witnesses thereto And Ordered to be Recorded.

Test. Thos Adams Esq Cur

This M<sup>CCC</sup>CVI<sup>th</sup> day of Aug<sup>t</sup> in the Year of our Lord one  
 thousand seven hundred and and fifty four Between John Oakley and Elizabeth his  
 wife of the one part and Jacob Vallentim of the County of King William of  
 the other part witnesseth that the said John Oakley and Elizabeth his wife for  
 divers good causes and considerations then thence moving but more especially  
 for the Valuable Consideration of the sum of twenty two pounds Current Money of  
 Virginia to them in hand paid the script they with hereby acknowledge and  
 themselves fully satisfied contented and paid hath fully clearly and absolutely  
 Acquited and discharged to the said Jacob Vallentim by these presents hath given  
 granted Bargained and Almed Enteres and Confirmed and by these presents  
 doth give grant Bargain and Sell alien Enfeoff and Confirm unto the said  
 Jacob Vallentim to him and his Heirs and Assigns forever one certain Tract or  
 Part of Land with all its Privileges and appurtenances unto the same to  
 siting Situate lying and being in the County of Henrico and Bounded as  
 followeth (viz) on the Falls Road and on the lines of Philip Mayo Francis  
 Stgo Alexander Robinson William Robt and Isaac Breeding containing four  
 hundred acres or there more or less the said Land being part of a Battalion  
 granted to Thomas Oakley bearing date the thirtieth day of August one  
 thousand seven hundred and forty four unto the said Jacob Vallentim To have  
 and to hold Occupy and Enjoy all and singular the abovementioned Premises  
 with their and every of their appurtenances to him the said Jacob Vallentim to him  
 and his heirs and Assigns forever to the only proper use and Behoof of him the said  
 Jacob Vallentim to him and his Heirs and Assigns forever and the said John  
 Oakley and Elizabeth his wife doth for themselves and their Heirs Covenant and agree  
 that we will forever WARRANT the said Land abovementioned unto the said Jacob  
 Vallentim to him and his heirs forever free from all Encumbrances claim or Burthen  
 of claim by any person or persons whatsoever not only against themselves and their  
 Heirs but against all Persons whatsoever fully Warranting the said Land as an  
 Estate in fee simple to the aforesaid Jacob Vallentim to him and his Heirs as aforesaid  
 IN WITNESS WHEREOF we hereby set our hands and Seals the day and year above  
 written signed sealed and delivered Interlind in the first line John Oakley Esq<sup>r</sup>  
 In presence of us Joseph Lewis hundred and twenty eighth day before assigned Nicholas Vallentim Michael Jones John Oakley Esq<sup>r</sup>  
mark

MEMORANDUM that on the day and year within written Recdable and Quis p[ro]p[ri]et[er] p[re]s[en]t  
 with livery of Seisin of the Land within mentioned to be granted was had and taken by  
 the within named John Oakley and Elizabeth his wife and by them was delivered unto  
 the said Jacob Vallentim in their proper persons according to the form and effect of the within  
 written Deed as witness our hands the Day and year of the other side mentioned  
 Signed and Delivered in presence of us Joseph Lewis Nicholas Vallentim Michael Jones

John Oakley  
 Eliz Oakley  
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At a Court held for Henrico County the first day of July 1751 This Indenture of Settlement with  
the County of Henrico and receipt endorsed from John Oakley to Jacob Valentine was proved by the  
Oath of the Notary publick thereto as to the part of John Oakley and acknowledged by Elizabeth Oakley  
his wife then the said Elizabeth was privately examined relinquished her right of Dower in the  
Land by this Deed conveyed all which were ordered to be Recorded

Test. Thos Adams Esq

In the name of God Amen Richard Truman citizen of Henrico County being  
of sound mind and memory prays be it gra for it to make this my last Will and Testament  
in manner and form as following That is to say after my Dulls and funeral expences are  
paid I give and Bequeath to my Daughter Mary Williams one feather Bed  
and furniture bed and board and what shall be with it also I give to my said Daughter  
one Cow and Calf and one two year old heifer and one Iron pot two Dishes and three plates  
two Sheep one cow one loom and all the Materials belonging to it and two spinning  
wheels to her and her heirs forever Item I give to my Daughter Catharine Newell one  
feather Bed to her and her heirs forever Item I give to my son in Law William Still four  
hundred Acres of Land lying on the Northern Branches of Williams Creek which land  
I give to the said William Still and his heirs forever Item I give to my son Abraham  
Truman my Plantation and the Land wherein I now live containing two hundred &  
forty acres be the same more or less I give the said Land and Plantation to him and  
his heirs forever And also the remainder of my Estate I leave to my beloved Wife &  
Elizabeth Truman during her natural life or widowhood and after Decades or  
Marriages I give what may be found of my Estate of what kind soever to my afterwards  
mentioned son Abraham Truman and to his heirs forever I also appoint my  
son Abraham Truman my whole and sole Executor of this my last Will and  
Testament revoking all other Wills heretofore made by me and desirous that my Estate  
may not be prived Me Msp my hand this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March anno Dom<sup>s</sup> 1751

Signed Sealed and Acknowledged in the presence of us

Thomas Watkins Henry Watkins Daniel D'Warrenne, Richard Truman

At a Court held for Henrico County the first Day of July 1751 The last Will and  
Testament of Richard Truman Deed was presented by Abraham Truman the Executor  
therein named upon Oath and was proved by the Oath of Thomas Watkins and Henry  
Watkins two of the Notaries publick and was Ordered to be Recorded

Test. Thos Adams Esq

This INDENTURE made this eighth day of June in the year one thousand seven  
hundred and fifty four Between William Hambleton of Cumberland County of the one  
Part and John Mosby of Henrico County of the other Part witnesseth that the said  
William Hambleton for and in consideration of the sum of twenty five pounds  
Cumberland Money to him the said Hambleton in hand paid by the said John Mosby

before the Sealing hereof hath given granted Bargained Sold Alined and Confirmed and by these  
 Presents doth give grant Bargain Sell Aline and Confirm unto the said John Morley his  
 Heirs and Assigns two certain Tracts or Parcels of Land lying and being in the County  
 of Monmouth containing, viz, one parcel containing one hundred and forty one acres,  
 more or less as by Plat bearing date the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of October 1751 the other containing  
 eighty acres more or less as by Plat bearing date the month of March 1751 will  
 above fully appear together with the appurtenances and all profit and advantage  
 thereunto belonging and also all the Right Title Interest Claim and Demand of them  
 the said William Hambleton to all and Singular the premises I HAVE AND DO  
 hold all and Singular the premises aforesaid so intended to be held by me gained  
 and I do unto the said John Morley his heirs and Assigns to the only proper use and  
 Behoof of him the said John Morley his heirs and Assigns forever and the said William  
 Hambleton for himself his heirs Peers and Admirals with Covenant and Agreement with the  
 said John Morley his heirs and Assigns that at the Sealing and Delivery of or Just before  
 he stands upon of an Indefeasible Estate in Possession and that he hath good Right and  
 Lawfull to enjoy the same as above and the said William Hambleton for himself his  
 heirs Peers and Admirals with further Covenant and agree to and with the said John Morley  
 his heirs and Assigns that the above Bargained and Sold premises against the  
 claim of him the said William Hambleton and all other persons whatsoever unto the  
 said John Morley his heirs and Assigns forever will bear and defend In Witness  
 whereof the said William Hambleton hath set his hand and Seal the 2<sup>d</sup> Day and year  
 first abovesigned and Sealed and Delivered in the presence of  
 Daniel Price Robert Williamson Jr. Wm. Jr. William Hambleton Esq.

MIDDLETON AUGUST the 1<sup>st</sup> on the day Nethen written full Quire and Decable  
 Satisfaction was given by his within named William Hambleton to his within  
 named J. Morley & in presence of } Daniel Price Robert Williamson Jr. } William Hambleton Esq.  
 Recd from the 8<sup>th</sup> 1754 of John Morley the within Consideration Money  
 To the Daniel Price Robert Williamson Jr. Wm. Jr. William Hambleton  
 At Court held for Monmouth County the second Day of September 1754  
 This Indenture of Agreement with the sum of One and Receipt Endorsed  
 from William Hambleton to John Morley was made by the both of the witnesses  
 thereto and were ordered to be Recorded Test. Thos Adams Esq.

This MORTGAGE made the fifth day of August one thousand seven  
 hundred and fifty four in the twenty seventh year of the Reign of our Sovereign  
 Lord George the second by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and  
 Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c between Michael Jones of Penrice  
 Parish in County of Monmouth of the one part and William Evans of Llantysilio  
 Parish and Llanvihangel Crucorney County of the other Part witnesseth  
 that for and in Consideration of the sum of one pound current Money

to this said Michael Jones in hand paid by the said William Nance at or before the Invoicing  
 and Delivery of these Presents the Recipients of his self hereby acknowledge and therof  
 doth Release Acquit and discharge the said William Nance his heirs sons and daughters  
 by these Presents his the said Michael Jones hath granted Bargained Sold Almond Enys off  
 and confirmed and by these Presents doth grant Bargain Sell Almond Enys off and confirm unto  
 the said William Nance one certain Tract or parcel of Land containing ninety three acres  
 more or less Situate lying and being in the Parish and County aforesaid and Bounded as  
 followeth Beginning at a Turkey oak on Arises line thence to a corner which doth  
 on Buddings line and along Buddings line to Watsons line then along Watsons line  
 to a dead Elm Black oak Thence to the other Beginning with all Houses and Houses  
 Edifices Buildings yards gardens orchards wood underwood trees way waters water  
 Courses paths commodities hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever to the said Tract or  
 parcel of Land Belonging or in any wise appertaining the Possession and Possessions  
 Remainder and Remainders Rents Issues and profits thereof and all the whole Right title  
 Interest and Trust property Benefit property Claims and Demand of him the said Michael  
 Jones of me and to the same £ 100000-000 To the other aid Tract or parcel of  
 Land and herifore herein before mentioned or intended to be hereby granted or conveyed  
 with their and every of their appurtenances unto the said William Nance his heirs and  
 Successors Proprietary and behoove of them to have keep them and Assign  
 Assignee forever and the said Michael Jones for himself his heirs executors and  
 Administrators doth covenant promise and grant to and with the said William  
 Nance his heirs and Assignees by these Presents to that the said Michael Jones now at the  
 time of the Invoicing and Delivery of these Presents is Seized of a perfect land payable  
 lot of inheritance in possession and in the said Tract of Land and premises hereby  
 granted and Conveyed with their appurtenances and also that the said William Nance  
 his heirs and Assigns shall and may from him to him and at all Times hereafter lawfully  
 and Quictly hold use and enjoy和平ly and liege the said Tract or parcel of Land  
 premises hereby granted and Conveyed without molestation trouble intrusion or  
 Interruption or hindrance of him the said Michael Jones or of any other Person or persons  
 whatsoeuer and that he and shall and may clearly and distinctly acquit beconceded and discharged  
 of and from and against all former and other gifts grants Bargains Conveyances or easements  
 Entails Joynments Dowers and Estates of Dowers Statute of Limit Judgment of Execution  
 and all other Incumbrances whatsoever and likewise that the said Michael Jones  
 his heirs executors and Administrators and all and every his person and persons having  
 lawfully claiming or to claim any right or interest of his to the said premises  
 hereby granted and Conveyed or any part thereof by him or under him or whom shall be the  
 next Time to Time and at all Times hereafter upon the reasonable Request  
 and at the Cost and Charges in Law of him the said William Nance his heirs & Assigns  
 make do and execute referred to be done and executed all and every such further

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Lawfull and Reasonable Act and Acte thing and things service Conveyances and  
Appearances in law whatsoever his father Master John Poynt and Master John Poynt  
and Appearances his said Tract or parcel of Land and premises hereby granted by  
himself with these and every of these aforesaid easements and wayes and  
Nance his heirs and assigns or his or their several heires in the Law shall be  
Lawfully and Reasonably devised Advised or Required and lastly that the said  
Michael Jones and his Heires the said Tract or parcel of Land and premises of  
every part and parcel thereof unto the said William Nance his heirs and assigns  
against him the said Michael Jones and his heirs and all and every other person  
or persons whatsoever shall and will inherit and forever Deynd by these Presents  
In witness whereof the said Michael Jones hath hereunto set his hand and seal  
the Day and year first written signe Sealed  
and Delivered in presence of }  
David Vaughan Wm Stone

Michael Jones 

As a Counterfeite for Henrico County the fifth Day of August 1752  
Michael Jones Acknowledges the Indenture of Bargain and Sale unto William  
Nance to his act and Deed then annexed to the said Michael being examined  
privately and apart from her said husband Relinquished her right of Dower in the  
Land of this Deed Conveyed which was Ordered to be Recorded

Test: Tho Adams Esq

This INDENTURE made the fifth Day of June in the Year of our Lord  
one thousand seven hundred and fifty four Between William Byrd of Westover  
in the County of Charles City Lessor of the one Part and Nicholas Scherer of  
Richmond in the County of Henrico of the other Part WITNESSETH that the said  
William Byrd for and in Consideration of the sum of thirty five pounds thirteen Shillings  
and Four pence of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Nicholas Scherer the  
Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath granted Bargained and Sold  
and by these presents doth grant & Bargain and Sell unto the said Nicholas  
Scherer and to his heirs and assigns forever a certain Tract or parcel of Land  
lying and being on the east side of Shooers Creek in the said County of Henrico containing  
Eleven Acre <sup>the</sup> hundred rods and bounded as followeth: Viz Beginning at a Stake the  
corner of the Land laid off to the Town of Richmond and running North fiftie one  
Degrees West to a corner near the said Creek then North fiftie degrees East thirtynine  
Poles to a corner Red Oak eleven degrees East ten poles to the Stake then North  
thirteen degrees East thirty poles to a Stake then South sixty five Degrees East  
seventeen poles to another Stake Black Oak then South eight Degrees East thirtynine  
poles above from then south seven Degrees West twenty poles to the Beginning  
also two lots in parcels of land lying and being in the Town of Richmond in  
the said County of Henrico and marked and distinguished in the plan of the said  
Town by the Numbers or Figures 51 and 52 To have and To hold the  
said Tract or parcel of Land and the said two lots unto the said Nicholas Scherer

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his heirs and assigns to the only use and Benefit of the said Nicholas Scher his heirs and assigns  
procre and the said William Byrd for himself and his heirs the said Tract or Parcell of Land &  
the said two lots to the said Nicholas Scher and his heirs shall and will have and forever  
Defend by these Presents against the claim and Demand of all Persons whatsoever In Witness  
whereof the said William Byrd hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his Seal the Day &  
Year above written Signed Sealed and Delivered

In presence of Jacob Bugg Oliver Branch      W. Byrd  
John Hawlett

At Court held for Henrico County the fifth Day of August 1754 This Indenture of  
Purchase and Sale from William Byrd Esq; to Nicholas Scher was proved by the Oaths of  
the Witnesses thereto and was ordered to be Recorded

Test: Thos Adams

An Appraisement of the Estate of Robert Clarke Deed taken January 9 <sup>th</sup> 1751	
800 lbs hogs	1 6. 0
1 Mow	5. 10. 0
1 Table and form	6. 0
1 Table	2 2
2 Iron pots	15 "
1 wt of Iron wedges	5 "
1 ax and 2 drawing knives	3 0
2 Dishes and 4 plates thro 2 flaggon and 15 Spoons	15 "
1 Saddle and Bridle	7 6
1 Cow Bell	1 3
1 small Chid	1 6
1 Rason 2 knives and forks and 1 Butchers knife	1 0
8 Bottles	1 8
1 Bird Blower and Plugg and Birdseed	2 "
2 winter Bins and 3 Buckles and 1 ff Card	1 "
1 frying pan	1 6
1 Hatchet	1
1 pole	5

Ephraim Garthright Emanuel S Garthright Scrl.  
Came of Garthright Junr.

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At Court held for Henrico County the second Day of September 1751  
This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of Robert Clark Deed was presented  
Ex in Court by John Pleasant Junr. and did and is to be Recorded

Test: Thos Adams

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	<i>Drs.</i>
1751 The Estate of Robert Clarke Died	
Aug 2 To John Pleasant Jr.	6 18 9 $\frac{1}{2}$
To Theodoric Clark	5
To Thomas Mathews	5
To Mary Davis	2 1
To Higgin both 1/3 and 1 gallon Rum & brandy appraisers	4 4
To John Middleton	6 3
To John Pleasant Jr.	5 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
To Clerks fees for Tobacco &c	3 19 1 $\frac{1}{2}$
To Thomas Martin	13
To Othonear	2 9
Total and on A. 18.12 outstanding debts	2 6
1752 Aug 29 To Ballance Due	1 11
	<u>13 4 2<math>\frac{1}{2}</math></u>
	<u>12 4 2<math>\frac{1}{2}</math></u>
	<u>17 4 4<math>\frac{1}{2}</math></u>

	<i>contra</i>	<i>6.3</i>
1751 Aug 29 By Cash		<u>17 4 4<math>\frac{1}{2}</math></u>
By William Clark for sundries Bought at Public Auction	25 15 6	4 8
By John Martin for	Do	2 8 8
By Elizabeth Bennett	Do	2 3
By John Dove	Do	7 6
By Francis Waystaff	Do	15 9
By Martin Martin	Do	10 6
By Phraim Gathright	Do	11
By Frederick Clarke	Do	1 10 8
By Dr for Work Done	4 10 10	
By John West for Dr	3 6	
By Peter Peper	3 6	
Aug 29 By Ballance Due to the estate	<u>17 4 4<math>\frac{1}{2}</math></u>	<u>1 2<math>\frac{1}{2}</math></u>

Whereas I have examined the above Account which we think is just and Reasonable with  
all Ballance due to the Estate offour pounds and two pence fithing

Charlottewoodon Is<sup>t</sup> Mathew

At a Court held for Worcester County October 17<sup>th</sup> 1751 Justice Waystaff came into Court and being  
examined deponed and said from Francis Waystaff her husband acknowledged a Bill of Power  
in the hand of Samuel Tyler said Amos and within Conveyed unto James White before was  
Ordered to be Recorded

Test. Thos Adams Esq

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examined deponed and said from Francis Waystaff her husband acknowledged a Bill of Power  
in the hand of Samuel Tyler said Amos and within Conveyed unto James White before was  
Ordered to be Recorded

Test. Thos Adams Esq

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This Indenture made the twentieth day of October, One thousand seven hundred fifty four  
between John Pleasante Junr of the County of Devon of the one Part and Jacob Valentine  
of the County of King William of the other Part Whereas John Oakley in his life time by  
his certain Indenture of Mortgage bearing date the second day of September one thousand  
seven hundred and forty eight bargained sold set over unto the said John Pleasante and  
his Heirs and Successors and thirty six acres of Land lying and being in the Parish  
and County of Devon on the Branches of Chichester Creek, upon the Proviso Condition that  
if the said Oakley should well and truly pay unto the said John Pleasante or his Assignees the sum  
of forty pounds Current Money with full Interest for the same at the end or within any  
three years then next ensuing the date of the said Mortgage, that then the said Mortgage  
and everything therein contained as to the Part of the said Oakley were to cease, determine  
and be void, unless said sum of forty pounds and Interest the coupon thereto acknowledged  
not pay to the said Pleasante or his Assignees within the space of years limited in the said  
Mortgage for payment thereof, in which case default and nonpayment the title of the said  
John Pleasante became absolute in the Mortgaged Premises as to whom and before the due  
time of Redemption in the said Mortgaged Premises foreclosed, hard, the said Oakley did Content to pay  
the said Pleasante the said sum of forty pounds, and Interest, and thereafter the said Oakley  
without the Privileg of the said John Pleasante by his single Indenture bearing date  
the sixteenth day of May last past sold and transferred unto Jacob Valentine Party to an  
amount of three hundred and thirty six acres of land parts parcels of which being the Mortgaged  
Premises before mentioned **Witnesseth** that the said  
John Pleasante as well for the Recouerance and Performance of the Covenants on his  
Part in the before mentioned Mortgage as for the Consideration of the sum of five  
shillings to him in hand paid by the said Jacob Valentine Sixth Release Bargain  
Discharged, the said Mortgaged Premises and by those Prements Sixth Release Bargain  
Sell, Convey and Assign over the said Mortgaged Land to the said Jacob Valentine his  
heirs and Assignees, To have and to hold the said three hundred and thirty six acres  
of Land to him Jacob Valentine his heirs and Assignees for ever In as large and ample  
manner as if the said Pleasante had been Joynes in and made Party to the above mentioned  
Indenture from Oakley to the said Valentine And the said John Pleasante doth by these  
Prements Covenant Grant Agree to and with the said Jacob Valentine that he the said  
Valentine and his heirs shall and may from henceforth forever after peaceably Possess  
Enjoy the said three hundred and thirty six acres of Land freed of all charges of and from  
the said Mortgage aforesaid and that he the said John Pleasante his heirs will for ever  
defend the said three hundred and thirty six acres of Land in the said Mortgage mentioned  
from all persons claiming from before him or his heirs, and that he the said Pleasante or  
any other Conveyance or Conveyances for the said Conveying the premises aforesaid to the  
said Valentine his heirs or his or their Comitell learned in the law shall advise, advise or  
require **In Witness Whereof the Parties to these Prements have Interchangeably sett their  
hands the day of the first year above mentioned.**

In Pleasante Jr

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At a Court held for Henrico County the seventeenth day of October 1751 John Pleasant -  
acknowledged this Indenture to David Ballou and his heirs and Deed which was  
Ordered to be Recorded

*Test. Tho. Adams Esq. b.s.*

This Indenture made this twentieth day of March One thousand seven hundred and  
sixty four Between David Carter of the County of Goochland of the one part  
and John Payne of the County of Henrico of the other part Witnesseth  
that the said David Carter for and in Consideration of the sum of two pounds three  
shillings Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid the Receipt whereof he the said  
David Carter doth hereby acknowledge and thereof doth acquit and discharge the said  
John Payne his heirs Executors and Administrators and covenants them for ever by  
these presents ~~to have~~ Granted Bargained and Sold aliened Enfeoffed Confirmed and  
aid by these presents ~~to have~~ Granted Bargained and Sold unto the said John Payne and to  
his heirs Assigns One Lot of Land containing half an acre in the Plant of a  
certain Town lately laid off in the County of Henrico, <sup>at a place called: known by the name of Boston</sup> where said Lot is marked in the  
Plant of the said Town 100 To have and to hold the said Lot with the Privileges or  
and all Appurtenances thereto belonging unto the said John Payne his heirs and  
Assigns to the only proper use and behoof of him the said John Payne and of his  
heirs Assigns for ever, and the said David Carter his heirs and assigns his behoof  
Sells Lot of Land with their appurtenances unto the said John Payne  
his heirs and assigns against the claim and demand of him the said David Carter his  
heirs Executors and Administrators and against all other Persons whatsoever shall and  
will by these presents Warrant for ever defend, And the said David Carter for him  
self his heirs Executors and Administrators both Covenant Grant and Agree to give with the  
said John Payne his heirs Assigns that he the said David Carter at the time of the  
Enfeoffing and delivery of these presents is and stands Seized of an Invaluable Estate of  
Julietta and in full simple possession of the said Lot of Land and remised and hath  
full power and authority to sell and convey the same unto the said John Payne  
in manner and form aforesaid and that the said John Payne his heirs and Assigns  
shall and may for ever hereafter peaceably and quietly have hold use occupy Possession  
Enjoy the same and every part thereof without any Interruption of him the  
said David Carter his heirs Executors and Administrators or by any other Person or  
Persons whatsoever. In Witness whereof the said David Carter hath countersigned  
Sett his hand and Seal the day and year above written:

Signed sealed and delivered  
In presence of . . .

Benj<sup>n</sup> Burton Jr  
Rich<sup>e</sup> Pleasant  
John Payne Jun

his  
Poval pc Carter P.S.  
Mark

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**Memorandum** that on the day and year of the within written Deed witness and  
pearable possession of the within mentioned Lot of Land was had and taken by the within named  
Povall Carter and by him Given and delivered to his within named John Payne according  
to the tenor of the within written Deed  
In presence of Benj<sup>n</sup> Burton J<sup>r</sup> } Povall <sup>his</sup> PC Carter L.S.  
Rich<sup>l</sup> Pleasant<sup>s</sup>, John Payne Jun } Mark

At March 19<sup>th</sup> 1754, Then Received Two pounds three Shillings Current Money being  
the Consideration for the within mentioned Lot of Land and premises per  
In presence of Benj<sup>n</sup> Burton Jun } Rec<sup>ffine</sup> Povall <sup>his</sup> PC Carter L.S.  
Rich<sup>l</sup> Pleasant<sup>s</sup>, John Payne Jun } Mark

At a Court held for Albemarle County the 7<sup>th</sup> day of October 1754 Povall Carter acknowledged  
this Indenture of Bargain & Sale with the Severys of Seiden and receipt delivered  
Ex<sup>d</sup> to John Payne to be his acts and Deeds which were ordered to be recorded /

Cst<sup>r</sup>. Thos Adams C<sup>o</sup> Seal

This Indenture made the fifth day of October in the year of our Lord an thousand  
secon hundred and sixteen four Between Robert Allen of the Parish and County of Albemarle  
of the one part and Richard Allen Son of the said Robert Allen of the Parish and County  
aforesaid of the other part WITNESSETH that the said Robert for and in Consideration  
of the sum of Fifty Pounds current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by  
Richard Richard Allen the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge and  
himself to be fully satisfied Contented and said he hath given Granted Bargained  
Sold Lufosed and Conversed and by these presents doth Give Grant Bargain Sell  
Lufose and Consume unto Richard Richard Allen his heirs and assigns one certain  
Parcel or Tract of Land containing One hundred acres and also one Negro Man  
named Will Allen the said Negro to be the said Richard Allen after the death of his  
the said Robert Allen the said one hundred acres of Land lying and being in the  
County of Albemarle on the West Branch of the Appomattox River and is part of a tract of  
three hundred and forty six acres granted by Patent unto Michael Holland and by  
the said Holland Executors sold unto the said Robert Allen and the said one  
hundred acres is Bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a corner pine tree -  
John Rayalls corner and running thence South fortynine degrees West one hundred  
and forty poles to a corner scrub white Oak thence South fifty degrees East One  
hundred and forty poles to a small pine and several pointers thence North forty  
degrees East one hundred and forty poles to a corner Red Oak thence North fifty  
degrees East one hundred and twenty poles to the beginning with all houses and  
gardens orchards fence and good Water and advantages whatsoever to the said  
belonging or anywise appertaining To have and to hold the said one hundred  
acres of Land and premises with their and every of their Appurtenances and  
likewise the said Negro Man unto the said Richard Allen his heirs and  
assigns for ever And the said Robert Allen for himself his heirs Executors

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Administrator doth by these presents Covenant Grant and Agree to and with the  
said Richard Allen his heirs and assigns for ever that Richard ouelundre & arys of  
land is free and clear from all other debts, Dods, Acces or Encumbrances what so ever  
that shall and may be lawfull to and for the said Richard Allen his heirs and  
assigns for ever hereafter fully peaceably and quietely to have hold use possess and  
and that he the said Robert Allen his heirs Executors and Administrators of the above  
said land and premises with their every appurtenance unto the said Richard  
his heirs and assigns and also the said Negro Allen after his decease against him the  
said Robert Allen his heirs Executors and Administrators against all other persons whatsoever  
deth by these presents warrant and for ever will defend. In witness whereof the  
last licentatoe to his hand and seal the day and year first above written:

Robt. Allen. (S)

Signed sealed and delivered in  
the presence of us Wm. Street,  
John Morelay, Rowland Blackburn

**Memorandum** that on the fifth day of October one thousand seven hundred and fifty four  
peaceable possession and delivery of the lands and premises without grant was  
made by Richard Robert Allen in presence of us Wm. Street.

Robt. Allen. (S)

October the 5<sup>th</sup> 1754 Recd of Richard Allen the within mentioned  
consideration in full satisfaction for the above sold tract of Land received of me

Robt. Allen.

The tract held for Henrico County October 7<sup>th</sup> 1754 Robert Allen  
acknowledged plus Indenture of Bargain and Sale recd the sum of Seven  
and Receipt Endorsed to Richard Allen to be his Act and Decd of witness  
were ordered to be Recorded.

Test., Thos. Adams Esq: Seal

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KNOW all men by these presents that we William Smith and Elizabeth  
Smith of the County of Cumberland for and in consideration of the following  
Negroes being delivered to us to wit, Will, Tom, Day, Tabell and two hundred & ten  
pounds of a Negro Hensl called Camp, and Negro girl called Anna the sum  
delivery & payment to be made & done by William Smith to the said William  
Smith the receipt whereof we do hereby acknowledge do give Grant Release  
Consign unto the said William Smith, all our right title & interest in and to  
all and singular the Negroes mentioned in a Bill of Complaint exhibited against  
the said William Smith by the said William Smith and Elizabeth his  
wife, as by the records of the said County of Henrico may more fully appear  
given under our hands & seals this 31<sup>st</sup> day of October 1754

Signed sealed and delivered in presence of us  
Abner Abbott, John Gibbs.

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Wm. Smith. (S)  
Elizabeth Smith. (S)

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At a Court held for Warren County November 4<sup>th</sup> 1754 This Release from  
William Smith and Elizabeth his wife to William Morris was made by the  
Oath of the Districts Notary was ordered to be recorded.

Test. Thos Adams Esq<sup>r</sup>

At a Court held for Warren County December 1754 Margaret Duggins  
of Jacob Duggins name into Court and was examined privately and apart from  
her said Husband who acknowledged her Right of Dower in the Land by her said  
Husband in this Indenture Conveyed unto Isaac Youngling and wife as  
Ordered to be Recorded.

Test. Thos Adams Esq<sup>r</sup>

To All Christian People unto whom this Present Writing shall come Robert  
Morris of Warren County Esq<sup>r</sup> Greeting know ye that I the said Robert Morris  
where good Cause and Considerations, no license wanting, have given  
Granted and by these presents do Give and Grant, and Confirm unto my  
son William Morris of these said County and Parish, Two parcels of Land,  
one of which of contains one hundred acres lying and being in the County  
of Warren and bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a Sedge Tree corner in  
Robert Webb his house on the said Webb's line South eighty eight degrees  
West one hundred forty four poles to a corner white Oak, parting the said Robert  
Morris, Robert Webb, and Michael Holland, thence on Holland's line  
South五十 degrees East two hundred and eighty poles to two corner white Oak  
standing on Shady Ground thence on the said Morris's old line, north four  
degrees West, two hundred fifty four poles to the place beginning; the other parcel or  
part of Land containing three hundred & seventy five acres lying and being in  
the County of Warren and bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a corner pole  
marked with four degrees, South one hundred & ninety four poles to a corner  
white Oak thence South two hundred & ninety four poles running and branching to  
two corner white Oaks in Michael Holland's line, thence East two hundred & forty  
seven poles to the beginning, where ever I do give grant & Confirm unto the said  
William Morris above named one Negro fellow named Newport, and all  
other my goods & chattels, household stuff and all other my Substance whatsoever  
in whose hands custody or keeping ever the same are or may be found  
after my decease, his Mother only to have a maintenance out of the said premises  
above mentioned her life time and after her decease To have and to hold all  
and singular the said Goods & chattels and household stuff whatsoever else there is  
Robert Morris, unto the said William Morris to him and his heirs & assigns

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for ever, and from hence forth to his and their own proper use and uses at his and their Wills and pleasure as of their own proper goods and Chattels without any manner of act, notable or denial of me the said Robert Morris or any other person or persons whatsoever, of all which premises I the said Robert Morris have part the said William Morris in full Peaceable and Possession by Virtue whereof

In Witness whereof Robert Morris have hereunto set my hand and seal  
the first day of November anno Domini One thousand seven hundred and fifty four

Signed sealed and delivered being first  
legally stamp'd in presence of

Robert Morris *[Signature]*

Robt R Webb Jr. *[Signature]*  
Marko *[Signature]*  
Robt R Webb Jr. *[Signature]*  
Marko Wm Cook *[Signature]*

At a Court held for Lenore County October 1<sup>st</sup> 1754 This Deed poll from Robert Morris to William Morris was proved by the Oaths of Robert Webb and Robert Webb Jr & William Cook the witness thereto and was ordered to be recorded.

Test in the name of Adams Col. Law

Whereas Joseph Parsons son of Joseph Parsons of the County of Lenore and Mary Woodson Daughter of Stephen Woodson of the same County having declared their intention of taking each other in marriage before several Monthly meetings of the people called Encounters in the said County of Lenore according to the good usage used amongst them and having the Consent of Parents and nothing appearing to obstruct or bar the Validity or soundness of the same These are therefore to Certify all persons whatsoever that the said Joseph Parsons and the said Mary Woodson on the fifth day of the Month called April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and forty seven did personally appear at a publick Meeting of the aforesaid people & others, at the Meeting house near White Oak swamp in the said County and there declare in the said Encounter by the said Joseph Parsons did take the said Mary Woodson by the hand and did openly declare as followeth viz: You are my Witness that I take Mary Woodson to be my Wife promising to be unto her a true and loving Husband until Death and then immediately after the said Mary Woodson did take the said Joseph Parsons by the hand and did openly declare as followeth viz: You are my Witness that I take Joseph Parsons to be my Husband promising to be unto him a true loving and obedient Wife until Death and the said Joseph Parsons and Mary Parsons his now wife for a further Confirmation of their said Marriage have to these presents set their hands the said Mary having taken her self the said

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and names of the said Paraph, And whereof whose names are likewise subscribed being present  
amongst others at the solemnization of the said Marriage and Subscription whereof said  
dishes & Utensils above Set out: Are as follows:

Joseph Parsons  
Jos Parsons, Mary Woodson, Stephen Woodson &  
Alice Woodson, Mary Woodson, Carlton Woodson &  
Eliz Woodson All say present & Judith Woodson &  
Jemima Bell.

At a Court held for Orange County November 1<sup>st</sup> 1764 This Marriage Contract  
between Joseph Parsons and Mary Parsons his wife was acknowledged by Joseph  
Parsons one of the parties thereto, and ordered to be Recorded.

West. New Hamptons

Orange County Sept 3. 1761 A List of the Goods appraised of Mr. Coffey Deed

	\$ D
To four Corog Cards	5. A. 00
To six Headings	3. 00
To six Draygo	6. 00
To a Cart & Horses	1. 00
To ten Shoots	10. 00
To one Bay Mare	2. 00
To one Bay Mare & Mares Foal	2. 00
To one light Gray Horse	5. 00
To one white Horse	3. 00
To various Goods	3. 00
To one Horse	1. 00
To a Horse Chain of Two Eyed Crows	6. 00
To two Hounds of the same	8. 00
To a Bedding White	3. 00
To a Water Pail & a Drawing Tass	4. 00
To 3 Iron Hots 1/2 bushing 2/	19. 6. 00
To 2 pair Hatchets, two or three ea Steel fork	5. 00
To 1 Shillot 1/ Earth and Wire ga Sifter	5. 00
To old Iron & Pewter 1/	1. 1. 00
To 2 Bedsteads	8. 00
To one Bed furniture & bedding	2. 10
To one small Bed furniture & bedding	1. 10
To one Bed furniture	4. 00
To one Gun & one old Gun 1/2	2. 15

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To two Augmaro Chard Bars & drawing knife	3.-
To a mry Comb & Brushes	2.-
To a Chest Table	6. 0. -
To a pair of Stillards & some Shoemakers Tools 4/-	7. -
To two of a branding Iron & 2 Rearing Books	5. 6.
To a parrall of Old Books	5. -
To a Shovel & a Sowing Wheel	8. -
To one Do 4/- 2 Bushells of Oats & 2 Barrell 2/b	6. 6.
To a parrall of Salt & a Drining Pot 2/-	2. 6.
To 2 Cord Do 2 Barrells & two wheat Sives	6. -
To a Pewter Chamber Pot 3/- a Counter 1/-	4. -
To a Sowing Do & Barrell	2. 6.
To a Barrell 12/- 3 Doce hives wth a Gunstone	1. 3. -
To a Mans Saddle & Bridle	1. 12. -
To the Southants Grazing	5. 0. -
To the fodder	1. 0. -
To a Table Chair & Bottles	4. -
To nine Hives	2. 2. 6.
To a Lyde East 3/- a Pewter plate & frying pan 1/-	7. -
To Smoothing Irons	6. -
To sum Leather	1. -
To one stool and one drawing knife	2. -
To one Do and two Sheets	6. -
To a parrall Glasses at the Landing not Valued	-

In Obedient to the order of Court we have appraised the Estate of John Oakley deceased  
Richard Williamson, Jam: Allen, Alex Robertson his mark,

At a Court held for Denico County November 4 1754 this Inventory and  
Appraisement of the Estate of John Oakley deceased was returned into Court and  
was ordered to be Recorded:

*Court No. 1 Adams Co.*

*John Oakley*  
*6 June 1754*  
*John Oakley*

This Indenture made the twenty fifth day of November in the year  
of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty four between John Gunn  
of the County of Denico of the one part and James Gunn of the same County  
of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Gunn  
for and in Consideration of the natural Love and Affection which he hath and  
doth bear unto James Gunn and for the better Maintenance and Education of  
him the said James Gunn hath Given Granted Aloud Infected and  
by these presents doth Give Grant Alien Enfeof and Confin unto  
the said James Gunn his heirs and Assigns Two hundred and fifty

acres of Land lying and being in the aforesaid County of Devon to the said two hundred and fifty acres of Land being half or part of that Tract of Land whercon I now live and the said Two hundred and fifty acres of Land being the Place or Parcell of Land whercon James Gunton now lives and all and singular the Leases, Orchards, feedings Woods, underwoods, Cottages, Common of Pasture, ways Paths, Passages, waters water courses profits Commodities, Advantages, Appurtenances and Appertenances whatsoever to the said Messuages, Tenements Lands and Premises above mentioned or any part thereof belonging or in way appertaining or therewith commonly used Occupied or Enjoyed or accepted Reputed, taken or known as a part parcell or belonging of or to the same, And the Reversion and Reversions, Remainder and Remainders, Rights and Liberties of all and singular the said Premises and all his Right Title, Interest property claim and demand whatsoever of him the said John Gunnis and to the said Messuage Lands and Premises and of in and to every part and parcel thereof with their and every their appurtenances and all Deeds Evidence and writings concerning the said Premises only or only or any part thereof now in the Lands or Custody of the said John Gunnis To have and to hold the said Messuage or Tenement Lands and hereditaments and all and singular the Premises hereby granted or Conveyed or mentioned or Intended to be granted and Conveyed with their appurtenances unto the said James Gunton his heirs and Assigns To the only Proper Use and behoof of him the said James Gunton his heirs and Assigns for ever And the said John Gunnis for himself his heirs Executors Administrators doth Exponent Promiss and Grant to and with the said James Gunton his heirs and Assigns by these presents that he the said James Gunton his heirs and Assigns shall and lawfully may from henceforth for ever hereafter Peaceably and Quietly have hold and Occupy possess and Enjoy the said Messuage or Tenement Lands and Tenements above mentioned to be lawfully Granted with their and every their appurtenances free Clear and Lawful as well and sufficiently saved and kept harmless of and from all former and other Grants Bargains Sales Gifts Instruments and of and from all other Titles Troubles Charges and Imblemances whatsoever had made committed done or suffered or by him or any of them other person or persons lawfully claiming to claim by from or under them any or either of them In Witness whereof the said John Gunnis have hereunto set my hand and Seal the day and year above written, Anno the XXVII<sup>th</sup> year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King George the second,

John Gunnis

At a Court held for Devon County the second day of December 1754 John Gunnis acknowledged this Deed of gift to his son James Gunnis to be his acts and Deeds which was ordered to be Recorded

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The Estate of Richard Crumman Decreas'd is as followeth -

Eleven head of Cattle & fifteen head of Hogs, one Mare & Colt & four Sheep, and  
 Saddle & Bridle, Three feather Bed & furniture, two Chairs & two tables & four  
 Two Dooms materials to them, Three Spinning Wheeles & two Water Pails  
 and two Tubs, one watering Tub and five Cyder Jugs, two Iron Potts and  
 pair Woods, four Peter dishes & one Basin and six plates and one Pewter  
 Pan and one Pewter Tankard, one Box Iron and one Krugger Sandclock  
 One great Bible and five German Books, /  
 Aforesaid Account being the full Estate, of the said Richard Crumman  
 Decreas'd so far as I know or believe, As I witness my hand this fourth  
 day of November One thousand hundred and fifty four, /

Abraham Crumman

At a Court held for Amherst County Nov 4<sup>th</sup> 1754 Abraham Crumman  
 Presented his Inventory of the Estate of Richard Crumman deceased,  
 which was Ordered to be Recorded, /

Test. Tho. Adams Et Cetera

This Indenture made this second day of December in the year of our  
 Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty four between Col. Richard Randolph  
 of Amherst County of the one part, and Miles Garbright of the Parish and County  
 aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Col. Richard Randolph for  
 the Consideration of the sum of Eighty five pounds current Money to him in hand paid  
 by the said Miles Garbright the receipt whereof he doth here acknowledge  
 doth give Grant Abargain and Sell Alien Enfeoff and Confirm and by  
 these presents doth Give Grant Abargain and Sell Alien Enfeoff and Confirm unto  
 the said Miles Garbright and to his heirs and assigns for ever a certain Tract or  
 Parcell of Land containing four hundred and thirty three acres lying and being  
 in Amherst County on Elkaborning River on the South side boyning the land of  
 John Allen on the said River and Joseph Childers and William Garbright it  
 being the Parcell of Land that was left him by his father Col. Richard Randolph deceased  
 together with all the Right title property possession inheritance claim and demand  
 whatsoever of him the said Randolph of in or to the same or to any part thereof or  
 with all Ordinaries Accoues offeures, and all the Improvements thereto belonging as  
 in any way appertaining with all Wood, Mader wood, Water and Water course, to the  
 same belonging To have and to hold the said Tract or parcell of Land with all the  
 appurtenances and appendances belonging thereto of what Nature or Kind so ever  
 unto the said Miles Garbright to his heirs and assigns for ever unto the proper  
 use, benefit and behoof of him the said Miles Garbright and to his heirs and  
 assigns for ever, with the Reversion and remainder otherwise in as full and as ample  
 manner to all Intents and Purposes as if the same had been Granted to the said  
 Garbright by Statute, and the said Col. Richard Randolph doth Covenant and  
 Agree to and with the said Miles Garbright that he the said Col. Richard

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his heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns shall and will by these presents for ever warrant  
and defend the said Lands and Premises unto the said Miles Garbright and his heirs & Assigns -  
for Ever and that he will from thenceforward at all times hereafter within the Term of Thirty  
Years from the date hereof make any other Assumption or Surveying by Deed or otherwise  
for the said Lands as shall by the said Miles Garbright be required him his heirs Executors  
Administrators or Assigns the same to be at the proper Costs and Charge of the said - -  
Miles Garbright his heirs and Assigns. In Witness whereof the said Col Richard  
Randolph hath set his hand and seal the day & year above written.

Signed Sealed and delivered  
In presence of me --

Richard Randolph, Esq;

Wm. Duguid } Sam & Garbright  
Alex Robertson }



At a Court held for Henrico County February 5<sup>th</sup> 1756 Richard Randolph Gent  
acknowledges this Indenture of indenture made before Miles Garbright to be his Agent  
and it is here ordered to be recorded.

Test. Thos Adams Esq

This Indenture made the tenth day of September in the year of our Lord God  
One thousand seven hundred and fifty four Between David Atkins of the County of -  
Henrico and Parish within the Colony of Virginia Planter of the one part William  
Atkins son of the said David Atkins of the County Parish and Colony aforesaid as  
Planter of the other part witnesseth that the said David Atkins doth Give & Grant  
unto the said William Atkins one acre or parcel of Land or Woodland Ground -  
for one hundred acres both the same more or less Situate lying and being in the said  
County of Henrico & Colony aforesaid and bounded as followeth to wit Beginning  
at a corner scrub white Oak in John Moorebye Line and running thence along  
the said Moorebye Line to a corner Red Oak then running along John Watsons  
Line across swamp a North West Corner to a corner Red Oak in Thomas  
Littles Line thence running down the said Line to a corner scrub white Oak in  
the said Littles Line thence running across the swamp above mentioned along a line  
of staked Trees to the place began at with all land singular the Rights & Conduits  
Appurtenances together with all Edifices, houses & buildings orchards -  
Carcasses, Waters & Water Courses, Timber, Timber Trees and Trees likely to become  
Timber Trees, Woods, Underwood, Swamps, Marshes, Poffits, Common rights -  
Implements, Instruments and appurtenances whatsoever to the said  
Piece or parcel of Land or Woodland Ground and premises or to any part  
thereof belonging or in anywise appertaining To have and to hold  
the said Piece or parcel of Land or Woodland Ground and all and singular other the  
Premises hereby Granted and Given or mentioned or Intended to be hereby  
Granted and Given with their and every of their Rights & Imbore and

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appurtenances unto the said William his heirs and assigns for Ever To the only proper  
Mort and Detr of the said William his heirs and assigns for ever more / the said William his  
heirs and assigns paying the rents and performing the services which shall hereafter from  
time to time become due and payable for and in respect of the premises aforesaid  
unto our Sovereign Lord the King his heirs and successors only heretofore (or hereafter)  
and the said David Atkins for himself and his heirs the said part or partall of Land and  
Woodland Ground and Singular the premises before Granted and Given with their and  
every their appurtenances unto the said William and his heirs to the only proper  
Mort and Detr of the said William his heirs and assigns for ever against him the said David  
Atkins and Magdelin his wife and their heirs and assigns and all and every other person  
or persons whatsoever claiming by from or under him than or any of them or  
claiming by from or under any other person or persons whatsoever the said David  
Atkins shall and will warrant and for ever defend by these presents In witness  
Whereof each of the parties above named to this present Indenture hath subscribed  
thereto and sealed have set the day and year above written:

Sealed and delivered in presence of David Atkins  
Pierre Guffing, Thos. Merritt mark  
Magdelin Atkins  
mark

Memorandum that full and payable possession and Seizure of the said or partall of  
Land or Woodland Ground and premises within mentioned was Given and delivered  
by the within named David Atkins unto the within mentioned William Atkins to  
hold to him his heirs and assigns for ever according to the true Intent and Meaning  
of the within written Indenture by us and during the tenth day of Sept<sup>r</sup> In the year of  
Our Lord God One thousand eight hundred and forty four. In presence of  
Pierre Guffing, Thos. Merritt

At a Court held for Deniro County December 2<sup>d</sup> 1754 David Atkins acknowledged  
his Land of Esse to his Son William Atkins together with the Survey of same Endowed  
to be his Atle and Deed or writing whereof were Ordered to be Recorded per

Jes<sup>t</sup> Thos<sup>s</sup> Adams Attorney

To all M<sup>r</sup> & W<sup>m</sup> whom these presents shall come WITNESS that I,  
Thomas Conaway of the Parish and County of Deniro for divers good Causes  
and Considerations but more especially for and In consideration of the said good  
Will and Affection that I bear to my well beloved Son James Conaway and my  
well beloved Grandson Thomas Conaway son of the said James Conaway I have  
Given Granted and Confirmed and by these presents doth Give Grant and Confirm  
unto the said James Conaway and Thomas Conaway (that is to say) unto the said  
James Conaway during his Natural life and after his decease unto his son Thomas  
Conaway one certain parcel or tract of Land containing by Estimation Sixty eight  
acres lying and being in the Parish and County of Deniro and bounded as

to all Beginning at a corner White Oak in John Shocakers Line and running thence along a  
 line of trees marked Crofton's line thence to a point in Watson's line thence along Watson's  
 line to Ricketts line thence along Ricketts line to Kelly's line thence along Kelly's line  
 to John Shocakers line thence along his line & thence beginning with all lands or Richards  
 lands thereabouts Woods, Waters and advantages whatsoever to the same belonging or in any  
 way appertaining To have and to hold the said lands & liberties of land more or less  
 and premises with their and every their appurtenances unto me said son during his  
 natural life and after and after his decease to my said Grandson Thomas Conaway  
 his heirs and assigns for ever And I do by these presents warrant and defend  
 the said Parcell or Tract of Land unto my said son and after his decease unto him  
 said Grandson Thomas Conaway his heirs and assigns for ever against his  
 heirements and Administrators and against all other persons whatsoever In witness  
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty day of January  
 in the year of our Lord 1755.

Thomas A. Conaway Esq.  
Wm,

Signed and Sealed in presence of

Memorandum that on the twentieth day of January in the year of our Lord  
 one thousand seven hundred and fifty five fully payable possession and delivery of  
 the land and premises herein granted was delivered by the testator mentioned in  
 Thomas Conaway unto Richard James Conaway to hold to the said James Conaway  
 during his life and after his decease to his son Thomas Conaway his heirs and assigns for  
 ever, in presence of me,

At a Court held for Henrico County January 20<sup>th</sup> 1755 Thomas Conaway acknowledged  
 this Deed of gift to his son James Conaway to be his Act and Deed &  
 which was ordered to be recorded.

Test: Thos Adams B. C. S.

This Indenture made the fifth day of January in the year of our Lord One  
 thousand seven hundred and fifty five Between Matthew Bridgman of  
 Chesterfield County of his one part and Ezekiel Bridgman of Henrico County of the  
 other part Witnesseth that the said Matthew Bridgman for and in Consideration of  
 the sum of three pounds current money of Virginia to him in hand paid Matthew  
 Bridgman paid by the said Ezekiel Bridgman before the concluding thereof, hath  
 given Granted sold aliened and bartered and by these presents doth give  
 Grant Bargain Sell Alien and Convey unto the said Ezekiel Bridgman his  
 heirs and assigns one certain Parcell or Tract of Land lying and being in Henrico  
 County containing fifty acres more or less bounded as followeth Beginning on the  
 Crookant Road on John Danwood's line thence along Danwood's line to a line  
 running thence along Ricks line to William Stone's line thence along Stone's  
 line to the Road thence up the Road to the beginning together with all profits and  
 emoluments thereunto belonging and also all the Right Title Interest Claim and  
 demand of him the said Matthew Bridgman his and to all and singular the premises  
 To have and to hold all and singular the premises aforesaid unto the said

Zephaniah Bridgeman his heirs and Assignees for Ever To the only Proper use and  
Schoof of him the said Zephaniah Bridgeman his heirs and Assignees for Ever And the  
said Matthew Bridgeman for himself his heirs Executors and Administrators doth in  
further Covenant and Agreement with the said Zephaniah Bridgeman his heirs and  
Assignees that the above Bargained and Sold premises against the claim of  
him the said Matthew Bridgeman his heirs and Assignees for Ever and all  
other persons whatsoever unto the said Zephaniah Bridgeman his heirs and Assignees  
for Ever Will warrant and defend In Witness whereof the said  
Matthew Bridgeman hath set his Hand and Seal the day and year  
first above written.

Signed Sealed and Dated in presence of

Matthew Bridgeman Esq;

At a Court held for Meuro County January the 6<sup>th</sup> 1751 Matthew  
Bridgeman Acknowledged this Deed of Gift to his Son Zephaniah Bridgeman which  
was Ordered to be Recorded

Test Tho. Adams Et Cetera

**I**nventory of the Estate Valentine Freeman Decased  
Six plates two Dishes, one pot, three Pots, two Basins from Woods, Two  
Wheels, one Round Saw, one Tap Adore, Three Cattle, one Mare, one Axe,  
one Hatchet, two Scythes, two Hammers, one Stilett one Loom, one Bedstead  
from Dr. Botts Esq; Lawyer, Of the Estate of Valentine Freeman Decased  
Two Years Past Received Dec 1<sup>st</sup> 1750 by Thos. S. Et Cetera

At a Court held for Meuro County December 2<sup>d</sup> 1751 This Inventory  
of the Estate of Valentine Freeman <sup>was delivered into Court by James Calley</sup> Deced, was Ordered to be Recorded.

Test Tho. Adams Et Cetera

**E**tis Indenture made the second day of December in the year of our  
Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty four Between Richard Randolph  
One of the one part and Phillip Watson Merchant of the other part witnesseth  
that the Richard Randolph for and Consideration of the sum of fifteen  
pounds two shilling and six pence Current Money to him thousand Richard  
Randolph in hand paid at or before his sealing and delivery hereof by the said  
Philip Watson the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge and himself  
therewith fully satisfied Hath Granted bargained and sold and by the said  
present fully and Absolutely Granted bargain and sell unto the said  
Philip Watson his heirs and Assignees Two half acres or more of land lying  
and being in the Town of Richmond in Meuro County one of which said acres  
is described in the plan of the said Town by N. A and was Conveyed by the late  
William Byrd Esq; deceased by deed bearing date the first day of June One thousand

seven hundred and forty unto Richard Randolph deced father of the above named Richard party  
to this present, And the other Lotte & joyning therunto and also all Days Water  
Rights Priviledges and Appurtenances belonging or in any way appertaining unto the said  
Lots or either of them To have and to hold all and singular the Premises aforesaid then and  
every of their Rights Members and Appurtenances unto the said Philip Watson his heirs  
and Assigns To the only proper use and behoof of the said Philip Watson his heirs and  
Assigns for Ever his said Richard Randolph for himself his heirs and Executors  
Administrators and executors of them doth hereby Grant promise & covenant and agree  
to and with the said Philip Watson his heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns  
and every of them that he the said Richard Randolph and his heirs all and singular  
the Premises and every part and parcel thereof unto the said Philip Watson his  
heirs and Assigns against the lawfull & badge claim and demand of all persons  
whatsoever will for ever Warrant and defend the Witness in her of the party's  
aboard hereunto Interchangeably set their hands and affixed their seals  
the day and year first above written

Signed sealed and delivered In presence of

Richard Randolph

At Court held for Henrico County December 2<sup>d</sup> 1754. Richard Randolph  
Gentleman acknowledged his Indenture of Bargain and Sale unto Philip  
Watson Gentleman to be his Act and deed which was recorded.

Test Thos Adams Esq

This Indenture made the sixtieth day of December in the year of our  
Lord God one thousand seven hundred and fifty four Between John Staples of the  
County and parish of Henrico within the Colony of Virginia planter of the one part and  
John Staples son of the aforesaid John Staples of the County parish and Colony aforesaid  
planter of the other. Witnesseth that John Staples herein hath Granted & Given  
thereunto Released Canceled and Confirmed and by these presents doth fully clearly and absolutely  
Grant and Give alien Release cancel and Confirm unto the said John Staples  
and Assigns for ever one piece or parcel of Land or Woodland Ground for fifty acres  
more or less situate lying and being in his parish and County of Henrico and Colony  
aforesaid and on the South side of his name Wamps and bounded as followeth Viz Beginning  
at a corner taken from Drifflinga Line and running thence down the said line to a corner  
of poplar thence crosing the swamp on William Ratmans Line to another corner taken  
at thence running up the said Ratmans line to a corner past in Thomas Plowants line  
on Sancy Branch and running thence down the said Branch to the place began altogether  
with all its Rights Members and Appurtenances together with all houses & other buildings  
Orchards Gardens Water and Watercourses Timber Trees and Trees likely to be  
come Timber Trees Woods Underwoods Swamps Marshes profits Comodities  
Enoluments hereditaments and Appurtenances whatsoever to the said Heire or

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or Parcell of Wood Land Ground and Premises or to any part thereof Belonging  
 or in any wise Appertaining To here and to hold the said Part of Land or  
 Wood Land Ground and all and singular other the Premises herby Granted and  
 Given or mentioned or Intended to be herby Granted and Given with them and every  
 other Right & Member and appurtenances unto the said John his heirs and  
 Assigns for ever To the only proper Heire and Behoof of the said John his heires  
 and Assigns for ever & her said John his heire and Assigns paying the Rents and  
 Performing the Services which shall hereafter from time to come due and  
 due and payable for and in respect of the Premises aforesaid unto our Sovereign  
 Lord the King his heire and Successors only Excepted and forsooth And further  
 John Staples Senior for himself and his heire & his and their heirs or part of Land or  
 Wood Land Ground and all and singular other the Premises before Granted  
 and Given with them and every their appurtenances unto the said John  
 Staples Junior and his heire To the only proper Heire and Behoof of the said John  
 his heire and Assigns for ever against him the said John Staples Junior and  
 any his wife and their heire and Assigns or any of them or claiming by  
 him or under any other Person or Persons whatsoever & the said John Staples  
 Senior shall and will for ever defend by these Presents *In Witness whereof*  
 of the parties above named, before present Indenture Intouchable  
 the hands and seals have set the day and year first above written  
 Sealed and delivered In presence of } John T Staples (L.S.)  
 Sirs Griffing, Wm. Atkns, Wm. Gunning } Anne A Staples (L.S.)

Memorandum that full and peaceable Possession and Seizure of the said or  
 Parcell of Land or Wood Land Ground and Premises within mentioned was  
 Given and delivered by the within named John Staples Senior unto the within  
 mentioned John Staples Jr. to hold to him to his heirs and Assigns for ever  
 according to the true intent and meaning of the within written Indenture  
 by Test and Twig the sixteth day of December In the Year of our Lord God 1751.

In the Presence of the said Sirs Griffing  
 Wm. Atkns William Gunning

At a Court held for Venoro County the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1755 Also  
 Dode of First witness the delivery of Seizure Indorred from John Staples and  
 Anne his wife to their son John Staples was proved by the Oath of the  
 witnesses thereto, and Ordred to be Recorded

Test Thos Adams Et Cetera

To all People to whom these papers shall come David Burns of the  
 County and Parish of Deniro and Greeting Now Iealme & I the said David  
 Burns for and in Consideration of the Natural Love and affection which I have  
 and do be bear unto my sons David Burns, Joseph Burns, Dionishous Burns, Peter  
 Burns, and Christopher Burns and for the better Maintenance and Keerewood of  
 them David, Joseph, Dionishous, Peter and Christopher also for other good Reasons  
 and Considerations methinkes moving Me Give Grant and Confirm unto them my said Sons  
 David Burns, Joseph Burns, Dionishous Burns, Peter Burns, Christopher  
 Burns and their heirs and assigns for Ever All thee Carles or Parcellot  
 and herem mentioned to witt unto my Son David Burns I Give the upper  
 end of my Land containing fifty five acres of Land and bounded as followeth on the  
 lines of William Stone Captain James Cork Thomas Cork and John Woods or doore  
 Woods line to a corner Oak and from thence along a dale marked line to a head of a  
 Stake and from thence to Stoweline I also Give unto my Son Joseph Burns fifty four  
 acres of Land adjoining the said I Give his Brother David and adjoining the  
 Land that is called Thomas Robinson and on a Survey of same I find  
 running downe Ribton line to a blacke Oak in the said Ribton line from  
 thence a straight line to his Brother David Corner in the Head of Stake I also  
 Give unto my Son Dionishous Burns fifty four acres of Land adjoining the said  
 I gave his Brother David and Joseph and adjoining on a Survey of same Ribton  
 and from thence a straight line to the land of William Sleeming Cork and so  
 running up Corks line to a corner Pine of Cork and Woods thence along Woods  
 line to another white Oak thence further along Woods line to a corner Oak whereon  
 my Son David Burns I also Give unto my Son Peter Burns fifty five acres of Land It  
 being the plantation whercon I now live and adjoining the said I gave his Brother  
 Dionishous and adjoining on William Sleeming Cork Michael Conrod and John  
 Danvers and from thence a straight line to Gilleye Creek so downe the Creek to  
 Ribton line so a long Ribton line to the line of his Brother Dionishous I also  
 Give unto my Son Christopher Burns fifty five acres of Land lying on the  
 South side of Gilleye Creek and adjoining on William Rose John Danvers  
 and his Brother Peter all which Carles or Parcellot of Land I Give unto my  
 said Sons David Burns, Joseph Burns, Dionishous Burns, Peter Burns  
 and Christopher Burns and their heirs for ever behoove me or else  
 To have and to hold wchso and enjoy all and singular the above mentioned  
 Carles or Parcellot of Land with them and every their appurtenances unto the  
 said David Burns, Joseph Burns, Dionishous Burns, Peter Burns and  
 Christopher Burns to them and their heirs and assigns for Ever To his

Only Proper use and behoove of them the said David Birnes, Joseph Birnes,  
 Dionisius Birnes, Peter Birnes and Christopher Birnes to them and their  
 and their heirs for ever and the said David Birnes doth Covenant and Agree  
 that he will for ever warrant the said Brarts or Partels of Land from him  
 & all or any person claiming under him unto the said David Birnes Joseph  
 Birnes Dionisius Birnes Peter Birnes and Christopher Birnes to them  
 and their heirs as aforesaid. At Wiltshire whereof I do hereby set my  
 Hand and Affix my Seal this thirtieth day of December Anno Domini  
 one hundred and fifty five.

David Birnes.

Signed Sealed and delivered In  
 presence of, Joseph Lewis, Teste  
 James William Barnes.

*Memorandum* that on the thirtieth day of December Anno Domini One thousand  
 seven hundred and fifty five I promis and peaceably possesse and delivery of the  
 within mentioned lands and premises with the appurtenances thereto as  
 had and taken by the within named David Birnes and given his proper  
 delivery unto the within named David Birnes Joseph Birnes Dionisius  
 Birnes Peter Birnes and Christopher Birnes according to the true intent &  
 meaning of the within written Deed witness whereof David Birnes  
 hath hereunto set his hand /  
 Test Joseph Lewis, John Barnes, William Barnes / David Birnes

At a Court held for Dennis County December 21<sup>st</sup> 1755 David Birnes  
 acknowledged his Deed poll to his sons David, Joseph, Dionisius,  
 Peter and Christopher Birnes to his wife Anne Adams and Deed and also the delivery  
 aforesaid Indorsed which was ordered to be Recorded.

Cest Thos Adams C. C.

To all people to whom these presents shall come I John Allen of  
 the County and Parish of Dennis send Greeting. KNOW YE that I the  
 said John Allen for and in consideration of the love and natural  
 affection which I have and bear unto Susanna Williamson Allen my  
 daughter and for the better maintenance and livelihood of her husband  
 Joannia Williams and also for other good Causes and Considerations  
 mentioned in writing Do my Will Granted and Confirmed  
 and by these presents Do Give Grant and Confirm unto the said  
 Susanna Williamson Allen and her heirs and assigns for ever  
 one acre of land named Phillips and her Increase and Twenty

Pounds Current Money unto his heire said Isabella Williamson Allen <sup>To</sup>  
have and to hold the said Negro Girl and her Increases and Twenty  
Pounds Current Money unto my said Daughter Isabella Williamson Allen  
and her heirs and assigns for ever to her own proportion and uses And the  
said John Allen doth give and deliver unto my said Daughter Isabella Williamson  
Allen the said Negro Girl and her Increases and the twenty Pounds Current Money  
when she my said Daughter shall arrive to the age of fifteen or married  
and the said John Allen the above named Negro Girl and her Increases  
unto my said Daughter Isabella Williamson et al by her heirs and assigns  
against all persons and Persons what so ever with a Warrant and for ever  
defend At Witness whereof Michael John Allen have sett my hand  
and affix my Seal this second day of December anno Domini one thousand  
seven hundred and fifteen years

Sigged Sealed and delivered in presence of } <sup>his</sup> John Allen Esq.  
Joseph Lewis, Dan'l Price, John Jones. Month

At a Court held for Deniro County December 2<sup>d</sup> 1754 John Allen, citizen  
of said County Deed poll to his Daughter Isabella Williamson Allen to be  
his Act and Deed which was directed to be Recorded

Test Tho Adams Esq

This Indenture made the 29<sup>th</sup> day of November 1754 Between  
John Bryan of Deniro County on the one part and James Gaddy of Deniro  
County on the other part Witnesseth that the said John Bryan for and  
in Consideration of Two hundred Pounds Current Money of Virginia the  
payment whereof is hereby secured to the said James Gaddy for payment of an  
Easement unto the said James Gaddy his heirs and assigns for ever  
one acre containing half an acre in the town of Burlimond in the County  
Deniro where lot is marked in a Plan of said Town to have and  
to hold the said lot together with all the Privileges and Advantages there  
unto belonging to the said James Gaddy his heirs and assigns for ever and the  
said John Bryan doth hereby for himself and his heirs warrant the said lot  
to the said James Gaddy and his heirs and assigns all persons what so ever  
in Witness whereof he hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day  
and year above mentioned. John Bryan Esq

At a Court held for Deniro County the 5<sup>d</sup> 1755 John Bryan acknowledged  
this Deed before the Notary of Deniro endorsed to Jam: Gaddy to be his act Deed  
then delivered and signed John being exonerated by part from his said husband  
dissolved his Right of Dwelling in the lot by this Deed Exonerated all which he did  
by his Deed of sale

Witnessed and Confirmed before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of November 1754 and by me signed and sealed  
John Bryan and James Gaddy

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To all M<sup>r</sup> Men whom these presents shall come Greeting —  
I knowe that D<sup>r</sup> Thomas Alley of the Parish and County of Deniro  
for the love good will and affection that I have toward my well beloved  
son Edmund Alley have Granted Given and confirmed and by these  
presentes Give Grant and Confirm unto my aforesaid son Edmund  
Alley his heirs and assigns for ever one certain Tract or parcel of Land  
Containing two hundred acres more or less lying and being in the  
Parish and County of Deniro on Stony Run and bounded as follows etc  
to wit Beginning at two openish Oaks corner on William Elliss line running  
along the said Elliss line to a corner pine of the said Elliss then leving  
Elliss line continuing the said Comer to another pine then a rock last  
ward running along aline to another pine tree then turning Southward  
along aline to another Oak and pine of Thomas Alley. And then turning  
and running along the said Alley line where it began with all houses  
Richards Gardens fencs Woods waters and advantages whatsoever to the  
same belonging or any way appertaining To have and to hold all and  
the hundred acres of land and premises with their and every their appur-  
tenances to my said son Edmund Alley him his heirs and assigns for ever and by  
duly these presents for himself his executors and administrators  
Covenant Grant and Agree to and with my said son Edmund Alley his  
heirs and assigns for ever that the said Thomas Alley my heirs executors  
and Administrators the above Granted Land and premises unto my  
said son Edmund Alley his heirs and assigns against me the said Thomas  
Alley my heirs executors Administrators and against all other persons  
whatsoever do by these presents & warrant and for ever will defend In  
Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this second day  
December in the year of our Lord, One thousand seven hundred fifty four —

Signed sealed and delivered in presence of — Thomas A. Alley  
John Alley, David Alley and his Mark

Memorandum that on the second day of December in the year of our Lord One  
thousand seven hundred fifty four then full and peaceable possession taken  
of all the land and premises within Granted was received by the said Thomas  
Alley son to the said Edmund Alley by Tisco Daigz in presence of John Alley  
David Alley and his Mark.

At a Court held for Deniro County December 2<sup>d</sup> 1754 Thomas Alley witness  
the Deed of Gift with the Survey of the land so given to his son Edmund Alley to be  
his heirs and assigns which were ordered to be recorded —

Test Thos Adams Esq

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D: The Estate of Samuel Richardson to Joseph Parson Executor

To Paid Pleasant Cork	15.00. 00
To Robt Allen Jun (over)	3.17. 05
To Matthew Hobson	0. 6. 3
To Holden Taylor / Inspector	0. 3. 0
To Mr Oliver	1. 14. 7
To Capt John Watson	72. 4. 8
To John Watson Jun	2. 5. 10
To Jeremiah & Pearce & Wade	3. 10. 0
To Cottrell Mens for 1742	0. 6. 1½
To Ditto for Ditto	0. 8. 10?
To Ditto in Corkland	0. 18. 6½
To Thomas Orton by Hobson	5. 6. 1
To Matthew Hutchinson	3. 0. 0
To Joseph Hopkins	0. 15. 0
To Charles Turnbull	70. 18. 1
To Mr Heneage	6. 19. 7½
To Robert Cook	0. 7. 9
To Cash Paid Capt John Watson	13. 11. 8
To Dr White dead per Dr Lincoln July	8. 1. 3
To John Coloe	0. 6. 8
To Miles Gary	3. 0. 0
To J Shado	0. 15. 0
To Samuel Glendow on Account Richard Cork	3. 19. 0
To John Morby on Account of Marsh Ambleton	0. 6. 6
To Dr Parson Cork	0. 11. 10
To Rebecca Martin of Bristol	1. 19. 3. 3d
To William Bowden of London	2. 30. 13. 1
... 2½ Per Cent on Ditto	2. 57. 16. 3
To charged on a Protected Bill of Exchange for Mr Stebbins 164. 16. 8	10. 10. 8
To Ditto on a Bill of 15. 16. 2. 0	0. 12. 4
To Capt John Cork for Rent	1. 0. 0
To Robert Morby Cork	1. 5. 0
To Capt John Cork for Rent	3. 0. 0
To Dr Mens for Arrears Land for 1754	0. 4. 3½
To Parkes William Painter	1. 2. 6
To Alex Spearo	3. 10. 7½
To Dr Mens Arrears Land 104 Acre	4. 6.
To Sterling Clark & Company 170. 1ab 015. 1d	0. 2. 6½
To Henry Robinson 17 Cob 10/ff	0. 2. 6½

To Richard French	- - - - -	0. 11 -
To Paul Richard French	- - - - -	19. 6. 8
17. To a Negro Fellow £3: for Samuel Richardson Tenant	- - - - -	40. 0. 0
To a Negro Woman for ditto	- - - - -	38. 0. 0
To a Negro Woman for George Richardson Just	- - - - -	38. 0. 0
To Charles Woodson on his own Account	- - - - -	96. 0. 5
To ditto on account of George Richardson Just	- - - - -	57. 14. 5
To ditto on account of Samuel Richardson Just	- - - - -	17. 14. 5
		<u>858. 8. 7½</u>

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By Cash in the Boxes	- - - - -	122. 15. 7½
By Cash recd for goods by Agnes Richardson	- - - - -	4. 14. 0
By 710 Bob sold to Major John Cole at 15/-	- - - - -	53. 16. 1
By 1655 " ditto sold to Andrew Doulay at 15/-	- - - - -	12. 8. 3
By 1510 Sold at 16/8 per C	- - - - -	37. 11. 8
By Admirell & Admirell of London	£21. 11. 3 Stock	
By Bill on Admirell £27	89. 6. 8	
By Draper Cooper of Bristol	1. 11. 2	
Exchange at 22½ per C	23. 19. 0½	130. 8. 1½
By 13 or 14 in Ayl £25½ Wall sold to John Cole	3. 1. 13. 10½	
By 387 Bob Wood myself at 16/-	2. 18. 0½	
By Charles Woodson for two Negl after	- - - - -	0. 0. 0
By Joseph Scull for John King of Bristol £120. 4. 5 Stock		
Exchange at 20 per Cent	36. 1. 3½	156. 5. 8½
By sundry Outstanding Debts which I received being due in the County	- - - - -	204. 7. 4½
By sundry Store Goods to the amount of £193. 11. 10½ Pounds		
Goods the same being sold at publick Auction at 28 per cent above cost	115. 2. 4½	
		<u>849. 6. 1</u>
By Drallars due to Joseph Parsons	15. 2. 6½	
		<u>£858. 8. 7½</u>

Pursuant to an Order of Deniro September Court Appointing us with Mr Samuel French or any two of us to settle the Accounts between his Estates of Samuel Richardson Deed and Joseph Parsons Executor And in Obedience to the said Court we have audited the said accounts and find the Drallars of fifteen pounds two shillings and six pence the efforlings due from the said Estates of Samuel Richardson to Joseph Parsons Executor as follows under our hands this 14<sup>th</sup> day of September 1754

Isaac Winston Just  
John Williamson

At a Court held for Deniro County February 3. 1755 this act: Per S: C: of the Estates of Samuel Richardson Deed together with the Report of Persons appointed to examine the same were returned into Court and Ordered to be recorded.

Test: Tho: Adams Jr

This Indenture made this first day of February in the year of our Lord Christ  
 One thousand seven hundred and fifty five Between William Ford of the Parish  
 and County of Demiro of the one part and Samuel Ford of the Parish and County  
 aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said William Ford for and in  
 Consideration of the sum of Ten pounds current Money of Virginia to him in  
 hand paid by the said Samuel Ford the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowl-  
 edge himself fully satisfied contented and paid hath given Granted bargained  
 and sold Aland Unfeoffed and Convinced and by these presents Doth give Grant  
 Bargain Sell Unfeoffed and Convinced unto the said Samuel Ford his heirs and assigns  
 for ever One certain tract or parcel of Land containing one hundred acres more  
 or less situate lying and being in the Parish and County of Demiro aforesaid  
 and is bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a corner pine on John Morebys  
 Line thence on the said Morebys line to a corner Red Oak thence on a line of  
 James Buttons to a corner Red Oak thence on the said line to the dividing line  
 which divides the said Samuel Fords land and David Fords hence on the dividing line  
 line to the place began with all Advances or Rands or garden feanted Woods  
 Waters and Watercourses whatsoever belonging to have and to hold  
 the said one hundred acres of Land and premises with their appurtenances together with  
 the remainder and remainder thereof unto the said Samuel Ford his heirs and assigns  
 for ever And the said William Ford for himself his heirs Executors and Administrato-  
 rds doth Covenant Grant and Agree to and with the said Samuel Ford his heirs and assigns  
 by these presents that the said land is free and clear from all other Sales Deeds De-  
 fects and Inconveniences whatsoever that the said Samuel Ford hath Rightfull  
 Power and Lawfull and absolute Authority to Convey make chale diopone et of the said  
 Land and the said William Ford his heirs Executors and Administrators the aforesaid  
 Land and premises with their appurtenances unto the said Samuel Ford his heirs  
 and assigns against him the said William Ford his heirs Executors and Administrators  
 and against all other person or persons whatsoever doth by these presents warrant and  
 will for ever defend In witness whereof he hath hereunto set his hand and  
 Seal the day year and Month first above written.

Witnessed and subscribed in presence of us William W. Ford his  
 John Comett, Willm Jennings, Richd Allen.

Memorandum that on the first day of February in the year of our Lord 1755 witness  
 and hearable before us Seignors of all the Lands and Premises within granted was delivered by the  
 said Mr. Ford unto the said Samuel Ford his heirs and assigns for ever in the presence of us  
 John Comett, Willm Jennings, Richd Allen,

A Court held for Demiro County February 3, 1755 This Indenture of a Bargain and  
 Sale made the day of Feby last record from William Ford to Sam. Ford was proved by the Oath  
 of the Testes proposito and were Ordered to be Recorded

Cest Tho. Adams Et Cest

This Indenture made this day of February One thousand seven hundred  
and fifty five Between John Williamson of the County of Henrico of the one part  
and Philip Watson of the Town of Richmond and County aforesaid of the other part  
Witnesseth that the said John Williamson for and in Consideration of the sum of  
Twenty Pounds current Money to him in hand paid by the said Philip Watson the  
Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath Granted and bargained and  
sold and by these presents doth Grant and bargain and sell unto the said Philip  
Watson and his heirs One plantation tract or parcel of land situated lying  
and being in the County of Henrico aforesaid Containing One hundred and six  
acres more or less being one tract of land Granted by patent unto William  
Harbenton and by Deed from James Woodfin Esquire of the last will and  
Testament of the said Harbenton transferred unto the said John Williamson  
Aforesaid and by the said patent is described to have and to hold the said  
tract of land together with the Rents and Appurtenances thereto  
belonging also the Rents and Profits thereon and remainder thereof  
to the said Philip Watson and his heirs to the only proper use and behoof of  
the said Philip Watson his heirs and assigns for ever And the said John  
Williamson doth Covenant Grant and Agree to and with the said Philip  
Watson that he will warrant and defend the Title of the Land and premises  
hereby bargained and sold to the said Philip Watson against him the said  
John Williamson and against all other persons whatsoever and that he  
will make any other Conveyance and Conveyances whatsoever as he then  
said Watson as his Council Learned in the Law shall require In Witness  
the said John Williamson hath hereto set his hand and Seal the day and  
year within & written

John Williamson *J.S.*

At a Court held for Henrico County February 9. 1755 John Williamson  
acknowledged this Indenture of bargain and sale unto Philip Watson  
to be his child and son by his wife to the said John being examined  
privily and apart from her said husband relinquished her Right of Recovery  
in the Land by this Deed Conveyed which was ordered to be recorded.

Test Thos Adams Notary

This Indenture made and concluded this third day of February  
One thousand seven hundred and fifty five Between John Lipscomb of the  
County of Henrico planter of the one part and Philip Watson of the Town  
of Richmond and County aforesaid Merchant of the other part Witnesseth that  
the said John Lipscomb for and in Consideration of the sum of forty pounds  
current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Philip Watson  
before the Escalping and delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof he  
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doth hereby acknowledge and receipt of every Part and Parcell thereof doth fully clear  
and Absolve him, Aggrieved or otherwise and to discharge the said Philip Watson his Executors and  
Administrators by these presents and for diverse other Good Causes and Considerations herein  
heretounto moving, he the said John Lipcomb hath Granted bargained sold aliened  
Released and Confirmed and by these presents doth Grant to bargaine sell alien  
Release and Confirm unto the Philip Watson and his heirs All that certaine  
Tenement and Ground of Land whereon the said John Lipcomb now liveth situate  
Lying and being in the Parish of Denito and County before named near Westham  
Containing Two hundred acres more or less being one fiftie of four hundred acres  
Granted by Patent unto John Price and by a certaine Indenture of 2daugust and  
Sale subscribed by the said John (by the name of John Price of the Parish and County  
of Denito) Conveyed unto the said John Lipcomb and the said Two hundred acres  
is bounded as followeth to w<sup>t</sup>ll Beginning at a corner & White Oak in the line of  
the Land of the Honourable William Dyer Esq<sup>r</sup> then along thence along the  
line of the said Dyer to the line of John Williamson the Elder thence along  
the said Williamson's line to a white Oak in Jonathan Dridgewater's line  
thence along a strait line of discretakē Trees of the Land of William Dyer  
and along the line of the above named William Dyer to the Beginning and all  
and Singular Houses Building Grounds yards Gardens orchards  
Stunes Woods Hayes Waters and Appurtenances to the same belonging or in  
anywise appertaining and also the Rectorian and Vicarous Remainder and  
Remainders Right Title Interest Claim and demand whatsoever in the said  
John Lipcomb his and to all and singular the said premises and in and to all and  
every Part and Parcell thereof to have and to hold the said Bargainer or  
Intended to be hereby Granted bargained and sold with their and every their  
Appurtenances unto the said Philip Watson his heirs and assigns to him his  
Master and Schoole of him the said Philip Watson his heirs and assigns for ever and to  
the said John Lipcomb for himself and his heirs the said Bargainer or Tenant  
and all and singular other the premises with their and every their Appurtenances unto  
him the said Philip Watson his heirs and assigns against him the said John  
Lipcomb his heirs and assigns shall and will warrant and for ever defend and  
against all other Persons & their waives In Witness whereof the said John  
Lipcomb hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first written mentioned

Signed Sealed and Delivered  
In presence of us

John Lipcomb. (S. L.)

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**M**emorandum that the day and year within written witness and  
pearable possession and Seign of the Lande wherein mentioned was given  
by the within named John Spacombe to the within named Philip  
Watson, In presence of . . . . . John Spacombe *S.*

February 3: 1755 Received of Philip Watson forty Pounds in hand  
Money for his Consideration within mentioned *10*

*John Spacombe*

At a Court held for Deniro County February 3: 1755 John Spacombe  
acknowledged the Indenture of Morgan and Sale with the Seign of  
Seign and Receipt Endorsed to Philip Watson Grant to be his acts  
and Deeds which were Ordered to be Recorded.

*Test: Thos: Adams t: t: Cur*

**Q**uis Indenture made December 2: 1754 Between

Joseph Pleasant of the County of Deniro of the one part and Joseph  
Pleasant Jun of the aforesaid County and son of the aforesaid Joseph  
Pleasant of the other part Witnesseth that the said Joseph Pleasant  
for and in Consideration of the love and affection which he hath and  
doth unto his said son Joseph Pleasant Jun doth give and grant  
all his life and Confirme and by these presents doth give and grant  
all his life and Confirme unto the said Joseph Pleasant Jun and to his  
heirs and assigns for ever All that tract of land whiche was lost my  
Brother Robert Pleasant by my Father Joseph Pleasant by other  
will it may and will more plainly appear being by estimation Two  
hundred acres more or less To have and to hold the aforesaid lands and  
premises with the appurtenances and appendances thereto belonging  
unto the said Joseph Pleasant Jun his heirs and assigns for ever unto them  
only proper we and behoof of him the said Joseph Pleasant Jun and his heirs  
and assigns for ever with all the privileges and immunitiess therof with  
every part and parcel thereof and the said Joseph Pleasant for himself his  
heirs doth Covenant and Agree to and with the said Joseph Pleasant  
his Executors Administratores that he the said Joseph Pleasant will for  
ever warrant and defend the aforesaid land and premises with all the  
appurtenances thereto belonging from himself his heirs Executors  
and from every person and persons claiming by him or under him whom  
ever any of them In Witness whereof the party to these presents hath  
hereunto set her hand and seal the day and year above written

*Test: William Bedford, Jacob Buntan, John Price*

*Joseph Pleasant. E.D.*

Memorandum that on the second day of December anno domini 1754 quiet and  
peaceable possession and Seizure of the certaine mentioned Land and Premises with the  
Appurtenances was taken by the certaine mentioned Joseph Pleasant and delivered to  
the within named Joseph Pleasant in due form of Law, And according to the true  
Intent and Meaning of the within Writing Deed.

At a Court held for Denbigh County December 2 1754 Joseph Pleasant acknowledged  
this Deed of Gift with the Divers Endorsed to his Son Joseph Pleasant  
to be his Act and Deed which were ordered to be Recorded.

Cest Sho, Adams C. Cur

This Indenture made the third day of February in the year of our  
Lord Christ One thousand seven hundred and fifty five Between David Staples of the Parish  
and County of Denbigh of the one Part and William Hord of Denbigh County Carpenter of the  
other part Witnesseth that the said David Staples for and Consideration of the  
Sum of Ten Pounds current Money of Virginia to him paid by the said William Hord  
at and before the making and delivery of these Presents the Receipt whereof he  
doth hereby acknowledge hath Given Granted Bargained Sold alienated  
Released and Confirmed And by these presents doth give Grant Bargain  
Sell alien Release and Confirm unto the said William Hord and to his Lessees  
and Assignees for ever One Certain tract or parcell of Land situate lying being  
in the County and Parish of Denbigh aforesaid being part of a tract wherein the  
said David Staples now liveth containing by estimation Sixty acres and somme  
on the lands of Thomas Allen, Henry Allen and the Orphans of George Freeman  
deceased and all Buildings Woods Underwood Standing or Growing upon  
the premises and all Ways easements profits Commodities and appurtenances  
whatsoever thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining and the Reversion  
and Reversions remainder and remainder thereof and all the Right Title  
and Interest Property Claim demand of him the said David Staples  
of and in all and singular the premises with all and every their Tracts  
and all Leases Writings or Monuments of or concerning the said Land and  
Premises To have and to hold the said tract or parcell of Land premises  
herein before mentioned in and or Intended to be hereby Granted with  
all and every their appurtenances unto the said William Hord and to his  
heirs and Assignees for ever And to the only proper use and behoof of him

said William Hord and his heirs and Assigns for ever, And also said David Staples and his heirs the said tract or parcell of Land and all and singular the premises herein before mentioned with the appurtenances unto the said William Hord his heirs and Assigns and to his and their own proper use and uses against the Challenge & claim and demand of all Persons whatsoever shall and will Warrant and for ever defend by these presents  
 In Witness whereof said David Staples hath hereunto sett his hand and seal the day and year first above written

Sealed and Delivered In presence of  
 Robt Burton, Richl: Holland, Henry Ellis}

David Staples

Memorandum that on the third day of February one thousand seven hundred  
 and fifty five in quiet & peaceable Possession and Livens of Seisin of the within  
 Lands and Premises was given to the within named William Hord before  
 the underwritten witness by: — — — — — David Staples  
 Test Robt Burton, Richl: Holland Henry Ellis,

Received February the 3<sup>r</sup> 1755 of William Hord the sum of Ten pounds  
 current money of Virginia being in full the Consideration Money for the  
 within contained Day Received P<sup>r</sup> m<sup>d</sup> — — — — — David Staples

At a Court held for Henrico County February 3<sup>r</sup> 1755 David Staples  
 acknowledged this Indenture of Bargain & Sale with the County of  
 Virginie Receipt Indorsed which were Ordered to be Recorded

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This Indenture made this second day of October in the  
 Year of our Lord Christ One thousand seven hundred and fifty five  
 Between James Carter of Henrico County of the one part and Richard  
 Randolph of the Parish and County aforesaid of the other part — — — — —  
 Witnesseth that the said James Carter Intend for the Consideration  
 of the sum of one hundred and thirty pounds Current Money pounds  
 Current Money to him paid by the said James Carter the Receipt whereof  
 he doth hereby acknowledge HAVE Given Granted Bargained & Sold ahd  
 Lefted and Confirmed and by these presents Do Give Grant Bargain Sell  
 Lefte and Confirm unto the said Richard Randolph Gent and his Heirs and  
 Assigns for ever One certain tract of Land containing One hundred and fifty  
 acres called and known by the name of Curles, situate lying and being on  
 the North side of James River in the Parish of Henrico and County aforesaid  
 which was formerly the inheritance of William Ward and was by him sold

and Conveyed to Abraham Childers and by the said Abraham Childers was Sold and  
Conveyed to John Pleadants the said James Corke Grandfather together with all the  
Right Title Property Possession Inheritance Estate and demand whatsoever of the said  
James Corke Owing to the same or any part thereof with all Leases, Cottages, Servitudes  
and all the Improvements thereunto belonging in any place pertaining with all  
Wood underwood Water & Watercours of the same belonging to have and to hold the  
said Tractor Parcell of Land with all the appurtenances and appendances belonging  
thereto of what Nature or kind soever unto the said Richard Randolph his heirs and  
Assignees for ever unto the proper use benefit and behoof of him the said Richard  
Randolph Gent and to his heirs and Assignees for ever with the Reversion and  
Remainder thereof in as full and as ample manner to all Intents and Purposes as if  
the same had been Granted to the said Richard Randolph by Statute, And the said James Corke  
Gent doth make Covenant and Agree to and with the said Richard Randolph  
Gent that he the said James Corke Gent his heirs Executors and Administrators  
or Assignees shall and will by these presents for ever warrant and defend the said  
Land and Premises unto the said Richard Randolph Gent and his heirs and Assignees  
for ever, and that he will from time to time and at all times hereafter within the term of  
Thirty years from the date hereof make any further Surveying or Surveying by Deed or  
otherwise for the said Land as shall by the said Richard Randolph Gent be required  
him his heirs Executors and Administrators Assignees the same to be at the proper  
Cost and Charge of the said Richard Randolph Gent his heirs and Assignees  
In Witness whereof the said James Corke Gent hath hereunto Set his  
Hand and Seal the day and year above written, SIGNED Sealed and delivered  
in the presence of us R. W. Duguid, Alext Robertson his mark, John. C. Eastright

James Corke — *L.S.*

At Court held for Henrico County February 3, 1755 This Indenture of bargain  
and sale from James Corke to Richard Randolph Gentleman was proved by —  
the Oath of the Deponents thereto and was ordered to be recorded —

*Test. Thos Adams Et al*

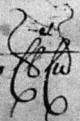
This Indenture made and Concluded this twentyfirst day of January in the  
Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty five Between Richard Childer of the Town of  
Richmond and County of Henrico Virginie of the one part and Mary Obryan  
of the same Town and County Spinster of the other part witnesseth that  
the said Richard for and in Consideration of the sum of twelve pounds

Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Mary Obryan before the sealing and delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof doth hereby Acknowledged and thereof and every part and parcel thereof doth fully Clearly and Absolutely Acquit Exonorate and discharge the said Mary Obryan her heirs Executors and Administrators by these presents to the said Nicholas Scherer **Math** Granted bargained sold althend released and confirmed And by these presents doth give Grant Bargain Sell Alien Release and Confirm unto the said Mary Obryan and her heirs One certain Lot of Land Situate lying and being in the Town and County aforesaid containing half acre and described in a plan of the said Town number fifty two **To have and to hold** the said Lot of Land together with all the Pretilledges and Appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining and also the Rents Profits and Profitts therefrom unto the said Mary Obryan her Heirs and Assigns To the only proper use and behoof of the said Mary her heirs and Assigns for ever And the Reversion and Reversionary Remainders thereof to the said Mary Obryan and her heirs for ever And the said Nicholas Scherer for himself and his heirs the said Lot of Land and all and singular other the premises herein before mentioned unto her the said Mary Obryan her Heirs and Assigns against him the said Nicholas Scherer his Heirs and Assigns shall and will Warrant and for ever defend by these presents In Witness whereof the said Nicholas Scherer hath hereunto set his hand and Seal the day and year first within mentioned

SIGNED Sealed and delivered In the presence of **Nich. Scherer**   
Jacob Ege, George Scherer

**Memorandum** That on the day and year within written, witness and Sealable Recitation and Seign of the Lot within mentioned was Given and made by the within named Nicholas Scherer unto the within named Mary Obryan In presence of **Nich. Scherer** 

At a Court held for Deniro County February 3<sup>rd</sup> 1755 Nicholas Scherer Acknowledged this Indenture of Bargain & Sale with the history of Seign Endorsed to Mary Obryan to be his Act and Deed which were ordered to be Recorded

Test<sup>d</sup> Thos Adams 

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This Indenture made the second day of December in the year of  
our Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty four Between Benjamin  
Burton of Henrico County of the one part, and Jacob Burton of the same  
County of the other part Witnesseth that the said Benjamin Burton for and  
in Consideration of the sum of One hundred pounds Current Money of Virginia  
to him the said Benjamin Burton in hand paid by the said Jacob Burton before  
Sealing hereof hath Given Granted Bargained Sold alienated & confirmed  
and by these presents doth Give Grant Bargain Sell and Confirm unto the  
said Jacob Burton his heirs and assigns one certain Parcell of Land lying &  
being in Henrico County containing Two hundred acres more or less bounded  
as followeth to wit Beginning at Cornelius Creek thence down the said  
Creek to the White Branch thence up the White Branch to John Reants  
line thence along West line to John William's line thence along William's  
line to the Creek so far beginning together with the appurtenances and all profits  
and Imoluments thereunto belonging and also all the Right title Interest Claim  
and demand whatsoever of him the said Benjamin Burton or in and to all  
and singular the premises aforesaid mentioned or intended to be Bargained &  
To have and to hold all and singular the premises unto the said Jacob Burton  
his heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Jacob  
Burton his heirs and assigns for ever, and the said Benjamin Burton for himself  
his heirs executors and assigns doth Covenant and Agree to and with the said  
Jacob Burton his heirs and assigns but at the Sealing and delivery of this  
before the Seiz of an Indeferable Estate in these simple and that he hath good  
Right and lawfull Authority to Convey the same aforesaid, and to said  
Benjamin Burton for himself his heirs executors and administrators doth  
further Covenant and Agree to and with the said Jacob Burton his heirs and  
Assigns the above Bargained and Sold Premises against the Slings of him the said  
Benjamin Burton and all other Persons whatsoever unto the said Jacob  
Burton his heirs and assigns for ever will warrant and defend In  
Witness whereof the said Benjamin Burton hath set his hand and Seal  
the day and year above written. Signed sealed and delivered in the presence  
of us, John Williamson and John Rodford Jr, (John Rodford) <sup>his</sup> <sup>mark</sup> Benj<sup>r</sup> Burton  
At Court held for Henrico County Feb<sup>r</sup> 3<sup>r</sup> 1755 This Indenture of a Bargain  
and Sale from Benjamin Burton to Jacob Burton was proved by the Oath  
of the Witnesses thereto and was Ordered to be Recorded in  
the Office of the Clerk of Henrico County

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This Indenture made this fifth day of June One thousand seven  
hundred and fifty four between William Byrd of Charles City County  
on the one part and Jacob Ege of Henrico County on the other part. Witnesseth  
that the said William Byrd for and in Consideration of the sum of eleven  
Pounds Current Money of Virginia the Receipt whereof he doth hereby  
Acknowledege Doth Give Grant Alien and Confirm unto the said Jacob  
Ege his heirs and assigns for ever One Lot containing half an acre in  
Richmond Town in Henrico County which lot is marked in the Plan of  
the said Town R<sup>e</sup> 50 To have and to hold the said Lot together with all  
the Priviledges and Advantages thereunto belonging, to the said Jacob Ege  
his heirs and assigns for ever, and the said William Byrd doth hereby for  
himself and his heirs and assigns warrant the said Lot to the said Jacob  
Ege and his heirs and assigns, against all Persons and Persons whatsoever  
In Witness whereof he hath hereunto set his hand and Seal the  
day and year above written.

W. Byrd. L.S.

Signed sealed and delivered In the presence of  
Abraham Bowley, Thos Adams, Robert Goodwin

Memorandum that I delivered divers of Seize in my service and trust to the  
writin mentioned Jacob Ege and gasolium and full possession of the Lot  
mentioned on the other side.

At a Court held for Henrico County December 2<sup>d</sup> 1755 Oho  
Indenture with the divers of Seize I delivered from the Honourable  
William Byrd Esq; to Jacob Ege was signed by the Seal of the  
Witnesses thereto which were ordered to be Recorded.

This Indenture made and concluded this 28<sup>th</sup> day of November  
the year of our Lord Christ One thousand seven hundred and fifty four  
Between Edward Burroughs of the County of Henrico of the one part  
and George Williamson of the same County of the other part. Witnesseth  
that the said Edward Burroughs for and in Consideration  
of the sum of twenty seven Pounds Current Money to him in hand paid  
by the said George Williamson the Receipt whereof he the said Edward  
Burroughs doth hereby Acknowledege Doth Grant Bargains and  
Sells, Alien Enfess and Confirm and by these Presents Doth Give  
Grant Bargains and Sells, Alien Enfess and Confirm unto the said George  
Williamson One certain tract or Parcell of Land lying and being

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in the said County and on the North side of Dams River or sometho' Creek - Containing by estimation fifty acres be the sound more or less and bounded as by Deed of Sale for the said Land from Edward Lroughton his Father to the Party to those Presents for the said Land as by the Records of the said County of Dennis doth more at large appear together with the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Demanadas thereof To have and to hold the said Lands with the appurtenances unto the said George Williamson his Heirs and Assigns To the only Proper Use and Benefit of him the said George Williamson his Heirs and Assigns for ever together with all houses Buildings Orchards Woods Waters and a Watercourse with all and singular the appurtenances and appendances thereto belonging or in any wise appurtenant, And the said Edward Lroughton doth further Covenant and Agree to and with the said George Williamson that at the time of severing the Indenture he stood Seized of the said Land in a good & merchantable State of Dilicitaunce in his hands and had a good Right and Lawfull Authority within himself to sell and convey the same in manner and form aforesaid and that he will at all times hereafter warrant and defend the same unto him the said George Williamson and his Heirs for ever not only those claiming under him and his Heirs but from every Persons or Person whatsoever cut from him & time and at all times when required by the said George Williamson his Heirs and Assigns his their Counsell Learned in the Lawe that necessary shall make and execute any other Conveyance either by deed or otherwise for the greater Surety or Securing the Premises at the proper Costs and Charges of him his or their requiring the same In Witness whereof the said Edward Lroughton hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his Seal the day and year first above written,

Edward Lroughton E.S.

Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of Mr. Pleasants Jr., John Bell, John Lroughton, John Williamson &c the words for the greater Surety or Securing the Premises interlined before signed

Memorandum that on the 28<sup>th</sup> day of November Anno Domini 1754 witness and possession of the within mentioned Lands and Tenements was had by the within named Edward Lroughton and by him delivered unto the within George Williamson according to the tenor of the within written deed, and according to Law

Test. John Pleasants Jr. John Bell, John Lroughton, John Williamson

At Court held for Dennis County December 2<sup>nd</sup> 1754 Edw: Lroughton acknowledge this Indenture of Bargain and Sale with the delivery of Seals Indorsed to George Williamson unto him the said Deed then laid before the said Edward being examined Separately and apart from her and no hand charged her right of dower in the land by this Deed Conveyed, all which were Ordore of the Recorder Test. Thos Adams

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This Indenture made the day of December in the year  
of Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty four Between James Britton  
of the County of Warwick Planter of this one part and Samuel Britton his son of  
the other part witnesseth that the said James Britton for and in consideration of  
the sum of One hundred Pounds Current Money of Virginia claim in land  
paid by the said Samuel Britton the Receipt whereof he doth hereby —  
Acknowledeg and thereof and from every part and Partell thereof doth acquit  
and discharge the said Samuel Britton his heirs Executors and Administrators  
for ever of all Right Granted Bargained Sold Aliened Liened and Confirmed as the  
said James Britton doth by these Presents fully Bargain Grant Sell —  
Alien Liened and Confirm from his heirs Executors and Administrators and every  
of them unto the said Samuel Britton and the heirs of his Body lawfully begotten  
for ever A certain tract or Partell of Land Containing about one hundred  
Acres lying and being in the County aforesaid bound as followeth viz —  
Beginning at a young Spanish Oak growing at William Hord and James  
Brittons line and the said hundred Acres to a dead Oak from thence along a new  
line Marked tree dividing betwix the land wherein James Britton  
now lies and the said hundred Acres to a dead Oak corner binding on Willm  
Hordes house along Willm Hords line to a white Oak corner from  
thence along John Cornells line to a white Oak corner from thence along  
Willm Hords line to the Spanish Oak corner and all the lot soe Right  
Title Interest claim Reversion and demandis due to either of them the said  
James Britton In and to the premises and every part and Partell thereof  
and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders —  
Yearly and other rents and Profits of the premises and every part and  
Partell thereof To have and to hold the said one hundred acres  
of Land (more or less) and all and singular other the premises herein before  
mentioned and Intended to be hereby granted with the appurtenances unto  
the said Samuel Britton and the heirs of his Body lawfully Begotten —  
To the use of the said Samuel Britton and his Daugh'ter Jane for ever also the said  
James Britton doth by these Presents fully Bargain make over Statute —  
Transfer and Confirm all and singular the Right Title claim and Interest  
whatsoever he ever had, now hath or at any time or time hereafter shall or  
may have unto the above granted one hundred acres of Land and Premises  
from him the said James Britton his heirs Executors and Administrators —  
for ever and further the said James Britton for himself his heirs Executors —

administrators doth & ever antong grant to and with the said Samuel Britton  
 his heirs Executors & by these presents that he the said names resis and standeth  
 lawfully and lawfully seized of and unto the one hundred acres of land and —  
 premises with their appurtenances of a good due and absolute estate in fee simple  
 and hath a good right and absolute authority to Grant and Convey the same —  
 unto the said Samuel Britton and his heirs according to the import true intent  
 and meaning of these presents and that it shall and may be lawfull bound for the  
 said Samuel Britton and his heirs as aforesaid from time to time and at all times  
 for ever hereafter peaceably and lawfully to hold and enjoy the said one hundred  
 acres of land more or less with its appurtenances without any lawfull lett suit —  
 or interruption of him the said James Britton his heirs or assigns and likewise  
 the said James Britton for himself and his heirs the said one hundred acres of land —  
 and premises with their appurtenances unto the said Samuel Britton and his heirs  
 aforesaid against him the said James Britton and his heirs and all claiming  
 in by from or under him or them or any other person or persons whatsoeuer —  
 he hath and will warrant and defend by these presents In witness whereof  
 the party to these presents have interchangably sett their hand and —  
 affixed seal to the day and year above written.

James B Britton  
mark

Signed sealed and delivered In presence of  
 John Williamson, Henry Burns

David Price

**Memorandum** that I cascled and gave possession of the certain  
 Granted lands and premises was given and Granted unto the certain  
 named Samuel Britton by the certain named James Britton According to the true  
 Intent and Meaning of the certain Deed In which solecise of his having  
 set his hand and seal the day of December 1754

Signed sealed and delivered In the presence of —  
 John Williamson, Henry Burns, David Price

James B Britton  
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At a Court held for Deniro County December 2: 1754 James Britton —  
 Acknowledges this deed of bargain and sale with convey of Seizure dorred —  
 to his son Samuel Britton to be his Att and Deed which were ordered to be recorded

Test: Thos Adams Clll

**This Indenture** made the third day of February in the  
 twenty eighth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King George the  
 second and in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and  
 fifty five Between Ralph Adm of the Parish of Deniro and County  
 of Deniro of the one part and Benjamin Bowles of the Parish of Saint Paul

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in the County of Adamoer Plantation of the other part. Witnesseth that  
Richard Ralph Hunt for and Consideration of the sum of fiftys ffor ducats current  
money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Benjamin Bowles the  
Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath given granted remis-  
sion and for ever quieted and by these presents doth for himself  
and his heirs give Grant Release and for ever quiet claim unto the said  
Benjamin Bowles and to his heirs and assigns for ever All the total Right  
Title, Interest Property claim and demand whatsoever whatsoeuer the said  
Ralph Hunt now hath or which his heirs Executors or Administrators  
or any other Person claiming under him at any time hereafter shall or may have  
or claim either in Law or Equity of or to One certain Tract or part of Land  
Containing one hundred and eighty and a half acres more or less and is  
Bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a corner Willow Oak at the Mouth  
of a Branch called Deep Bottom running up to a white Oak thence East one  
Seventy West One hundred and thirty three poles to a corner & so ad-  
dents and thence North Thirteen West Two hundred and seventeen poles to another  
Pine in Shepherds Line thence North Sixty nine East one hundred and  
fifteen poles to the swamp thence down to the Meander making in a straight  
line two hundred and twenty poles to the beginning Whith said Land and  
Premises was Conveyed unto the said Ralph Hunt by Stephen Hunter  
Together with all Domes, orchards, Gardens, fencs Woods Underwood  
Waters and Watercourses thereon standing growing and being with all  
Profits Comodities and Advantages and appurtenances whatsoever  
to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining and also the Reversion  
Remainder and Remainder thereof and every Part and Parcell thereof  
To have and to hold the said Tract or Dividend of Land and  
Premises with their and every their appurtenances unto the said  
Benjamin Bowles and to his heirs and assigns for ever To the only  
use and behoof of him the said Benjamin Bowles his heirs and assigns  
for ever and to the said Ralph Hunt for himself his heirs do Covenant  
Grant and Agree to and with the said Benjamin Bowles his heirs and  
assigns that he his heirs and assigns shall and may at all times hereafter  
peaceably and quietly have hold and enjoy the said Granted Land and  
Premises free and clear from all Sales gifts Grants Mortgages Right  
of Dower or any other Encumbrance whatsoever whatsoever and both

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the said Ralph Hunt him his heirs shall and will warrant and for ever defend the  
said Granted Land and Premises with the appurtenances unto the said Benjamin  
Bowles his heirs and Assignees for ever. In Witness whereof the said Edward  
Ralph Hunt hath hereto set his Hand and Seal the day and year first above  
Written Sealed signed and delivered in the presence of Ralph Hunt.

Memorandum that on the third day of February One thousand seven  
hundred and fifty five Survey of Seizure of the Lands and Premises mentioned was  
Given to the within named Benjamin Bowles by the within named Ralph  
Hunt.

I then received of Benjamin Bowles the sum of my poundage Money it being  
full for the Lands and Premises within mentioned I am Received of Edward

Ralph Hunt

At a Court held for Dennis County February 3. 1755 Ralph Hunt  
acknowledges his Indenture of Bargain and Sale with the Surveyor of Seizure  
and Receipt Indorsed to Benjamin Bowles to be true and good which  
were Ordered to be Recorded

Cest<sup>t</sup> Tho<sup>r</sup> Adams C<sup>t</sup> 68 b/w

Pursuant to an Order of Dennis County we did on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1755  
Saw of to Elizabeth Ellen the third part of the Estate of Culbert Williamson deceased  
that is to say four Negroes, to wit, Sam'l Bob, Sampson Jane, Seven head of Cattle  
Three Horses and Twenty Pounds Cash and part of the Household Goods, also did  
divide the other part of the Estate between three Orphans as follows to Susanna  
Williamson three Negroes Jos, Lucy and Patt; to Mary Price Jack Sarah  
and Eliza, to Culbert Williamson Two Negroes Moll and Trilla  
These two Negroes equal with the others (who had each of them one more) was  
Added fifteen pounds left unprovided for the use of the Orphans, thirteen head  
of cattle four Horses three Stares and a Part of Household Goods Certified  
under our hands and Seals

Philip Maynor  
William Jones

At a Court held for Dennis County December 2. 1754 This Report of  
the division of the Estate of Culbert Williamson deceased was Presented in  
Court and Ordered to be Recorded

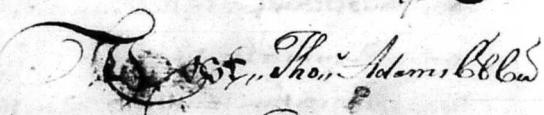
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All Inventory of the estate and appraisement of William Taylor Deceased taken by the subscribers this 2 <sup>nd</sup> February 1755 being first Court before Colonel Richard Randolph	£ 12. 5s
Toone Horse	5. 0. 0
Toone Mare	2. 0. 0
To two Dogs	5. 10.
To two Chicks	1. 5.
To two tables	0. 11.
To a pair of old Pewter Dishes call'd Bedstead	18. 6
and two Pails	
To one old Wlcock, two old Dentice, one old Cardo, old Cards	0. 4. 0
To three Iron Hoss and a Skillet	1. 0.
To one Negro Woman named Annal	20. 0. 0
To two Neifew	1. 0.
To two Dois of Eleven Pigs	16.
To a pair of old Pewter	11.
To a pair of old Dr	5.
To old wearing Apparel	1. 10.
To a parcell of old Glaso & Bottles	2. 6.
To one small Shoot	5.
To two Drabkets and three old Dr dooks	0. 1. 6.
To three Drells	8.
To waste Leather	0. 1. 0
	<u>£ 41. 9. 6</u>

Edward Goode  
 John <sup>his</sup> Childers  
 Benj<sup>t</sup> Childers

At Court held for Surry County March the 3<sup>rd</sup> 1755 James  
 Woods presented his Inventory and appraisement of the estate of  
 William Taylor deceased which was ordered to be recorded;


 Thos. Adams Esq

This Indenture made and concluded the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March  
 In the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty five  
 Between Henry Woods of the Parish and County of Surry of the  
 one part and William Woods of the same Parish and County of the  
 other part Witnesseth that the said Henry Woods for and in

Consideration of the sum of Thirty Pounds Current Money to him in hand  
 paid by the said William Denly before the sealing and delivery of these  
 Recents the Description whereof the said Denly & Woody doth clearly acknowledge  
 and thereof and of every part hereof doth clearly acquit and discharge him  
 the said William Denly his heirs Executors and Administrators and by these  
 presents I hath Given Granted & bargained and sold and by these  
 presents doth Give Grant & bargain and sell unto the said William  
 Denly and his heirs for ever One certain Tractor parcel of Land containing  
 one hundred and Sixty five acres situate lying and being in the aforesaid  
 County and Parish of Denme and adjacent to the lands of Benjamin Johnson  
 Leonard Adenijah John Martin it being that the said Woody now lives on and  
 part of an entry off four hundred acres that John Martin obtained a Patent  
 for, with all convenient Buildings Richard Meadow Pasture & other Lase-  
 ments Watercourses Woods, Underwoods Proffit Comoditys & hereditamts  
 and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining  
 and all the estate Right Title Interest Claim and demand whatsoever  
 of him the said Denly Woody of in and to the same or any part or parcels  
 thereof and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Reversion  
 thereof to have and to hold the said Land and premises and all and singular  
 their and every their appurtenances hereby Intended to be Granted & sold  
 unto the said William Denly and his heirs and assigns for ever, to be held  
 of me sevirg Lord the King his heirs and successors by the Quit Rents &  
 Annuities and to warrant the above Tractor parcel of Land and premises  
 unto the said William Denly and his heirs and assigns for ever from the  
 claim of all manor or person or persons soever. In Witness whereof I  
 have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal the day and year first above  
 written

Signed sealed and delivered In presence of

*Henry H. Woody Esq.*

Memorandum that on the day of in the year of our Lord  
 one thousand seven hundred and fifty four possession and Seizure of the within  
 Land and premises within mentioned was peaceably done and delivered by the  
 within Denly Woody to the within William Denly according to the former  
 effect of the within written Deed in presence of whose name are hereunto  
 written

Signed sealed and delivered

In presence of

*Henry Woody Esq.*

Received of William Denly the sum of Thirty Pounds Current money  
 of D<sup>r</sup> it being the within Consideration henceforward witness my  
 Hand and Seal

*Henry Woody Esq.*

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At a Court held for Dennis County & Marsh the 3. 1735 Dennis & Wood  
acknowledged this Indenture of Bargain and Sale with the diversity  
of sign and Receipt Indorsed to William Henry to be his acts and deeds  
then Webb Wif to the Dennis being examined deponed and a part from  
her said husband relinquished her Right of Dower in the land by this  
deed Conveyed which were ordered to be Recorded

Test. Tho Adams Esq

This Indenture made the tenth day of May in the year of our  
Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty four Between Richard &  
Holland of the County of Dennis Gentleman of the one part and Messrs.  
Andrew Eastman James Donald and Company Merchants in Glasgow  
of the other part Witnesseth that the said Richard Holland for and in  
Consideration of the sum of Two hundred Pounds current money to him in  
hand paid by the said Messrs Andrew Eastman James Donald and Company  
before the sealing and delivering hereof the Receipt whereof the said Richard  
Holland doth hereby acknowledge and thenceforth acquit and release the  
said Messrs Andrew Eastman James Donald and Company their executors  
Administrators and others of them by these presents and for  
any good cause and Consideration he the said Richard Holland &  
thereunto moving hath bargained and sold unto the said Messrs.  
Andrew Eastman & James Donald the following Slaves and Stock and  
Woocholds Goods vizt. Path, Jerry, York, Caesar, Margaret and some  
Weds and furniture likewise twenty Head of Cattle and one Horse  
Branded with two hearts, one Sorell & one like wise all the Rest of the  
Stock &c of what sort or denomination ever to the only Proper use  
and behoof of the said Messrs Andrew Eastman James Donald and Company  
their executors Administrators or Assigns the full sum of  
current money on or before the first day of January  
with the annual Interest of five Per Cent per annum from the day of the  
date of these Presents that then and from thence forth this Present Indenture  
shall cease and determine and that the said Messrs Andrew Eastman James  
Donald and Company their heirs executors and Assigns shall and will at  
the Request East and charge of the said Richard Holland or his Assigns

welland sufficiently Recourey and I have to him the said Richard Holland or to  
his selfes or his all and singular the said Negroes and Goods and Stocke Warrisold  
furniture Horses &c &c mentioned to be hereby Granted and also in two Right  
and Title to the same Discharge of all Incumbrances by him or any Person claiming  
under him or by him committed done or suffered to be done in the meantime; and  
the said Richard Holland for himself and his heirs Executors Administratores  
and Crediors of them doth hereby Covenant and Agree to bind with the said M<sup>r</sup> Andrew  
Cortran James Donald and Company their heirs Executors Administratores and  
Assigns that the said Richard Holland his heirs Executors Administratores  
or some or one of them shall and will well and truly pay or cause to be paid to the said M<sup>r</sup>  
Andrew Cortran James Donald and Company his heirs Executors  
Administratores or Assigns the said sum of

Cmt Money

at the time of payment mentioned in the same Promise and according to the  
true Intent Tenor and Meaning hereof without Fraud and the said Richard  
Holland for himself his heirs Executors and Administratores further Promise  
and Agree that if any of  
on or before any of the said  
money is paid that then and notwithstanding his or their Death his will  
Shall to the said M<sup>r</sup> Andrew Cortran James Donald and Company the  
said Administratores or Assigns the Valluation of such things as shall be  
wanting as is before mentioned at or upon the

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and  
Seal this day and year above mentioned. Signed Sealed  
and delivered in presence of Marshall Green, Francis Lee, Rich<sup>r</sup> Holland Esq;  
Henry Samuel East, James Donald, George Butterfield Johnson  
James Caddy, Charles Woodill  
At a Court held for Dennis County March 9: 1755 Richard Holland —  
Acknowlegged this Indenture of Mortgage to Andrew Cortran and James  
Donald to be his Act and Deed, Which was ordered to be Recorded.

Test, Thos Adams Below

This Indenture made the twenty ninth day of March in the year of our  
Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty four Between Christopher John Thomas  
of the Parish and County of Dennis of the part and William Boarding of the Parish  
and County aforesaid of the other part witnesseth that for and in Consideration  
of the sum of Sixty Pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hands paid by  
the said William Boarding the Receipt whereof he doth hereby Acknowledege hath  
granted Bargained and sold All and Except and Confirmed by these Presents  
Give Grant Bargain Sell, All and Except and Confirm unto the said William  
Boarding