

Gift sent to
The Chapman
Robert Giles
Hugh Giles //

At a Court held for Jelo & Wright County
this 24 Day of February 1914

Wm. H. Giles // Wm. H. Giles has come into Carl Benton and ask
 this for Dues to John F. H. H. and it is admitted to be so
 Wm. H. Giles

This Indenture made the tenth Day of December Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and Seventeen Between the one part John Phillips of the one part and John Phillips of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Phillips of the one part hath given unto the said John Phillips of the other part a certain tract of land containing one hundred acres in the Isle of Wight County and bounded as follows to wit (that is to say) Beginning at a corner pine between him and Fra. Ragan and down a line of Marked trees to the Suscahanna branch and up that branch to the Oak Between him and Peter Vapors and up a Marked line to my Back line and down unto the beginning with all trees woods houses orchards fields Woods waters water courses water courses together with the Royalties of hunting fishing and fowling and Mines Metals and all other privileges profits and appurtenances whatsoever to the said hundred acres belonging or in any wise appertaining TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said hundred acres and every part thereof with the appurtenances unto the said John Phillips his Ex^{rs} adm^{rs} and assigns from the Day of the date hereof for and during the full term and time of three years to be full completed and ended performed and paying yearly on the tenth day of

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December to y^e s^d W^m Edwards his ex^t. adm^r. and assigns one
 grain of Indian Corn if it be demanded to y^e intent and purpose
 that by virtue of these presents and of the Statute for transferring
 uses into possession y^e s^d W^m Philips may be in actual and p^res-
 entable possession of the premises before granted and may be there-
 by the better enabled to accept of a grant or conveyance of
 Reversion and inheritance thereof to him and his heirs forever
 In witness whereof the s^d W^m Edwards hath hereunto sett
 his hand and seal the Day and year above written

Witnessed and delivered

W^m Edwards

in presence of
 Geo. Norworthy
 W. Harrison

At a Court hold for the County of Wight
 County of Wight 24 day of February 1717

W^m Edwards Came into Court & presented Acknowledged
 his Debt to William Philips and it is admitted to record

This Indenture made the Tenth Day of December
 Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and twenty six between
 W^m Edwards of Surrey County of the one part and W^m Philips of
 the same County of the other part Witnesseth y^e s^d W^m Edwards for
 Divers Good Causes him thereunto moving but more especially for
 consideration of one thousand pounds of Sterk to him in hand paid by
 the s^d W^m Philips before the signing and sealing hereof he hath given
 granted sold Remained Released Assigned and Conveyed unto the
 s^d W^m Philips and to his heirs for ever being already in peaceable
 possession thereof by a Lease thereof made by the s^d W^m Edwards
 unto the s^d W^m Philips bearing Date 24 day before the date of these
 presents all y^e Right Title Interest Claim and demand of him y^e s^d W^m
 Edwards to all y^e tract of Land containing one hundred acres in the
 Isle of Wight County and bounded as followeth beginning at a corner
 point between him and Geo. Pagan and down a line of Mark
 trees to y^e Surca Hanna Pagan and up y^e Branch to a White oak
 between him and Peter Pagan and up a marked line to my back line
 and down that line to y^e beginning with all Mesuages houses orchards
 wood grounds and all other privileges advantages profits and
 appurtenances whatsoever to y^e s^d granted premises belonging
 any use appertaining To Have and To Hold the s^d tract of
 Land and all other the premises herein before granted bargained
 sold and every part thereof with all Rights manors and appur-
 tenances thereto belonging unto y^e s^d W^m Philips and to his heirs
 and assigns for ever y^e only proper use and behoof of him the
 W^m Philips his heirs and assigns for ever to be hold of Our
 Sovereign Lord King George his heirs and Successors as of the man-
 or of East Greenwich in the County of Kent in free and common
 socage Ycclaving and paying the Quitt Rents Due and accustomed
 to be paid for the same and the s^d W^m Edwards for him self his
 heirs ex^t and assigns and every of them Do Covenant promise

Grant and agree to and with the said Wm Phillips his heirs &c. adm. and assigns
and every of them in manner following that is to say if he or his Wm Edwards now have
and until of late here by mentioned and intended to be made to the said Wm Phillips
his heirs and assigns for ever to his own proper use and behoof shall be fully
also late by and of late fully executed and vested in the said Wm Phillips and his heirs
for ever as afore said that he continues to have hold and enjoy a good perfect absolute
free firm and indefeasible State in fee simple to him and his heirs for ever
him and unto his heirs for ever before granted and every part thereof with the appur-
tenances and that the said Wm Phillips his heirs and assigns for ever have a full
yielding and paying of Quit Rents for the same as afore said may and shall have
full and sole use and possession and enjoy the said granted premises and
every part thereof with the appurtenances fully freely and absolutely
unincumbered acquitted and discharged of and from all and all manner of
former and other Burdens Tithes Gifts Grants Statutes levies decays and off-
and from all jointures Statutes extorts Schedules and all other Charges losses and
Demands whatsoever had made committed executed or done or hereafter to be
committed executed or done by him or the said Wm Edwards his heirs &c. adm. or
assigns or by any other person or persons whatsoever and from and against and
from any Lett Suit Trouble or Charge whatsoever of or by the said Wm Edwards
his heirs &c. adm. and assigns and lastly if from time to time and at all times
within seven years now next coming after the date of these presents the said Wm
Edwards his heirs and assigns and every of them of the said Quit Rents the said
Charges in the Law of the said Wm Phillips his heirs &c. adm. and assigns or
other of them shall and will do make suffer acknowledge execute and perform
and every such further and other act and acts things and things concerning
and covenances assurances and Informations in Law for the better assurance
and sure making of the premises here in before granted and every part thereof
with the appurtenances unto the said Wm Phillips his heirs and assigns for ever
as afore said according to the true intent and meaning of these presents as by the
said Wm Phillips his heirs &c. adm. or assigns or by him or their Counsel
in Law shall be reasonably and lawfully devised devised or devised or
in Witness Whereof the said Wm Edwards have hereunto set their hands and
Seal of Say and year first above Written

Witnessed and sealed
In presence of
Geo. Norworth
W. Harrison

At a Court held for the file of the said County
the 24 Day of February 1777

William Edwards Comoro to Court of Sessions and acknowledged that
Deed to William Phillips and it is admitted to Record
Now all men by these presents of me James Bryant and Eliz. Bryant with
appoint authorities and constitute our Cousin Thomas Bryant in our place
and stand to appear in the place of right County Court to acknowledge a Deed and
and release of land sold to Wm. Beal Esq. on the North Side of Blackwater River
over bounded upon Blackwater being part of a patent of seven hundred six acres
and of land granted to me James Bryant bearing Date of 20 of October 1687
and further was for James Bryant and Eliz. Bryant with appoint authorities

Ind. Constitute Sir James Son Thomas Bryant in our place and
 Name to appear in the Plea of White County Court to acknowledge
 a Deed of Lease and Release of Land sold to Thomas Davis
 of North Side of Blackwater River bounded on King
 Lake Swamp being one patent of Three hundred and fifteen
 acres of Land Granted to one James Bryant bearing date the
 22nd of Feb. 1633 and for which Deed of Lease and Release
 to Wm. Beale contains four hundred and sixty two acres of
 Land by Partition and of Deed of Lease and Release to
 Thomas Davis is Three hundred and fifteen acres of Land
 as by patent as now interchangeably Given under our hands
 the 4th Day of February 1714

Test John P. Barnes

Richd. Drake

James Bryant

Esq. E. Bryant

This Indenture made the 18th Day of November in the
 3rd Year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lord King George and in the
 Year of Our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and 8th Seventeen
 Between James Bryant in allernaries County In of Govern^t of
 North Carolina of the one Part & Tho. Davis of County of
 York of the other Part Witnesseth that James Bryant
 for full Payment of the Sum of five Shill. to me in hand
 paid by J. S. Thomas Davis of Receipt whereof the 18th
 Day of November 1714 he doth hereby satisfy and content
 and pay and of these Shill. doth acquit and discharge the
 Thomas Davis his heirs &c. with Demand bargained sold
 and for to stand Letter and by these Shill. doth remise Bargain
 Lease and to surrender unto J. S. Thomas Davis his heirs &c.
 all right any Messuages plantation or piece of Land situate
 lying and being in the County of York County Between the King
 Lake Swamp and of the Blackwater River beginning at a point
 William Mayes corner tree in Run. boathes Line thence by
 Mayes South fifty five Deg. West one hundred thirty four pole
 to a hickory tree thence by Sances Line thence by Corners North
 seven Deg. West ninety two pole to a pine a Corner tree thence
 and by a Corner tree thence by Rogers north fifteen Deg. East
 Three hundred and four pole to a pine thence South fifty three
 Deg. East one hundred and twenty pole to a pine in a Meadow
 thence Sixty pole to a Red Oak Run boathes Corner tree and so by
 the do boathes twenty Deg. East ninety four pole to the first place
 including Three hundred and fifteen acres of Land together with
 all houses orchards Gardens woods ways waters and water courses
 and all other profits and advantages to J. S. Thomas Davis his heirs
 nay appertaining To Have And To Hold of J. S. Davis his heirs
 and assigns and doth part thereof unto J. S. Tho. Davis his heirs

and assigns during the full term and time of one year to be fully completed and ended
ed yielding and paying on the tenth day of December of the said year of one Indian
dollar for each of the said land to be lawfully demanded on to J^d James Bryant his
heirs &c to & for the use and purpose of the purchase of the said land and of the Statute of
transferring the same into possession of the said Thomas Davis his heirs and assigns or
may the land be granted by a grant or conveyance of the Governor thereof
to him and his heirs and assigns for ever for the said J^d James Bryant whose of the said
J^d James Bryant hath hereunto set his hand and Seal the Day and year
above mentioned

signed sealed and delivered
in the presence of us
John B. Barnes
mark

John B. Barnes
mark

John B. Barnes
mark

James Bryant

A Court held for the County of Wight
the 20 day of February 1711
J^{tho}. Bryan by virtue of a power of attorney from
James Bryant acknowledged his J^d James Bryant
to J^{tho}. Davis and it is admitted to Record Test H: Light foot Clerk

This Indenture made the 20 day of Novemb^r. in the third year the
Reign of our Sovereign Lord King George the 3^d and in the year of our Lord
one thousand seven hundred and seven between James Bryant in
allorment County in the Governorment of North Carolina of the one part
and Thomas Davis of the County of Isle of Wight of the other part
Witnesseth that J^d James Bryant for and in consideration of the sum
of Twenty two Barrells of Tarr to him in hand paid by J^d Thomas
Davis of Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge himself to be
fully satisfied contented and paid and therefore both acquit and dis-
charge of J^d Thomas Davis his heirs &c. adm^r. and assigns and further
Removes Released and for ever Quit Claims unto the J^d Thomas Davis &
by those presents for him self and his heirs &c. Doth fully and clearly &
absolutely Remove Release &c. his heirs &c. for ever all such Right
title interest and demand whatsoever as he the J^d James Bryant had or
ought to have of in or to Three hundred and fifteen acres of Land now in the
Quiet and peaceable possession of the J^d Thomas Davis as may more largely
appear by virtue of one Lease Baring Date the Day before the Date
of these presents to him J^d Thomas Davis granted by J^d James
Bryant Situate lying and being in Isle of Wight County Between the
King Sale Swamp and of main Blackwater River beginning at a pine a
corner two of W^m. Mayors in Rich^d Booths line thence by Mayors
South fifty five P^{eg}. West one hundred ninety four pole to a hickory in bog
or corner line thence by corner line north seven P^{eg}. West ninety two
pole to a pine a corner north two tract him and Bridgman Joyner thence
by Joyner north fifteen P^{eg}. East Three hundred and Twenty pole
to a pine thence South fifty seven P^{eg}. East one hundred and Twenty pole
to a pine in a meadow thence Sixty pole to a Red Oak Rich^d Booths
corner two and so by the J^d Booths twenty P^{eg}. East ninety four pole
to the first Station including Three hundred and fifteen acres of Land

Together with all his or orchards, gardens woods ways waters and
water Courses and all other right and Advantages of same belonging
and in any way appertaining To have and Possession
and Singlar of the Land and Premises with their appurtenances
thereunto belonging unto of the Thomas Davis his heirs and
assignes for ever so of neither of the James Bryant nor his heirs
He nor any other Person or Persons whatsoever by force or addition
or them or them shall or will by any way or means hereafter have
Came Challenge or Demand any Estate Right by them justly
in or to of the Premises or to any part or parts thereof or for any damages
Losses or Damages of shall Come upon of the Thomas Davis
his heirs or assignes of both her parts for ever but they and every
of them shall be utterly excluded and barred for ever by these
Present and also of the James Bryant and his heirs &c for ever by
a Special warranty against all and all manner of Persons
Whatsoever and further of the James Bryant doth oblige his
heirs &c adm^r with warranty of if of the Thomas Davis his
heirs or assignes or of Damages in of Law shall find any further for
Swearance to be made In Witness Whereof of the James Bryant
both her unto Set his hand and Seal of Day and year above written
Witness

Witness sealed and delivered

In Presence of

Richard B. Beale

John B. Barnes

Richard Drake

from James Bryant known lodged this of the James Beale to the Davis and it
is admitted to Record

James Bryant

At a Court hold for the County of
the 24 Day of February 1717.

Thomas Bryant by virtue of a power of attorney
from James Bryant known lodged this of the James Beale to the Davis and it
is admitted to Record

This Indenture made the ninth day of December the first
year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace
of God of Great Brittain France and Ireland Defender
of the faith &c. Tenor Hereof with thousand Seven hundred and
Sixteen Between William Edwards of the County of Surrey of the
one part and Francis Ragan of the same County Witness
with that of the William Edwards for and in consideration of the
Sum of five shillings to him in hand paid by of the Francis Ragan
at and before of the Sealing and Delivery of these presents the
Receipt whereof he doth here by acknowledge Hath granted
Bargained sold Demised Leased and to farm Letten and by these
presents with bargain sold Demised Leased and to farm Letten

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Francis Ragan
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The said Francis Ragan his Ex. and assigns all that tract of land
containing one hundred acres in the County of Isle of Wight to the
same more or less and bounded as follows to wit beginning
at a White oak in the Round hill Swamp then along a line of
red trees to Wm Edwards back line and along that line to a corner
line between him and Wm Phillips and down Wm Phillips line to
the Sackanaw branch and down of branch to a Swamp and
down the Swamp to a Log Station with all Messuages tenements
Wood Swamps and all things together with the Royalties of Hunting
Fishing and forling and all minor minerals Quarries and all
other privileges profits and appurtenances what so ever to the said
Wm Edwards his heirs and assigns or in any wise appertaining To have
To hold to the said Wm Edwards his heirs and assigns part where of with the
appurtenances unto the said Francis Ragan his Ex. and assigns
from Day of the date here of for and during full term and time
of those years to be full complete and good YELLEDING and
paying yearly on the tenth day of December to the said Wm Edwards
the sum of one or assigns the grain of Indian corn if it be
made so to of intent and purpose of the virtue of the present and
of the Statute for transferring usor into possession of the said Francis Ragan
may be in actual and peaceable possession of the premises to be
granted and may be there by of better enabled to accept of a grant
or conveyance of of Reversion and inheritance thereof to him &
his heirs for ever In Witness where of the said Wm Edwards hath
hereunto set his hand and Seal of Day and year above written
Sealed and Delivered
In presence of
Wm Edwards July
Charles Jarrett

Wm Edwards
At a Court held for the County of Isle of Wight
the 23 day of March 1714
Wm Edwards came into Court presented and ac-
knowledged this his Deed to Francis Ragan it is admitted to record
Jed H. Lightfoot C.C.

This Indenture made the tenth day of December Anno Domini one
thousand seven hundred and sixteen Between Wm Edwards of one
part and Francis Ragan of the other part Witnesses the said Wm Edwards
Divers good causes and considerations but more specially for and sake
of Redagation of Two thousand pounds of Pork to him in hand paid by the
said Francis Ragan at and before of embaling and delivery of the said
said Two thousand and sold and by those precept is given grant and
confirmants the said Francis Ragan and to his heirs for ever being allowed
in full and peaceable possession of the premises here after mentioned with the
Right title Interest Claim and Demand of him of the said Wm Edwards
his heirs Ex. and assigns of in or to all that tract of land containing
one hundred acres to the said more or less beginning at a White oak in the
Round hill Swamp then along a line of White trees to Wm Edwards

Back line and along that line to a corner pine between
him and Wm Phillips and down his line to of Suscahanna
branch and down the Run of the branch to of Swamp and
down of Swamp to of first station with all houses fields woods &
all other more large and advantages whatsoever to of granted
Promises. Forcing on in any wise apprehending To Have and
To Hold of Do trait of Land and all other of Promises herein
to for granted Bargains and sold and every part thereof with
the appurtenances thereto belonging unto of Do Francis Ragan
and to his heirs and assigns for ever to of only proper use &
to be of him of Do Francis Ragan his heirs and assigns for
ever and that of Do Francis Ragan his heirs and assigns for ever
hereafter yielding and paying of Quitt rents (Toes) may and
shall peacefully and quietly have hold occupy and enjoy of Do grant
and promise and every part thereof with appurtenances from
himself of Plaintiff and of him of Do Wm Edwards his heirs
and assigns or of his heirs and assigns unto of Do Francis Ragan his heirs and
assigns shall and will warrant and defend before by the
plaint against him of Do Wm Edwards his heirs and assigns and from
all other from any right to of granted Promises or any part
thereof and last by from time to time and all all times with out
heaven scars after of Date of the first rents of Do Wm Edwards
and his heirs and assigns of Request of the Law of of Do Francis Ragan
his heirs and assigns or either of them shall and will do with
offer acknowledge and performance of every and all other acts Com-
mand and Condemnation in Law as to of Do Francis Ragan his heirs and
assigns shall be according to the record of the Writings of Writings
of Do Wm Edwards have hereunto set his hand and Seal of Day an
year above Written

Given Under and delivered
in presence of

Wm Edwards, J. C.
Charles Jones
John Stargis
John Stargis

At a Court held for the County of Calvert
on the 23 day of March 1797
Wm Edwards came into Court presented &
acknowledged this his Deed to Francis Ragan and it is admitted
to Record
Test J. Est foot C. C.

This Indenture made this Eighteenth day of March in
the 4th year of the Reign of our Sovereign King George the 3rd of
God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the
Faith Anno Domini Seventeen hundred and Seventeen
Between the Writ of the Lord of the County of Calvert
of the County of Calvert and Edward a Long of the County of Calvert

Of the other part Witnesseth that I Edward John Wath for valuable con-
sideration of one thousand pounds of Tobacco to him in hand paid by of
Edward Long of Receipt whereof he of John Wath do hereby acknowledge
and for him his Wife Sarah his heirs and assigns do by this present like
we again exonerate and discharge of Edward Long his heirs and
assigns for ever hath given granted bargained aliened sold Lease and
made over unto the John Wath for himself and Wife his heirs and
theirs presents give grant bargain alien sold Lease and Make over unto of
Edward Long his heirs and assigns all of plantation and field of
Land lying in of four square miles of West County it being a piece
of Land granted by patent to John Wath bearing Date of 22 day of March
one thousand seven hundred and fifteen in of second year of our reign
fully and all Large both appear beginning at a Spanish Oak on of north
End of a Reddy Branch thence north fifty Deg East forty nine poles to
a pine then North Sixty Deg West ninety seven poles to two Live oaks
in of Edge of a plantation then South twenty five Deg West Sixty poles to a
Cypress in of same place then South West forty two poles to a Red Oak
in of same place then South Sixty four Deg West thirty seven poles to a
pine in of same place then South four Deg East forty two poles to a
piece of a Branch begun upon and down Barrens our Sir of the one
of of a Branch to of beginning with a woods and or woods Swamps Marshes and
grounds meadows fiddings and his Due share and mines and Quarries and
Discovered or not Discovered nothing of houses and of being Sixty five acres
of Land and the Large and water and the out belonging together with
privileges of timber hawking fishing and fowling and all other profits Com-
modities and hereditaments whatsoever to stand in any part thereof
beginning or in any wise appertaining in of Sixty five acres to the
To Hold unto of Edward Long his heirs and assigns all of Land tena-
ments and hereditaments and all other of his heirs and assigns here before
bargained and sold or must or intended here in or here by before bargained
sold and every part and piece thereof with their and every of them ap-
partenances unto of Edward Long his heirs and assigns from of day
next before of day next before of day of the Date of these presents for
and during and until of full End and Term of one whole year next
on Saving and fully to be Computed as End of the said and paying the
Sum of four hundred of one penny for one of each day of of the term of of day
shall be Lawfully Committed to the Patent and pay pass it by Certificate
hereof and the Statute for transferring uses into possession of of Edward
Long may be in a true possession of of the said Land and of the same
hereby bargained and sold and to his by his heirs and assigns and to his
grants and Release of of the version and inheritance thereof to him
the Edward Long his heirs and assigns for ever in Witness whereof
of the John Wath hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal

With and every their appurtenances and all other estate right title in trust
 property claim and Demand whatsoever of him or of John Walth his heirs &c.
 and of any person or persons or any part or parts thereof so have
 And the said John Walth his heirs &c. do hereby grant and release unto and
 promise here in or here by before granted buying sold and Released or
 bought one or more or portions do be here in or here by before granted, her
 equid sold and Release and every part and piece thereof with their &c.
 Every their appurtenances unto the said Edward Long and he or by proper
 men of the said Edward Long his heirs and assignes for ever and of the said John Walth
 for him self his heirs his heirs &c. admr. and assignes and every of for
 both them and promise grant and agree to and with the said Edward Long
 his heirs and assignes by these presents in manner and form following, y^t
 is to say y^t the said John Walth for and not with standing any act matter or
 thing by him done Committed or owing by Suffered to y^t Contrary now is
 that the said John Walth hereby granted and Released and p
 = mises and every part and piece thereof with their and every their app
 = portion as is and standeth Lawfully and Rightfully sayd y^t
 = of of good and absolute inheritance in fee simple without any man
 = ner of trust proviso Contingent Limitation of Use or uses or other mat
 = ters or things whatsoever to alter Change Exchange Charge Let or m
 = or make void y^t same and of the said John Walth rather him self a good
 Right and absolute power and authority to grant Sell and Release y^t
 the said John Walth hereby granted and Released promise and every part and piece y^t
 with their and every their appurtenances unto the said Edward Long his heirs
 and assignes as is here in or here by before mentioned or intended an
 also y^t the said Edward Long his heirs and assignes and every of them
 shall and Lawfully may from time to time and at all times hereafte
 peaceably and quietly have hold Occupy possess and enjoy the said John Walth
 granted and Released promise and every part and piece thereof with
 their and every their appurtenances without any the said John Walth
 lawful Demand Disturbance Molestation Interruption or Eviction or other
 Disturbance whatsoever or by him or the said John Walth his heirs &c. or
 by any other person or persons or by his proxy means or procu
 = mont and also y^t the said John Walth hereby granted and Released promise shall remain
 Continued to unto the said Edward Long his heirs and assignes free &
 freely Clear and (clearly against) Exonerated and discharged of
 and from all and all manner of former and other Gifts Grants
 Leases uses wills &c. judgments lites Entails forfeitures
 Rents and arragages of rents and all other main branches of what
 nature kind so ever he has made Committed done or knowledges by the
 the said John Walth or any other person by his proxy Consent or procurement
 and also y^t the said John Walth his heirs and assignes shall and will at any time
 and at all times within seven years from the Date of these presents next
 ensuing make any further or other Lawful or Reasonable act (or acts)

on Assurance or Devision such he then Edward King his heirs
 and assigns and for more perfect assuring confirming and establish-
 ing of the hereby granted and received premises and of every part
 and piece thereof with appurtenances unto the said Edward
 King and to his only proper heirs and behoof of the said Edward
 King his heirs and assigns for ever for William the King of
 the John Watts hath heretofore sold his land and tenements
 year first above written

Signed Sealed and delivered

Ph. Watts
 Sarah Edwards

John son of us
 of the Watts

Henry Pope

John Watts came into Court presented and acknowledged
 this his Deed to Edward King and Sarah his wife Relinquish
 his Right of Dower & it is admitted to record

This Indenture made the twenty second day of a June
 one thousand seven hundred and Eighty one between Joseph Jackson
 of the County of Fels of Wright of the one party and Andrew Griffin
 of the other part of the parish and County aforesaid Witnesseth
 that Joseph Jackson for and in consideration of the sum of
 of five Shillings to him in hand paid by the said Andrew Griffin
 whereof the said Joseph Jackson doth hereby acknowledge Receipt both in writing
 and sold and doth by these presents bargain and sell unto the said
 Andrew Griffin his heirs and assigns all of the said lands to
 nemons and hereditaments with the said every of their ap-
 purtenances situate lying and being on the North side of black
 water Swamp in the County of Fels of Wright and part of new
 port containing by estimation three hundred acres more or
 less of the said land being part of a patent for 1000 acres of land
 formerly granted to Matthew Stockland Esq of this County the
 patent bearing date of the 20th 6th Relation being thereunto
 with beginning at a hickory a corner tree standing by a run of
 the main black water from thence along a line of marked trees
 to the mouth of a branch which divides the said land between Joseph
 Jackson who now lives on and of plantation whereon John Pope
 do live on so up of main branch ending on of barrens corner thereof
 to a marked pine a corner tree which stands in the said branch thence
 along along a line of marked trees to a hickory tree corner where
 is up made a corner tree so down the line of the barrens to his corner
 tree of Thomas corner which is a poplar standing in a branch called the
 Cypress branch to down of branch unto black water so up of main line off
 black water to the first station place and also of the corner and corner
 corner and corner thereof to have and to hold the said
 land tenements and hereditaments and houses with their appur-

donations unto of ~~Dr~~ Andrew Griffin his home &c. and assigns from of any
 next before of the house unto of ~~Dr~~ Andrew Griffin and for During the term of
 one whole year from thence next ensuing to present that by virtue thereof
 and of Statute for transferring was into possession the ~~Dr~~ Andrew Griffin
 may be in actual possession of the ~~Dr~~ Andrew Griffin and assigns and be
 enabled to take and except of a good and honest of ~~Dr~~ Andrew Griffin or to him
 and his heirs and assigns for ever in Witness whereof the ~~Dr~~ Joseph
 Jackson and Thine his wife have unto put their hands and Seales the
 Day and year above written

Witness of us
 John Mackinnon
 John Broche

Joseph Jackson

At a Court held for the County of Wigt
 the 28 day of April 1718

Joseph Jackson came into Court presented and acknowledged
 that this his Deed to Andrew Griffin and it is admitted to record

This Indenture made the twenty fourth Day of April in the year
 of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eight and in the fourth
 year of our Sovereign Lord George by of Grace of God of Great
 Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c. between
 Joseph Jackson of the Parish of of White County of of one party and
 Andrew Griffin of the Parish of County afore said Witness both of of Joseph
 Jackson for and in consideration of the Sum of five thousand pounds of
 Tobacco to him by of Andrew Griffin before of Endowing and Delivery
 of those presents of Receipt whereof of Joseph Jackson doth hereby acknowledge
 of Andrew Griffin his home &c. and assigns of every part thereof both
 against Exonerate and Discharge by those presents (Cath Grant and Burgin
 do Enfoffed Released and Confirmed and in and by those presents both
 fully and absolutely Grant Burgin Sell Enfoff the Lease and Confirm
 unto of Andrew Griffin his home and assigns one tract of land
 or piece of land situate lying on the north side of of main Blackwater
 in of County and of Parish afore said whereon of Jackson now liveth on
 containing three hundred acres more or less being apart of a Ground pat
 ten Dated April of 20-1680. Granted to Matthew Strickland Esq
 for 1203 acres of Land and of aforesaid Three hundred acres of
 Land more or less bounded as followeth viz (Beginning at a
 corner tree standing by a Run of of main Blackwater
 from thence a long a line of marked trees to of mouth of a branch
 which divides of Land between Joseph Jackson which he now
 lives on and of plantation whereon John Pope did live so up of
 or main branch ending on of various (surveys that of to a marked pine
 or north tree which stands in of of branch thence a long a line of
 marked trees to line of of Thomas Boone which is a pine made
 a corner tree to down of line of of Thomas to his corner tree of

Thomas boones which is a poplar standing a branch (and
of spruce branch) so down of branch unto black water so
up of main Run of black water to first station together
with all and singular by houses fences ways waters wood
under woods passages profits (in and out) hereditaments
and appurtenances to of same belonging or any ways ap-
pertaining and of Reversion and Reversions Remainders
and Remainders Rents & Services thereof and of Every pt
thereof and all of State Rights by lles profits (Cannies and
Demands whatsoever of him of the Hon^{ble} Joseph Jackson in and
to of same To Have and to Hold of the bargained and
and promises with a and singular appurtenances thereunto
to be long or in any wise appertaining to him of the Hon^{ble}
Griffin his heirs and assigns for ever and of the Hon^{ble} Joseph
for himselfe and his heirs of the Land and promises above bargained
and sold or meant mentioned or intended to be bargained and sold
with Every its appurtenances unto of the Hon^{ble} Andrew Griffin his heirs
and assigns against him of the Hon^{ble} Joseph Jackson his heirs and
assigns and against all and every other person persons what
soever from before and under him of the Hon^{ble} shall and will warrant
and for ever beyond by the presents and of the Hon^{ble} Joseph Jackson for
himselfe his heirs or Every of them both Doth Doonaunt promise and
Grant to and with of the Hon^{ble} Andrew Griffin his heirs and assigns to
and with every of them by the presents of of the Hon^{ble} Joseph Jackson now is &
at all times of of Sealing and Delivering hereof that he lawfully
Seized in his Dominions of fee simple of and in of the Land and
promises and Every part thereof without any condition power of Re-
vocation or Extinction of any Use or Uses to alter or Change or to
annul or make void of same and hath full Right and full power and ab-
solute authority in Law to grant Bargain Sell & Confirm of same
and Every part and pt thereof with of appurtenances unto
of the Hon^{ble} Andrew Griffin his heirs and assigns according to of true
meaning and intent of the presents and also of the Land and promises
and Every part thereof with their appurtenances now is and for ever
hereafter shall so Remain Continue and be unto of the Hon^{ble} Andrew Griffin
his heirs and assigns for ever free and Clear and free and (early
acquitted Exonerated and Discharged in other wise upon Every Rea-
sonable Request thereof to be made sufficiently Satisfied hereunto
and kept Undisturbed by of the Hon^{ble} Joseph Jackson his heirs &c. and or
assigns from and in manner of other Gift Grants bargains Sales of
Lands Tenements or wills In tail or annuities and of and from all other States
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(77) *M*ade Commitment Done or Caused or Suffered to be Done by *J*oseph Jackson
 his heirs or any person or persons what so ever from by or under him or them or
 any of them for Writing Whores of *J*oseph Jackson and Elisor my Wife hath
 hereto set our hands and fixed our Seals of Day and year a fore written
 Joseph Jackson
 Elisor Jackson

In presence of us
 Robt. Brooker
 John Bar Machinist

At a Court held for the County of
 the 28 Day of April 1712
 Joseph Jackson Came into Court present and acknowledged this his
 Deed to Andrew Griffin and Elisor his Wife Relinquished Donor &
 it is admitted to Record
 Just. J. Light foot Clerk

To all persons to whom these presents shall Come greeting Wheras
 Thomas Blunt Esq of parish of Southwark in County of Surrey doeing
 by his Last Will and Testament in writing bearing Date of twenty first day
 of September in y^e year One Thousand seven hundred and Eight did amongst
 other things Give & Bequeath to John Flood & Mary his Wife and to their heirs
 for ever one hundred acres of Land Lying on y^e East Side of a Swamp called
 y^e White wood Swamp on y^e South Side of Mottoway River and in and by y^e
 Deed did Give and devise to Horace Edmunds and John Barker and to
 their heirs forever y^e Remaining part of y^e patten of y^e Land Lying
 on y^e East Side of y^e White wood Swamp Equally to be Divided between y^e
 Horace Edmunds and John Barker of which Remaining part y^e Horace
 Edmunds was to have his Part and Wheras y^e Thomas Blunt had Entitled
 y^e Land & all his own proper Part and Charge had procured y^e Land to be
 Surveyed and obtained Rights for y^e same and dyed in possession thereof
 but for as much as no patent did issue for y^e Land in y^e lifetime of y^e
 Thomas Blunt Nor yet therefore of y^e Thomas Blunt Son and heir
 of y^e above named Thomas Blunt being Desirous to have y^e Land of
 y^e father as far as in me Eyes performed y^e patten for y^e Land be-
 coming since y^e Death of my father Granted to me and my heirs
 for ever for and satisfaction of Ten Shillings of Lawfull money to
 me in hand paid by y^e Horace Edmunds and John Barker y^e Receipt
 whereof is herely acknowledged and for Divers other Good and valuable
 Considerations me thereunto moving have Granted Released
 Released and Quitt Claimed and be these presents Do for me and my heirs
 Grant Release Release and for ever Quitt Claim to y^e Horace Edmunds
 and John Barker and to their heirs and assigns for ever all y^e Re-
 maining part of y^e tract of Land and patten Lying on y^e East Side of y^e
 aforesaid White Wood Swamp in y^e actual possession of y^e Horace
 Edmunds and John Barker now being y^e y^e Right by the Custom
 Claim and Demand what so ever wither in Law or Equity which y^e

Thomas Blunt now have or which by any means whatsoever
 have or more to y^e D^y howly granted and Released Card and
 all and every part whereof In Witness Whereof the D^y the
 Blunt hereof y^e D^y the Blunt Doe have hereunto put my hand
 and Seal y^e fthteenth Day of May In y^e year of our Lord Christ
 one thousand seven hundred and Eighteen
 Peaced and delivered In y^e presence of Thomas Blunt.

James Benn
 J^oo^l B^{ar} Barker
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At a Court held for sale of right County
 the 26 Day of May 1718

Thos. Blunt came into Court presented and acknowledged
 this his Deed to Howell Edmunds and it is admitted to stand

This Indenture made y^e twenty second day of May in y^e year
 of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and Eighteen Between
 J^oo^l Barker of y^e County of Surry of y^e one part and Howell Edmunds
 of y^e County of Surry of y^e other part Witnesseth that y^e J^oo^l Barker
 for and in consideration of y^e Summe of five Shillings of Lawfull
 mo^y of Great Brittain to him for hard paid by y^e Howell Edmunds
 of receipt whereof y^e J^oo^l Barker doth here by acknowledge
 hath bargained and sold and by this presents do bargain and sell
 unto y^e Howell Edmunds his ex^r. adm^r. and assigns all that
 or Part of y^e Land Grovne by the y^e Last will and Testament
 of Thomas Blunt Doe being part of a patent for seven hundred
 and tenn acres bearing Date y^e 16 Day of December one thousand
 seven hundred and fourteen Situate some y^e White wood Swamp in
 y^e Isle of Wight County and all and singular houses buildings orchards
 gardens to y^e same belonging or in anywise appertaining thereto and
 y^e Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders together
 with y^e Rents and Rents of y^e Premises and every part and parcel
 thereof To have and To hold y^e Land and Premises
 with y^e appurtenances hereunto mentioned to be bargained and sold
 unto y^e Howell Edmunds his ex^r. adm^r. and assigns from y^e Day be
 fore y^e Date hereof for and during y^e term of one whole year from
 thence next ensuing and fully to be fulfilled and paid y^e fol
 lowing and paying therefor y^e Rent of one penny for every Last
 Day of y^e year y^e y^e same shall be demanded To y^e intent that
 by virtue of this presents and of y^e Statute for Transferring
 into possession y^e Howell Edmunds may be in actual possession
 of y^e Premises and be thereto by enabled to accept a Grant of the
 Reversion and Inheritance thereof to him and his heirs which he
 doth to be granted and Released by y^e J^oo^l Barker to him
 y^e Howell Edmunds and his heirs by one other Indenture to be
 made between them and to bare Date y^e Day next after y^e Date
 hereof In Witness whereof y^e J^oo^l Barker hath here
 unto set his hand and Seal y^e Day and year first above written
 James Benn
 Thomas Blunt
 J^oo^l B^{ar} Barker
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W. H. Hutton

This Indenture made the 23 of May in the year of our Lord
1603 between John and Novell hundred and Eighteen Barons of the County
of Surry of the one part and George Edmunds of the County
of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Barker for and in full
satisfaction of the sum of some pounds current Money of Virginia to him in
hand paid by the said George Edmunds with an before of the said George Edmunds
and thereof and of every part thereof acquit and discharge of the
said George Edmunds his heirs and assigns of them by these presents
with Grant Bargain Sell Release and Condemn and
unto the said George Edmunds his heirs and assigns all of that tract
or Evidences of Land Given unto the said John Barker by the said
Testament of Thomas Blunt the said being part of a patent for
seven hundred and twenty acres bearing Date the 10 of October for our then
said seven hundred and forty two and thirty one of the said Thomas Blunt
in the County and all and singular houses buttings or
wards Gardens to the said Thomas Blunt in anywise appertaining
which the said Thomas Blunt now are in the possession of the said John Barker
Demander by virtue of one indenture of bargain and sell to him made
of made for the term of one year bearing Date the 10 of May before the said
the said presents and made between the said John Barker of the one part and
the said George Edmunds of the other part and by virtue of the said indenture for
transforming the same into a fee simple and the said John Barker by the said
indenture properly received and demand whatsoever of the said
John Barker due and to the said Thomas Blunt and every or any part or parts
of and the said George Edmunds his heirs and assigns and Thomas Blunt the
with the said John Barker of the said Thomas Blunt and of every part and piece
thereof with all and singular good and Evidences writing Records
Scripts & muniments whatsoever touching or concerning the said premises
or any part thereof to have and to hold the said premises and
and premises with appurtenances and every part thereof to the said
George Edmunds his heirs and assigns forever by proper use and the
chief of the said George Edmunds and of his heirs and assigns for ever
to the heirs of our Sovereign Lord King his heirs and Successors
by the said presents for the same use and of right accustomed and the said John Bar-
dor and his heirs and assigns of the said premises and Grants premises
with appurtenances unto the said George Edmunds his heirs and assigns
against him the said John Barker his heirs and assigns shall and law
warrant and for ever to be given by the said presents and the said John Barker

I John De for us our heirs &c. do hereby Grant Sell alienate Enfeoffo Confirm
 and fully and absolutely Lett and Sell over for ever unto James Davis
 of the County of Wight his heirs &c. do and assigns for ever one
 part or piece of Land and plantation lying and being in the County of
 Wight County being by estimation about one hundred acres but more or less
 being part of a portion of four hundred and twenty acres of Land Gravel
 and being James Donsons bearing Date of first Day of October anno Domini
 one thousand seven hundred and seven and is Commonly known by
 the name of the bar of the said Land beginning at the East end of the path
 line and taking of the whole breadth of the path from Robert John son
 line to John Powell line and by line of Marched from Robert John
 son line to John Powell line divided from the Land of John Powell and
 being also part of the said portion of four hundred and twenty acres all the
 part or piece of Land and plantation with all and singular Commodi
 ties profits appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining
 in as large and ample manner as first granted by pattern unto him of the
 James Davis his heirs &c. do and assigns to have and to hold without
 any Lett hindrance Contradiction or molestation of him or of his heirs
 Donsons his heirs &c. do and assigns or any other person or persons for
 ever and to them (Daining and for further Confirmation do oblige
 Our Selves to acknowledge the same in the County Court of the County of Wight
 When thereto Required as Witness our hands and Seals of Day and Year
 as aforesaid

James Donsons
 Sarah X Donsons

Signed Sealed and delivered
 In presence of // with of word
 the Day End of the said month
 before Signed
 Wm. Dorte

A Court held for the County of Wight County
 the 26 Day of May 1718

The said James Donsons (came into Court presented and ac
 knowledged the said Deed to James Davis and this
 admitted to Record and the said Powell by virtue of a power of attorney
 acknowledged for the said Sarahs Right of Dower

This Indenture bearing Date the thirty first day of March in the
 third year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God
 of Great Brittain France and Ireland King Defender of the faith &c. and
 Dom. one thousand seven hundred and seven Witnesseth that James
 Donsons of the County of Wight to and with the free and voluntary
 Consent of Sarah his Wife and for and in consideration of the valu
 able sum of six hundred pounds of the value in hand already paid
 have bargained sold alienated Enfeoffed and confirmed and by these
 presents do for us our heirs &c. do hereby Give Grant Donor to a alienate
 Confirm and for ever Lett and Sell over unto John Powell part of the
 said County of Wight his heirs &c. do and assigns for ever one part or piece
 of Land and plantation lying and being in the County of Wight County

Containing about fifty acres be it more or less being part of a portion
of four hundred and twenty Acres of Land Granted to, purchased
James Donson by patent bearing Date of first Day of October one
thousand seven hundred and seven sixteen Situate and lying in the
aforesaid Isle of Wight County and is Commonly known as called
of barthardon of aforesaid Land beginning Easterly on a line of
marked trees of James Davison belonging to of aforesaid patents
Running from Robert Johnsons Line on Davison Line to John Per-
son's Line thence on Perceps Line to a line of Marked trees
to Robert Johnsons Line thence Easterly on Johnsons Line to
its first station all which part or parts of Land and planta-
tions with all and singular of profits Commodities and appurte-
nances thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining in law large
and ample manner as first granted by patent unto him aforesaid
To the Perceps Just his heirs Ex. adm and assigns To have
and to hold for ever without any Let Hindrance Interruption
or Molestation of him aforesaid James Donson his
heirs Ex. or adm. or any other person or persons from by or under
them Continuing and for further Confirmation do oblige our
Selves to acknowledge of Same of the Isle of Wight Court when
there to Required in Writ of Writors of we have hereunto
Sett our hands and Seals of Day and year aforesaid

In presence of
Wm. Perceps

James Davis
Thos. Perceps

James Donson
Sarah & Donson

At a Court hold for Isle of Wight County
the 26 Day of May 1712
James Donson came into Court presented and acknowledged this
his Deed to John Perceps Just and Thos. Perceps by virtue of a power
of attorney Relinquished hereby To Sarah his Right of Dower and it
is admitted to Record
Thos. Perceps Just

This Indenture made the Sixteenth Day of May one thousand
seven hundred and eighteen between Bartholomew Soldon and
as he by his Wife of County of Mansfield on one part and Wm.
Watkins of County of Wight on of other part Witnesseth that
the said Bartholomew and his Wife Soldon for and in consideration
of of Summe of five Shillings to them In hand paid by of the said Wm. Wat-
kins of Receipt whereof the said do hereby acknowledge that the bargain
and sold and doth by these presents bargain and sell unto of the said Wm. Wat-
kins his Ex. adm and assigns of Land to no more parts heredita-
ments and promises with their and every of their appurtenances
situate lying and being in County of Isle of Wight Relation
being thereunto had may more fully and at large appear and be un-
der as followeth beginning upon of Land of William Boock at a
point and running from thence north one hundred and fifty poles to a
point Corner to thence East one hundred and fifty poles to an oak

Cornwall the one Juneing South one hundred and fifty pole and West
 one hundred and fifty pole of first Station of tract of Land (containing
 three hundred and sixty pole) of Land granted to Christopher
 Ashley Dec. being Date of day of April 1673 and also of Reversion
 and Reversions Remainder and Remainders thereof To have
 and to hold of said Land tenements hereditaments and premises
 with appurtenances unto said Wm. Watkins his Ex. dom. and assigns
 from day next before Date hereof unto end and term of and for
 During term of one year from thence Next ensuing to wit that
 by virtue thereof and of Statute for transferring us into possession
 of Wm. Watkins may be in actual possession of said Land tenements
 and premises and may be enabled to take and accept of a Grant and
 Release of same premises to him his heirs and assigns for ever In Wit-
 ness whereof said Bartholomew Seldon and Ashley his Wife have
 hereunto put their hands and Seals of Day and Date first above Written

Barth Seldon

Ashley Seldon

In Testimony of
 the said John Powell

the Rk of Richd. Hatching

James Watkins

At a Court held for the of right County of 26 day of
 May 1712

Bartholomew Seldon & Ashley his wife (and wife) Court present & acknowledged
 the said John Powell & James Watkins (as Ashley being first specially examined and it is admitted to record)

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THIS Indenture made the Eighteen Day of May one thousand
 seven hundred and Eighteen and in fourth year of the Reign of our Son
 Lord George by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland
 King Defender of Faith &c. Between Bartholomew Seldon and Ashley
 his Wife of County of Mansfield on one part and Wm. Watkins of the
 County of the of right in other part witnesseth that said Bartholomew
 and Ashley Seldon for and in consideration of some of three thousand
 seven hundred pounds of Tobacco to them in hand paid by said Wm. Watkins
 before the sealing and delivery of these presents Receipt is hereof by
 said Bartholomew and Ashley Seldon do hereby jointly and severally
 and jointly co-witness his heirs Ex. and dom. thereof and of every
 part thereof both acquit honorate and discharged by these presents
 hath granted bargained sold enfeoffed Released and confirmed
 and In and by these presents both fully and absolutely Grant Bargain
 sold enfeoffed Released and confirm unto said Wm. Watkins his heirs
 and assigns for ever one certain tract of Land in his parish of Leppington
 now being by force and virtue of a certain Indenture of Bargain and
 Sale bearing Date two day before Date hereof and made between
 said Bartholomew Seldon and said Wm. Watkins according to Statute
 for transferring us into possession which said Land is Situate lying and
 being in the Lower parish of the of right County of Salterton

Had may more fully, and at large appear and Bounded in following
 Beginning upon the Land of William Birk at a pin and
 Running from thence North one hundred and fifty pole to a pine
 on the treethence East one hundred and fifty pole to an oak
 on the treethence Running South one hundred and fifty pole and west
 one hundred and fifty pole to first Station of tract of Land
 containing Three hundred Acres it being a patent of Land Grant
 to Christopher Ashley for bearing Debts of the City of London
 1673 and also of Redemption and Redemption Redemption
 Remainders Rents and Services there of with all Rights
 Right title property (Rents and demands whatsoever of
 them) of Bartholomew Saldon and Ashley his wife and
 and of Same SO Have and SO Hold of SO Land and
 Premises with all and Singular Appurtenances thereto belong-
 ing or in anywise appertaining to y^e SO Wm. Watkins his
 heirs and Assigns for ever and y^e SO Bartholomew and
 Saldon for them Selves and their heirs y^e SO Land and
 Premises above bargained and Sold or ment mentioned or intended to
 be bargained and Sold to every the appurtenances unto y^e SO Wm.
 Watkins his heirs and Assigns against them y^e SO Bartholomew
 and Ashley Saldon their heirs and Assigns any Against all
 and every other Person and Persons Whatsoever from by or under
 them Shall and will warrant and for ever Defend by these presents
 and y^e SO Bartholomew and Ashley Saldon for them Selves y^e
 heirs &c. & admt. & for every of them with the Consent y^e SO and
 Grant to and with y^e SO Wm. Watkins his heirs and Assigns &
 to and with every of them by these presents if they y^e SO Bartholomew
 and Ashley Saldon now are and at the time of y^e SO Sealing and
 Delivery of these presents shall be lawfully Seized in fee Simple
 of and in y^e SO Land and Premises and every part thereof without
 any Portion power of Devocation Limitation of any kind or
 Quest to alter Change Determination Make void y^e SO Same and
 hath Good Right full power and absolute Authority in y^e SO Land
 to Grant Bargain Sell and Confirm y^e SO Same and every part &
 parcel thereof unto y^e SO Wm. Watkins his heirs and Assigns ac-
 cording to the true Intent and Meaning of these presents and also
 of y^e SO Land & Premises and every part thereof of y^e SO Appurtenances
 now are and so shall for ever here after Remain continue and be-
 unto y^e SO Wm. Watkins his heirs and Assigns free and Clear &
 freely and Peaceably acquitted Exonerated and discharged or otherwise
 upon every Reasonable Request thereof to be made or sufficient
 by Saldon harmless and Legally confirmed by them y^e SO Bartholomew
 and Ashley Saldon their heirs &c. or admt. from all and all manner
 of former and other Gifts Grants Bargains Sales Jointures Dowry
 titles Troubles Charges & Incumbrances whatsoever heretofore
 had made committed Done or Suffered by them y^e SO Bartholomew

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Signed

(32) And as they Sold on their heirs or any other person or persons Whatsoever from by or under them for Witnes, Whereof P Bartholomew Solon and Ashley his wife have put their hands and Seals of day and date first above written

Signed Sealed and delivered
In presence of
John P. Solon
Barth. Solon
Ashley Solon

Barth. Solomon
Ashley Solomon

In y^e Court of
Chancery of John Perce

more
Shepherd Richard Hutchings

James Watkins

James Watkins Bartholomew Solons Acknowledges his wife came in
to Court & presented & acknowledges this their Deed to Wm Watkins y^{td} Acknowledged
my self & solely Examined, and it is admitted to Record.

being fully & solely examined, and it is admitted to Record

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This Indenture made the twelfth Day of May One thousand seven hundred & Eighty between John Williams of the County of Arthur in North Carolina one part and Ralph Vickors of New Port Parish of the County of Edge of North Carolina the other part of the said John Williams for and in consideration of the sum of five Shillings to him in hand paid by the said Ralph Vickors before the sealing and delivery of the said indenture which the said John Williams hereby acknowledges Hath Bargained and Sold and Dotlyly conveyed with all his rights and appurtenances unto the said Ralph Vickors his Exors. admors. and assigns the Land tenements hereditaments with their and every of their appurtenances situate lying and being in the County of Edge County Relation Being the same had may more fully and at large appear and bounded as followeth Beginning near the Plantation whereon Wm. Williams did formerly Dwelling of North End of the Survey and Lots for the said Plantation with two hundred Acres of Land as lying to the North end of the Pattern hereafter named at being of full half of a patent of four hundred Acres of Land granted to George Pierce by Sir Henry Chicheley Kn: sup: Govr. and Gov: General of Virg. Baring Date the twenty third of Apr: A: 1681 and by him of the said Pierce sold to John and Thomas and Thomas Williams and Record Made October 9th 1681 and also of the said Sir and the said Sirs Remainder and Remainders thereof To Have and To Hold of the said Land tenements and premises with the appurtenances unto the said Ralph Vickors his Exors. admors. and assigns from the Day next before the Date hereof unto the said Term of years and for the Term of one year from thence Next Ensuing to the said Term that by Vertue thereof and of Statute for transferring uses into possession of the said Ralph Vickors may be in actual possession of the said Land tenements and premises and may be enabled to take and accept of a Grant and Release of the said premises to him his heirs and assigns for ever In Witnes whereof the said John Williams hath hereunto put his hand and seal the Day and Date first above Written

John Williams

John Williams

Signed Soutar and delivered

In presence of
John^h Powell
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James Watkins

Wm Watkins

At a Court held for the purpose of settling the
the 26 Day of May 1718

John Williams, came onto Court & sented and acknowledged this his Deed to Ralph Vickers and it is admitted to Record Cost \$4 Right foot 16 Dec.

This indenture made the fourteenth Day of May one thousand
 and seven hundred and eighteen and in the fourth year of the Reign
 of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God of Great Britain
 France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c. Between John
 Williams of the County of Northampton in North Carolina one
 part and Ralph Vickers of Newport fresh in the County of York of
 the other part Witnesseth that of the said John Williams for
 consideration of the sum of forty Barrels of Turke Turkin land
 paid by the said Ralph Vickers to the said John Williams doth he
 by these presents acknowledge and of the said Ralph Vickers his heirs
 and assigns thereof and of every part thereof doth acquit exonerate
 discharge by these presents hath granted bargained sold enfeoffed
 released and confirmed and in and by these presents doth fully and ab-
 solutely Grant Bargain sold enfeoffed released and confirmed unto
 the said Ralph Vickers his heirs and assigns for ever one certain tract
 of land or piece of Land in his possessible possession now being by
 force and virtue of a certain indenture of Bargain and Sale bearing
 date two days before the date hereof and made between the said
 John Williams the said Ralph Vickers according to the Statute for
 transferring uses into possession which said Land is situated lying
 and being in the County of York County of York being thereunto be-
 longing near the plantation whereon William Williams did formerly
 dwell on the north end of that Survey and so to include of the said plantation
 with two hundred acres of Land all lying to the North end of the said plantation
 hereafter named it being the full half of a portion of four hundred
 acres of Land granted to George Pierce by Sir Henry (Chickley) Kn
 duff Gout and Sir Gonath of King bearing date the twenty three of
 June 1681 and by him the said Pierce sold to John and Thomas Williams
 and Robert Maise October the 10th 1681 and also of the reversion and the
 reversions Remainder and Remainders Rent and services thereof
 TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said Land and premises with all
 singular appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertain-
 ing unto him the said Ralph Vickers his heirs and assigns for ever against
 him the said John Williams his heirs and assigns and against all and every
 other person and persons or whatsoever shall and lawfully warrent and for ever
 defend by these presents and of the said John Williams for him self and his
 heirs and assigns doth covenant promise and grant to and with the
 said Ralph Vickers his heirs and assigns and to and with every of
 the said parties of the said John Williams now is and at all times to be
 sealing and delivering thereof shall be lawfully seized of and in the said Land
 and premises and every part thereof with the appurtenances without any condi-
 tion precedent or condition or limitation of any use or issue at all (except
 the term of the said Land) and hath good Right full power and ab-
 solute authority in the said Land to Grant bargain sold and confirm the same
 and every part thereof unto the said Ralph Vickers his heirs and assigns

For ever according to true intent and meaning of these presents and also of said
 Land and premises and every part thereof with appurtenances now is and so shall
 for ever hereafter remain entire and be unto of so Ralph Dukes his heirs &
 assigns free and clear and freely and peaceably quieted and discharged
 or other ways upon every reasonable request thereof to be made sufficiently
 saved harmless and kept indemnified by him of so John Williams his heirs &
 assigns from all and all manner of forms and other gifts grants bargains sales
 leases tenures services uses profits tithes annuities &c. and of and from all other states
 titles troubles charges and claims demands whatsoever here tofore had and
 committed done suffered by him of so John Williams his heirs or any other person
 persons whatsoever in witness whereof of so John Williams hath here to put
 his hand and seal of say and date first above written

By no seals and collocks

In presence of
 Jo. h. h. Marshall

Wm. Williams
 James Watkins

At a Court held for the County of
 the 26 Day of May 1918

John Williams came into Court asantor and acknow-
 ledged this his deed to Ralph Dukes & c. as related to Dorset

To all Christian people to whom these presents shall come know ye
 of James Simpson of the County of Wight County in Virginia for & in consideration
 of Natural Love and affection of & have and do bare unto my Son in Law
 Dorring and Mary his Wife my beloved Daughter have given granted
 and confirmed and by these presents for me my heirs &c. & assigns fully free-
 ly and absolutely have granted and confirmed unto my Son and Daughter
 and during the term of their Natural Lives and of Lives of Longest Lives of
 them and after their Decease to my Grand daughter Eliza Jane Dorring also
 her heirs for ever a certain tract or piece of Land and plantation situate
 lying and being in the County aforesaid and now in my tenure and occupation
 of so the said Dorring containing by Estimation one hundred Acres (more or
 less) and bounded as followeth (viz) Beginning at a gravelly Spring running
 from thence up a line of Marked trees to a Red Oak tree (or two trees in May)
 Barwell line and from thence a long & line of trees to part the Land from
 the Land of Laurence Baker till it comes to the New Road and so down
 New Road to the first Branch and so over the Branch to a Marked pine
 and from thence a long a line of Marked trees to the first station of the Mill
 and to the Old of a fine & tract or piece of Land and plantation with
 all and singular houses orchards gardens and appurtenances to & same be-
 longing or anywise appertaining to the said Dorring and Mary his
 Wife for and during their Natural Lives and of Lives of Longest
 Lives of them and after their Decease to my Grand daughter Eliza Jane
 Dorring and her heirs for ever in as full & ample manner
 to all intent and purposes of any sort & ought or could have enjoyed

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The same of this Deed had never been made and do pledge myself
to acknowledge this my Deed of Gift at a Court Court to be hold for
this County in Wiltshire or here of I have here unto set my hand and
Seal this fourth Day of June Anno Dom 1718

Signed Sealed and delivered

In presence of
John Pope
mark

James Sampson
At a Court hold for sale of my at home
the 28 day of July 1718

Jo: Chapman
James Sampson comes into Court of Justice &
acknowledges that his Deed to Mr. Boring and Mary his wife
and it is admitted to Record for the Light foot Chain

To all Christian people to whom these presents shall come I Wm
Pope of County of Wiltshire of Right send greeting in name of our Lord
God Everlasting Now know ye that I Wm Pope for Divers
causes and considerations mo therunto moving but more especially
of good love and good will bare unto my Loving Brother
Jacob Pope Clerk and by these presents do give and my heirs and
assigns do give and grant Domine and full and absolute by Let and Set over unto
my Brother Jacob Pope and his heirs and assigns for ever and
certain tract or parcel of Land containing twenty acres situate
a part of a tract of Land given to me by Mr. Allen Spotswood his
Majorities Let and Command in Fee of the accollary after
Dominion of Virgi: being Duke of Twenty third day of March
one thousand seven hundred and fifteen of so Land lying and being
my North Side of Mahoning River in County of Wiltshire and
bounded as followeth beginning at a Spruce on West Side of track
a the Marsh a little to East of mouth of a branch a corner of Henry
Pope's Land thence South Sixty Degrees west one hundred and seven
pole to a White Oak thence North thirty deg 15 pole to a Red Oak
sapling then North North West Seventy four pole to a pine then North
East by North Seventy two pole to two Maples and a Gum by a branch
then Down of various courses of a Run of a branch to
track a hog Marsh and up a Marsh to a beginning To Have
and to hold the aforesaid Land with all and singular appurtenances
pertaining thereto to hold unto him or in any wise appertaining unto him
afore Jacob Pope his heirs and assigns for ever with out any
Let or hindrance introduction or molestation of him or his heirs
Pope his heirs and assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever
from by or under him or any of them and further I do oblige
myself to acknowledge of same in a County Court to be hold for
County of Wiltshire or here thereof required for Wiltshire or here of
I have hereunto put my hand and Seal this 28 day of July one thousand
seven hundred and Eighteen Wm Pope

Signed Sealed and delivered

In presence of
John Pope
John Pope
John Pope

At a Court hold for sale of my at home
the 28 day of July 1718

Wm. Robert Smell (came into Court presented and acknowledged this his deed to John Pope and it is admitted to Record)

Test H. Light foot C. Cur.

To all Christian people to whom these presents shall come, Robert Smell of the County of York in the Kingdom of Great Britain, Greeting, Inasmuch as I have by my Deed bearing date the 26th Day of September 1683 and bounded as followeth beginning at a White Oak in Cap Lane North by the Line and bounding North by West 160 pole to a Red Oak corner of Mr. Wm. West thence West by North 134 pole to a black Oak corner of Mr. Gladwin thence South West and by South 100 pole to a pine corner thence East South East 200 pole to a Gum and South East and by South the 60 pole to a pine and East North East 150 pole to a beginning place. To have and to hold the afore said Land with all and singular rights and privileges thereto belonging or for any wise appertaining unto him or his heirs, assigns and his lawful heirs forever as aforesaid without any Lett hindrance or molestation of him or his heirs forever without any Lett hindrance or any other person or persons from by or under him or them and further do by these presents acknowledge to acknowledge of same in a County Court to be holden for the County of York on the 12 day of February 1717

Robert Smell

Signed sealed and delivered

In presence of John Black Mica, John Williams

In Court held for the County of York the 28th Day of July 1718

Robert Smell (came into Court presented and acknowledged this his Deed to Joseph Pope and Mary his wife and it is admitted to Record)

This Indenture made this fifteenth Day of September in the fifth year of our Sovereign Lord George King of Great Britain France and Ireland in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighteen between Wm. Cook of the parish of Southwark in the County of Surrey Gent. of the one part and Nathaniel Harrison of the County of York aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that Wm. Cook for and in consideration of the sum of five Shillings Sterling to him in hand paid by Wm. Harrison

Whereof he doth here by Acknowledg^{mt} Receipt hath
 bargained and Sold & doth by these presents bargain & sell
 that Nathanael Harrison his Ex^{ts} and adm^r one tract
 or piece of Land containing by Estimation One hundred
 and Eighty Acres other more or less Situate lying and
 being in the upper part of the County being part
 of a patent for One hundred and Eighty Acres of Land
 Granted unto the Wm. Pick by patent bearing Date of
 first day of May in the year of our Lord first one thousand
 seven hundred and Six and Bounded by the Rottenway
 River the north Side at the mouth of a branch and Run^g the
 Down the River a long piece of the Patent to the Lowermost
 Corner tree on the river and thence along the course or Course of the Patent
 unto the branch of the River this part of the Land from the Where on
 Martin Middleton now lives passed Mr. Cooks quarter and down along
 that branch to the beginning of the Mouth thereof for One hundred &
 Eighty Acres of Land was taken in the tenure and Occupation of the
 Simons FARRER and to hold the said Land and premises
 with the appurtenances unto the said Nathanael Harrison his Ex^{ts}
 adm^r from the day next before the Date hereof unto the End term of
 one year from thence next ensuing and fully to be completed and
 ended and it is here by Declared of these presents are so made and except
 in and there by and by Virtue and force of the Statute made in the seven
 and twentieth year of the Reign of King Henry the Eighth for transferring
 of Lands into possession the said Nathanael Harrison may be in the actual
 possession of the said Land and premises and be enabled to take and except
 a grant of release of the reversion and inheritance of the same Land and
 premises to him and his heirs to the use of him his heirs and assigns
 for ever In Witness Whereof the said Wm. Pick hath hereunto sett
 his hand and affixed his Seal the day and year aforewritten

Given sealed and Delivered

Wm. Pick 

In presence of
 Tho: Hall

John Warden
 Wm. Gray Jun^r
 J^r Allen
 W. Hall

At a Court hold for the County of Wight
 the 22nd Day of September 1718
 The within Said of Lees for Land in this County from the
 to the Hon^{ble} Nathanael Harrison Esq^r was produced in Court by the oath
 of John C. Allen one of the witnesses thereto and admitted to be the

Test H. Lightfoot (P. Cur.)

This Indenture made the sixteenth Day of September last fifth year of
Reign of our Sovereign Lord James King of Great Brittain France and Ireland also
first year of our Lord God one thousand seven hundred and Eighteen Between
Wm. Cook of the County of Southwark in the County of Surrey Gent of the one part
and Nathanael Harrison of the County of Wiltshire Esq of the other
part Witnesseth that Wm Cook for and in consideration of five Shillings then
to him in hand paid by J^d Nathanael Harrison whereof he doth hereby
acknowledge Receipt both bargained and sold and doth by these presents bargain
and sell unto J^d Nathanael Harrison his Ex^{ts} and adm^{rs} one tract or piece
of Land containing by Estimation one hundred and Eighty Acres or there
more or less Situate lying and being in the upper part of the County of Wiltshire
being part of a patent for five hundred and Eighty Acres of Land granted unto
J^d Wm Cook bearing Date the first Day of May in the year of our Lord Christ
one thousand seven hundred and Sixty & bounded viz: on the Northward at the Mouth of a branch and Run thence Downward along the
Course of the Patent to the Lowermost Corner tree on the river and thence along
the Course or Bank of the Patent unto the branch of the River or this part of the Land
from which whereon Martin Madleton now lives (said Mr Cooks quarter &
Down along the branch to the beginning at the Mouth thereof which is one hundred
and Eighty Acres of Land was late in the Tenure and Occupation of Jⁿ Simmons
To Have and To hold J^d Land and premises with the appurtenances
unto J^d Nathanael Harrison his Ex^{ts} and adm^{rs} from the Day next before
the Date of the before Released Indenture unto the end and term of one year from
thence next ensuing and fully to be complete and ended and it is hereby De-
clared that these presents are to make and accept of thereof and by virtue and
force of the Statute made in the seven and twentieth year of the Reign of King
Henry the Eighth for the transferring of uses into possession he J^d Nathanael
Harrison may be in the actual possession of the Land and premises and be enabled
to take and except of a grant and Release of the Reversion and Inheritance thereof
to him and his heirs and assigns for ever as by the said Recited Indenture of Leases
and Leases appareth Now this Indenture Witnesseth that J^d Wm
Cook for and in consideration of the sum of Four thousand Pounds of Tobacco &
five Pounds Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid by J^d Nathanael
Harrison whereof he doth hereby acknowledge Receipt hath granted Re-
leased and confirmed and doth by these presents grant Release Remis-
and Confirm unto J^d Nathanael Harrison in his actual possession now
being by virtue of the said Recited Indenture of Leases and Sales made to him of
one year and of the Statute) and to his heirs and assigns for ever the
aforesaid Land and premises with the appurtenances and all the Estate Right Title
Interest Plain and demand whatsoever of J^d Wm Cook in and to the same &
every part thereof and of the Reversion and Reversions Remainder & Remains

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Thore of and of every part thereof To Have and To Hold
 of said Land and premises with of appurtenances unto of said Nathanael
 Harrison his heirs and assigns for ever to of only us and to keep off
 of said Nathanael Harrison his heirs and assigns forever and of of
 Wm. Pike for him self his heirs etc. and do hereby doth Covenant
 and agree with of said Nathanael Harrison his heirs etc. and do hereby
 that he and every of his of before here by Granted said and promises to
 every part thereof with of appurtenances with warrant and for
 ever defend against all persons whatsoever Comming by from or under
 him or any of his or any other person to of said Nathanael Harrison
 his heirs and assigns for ever for Witness where of of of Wm
 Pike hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his Seal the day
 and year above Written Wm. Pike

Signed Sealed and delivered

In presence of
 Tho: Holt
 Wm. Woodson
 Wm. Gray
 Wm. Allen
 Wm. Platt

In a Court held for the County of Wight County
 the 24th Day of November 1712

The within Deed of Sale was further proved in Court
 by the oath of Wm. Platt & Tho: Holt two of the witnesses thereto and
 admitted to Record

Teste H. Legh Esq. Clerk

Signed

This Indenture bearing date the thirteenth Day of September
 in the fourth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of
 God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith
 &c. unnessy Bore one thousand seven hundred and Eighteen Wm. of
 with that Thomas Powel son and Thomas Powel Jun. both of the
 County of Wight Esq. for and in consideration of a
 valuable part or piece of Land containing about fifty acres but more
 or less lying and being in of afore said County (more or
 of Roger Powell and Elizabeth his wife unto of said Thomas Powell
 son and Thomas Powel Jun. as by a Deed bearing Date with the
 present may appear of afore said Thomas Powell son and Thomas
 Powel Jun. both by these presents for themselves their heirs etc. and do
 give grant demise sell alienate dispose and pay and also let
 by Confirm unto of afore said Roger Powell his heirs etc. do hereby

And assigns for ever one part or parcel of Land and plantation lying
and being in the first place of right County containing about fifty acres or
more and is part of a parcel of Land that of Roger Novill now
Liveson being bounded as followeth viz. byning at a marked poplar my
John Swinburne Southwelly to a scrubby white oak so Southwelly to a
white oak in various old field to a light wood Black Downy Run to the
first Station of which I part or parcel of Land and plantation with all
and singular of building house orchards wood way Springs waters or wa-
ter Cuts with all and singular of Profit Commodities or appurtenances
thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining in as Large and ample
manner as first granted by patent unto him of Roger Novill his heirs
Ed. and assigns for ever to have and to hold peaceably and qui-
etly to Enjoy without any sort hindrance Contradiction or molestation
of them of Thomas Powel Sen and Thomas Powel Jun or either of
them their heirs Ed. or assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever
from by and under them Penning and for further Confirmation do oblige
our Seals to acknowledge of same of County Court when thereunto require
and by these presents I do acknowledge to have delivered the aforesaid Land
by these and things with Error and Scurion according to Law for which
Whereof we have herunto set our hands and fixed our Seals of Day
and year above specified

Signed sealed and delivered by these and things
with Error and Scurion according to Law

In presence of
Wm. Lisle
Michael Murphy
John Powel

Tho: Powel Sen
mark

Tho X Powel Jun
as mark

At a Court held for file of right County
the 22 day of September 1712

Tho: Powel & Tho: Powel Jun Came into Court presented and
acknowledged this their Deed to Roger Novill and it is admitted to record

To all Whome these presents shall come greeting be known ye that of
Roger Novill of the file of right County to and with ye free and voluntary
consent of Elizabeth my Wife for divers good Causes and Considerations
we the saids Moving and More Especially out of ye tender Love and af-
fection we bore to our Loving Son John Hampton of the aforesaid file of
right County do by these presents for as our heirs Ed. and assigns give grant
Donis Sale alienate Enfeoff and fully and Absolutely sell and set
over for ever unto ourd Son John Hampton and Ann his wife and the
heirs of their body Lawfully begotten for ever one part or parcel

of Land and plantation lying and coming of force & right fully containing about fifty Acres be it more or less being part of a parcel of Land conveyed unto y^e s^d Roger Neville by Tho. Penease son and the Penease as by a Deed of Sale bearing Date of thirtieth Day of September y^e fourth year of y^e Reigne of Our Sovereign Lord George by y^e Grace of God of Great Brittain France and Ireland King Defender of y^e faith &c. Among Dem. One thousand seven hundred and Eighty one and is bounded as followeth viz. Beginning at a poplar on y^e Jordan Swamp running Southerly to a Scrubby White Oak Southerly to a Marked White Oak in Dardons Old field to a Light wood Knot a corner tree so drawing y^e swamp to its first station of which y^e Land and plantation with all and singular y^e buildings houses Orchards wood Springs ways waters or water Cures unto him y^e afores^d John Hampton and Ann his wife and y^e heirs of their Body Lawfully begotten for ever To Have With To Hold peaceably and quietly to Enjoy for ever without any Lett hindrance Contradiction or Molestation of him y^e afores^d Roger Neville and both his Wife their heirs &c. or assigns or any other other person or persons from by or under them Beginning but for want of such heirs of their Body Lawfully begotten then y^e afores^d Land to Devolve to our Loving Daughter Mary Neville and her heirs for ever and we do hereby acknowledge to have delivered y^e afores^d Land to her and things with every and Season according to Law and for further Confirmation do oblige ourselves to a knowledge y^e same in y^e County Part where the same is required as Witness our hands and Seals this 2^d month day of September in y^e fourth year of y^e Reigne of Our Sovereign Lord George by y^e Grace of God of Great Brittain France and Ireland King Defender of y^e faith &c.
Done 1718
Roger Neville

Witnessed and delivered by us and Thos

Edw. & Neville

with Deputy and Season according to Law
In presence of

East John Lisle

Michael M. Murfory

John H. Powall

sent and acknowledged this his Deed to John Hampton and it is committed to Record

East H. Lightfoot Secy

To all Christian people to whom these presents shall come I Robt. Clerk of Surrey County send greeting in our Lord God Everlasting Amen so that I do hereby speak for and in consideration of y^e Love and affection which I have

And do bare towards my Daughter Katherine which is now under y^e name of
Katherine Bradley here given and granted and by thys presents do freely fully
and absolutely give and grant to my s^d Daughter Katherine and to y^e heirs of her
body lawfully begotten for ever all y^e right litle p^{ar}cel of P^{ar}sonage Farm
and Demand of me y^e Robt Fleake of in or to a p^{ar}sonage or p^{ar}cel of Land
situate in y^e p^{ar}ish of right Containing one hundred acres of Land to y^e same
more or less which do tract or p^{ar}cel of Land is part of a p^{ar}cel formerly granted
to Robt Fleake sen^r my father and bounded as followeth viz: beginning at Olivers
Lins at a great p^{ar}sonage thence East one hundred and sixty pole South two hundred
pole then West one hundred and sixty pole to y^e Wombles Lins up y^e so cond Swamp
to y^e first station Together with all and singular y^e houses or chardes Gardens &
Wood Ways and Waters and all other Royalties Princes Profits Commodities & any
advantages whatsoever to y^e do tract or p^{ar}cel of Land belonging or in any wise apper-
taining or there with or with any part thereof used or enjoyed excepted Legated or
taken as p^{ar}cel p^{ar}cel or Member thereof To Have and To Hold y^e do tract
or p^{ar}cel of Land with all & singular other the p^{ar}misses herein before Mentioned
to be heroly granted & Confirmed with their own Dower of their appurtenan-
ces unto y^e Katherine and to y^e heirs of her body lawfully begotten for ever
by only proper Proper use and to her of her y^e Katherine and to her heirs
for ever to be held of Our Sovereign Lord y^e King his heirs and Successors in pro-
and Common Socage and in Capite or by Knights Service. Yielding and Pay-
ing y^e Quittrent Due and accustomed to be paid for y^e same being one Shilling
yearly for fifty acres to be paid at y^e feast of St Michael y^e Arch. angels and
y^e do Robt Fleake for himself his heirs &c. doth heroly (Covenant) p^{ar}miss &
Grant to and with y^e Katherine and her heirs y^e he y^e do Robt now at y^e time
of y^e sealing and delivery of these presents is and stand lawfully and Rightfully
Lord of all and singular y^e aforesaid tract or p^{ar}cel of Land of and for a good Law-
full and good of all able State of a heritance for ever simple and y^e y^e do Robt Fleake
his heirs &c. doth heroly granted p^{ar}misses with y^e appurtenances unto y^e Ka-
therine and to her heirs against all y^e persons whatsoever shall and well warrant
and for ever Defend and y^e it shall and may be Law full for her y^e Katherine
and her heirs from time to time and at all times for ever here after peaceably
to Have Hold occupy Possess and Enjoy y^e same to her and their own proper use
and uses and y^e Clear and free from all and all manner of former and other
Gifts Grants Bergins and Sales Mortgages Joyntures Judgments Extents & Execu-
tions and all other manner of Incumbrances whatsoever In Witness whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this 21 day of July y^e fourth year of y^e reign
of our Sovereign Lord Harry the 8th by y^e Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King

Teste seal and delivered
in p^{ar}sonage of
James Stanton
James Stanton Jun^r
John H. H. H.

At a Court hold for y^e L^{ord} of right County of 22 day
of September 1515

Robt Fleake Came into Court presented and acknowledged this his Deed
to Katherine Bradley and it is admitted to Record
In the Right Court of Chancery

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This Indenture bearing Date of thirteenth Day of September
in the fourth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of
God of Great Brittain France and Ireland King Defender of the faith &c.
among Dom one thousand seven hundred and Eighteen Witnesses that
Roger Nevil of the County of Northampton Esquire and with the
free and voluntary Consent of Elizabeth his Wife and for valuable
Consideration of a certain part or parcel of Land lying and being
in the County of Northampton Containing about fifty acres more or less
Conveyed by Thomas Powell Esq. and Tho. Powell Jun. both of the
aforesaid County of Northampton unto the said Roger Nevil and is part of
the said Part of Land of the said Tho. Powell Esq. and Tho. Powell Jun.
now living on a good Soil bearing Date with these presents may appear
of aforesaid Roger Nevil with the free and voluntary Consent of
Elizabeth his Wife both by these presents for them their heirs and
admits Give Grant Sell alienate transfer Enfeoff and fully and
absolutely Confirm unto the aforesaid Tho. Powell Esq. and Tho. Powell
Jun. his heirs and assigns for ever one part or parcel of Land
lying and being in the aforesaid County of Northampton Containing about fifty
acres be it more or less and is part of the said Part of Land of the said Roger
Nevil now living on being bounded as followeth viz. Beginning at a mark
ed pin on the Southwesterly Side of the Beaver of the Beaver Dam so running along
the Line to a Marked a (or northward to a Light wood Knot all which part
or parcel of Land and Plantation with all and singular of houses building
orchard woods way waters springs or water Curses with all and singular
the Profits Commodities and appurtenances whatsoever in or Large and
ample manner as first granted by Patent unto them the said Tho. Powell
Esq. and Tho. Powell Jun. their heirs and assigns and assigns to have and to
hold for ever and peaceably and quietly to enjoy without any Let hin-
drance Contradiction or Molestation of him the said Roger Nevil or El-
izabeth his Wife or any other person or persons for by or under them Claim-
ing and do hereby acknowledge to have Received of aforesaid Land by
Curry and Turry with Levee and Season according to Land and for further
Confirmation do oblige our selves to acknowledge of Samson of County of Northampton
when thereto Required in Writing Whereof we have here unto set our hands
and fixed our Seals of Wax and your Close Spelled
Roger Nevil
with Levee and Season according to Land
Thos. Powell Esq.
Thos. Powell Jun.

By a sealed and closed by turf and twigs
with Levery and Seizon according to Law

In presence of
Jas Wm. Earle
Muh. ^{James} M. Murbery
John ^{James} Powell

John Wm. Carter
Mentor of a Murfery
John Wm. Carter

Agos Nova came this Day into Court presented and acknowledged the hi Deed to Tho: Powell and Tho: Powell junr and they admitted to record

Post 24: Light foot @ Cur.

This Indenture made the twenty third day of August in the year of our
 one thousand seven hundred & Eighteen and in the fifth year of the
 reign of our Lord King George. Between Joseph Holt of the upper parish of the
 County of York of the one part & Benjamin Holt of the parish of St. John & County of York of
 the other part Witnesseth that Joseph Holt for & in consideration of Sum of
 five shillings to him in hand paid by Benjamin Holt at & before the En-
 sealing and delivery hereof which receipt of himself there with fully satis-
 fied Contented and paid he taketh here by Acknowledging and for other good causes & Con-
 siderations him thereunto moving hath granted Donated Leased and to farm Let
 ten & by these presents hath grant Donated Leased and to farm Let unto Benjamin
 Holt his Executors Administrators & Assignes a certain tract or parcel of
 Land situate lying & being in the parish of St. John & County of York containing by Estimation
 one hundred & fifty Acres be & same more or less the same being laid off from
 the South South west part of a Patent of three hundred Acres granted to the
 said Joseph Holt bearing Date of Twentieth Day of April one thousand seven
 hundred & fifteen as by the Patent may appear by a line of Marked trees
 bounding a part of the Patent from the West North west to the East South East
 part thereof together with all & singular Rights privileges & propriety to the
 said Land belonging or in any way appertaining To Have and to
 hold the said Tract or parcel of Land to all and singular of his Executors
 Donated to the said Benjamin Holt his Executors Administrators & Assignes from the Day
 next before the Day of the said presents for & during the term and time
 of one whole year fully to be completed and ended Yielding and paying
 therefore to the said Joseph Holt his Executors Administrators & Assignes on the
 feast Day of St. Michael & Arch Angel next ensuing of Date hereof one
 year of shewen sum of & same be Lawfully Demanded to the intent that by
 virtue of these presents & of Statute for Transferring Uses in to possession the
 said Benjamin Holt may be in actual possession of the premises and be enabled
 to take and accept of a Grant and Release of the Reversion and Inheritance
 thereof to the said Benjamin Holt & his heirs & Assignes for ever In Witness
 all which the parties first above named to these presents Indentures have
 signified their hands & Seals the Day & year first above written

Witnessed sealed and delivered

Joseph Holt

In presence of us

Jo. Holt

Thos. Holt

At a Court held for the parish of St. John
 the 29th Day of October 1718

Joseph Holt Came this Day into Court presented and de-
 clared that he had Deeds to Benjamin Holt & it is admitted to record
 Test H. Light-foot Clerk

This Indenture made the twenty fifth Day of August in the year of
 our Lord One thousand seven hundred & Eighteen and in the fifth year of the
 reign of our Sovereign Lord King George. Between Joseph Holt of the
 upper parish of the County of York of the one part and Benjamin Holt
 of the parish of St. John & County of York of the other part Witnesseth that

Joseph Holt for Devises good Causes and considerations him thereunto may be
 more especially in and consideration of the same of seven pounds ten shil-
 lings current Money to him on hand paid and secured by the said Benjamin Holt
 and before of sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof and his
 selfe there with fully satisfied Patented and paid he doth here by the knowledge
 of the said Benjamin Holt Remission Release alienation Transfer Enfeoffed
 and confirmed and by these presents for himselfe his heirs and assigns with
 grant full Remission Release alienation Transfer Enfeoffed and confirmed with
 the said Benjamin Holt and to his heirs and assigns for ever all that Right by the
 Interest possession Claim and demand of him of the said Joseph Holt of in and to a
 certain tract or piece of Land situate in of Parok and County aforesaid
 containing by estimation one hundred and fifty Acres be the same more or
 less being part of a Patent of three hundred Acres granted to the said Joseph Holt
 bearing Date of the thirtieth Day of April one thousand seven hundred and fifty five
 the said hundred and fifty Acres being bounded of from the South South west part of the
 said Patent and separated from the residue thereof by a line of mark trees ex-
 tending a Cross of the said Patent and is therewith bounded on the South Eastern part
 by the two sides lines of the said Patent on the Eastern & Western sides and by the back line
 thereof on the Southern part and whereof the said Benjamin Holt is in actual posses-
 sion by virtue of a lease bearing of twenty third of this instant To gether with all and
 singular the Right Privileges Profits and Advantages whatsoever to the
 tract or piece of Land belonging or in any wise appertaining or therewith
 with any part thereof used or enjoyed accepted reputed or taken as part
 or piece thereof **TO HAVE AND TO HOLD** the said tract or piece of Land
 and all and singular of Premises herein before mentioned to be here by granted
 Released & confirmed with their & Every of their Appurtenances to the said
 Benjamin Holt his heirs & assigns for ever to the only proper use of him
 the said Benjamin Holt his heirs & assigns for ever to be held of our Ser-
 vants Lord the King his heirs and Successors in free and common Socage in
 not in Knight or by Knights Service Yielding and paying the quit-
 rent due and accustomed to be paid for the same being one shilling
 for every fifty Acres yearly to be paid at the feast of St. Michael & arch-
 angels and the said Joseph Holt doth for him selfe his heirs & assigns
 and assigns here by covenant promise & grant to and with the said Benjamin Holt
 his heirs and assigns that he the said Joseph Holt now at the time of the sealing
 and delivery of these presents is and stands Lawfully and Rightfully seized
 of all singular of the said tract or piece of Land of in & for a good Lawfull &
 indefeasible State of Inheritance in fee simple & the said Joseph Holt his heirs
 Executors and Administrators the said hereby granted promises with of appurtenances
 unto the said Benjamin Holt his heirs and assigns as of assigns
 whatsoever shall and will warrant and for ever Defend and that it
 shall and may be Lawfull for him the said Benjamin Holt his heirs &
 assigns from time to time and at all times for ever here after Peaceably
 to have hold occupy possess and enjoy the same to his and their own proper
 use and uses and that he and his heirs from now and all manner of

Incumbrances whatsoever In Witness of all which the parties last above named
to these present Indentures have interchangeably set their hands & Seales the
Day and year first above written

Joseph Holt

signed Sealed and delivered

In presence of us
John Holt

Tho: Holt

Witness this his Deed to Benjamin Holt & it is admitted to Record

Test H: Light foot

At a Court held for Isle of Wight County
the 24 Day of October 1712

To all Christian people to whom these presents shall come I do hereby
bearing of Edmund Herring of Isle of Wight County I do hereby greeting in name of
our Lord God Everlasting Now know ye that I the said Edmund Herring for
Divine Good Cause and Considerations mo thereto moving but more Espe-
cially for the Honor Love & Good will of I have unto my Loving Son Daniel
Herring Have and by these presents Do for me & my heirs Executors Administrators
Give Grant Convey and fully and absolutely Let and Sell over unto my said
Son Daniel Herring & his heirs for Ever all of Land where on I now dwell
as followeth (viz) the plantation of the said Daniel Herring now I dwell with
one halfe of my Land to be in his Occupation from this present time forth
for Ever and the plantation whereon I now dwell and the other halfe of
my Land after my Decease and my Wifes Decease the whole Containing
by Estimation two hundred Acres more or less it being of Land I purchased of
William West and bounded as followeth beginning at a Red Oak at Narrows
thies Standing in John Smiths Line and so Keeping Smiths line to westward line
so along Westward line to a Branch (Allee) of Long Branch so up of said Branch
to a marked White Oak Standing in the Branch it being a Corner tree so a line
a line of marked trees to Narrows line thence along that line to a first Sta-
tion To Have and To Hold of Land and plantation with all and
Singular of Profits and privileges there to belonging or in any wise apper-
taining unto him of a fore said Daniel Herring his heirs and assigns forever
without any Let hindrance Contradiction or Molestation of him or his or thers
my Herring his heirs Executors or Administrators or any other person or persons what-
soever from by or under him or them Claiming and farther I Do oblige myself
to acknowledge of same in of County Court held for the Isle of Wight County
when thereto Required Witness my hand and Seal this two of Days, Octo-
ber in of year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seven

Edmund Herring

signed Sealed and delivered

In presence of us

Edward Herring

Wm. Herring

At a Court held for Isle of Wight County the 24 Day of October 1712

Witness this his Deed to Daniel Herring & it is admitted to Record

Test H: Light foot

KNOW all men by these presents that I John (or bill of the lower
 side of the Isle of Wight County Do give unto William Spiro and to
 Margaret his wife one certain parcel of Land with the plantation
 Beginning at the mouth of a branch on the north side of a plantation
 So running up the said branch to a Red Oak standing by the path side
 So along the pond then along the ponds side next to a house at the
 corner to Major Bridges line then along that line till it comes to the
 Red Oak Branch then up the said Branch to a first station it being about
 twenty Acres more or less with pre-erogative of the ponds for plantation
 Use for Ever not to be doled of the said John (or bill of the lower side of the
 said William Spiro and Margaret his wife During their natural lives and
 after wards to the said Wm. Spiro's Son William and to his heirs for Ever
 after my Decease and not till then of the said William Spiro is to be proved to
 them and herein mentioned as Witness my hand and Seal this 27th day of
 October 1718

Seal and delivered

in presents of us
 William Page
 Clerk of the Peace
 mark

Arthur Williams

John (or bill) came into Court presented and acknowledged this his Deed to William Spiro and Margaret his wife &
 it is admitted to record Test H. Light foot Clerk

At a Court held for the Isle of Wight
 County the 27th Day of October 1718

This Indenture made the 27th Day of October in the fifth year of the reign of
 our Sovereign Lord George by the grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland
 King Defender of the Faith &c. and in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and
 Eighteen Between Joseph Holt of the upper parish of the Isle of Wight County planter of
 one part and William Holt of the same County planter of the other part Witnesseth that
 the said Joseph Holt for and in consideration of the sum of five Shillings to him in hand paid
 of the said William Holt at and before the signing and delivery of these presents the
 Receipt whereof and himself therewith fully satisfied Contented and paid he
 doth hereby acknowledge and for divers other good causes him thereto moving
 hath granted Bargained sold & conveyed & is to farm Let and by
 these presents doth grant Bargain sold & convey and to farm Let unto the said
 William Holt his Executors Administrators and assigns a certain tract or piece of
 Land situate in the parish and County afore said containing one hundred Acres of
 Land be the more or less which said tract or piece of Land is part of the said Joseph
 Holts Patent Bounded Viz South westwardly by a line of mark trees beginning
 at a mark Gum by the side of the Racon Swamp thence to a White Oak corner to
 the said Joseph Holts thence eastwardly by a line of mark trees to the head of a bottom
 Driven of the bottom northwardly to a part of the Racon Swamp which bounds the
 said Island and by the said Swamp to the other part of the Racon Swamp and by the said

North Westwardly by first station Together with all and singular the houses Orchards
Gardens woods ways and waters and all other Royalties privileges profits (conveniences
and Advantages whatsoever to p^rsent or p^rest of Land belonging or in any wise apper-
taining or therewith or with any part thereof was enjoyed enjoyed Reported or taken
as part parcel or member thereof and of Reversion and of Accruals Remainders and he-
reinafters thereof and of every part and piece thereof To HAVE AND TO HOLD
the p^rsent or piece of Land with all and singular p^rerogatives heretofore Granted
Bargained and Sold unto p^r William Holt his Executors Assigns and Assignes from the
Day next before the Day of Date of these p^resents for and During the term of one Year next
to complete and End of the Year being and paying therefor to p^r Joseph his Executors
Assigns and Assignes on the first day of st Michael of each next ensuing
the Date hereof one ten of Indian Corn of Samuel all be Lawfully Demanded to p^r
patent that by virtue of these p^resents and of p^r Statute for transferring uses in l^rop^rosi-
on p^r William may be in p^r actual possession of p^r premises and be enabled to take and
accept of a grant and Release of p^r Reversion and Inheritance thereof to p^r Wm
his heirs and Assigns for ever In Witness Whereof p^r parties first above named
to these p^resent Indentures have Interchangably set their hands and Seals the
Day and year first above Written

Signed Sealed and delivered

Joseph Holt

In p^rson of
John Worden
Benjamin Holt
Thos. Holt

In a Court hold for p^r Joseph & Wight (sitting)
the 27 Day of October 1718
Joseph Holt Came into Court p^r sented and acknowledged
as this his Deed unto William Holt & it is admitted to Record
Test H. Light Foot C^r Clerk

This Indenture made the 27 Day of October in the fifth year of our Sovereign
Lord George by the Grace of God of Great Brittain France and Ireland King Defend
-or of the faith &c and in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and Eighteen
Between Joseph Holt of p^r paper parish of p^r Isle of Wight County planter of p^r one part
and William Holt of Surrey County planter of p^r other part Witness the Seal of said
Joseph Holt for Divers Good Causes and Considerations him therunto moving but
more especially for and In consideration of p^r Sum of Twelve pounds ten Shillings
Current money of Virginia to him then paid by p^r William Holt at and
before of the Sealing and delivery of the p^resents of Receipt whereof and him
-self there with fully satisfied Contented & paid he Doth here by acknowledge
Hath Given Granted Sold Remised Released alienated Transferred En-
-feoffed and Conferred and by these p^resents for him self his heirs and Assigns
-igns he doth Give Grant Sold Remise Release alien Enfeoff and Confer
unto p^r William Holt and to his heirs and Assigns for ever all that Right
-till Interest possession (Rann and Demand of him p^r Joseph of in or to a for-
-tain tract or piece of Land situate in p^r parish and County aforesaid Containing one
-hundred Acres of Land be the more or less which doth tract or piece of Land is part
of p^r Joseph Holts Patent Boundaries Viz (South westwardly by a line of marked
-trees beginning at a marked gumby & side of p^r Raccoon Swamp thence by a line of
-Oak & Birch trees of p^r Joseph Holts thence Eastwardly by a line of marked trees to head
of a bottom then Down to Bottom North wardly to a part of p^r Raccoon Swamp which
-bound of Indian Land and by p^r Swamp to other part of p^r Raccoon Swamp and

Of those presents the Receipt whereof they Dithely acknowledge Nath Grant bar-
 -gined sold promised leased and to farm John and by those presents both Barcia sold com-
 -muse Lease and to farm sold unto J^r Wm Edwards his heirs Executors and
 -Assignes all the tract of Land containing two hundred Acres of Land they are to
 -begin at a mark pin about one hundred yards from the South end of that part of the
 -Land called of String and along that line to the North end of of String &
 -Westwardly to a corner of of Land to the Indian Line and along that line Southwardly to a
 -branch and down that branch as of Line goes to a mark tree then along a line of mark
 -to a Cross of String to of beginning to in all of Land they had on that side of the String &
 -to of Eastward to the Corner of of String and along the String about a hundred yards to a
 -marked pin with all the things to the north woods Swamps and pastures together with
 -of the qualities of hunting fishing and fowling and all mines minerals & Quarries and
 -all other privileges profits and appurtenances whatsoever to of Promised promises
 -belonging or in any wise appertaining To Have and To Hold the of Do-
 -mised promises and every part thereof with of appurtenances unto of Wm Edwards
 -his Executors Assigns and Assignes from of Day of the Date hereof for and during
 -the full term and time of three years to be fully Completed and Ended Y^e 11th day
 -and paying yearly on of tenth Day of December to of J^r Tho. Jarrell & Joseph Lane
 -their Executors Assigns or Assignes one grain of Indian Corn if it be demanded
 -to the intent and purpose that by virtue of these presents & of of Statute for trans-
 -ferring us in to possession of J^r Wm. Edwards may be in actual possession of
 -the of mines before granted and may be there by the better Enabled to accept of
 -a grant or Conveyance of of Reversion and of Inheritance thereof to him and
 -his heirs for Ever In Witness Whereof the of J^r Tho. Jarrell & Joseph Lane
 -have hereunto set their hands and Seals the Day and year above Written

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At a Court held for Jds of Wight County
the 24 Day of November 1758

The 14 Day of November 1866
Thos. Jarrold & Joseph Lano came into Court & consented
and acknowledged their Deeds to Wm. Edwards Gould and it is admitted
to Record Test H. Lightfoot & Cur

West H. Light foot & Co

This Indenture made the tenth Day of Nooem ber in the fifth
year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the King of Great Brittain France
and Ireland of good of faith &c anno Dom one thousand Seven hundred
and Eighteen Between Tho. Garrett & Joseph Lane of the one part & William
Edwards of the other part Witnesseth that the said Tho. Garrett & Joseph Lane
for Divers good Causes and Considerations them therunto moving but
more Specially for and In consideration of one hundred pounds of mony
to them in hand paid by the said Wm Edwards at and before the En Sealing
of these presents hath Given Granted Sold Remitted Released and
Transferred Exchanged and Confirmed and by these presents for them

doe and either of them their and either of their heirs and assigns
to give grant sell Release alien transfer Enfeoff and Confe
unto of Wm. Edwards and to his heirs for ever being all and in
full and peaceable possession of of premises hereafter mentioned by
virtue of a lease bearing Date of Day before the for present on the
Right title Interest Claim and demand of them of Thos. Jarrold
and Joseph Lane or either of them their heirs Executors Administrators
or assigns or either of them of in or to all that tract of Land contain
ing two hundred Aers be the same more or less beginning at a
marked pine about one hundred yards from of South end of that part
of their Land (called the String) and along that line to of corner tree
on the west end of the String then westerly to the upper end of the
Land on the Indian Line and along that line Southwaly to a branch of
Bounds of of Land and down of branches of line goes to a marked tree
then along a line of marked trees to of East most corner of of String and
along of String about a hundred yards to a marked pine and of of String
to of beginning being all of Land they hold or of end of of String with all her
as fields woods under woods Swamps ways waters and water Courses with
the Regalties of hunting fishing and fowling and all mines and minor ails
and all other privileges Advantages profits and appurtenances whatso
ever to of granted premises belonging or in any wise appertaining
To Have and To Hold of of tract of Land and all other the
of premises here in before granted bargained and sold and every part thereof
with all Rights and appurtenances thereto belonging unto of Wm. Edwards
and to his heirs and assigns for ever to of only proper use and behoof of
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ing and paying of Rent due may and shall peaceably and quietly
have hold Occupy possess and enjoy of granted premises and every part
thereof with of appurtenances fully freely and absolutely and undisturbed as quiet
as and Discharge of and from all manner of Claim or Demand which they
the of Thos. Jarrold and Joseph Lane or either of them their or either of their
heirs Executors Administrators or assigns and that they of Thos. Jarrold
and Joseph Lane their heirs Executors and Administrators all and singular
the here in before granted premises or the of appurtenances unto of Wm. Edwards
his heirs and assigns shall & will warrant & for ever Defend by the persons of
them of Thos. Jarrold & Joseph Lane their heirs and Executors and every of of
from any Right or pretence of Right to of granted premises or any part thereof
or from any Claim or Demand of any other person whatsoever and lastly that
from time to time and at all times within seven years now next coming after
the Date of the for presents of Thos. Jarrold & Joseph Lane their heirs and
any of them at of Request Costs and Charges in Law of of Wm. Edwards his heirs
Executors Administrators or assigns or either of them shall shall and will warrant
suffer acknowledge and perform all and every such other acts, Evocations and
Confirmations in Law as by of Wm. Edwards his heirs Executors & Administrators

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I have and delivered
 before you
 Wm. Wilkinson
 Clerk of the Court
 John Price.

Robert Scott
 Plaintiff
 vs.
 John Price
 Defendant

The Court here peremptory of one lot (about 1/2) of meadow land
 John Scott (plaintiff) and presented to the Court the said land his Deed
 Wm. Scott & Co. Deeds to the Record.
 John H. Light Esq. Clerk

The image shows a close-up of a handwritten manuscript page, likely from the Voynich manuscript. The text is written in a dark ink on aged, yellowed paper. The handwriting is a cursive script, characteristic of the Voynich script. The page is heavily crossed out with numerous diagonal and horizontal lines, suggesting it has been heavily revised or is a draft. The text is mostly illegible due to the crossing out and the nature of the script.

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& better early schoolers
 present of
 W. E. Robinson
 & R. Scott
 John Brown

I set a point held for John of Wright County
 the 24 day November 1778
 Robt Scott came into Court, presented, and acknowledged
 this matter to Wm. Scott & Elizabeth his wife private & common delinquents
 for Right of Trade and is admitted to License
 J. H. Light foot of Rowan

Wm. W. Whitson
R. Rogers
John B. Davis

Robert Scott came into Court, presented, and acknowledged this indenture. Wm. Scott & Elizabeth his wife provided, examined, relinquished the Right of Dower and admitted to Record.
J. H. Light foot Clerk

This Indenture made the 23rd of May in the 17th year of our said Lord the first of James
King of Great Brittain Between Horace Edmonds of the County of Surrey one part and Samuel
Edkins of the County of Middlesex of the other part Witnesseth that the said Horace Edmonds for
and consideration of the sum of five hundred pounds of lawful money of Great Brittain to
him in hand paid by the said Samuel Edkins the receipt whereof the said Horace Edmonds
with fully acknowledged hath bargained and sold and by these presents do bargain and sell
unto the said Samuel Edkins his Executors Administrators and Assigns all that piece of land
containing about fifty acres be it same more or less lying in the County of Middlesex beginning
at a Swamp commonly called the White wood Swamp and a white oak standing one the east
thereof running Northwesterly Course along a line of market trees to a Spruce Red oak
thence a long a line of market trees to a second small branch so
first station with all appurtenances thereunto belonging To HAVE AND
To HOLD of the said Land and premises with appurtenances hereunto mentioned to be bargained and sold
unto the said Samuel Edkins his Executors Administrators and Assigns from day to day for ever hereof
to be during the term of one whole year from the next ensuing and day to be day to day and
to be well kept and paying therefore the rent of one penny for one acre of the said land of the
same shall be done and to be content that by virtue of these presents a receipt of Statute for conveying
to possession of the said Samuel Edkins may be in actual possession of the premises and to have to accept a
grant of the Governor and assistance thereof to him and his heirs who has granted to be granted
and to be made by the said Horace Edmonds to him of the said Samuel Edkins and his heirs by one day hereunto
to be made between them and to have full day next after the day of the date hereof in the County of
whereof the said Horace Edmonds hath hereunto set his hand and seal of day and year first
above written

Samuel Edkins
The said Horace

A Court held for the County of Middlesex the
24th day of November 1712

Horace Edmonds Comen to Court presented and acknowledged
this his Deed to Samuel Edkins and it is admitted to Record

This Indenture made the 24th of May in the 17th year of our said Lord the first of James
King of Great Brittain Between Horace Edmonds of the County of Surrey one part and Samuel
Edkins of the County of Middlesex of the other part Witnesseth that the said Horace Edmonds for
and consideration of the sum of five hundred pounds of lawful money of Great Brittain to
him in hand paid by the said Samuel Edkins the receipt whereof the said Horace Edmonds
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to be made between them and to have full day next after the day of the date hereof in the County of
whereof the said Horace Edmonds hath hereunto set his hand and seal of day and year first
above written

To have part or parcel thereof of the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders
 together with the Rents and profits of the premises and of every part and parcel thereof
 with all and singular Rents and profits writings Records and monuments what so
 ever touching and concerning the premises or any part thereof To Have and
 To Hold of the Premises To the premises to the appurtenances and every part thereof
 to the said Samuel Atkins his heirs and assigns to the only proper heirs and lawful
 heirs of the said Atkins and of his heirs and assigns To be held of our Sovereign
 Lord of King his heirs and assigns by the Rents of the said Duke of Right
 and Rents and of the Rents and Rents and his heirs and assigns for ever
 And Granted to the said Samuel Atkins unto the said Samuel Atkins his heirs
 and assigns against him the said Samuel Atkins his heirs and assigns shall
 and with warrant by these presents and of the Rents and Rents and Rents
 and agree to and with the said Samuel Atkins his heirs and assigns and to
 pay of them by the presents in manner and form following that is to say that
 the said Samuel Atkins for and not withstanding his part or matter nothing
 what so ever has made Done or Wittingly or Wittingly (intended or supposed)
 by him the said Samuel Atkins to the contrary notwithstanding the said Samuel
 Rightfully and absolutely Seized of the said land and premises hereto before
 mentioned In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
 the Day and year above Written
 Samuel Atkins
 Thomas Atkins

At a Court held for the County of Northampton
 the 24 Day of November 1759
 Nowe Atkins of County of Northampton and his heirs and assigns
 his Deed to Samuel Atkins and it is admitted to Record
 Test H. Light foot Clerk

This Indenture made this Twenty first Day of November in the year
 of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty Between Benjamin Joyner
 of the County of Northampton on the one part and Anthony Herring of the
 County of Northampton on the other part Witnesseth that the said Benjamin Joyner
 and in consideration of the sum of thirty Barrels of Flour to him in hand
 paid by the said Anthony Herring the Receipt whereof he doth here by
 acknowledge hath Bargained Sold and by these presents doth Bargain
 Sell unto the said Anthony Herring all that piece of Land or piece of
 land to me the said Benjamin Joyner by my fathers Last will and Testament
 containing three hundred Acres more or less Situate lying and being in the County of
 Northampton of East Side of Blackwater and bounded as followeth viz Beginning at
 a White Oak a Corner tree of other parcels on the Blackwater Side and so
 going along a line of marked trees to the James Duvall line and so along James
 line to a Red Oak a Corner tree of Major Bridges and so along Major Bridges
 line to a Half moon Branch or Dirty Branch and up the Branch to a gum
 a Corner tree of William Hinchins and so along that line to Blackwater
 Run and up the Blackwater Run to the first station and the Reversion
 Reversions Remainder and Remainders together with the rents and profits of the
 premises and of every part and parcel thereof of the said Herring and To Hold the
 To the said Herring and his heirs and assigns the premises herein mentioned and included to be
 held by Bargained and Sold with their heirs and assigns of their heirs and assigns

Anthony Horner's heirs Executors Administrators and Assignes from of Day before
 the Date hereof for and During the term of one whole year from the date next ensuing
 and full to be completed and ended Yielding and paying therefor of yearly rent
 of one penny the at of seat of St. Nicholas of Northwalle of the same Lord and his
 Domains his patent of by virtue of these presents and of Statute for transfor-
 = ring was given to the said Anthony Horner may be in & actually possession of the
 premises and he is enabled to accept a Grant of Protection and Privilege to the
 him and his heirs In Witness whereof he has hereunto set my hand and Seal the
 Day before last above London Benjamin Jener

In presence of
 Tho. Jener
 John Williams

The Court held for the County the
 22nd Day of Novr 1715
 Benjamin Jener and into Court presented and returned
 before this his Deed Anthony Horner in & admitted to Record
 Test H. L. J. J. J.

This Indenture made this Twentieth second day of November in the year of
 our Lord one thousand seven and Eighteen Between Benjamin Jener of the
 Wight County of the one part and Anthony Horner of the County of the other part
 in which that said Benjamin Jener for and in consideration of the sum of Thirty
 Barrels of Bar to the said Benjamin Jener in hand paid by the said Anthony Horner
 at or before the Delivery of these presents he Received of the said
 Benjamin Jener Delle here by Acknowledged and thereunto of Every part &
 his heirs and assigns Do clearly begin no Discharge of the said Anthony Horner his heirs &
 assigns and every of them by these presents have given granted Allowed Released
 and confirmed to the said Anthony Horner his heirs and assigns all that certain
 of the said Anthony Horner and to his heirs and assigns all that certain land which
 was given to the said Benjamin Jener by his fathers last will and Testament
 containing three hundred acres of Land more or less Situate in the County
 of Wight County on the East side of the Black water Swamp and
 as follows Viz (beginning at a White Oak a Corner tree of the said Anthony
 of Black water Swamp and so running a long straight Line of marked trees
 to a large Tree line and so along James Dages line to a Red Oak a Corner tree
 of the said Anthony Horner and so along the Major Bridgers line to a half-moon branch
 of a large Branch and up the said Branch to a Gum a Corner tree of William Richens &
 so along that line to the Black water run and up of Black water Swamp run to the
 first station together with all and singular of houses & edifices buildings orchards gardens
 woods pastures Commons ways waters profits Commodities hereditaments
 and appurtenances whatsoever to the said Land belonging in any wise apper-
 taining or there withall used occupied or enjoyed or any of the said appurtenances
 in & actually possession of him of the said Anthony Horner by virtue of one Inven-
 ture of bargain and sale to him thereof made for the term of one year bearing
 Date of Day before of Date of these presents and made between the said Benja-
 min Jener of the one part and the said Anthony Horner of the other part

by virtue of Statute for transferring of waile to p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States
 Right by the Statute last aforesaid p[ro]p[ri]ety Reversion. Plaines and domains what
 soever of J^r Benjamin Joyner of in shire of J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States
 p[ro]p[ri]ety those of J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States Remains and Reversionary
 and other rights profits of J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States
 together with all and singular Deeds. Edmones writings. Records. exempli-
 fications of Records. p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States whatsoever touching or concern-
 ing J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States only or only any part or p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States
 to hold of J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States and singular other J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States
 limited must or intended to be here by granted. Edmones Reversionary
 p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States with their & Edmones of their ap-
 p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States unto J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States his heirs and Assignes to the
 only proper use and behoof of him J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States
 his heirs and Assignes for ever to be holden of J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States
 fees of J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States by rents & services for J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States
 J^r Benjamin Joyner his heirs and Assignes. J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States granted
 and p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States unto J^r p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States his heirs
 and Assignes against him J^r Benjamin Joyner his heirs and Assignes
 shall and lawfully warrant hold for ever Defend by those presents In Witness
 Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal of Day of J^r Date here of
 first above written Benjamin Joyner

In presence of
 Tho. Joyner
 Tho. Williams
 Goal and Deliver

At a Court held for the County of
 the 22 Day of December 1714
 Benjamin Joyner came into Court presented & acknow-
 ledged this his Deed to Edmones p[ro]p[ri]ety and use of States
 Esq^r Esq^r Esq^r

This Indenture made the Seventeenth Day of November for one thousand
 Seven hundred & Eighteen and in the fourth year of the Reign of our Sovereign
 George by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King the first
 son of the said Between Matthew Strickland of the County of Wight County in
 Virginia of the one party and Benj. Spivey of the same County of the other party
 Witnesseth that the said Matthew Strickland for him self his heirs and
 Edmones have for Divers Good causes and valuable Considerations
 him thereunto and especially for the Consideration of a certain Sum
 by the said Benj. Spivey before the said Matthew Strickland and Delivered of the said
 well and truly paid or Secured of Receipt to him of the said here by above
 Tings and Do here by from the said Benj. Spivey and Discharge
 the said Benj. Spivey his heirs Executors and Edmones & Assignes have
 Bargained and sold celled Engrossed confirmed transferred & Delivered
 and by these presents Do for him self his heirs Executors & Assignes
 Bargain and sell celled Engrossed confirm transfer and Deliver unto
 the said Benj. Spivey his heirs and Assignes for ever one certain p[ro]p[ri]ety
 Land Situate Lying and being in the County of the County of Wight aforesaid
 to say all of Land that I bought of Matthew Strickland and Edmones

his Wife according to a Deed of Sale from Matthew Strickland and Anne his Wife to the
 De Ben. Spirey by Confirmation and in due manner of the said De Ben. Spirey that
 was by Matthew Strickland with or without all and every part thereof to have
 and to hold of De Ben. Spirey and every part thereof together with all rights
 privileges and immunities appertaining to the same belonging or in any manner of way
 appertaining unto De Ben. Spirey his heirs and assigns for ever of De Strickland for
 himself his heirs and assigns to do further (covenant promise affirm and agree
 to the said De Ben. Spirey his heirs and assigns that De Ben. Spirey and every
 part and parcel thereof now is & for ever hereafter shall stand & remain unto De
 Ben. Spirey his heirs and assigns King's Clear from all former Bargains sales
 mortgages judgments and all manner of incumbrances whatsoever and that he hath
 at times of sealing and delivering of the presents a good and sure gift of freeable
 Rato of the Ratoance in fee in the law of De Ben. Spirey and every part thereof
 which he doth hereby transfer and oblige himself his heirs and assigns to warrant
 to warrant & defend this his Deed and all singulars of the presents with their appurtenances
 as to him De Ben. Spirey his heirs and assigns against all and all manner of
 persons whatsoever claiming or pretending to claim any right title or interest to the
 said De Ben. Spirey his heirs and assigns that he De Matthew Strickland doth hereby covenant and promise to
 and with De Ben. Spirey his heirs and assigns that he De Matthew Strickland
 his heirs and assigns shall and will at all time hereafter at the request of De Ben. Spirey
 his heirs or assigns make De execute any other or further Deed or other writ
 ing whatsoever for better confirming & title of the above Bargained promises unto the
 said De Ben. Spirey his heirs or assigns for ever as shall by them reasonably
 be required in witness whereof De Matthew Strickland and Anne his Wife have
 hereunto set their hands and Seals of Day and year first above Written

In presence of us
 Joseph Lane
 John Cain
 mark

Matthew Strickland
 Anne Strickland

At a Court held for the County of Northampton
 the 2nd Day of November 1712
 Matthew Strickland came into Court presented & acknowledged
 this his Deed to De Ben. Spirey and Anne his Wife privately Examined & relinquished
 her right of Dower & it is admitted to Record

This Indenture made the fifth Day of January one thousand seven hundred &
 Eighteen in the fourth year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of
 God of Great Britain France and Ireland Defender of the Faith between John
 Donson of Lower parish of the County of Northampton and John Sikes
 of the upper parish of the County of Northampton of the one part and John Sikes
 Donson for and in consideration of the sum of ten pounds Sterling money of Eng
 land to him by De John Sikes in hand paid before sealing and delivering
 the presents of Receipt whereof De Donson doth here by confess and
 acknowledge and De John Donson his heirs and assigns doth hereby
 of and of every part thereof doth acquit Exonerate and Discharge by the
 presents hath Granted Bargained Sold Enjoined Released and confirmed and
 made by the presents doth here by absolutely Grant Bargain sell En
 joine Released and confirmed unto De John Sikes his heirs and assigns

On the first tract of Dividers or parcels of Land in his peevable possession now being
 foreward and back of a Brittain Indian law of Bargain of ane. said being Date the 1st
 before Date hereof made Between of J^r John Denson and J^r John Sikes
 according to of State for transferring us in possession which said is situated
 in the main Blackwater and bounded as follows Beginning upon Black Creek
 at mouth of Doones Branch running so running up to the first Creek rautes and
 Elyd (Thames) a branch of Dividers of Plantation of J^r Denson and of planta-
 tion whereon now of J^r Sikes now liveth called of Dividing branch and up that
 Branch nine outes and two (Thames) to of head line of J^r Densons out most pathes
 then along of out most line a Leaven outes and seven (Thames) to a (Sower tree) Red
 Oak belonging to of Patten thence four outes to a gumme standing in comes bran-
 ch and Down of J^r B to of first Station of J^r Denson containing by Estimation con-
 taining two hundred twenty one Acres be it more or less being part of a Patten for two
 hundred and thirty Acres granted to J^r John Denson by J^r Gov^r of the Colony of Virginia
 -wood his Col^y J^r Gov^r of this Colony of Virginia bearing Date of
 thirteenth Day of November in of twelfth year of her Reign in one thousand seven
 hundred and thirteon as a part of a Patten for hundred and ninety and five acres
 granted to J^r Denson by J^r Gov^r of the Colony of Virginia bearing Date of
 of this Colony of Virginia bearing Date of thirteenth day of October one thousand seven hundred
 and sixteen Relation being there unto that may fully give all Charge appear and
 also of Reversion and Reversions Remains and Remains to J^r Denson and
 to Hold the same Lands and premises with all and singular the appurtenances there-
 unto belonging or in anywise appertaining to J^r John Sikes his heirs and
 assigns for ever and J^r Denson for him his heirs the said J^r Denson and J^r Sikes
 have bound or shall or ment mentions or intends to be bargained and sold with
 every its appurtenances unto J^r John Sikes his heirs and assigns against
 him J^r John Denson his heirs and assigns and against all and every other
 person or persons from before or under him or thereafter and with warrant
 for ever and by these presents the said J^r Denson for him self his heirs
 Executors Administrators and every of them by these presents that he J^r John
 Denson now is at of time of of sealing shall be Lawfully bound in his
 Somescence of fee simple and in J^r Denson and J^r Sikes and every part thereof
 of without any Condition power of Revocation or Limitation now or was to
 alter (Range or) Determiner or make void of same and hath full Right full
 power and absolute Authority in of Law to grant bargain sell and perform of same
 and every part thereof and appurtenances unto J^r John Sikes his heirs
 and assigns according to of true intent and meaning of these presents and
 J^r Denson and J^r Sikes and every part thereof with all appurtenances now and
 thereafter Remains and Continues and unto J^r John Sikes and his heirs for
 and for and for ever and clearly acquitted Exonerated and Discharged or other-
 wise upon Every Reasonable Request to be made Lawfully saved harmless
 Keeped from being troubled by J^r John Denson his heirs and assigns from all manner of former
 and other by of grant bargain and sales bargain gift Donors as well in tail as annuity
 and of of from all other States titles troubles (Range and) premises whosoever how to be
 made committed done or suffered to be done by him J^r John Denson or his heirs or any other
 person or persons whatsoever from before or under him or thereafter than in the presence of the said
 Denson both hereunto put his hand and seals of Day and year first above written

Signed sealed and delivered
 In presence of

J^r J^r Sikes

John Denson