

lands unto William Hesterson abovesaid in the Court of the County of Northumberland att the demand or request of the said W^m Hesterson and wee do hereby give and grant unto our said attorney our full power and lawfull authority for us and in our names to execute and perform all and whatsoever shall be needfull and necessary to be done in or about the execution of the premises as fully & largely as in every respect as wee our selves might or could do if then and there personally present In witness whereof wee have hereunto set our hands and Seales this 26th Day of November Anno Domini 1722

Signed Sealed and Delivered Christopher^m Newton Seal
in the presence of
The Hobsons Patience^m Newton Seal

Ge: Hesterson

Die Jan: 16: 1723

This power of attorney from Christopher Newton and Patience Newton to J^r Buttler was proved in Northumberland County Court by the Oaths of The Hobsons and George Hesterson Witnesses thereto and is recorded
J^r Buttler

I know all men by these presents that I Mary L^{dy} Hugh of Northumberland County after my liberty on the plantation whereon I now live till the last week in April do acquit exonerate and Discharge my right and title of all Dowers or dowers of any lands or lands that I have or do hold in the abovesaid County and especially of the dower of lands whereon I now live and I do by these presents Impower my well beloved friend Clem^t Lattimore to acknowledge my above dowers unto M^r John Jordan or his heirs or both of them or both of their heirs for ever the same to stand in as full force in the law as if I were there present my self Witnesses my hand and Seale this 16th Day of January 1723

J^r J^r: Lattimore
William Lattimore

Mary L^{dy} Hugh Seal

Die Jan: 16: 1723

This power of attorney of Mary L^{dy} Hugh to Clem^t Lattimore was proved in Northumberland County Court by the Oaths of John Lattimore and William Lattimore witnesses thereto and is Recorded

J^r Buttler

This Indenture made the first Day of August in the
 Eighth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George
 by the Grace of God King of Great Brittain France and
 Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c. Anno Domini
 one thousand seven hundred and twenty two Between
 Peter L'Hugh of Westmoreland Parrish in Northumber-
 land County and Colony of Virginia of the one part
 and John Jordan of S^r Matthews Parrish and County of
 Fineside of the other part Witneseth that the said Pe-
 ter L'Hugh for and in Consideration of the sum of
 three thousand seven hundred Pounds of Gold to him
 in hand paid the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowlege
 and of every part and parcel hereof doth hereby acquit
 exonerate and discharge the said John Jordan his heirs Exec
 Adm and Assigns for ever by these presents hath granted
 bargain sold aliened remised released and Confirmed and
 hereby doth grant bargain sell alien remise release and
 Confirm unto the said John Jordan and to his heirs and
 assigns for ever a certain piece or parcel of land Situate
 lying and being in the Parrish and County aforesaid
 containing by Estimation Eighty acres more or less and
 bounded as followeth beginning at the Mill branch and
 so running along the line of Thomas White to the Church
 path thence over the heads of the bogling Spring branch to
 a line of new marked trees and so along the line of new
 marked trees to the first mentioned Mill branch it being a
 neck of land commonly known and called by the name
 of Hickory Necke to have and to hold all and singular
 the said Premises houses Out houses barns Stables Orchards
 Gardens Woods trees underwoods waters and all other conveni-
 ences whatsoever to the said land containing Eighty acres more
 or less as aforesaid with the appurtenances belonging or
 in any wise appertaining from him the said Peter L'Hugh
 his heirs or assigns to him the said John Jordan his heirs or
 assigns and to the only proper use and behoof of the said
 John Jordan his heirs and assigns for ever and to no other
 use Intent or purpose whatsoever and from the future
 claim of any other person or persons whatsoever and that
 he the said Peter L'Hugh shall at any time or times here-
 after by the request and at the proper cost and Charges
 in the law unto the said John Jordan his heirs and assigns
 make and acknowledge such other lawfull Act or Acts
 Devises advices or require and further that the said Peter
 L'Hugh shall and will acknowledge this deed of
 Indenture in Northumberland County Court unto John
 Jordan or his heirs and in due form of law In Witnes
 of all the premises the said Peter L'Hugh hath hereunto
 set his hand and Seal the day and Year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 in presence of Us
 Sh^r: Perry
 Mary Cure

Peter L'Hugh Seal
 Mary L'Hugh Seal

Memorandum That such and severable possession was this Day given and Delivered by trust and trust in the presence of us by the within mentioned Peter Lehew to the within John Jordan August the 1st Day 1722

Test J^o: Derry
Mary L^e Cure

Die Jan^o: 16^o: 1722/3

This Deed of Indenture with Livery and Seizen from Peter Lehew to John Jordan was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court and Court of Sessions ^{in the said County} of Mary Lehew relinquish her right of Dower ^{and is recorded}

Test: B. Lee & Cur

This Indenture made the Fifth Day of January Anno Domini one thousand Seven hundred and twenty two and in the Eighth Year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord King George of Great Britain France and Ireland Defender of the Faith &c. between Joseph Humphreys of S^t: Stephens Parrish in Northumberland County in Virginia of the one part and Farnolds Hunt of the said Parrish County and Colony of the other part with respect that the said Jos Humphreys for the consideration of a certain piece or parcel of land situate in the said Parrish County and Colony the bounds and Courses of said land Expresseth in an Indenture bearing even date with this doth give great bargain sell alienate Enscotte and Confirm unto the said Farnolds Hunt and to his heirs and assigns for ever all that tract dividend or parcel of land and tenement there on Erected now in the tenure and Occupation of the said Joseph Humphreys containing by estimation One hundred and fifty acres of land (be they same more or less) Situate and being in the said Parrish County and Colony late the lands of Elizabeth and Thomas Smith And is bounded as follows beginning at a small Poplar standing at the mouth of a large branch of great Wicocomoco River commonly called Palmers branch running at the mouth of a large branch of great Wicocomoco River down said branch upon the land of William Helms to a small branch commonly called the branch of Bishops Neck thence to a Corner red Oak following a new line of marked trees to a Corner tree at the Edge of the old field running East along the line of marked trees by the old field side to the line of J^o: Bridgman Dec: following the said line to the line of John Smith to Palmers branch the said Station together with all houses Orchards Woods trees under woods Timber fences matters matter courses Springs and Rivollets Gardens and other Edifices and appurtenances thereto belonging with all

Deeds and Instruments in Writing Miniments and all other
 Titles and Appurtenances therunto belonging or in any wise apper-
 taining do have and to hold the said hereby granted one
 hundred and fifty acres of lands more or less as aforesaid
 and premises with appurtenances from him the said Joseph
 Humphreys his heirs Executors and Assigns unto him the
 said Farnetold Mutt and to his heirs and Assigns and to y^e
 only proper use benefit and behoof of the said Farnetold
 Mutt and his heirs and Assigns for ever and to no other use
 Intent or purposes whatsoever and the said Joseph Humphreys
 for himself his heirs Executors and Assigns doth further
 Covenant grant and agree to and with the said Farnetold
 Mutt that he the said Farnetold Mutt his heirs and Assigns
 shall have hold use Occupy possess and enjoy y^e hereby
 granted lands and premises with the appurtenances from
 henceforth for ever from the future claim or claims of
 him the said Joseph Humphreys his heirs Executors and Assigns
 or any other person or persons Claiming by from or
 under them or any of them or any other person or persons
 whatsoever and that he the said Joseph Humphreys shall &
 will at any time or times hereafter when by the Mutt
 required make such further assurance for the better
 Confirmation of the hereby granted land and premises
 unto the said Farnetold Mutt and his heirs and Assigns
 for ever as he the said Farnetold Mutt or his Council
 learned in the law shall reasonably devise or
 require and that he will acknowledge this deed unto
 the said Mutt in Northumberland County Court in due form
 of law when therunto required and in Witness of all the
 premises the said Joseph Humphreys hath hereunto sett his
 hand and Seal the Day and Year first above mentioned

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 In the Presence of

Joseph F Humphreys Seal

Jo: Farwin
 Jo: Daugherty
 Jo: Harris

Jan: 11th 5th 1723

Memorandum that peaceable and quiet Possession and
 Seizen of the lands and Hereditaments within mentioned
 to be granted was had and taken by the within named
 Farnetold Mutt and given by the within named Joseph
 Humphreys unto the said Farnetold Mutt and his heirs &
 Assigns by Turff and Tving according to the Tenor form
 and Effect of the within written deed in the presence of

John Hayney
 John Daugherty
 Jo: Farwin

Memorandum That I the within named Joseph Humphreys doth promise and Oblige my self to allow the within named Farni Soldt Nutt free leave and liberty to keep what Stock is properly his own in the pasture I am making on the land he is to acknowledge to me for the term and Space of forty Years to Commence from the Day of the date hereof as Witness my hand this 5th Day of Jan^r Ann^o: Dom^o: 1722³

Being Present

For I Humphreys doth

Jo^s Irwin

Die Jan^r: 16^o: 1722³

John Daugherty

John Haynie

This Deed of Indenture with Livery and Seizen from Joseph Humphreys to Farnesold Nutt was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court and y^e Memorandum Concerning Pasturage and is Recorded

Test: 

This Indenture made the 5th Day of January Anno Dom^o: One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty two and y^e Eighth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King George of Great Britain France and Ireland Defender of the Faith &c. between Farnesold Nutt of St. Stephens Parish in Northumberland County in Virginia of the one part and For Humphreys of the said Parish County and Colony of the other part Witnesseth that the said Farnesold Nutt for y^e Consideration of a piece or parcel of land situate in the said Parish and County and Colony of the bounds and Courses of said land expressed in an Indenture bearing even date with these two thousand pounds of Gold^o: in hand paid and one Horse now Deliverd the receipt of which the said Nutt doth hereby acknowledge hath granted bargained sold aliened and confirmd and confirmed and hereby doth grant bargain sell alien and confirm into the said Joseph Humphreys and to his heirs and assigns for ever a certain piece or tract of land situate in the said Parish and County now in the tenure and Occupation of the said Farnesold Nutt the lines and Courses of said land to be and Run as follows beginning at a Corner Hickory by John Bridgman's fence extending thence along to line of Old marked trees dividing the land of Jo^s Bridgman Dec^r: and W^m Smoak Dec^r: thence to a marked red Oak at the beginning of y^e main branch near the mouth of a small marshy branch above W^m: Smoak Landing from thence along the main branch to the line of William Melms along said line to a branch that divides this land

From the land commonly called Biggs neck running up
 said branch to a Corner red Oak following a line of New
 market trees to the old fields to a Corner tree from thence
 along the old field sides to the line of J^r Bridgman dec:
 the first portion all said lands and Tenements thereon &
 estates (within the before mentioned bounds of Farnbold
 Nutt his heirs & doth confirm grant bargain and sell unto
 the abovesaid Joseph Humphreys his heirs and assigns for
 ever for the above Expressed sum which said land ^{premises} belong
 to the Reverend M^r J^r Farnbold dec part of said land
 being since Extracted by Richard Nutt dec: for the use and
 benefit of the abovesaid Farnbold Nutt all said land to
 gether with all houses Orchards Woods trees underwoods
 Timber Fences Waters Water Courses Springs Rivulets
 Gardens and other ^{appurtenances} and appurtenances therunto
 belonging with all deeds and Instruments in writing Mi-
 niments and all other Tittles and ^{appurtenances} appurtenances therunto
 belonging or in any wise appertaining do have and to
 hold the said hereby granted piece or parcel of land (more
 or less within the said bounds and premises with the appu-
 rtenances from him the said Farnbold Nutt his heirs
 Exec^r Adm^r: and assigns unto him the said J^r Humphreys
 and to his heirs and assigns and to the only proper use
 benefit and behoof of the said Joseph Humphreys &
 his heirs and assigns for ever and to no other use intent
 or purpose whatsoever and the said Farnbold Nutt for
 himself his heirs & doth Covenant grant and agrees to &
 with the said Joseph Humphreys his heirs and assigns that
 he the said Joseph Humphreys and his heirs & shall have
 hold use Occupy ^{possess} and enjoy the said hereby granted land &
 premises with the appurtenances from henceforth forever
 from the said J^r Nutt or Claiming of him the said Farn-
 bold Nutt his heirs Exec^r Adm^r: and assigns or any other
 person or persons claiming by from or under him them or
 any of them or any other person or persons whatsoever
 and that he the said Farnbold Nutt shall and will at
 any time or times hereafter when by the Humphreys
 Required make such further Assurances for & better
 Confirmation of the hereby granted land & premises unto
 the said Joseph Humphreys his heirs and assigns for ever as he
 the said Joseph Humphreys or his Council learned in y^e law
 shall reasonably devise & advise or require and that he
 will acknowledge this deed unto the said Humphreys
 in Northumberland County Court in due form of law when
 thereunto required and in Witness of all y^e Premises y^e
 said Farnbold Nutt hath hereunto set his hand and
 Sealed the Day and Year first above mentioned

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the
 presence of

J^r J^r J^r
 J^r J^r J^r
 J^r J^r J^r

Farnbold Nutt Seal

Jan^y the 5th 1722 Memorandum that Peaceable and
 Quiet Possession of the lands and Hereditaments within
 mentioned to be granted was had and taken. By the witness
 named Joseph Humphreys and given by the witness
 named Tarnatolo Nutt unto the said Jos. Humphreys
 his heirs and assigns for ever by Trust and Assigner
 - conforming to the Tenure Form and Effect of the within
 written deed in the presence of us

Jo^s. Jervis
 Jo^s. Langley
 Jo^s. Hagnie

Dio Jan^y 16th 1722/3

This deed of Indenture with
 Livery and Seizen from Tarnatolo Nutt to Joseph
 Humphreys was acknowledged in Northumberland
 County Court and is recorded

Test: *[Signature]*

In the Name of God Amen I Elizabeth Burr of the County
 of Northumberland in the Colony of Virginia being Sick and
 Weak of body but of sound and perfect memory Praise be
 given to God for this James and calling to mind y^e uncertain-
 -ty of this life and that all flesh must yield to Death
 when it shall please God to call do therefore make this
 my last Will and Testament revoking all former Will or
 Wills by me formerly made and declares this to be my last
 in manner and form following Viz^d Imprimis I give my
 Soul unto God that gave it trusting through the merits
 of my blessed Saviour and Redeemer to receive full pardon
 and free remission for all the past Errors of my life and
 my body to the Earth from whence it was taken to be decent-
 -ly buried att the discretion of my Exec^{or} or Executrix
 hereafter mentioned Item my Will is that all debts due from
 me be duly pay and Discharged Item I give unto my
 Daughter Elizabeth Durborke Twenty pounds Sterling
 to buy or Negro Woman which Negro Woman with all her
 Increase to be possessed by her and the heirs of her body
 for ever and one little Iron pot Item I give unto my Dau-
 ghter Margritt One Gold Ring of the Value of Twenty
 Shillings Item I give unto my Son John the Sum of four
 pounds Sterling to buy a trooping Saddle bridle Pistolls
 and holsters when he attains to age his Fashion left him
 Item I give unto my Son Thomas one Negro Girl named
 Judith with all her Increase Item I give unto my Daugh-
 ter Elizabeth One Crapes and one Durays Suit of Wo-
 -mans Apparell and to my Daughter Marg^d one Callico
 Suit of Cloaths of peice of blacke shallow

I Item I give unto my son John my Old horse and to my
 Daughter Margritt her horse called Sparks and to my
 son Thomas the Marsh Mare Item my Will meaning
 and desire is that all my Estate be brought to an
 payment and whatever shall be more than to his
 charges what my Executors Burn left them and to pay
 the above legacies I desire may be equally divided
 amongst my son Childress (to Witt) Elizabeth Marg?
 John and Thomas Item my Will and desire is that
 Mr John Stappes and Samuel Heath be my Executors
 whole Executors of this my last Will and Testament, in
 witness hereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal
 this the Eleventh Day of February Anno 1722/3

Sealed Signed & Delivered
 Published and declared to be Eliza E Burn Seal
 the last Will and Testament
 of Elizabeth Burn in presence
 of us Messrs Lewis Wm: W Haydon Wm: Wards Justice Intubined
 before Signed

Died Feb 20th 1722/3 This Will was proved in
 Northumberland County Court to be the last Will
 and Testament of Elizabeth Burn dec being proved
 by the Oath of Mutton Lewis & is admitted to record
 Test: P. Lee & Co

This Indenture made the thirteenth day of February in the
 ninth 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 God One thousand
 seven hundred and Twenty two three between Graves End
 of the County of Northumberland Planter of the one part and
 William Coppredges of the same County Planter of the other part
 Witnesses that the said Graves End for divers goods Causes &
 Considerations him therein to moving but more especially
 for and in Consideration of three thousand pounds of good
 and lawfull Tolls to him in hand paid by the said William
 Coppredges att and before the executing and delivery of these
 presents therereceipt whereof and kindred therewith fully
 Satisfied and paid he doth hereby acknowledge have given
 granted sold remised released aliend transferred Inducted &
 Confirmed and by these presents for himself his heirs and
 assigns doth give grant sell remise release aliend transfer
 Induct and Confirm unto the said William Coppredges
 and to his heirs and assigns for ever all the right title

Interest Possession claim and damage of him the said Graves
 Ever as in unto a Certain parcel of land situate lying and
 being in the Parish of Great Wicocampes in the County of
 Northumberland aforesaid containing by Estimation twenty
 five acres of land by the same more or less being part of the
 lands whereon the said Graves Ever now liveth and is bounded
 as followeth viz^t beginning at a Great Chesnut tree
 standing on the land of Richard Hackney and from the
 said Chesnut as Strait Course along the Rolling Road to
 a small Oak Sapling marked and standing on the Northside
 of the Rolling Road and from the said Oak Sapling as
 crop the said Graves Ever's Old fields to a small Pigeon
 marked and from thence through a piece of Tabb Ground
 to another Pigeon marked and standing in a Valley
 and from thence down the said Valley to a marked white Oak
 in Howson's Swamp and from thence up the said Swamp to
 Richard Hackneys Spring branch and thence up the said
 branch along Richard Hackneys line to the beginning Chop
 - put with all tenements houses out houses gardens Orchards
 Leases woods under woods ways Water and Water courses
 together with the due shares of all mines minerals and
 Quarries and all other priviledges Profitts & appurtenances
 whatsoever to the said granted premises belonging or apper-
 taining so have and to hold the said piece of land and all
 other premises herein before granted bargained and sold with
 all right members and appurtenances therunto belonging
 unto the said W^m Coppedge and to his heirs and Assigns son
 ever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said William
 Coppedge his heirs and Assigns for ever yielding and paying
 the said rent due and accustomed to be paid for the same of
 the said Graves Ever for himself his Exors Adors and Assigns
 and every of them do Covenant promise grant and agree to
 and with the said W^m Coppedge his heirs Exors Adors and Assigns
 and every of them in manner following that is to say that
 the said Graves Ever now hath and until the estate hereby
 mentioned and intended to be made to the said William
 Coppedge his heirs and Assigns son ever to his and their
 own proper use and behoof shall be fully and lawfully vest-
 ed in the said William Coppedge his heirs and Assigns son
 ever as aforesaid shall continue to have hold and enjoy
 a good free firm and Indefeasible estate in Fee simple
 to him and his heirs son ever of in and unto the premises
 herein before granted and every part thereof with the ap-
 - purlenances and that he hath good right full power and
 lawfull authority to Convey the same in manner herein
 before expressed unto the said William Coppedge and to
 his heirs and Assigns for ever and that the said granted pre-
 - mises with the appurtenances are free and clear from all
 other hidts Grants bargains and Sales and from all manner
 of other Titles troubles and Incumbrances whatsoever
 and shall so remain until the Estate hereby to be made
 shall be fully to all Intents and purposes vested & confirmed

unto the said William Coppedge his heirs and assigns for
 ever hereafter may and shall peaceably & quietly possess
 occupy and enjoy the said granted premises fully freely
 and absolutely acquitted and discharged of and from
 all former and other gifts grants bargains and sales and
 all other Charges title troubles Incumbrances and demands
 whatsoever had made suffered acknowledged or done
 or hereafter to be had made suffered acknowledged or
 done by him the said Graves Eves his heirs Executors
 or assigns or by any other person persons whatsoever and
 that he the said Graves Eves his heirs Executors all and
 singular the herein before granted premises with their
 appurtenances unto the said William Coppedge his heirs
 and assigns shall and will warrant and for ever defend
 by these presents against him the said Graves Eves his heirs
 Executors and assigns and every of them and against
 all and every other person or persons whatsoever lastly
 that from time to time during the space of seven years
 from the date of these presents the said Graves Eves
 his heirs Executors and assigns shall and will acknow-
 ledge and execute such Livery and other conveyances
 for the better assurance of the premises unto the said
 William Coppedge his heirs and assigns for ever as by
 his or their Council learned in the law shall be reason-
 ably devised advised or required In witness whereof
 the said Graves Eves hath hereunto set his hand & Seal
 the Day and Year first above written.

Signed Sealed and Delivered Graves Eves Seal

in presence of
 Rich^d J. Hackney
 Francis J. Craven
 Jos^o Taylor

Memorandum

That quiet and peaceable possession of
 the within mentioned parcel of Land and
 Tenements was given by the within named Graves Eves by
 Livery and Seizen unto the within named Wm Coppedge
 by delivering of Turf and Twiggs in presence of

Rich^d J. Hackney
 Francis J. Craven
 Jos^o Taylor

Die Martij 20^o 1702

This Deed was acknowledged in Northum-
 berland County Court by Graves Eves to Wm Coppedge and
 Eliz White of the said Graves Eves came into Court & relinquish
 her right in Lower and is recorded

Test Robt Lee Esq

This indenture made this 17th Day of September Anno Domini
 1728 Between Richard Lattimore of Wiccocomoco Parish in the County
 of Northumberland and Ann his Wife of the one part, and W^m
 Wough of the parish of Christ Church in the County of Lancast^r
 of the other part. Wittnebeth that the said Richard and Anne
 Lattimore for and in consideration of the sum of forty four
 pounds Sterling to them in hand paid by the abovesaid W^m Wough
 before the executing and Delivery of these presents the receipt
 whereof is hereby acknowledged and thereof and of every part
 and parcel thereof do hereby acquitt exonerate and discharge
 the said W^m Wough have granted bargained sold enfeoffed and
 confirmed and by these presents do grant bargain sell enfeoff re
 confirm unto the said W^m Wough his heirs Exec^{rs} Adm^{rs} or assigns
 one hundred acres of land situate and being in the parish of
 Wiccocomoco in the County of Northumberland abovesaid and is
 part of a pattern of One thousand Acres of land first granted
 unto George English by pattern dated the 26th Day of December
 1660 and by him assigned and sett over unto one Thomas Williams
 and by the said Williams again Repatterned the 11th Day of Feb^r
 1668 and four hundred acres thereof part of the before men
 tioned pattern by the abovesaid Thomas Williams by his last will
 and Testament bearing date the 19th Day of December 1682
 given and bequeathed to his Daughter Ann now Wife of
 Rich^d Lattimore abovesaid party to these presents of abovesaid
 One hundred acres of land bounded as followeth vizⁿ beginn^g at
 marked red Oak standing in the line which divides Co^r Carters
 part from M^r Lattimores and from thence running North eight
 two and half degrees East one hundred seventy six and half
 poles to the land of Charles Hammons thence along the said
 Hammonds line South eight degrees West Eighty one Pole thence
 South twenty degree west fifty nine poles to a red Oak corner
 tree dividing this land from the land of M^r Hoeds^r warden
 thence North seventy two degrees west sixty three pole North
 fifty seven degrees West twenty poles and North sixty three and half
 degrees west Eighty two poles to a stake by the mill path at a
 corner of Co^r Carters land thence along his line North six and
 half degrees East forty seven poles to the red Oak therein first
 begun To have and to hold the before mentioned One hun
 dred acres of land together with all houses Edifices buildings
 Orchards Gardens Fences pastures Enclosures Woods under
 woods and hereditaments whatsoever and the reversion
 and reversions remainders and remainders yearly and other
 Rents and profits of the premises on any part or parcel
 thereof and all the Estates right title Interest possession
 Claim or Demand whatsoever of them the said Rich^d and Ann
 Lattimore of in on to the before mentioned and hereby to be
 intended sold and granted one hundred acres of land and
 premises with the appurtenances and every part and parcel there
 of to have and to hold the abovesaid one hundred Acres of
 Land

and premises with the appurtenances and every part and parcels thereof unto the abovesaid William Wough and his heirs Exec. Adm. and Assigns for ever with all the right title & Interest that they the said Richard and Ann Lattimore ever had or they or their heirs or Assigns may have or pretend to have or in or to the said one hundred acres of land or any part or parcels thereof by any ways or means whatsoever or howsoever and that the said William Wough his heirs & shall or may lawfully have hold possess and enjoy forever the said one hundred acres of land hereby granted without the lett suit trouble eviction Expulsion Interruption claim or Demand of them the said Richard and Ann Lattimore their heirs Exec. or Assigns or any other person or persons claiming or to claim by from or under them or any of them in witness whereof the said Richard and Ann Lattimore to these presents have set their hands and affixed their seals the Day and Year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered

in presence of
Joseph Kelly
William H. Wales
Richd. R. Dice

Richd Lattimore Seal
Ann Lattimore Seal
Walter

Memorandum 7: 18: 1723

Ann Lattimore parties to these presents being Examined by Mr Geo: Ball and Mr Jno: Copejedge in Essex County said what she did was Voluntary without Compulsion

George Ball
John Copejedge

Die 7: 18: 1723

This Deed of Indenture with Livery and Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Clement Lattimore attorney of the within mentioned Richd Lattimore and Ann Wife of the said Richard came into court and relinquish her Right of Dower to the said Land and is

Recorded Memorandum that this day to wit the 17th day of June 1723 peaceable and quiet possession and seizen of the land and premises in within last specified was given and delivered to the within named William Wough by the within named Richard and Ann Lattimore by the Delivery of just and true Seizen upon the premises in presence of

Know all men by these presents that I Richard Lattimore of the Parish of Wicocomico in the County of Northumb: do nominate Constitute and appoint my Will beloved Son Clement Lattimore of the Parish and County abovesaid my true and Lawfull attorney for me and in my place & stead to fetch William Wough of the Parish of Christ Church in the County of Lancaster in possession of one hundred acres of land lying in Northumberland County abovesaid and

Joseph Kelly
William H. Wales
Richd. R. Dice

having

so done to acknowledge a certain Deed of Sale made by me
and Ann my Wife for the abovesaid one hundred acres of Land
into the abovesaid William Wough bearing even date with these
presents in Northumberland County Testifying and Confirming
for good and Lawfull whatsoever my said attorney shall do
in the premises abovesaid for good and Lawfull as if I my self
were personally present In witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and Seal this 17th Day of 7^{br} 1723

Signed Sealed and Delivered Richard Lattimore Seal
In presence of us.

Joseph Kelly

Lic^{is} 7: 18: 1723

William H. Wale

Richard Price

This Power of Attorney of Rich^d Lattimore
to Clerk Lattimore was proved in Northumberland
County Court by the Oaths of Joseph
Kelly W^m Wale and Rich^d Price sworn to before
me on 20th Dec^r 1723

This Indenture made this fourteenth Day of September in
the year of Our Lord God One thousand Seven hundred Twenty and
three Between Ge: Murray of St^s Stephens parish in Northumberland
County and Colony of Virginia planter of the one part Joseph
Dixon of the same place Blacksmith of the other part Witnesseth
that the said George Murray for several good Causes & Considerations
him thereunto moving but more especially for the Consideration
of the sum of four thousand pounds of Tob^o: to him the said
George Murray in hand paid on good caution for the payment
whereof given by the said Joseph Dixon att and before the executing
and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof he doth hereby
by acknowledge and of every part and parcel thereof doth clean
ly acquitt and discharge the said Joseph Dixon his Executors
Adm^{rs}: have granted aliened released and confirmed unto the said
Joseph Dixon in his actual possession now being by virtue of a
bargain and Sale to him thereof made for One whole year by
Indenture bearing date one day before the date hereof and by
force of a Statute for transferring of uses into possession & to
his heirs and assigns one ^{small} parcel or Tenement of Land containing with
¹⁶⁰ acres be it more or less Situate lying and being in the parish and
County abovesaid and bounded as followeth Viz^d beginning at a white
soft chestnut tree standing by a branch thence along the said branch
untill it comes to a swamp thence along the said swamp untill it
comes to another swamp near the County Road thence Westward with the
said Road to a corner tree standing in John Baxtons line thence

the line of Thomas Hardin to its first station which said fifty acres
 is part of one hundred acres of land sold and transferred by Philip
 Evans and Hugh Harris unto William Shorter by deed bearing date
 the 11th Day of May Anno 1670 duly executed & acknowledged
 in the Court of the said County of Westchester and by the
 William Shorter sold and transferred unto William Howards by
 assignment endorsed dated may the 12th anno 1698 and recorded
 in the said County Court May the 20th 1698 and by the said Wm
 Howards unto the said Ge: Murbey by deed Indented bearing date
 the 7th 1721 and acknowledged in the said County Court May 9th
 1721 which Records when Recourse thereto had will more
 fully make appear And all woods and underwoods feeding
 ways Fences Orchards houses Watters and water courses privileges
 Advantages and appurtenances whatsoever to the said parcel or
 Tenement of fifty acres of land belonging and also singular
 other the premises herein before mentioned or intended to be here
 by granted and the reversion and Reversions remainden and
 Remainders the yearly and other rents and profitts of y^e premises
 to have and to hold the said parcel or tenement of land
 containing fifty acres more or less as aforesaid with y^e appurte-
 nances thereof before mentioned or intended to be hereby
 granted unto the said Joseph Dickson his heirs to the only pro-
 priety and behoof of the said Joseph Dickson his heirs & assigns
 for ever and the said George Murbey for himself his heirs & assigns
 Adm^r doth promise Covenant and grant to and with y^e said
 Joseph Dickson that it shall and may be lawfull for the said
 Joseph Dickson his heirs and assigns from time to time and att
 all times for ever hereafter peaceably and quietly to have hold
 occupy possess and enjoy the said land and premises aforesaid
 mentioned or intended to be hereby granted with all its appur-
 tenances under the rents and Services that hereafter may be
 due to the Lord or Lords of the Fee or Fees according to the
 Intent Tenor and meaning hereof without any lawfull let
 suit trouble or molestation of him the said George Murbey his heirs
 or assigns or any other person claiming by Feoffment or under him or
 any of his and the said George Murbey doth for himself his heirs
 & assigns Covenant promise and grant to and with the said Joseph
 Dickson his heirs and assigns att any time within y^e space of
 twenty years upon the request and att the proper charges in y^e law
 of him the said Joseph Dickson his heirs and assigns to make and
 execute or cause to be made done or executed all and every
 further act and acts conveyances and assurances in the law
 whatsoever for the better conveying and assuring the said land
 and premises unto the said Joseph Dickson his heirs & assigns
 for ever as by his or their counsell learned in the law shall be
 reasonably devised or required and also the said George Murbey
 for himself his heirs & assigns the said parcel or Tenement of fifty
 acres of land more or less as aforesaid with every part and
 parcel

thereof with their appurtenances hereby granted aliend released & confirmed unto the said Joseph Dickson his heirs and assigns against the claim or claims of any persons claiming by from or under him shall and will warrant and for ever defende and also the said Geo: Murfey doth Covenant and by promise by these presents to acknowledge this present deed unto the said Joseph Dickson in the Court held London = Shumberlands County aforesaid when thereto required according to due form in Law In Witness whereof the said George Murfey hath hereunto set his hand Seal the day and date first above written

Signed Sealed and
Delivered in presence of
The mark of W^m Jones Jun^r?
David Straghan

The mark and Seal of Geo: Murfey Seal
Lico: 13: 1723
This deed was acknowledged in Washington County Court by George Murfey and David Straghan Attorney of his Wife Sarah to Joseph Dickson and on his motion its admitted to Record
Desh. Robt Lee Clerk

This Indenture made this thirteenth day of September in the year of Our Lord Gods one thousand seven hundred twenty and three between Geo: Murfey of St: Stephens parish in Northumberland County & Colony of Virg: planter of the one part and Joseph Dickson of the same place Blacksmith of the other part Witnesseth that the said George Murfey for the Consideration of the Sum of five shillings Curr^t Money to him in hand paid by the said Joseph Dickson the receipt whereof the said Geo: Murfey doth hereby acknowledge hath bargain and sold and by these presents doth bargain and sell unto the said Joseph Dickson one small parcel or Tenement ^{on land} containing fifty acres be it more or less situate lying and being in the parish and County aforesaid and bounded as followeth vizⁿ beginning at a broken top of Chesnut tree standing by a branch thence along y^e said branch untill it come to a swamp thence along the Swamps bank only to another branch near the County road thence Westward by the said Road to a Corner tree standing in John Buxtons line thence along the line of Thomas Hardin to its first Station which said fifty acres of land is part of One hundred Acres of Land sold and transferred by Philip Evans and Hugh Harris unto W^m Shorter by deeds bearing date the 11th of May Anno 1670 duly executed and acknowledged in the Court of the said County of Northumberland and by the said W^m Shorter sold & transferred unto W^m Howard by Assignment endorsed datede May the 12th Anno 1695 and acknowledged in the foresaid County May the 20th 1695 which records when relation thereto had will make more fully appear and the reversion and reversions remainders remainders together with the rents profits and Issues thereof and of every part and parcel thereof with every of their appurtenances to have and to hold the said parcel or Tenement of fifty

of lands be it more or less and all and singular other premises herein mentioned and Intended to be hereby bargained and Sold with their and every of their appurtenances unto the said Joseph Dickson his Exors and assigns from the day before the date hereof for and during the whole term of one year from thence next ensuing fully to be completed and ended yielding & paying therefore the yearly rent of one Ear of Indian Corn as demands = ed to the Intent that by the statutes for transferring of uses into possession the said Joseph Dickson may by these presents be in actual possession of the premises and be enabled to ac = cept of the grant of reversion and Inheritance hereof to him & his heirs in Wittness whereof the said George Murfey hath here = unto sett his hands and Seal the day and date first above = written

Signed sealed and Delivered
 In presence of
 The marks of Wm WE Jones Jun^r
 David Straughan

The mark and Seal of Ge: p Murfey Seal
 Dies 7: 18 1723
 This deed was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Ge: Murfey and David Straughan attorney of John Wilder Parish to Joseph Dickson and on his motion its admitted to Record
 Test B: Lee Clerk

Know all men by these presents that I Sarah Murfey the wife of George Murfey of S^t Stephens parish in Northumberland County and Colony of Virginia planter have constituted and appointed a Vice Vicar and by these presents do make constitute appoint & ordain and in my place and stead do put David Straughan of the same shire aforesaid Schoolmaster my true and lawfull attorney for me and in my att the next Court to be held for the aforesaid County then and there to acknowledge all my right and title of Dower in and to fifty acres of land be it more or less Situate lying and being in the parish aforesaid unto Joseph Dickson of the James place Blacksmith as by Indenture or bargain or sale from my husband bearing even date with these presents may appear giving and by these presents granting unto my said attorney my full power and lawfull authority for me and in my name to do execute accomplish finish all whatsoever shall be needfull and necessary to be done in & about the premises as fully largely fully & amply as my self might or could do if then and there personally present ratifying and confirming what ever my said attorney shall do or lawfully cause to be done in and about the premises in Wittness whereof I have hereunto sett my hands & Seal this 14th Day of 17th

Done 1723
 Signed sealed and Delivered in
 presence of John Lewis
 The mark of Wm WE Jones Jun^r

The mark and Seal of Sarah Murfey Seal
 Dies 14: 1723
 This power of attorney of Sarah Murfey to David Straughan was proved in Northumberland County Court by the Oaths of John Lewis and Wm Jones and is recorded
 Test B: Lee Clerk

his indentures made this fourteenth day of May in the year of our Lord
 God one thousand Seven hundred and Twenty three between W^m Gill of St.
 Stephens parish in the County of Northumberland Cooper of the one part
 and Robert Bradley of the said parish and County planter of the other
 part Witne saeth that the said W^m Gill for and in consideration of the
 sum of four thousand pounds of 1000^l. To him in hand paid by y^e said
 Robert Bradley well and truly paid the receipt whereof he the said William
 Gill doth hereby acknowledge himself therewith fully satisfied and paid
 and thercof and of every part and parcel thereof doth clearly acquit &c.
 and discharge the said Rob^t Bradley his heirs &c. &c. &c. &c.
 For ever hath given granted aliend bargain sold and confirm and by
 these presents doth fully clearly and absolutely give grant alien bargain sell
 and confirm unto the said Robert Bradley his heirs and assigns forever one
 parcel or Tenement of land situate lying and being in the aforesaid
 County of Northumberland in Strothokaing neck upon Mattapanie
 River beginning att a White Oak in the fork of a branch that cometh
 out of the back creeks and from that white oak down the branch to the
 back creeks to Mattapanie River and all the land on the west side of
 aforesaid Creeks to a line of marked trees that parts Robert Bradley
 and William Lishen and running up that line to another branch of
 the Creeks upon a line of marked trees to broad creek and there
 running by the watterside the said land being formerly granted
 to Robert Bradshaw by patent and after became the land of Robert
 Bradshaw and by them sold to Thomas Evans and by the said Evans
 made over unto John Harris by deed of mortgage and afterwards
 sold by the said Harris to Owen Dermott by deed bearing date in the
 seventh Anno 1684 and was acknowledged in Northumberland
 County Court Aug^r the 20th 1684 by Richard Flint attorney of
 the said John Harris and afterwards sold by Owen Dermott
 son of the aforesaid Dermott unto W^m Gill first party to these
 presents by deed bearing date the Twelfth day of October 1725 and
 was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court from Owen
 Dermott and Marg^t his wife the 21st Feb^r 1725 by Matthew Kenyon
 attorney of the said Owen and Marg^t. And now by the said W^m Gill
 unto the said Robert Bradley with all and singular its rights members
 Juridictions aids appurtenances together with all houses outhouses or other
 Buildings Orchards Gardens Parks Tenements meadows feedings
 pastures woods underwoods ways paths watters and water Courses
 profits Commodities Hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever
 to the said messuage or Tenement and premises or to any part or
 parcel of them belonging or in any wise appertaining and therecof
 and reversions Remainder and remainders of all and singular the before
 mentioned premises and out rents and reverts reserved upon any grant and
 grants Demise and Demises made of the premises or of any part
 or parcel of them and also all the estate right titles Interests use
 possession property claim and demand whatsoever of him the said W^m
 Gill in and to y^e same and all deeds writings Evidences Court Records
 Receipts and instruments whatsoever touching or concerning the
 premises or any part or parcel of them

the said Messuage or tenement and all and Singular other the premises here
 by granted bargained and Sold or mentioned to be herein or hereby granted
 bargained and Sold with their and every of their rights members and
 appurtenances whatsoever unto the said Robert Bradley his heirs & assigns
 to the only proper use and behoof of the said Robert Bradley his heirs &
 assigns for ever And the said W^m Gill for himself his heirs Exec^{rs} adm^{rs}
 the said Messuage or tenement and all and Singular other the premises
 before granted bargained and sold with the appurtenances unto the
 said Robert Bradley and his heirs to the only proper use & behoof of
 the said Robert Bradley his heirs and assigns for ever against him the
 said William Gill his heirs and assigns and all and every other person
 and persons whatsoever lawfully claiming from by or under him
 them or any of them shall and will warrant and for ever defend by
 these presents and that the said W^m Gill at the time of enscaling
 and delivery of these presents hath full power good right and lawful
 authority to grant bargain sell and Convey all and Singular of before
 hereby granted premises with their and every of their appurtenances
 unto the said Robert Bradley his heirs and assigns in manner before
 aforesaid And that the said Robert Bradley his heirs and assigns
 every of them shall or may by force and Virtue of these presents
 from time to time and at all times for ever hereafter Lawfully peace-
 ably and quietly have hold use occupy possess and enjoy the said
 messuage or tenement and all and Singular the before granted pre-
 mises with their and every of their rights members and appurte-
 nances and have and receive and take the rents Issues and profits
 thereof to his and their own proper uses and behoof for ever with-
 out any Lawfull let suit trouble denial Interruption eviction or
 disturbance of the said William Gill his heirs or assigns or of any
 other person or persons lawfully claiming by from or under him or
 any of them or by his or their means act consent title Interest
 priority or procurement And lastly it is fully agreed upon by the said
 parties to these presents that all recoveries and assurances in Law
 made or to be made Concerning the before granted premises shall be
 and endure to the only proper uses and behoof of the said Robert
 Bradley his heirs and assigns for ever In Witness whereof the said parties
 have hereunto Interchangeably sett. their hands and Seals the Day
 and Year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 in the presence of

The mark & Seal of W^m Gill Seal

John Lewis
 R^o: Clotham Jun^r

Memorandum That peaceable and Quiet
 possession and Seisin of the lands and hereditaments within mentioned
 was had and taken and by the within named W^m Gill was delivered to the
 within named Robert Bradley to hold to him the said Robert Bradley
 and his heirs to the use of him the said Robert Bradley and of his heirs
 and assigns for ever according to tenor form and effect of the within writ-
 ten deed in the presence of

John Lewis
 John Millard

Di^o 18: 1723
 Indenture with Livery and Seizen was acknowledged in
 Northumberland County Court by W^m Gill to Robert Bradley
 and on his motion its Admitted to Record

Test B^o: Lee C^o: Cur

This Indenture made this ninth Day of September in the year of
 Our Lords Gods One thousand Seven hundred Twenty and Four between
 Richard Oldham Jun^r of the County of Northumberland a Parish
 of St. Stephen of the one part and John Hughtlett of the County of
 Richmond and Parish of Wash. Parson the other part Witnesseth
 that the said Richard Oldham of the abovesaid County & Parish
 Son and in Consideration of the Sum of One hundred pounds of Gold
 to me in hand paid by the said John Hughtlett at and before the
 Sealing and Delivery of these presents Indentures the Receipt where
 of the said Richard Oldham doth hereby these presents acknowledge
 and then of these presents and of every part and parcel thereof
 doth hereby acquit Exonerate and discharge him the said John Hughtlett
 his heirs Exec^{rs} for every part given granted bargained sold and sold
 and Confirmed and by these presents doth fully clearly & absolutely
 give grant bargain aliened bargained and sold unto the said John Hughtlett
 his heirs Exec^{rs} or assigns for ever One certain parcel of Land
 containing One whole acre Situate lying and being and being
 in the County of Northumberland and on the branches of Yecomac
 and where the said John Hughtlett hath begun to build an Mill
 bounded as followeth beginning at a marked white oak standing
 on the West side of the said Swamp thence along a line of marked
 trees to a Corner Chestnut thence along a line of marked trees
 to one other Corner Chestnut up the said Swamp including
 One whole Acre be the same more or less to the place in
 first began as by the said deed relation being thereunto had look
 and may appear with all and singular its right members and
 appurtenances together with all woods underwoods frobertico and
 Commodities whatsoever To have and to hold the said Acre of
 Land hereby granted bargained and sold on mentioned in
 Intended to be herein or hereby granted bargained sold with
 all their Rites members and appurtenances unto the said John Hughtlett
 his heirs or or assigns for ever and that the said Acre of Land and all
 the premises were clearly and freely exonerated and discharged of and
 from all manner of other and former Gifts Grants bargains Sales
 Leases Mortgages Jointures charges or Demands Incumbrances
 whatsoever and further the said Richard Oldham doth by these
 presents Covenant and promise for himself his heirs Exec^{rs} that if
 any by force and violence of the said presents from time to time and at
 all times for ever hereafter Lawfully peacefully and quietly have
 hold Occupie and Enjoy and possess the said Acre of Land with
 all and every and singular the before granted premises with all
 and every of their Rites members and appurtenances to & fully
 proper use of the said John Hughtlett his heirs or assigns for ever with
 our any Lawfull Let Law trouble or disturbance of him the said
 Richard Oldham his heirs assigns and further that the said Richard
 Oldham his heirs Exec^{rs} shall and will from time to time and
 at all times hereafter at the reasonable request and at the
 Cost

and Charge in the Law of him: that said John Houghlett his
 heirs & ex^{ors} Adm^{ors} make do Suffer Levy execute & acknow ledge
 or cause or procure to be made done Suffered levied executed and
 acknowledged all and every such further and other reasonable
 and lawfull grants Acts Conveyances assurances in the Law
 whatsover for the further and better and more perfect granting
 Conveying and assigning of the said acre of land the premises with
 the appurtenances unto the said John Houghlett his heirs and assigns
 for ever according to the true Intent and meaning hereof as by
 him the said John Houghlett his heirs and assigns for ever accord-
 ing to the true Intent and meaning hereof as by him of said
 John Houghlett his heirs or by them or on his Council learned in
 the Law shall be advised devised or Required in Writings where-
 of I have set my hand and Seal this Day and Year first above
 written Signed Sealed and Delivered in presence of us

James Oldham

Rich^d Oldham Jun^r Seal

Memorandum that on the 7th Day
 of 1724 this land within mentioned was Delivered
 by me Richard Oldham Jun^r in the presence of
 James Oldham

R^d Oldham Jun^r

Die 7: 16: 1724 This Deed of Indenture
 with Lien and Seign was acknowledged in Northumberland
 County Court by Rich^d Oldham Jun^r to John Houghlett and is
 Recorded

Test: J. L. Star

This Indenture made this Sixteenth Day of September One
 Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty four between Rich^d Oldham
 Jun^r of the One part and Richard Oldham Jun^r of the other part
 Witnesses that the said Rich^d Oldham Jun^r for divers good Causes &
 Contented Satisfactions and paid due more especially out of my fatherly
 care love and affections which I have and bear to him the said Rich^d Oldham
 Jun^r being my Son do by these presents give grant Enjoyn and Confirm
 to him the said Richard Oldham Jun^r to him and his heirs & assigns
 all that parcel or Dividend of land whereon he now dwelleth being
 part of a pasture which was granted to Sam^l Churchwell from Hill
 Rich^d Oldham & James Oldham Son lives hundred and ninety one acres
 of land partly in Northumberland and partly in Richmond Counties
 this being a certain parcel of land lying and being upon branches
 of a Swamp or Geommooc falling to the mill called Slynks
 Mill

and binding upon D^{nt} Beacham and J^r Lutterell their Land
 and keeping its Courses joining upon Stephen Walls his Land & bind
 ing upon Ge^o. Aldum and W^m Hill which is part of J^r Patterson
 before mentioned to have and to hold all and singulary tract
 of land as before mentioned with all rights and profits and
 Commodities thereunto belonging or in any way appertaining
 to him the said Rich^d Aldum Jun^r to him his heirs or assigns
 forever with all Houses Orchards Woods and underwoods waters
 and Wharves Courses with all premises and appurtenances & privileges
 thereto belonging with all rights and profits warranting the same
 from and my heirs or assigns forever fully to be enjoyed & to be
 enjoyed the same as W^m Hill whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and seal the Day and Year above written

Signed Seal &c Delivered
 In the presence of Us

R^d 13th Aldum Seal

John Conway
 John Hughtlett

Q^{uo} 7th 16th 1724

This deed of Indenture
 with Livery and Seizen was acknowledged in Parish Court
 County of Currituck by Rich^d Aldum to Rich^d Aldum Jun^r and
 is recorded

Test: J^r Lutterell

This Indenture made the 28th Day of March in the fourth Year of Our
 Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God King Great Brittain
 France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c Anno Domini
 One thousand Seven hundred Twenty and four between Edward
 Allgood of P^r Parish Northumberland County of Colony
 of Virginia of the One part and Robert Willson of the Parish
 County and Colony of the other part Witnesseth that the said Edward
 Allgood abovesaid for the good and valuable consideration of
 sixteen thousand Pounds of P^r to him by the said Robert
 Willson party to this Indenture in hand paid on well &
 truly to be paid the receipt whereof I do
 hereby acknowledge have granted bargained sold alien
 and confirmed and hereby do grant bargain
 sell alien and confirm unto his heirs &c &c
 unto him the said Robert Willson party to these pre
 sents and to his heirs or assigns forever all that dividend
 on parcell of land situate and being in the Parish
 County and Colony containing one hundred acres be the
 same more or less according to the courses metes & bounds
 thereof on the East side of the main branch of Chincapan
 Creek or a parcell of three hundred and fifty acres of land
 formerly belonging to Ben^g Bird and by the said Edward
 Allgood Father to the said Edward Allgood party
 party to these presents by a deed dated the 07th Day of

672 Relation sheweth that will more att large appear
 the said hundred acres of land being bounded as followeth
 viz beginning att a Sycamore standing in a branch called
 the Treedy branch thence West and by South along a line
 of marked trees to a Corner white Oak standing in a fork
 of a branch thence down the said branch and Swamp North
 and by East to the mouth of the branch called the Treedy branch
 thence up the said branch to the beginning tree together with
 all Woods underwoods watter courses Priviledges profits
 Commodities and appurtanances with all writing papers
 and Evidences whatsoever to the same belonging or in any
 wise appertaining To have and to hold the said hundred
 acres of land to us more on less limited as aforesaid together
 with all and singular the premises and appurtanances from me
 the said Edward Allgood my heirs exec^{ors} and adm^{ors} to him
 the said Robert Willson his heirs and assigns forever and the
 said Edward Allgood doth hereby further Covenant and
 agree to and with the said Robert Willson party as aforesaid to
 the presents his heirs and assigns that he the said Robert
 Willson his heirs and assigns from him the said Edward Allgood
 his heirs exec^{ors} and adm^{ors} and all other persons whatsoever
 the said hundred acres of land and appurtanances shall have
 hold use occupy possess and enjoy to him his heirs and assigns
 forever and to no other use Intention or purpose whatsoever
 And In Witness of all the premises the said Edward Allgood
 hath hereunto Set his hand and Seal the day and Year first
 above Written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 in the presence of Us
 Rich^d Haynie Jun^r
 John Francis
 John Maurice son

his
 Edward E Allgood Seal
 Mark
 March the 30th 1724

Memorandum

That Divers and reasonable paper fees and Seizen of the
 within mentioned lands and premises was this Day delivered
 by the within Edward Allgood first party to the Indenture
 of Indenture unto the within mentioned Robert Willson
 by the Delivery of Justt and Swigg upon part of the
 within granted land and premises in the presence of Us

Testes
 Rich^d Haynie Jun^r
 John Francis
 John Maurice son

Dies Martij 20th 1724

This Deeds of Indenture with every
 and Seizen from Edward Allgood and Elizabeth his Wife was
 acknowledged by the said Robert Willson in Northumberland County
 and Elizabeth Allgood wife of the said Edward Allgood came
 into Court and Relinquish her Right of Dower in the said land
 and is admitted to Record

Testes
 Rich^d Haynie Jun^r

This Indenture made this twentieth Day of July in the year of our
 Gods One thousand seven hundred and Twenty three between Joⁿ Foushee
 of North Farnham in Northumberland County and Colony of Virginia planter
 and Elizabeth his wife of the one part and John Lewis of St^{ts}
 Stephens Parish in Northumberland County and Colony above
 Planter of the other part who of the said Elizabeth Foushee re-
 Elizabeth his wife son divers causes and Considerations them there
 unto agreeing but more especially for the valuable consideration
 of the sum three thousand pounds Tolls and Fifty Shillings
 Curr^t money in the aforesaid Colony to them in hand paid
 secured to be payed the receipt whereof they do hereby acknowledge
 and of every part and parcel thereof doth hereby acquit exonerate
 and discharge the said John Lewis his heirs and assigns for ever by
 these presents hath granted bargain sold alien and cotted and
 Coult^r unto the said John Lewis his heirs and assigns for ever
 all that their Interest Right and Title in and to the moiety or
 halfe part of a Certain Mill Dam and two acres of land
 hereto belonging and appertaining situate lying and being
 upon or near the head of Mattapani^e River in the aforesaid
 County of Northumberland and Commonly called Coas Mill
 Dam being formerly built by one Rich^d Coker and by the said
 Rich^d Diversely to one Lucy Turner and by the said
 Solde to one James Preble and by the said James sold and
 Transferred unto Henry Dawson late of the County of
 Northumberland dec^d: and now by Lawfull descent unto the
 said Elizabeth and all Woods and Underwoods Wages Pastures
 and Common Wages of feeding to and from the said Mill Dam
 and two Acres of land hereto heretofore usually accustomed
 together with all Waters and Water courses hereto belonging
 or any appertaining to have and to hold the said moiety or halfe part
 of the said Mill Dam and of two acres of land premises aforesaid
 & every part and parcel thereof hereby granted bargain sold
 & confirmed unto the said John Lewis his heirs & assigns to of only
 use and behoof of the said John Lewis his heirs and assigns for ever more
 to be holden of the chief Lord or Lords of the Fee or Fees of the
 said premises by the rents and services for the same due or accustomed to
 be due of the said Foushee and Elizabeth his wife son themselves their heirs
 & assigns of the moiety or halfe part of the said Mill Dam & of the two
 Acres of land and premises with their appurtenances hereby bargain
 & sold unto the said John Lewis his heirs & assigns as if the same
 of them of the said Foushee and Elizabeth his wife their heirs & assigns
 them or their or their or any of them or by their procurement or
 any person or persons claiming by Legn or under them shall and
 will warrant and save for ever as in and under the said
 Foushee and Elizabeth his wife have hereunto sett their hands & seals
 the Day and Year first above written

In the presence of
 Jⁿ D. Stranahan
 Jⁿ Dobburn

Joⁿ Foushee Seal
 Elizabeth Foushee Seal

Memorandum
 That Dues and Penalties Respicion & Seizen of
 the within Mills Dam and Premises was this Day given re-
 delivered by the within named John Taushee and Elizabeth
 his Wife to the above Intents and purposes of this Instrument
 and Indenture as respects unto the within named John Lewis
 by Delivery of Trest and Trest upon part of y^e within
 bargained premises this 17th Day of July 1720 in presence
 of these persons underwritten

David Strachan
 Thomas Ashburn

Mem^{dm}
 Elizth Wife of John
 Taushee was Privily Examined
 by Cap^{tn} Ch^l Lee & M^r John
 concerning the premises and said
 what she did was Voluntary &
 without compulsion

Test Ch^l Lee
 John Keen

Die Martij 17: 1720

This deed of Indenture with Livery &
 Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court
 by John Taushee and Elizabeth his Wife to John Lewis
 who is admitted to Record Test: R. Lee

This Indenture made the Nineteenth Day of February in y^e
 fourth year of the reign of Our Sovereign Lord George by the
 Grace of God of Great Brittain France and Ireland King
 the fourth of the said King and in the year of Our Lords God one
 thousand seven hundred and three four between Joseph Bailes
 Sen^r of the County of Northumberland in the Colony of Virg^{ia}
 Planter of the one part and Alexander Ferguson of y^e same
 County and Colony Planter of the other part Witnesseth
 that the said Joseph Bailes Sen^r for divers good causes and con-
 siderations him thereunto moving but more especially for
 and in consideration of five thousand pounds of good Law
 full Money to him in hand paid by the said Alex^r Ferguson
 out and before the executing and Delivery of these presents
 the receipt whereof and himself therewith fully satisfied
 and paid he doth hereby acknowledge have given granted sold
 remise released allowe Transferrd Entered and confirmed
 and by these presents for himself his heirs and assigns doth
 give grant sell remise release alien Transferrd enter and
 confirm unto the said Alex^r Ferguson and to his heirs & assigns
 forever

all the Right Title Interest possession claim and demand of him the
 said Jesse Bailes Sen? of in or to a certain parcel or tract of land
 situate lying and being in the parish of Great Wicocomago in
 the County of Northumberland aforesaid containing by Estem-
 ation Fifty acres be the same more or less being all dwelling
 plantation whereon the said Jesse Bailes Sen? now liveth and is
 bounded as followeth viz? Beginning at the mouth of a branch
 that runs into a Creek called the back creek thence up the
 Branch to a marked Sasabaf then by marked do trees along
 the line of Isaac Hester to the Rowling Road to the line of
 James Coppedge thence along the Rowling road to the line of
 John Davis to a marked Hickory Saplin near the Rowling
 Road thence along the said John Davis's line to a marked
 Gate at the head of a branch of runs into the back creek thence
 down the said branch to the beginning with all Tenements houses
 Our houses Gardens Orchards fences woods underwoods ways
 waters and water courses together with the due shares of all
 Mines Minerals and Quarries and all other Priviledges Pro-
 fits and appurtenances whatsoever to the said granted
 premises belonging or appertaining & shaves and to hold
 the said parcel or tract of land and all other premises here-
 in before granted bargained and sold with all rights mem-
 bers and appurtenances therunto belonging unto the said
 Alex^r Ferguson and to his heirs and assigns forever to the
 only broken use and behoof of him the said Alex^r Ferguson
 his heirs and assigns forever holding and paying of Quit
 Rents due and accustomed to be paid for the same unto the
 Jesse Bailes Sen? for himself his Ex^{rs} Adm^r and assigns re-
 every of them do covenant promise grant and agree by and
 with the said Alex^r Ferguson his heirs Ex^{rs} Adm^r and assigns
 and every of them in manner following that is to say that the
 said Jesse Bailes Sen? now hath and until the his estate hereby
 mentioned and intended to be made to the said Alexander
 Ferguson his heirs and assigns forever to his and their own
 proper use and behoof shall be fully and lawfully vested
 in the said Alex^r Ferguson his heirs and assigns forever as
 aforesaid shall continue to have hold and enjoy a good free
 firm and undisturbable estates in Fee simple to him and
 his heirs forever of in and unto the premises herein before
 granted and every part thereof with the appurtenances and
 than he hath good right full power and lawfull authority to
 convey the same in manner herein before expressed unto the
 said Alex^r Ferguson and to his heirs and assigns forever and of
 said granted premises with the appurtenances are free and
 clear from all other Tithes Grants bargains and Sales & from
 all manner of other Tithes Troubles and Incumbrances what-
 soever and shall so remain until the his estate hereby con-
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unto the said Allen Ferguson and to his heirs & assigns forever
 And that the said Allen Ferguson his heirs and assigns forever
 hereafter may and shall peaceably and quietly possess occupy re-
 enjoy the grants premises fully freely and absolutely acquitted
 and discharged of and from all former and other gifts grants
 bargains and sales and all other charges Titles troubles or in-
 cumbrances ^{demands} whatsoever made suffered acknowledged or
 done or hereafter to be made suffered acknowledged or
 done by him the said Jesse Bailes Sen^r his heirs Exec^r Adm^r or
 assigns unto that he the said Jesse Bailes Sen^r his heirs Exec^r
 and Adm^r all and singular the herein before granted premises
 with the appurtenances unto the said Allen Ferguson his heirs
 & assigns shall and will warrant and for ever defend by these
 presents against him the said Jesse Bailes Sen^r his heirs Exec^r
 Adm^r and assigns and every of them and lastly that from time
 to time during the space of seven years from the date of
 these presents the said Jesse Bailes Sen^r his heirs Exec^r Adm^r
 and assigns at the request Cost & Charge of the said Allen
 Ferguson his heirs Exec^r Adm^r and assigns shall and will
 accept acknowledge and execute such Livery and other Convey-
 ances and ~~expressions~~ for the better assurance of the premises
 unto the said Allen Ferguson his heirs and assigns forever as
 by his own Council Learned in the Law shall be reason-
 ably devised advised or required In Witness whereof the said
 Jesse Bailes Sen^r hath hereunto set his hand and Seal of day &
 Year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered *Jesse Bailes Sen^r*
 In Presence of *Benjamin Curtis*

James E. Coppedge
Benjamin Curtis

Memorandum

That quiet & peaceable
 possession of the within mentioned parcel or tract
 of land and premises was given by the within named Jesse Bailes
 Sen^r by Livery and Seizen unto the within named Allen Ferguson
 by delivering of Title and Seize in the presence of
 Benjamin Curtis James E. Coppedge & John Taylor

Memorandum That before the signing and sealing of the within Deed
 of Sale the words or by any person or persons whatsoever in the Thirty Sixth
 and last lines and the words in the Thirty Eighth and ninth lines were con-
 -celled by Cords of both parties and likewise that as burying place
 of the within mentioned land was excepted by the within named Jesse
 Bailes Sen^r

Dec^r Martij 18 1723 4

This deed of Indenture
 with Livery and Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland and County
 Court by Jesse Bailes Sen^r to Allen Ferguson and is admitted to Record

R. Lee

This Indenture made the 29th Day of May in the sixth 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 Anno
 Domini One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty four between
 Edward Saunders of St. Stephen's parish in the County of New
 Spain, beylord and Colony of Virginia of the one party & John
 Blundell of the same Parish County and Colony of the other part
 witht^h both that the said Edward Saunders for divers good causes
 and Considerations him therunto moving but more Especially
 for the valuable consideration of the sum of One thousand Six
 hundred pounds of Lawfull m^o in Cash to him in hand paid
 or Secured to be paid the receipt whereof the said Edward Saunders
 doth hereby acknowledge and of every part and parcel doth hereby
 Release acquitt exonerate and discharge the said John Blundell his
 heirs Exors. Adm^rs. and assigns for ever by these presents hath
 granted bargain sold Alien Endowed and Confirmed and hereby
 doth grant bargain sell Alien Endowed and confirm unto the said John
 Blundell and to his heirs and assigns for ever a certain piece or
 parcel of land containing by Estimation Sixty acres more or
 less situate and being in the parish and County aforesaid bound
 - ed as followeth. Viz. beginning at a gum standing upon Cow
 - span point and running from thence upon a straight line to a
 marked stickory being a corner tree that divides this land from
 the aforesaid Blundell's land and the lands belonging to the
 Orphan's of J^r: Downing dec: and thence being upon the
 said Blundell and Downings Orphan's aforesaid untill it in
 - cludes Sixty acres more or less as aforesaid together with all
 houses Or houses Bams Stables Orchards Gardens woods under
 - woods cleared grounds fences pastures waters water courses &
 all other conveniences with all deeds and Evidences in writing Mi
 - numents Conveyances Rights members privileges & advantages
 whatsoever unto the said hereby granted Sixty acres of land more
 - or less as aforesaid belonging on in any wise appertaining from
 him the said Edward Saunders first party to these presents his heirs
 Exors. and Adm^rs. unto him the said John Blundell and to his heirs
 and assigns. So that he and his heirs shall hold the aforesaid Sixty acres or
 more or less as aforesaid and premises with all rights members
 privileges and appurtenances hereby granted in entailed Or
 Intended to be granted from him the said Edward Saunders
 first party to these presents his heirs or as aforesaid unto him
 the said John Blundell his heirs or assigns and to their lawfull proper
 Uses benefit and behoof of him the said John Blundell and his
 heirs and assigns for ever and to no other use Intent or purpose
 whatsoever. And the said Edward Saunders first party as aforesaid
 for himself his heirs Exors. and Adm^rs. doth hereby covenant grant
 and agree to and with the said John Blundell his heirs or assigns
 that he the said Edward Saunders first party as aforesaid
 at the

Time of the executing and Delivery of these presents hath
 good right full power and lawfull authority y^e hereby granted
 and also premises with the appurtenances unto the said
 John Blundell and to his heirs and assigns to sell convey &
 make over and that he the said John Blundell from time to
 time and at all times forever hereafter shall have hold
 use occupy possess and enjoy the hereby granted land and
 premises with the appurtenances unto him the said John Blundell
 and to his heirs and assigns forever without any lett trouble
 or molestation whatsoever of him the said
 Edward Saunders his party as aforesaid his heirs Executors
 or assigns or any person or persons claiming by Simon under
 him then or any or either of them with warranty from their
 every of their future claim or claims and all other person or
 persons whatsoever and shall he the said Edward Saunders his
 party as aforesaid his heirs and assigns shall and will from
 time to time and at any time or times hereafter during the
 space of forty years from the time of the date hereof make
 do utter execute perform and fulfill such such hon Lawfull
 and reasonable Act and Acts Conveyances & Conveyances of
 ranges in the Law for the better or more sure making
 confirming the hereby granted land and premises unto the
 John Blundell and to his heirs and assigns forever and as his or
 their or either of their reasonable request costs and charges in
 the Law as he the said John Blundell his heirs or assigns or
 his them or either of their Council learned in the Law shall
 reasonably devise advise or require And that he the said John
 Blundell shall duly acknowledge this Instrument
 of Indentures in Northumberland County Court at the demand
 of the aforesaid John Blundell in due form of Law with
 witness whereof the aforesaid Edward Saunders hath hereunto set his hand
 and Seal the day and year first above mentioned

Signed Sealed & Delivered
 In the presence of
 Henry Curtis his Mark
 Dorothy Trapp her mark
 Catherine Nichol his mark

Edward Saunders Seal

May the 19th 1724

Attest
 That in or reasonable
 possession or Seizen of the

within mentioned lands and premises was this day given and
 Delivered by the within named Edward Saunders his party
 to the Indentures unto the within named John Blundell by the
 Delivery of writt and Tevigg up on the said land in the
 name of the whole in y^e presence of

Henry Curtis his Mark
 Catherine Nichol his Mark
 Dorothy Trapp her Mark

Witnessed the 20th 1724

This Indenture

with Livery and Seizen from Edward Saunders to John Blundell
was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court to the
Jr Blundell and is admitted to Record

Test Robert D Cur

I know all men by these presents that Edward Saunders of Parish
Stephens Parish in the County of Northumberland in Colony
of Virginia as well as singly bound unto Jr Blundell
of the same Parish County and Colony in the best of his
sum of three thousand pounds of Lawfull Tolls in Cash
the which payment well and truly to be made unto him
the said John Blundell his heirs Executors and assigns
bind me my heirs Executors and assigns for the which obliging
by these presents sealed with my Seales dated this Ninth
Month Day of May Anno Domini 1724

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that wheresoever
as the above bound Edwards Saunders by deed Indent
made under his hand and Seales bearing equally date here
with hath granted bargained sold and Conferred unto
the above named John Blundell sixty Acres of Land
more or less Situate in the Parish and County aforesaid
as by the said deeds may more fully and at large appear
Now if the said John Blundell shall pay and hold so long
and enjoy the aforesaid sixty acres of Land more or less
as aforesaid and premises thereby granted unto him that
John Blundell and to his heirs and assigns forever and if
the said Edwards Saunders his heirs Executors and assigns
shall and will from time to time and at all times forever here
after observe per form accomplish full fill and keep
all and every the articles Clauses provisions and agreements
sett down mentioned and Comprised in the said deed
which on his and thier parts are thereby intended sett down
and expressed to be observed performed accomplished
full fill and kept according to the true Intention meaning
of the said Deed and the same deed to the said Edwards
Saunders shall duly acknowledge in the Court of the
County aforesaid at the Demand of the aforesaid John
Blundell in due form of Law when the above Obligation
to be void and of none Effect & otherwise to remain in
full force power and Virtue

Signed Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of

Heri Curtis his Marks &
Geream Nicholso her Marks
Dorothy Traftt her Marks

Edw^d J^r Seal
Saunders

This Bond for performance of Covenants was acknowledged in Northumberland
County Court by Edward Saunders to Jr Blundell and is admitted to Record

Test Robert D Cur

I, Linfield Sharp of the County of Stafford in the Kingdom of England do hereby certify that I have read and approved of the following instrument of conveyance made by me to Thomas Lee of the County of Northumberland and released of my title to certain lands in the County of Northumberland made by me to Thomas Lee of the County of Northumberland bearing even date with these presents so that the deed or release may more fully take effect to the benefit of the said Th: Lee his heirs or according to law, and the true intent and meaning of plain express words of the said deed or release hereby giving my attorney full my power in the premises and in all things to act and do as if I were personally present and did the same hereby ratifying and confirming ~~affirming~~ all whatsoever that my said attorney shall do by virtue of these presents in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this second day of December Anno Domini 1723

Subscribed before us
 Henry Fitzhugh
 Ju: Fitzhugh
 Rob: Taliasero
 James M: Kenzee

Linfield Sharp Seal

At a Court held for Stafford County the 13th Day of May Anno Domini 1724

Then came Robert Taliasero and of the Witnesses subscribed to the within mentioned power of attorney and made Oath on the Holy Evangelists that he said the same truly executed

Rob: Taliasero
 Geo: Mason Esq: Cur

in May 20: 1724

Then this Power of attorney of Linfield Sharp to Rich: Lee was ^{in Northumberland County Court} proved by the said Rob: Taliasero and James M: Kenzee and is admitted to Record with an Endorsement on the back side attested by Geo: Mason Esq: Cur Stafford County which is also admitted to Record

Geo: Mason Esq: Cur

To all Peoples to whom this present Writing shall come Lincolne Sharp
 of the County of King George in the Colony of Virginia Planter
 Greeting Know ye that the said Lincolne Sharp for & in conside-
 ration of Twelve pound Current money of Virginia to him in hand
 paid by Thomas Lee of Westmorland County of the said Colony
 and for other Valuable Considerations hath remised & cleared and for
 ever quit claimed and by these presents doth for him his heirs fully clearly
 and absolutely remise release and for ever quit claim unto the said
 Thomas Lee Esq^r of the County aforesaid and to his heirs as assignes
 for ever all the Estates rights & Interests claim and Demand whatso-
 ever of him the said Lincolne Sharp of in and to all y^e plantation
 Houses Orchards lands woods watters &c: Lying in y^e possession
 of Lincolne Sharp and of his heirs and of himself and now in
 the possession of the said Lee Containing One hundred acres more
 or less and lying and being in Northumberland County in y^e
 Parish of Wiccocomoco and bounded by the pattern of George
 Calloughs deed and lands in the possession of the W^{illiam} of
 John Ingram Gen^l of de^g: by any ways or means whatsoever y^e
 have said to hold the said plantation Houses Orchards lands
 Woods watters &c: being one hundred Acres more or less of said
 Thomas Lee his heirs and assignes to the only proper use and
 behoof of him the said Thomas Lee his heirs and assignes for ever
 so that neither he the said Lincolne Sharp nor his heirs nor any
 other person or persons for him or them or in his or their names
 or rights shall or will by any means or ways whatsoever at any time
 hereafter Claim challenge or demand any Estates rights titles or
 Interests of in or to the said plantation and premises or any
 part thereof but from all and every such Estates Rights titles
 Interests claim and demand of in or to the said plantation and
 premises or any part or parcels thereof they and every of them
 shall be forever barred and Excluded by these presents and y^e
 said Lincolne Sharp and his heirs the said plantation Messuages
 lands Tenements Hereditaments and premises with the appur-
 tenances to the said Thomas Lee his heirs and assignes against
 him the said Lincolne Sharp and his heirs and all other persons
 claiming by from or under them

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
 Seal this second Day of December in the year of our late
 Queen thous and Seven hundred Twenty and Three in the Tenth
 year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lord King George the
 Great Britain

Signed Sealed and Delivered Lincolne Sharp
 In the presence of us
 Henry Fitzhugh
 John Fitzhugh
 Rob^t Taliaferro
 James M^r Kenzel
 Release of Lincolne Sharp to Thomas
 Lee Gen^l of Westmorland County was
 acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Rich^d
 Lee by Virtue of a power of Attorney from the said Sharp
 and was admitted to Record Test R Lee & Cur

An Inventory of Capt. Joseph Dalls Estate

To a high bedstead Furniture	6	18	To 7 Iron pots weighing 209 lb $\frac{1}{2}$	2	13	11 $\frac{1}{2}$
To a low bedstead Furniture	4	-	To one Old Iron pot weighing 49 lb	7	-	-
To 2 beds	2	-	To one Old Table and wooden ware	10	-	-
To a small Oval Table and high as Top Leather Chair	2	-	To a parcel earthen ware	14	-	-
To 2 Desks	2	10	To 4 th large Stilliards	15	-	-
To a Dutch Case	1	15	To 2 nd Crop cutt Saw	8	-	-
To a Mulltishyng Glasses	6	-	To 5 Doz ⁿ Drury bottles	8	-	-
To a small Do	1	-	To 1 st Old Iron	16	-	-
To a parcel drinking Glasses	4	-	To a parcel Carpenters & Cooper Tools	1	10	-
To 2 nd Potatoes and Hatches	2	6	To a parcel Leathen	1	4	-
To a 1 st Finger Stilliards	1	6	To 4 Stacs	5	-	-
To a Lion Tonge and Stavel	3	-	To 2 Letts Wedges	2	-	-
To beds & furniture	4	10	To 4 th Old Iron	4	-	-
To 1 st Do	1	-	To One Warming Pan	7	-	-
To 1 st Old Loo Do	1	15	To a Drifing four fyng pans	10	-	-
To 2 Paucase Leathen beds	4	-	To 2 Old Tying pans & a 1 st	10	-	-
To 2 Old Looking Glasses	0	8	To 1 st Lion Tonge & Slice	10	-	-
To 1 st New water cards & 2 nd Old Do	1	8	To a Mole skinted Saddle & shaft bridle	15	-	-
To one Old Iron bounde Linnen	12	6	To 2 Gyde Irons	5	-	-
To one Old large Chest	10	-	To 2 Bede Cordes	3	-	-
To 2 nd in Allen Do	3	6	To a Lett Old horse Harne	9	-	-
To a 2 nd Old Do	2	6	To 288 Nails a 1 st a 2 nd	5	17	6
To an Old Linnen	7	-	To 22 Cyster Casses	3	10	-
To a 2 nd Old Leathen Chair	2	-	To 5 young Steers	7	-	-
To 2 nd Gunns	2	10	To a Cow and a bull	2	-	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	2	10	To 2 Old Silver Spoons	10	-	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	7	-	To 20 buittle Salt a 1 st a 2 nd	9	-	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	11	9	To 4 Meale baggs	8	-	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	12	-	To a large New Ch. b. l. & Testom ⁿ	1	1	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	12	-	To a parcel of Old Books	12	-	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	18	-	To a small drinking Glas	10	-	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	2	7	To an Old Silver Culp	5	-	-
To a New Gunns Lock	4	-	To 3 Old Wiggs	1	5	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	4	-	To 7 th New mens Shoes	1	8	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	10	-	To a 1 st Old Coats	8	-	-
To a 1 st Iron mounting parts	6	-	To 4 Razors as a home	5	-	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	3	8	To a parcel Shoemakers Tools	10	-	-
To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	5	16	To a parcel small Tracts	10	-	-
To a 1 st Old Iron J. Nettles	2	6	To 2 nd prices white Ware	10	-	-
To an Old Blackenng. Col. Pen	5	-	To a 2 nd 1 st Table Cloth	1	10	-
To an Old Iron J. Nettles weighing	12	-	To a 2 nd 1 st Napkins	1	10	-
To a 1 st 1 st Gunns	1	5	To an Old Do. & Napkins	6	-	-
To a 1 st 1 st Gunns	2	-	To 1 st 1 st Gunns	17	-	-
To a 1 st 1 st Gunns	2	-	To 2 nd 1 st Gunns	5	-	-
To a 1 st 1 st Gunns	2	-				

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To 28 Barrows Sows & Shoats	10 8
To 38 Sheep a / 5	19 10
To a young Bay Horse	7
To a large Blacke D	5
To a Dark Bay D	6
To 2 Old Small Blacke D	8
To 2 fotts weighing 60 att	12 6
To a Narrow Doe	1
To 10 Steers	19
To 2 two year Old Cattle	15
To 6 Cows & Calves & 6 barrend	19 10
To a Small Bull	17 6
To a Negro Man Dick	30
To a Negro Man Guy	22
To a Negro Man Cutney	25
To a Negro boy Tom	22
To a Negro Wench James	27
To a Negro D: & Child Barberry	31
To a Negro D: & Child Nancy	34

To a Negro boy Will	20
To a Negro girl Frank	12
To a Negro Child James	8
To a Negro Wench Molly	20
To a Muttatto Wench & Child	27
To a Negro Wench Hannah	28
To a Negro boy Sam	20
To a Negro girl Wm	20
To a Negro Wench and Child	30
To a Child Gradle and bolts	6
To 26 pounds new shears	1 6
To 2 sides of some old lumber	3
To Money in Cash	25 15 1
To a Doz Case knives & Forks	5
To a Crucible July	9
To a Pair Old Curtains & Wullens	5

At Large and Just Inventory of Capt. Joseph Ball's Estate
 Dec. apprais'd by us the subscribers this 16th Day 1721

Francis Manner
 John Okey
 Rich. Manner
 Samuel Blackwell

To 1 Steer 3 years Old
 To 2 Hitters of 3 years Old
 To 3 lbs Old Tobacco

N. \$ 10. 10 1/4	90	90 1/4
L. 960	90	870
M. 1000	90	910
To 2 Casks		90
		<u>2794</u>

To the Credit of Debt made in the year 1721 amounting to
 Year with Cash 55 50
 To Debt due to Estate Total 60 19
114 69

To 6 Barrells Indian Corn To alls Turges & Curr
 Dies Jun: 16: 1722/3
 Joseph Ball dec: was presented into Northern Neck County
 Court by M^{rs} Mary Ball Exec^{tr} of the said dec: and is Ad-
 mitted to Record
 Josh R. Lee (Clerk)

I call to whom this shall come know ye that I Frances Aubrey
 the Wife of Francis Aubrey of the County of Westmorland
 have Ordaind Constituted and appointed and by these presents
 do make Ordain Constitute and appoint Richard Lees Gent of the
 County of Northumberland my Lawfull Attorney for me and in
 my name to acknowledge my Right of Dower in and to
 One hundred Acres of Land Sold by my Husband Francis
 Aubrey to John Hartgroves of the abovesaid County of Northum-
 berland as by Deeds of bargain and Sale bearing date herewith
 may more at large appear Ratifying and Confirming what my
 said attorney shall do in the premises to all Intents and
 purposes as if I were personally present and had done the
 same my self In Witness whereof I have hereunto set
 my hand and Seal this Sixteenth Day of June One
 Thousand seven hundred and Twenty four

Sealed and Delivered
 in the presence of

Francis A Aubrey Seal
 Mark

John Denton
 J. Footman
 Elizabeth Winden

16th June 1724
 This Power
 of Attorney of Frances Aubrey
 to Richard Lees was procured in Northumber
 land County Court by the Clerk of J. Footman and
 Elizabeth Winden and is Admitted to Record
 Just. R. Lee Clerk

This Indenture made this Sixteenth day of June in the year
 of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and Twenty four
 between Francis Aubrey of the County of Westmorland of the
 one part and John Hartgroves of the Parish of St. Stephens
 and County of Northumberland of the other part Witnesseth
 that the said Francis Aubrey for and in Consideration of
 Quantity of Seven thousand five hundred pounds of Tob:
 to him in hand paid by the said John Hartgroves the receipt
 whereof he doth hereby acknowledge and thereof and every
 part thereof doth acquit and discharge the said J. Hartgroves
 his heirs Exec. Adm: and assigns and every of them by these
 presents hath given granted bargained sold Alliened Confeited
 and Confirmed which by these presents doth give grant bargain
 sell

Allen Cudecott and Confirm unto the said John Hartgroves and his Heirs all that One hundred Acres of land with all its Hereditaments Rights members and appurtenances Situate lying and being in the aforesaid Parish of St. Stephens and near a branch that Issues out of Cox's Mill Swamp and was formerly in the Tenure and Occupation of One John Watters and by himself sold to the aforesaid Francis Aubrey as by deed of bargain & Sale from the said Watters to the aforesaid Aubrey bearing date the Nineteenth day of January in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Thirteen and remaining amongst the Records of the aforesaid County of Northumberland Land relation being thereunto had may more fully and at Large appear and all the Estate right Title Interest Property claim and demand whatsoever that he the said Francis Aubrey hath or ought to have or in or to the same or any part or parts thereof To have and to hold the aforesaid One hundred acres of land and premises with all and singular its rights members and appurtenances therunto belonging on in any wise appertaining to him the said John Hartgroves his heirs and assigns to the Only proper use and behoof of him the said John Hartgroves his heirs and assigns forever and the said Francis Aubrey himself and his heirs doth Covenant promise and agree to with the aforesaid John Hartgroves his heirs and assigns in manner and form following that is to say that he the said Francis Aubrey at the time of conveying and Delivery hereof hath a good estate in Fee Simple of in and to the aforesaid One hundred acres of land and premises and that he hath a good right to sell the same and that he the said John Hartgroves and his heirs and assigns shall from time to time and at all times hereafter peaceably and lawfully have hold occupy possess and enjoy the aforesaid One hundred Acres of land and premises with all and singular its appurtenances without the least trouble hindrance or molestation of him the said Francis Aubrey or his heirs or any other person or persons whatsoever and that he the said Francis Aubrey and his heirs the aforesaid land and premises to the said John Hartgroves his heirs and assigns shall & will warrant and defend forever Defended by these presents in Testimony whereof the parties have to these presents in due times Interchangeably set their hands and Seals the day and year first above written

Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of

Fra: Aubrey Seal
D. 27: 16: 1724

John Decker
Ralph Elston

Indented with Livery and Seizon This deed of the gods in Northumberland County Court by Francis Aubrey to John Hartgroves and Wm Lee Attorney of Francis Aubrey W. Feild & Francis Osbrey by Virtue of Power of Attorney Helm gives her right of Dower in the said land and is Recorded

Test B. Lee D. Cur

I know all men by these presents that I Francis Aubrey of the Parish of Cefley and County of Westmorland am held and firmly bound unto John Hartgroves of the County of Northumberland his heir Exec. Adm. and assigns in the full quantity of sixteen thousand pounds of lawfull Tobb. for payment whereof well and truly to be made I bind myself my heirs Exec. Adm. and every of them firmly by these presents sealed with my Seal and dated this sixteenth Day of June in y^e Year of Our Lords One Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty four The Condition of the above Obligation is Such that Whereas the above bound Francis Aubrey hath the day of the date hereof by deeds of Indentures bargained and sold to the abovementioned John Hartgroves One hundred Acres of land Situate in the Parish of St. Steppew and County of Northumberland now in the said Francis Aubrey and his heirs shall from time to time and at all times hereafter well and truly perform fulfill and keep all and singular the Articles Covenants and agreements in the said deeds contained on his or their part to be performed fulfilled and kept then this Obligation to be void and of No Effect otherwise to Stand and remain in full force power and Virtue

Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of
John Deachen
Ralph Elston

Francis Aubrey Seal

Witness my hand this 16th day of June 1724

This bond for performance of Covenants was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Francis Aubrey to John Hartgroves and is recorded in the Court of Francis Aubrey wife of the said Francis Aubrey by Videlic of a power of Attorney Relinquish'd her Highness Dower in the said land and is recorded

Test Be Lee Esq

This Indenture made the seventh day of May in the Eleventh Year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the grace of God King of Great Britain France and Ireland Defender of the Faith Anno Domini 1725 between Matthew Neal of the parish of St. Stephens and County of Northumberland planter and Sarah his wife of the one part and John Lewis of the same County and parish aforesaid planter of the other part Witnesseth that the said Matthew Neal and Sarah his wife for and in consideration of the sum of thousanthousand pounds of Tobb. and Ten Shillings Curr. money of Virginia to them in hand paid by the said John Lewis his heirs Exec. Adm. and every of them forever by these presents have granted

bargained sold alien released intested and Continued and by these
 presents do grant bargain sell alien release Intest and Continue unto
 the said John Lewis his heirs and assigns forever all that their party
 Interest or share of the Mill commonly called and known by the
 name of Coes old mill situate in the abovesaid parish of St
 Stephens and County of Northumberland being as moiety or half
 part thereof which descended and came to the said Sarah Neale as
 One of the Daughters and Coheirs of John Dawson dec. Together
 with all houses Buildings woods Timber Dams ponds Rivers &
 all and Singular utensels and other appurtenances belonging to
 the Mill and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder & remainder
 Rents Issues and profits thereof and also all the Estates Rights Titles
 Interests Beneficial property claims and demands whatsoever of them
 said Matthew Neale and Sarah his wife or in and to the same to
 have and to hold the said moiety or half part of the abovesaid
 Mill hereby granted and sold together with all and singular
 appurtenances thereunto belonging unto the said John Lewis his
 heirs and assigns forever and to and for no other use Intent
 or purpose whatsoever and the said Matthew Neale for himself and
 the said Sarah his wife their heirs Executors Administrators doth covenant promise
 grant and agree to and with the said John Lewis his heirs & assigns
 by these presents in manner and form following that is to say
 that the said John Lewis his heirs and assigns shall & lawfully
 may from time to time and at all times hereafter peace-
 ably and quietly have use occupy possess and enjoy the said moiety
 or half part of the Mill hereby granted and conveyed with all &
 singular the appurtenances thereunto belonging without any mes-
 sion or let suit trouble Interruption or disturbances whatsoever of or
 by them the said Matthew Neale or Sarah his wife or either of them
 their heirs Executors or Adm. or any other person or per-
 sons whatsoever lawfully claiming or to claim by from or under tim-
 her them or any of them and that they be clean and freely & clearly
 acquitted exonerated and discharged of and from all and all manner
 of former and other debts grants bargains sales Titles Troubles
 Charges and Incumbrances whatsoever and lastly that they the said
 Matthew Neale and Sarah his wife their heirs Executors and Adm. shall
 and will at any time or times hereafter within the space of Ten years
 from the date hereof att and upon the reasonable request & proper
 cost and charges in the law of the said John Lewis his heirs & assigns
 make do acknowledge and execute all and every such further & other
 Lawfull and Reasonable act and acts things & things deeds & conveyances
 & assurances whatsoever for the further and better assuring & conveying
 the above granted premises unto the said John Lewis his heirs & assigns
 even as by the said ¹⁷² ~~deeds~~ ^{of the said John Lewis his heirs & assigns} ~~deeds~~ ^{of the said John Lewis his heirs & assigns} required for witnesses whereof the
 parties first above named to these presents Indentures have interchange-
 ably set their hands and seals the day and Year first above written
 Sealed & delivered in presence of

R^d Thomas
 Mark
 Wm^m Tullin
 Mark

Matthew Neale Seal
 Sarah Neale Seal

May the 7th 1725 Memorandum

That this day peaceable and quiet possession and Seizen of the within granted premises was given and delivered by the within named Matthew Meales and Sarah his wife unto the within named John Lewis by the delivery of Turff and Twig on the within granted Mill Damm unto the said John Lewis in presence of

Testes
his
M^r D Thomas
Mark
W^m C Vallis
Mark
Peter Meales

Augth 18th 1725

Memorandum

That Sarah Meales was privately examined concerning the premises by M^r John Keen & M^r Sam Blackwell and she said what she did was without Compulsion

Dis Augij 18: 1725

John Keen
Sam Blackwell

This deed of Indenture with livery and Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Matthew Meales and Sarah his Wife to John Lewis and is admitted to Record

Test J^o Lee & C^o

This Indenture of lease made this sixteenth day of September in the year of Our said Gods One thousand seven hundred and Twenty four between Elizabeth Winder Widow of Westmoreland County in the Colony of Virginia of the one party and Tho: Toulson of Stephens parish in the County of Northumberland and Colony of Virginia aforesaid of the other party with respect that the said Elizabeth Winder son the consideration hereafter expressed hath granted bargained and sold demised and to farm lett land by the presents doth grant bargain seth demise and to farm lett unto y^e son Thomas Toulson and Mary his wife for and during the term of their Natural lives to Commence from the day of the date hereof a Certain Messuages Tenement or parcel of land together with One hundred acres more or less thereto adjoining situate lying and being in the parish and County aforesaid and bounded as followeth beginning at the head of Sloop landing Creeks and running from thence across to a Creek called the holes Creeks and from thence being bounded by water Courses untill it includes One hundred acres of land more or less as aforesaid being the lands whereon John Baudier late dec^d did live together with all houses out houses Barns Stables Orchards Gardens Lanes pastures woods under woods Watters Watters Courses and other Conveniences to the said hereby granted lands and premises belonging or in any wise appertaining To house and to hold unto him the said Tho: Toulson and Mary his wife for and during the term aforesaid of their natural lives and no longer and the said Elizabeth Winder doth Covenant and

Agrees to and with the said Thomas Toulson that for and notwithstanding
 any act by the said Elizabeth Winder her heirs Exec^{rs} Adm^{rs} or assigns done
 to the contrary that he the said Thomas and Mary his wife she hereby grant
 - ed land and premises with the appurtenances for and during the term
 of their natural lives as aforesaid shall have hold use freely possess
 enjoy without any lett trouble hindrance or molestation of her or her
 Elizabeth Winder her heirs Exec^{rs} Adm^{rs} or assigns or any claiming from
 by or under her them or any or either of them or any other person or persons
 whatsoever provided nevertheless and it is hereby intended that he the
 said Thomas nor Mary his wife during the term of their natural lives
 as aforesaid upon the said hereby granted land shall make or cause or suffer
 to be made any willfull waste sales or destruction of any Timber other
 - wise than what shall be necessary for building joining Cask and other such
 like plantation use and also the said Tho: and Mary for and during the
 term aforesaid is hereby allowed and permitted to make use of any Timber
 of any part of the neck of land Called Bretons Meads for building &c
 upon the hereby granted land and premises but not to make any waste as
 aforesaid In Consideration whereof the said Tho: Toulson for himself
 and Mary his wife doth hereby Covenant and agree to and with y^e
 said Elizabeth Winder her heirs Exec^{rs} Adm^{rs} and assigns to plant out
 at convenient distance One hundred apple Trees and a Sower
 done about the same to keep for the preservation thereof annually
 and every year the said Tho: and Mary his wife during the term of
 their natural lives as aforesaid shall pay and satisfaction into the
 aforesaid Elizabeth Winder her heirs Exec^{rs} Adm^{rs} or assigns the sum of
 Four hundred pounds of lawfull Tob^o: for rent any thing herein
 contained to the contrary in any wise notwithstanding. In witness
 of all the premises the said parties hath hereunto sett their hands
 the day and year first above mentioned

Signed Sealed & Delivered
 in presence of
 Tho: Toulson
 John Buttler

Winder
 Elizabeth Winder Seal
 Tho: Toulson Seal

Dis

This Lease was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court
 by Elizabeth Winder to Tho: Toulson and Mary his wife and is Ad-
 - mitted to Record

Test: R. Lee Clerk

173 This Indenture made the second day of July in the Twelfth Year
 of the reign of Our Sovereign Lord King George of Great Brittain
 defender of the Faith and Anno Domini One thousand Seven hun-
 dred and twenty five between William Cleaves of St: Stephens
 parish in Northumberland County in Virginia of the one party &
 John Bider Bricklayer of the said parish County and Colony of the
 other party witnesses that the said Wm Cleaves for the consideration
 of two thousand pounds of lawfull Tobacco to him in hand paid
 by y^e said

John Riden hath bargained sold aliene Remised Released
 entreated and Confirm'd and hereby doth grant bargain sell alien
 remise release entreat and Confirm unto the said W^m Riden and to his
 heirs and Assigns and also for ever all that tract dividend & parcel
 of thirty acres of land more or less situate lying and being in y^e same
 parish and County on the north side Wharfedale River nearely head
 thereof being the residue or remaining part of all that tract or
 parcel of land formerly belonging to Richard Crauford and was
 left and made over to him by the last Will and Testament of W^m
 Crauford Father to the said Rich Crauford and also sold by him to
 the abovesaid W^m Gleague and is bounded by the lands of W^m H^elling
 = nab Charles Helles and the lands which the said Crauford sold to Isaac
 Edwards Together with all woods trees underwoods Clear ground
 Waters Water Courses and other advantages privileges Commodities
 and appurtenances whatsoever to the said thirty Acres of Land
 more or less as abovesaid belonging or appertaining with all deeds &
 Evidence in writinge miniments and all Instruments whatsoever
 to the said hereby granted lands and premises belonging or in any
 wise appertaining as abovesaid To have and to hold y^e hereby
 granted or intended to be granted thirty Acres of land more or
 less as abovesaid and premises with the appurtenances from him
 the said W^m Gleague his heirs Exors and Adms unto him y^e 20th of
 Riden his heirs and assigns and to the only proper use benefit &
 behoof of him the said John Riden and his heirs and assigns for
 ever and to no other use Intent or purpose whatsoever and y^e said
 W^m Gleague for himself his heirs Exors and Adms doth hereby fur
 = ther Covenant promise grant and agree to and with the said John
 Riden and his heirs and assigns that he the said W^m Gleague his
 heirs Exors from time to time and at all times hereafter shall &
 Will warrant and defend the said John Riden his heirs and assigns in the
 quiet and peaceable possession and property of the hereby granted
 = ed land and premises with the appurtenances unto him the said John
 Riden and his heirs and assigns for ever and that he the said William
 Gleague his heirs Exors & Adms at any time or times hereafter shall
 = and will make do knowledge and Execute such further lawfull &
 reasonable Act or Acts devise or devise any such Instrument or Instru
 = ments in writinge for the better and more sure Confirmation of
 the hereby granted thirty acres of lands more or less as abovesaid
 and premises unto him the said John Riden and his heirs & assigns
 for ever as he the said John Riden his heirs or assigns or their
 Council learned in the law reasonably devise or advise on require
 and that he the said W^m Gleague with his now wife shall and
 will acknowledge the Instrument in Northumberland County
 Court unto the said John Riden according to the true Intent &
 = meaning hereof when by the said John Riden his heirs and assigns
 thereunto required and lastly by W^m Witnesses of all the Premises y^e
 = W^m Gleague hath hereunto sett his hand and affixed his Seal
 the day of year first above mentioned

Signed Sealed and Delivered in y^e presence of
 Isaac Edwards Hugh Kelley

W^m Gleague Seal
 Mark

July the Second Anno Domini 1725

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Memorandum

That Quiet and peaceable possession and Seizen of y^e within granted land and premises with the appurtenances was this day given and delivered by the within named W^m Gleague unto y^e within mentioned Jⁿ Rider, by the delivery of Tuff and Tuffe upon a part of the said land in the name of the whole in the presence of

Isaac Edwards
Hugh Kelly

Die

Aug: 20th 1725
This deed of Indentures with Livery and Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by W^m Gleague to John Rider and Honor Wife of the said Williams Gleague Kalinguis for her right of Dower in the said Lands and it Recorded
Jes^s Broderick

This Indenture made this 17th of July in the year of Our Lord one thousand seven hundred Twenty three by and between Thomas Harrison of the County of Westmorland and Copely parish of the one part & George Harrison of the abovesaid County and parish of the other part with a certificate that the said Thomas Harrison son and in consideration of y^e sum of Twelve hundred pound of good merchantable Tolls in hand paid before the sealing and delivery of these presents by the said Harrison the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge and sheweth and of every part and parcel thereof doth acquit release exonerate and discharge the said Harrison his heirs Executors assigns and every of them by these presents hath granted bargained sold remised released and confirmed and by these do grant bargain sell remise release and confirm unto the said Harrison his heirs Executors assigns son every all that fully five acres of land held by pattent bearing date One thousand seven hundred and nineteen being in the County of Northumberland and parish of St. Stephens curia bounded as followeth Viz: Northernly upon y^e land of Robt Vauld Southernly upon the land formerly Towers land now in possession of George Rout Easterly upon the land of Bowes now in possession of James Garner Westerly upon Dawson's Mill pond and y^e Ribbles there of beginning at the South westermost corner of Bowes' land being a pattent formerly granted to John Trubell son three hundred acres Acres and extending along his line north by West one hundred & fifty poles to the land of Vauld from thence west by South along Vauld's land line to Dawson's Mill pond and so extending up y^e said mill pond its several meanders and water courses to the land formerly belonging to Towers of along Towers land to the land of Bowes being pattent of five hundred acres formerly granted to Peris and Grinsteds from thence along the several lines of Peris & Grinsteds pattent to the place first begun plea its right members lands appurtenances together with all woods hereditaments whatsoever To the said land and premises or any part or parcels thereof belonging
Or in any wise

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ascertaining the reversion and reversions remainders and remainder rents
 Issues and profits thereof and of every part and parcel thereof and all the
 estates right title Interest benefits properties Claims and Demands
 whatsoever of him the said Thomas Harrison of in and unto the same
 and of in and to every part and parcel thereof together with all deeds
 and such other papers and writings concerning the same land & premises
 to have and to hold the said Sixty five acres of land abovesingular
 other the premises hereby granted bargained sold mentioned or Intenc-
 ed to be hereby granted bargained sold with their and every of their
 rights members and appurtenances whatsoever unto y^e 3^d George
 Harrison his heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof
 of y^e said Ge^o: Harrison his heirs and assigns for ever and the said
 Thomas Harrison for himself and his heirs the said Sixty five
 acres of land and all and singular the premises before granted
 bargained and sold with their and every of their appurtenances
 unto the said Ge^o: Harrison and his heirs to the only proper use and
 behoof of the said Ge^o: Harrison his heirs and assigns for ever against
 the said Thomas Harrison and his heirs Exec^{rs}: Adm^{rs}: Assigns
 whatsoever shall and will warrant for ever the said land & premises
 by these presents and further the said Tho^s: Harrison for himself
 his heirs Exec^{rs}: and Adm^{rs}: doth Covenant and agree to and with y^e
 said George Harrison his heirs and assigns that he the said Thomas
 Harrison his heirs Exec^{rs}: adm^{rs}: Assigns and all and every other per-
 son or persons their heirs lawfully having or claiming or which
 shall hereafter have or claim any estates right title Interest or demand
 in to or out of the premises on any part or parcels thereof by from under
 the said Thomas Harrison his heirs and assigns shall and will at all
 times hereafter and upon the reasonable request and demand of y^e
 said Ge^o: Harrison his heirs or assigns make do and execute all & every
 such further lawfull and reasonable act or acts thing and things to be
 and do as learned and Counsel in the law whatsoever solely better
 and more perfect performing Suremaking conveying of all the hereby
 granted or mentioned to be granted premises with their and every
 of their appurtenances unto the said Ge^o: Harrison his heirs or assigns
 or by his or their counsel learned in the law shall be reasonably devised
 advised or required In witness Whereof the parties first above mentioned
 hath to this ^{present} writing Entered hangably Set their hands and fixed their
 Seals the day and year first above written

Signed Sealed and delivered in
 the presence of
 Lewis Abalewis Matthew ^{his} Walsh
 Mark
 Tho Harrison Seal

July the 17th 1723 Memorandum that peaceable and quiet possession
 of the within grant and premises was given and delivered by the within
 named Tho^s: Harrison and his wife Elly Harrison unto y^e within named
 Ge^o: Harrison by delivery of Tuff and Swigg on y^e 16th Land to have
 and to hold y^e same according to the Tenor form and effect of the
 within deed in the presence of
 Lewis ab Lewis
 Matthew ^{his} Walsh
 Mark
 Tho Harrison

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Died July 17th 1795 This deed of Indenture with Henry & Leizen
from Thomas Harrison to George Harrison as also Eliz Wifes of the
said Harrison's relinquish^{ing} of Dowry in this land was acknowledged
in Northumberland and County Court and is recorded

Test Robt Lee (Clerk)

This

This Indenture made the 21st Day of March in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty three by and between Elizabeth Winder of the Parish of Coleley in the County of Westmorland Widow of the One part and William Beverley of the Parish of St Anne in the County of Essex on the other part Witnesseth that the said Elizabeth for and in Consideration of a Sum of Five Shillings Sterling to her in hand paid by the said William at or before the executing and delivery of these presents hath granted bargained and sold and by these presents doth grant bargain and sell unto the said W^m Beverley his Exors Adms and Assigns Select parts and One Thousand Acres of land therunto adjoining to be laid out when the said William shall think fitt and convenient, Situate and being in Bretons necks in the parish of St Stephens in the County of Northumberland and the Reversion and Reversions Remainders and Remainders of the same and of every part thereof together with all the rents & profits of the premises To have and to hold the said Land or Tract of Land and premises with all and singular appurtenances unto the said William his Exors Adms and Assigns from the day before the date hereof for and during the full term and Term of One Year from thence next ensuing and fully to be compleat and ended yielding and paying therefor thereof of One Penny of Indian Corn at the Feast of St Michael of Archangel only if the same be lawfully Demanded to the end Intent & purpose that by Virtue of these presents and of the statute for Transferring Uses into possession the said William Beverley may be in actual possession of the premises and be enabled to accept a grant and Release of the Reversion and Inheritance of the same to him the said William his heirs and assigns forever In Witness whereof the said parties to these presents have Interchangably putt their hands and Seals the day and Year first above written

Signed Sealed and
Delivered in
Presence of Us

Elizabeth Winder Seal

John Butler
Elias Martin
his
Thomas Tolson
Clerk

Witnessed at
This deed of Lease of Elizabeth
Winders to Elizabeth Wm Beverley her
was acknowledged in Northumberland
County Court by the said Elizabeth Winder and
as Admitted to Record

Test: D. J. C. H. A. R.

This Indenture made the 5th Day of March in the Year of Our Lord One
 Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Three by and between Elizabeth
 Winder of the Parish of Copley in the County of Westmorland Widow of
 the One part and William Beverly of the Parish of St. Auns in the County
 of Essex on the other part Witnesseth that the said Elizabeth her son and
 in consideration of the sum of five hundred pounds Sterling to her of
 said Elizabeth in hand paid by the said William at or before executing
 and delivery of these presents hath given granted bargained sold
 aliens assigned released enfranchised and confirmed and by these
 presents doth fully freely and absolutely give grant bargain sell alien
 assign release enfranchise and Confirm unto the said Wm Beverly
 his heirs and assigns ffects point and One Thousand Acres of
 land thereunto adjoining to be laid off when the said William
 shall think fitt and convenient situate lying and being in
 Bretons Mead in the Parish of St. Stephens in the County of
 Northumberland and all the estates right title Interest due
 property reversion Claim and demand whatsoever of her the said Elizabeth
 and of every other person whatsoever of in to and out of the premises
 and every part and parcel thereof all which said premises now are in
 the actual possession of him the said William by virtue of one Indenture
 of bargain and sale to him thereof made for the Term of one
 year bearing date the day before the date of these presents and made
 between the said Elizabeth Winder of the Parish of Copley in the
 County of Westmorland widow on the One part and the said William
 Beverly of the Parish of St. Auns in the County of Essex on the other
 part and by virtue of the Statutes for Transferring use into possession
 and the reversions and Reversions Remainders and Remainders
 and all other rents (except Dues) and profits of the premises
 and of every part and parcel thereof together with all and singular
 deeds Writs evidences writings Records exemplification of Records
 receipts and Obligations whatsoever touching and concerning the
 said premises on any part or parcel thereof to have and to hold
 the said part or tract of land and all and singular other the
 premises and every part and parcel thereof with their and every of
 their appurtenances unto the said William Beverly his heirs and assigns
 to the only proper use and behoof of him the said William Beverly
 his heirs and assigns his heirs and assigns to be holden of the Proprietary of
 the Northern Mead his heirs and assigns by the Dues and rents accustomed
 and the said Elizabeth her heirs and assigns doth give grant
 granted premises with the appurtenances unto the said Wm Beverly
 his heirs and assigns against her the said Elizabeth her heirs and
 assigns and against all other persons whatsoever claiming or to
 claim by grant or under her her heirs or assigns on any other person or
 persons whatsoever shall and will warrants and for ever defend by
 these presents and the said Elizabeth Winder her heirs and assigns
 and Adm^r and every of them doth Covenant grant and agree
 to and with the said William Beverly his heirs and assigns and
 every of them in manner and form following that is to say

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That is to say that it shall and may be lawfull to and for him
 the said W^m Beverley his heirs Tenants and assigns from time to
 time and at all times hereafter according to the true Intent
 meaning and purport of these presents peaceably and lawfully
 to enter into and upon houses holds and tenements houses and
 Joynt to his and their proper use and behoof of the above
 mentioned lease or tract of lands and all and singular other
 other the premises herein before mentioned means or intended to
 be hereby given granted bargained sold aliened assigned released
 enfeoffed and confirmed and every part and parcel thereof with
 the appurtenances without any lawfull or equitable lett hindrance
 or denial disturbance Exception evasions Interruption claim or demand
 of her the said Elizabeth Winder her heirs or assigns or any other person
 whatsoever claiming or to claim by from or under her her heirs or assigns
 or any other person or persons whatsoever and that the said Eliz
 Winder now hath gave Right and lawfull authority to sell and
 dispose of the said lands and premises to him the said W^m Beverley
 his heirs and assigns in manner and form aforesaid & further
 that the said Elizabeth Winder her heirs and assigns shall will
 at any time within the space of seven years next ensuing the date
 hereof upon the request and at the cost and Charge in Law
 of the said W^m Beverley his heirs and assigns do make livery ac
 knowledges execute and suffer or cause to be made done acknow
 ledged executed and suffered all and every such further and
 other lawfull and reasonable Appurtenances and act in the Law for
 the further better and more absolute assigning and Conveying of
 the said lease or tract of lands and all and singular other the
 premises herein before mentioned means or intended to be hereby
 given granted bargained sold aliened remised released enfeoffed
 and confirmed and every part thereof with the appurtenances
 unto the said W^m Beverley his heirs and assigns to the only proper
 use and behoof of him the said William Beverley his heirs and
 assigns according to the true Intent and meaning of these
 presents as by the said William his heirs and assigns or his or their
 Councils learned in the Law shall be reasonably devised
 advised or required In Witnesse whereof the parties to these
 presents have Interchangeably set their hands and seals the
 Day and Year above written

Signed Sealed & Delivered in
 the presence of the
 John Butler
 Elias Martin
 Thomas T. Tolson
 Marks

Elizabeth Winder Seal

Die Maij: 20: 1724 This deed of
 Release of Elizabeth Winder to William
 Beverley herⁿ was acknowledged in Nor
 thumberland County Court by the said
 Elizabeth Winder and is admitted to Record
 Test: [Signature]

This Indenture made the Eighteenth day of September in the year
of Our Lord One thousand seven hundred and twenty three between Robert
Bradley of St: Stephens parish in Northumberland County and Colony of
Virginia Planter of the One part and John Lewis of the same place and
calling of the other part Witnesseth that the said Robert Bradley for several
good Causes and Considerations him therunto moving but more es-
pecially for the Consideration of Eleven Thousand pounds of legal
~~1000~~ ¹⁰⁰⁰ in Cash to him in hand paid by the said John Lewis on sealed to
be payed therefor whereof he doth hereby acknowledge and of every
part and parcel thereof doth hereby Exonerate and discharge the said John
Lewis his heirs and assigns forever and by these presents hath granted
bargained sold aliened Enfeoffed and confirmed and hereby doth ^{hereby} grant
~~hereby~~ sell alien Enfeoff and confirm unto the said John Lewis his heirs
and assigns forever one parcel or Demise of land containing One
hundred Acres situate lying and being near the head of Mattapinick river
in the parish aforesaid and bounded as followeth ^{beginning} at a
Red Oak on a branch of Mattapinick and up a valley westerly to a
Hickory and thence ^{through a Spring of Dunt} over a small branch to a ^{corner} Red Oak and
thence southerly to a Hickory and along by David Straubens yard
to an Old Hickory in the lanes and along the lanes to a locus post over
the Road by an Old Hickory and from thence down a valley to a Peach
Tree and along the valley to a black Walnut high a Gully and
down the Gully and a small branch to the Mill pond and so down
the Mill pond along to the first Red Oak which said Demise of one
hundred acres of land is part of a tract or divided of land containing
five hundred and fifty acres granted by patent to one Rob: Newman
dated the 25th of March 1651 and by the said Robert Newman con-
veyed by Assignment taking date November the 6th 1651 to
John Hanis and by the said John Hanis transferred to Jⁿ: Henr
and by the said John Henr devised to Phoebe his wife and by the
said Phoebe transferred unto one John Roach by an Instrument of
Writing dated the second of June 1666 and by the last Will
and Testament of the said John Roach devised unto James Bradley
and by Lineal descent unto the said Robert Bradley w^{ch}: Records
when Records when relation thereto had will make more fully appear
and all woods and under woods feedings ways Lanes Pastures houses
waters and water courses privileges advantages and appurtenances what-
soever to the said Demise of one hundred acres of land belonging and
all and singular other the premises herein mentioned or intended to be
herby granted and the Reversion and Reversions remainder or remainders
the yearly and other Rents Issues and Profitts of the premises together
with all the Evidences and Manuscripts belonging to y^e premises
now in the possession of the said Robert Bradley ¹⁷⁷ and to hold
the hereby granted or intended to be hereby granted Demise of one
hundred acres of land and premises aforesaid with their rights mem-
bers and appurtenances from him the said Robert Bradley his heirs
Exec: and Adm: unto him the said John Lewis his heirs and
Assigns

To the Only proper use and behoof of the said John Lewis and to his heirs and assigns forever more and the said Robert Bradley doth by these presents for himself his heirs Ex^{ors} and Ad^{ors} grant to & the said John Lewis his heirs and assigns from time to time and at all times hereafter forever peaceably and quietly to have hold use Occupy Possess and enjoy the said Tenement of land before mentioned or intended to be hereby granted with all every of their appurtenances under the rents and Services that may be due hereafter to y^e Lord or Lords of the Fee on fees without any lawfull let suit trouble or Interruption of him the said Robert Bradley his heirs or assigns many other person or persons whatsoever and the said Robert Bradley doth hereby also for himself his heirs & Covenants promise grant to and with the said John Lewis that he the said Robert Bradley his heirs &c; shall and will at any time within the space of one and twenty years upon the request and at his heirs ends assigns do make and execute on cause to be made done or executed all and every further act and acts Convey = ances and Assurances in the law whatsoever for the better & improving and Conveying the said lands and premises unto y^e said John Lewis his heirs and assigns forever as by his or their Council Learned in the law shall be reasonably devised or Required and the said Robert Bradley doth Contains & by his heirs Ex^{ors} &c; the said Tenement of One hundred acres of Land wth appurtenances hereby granted aliene and troffed and confirmed unto y^e said John Lewis his heirs and assigns against the claim & claims of any person or persons whatsoever shall and will warrant and for ever defende and also the said Robert Bradley doth further & by promise covenants and grants to and with the said John Lewis that he the said Robert Bradley together with Elizabeth his wife at the next Court held for Northumberland County or any other succeed = ing Court to be held for the said County at the request of the said John Lewis his heirs or assigns shall acknowledge & this Instrument of writing before the Justices then and there sitting in due form of law unto the said John Lewis in Witness of all the above Covenants and grants the said Rob^t Bradley daylands hereon first above written

Signed and delivered in presence of
 John Bayly
 Joseph Dixon

The mark and Seal of Rob^t R Bradley Seal

To the other side

Memorandum

That quiet and Peaceable possession & Seizen
of within mentioned Land and premises was this day given & delivered
by the within named Robert Bradley to the uses intents & purposes
of this Instrument by Indenture expressed unto the within named
John Lewis by the delivery of Turff and Drugg upon part of
the within bargained premises in the presence of these persons
whose names are underwritten the 18th Day of September
Annoq Domini 1723

John Bayly
Joseph Dixon

Die 7^{bris}: 18: 1723

This Deed of
Indenture with Livery & Seizen
was acknowledged in Northumberland County
Court by Robert Bradley to John Lewis and Eliz Bradley
came into Court and Relinquish her right of Dower
in the said Land and is admitted to Record

Test R Lee & Cur

I know all men by these presents that Rob^t Bradley of St^{ts} Stephens Parish in
Northumberland County and Colony of Virginia Planter do stand and are
firmly bound unto John Lewis of the same place our deposing in y^e full and
Just sum of Twenty two Thousand Pounds of legal Debt in Cash to be
paid unto the said John Lewis or his true and lawfull attorney his
Exec^r: Adm^r: on a pign^r to the which payment well and truly to be made
I do bind me my heirs Exec^r: and Adm^r: firmly by these presents sealed
with my Seal dated the Eighteenth day of September in y^e year
of Our Lord Gods One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty three
The Condition of this Obligation is such that whereas the above
bounden Robert Bradley by deeds of Indenture bearing even date
with these presents hath granted bargained sold and confirmed unto
the abovesaid John Lewis and to his heirs and assigns forever as
Certain parcel or Tenement of Land containing one hundred acres
with its rights members and appurtenances situate out on neary y^e
heads of Mattapanix in the parish abovesaid as by y^e deed of Indenture
relation thereto had may more largely appear Now if y^e said
John Lewis his heirs Exec^r: adm^r: and assigns shall from time to time
and at all times hereafter forever have holds use occupy possess &
enjoy the said Tenement of One hundred acres of Land & appurte-
nances according to the true purport Intent and meaning of the
said deeds expressed and also if the said Robert Bradley his heirs
Exec^r: & Adm^r: shall from henceforth forever observe perform
and keep all and every such Articles Clauses Covenants and Con-
ditions in and by y^e Deeds of Indentures expressed mentioned
Intended to be thereby kept performed then this Obligation to be void
and of none Effect on otherwise to stand remain and be in full force

Signed Sealed & Delivered in presence of
John Bayly
Joseph Dixon

The Mark and Seal of Rob^t Bradley Seal
Die 7^{bris}: 18: 1723

This bond for performance of Covenants
by Rob^t Bradley to John Lewis is admitted to Record
Test R Lee & Cur

This Indenture made this thirteenth Day of May in the Year of Our Lord One thousand Seven hundred twenty and three between Benedict Middleton and Elizabeth his Wife of Copley parish in the County of Westmorland of the One part and Robert Middleton Son of the said Benedict and Elizabeth of the other part Witnesseth that the said Benedict and Elizabeth his Wife as well for the Natural Love and Affection which they bare to ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{the} above said Robert their Son as also for divers other good Causes and Considerations them thereunto moving hath gratis given granted and Confirmed and by these presents ~~do~~ ^{do} gratis give grant and Confirm unto the said Robert Middleton and to his heirs of his body lawfully begotten all that their Right Title use Interest Reversion or Remainder of Lands Situate lying and being in the parish of St. Stephens in the County of Northumberland containing One hundred Acres be the same more or less which hundred Acres of Land is part of a pattern of three hundred Acres formerly granted unto Capt^m John Rogers dated the 29th of 7th mo 1669 & afterwards became the Land of Richard Rogers Gen^l Son of the above said ^{and} ~~and~~ since the decease of the said Richard the said Land fell and Descended to the above said Elizabeth as being one of his daughters and Coheirs of the said Richard which said hundred Acres of Land be the same more or less is bounded as followeth beginning at a stone Mark 75 West Sixty five poles and so half to an other stone Mark part dividing this Land from the Land of J^m Middleton being a part of the said three hundred Acres and from thence so: **20** To the West two hundred thirty two poles to the Land of the above said Peter Meak and from thence South 85 East Eighty nine poles to a dry Oak on an ancient Corner tree from thence North sixteen Degrees forty five minutes east to the place in began two hundred and fifty poles and now in the occupation of the said Robert and the Reversion and Reversions remainder and remainders together with all fencing housing edifices and buildings Woods and underwoods Timber and Timber trees pastures and meadow Courses profits Commodities hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever to the said messuage or tenement and premises or to any part or parcels of them belonging or in any wise appertaining and also all the estates Right Title Interest Use appurtenances property Claims and Demand of them the said Benedict and Elizabeth in or to the same excepting two acres of the above said Messuage or tenement of Land to be and remain Excepted out of this grant for and during the term of the said Benedict's natural life in any part of the Tenement where the said Benedict shall think fit to have the same To have and to hold the said Messuage or Tenement and all and singular other the premises hereby given granted ^{re} Confirmed Or mentoned to be herein or hereby given granted ^{re} Confirmed with their

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and every of their rights members and appurtenances whatsoever Excepting
 = ing what before Excepted unto the said Robert and to the heirs of his
 = body lawfully begotten or to be begotten to the only proper use and be-
 = hood of the said Robert Middleton and the heirs of his body lawfully
 = begotten for ever and for want of such heirs then to sell to the
 = Right heirs of the said Elizabeth and to none other use Intents or
 = purposes whatsoever and that he the said Robert and his heirs as a-
 = foresaid and every of them shall or may by force of these pre-
 = sents peaceably and quietly have hold use occupy possess and
 = enjoy the said Mesuages or Tenements and all and singular the
 = before granted premises with their and every of their appur-
 = tenances and have receive and take the rents issues & profits
 = thereof to their own proper use and behoof for ever without
 = any Lawfull lett Suit Troubles denial Interruption evi-
 = on disturbance of the said Benedict or Elizabeth or of any
 = other person or persons whatsoever lawfully Claiming by them
 = or thors them or any of them or by their means or consent
 = title Interest privilege or procurement In witness whereof the
 = parties first above mentioned to these Indentures have Inter-
 = changeably Set their hands and fixed their Seals the day &
 = year first above mentioned

Signed Sealed and Delivered B. Middleton Seal
 in presence of Eliz^a Middleton Seal
 John Thomas

Benedict Middleton Jun^r

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This deed of Gift of Benedict
 Middleton and Elizabeth his Wife to their son Robert
 Middleton was acknowledged in Northumberland County
 Courts and is Admitted to Record

John R. Lee Cur

This Indenture made this fourth Day of May in the 5th Year
 of our Sovereign Lord George by the grace of God King of Great
 Britain France and Ireland defender of the Faith &c. and in
 the year of our Lord God One thousand Seven hundred and
 Nineteen between Richard Eaton of St. Stephens parishes in the
 County of Northumberland of the One part, and Robert Chris-
 topher of the aforesaid Parishes and County of the other part
 Witnesses that the abovesaid Richard Eaton for divers good
 179 causes made a valuable Consideration whereof I do hold myself
 fully satisfied and Contented the receipt whereof I do hereby
 acknowledge and from every ^{part} and parcel thereof do verily
 clearly and absolutely exonerate acquit and discharge him the
 said Christopher his heirs Executors and Adm^r on a Signes to ever

I have given granted bargained Sold Allocated and confirmed
 unto the said Robert Christopher his heirs and assigns for ever
 One hundred and Twenty acres of land according to Estimation
 be it more or less situated lying and being in the County above
 said and amongst or upon the branches of Chickacone
 River being bounded as followeth Viz: Beginning at a Poke
 Hickory Standing on the Southward Side of the said plantation
 of Enock Hill and from thence running along a line of
 marked trees that are extended divers Indirectly Southerly
 Courses to a marked Red Oak Standing at or nigh a
 Valley known by the name of the long Valley on bottom
 which said marked trees parts this land from the land
 of me the said Richard Eaton and from thence along
 a line of marked trees and a path which leads from the
 said long Valley to Cone Mill upon divers Northwardly course
 es to the land of Major John Matton dec^d and to his
 Corner Trees and from thence following the land of Enock
 Hill which formerly belonged to Richard Eaton deceased
 to the first beginning of Chickacone to have and to hold
 the above said One hundred and twenty acres of land
 within the above said bounds be it more or less as aforesaid
 with all the profits Commodities appurtenances Residua
 = ments and Priviledges thereunto belonging to him the said
 Robert Christopher his heirs Executors Adm^r and assigns
 for ever from me the said Richard Eaton my heirs Exec^r
 or assigns or from either of them or from any other per
 = son whatsoever that may or shall pretend title or lay
 any Claim thereunto by what way means or manner
 whatsoever he or they shall pretend their title to come
 from or be he paying the yearly rent Reserved to his Majesty
 Use and if at any time ^{hereafter} the said Rob^t Christopher
 his heirs or assigns shall be any ways disturbed or molested in his
 free possession or enjoying of the said land then I the said Rich^d
 Eaton do hereby bind my self my heirs Executors Adm^r
 or assigns in the sum Ten thousand pounds ^{the} to be paid
 payable to him the said Christopher his heirs or assigns
 upon my or their failing in keeping him or them harmless
 and Undamnified therein and also I do Oblige my self in
 the like sum to make him such further Assurance of the
 premises as he shall reasonably desire In Witness whereof
 I have hereunto set my hand and fixed my Seal the day and
 Year above Written
 Rich^d Eaton Seal
^{his}
^{Master}

Signed Sealed and delivered in the
 presence of us
 Joseph Tipton
 Charles Baker

Dec^r Jan^y 20 1724/5

This deed of Indenture of Richard Eaton to
 Robert Christopher was acknowledged in Northampton
 County Court by the said Eaton and is recorded

Teste B. Lee Clerk

This Indenture made this fourth Day of November in the tenth 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 God One thousand Seven hundred Twenty and Four between Richard Eaton of St. Stephens parish in the County of Northumberland planter of the one part and Sir Christopher of the parish and County abovesaid of the other part with witnesseth that the said Richard Eaton for and in Consideration of the sum of Three thousand Five hundred pounds of legal S^{ts}. in hand paid or secured to be paid before the sealing and Delivering of these presents the receipt whereof the said Richard Eaton doth acknowledge and every part and parcel thereof doth acquit exonerate and discharge the said John Christopher his heirs Ex^{ts}. adm^{rs}. and every of them by these presents hath given granted bargained Alienated endeoffed and Confirmed and by these presents doth fully clearly and absolutely give grant bargain & sell alienate endeoff and Confirm unto John Christopher as Con-
-tain tract or parcel of lands situate lying and being in the Parish and County abovesaid and on the branches of Chickacone river being part of a Sale of land from John Janies and John Houghton to my Grandfather Rich Eaton dec^d: being bounded as follows *viz*: Beginning at a main Road crossing a Valley of Wicocomoco River branches called by the name of the Long Bottom and from thence along a line of marked trees parting this land from the lands of Lane Ganatt while it comes to a branch of Chickacone River and running down the said branch till it meets with the lands of Duck Hills dec^d: and thence along a line of marked trees parting this land from the said Duck Hills land till it comes to a Corner Pigg = hickory standing on a point by the Cleard plantation of the said Hill thence running along a line of marked trees parting this land of the said Christopher while it comes to the beginning place being by Estimation one hundred and seventy Acres more or less to have and to hold the abovesaid land with the abovesaid bounds with all the profits Commodities appur-
-tenances hereditaments and privileges thereunto belonging to him the said Christopher his heirs Ex^{ts}. adm^{rs}. *in* fee simple and a signet doth covenant and agrees to and with the said John Christopher his heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of the said John Christopher his heirs and assigns for ever and the abovesaid Richard Eaton for himself his heirs Ex^{ts}. adm^{rs}. doth Covenant and agrees to and with the said John Christopher his heirs and assigns that he the said Christopher his heirs and assigns shall and may for ever hereafter hold peace-
-fully and possess and enjoy the abovesaid One hundred & seventy acres of land and premises with its rights members & appurtenances peaceably and quietly against ^{the claims of} the said Rich Eaton his heirs Ex^{ts}.

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Exec^d Adam and assigns on any other person that shall lay any claim or title hereunto, he or they paying the yearly Rent Reserved to his Majesties Use and the said Rich^d Eaton do bind my self my heirs Exec^d and assigns in the sum of Seven thousand pounds of Tobb^o payable to himself said Christopher his heirs and assigns on my failing to make further assurance of these premises when required in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Sealed my Seal the Day and Year above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of Us

Henry Christopher
W^m Christopher

Rich^d Eaton his Seal

D^o Jan: 20: 1724/5

This deed of Indenture from Richard Eaton to John Christopher was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by the said Eaton to the said Christopher and is admitted to record

Test: G. Lee Clerk

Know all men by these presents that I William Howard of St. Stephens in Northumberland County and Colony of Virginia Planter for several goods Causes me hereunto moving have constituted as pointers and Ordained and by these presents do constitute appoint and Ordain and in my stead and place do put my trusty Friend David Straughan of the parish County and Colony of the said Schoolmaster my true and lawfull Attorney to appear for me at the next Court held for the said County or any other succeeding Court held for the said County then and there for me and in my name to acknowledge unto John Wood all my right and title in and to certain Instruments of Writing by Indentures bearing even dates with these presents for fifty acres of Land commonly called lease and release and also I do hereby give and grant unto my said Attorney my full power & Lawfull Authority to act and do in the premises as my self might or could do if then and there personally present ratifying & confirming by these presents whatsoever my said Attorney shall lawfully do or cause to be done touching or concerning the premises In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the nineteenth day of November Anno Domini 1723

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of Us

Thomas his Seal of W^m Howard Seal

The mark of J^r E. Stanley
James Straghan

D^o Dec: 20: 1723

William Howard to David Straghan was proved in Northumberland County Court by the Oaths of J^r Stanley and James Straghan & is recorded

Test: G. Lee Clerk

This Indenture made this Sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord
 Gods One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty three between W^m Howard of
 St. Stephens parish in Northumberland County and Colony of Virginia
 Planter of the one part and John Wood of the same parish County & Colony
 of aresaid. Cordwainer of the other part Witnesses that the said W^m
 Howard for divers good Causes and Considerations him therunto
 moving but more Especially for the valuable Consideration of the
 Sum of five hundred pounds of T^l and one Cow and Calf to him in
 hande payed or seemed to be payed the receipt whereof he doth hereby ac-
 knowledges and of every part and parcel thereof doth freely exonerate
 acquit and discharge the said John Wood his heirs and assigns forever
 by these presents have granted alien released and confirmed and by
 these presents do grant alien release and Confirm unto the said John Wood
 in his actual possession now being by Virtue of as bargain and Sale to him
 thereof made for one whole year by Indentures bearing one day
 before the date hereof and by Virtue of a Statute for transferring of
 Uses into possession and to his heirs and assigns one piece or parcel of
 Tenement of land containing by Estimation fifty acres but more or
 less situate lying and being in the parish aforesaid and bounded
 as followeth viz beginning at a marked white Oak Standing on
 the first point over a branch from a broken Top, Chestnut tree line
 of Richard Vanlandegam thence running along the said line with
 some alteration of Courses to the land of Peter Greenstreet and
 thence along the said line to Madistacks path thence to its first
 beginning which said fifty acres of land is the Moiety or half part
 of One hundred Acres of land Sold and Transferred by Philip Evans
 and Hugh Harris into William Shorten by deed of Indentures bearing
 date the 11th day of May Anno 1670 and acknowledged in
 Northumberland County Court 7th of the 12th 1670 and by said
 William Shorten Sold and Transferred unto the said W^m Howard
 by Assignation bearing date the 12th of May 1691 and acknowledged
 in Northumberland County Court May the 20th 1691 as by these and
 Instruments of Writing when relation thereto made may more
 fully appear and all woods under woods feedings ways paths
 Waters and watters Courses houses Orchards pastures privileges
 and appurtenances whatsoever to the said piece or parcel or Tenement
 of land belonging or anywise pertaining and the Reversion and
 reversions remainders and remainders yearly and other rents and
 profits of the premises To have and to hold the said piece
 or parcel or Tenement of land aforesaid with the appurtenances there-
 of before mentioned or intended to be hereby granted to the said
 John Wood his heirs to the only proper uses and behoof of the said
 John Wood his heirs and assigns forever and the said William
 Howard for himself his heirs Executors and Admin^{rs} doth Covenant
 and grant to and with the said John Wood that it shall and may
 be lawful for the said John Wood his heirs and assigns from time
 to time and at all times forever hereafter peaceably or quietly
 to have hold use occupy possess and enjoy the said piece or parcel or Tenement
 of land before mentioned or intended to be hereby granted

Granted with all its appurtenances under the rights and Services
 that may be due hereafter to the Lord or Lords of the Fee or
 Fees without any lawfull lett Suit Troubles or Interruption of
 him the said William Howard his heirs or assigns or any other per-
 son or persons Claiming by him or under him and the said
 William Howard doth further for himself his heirs &c. and
 with the said John Wood his heirs and assigns doth Covenant and
 promise that he the said William Howard his heirs &c. shall & will
 at all times within the Space of Ten years upon the request
 and request Look and Charges in the land of the said John Wood
 his heirs and assigns do make and execute on Commission pro-
 cure to be made done or executed all and every such further
 Act and Acts Conveyances and assurances in the Law for the
 better conveying and assuring the said land premises appurte-
 nances unto the said John Wood his heirs and assigns of
 the Claim and Claims for ever as by their counsell Learned in
 the Law shall be reasonably devised or required and the said
 William Howard for himself his heirs &c. the piece or Pe-
 cement of fifty acres of land and premises be it more or
 less with their appurtenances hereby granted released and
 Confirmed unto the said John Wood his heirs and assigns against
 the Claim and Claims of any person or persons Claiming by
 him or under him or any of his shall and will warrant and for
 ever defende in Witnesse whereof the said William Howard hath
 hereunto set his hand and Seal this day and Date first above
 written

The Mark & Seal of William Howard Seal

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 In the presence of

The Marks of J^r I Stanley
 James Strangham

Witness his
 Hand & Seal
 the 9th day of
 Dec^r: 1723

This Deed ^{was} acknowledged in
 Northumberland County Court by William
 Howard to John Wood and on his motion
 it's admitted to Record

Test: *Delee Hill*

This Indenture made the Fiftenth day of November in the year
 of Our Lord Gods One thousand Seven hundred Twenty between
 William Howard of St. Stephens parish in Northumberland County and
 Colony of Virginia as planter of the one part and John Wood of the
 same County and Colony aforesaid Cordwainer of the other part
 Witnesseth that the said William Howard for and in Consideration
 of a sum of Five Shillings Current money in Virginia to him in
 hand payed by the said John Wood the receipt whereof the said
 William Howard doth hereby acknowledge hath bargained and Sold
 and by these presents do bargain and Sell unto the said John Wood
 One piece parcel or Tenement of land containing by Estimation
 Fifty Acres be it more or less Situated lying and being in a parish
 aforesaid

and bounded as followeth viz beginning att a marked white Oak standing
 on the first point over a branch from a broken Soft Chestnut to the line
 of Richard Vanlandegam thence running along the said line with some
 alteration of Courses to the line of the land of Peter Greenstick and thence
 along the said line to Machoticks path thence to its first beginning which
 said fifty acres of land is the moiety or half part of One hundred
 Acres of Land Sold and Transferred by Philip Evans and Hugh
 Harris unto one William Shorter by deed of Indenture bearing date
 the 11th Day of May Anno 1670 and duly executed in Northumberland
 County Court the 15th 1670 and by the said Wm Shorter
 Sold and Transferred unto the said William Howard by Assignment
 bearing date the 12th of May 1691 and acknowledged in
 Northumberland County Court May the 20th 1691 as by the said
 Instruments of Writing when relations thereto had may more fully
 appear and the reversions and the Reversions remainders and
 remainders together with the rents and profits of the premises
 and every part and parcel thereof with every of their appurtenances
 To have and to hold the said piece parcel and Tenements of land
 and all and singular other the premises herein mentioned or intended
 to be hereby bargained and sold with their and every of their ap-
 purtenances unto the said John Woods his heirs Exors and assigns from
 the day before the date hereof for and during the term of Years
 which hean from thence next ensuing and fully to be compleat and
 ended holding and paying therefor the yearly rent of One Bush
 of Indian Corn att the least of the Nativity of Our blessed
 Saviour if the same be depended to the Intent that by virtue
 of these presents and of the Statute for Transferring of uses
 into possession the said John Woods may be in actual possession
 of the premises and be enabled to accept a grant of reversion
 and Subsitances hereof to him and his heirs in witness whereof
 the said William Howard hath hereunto sett his hande Seal
 the Day and date first above written

The mark Seal of Wm Howard

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 in the presence of

Die 9^{bris} 20: 1723

The marks of John I Stanley
 James Straghan

This deed was acknowledged
 in Northumberland County
 Court by William Howard to
 John Woods and on his motion it is
 admitted to Record

Test. J. P. Clerk

This Indenture made the Nineteenth Day of May in the Tenth
 Year of the Reigne of Our Sovereign Lord George by the grace of
 Gods of Great Brittain France and Ireland King Defender of the
 Faith &c. Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred & Seventy
 four between Christopher Newton Late of the parish of St
 Stephens in the County of Northumberland and Colony of
 Virginia and now in the province of Maryland Carpenter
 of the one party and Simon White of the Parish County & Colony
 aforesaid planter of the other party Witnesseth that the said Christopher
 Newton for diverse good Causes and Considerations him thereunto
 moving but more especially for the valuable consideration
 of the sum of three thousand pounds of Lawfull T^l in cash
 to him in hand or to be paid the receipt whereof is
 Christopher Newton doth hereby acknowledge and of every part &
 parcel thereof doth hereby Release acquitt Exonerate and discharge
 the said Simon White his heirs Executors and assigns forever by
 these presents hath granted bargained sold alien remised released
 Endorsed and Confirmed and hereby doth grant bargain sell
 alien remise release Endorsed and Confirm to the said Simon White
 and to his heirs and assigns forever a Certain piece or parcel of
 Land Containing by Estimation Fifty Seven acres Situate in
 the parish and County aforesaid bounded as followeth viz
 beginning at an Old Hedge Stake standing by the West end
 Corn fields fenced being a line tree of Richard Gibbles and Corner
 tree Roger Watters and stretching thence along an old line of trees
 dividing this and the lands of the late formerly Roger Watters
 between the north and West points 215 poles to a great poplar Stand-
 ing in an Old field and Corner trees dividing W^m Nutt and W^m
 Willday from thence along W^m Willdays line N^o 29 East 38 poles
 to Thomas Wallis at the Corner White Oaks on the north side the
 Church Road near a runn of water from thence along on near the
 South side of the said Roads between the S^o and E^o points 163
 poles & lines to a Cedar post standing on the S^o side the road
 marked on the North west side of the said post with the letters
 C N: and on the South west side with the letters C N: W F
 then along an Old line dividing from W^m Fry formerly Gibbles
 So: 15 Degrees West 70 poles to the beginning Hedge Stake the said land
 being formerly granted by a deed from the proprietors Office to
 Christopher Newton father of the aforesaid Christopher Newton
 his party to these presents who thereby became seized in fee of an
 absolute estate of Inheritance in the hereby granted land and
 premises together with all houses outhouses Barns Stables Orchards
 Gardens Woods underwoods Cleared grounds sences pastures feedings
 Watters water Courses and other Conveniences with all deeds &
 Evidences in writing miniments Conveyances Rights members pri-
 viledges advantages whatsoever unto the hereby granted Fifty
 seven acres of land belonging on in any wise appertaining from
 him the said Christopher Newton his heirs Executors and assigns
 Simon White and to his heirs & assigns

To have and to hold six and fifty seven acres of land and premises with
 all rights members privileges advantages and appurtenances hereby granted
 mentioned or intended to be granted from him the said Robt Newton
 his heirs & as aforesaid unto him the said Simon White his heirs and
 assigns and to the only proper use benefit and behoof of him & said
Simon White and his heirs and assigns for ever and to no other use Intend
 or purpose whatsoever and the said Christopher Newton party as afores
 said for himself his heirs Executors and Adm^r: doth hereby Covenant grant
 and agree to and with the said Simon White his heirs & assigns
 that he the said Robt Newton party as aforesaid at the time of the
 making and delivery of these presents hath good right full power
 and lawfull authority the hereby granted land and premises with
 the appurtenances unto the said Simon White and to his heirs & assigns
 to sell convey and make over and that he the said Simon White from
 time to time and at all times for ever hereafter shall have
 hold Occupy possess and enjoy the hereby granted land & premises
 with the appurtenances unto him the said Simon White and to his
 heirs and assigns for ever without any lett trouble Incumbrance
 or molestation whatsoever of him the said Christopher Newton
 party as aforesaid his heirs Executors or assigns or any person or
 persons claiming by from or under him them or any or either of
 them with warranty from them every of their future claims or claims
 and all other person or persons whatsoever and that he the said Robt Newton
 party as aforesaid his heirs and assigns shall and will
 from time to time and at any times hereafter during the space
 of forty years from the time of the date hereof make do suffer
 execute perform and fulfill all such Just or lawfull reasonable
 Act and Acts Conveyances and Conveyances and assurances in
 law for the better and more sure making and confirming the
 hereby granted land and premises unto the said Simon White and to
 his heirs and assigns for ever and at the request of them or either of their
 reasonable request Costs and charges in the law as he the said Simon
White his heirs or assigns or his heirs or either of their Council
 Learned in the law shall reasonably devise advise or require
 that he the said Robt Newton shall duly acknowledge this In-
 strument of Indenture in Northumberland County Court at
 demand of the said Simon White in due form of Law full witness
 whereof the aforesaid Robt Newton party to this present In-
 denture hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seals the
 day and year first above mentioned

Christopher Newton Seal

Signed Sealed & Delivered in
 presence of Th^o Hobson Edward Saunders

John Turners
 Master

Memorandum shew

That the peaceable possession & Seizen of the within mentioned land & premises was
 this day given and delivered by the within mentioned Robt Newton party to this
 Indenture unto the within named Simon White by the Delivery of Three Twigs
 upon the said land in the name of the whole in presence of

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Edward Saunders
 Th^o Hobson

John Turners
 Master
 this deed of Inden-
 ture was acknowledged in Northumberland County
 and is admitted to Record.

Test: [Signature]

This Indenture made this Thirtieth day of January in the Eleventh
 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 & Anno
 Domini One thousand seven hundred and twenty four between
 John Lancaster of St. Stephens parish in the County of Northham
 beire and Colony of Virginia planter of the one party and Wm
 Moon of the same parish County and Colony of the other party
 Witnesseth that the said John Lancaster for divers good causes &
 Considerations him therunto moving but more especially for
 valuable Consideration of Ten thousand pounds of Tobacco
 to him in hand paid or secured to be paid the receipt whereof he
 the said John Lancaster doth hereby acknowledge and of every
 part and parcel thereof doth hereby release acquit & discharge
 and discharges the said Wm Moon his heirs Exors Adors & assigns
 forever by these presents hath granted bargained sold alien
 Remised released & confirmed and confirmed and hereby doth
 grant bargain sell alien Remise release & confirm can firm
 unto the said William Moon and to his heirs and assigns forever
 all that plantation tract dividend and parcels of land situate
 County aforesaid containing by estimation one hundred acres of
 land more or less bounded with the lands of Col^o Peter Hacks Wm
 Berry and Thomas Gills and other lands that did belong to
 Rainsford Smith now the land of Sam^l Smith and is distinguished
 therefrom by a branch being the second branch crossing the main road
 to the northwards of the said Samuels Smiths now dwelling house and
 plantation whereon the aforesaid Rainsford Smith did divide
 a line of marked trees directed from the heads of the said branch to a
 marked red Oak standing in the line of the aforesaid Th^o Gills and
 makes an angle tree to this and the land of the said Gills the said branch
 and line of trees including the old plantation whereon M^r James
 Austin formerly lived and dyed and all the land belonging to
 aforesaid John Lancaster on the lower or north sides the said branch
 and line of marked trees to the land of the said Col^o Hacks Wm Berry
 and Thomas Gills the said hereby granted lands being part of a tract
 or dividend of lands belonging to the aforesaid James Austin dec^d
 who devised the same by his last Will and Testament to his Grand
 son Rainsford Smith aforesaid and by him the said Rainsford
 Smith conveyed and made over unto the aforesaid John Lancaster
 by deeds Indented under his hand and Seal bearing date the tenth
 day of March ^{one thousand seven hundred and} twenty four
 together with all houses outhouses Barns Stables Orchards Gardens
 Woods under woods Cleared grounds pastures Fences Springs
 Watters Watters Courses Ri^olets and all manner of Timber
 whatsoever with all deeds and Instruments in Writing Minuments
 Hereditaments and all other priviledges rights members and
 advantages whatsoever to the said hereby granted land and
 premises belonging or in any wise appertaining from him the
 said John Lancaster his heirs Exors and Adors unto him the
 said

William Moon and to his heirs and assigns forever to have and to hold the said One hundred Acres of Land more or less as aforesaid and premises with the appurtenances from him the said In^o Lancaster his heirs & assigns unto him the said W^m Moon his heirs and assigns unto the only proper use and behoof of him the said W^m Moon and his heirs and assigns forever and to no other use intents or purposes whatsoever And the said John Lancaster for himself his heirs Ex^o Adm^o on Assigns doth hereby further Covenant grant agree to and wish the said William Moon that he the said William Moon and his heirs and assigns from time to time and at all times forever hereafter shall have hold use occupy possess and enjoy the said hereby granted One hundred Acres of Land more or less as aforesaid with goods and sufficient Warranties ^{of right and title} ^{to the said W^m Moon his heirs and assigns} ^{from the said John Lancaster} Claim of him the said John Lancaster his heirs Ex^o Adm^o and assigns on any person or persons claiming by from or under him or any on either of them and that he the said In^o Lancaster his heirs Ex^o Adm^o and assigns any on either of them at any time or times forever hereafter shall and will make do suffer acknowledge and execute such further lawful and reasonable acts and acts devices and devices Conveyances and Conveyances on other assurances for the better and more sure conveying assuring and confirming of the hereby granted Land and premises with the appurtenances unto the said W^m Moon his heirs and assigns forever as he the said W^m Moon his heirs or assigns on his or their Council learned in the Law and on his or their proper Costs and Charges shall reasonably devise advise or require and that he the said In^o Lancaster and Frances his Wife County Court at the Demand of the said W^m Moon In Witness whereof all the premises the said John Lancaster first party to this presents hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his Seal & Lay and bears Test above mentioned

Signed Sealed and Delivered In^o Lancaster Seal
 in the presence of Th^o Hobson
 Th^o Sims Sarah Sims
 Marks Marks

Memorandum
 Jan^y the 30th 1724
 That Divers and peaceable

possessions and Seizen of the within mentioned Land & premises was this Day given and Delivered by the within named John Lancaster first party to this Indenture unto the within named William Moon by the Delivery of Turf and Swigg upon the said Land and the ring of the door of the Mansion house in the name of the whole in presence of the

Th^o Hobson
 Th^o Sims
 Marks
 Sarah Sims
 Marks

This deed of Indenture with Livery & Seizen from In^o Lancaster to W^m Moon was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by the said In^o Lancaster and Frances Wife of the said In^o Lancaster came into Court and relinquish her right of dower in the said Land and on the W^m Moon's motion its
 Test: 

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Know all men by these presents that I John Lancaster of St Stephens parish in Northumberland County and Colony of Virginia am held and lawfully bound unto William Moon of the same Parish County and Colony in the Just and penal sum of Twenty thousand pounds of Tobacco in Cash the which payments well and truly to be made unto the said William Moon his heirs & exors Adms or assigns I binde me my heirs Exors Adms assigns Son the whole firmly by these presents Sealed with my Seal dated this thirteenth Day of January Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty four in the Eleventh year of the Reign of Our Sovereign Lord King George the Great Britain &c. The Conditions of the above Obligations is such that whereas the above bound John Lancaster by deeds indentured bearing date herewith last granted bargained sold conveyed firmes unto the above named William Moon One hundred Acres of land as by the said deed may more at large appear Now it this said Wm Moon shall have hold possess and enjoy the said One hundred acres of land and premises thereby granted unto him the said Wm Moon and to his heirs and assigns forever and that the said John Lancaster his heirs Exors Adms or assigns shall from time to time and at all times from ever hereafter observe perform accomplish fulfill and keep all and every the articles clauses Provisos and agreements set down mentioned & comprised in the said deed which on his and their parts are thereby intended set down and expressed to be observed performed accomplished fulfill and kept according to the true simple & plain Tenor and meaning of the said deed and the same deed with the Seizen Endorsed thereon shall duly acknowledge in the Court of the said County at the request of the above said William Moon in due form of Law and that Francis Lancaster the wife of the said John Lancaster shall Relinquish her right of dower in the said land the said obligation to be void and of none effect else to remain in full force and Virtue

Signed Sealed and Delivered in presence of *J^r X Lancaster Seal*

J^r Hobson
J^r S Linn
Mark

Done Feb^y 17th 1724/5

This bond of *J^r Lancaster* to William Moon for performance of Covenants was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by *J^r Lancaster* to the said Moon and on his motion its admitteds to Record

Test: *J^r Lee*

To all to whom these shall come Whereas George Eskridge had to him granted
 Six hundred acres of land from the proprietors of the Northern neck by Pat-
 -ent bearing date the Sixth day of August in the year of Our Lord One
 Thousand Seven hundred and Twelve being part of a pattern of a
 Thousand Acres of land first granted to John Meade and Wm Newmann
 by patents dated the 6th Day of May One Thousand Six hundred
 Fifty and One which said Six hundred Acres of land is situate on the
 South Eastermost side of the common River in the County of Northern
 Neck and whereas also Thomas Hall is in the possession of Forty one Acres
 part of the above said Six hundred acres of land which said Forty one
 Acres of land is bounded as followeth Viz^d beginning on a Locust
 Stake in Halls Old Field and extending from thence South East
 Fifty one Poles to the line of said pattern of Six hundred acres from
 thence along that line North Fifty Eight Degrees East one hundred
 and Two poles to the side of a small Creek called Back Creek
 from thence North thirty Nine Degrees West Sixty five Poles to a
 Stake Corner to the land of said ^{Hall} from thence South forty
 five Degrees West One hundred and four poles to the place where
 the same began Now know ye that the said George Eskridge
 son and in Consideration of the sum of five shillings of Lawfull
 Money to him in hand paid by the abovesaid Thomas Hall and son
 Divers other good causes and Considerations him thereunto moving
 hath remised released and for ever quit Claimed and by these presents
 for himself and his heirs doth fully clearly and absolutely Remise release
 and for ever quit claim unto the abovesaid Thomas Hall in his
 full and peaceable possession and seizen and to his heirs and assigns
 for ever all such rights titles Interests and dem and whatsoever
 which he the said George Eskridge hath or ought to have or in or by
 the abovesaid Forty one Acres of Land by Virtue of any abovesaid
 Deed from the proprietors Office or by any other ways or means whatsoever
 to have and to hold by abovesaid forty one acres of land with all & singular its
 rights members & appurtenances unto the said Th^o Hall his heirs & assigns for ever to y^e only
 proper use & behoof of him the said Th^o Hall his heirs & assigns for ever so y^e neither he y^e
 said Ge^o Eskridge nor his heirs nor any other persons or persons son him or them in or on their
 names or in the name or right or stead of any of them shall or will by any way
 or means hereafter ^{have} claim Challenge or Demand any estates rights titles or
 Interests of in or to y^e premises or any part or parcel thereof but from all & every
 Right estate title Interest or Demand of in or to y^e premises or any part thereof
 they and every of them shall be utterly Excluded and Barred for ever
 by these presents In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seale
 this thirtenth Day of February in the year of Our Lord Christy One
 Thousand and Seven hundred and Twenty three

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 In the presence of
 Will Lowry
 Clemⁿ Lullimore
 From Mess^{rs} Geo Eskridge to Thomas Hall was Acte
 knowledge in Northern Neck and County Court by Thos Eskridge
 and is Admitted to Record
 This Deed of Release
 Thomas Hall
 Geo Eskridge Seal
 27th Junij 17th 1724

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This Indenture made the fourteenth Day of May in the year
of our Lord God according to the computation now used in the church
of England One thousand seven hundred and Twenty four be-
tween Nicholas Gilbert and Edward Saunders of the parish of
St. Stephens in the County of Northumberland and Colony of Virginia
of the one part and Tho: Gille of the same parish County or Colony
of the other part Witnesseth that the said Nicholas Gilbert and
Edward Saunders for and in Consideration of the sum of Two
thousand pounds of Tob: payd in hand by the said Tho: Gille to
the said Nicholas Gilbert and Edward Saunders at and before
the Enscaling and Delivery of these presents they receivd
whereof he the said Nich: Gilbert and Edward Saunders doth here by
acknowledge and thereto and of every part and parcel thereof
doth freely & clearly acquit exonerate and discharge the said
Gille his heirs Exe: Adm: and every of them by these presents hath
denied granted bargained sold remised released outcooted and
Confirmed and by these presents doth demise grant bargain sell
Remise Release outcoot and confirm unto the said Tho: Gille his
heirs & assigns Fifty acres of land be it more or less situate lying
and being in the parish of St: Stephens and County and Colony
abovesaid bounding and lying as followeth beginning at a Corner
Tree dividing this land standing on the Easternmost Side of the
Northern branch of St: Johns Creeke running up to Gills Mill and
Southernly down the said Creeke to the Lake and so running up of
Eastern branch and main Swamp untill it crosses Gills Creeke Run-
ning along Gills line to the West beginning with all woods underwoods
trees Timber Trees Meadows Pastures Feedings Marshes as also
forces Orchards Gardens and back sides to y^e said Fifty acres of land
be it more or less belonging in any wise appertaining or therewith
used Occupied or Enjoyed together with all Rights privileges
Advantages & appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise
appertaining and the Reversion and Remainder thereto James and
profits thereof To have and to hold the said Fifty acres of
land be it more or less and premises and every part and parcel of
them hereby granted bargained & on mentrased or intended to
be granted bargained and Sold and every part and parcel thereof
the appurtenances unto the said Tho: Gille his heirs and assigns for ever
to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Tho: Gille his heirs
and assigns for ever yielding and paying the quitt rents for y^e same
and of Right accustomed and the said Nicholas Gilbert & Edward
Saunders for them their heirs and assigns that at the time of the
enscaling and Delivery of these presents he hath in himself good
Rights full power and lawfull authority to grant and Convey y^e said
Fifty acres of land more or less in manner and form as abovesaid
and that the said Tho: Gille his heirs and assigns shall and may from
time to time and at all times hereafter hold use Occupy possess re-
liverance molestation of them y^e said Nich: Gilbert & Edward
Saunders their heirs Exe: Adm: on any claiming from by or under
of freely and clearly

Signed
Th: Gille

acquitted exonerated and discharged of and from all manner of Joynters
 Dowers Gifts grants bargains Sales Leases mortgages Judgments executions
 and extents and from all other troubles whatsoever committed and done
 by them the said Mich^l Gilbird and Edward Saunders their heirs and assigns
 or any other person or persons claiming by from or under him or them
 and also shall and will warrant forever and defend the said premises
 unto him the said Th^o Gill his heirs and assigns forever will from time
 to time and at all times hereafter at and upon the reasonable request
 cost and Charges of him the said Th^o Gill his heirs and assigns make
 do levy suffer and acknowledge or cause to be made here be recorded
 - lered and acknowledged all or any other dead or deeds Conveyances
 or Conveyances assurances or assurances in the law whatsoever for the
 more perfect and true making the said premises unto the said Thomas
 Gill his heirs and assigns as his or theirs Council Learned in the Law
 shall see in that behalf reasonably devised advised Tandered & required
 In witness whereof the party first above named to this present Indenture
 Interchangeably Set their hands and Seals the day and year above
 written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 in the presence of

Edward Saunders
 Th^o Edwards

Nich^l: ^{his} Gilbird Seal
 Mark
 Edw^o: ^{his} Saunders Seal
 Mark

Die Maij 20: 1724

This deed of Indenture
 was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Nicholas
 Gilbird and Mary his Wife and Edward Saunders Jun^r of Saint
 Stephens parish to Th^o Gill and is Recorded

Seal of the Court

Know all men by these presents that wee Nicholas Gilbird and Edward Saunders of
 the parish of St^o Stephens in the County of Northumberland and Colony of Virginia
 planters are holden and stand firmly bound unto Th^o Gill of the same parish County
 & Colony planter in the penal sum of four thousand pounds of good sound Mon
 - chartable Tob^l & Cash to be paid to him y^e Th^o Gill his Ex^e & assigns
 on demand the which payment well and truly to be made as aforesaid wee bind
 ourselves our heirs Ex^e & Adm^r firmly by these pres: Sealed with our
 Seals dated this 14th day of May 1724 The Condition of the above
 Obligation is such y^t the above bounders Nich^l Gilbird & Edw^o Saunders
 do and shall from time to time & at all times hereafter well and truly ob
 serve perform fulfill accomplish and keep all the singular & Covenants Ar
 - ticles clauses Conditions and agreements mentioned & comprized in one deed
 Indented bearing equal date with these presents made and mentioned
 to be made between the above bound Nich^l Gilbird & Edward Saunders of
 the one part & the above named Th^o Gill of the other part according to the
 true Intent and meaning of y^e deed and also to keep fulfill perform
 all the singular the Covenants articles clauses and conditions & agreements
 mentioned & comprized in one deed Indented bearing equal date with these
 pres: from time to time forevermore hereafter then the above Obligation
 to be void & the to stand in full force power and Virtue

Signed Sealed and delivered in y^e presence of
 Th^o Edwards Edward Saunders

Nich^l: ^{his} Gilbird Seal
 Mark
 Edward ^{his} Saunders Seal
 Mark

John Over

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Die Maij 20: 1724

This bond for performance of Covenants was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Rich^d Gilbird and Mary his Wife and Edward Saunders Jun^r of S^t Stephens parish to Tho: Gill and is Recorded

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This Indenture made the Eighteenth day of February in the year of Our Lord God according to the computation now used in the Church of England one thousand seven hundred and Twenty three four between John Parrey of the parish of S^t Stephens in the County of Northumberland and Colony of Virginia of the one part and Thomas Gill of the same parish County and Colony of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Parrey son and in Consideration of the sum of five thousand five hundred pounds of Toll: paid in hand by the said Tho: Gill to the said John Parrey att and before the enrolling and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof the said John Parrey doth hereby acknowledge and thereof and of every part and parcel thereof doth freely and clearly acquit exonerate and discharge the said Tho: Gill his heirs Exec^{rs} Adm^{rs} of every of them by these presents hath demised granted bargained sold remised released enfranchised and confirmed and by these presents doth demise grant bargain sell remise release enfranchise and confirm unto the said Tho: Gill his heirs and assigns seventy three acres of Land be it more or less situate lying & being in the said parish of S^t Stephens and County and Colony aforesaid bounding and lying as followeth easterly on the land of John Cole and westerly on the land of Dinah Gill southerly & northerly on the land of the said Tho: Gill with all woods underwoods Trees Timber trees watters meadows pastures feedings Marshes as also fences Orchards gardens and back sides to the said seventy three acres of land be it more or less belonging in anywise appertaining or therewith used occupied or enjoyed together with all rights Privileges advantages and appurtenances to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining and the reversion and reversions remainder and remainder rents Issues and profits thereof To have and to hold the said seventy three acres of land more or less & premises and every part and parcel of them hereby granted bargained and sold or mentioned or intended to be granted bargained and sold and every part and parcel thereof with all appurtenances unto the said Tho: Gill his heirs and assigns forever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Tho: Gill his heirs and assigns forever yielding and paying the Quit rents for the same and of right accustomed and the said John Parrey son him self his heirs and assigns that at the time of enrolling and delivering of these presents he hath in himself good right full power and lawfull authority to grant and convey the said seventy three acres of land more or less in manner and form as aforesaid & that the said Tho: Gill his heirs and assigns shall and may from time to time and at all times hereafter hold use occupy

Joseph and enjoy the same and every part and parcel thereof without
 the let hinderance molestacion of him the said John Parrey his heirs
 Exec^{ts} Adm^{rs}: or any claiming from by or under him them or any or either
 of them or any person whatsoever free and clear and freely & clearly
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 Joynters doyers gifts grants bargains sales leases mortgages Judgments
 executions and extents and from all other troubles whatsoever comited
 and done by him the said John Parrey his heirs and assigns on any
 other person or persons claiming by from or under him or them & also
 shall and will warrant for ever and defend the said premises unto him
 the said Th^o: Gille his heirs and assigns for ever with from time to
 time and at all times hereafter at and upon the reasonable request
 cost and Charges of him the said Th^o: Gille his heirs and assigns make
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 perfect and Sure making the said premises unto the said Th^o: Gille his
 heirs and assigns as his or their counsel learned in the law shall see in that
 behalf reasonably devised advised Tandered and required in Witness
 whereof they parties first above ^{named} mentioned to this present Indenture
 Interchangeably sett their hands and Seals the day and year first
 above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 in the presence of

John^{his} Parrey Seal
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Rich^d Smith Edward Coles
 Cary Heble

Memorandum

That quiet and peaceable Possession and Seizen of y^e within
 mentioned lands and premises was this day given & delivered
 by the within named John Parrey unto y^e within mentioned
 Thomas Gille by delivery of Turff upon part of the said
 and in the name of the whole in presence of

Richard Smith
 Edward Coles
 Cary Heble

Die Martij 18: 1723/4

This deed of Indenture
 with Levy and Seizen was acknowledged in Northumb^{land}
 County Court by John Parrey to Thomas Gille and is
 Recorded

Jur. B. Lee P. Cur.

Know all men by these presents that I John Parry of the Parish of St. Stephens in the County of Northumberland & Colony of Virginia planter am held and stands firmly bound unto Tho: Gill of the same Parish County and Colony Planter in the penal sum of Eleven thousand pounds of goods & wares merchantables Tobbo and Cables to be paid to him the said Thomas Gill his heirs Exor. Adm. or assigns on Demand to the which payment well and truly to be made as aforesaid I binde my self my heirs Exor. and Adm. firmly by these presents sealed with my Seal dated this Eighteenth day of February 1723/4 The Condition of this above Obligation is such that the above bound John Parry do and shall from time to time and at all times hereafter well and truly observe perform fulfill accomplish and keep and singular the Covenants Articles clauses Conditions and agreements mentioned & Comprized in one Deed Indented bearing equal date with these presents made and mentioned to be made between the above bound John Parry of the one part and the above named Tho: Gill of the other part according to the true Intent and meaning of y^e said deed and also to keep fulfill and perform all & singular the Covenant articles clauses and Conditions & agreements mentioned and Comprized in one deed Indented bearing equal date with these presents from time to time forever hereafter then this Obligation to be void else to stand in full force power and Virtue

Signed Sealed & Delivered
in the presence of

Richard Smith
Edward Coles
Cary Heble

John^{his} Parry Seal
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Die Martij 18 1723/4

This bond for Performances of Covenants was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by John Parry to Thomas Gill and is recorded

John St. Lee Clerk

This Indenture made the Thirtenth Day of January in the ninth 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 & Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred and twenty three Between James Gold Nutt of Northumberland County and Colony of Virginia of the one party and In Daugherty - neppesh of the said James Gold Nutt of the other party with of Two thousand pounds of Tobbo already received hath demised and do by these presents demise grant bargain let remise release and confirm unto the said John Daugherty his heirs & assigns Twenty five acres of land more or less situate lying & being

in Northumberland County beginning at a Corner white oak Standing at
the head of a Valley of Birchs north branch which tree divides Land
of John Smith and the land of John Bridgman dec and so long
line of the said Bridgman to Corner white Oaks which divides Bridg-
mans Land the land of Joseph Humphreys from along a line
of marked trees which divides this land and the land of the said
Humphreys to a marked Corner Chesnut tree from thence along
a line of marked trees to a Corner White Oak tree Standing near
a branch called Birchs branch from thence up y^e said branch to
the first mentioned Corner white Oak at the beginning for
Twenty five acres of land more or less with all woods underwoods
trees timber trees meadows pastures Feedings marshes as also Leases
houses Orchards gardens and back sides to the said Twenty five
acres of land more or less belonging in any wise appertaining
or therewith used occupied and enjoyed together with all rights
priviledges ^{Advantages} and appurtenances or therewith and to the same bel-
onging or in any wise appertaining and the reversion or reversions
remainder and remainders rents Issues and profits thereof To
have and to hold the said Twenty five acres of land more or
less and premises and every part and parcel of them hereby grant
ed bargained and sold or mentioned or intended to be granted
bargained and sold and every part and parcel thereof with
the appurtenances unto the said John Daughity his heirs &
assigns for ever yielding and paying the Quitrents for the
same and of right accustomed and the said James sold Nutt
for himself his heirs and assigns that at the time of enrolling
and deliver of in manner and form as aforesaid and that the
said John Daughity his heirs and assigns shall and may from
time to time and at all times hereafter hold use Occupy
possess and enjoy the same and every part and parcel thereof
without the let hinderance or molestation of him the said
James sold Nutt or his heirs Ex^{te} Adm^r on any claiming from
by or under him or any person whatsoever free and Clean and
freely and Clearly acquitted & exonerated and discharged of &
from all manner of Joynitures dower gifts grants bargains
sales Leases Mortgages Judgments & executions Extents & from
all other Troubles whatsoever committed & done by him y^e
James sold Nutt his heirs and assigns on any other person or persons
claiming from by or under them and also shall and will warrant &
for ever defende the above said land One part of it given mee by
M^r John James sold dec the other part purchased of Jos Humphreys
the said premises unto him the said Jⁿ Daughity his heirs & assigns
for ever and will from time to time and at all times hereafter
att and upon the reasonable request cost and Charge of him
the said John Daughity his heirs and assigns make do & every suffer
and acknowledge on Cause to be made done levied suffered
and acknowledged all on any other deed or deeds Conveyances
or Conveyances Assurances or Assurances in the law whatsoever
for the more perfect and sure making y^e said premises unto y^e
said John Daughity his heirs and assigns on his or their ownish
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advised tendered required in Wittness whereof the party's first
above named to this present Indenture hath Interchangeably
set his hand and fixed his Seal this day and year first above
written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of

Jam: Sold: Nutt Seal

W Betts
James Daughlity

Memorandum

That Court of Recordable
Possession and Seizen of the within mentioned land and premises was
the day given and Delivered by the within named Jam: Sold: Nutt
first party to this Indenture unto the within named J: Daughlity
by the Delivery of Nutt and Twigg upon the said land in the
presence of Jan the 14: 1723

W Betts
Rob: R Willson
Markie

Dies Jan: 15: 1723/4

This deed of Indenture with Livery
and Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland County
Court by Jam: Sold: Nutt unto John Doughty & is admitted
to Records
John R. Lee

I know all men by these presents that I Jam: Sold: Nutt of Northum-
berland County and Colony of Virg: am held & firmly bound and
indebted unto J: Daughlity of the same County and Colony aforesd:
the penal sum of four thousand pounds of lawful Tolls & Customs
to be paid to him the John Daughlity his heirs Exec: Adm: or assigns
on demand to the which payment well and truly to be made as
aforesaid I bind my self my heirs Exec: Adm: firmly by these pre-
sents sealed with my Seal dated this 13th day of Jan: 1723
The Condition of above Obligation is such that it y above bound
Jam: Sold: Nutt do and shall from time to time and at all times here-
after well and do truly observe perform fulfill accomplish &
keep all and singular the Covenants articles causes Conditions &
agreements mentioned and comprized in ones deed Indented bearing
equall date with these presents made and mentioned to be made
betweeny above bound Jam: Sold: Nutt of the one party and J:
Daughlity of the other part according to the true intent & meaning
of the said deed and will forever defend the same then y above
Obligacion to be void and of no effect otherwise to stand in full
force strength and virtue

Signed Sealed and Delivered in presence of
W Betts
Rob: R Willson
Markie

Dies Jan: 15: 1723/4

This bond for performanc
& Covenants was acknowledged in Northum-
berland County Court by Jam: Sold: Nutt
to J: Daughlity & is Recorded
R. Lee

This Indenture made the 6th of October in y^e Eleventh
 Year of the reign of Our Sovereign Lord King George by the
 God of Great Britain France and Ireland defender of the Faith &
 Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Six
 between Samuel and Margory his Wifes one of the Daughters &
 Coheirs of Wm^m Downing Jun^r and Grand Daughter of William
 Downing dec: of the one part and Wm^m James of Wiccomore Parish
 in Northumberland County of the other part Witteneseth that whereas
 the aforesaid Wm^m Downing dec: did by his last Will & Testament
 in Writing bearing date the ninth day of February Anno Dom
 one thousand Six hundred eighty two as by the said Will duly proved
 and Recorded in the County Court of Northumberland aforesaid
 may more at large appear did give and devise unto his Thomas
 Downing his Heir of lands he lived on in Wiccomore Parish
 which was formerly the land of David Ciffin lying and bounding
 Easterly on great Wiccomore River thereby admitting only an Estate
 for Life to the aforesaid Thomas Downing and after the said
 Tho: Downings decease it was determined by Northumberland
 County Court that the right of the aforesaid land first given
 and devised to the aforesaid Tho: Downing did revert and come
 legally vested in the Coheirs of Wm^m Downing Jun^r aforesaid
 Son of the aforesaid Wm^m Downing viz Ann Elizabeth and the
 aforesaid Margory and their heirs as may more at large appear
 on the Record for the aforesaid Northumberland County Court
 in Anno One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Four and y^e
 Indenture hath good right and lawfull Authority her Estates in
 the said land to dispose and give a deed and grant thereof at their
 Will and pleasure Now therefore this Indenture further Witteneseth
 that the said Samuel Blackwell and Margory his Wifes Son the
 Considerators of Sixty pounds Sterling money of Great Britain to them
 in hand paid or secured to be paid by the said Wm^m James y^e receipt whereof
 they do hereby acknowledge hath granted bargained sold aliened
 & confirmed and hereby doth grant bargain sell alien &
 confirm unto the said William James and to his heirs &
 assigns forever all that their and every and either of their right title
 Interest claim and estates of in and to their part of the said
 of the aforesaid Wm^m Downing the aforesaid Margorys Grandfather
 being one hundred and Eighty three acres more or less bounded
 Southly with a Creek called Fishing Creek Westly with the
 lands of Alice Palmer and Northly with the land of Joseph
 Palmers and Samuel Heash and Easterly with the land of Joseph
 Nutt by a line of marked trees beginning at a marked pine stand
 ing on the head of Deep Creek from thence stretch across
 along the said line of marked trees South one Degree West
 to a marked red Oak standing on the South side of the road
 that leads down to the aforesaid Thomas Downings house & from
 the said marked red Oak down the Valley and branch of Suttons
 Cove to the mouth thereof and the reversion and Residues &
 remainder and remainders of in and to of their part of y^e said
 Lands of the aforesaid Wm^m Downing dec: with all houses outhouses
 barns Stables Orchards Gardens pastures Woods Trees waters
 Watercourse

Walter Courtes with all deeds and Instruments in writing Minutants
 and other advantages profits Commodities and appurtenances what
 soever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining from y^e said
 Samuel Blackwell and Margery his wife one of the daughters
 and Coheirs of W^m Downing Jun^r son of the abovesaid William
 Downing dec: and their heirs Exec^{rs} and Adm^{rs} unto him y^e said W^m
 James and his heirs and assigns for ever To have and to hold
 the right title Interest claim and estates of the said Samuel &
 Margery his Wifes of in and to the said One hundred Eighty three
 acres of land and premises with the appurtenances from them
 the said Samuel and Margery Blackwell their heirs Exec^{rs}
 Adm^{rs} and assigns unto the said W^m James and to his heirs & assigns
 and to their only proper uses benefit and behoof of the said W^m James
 and his heirs and assigns for ever and to no other use Intents or
 purpose whatsoever And Samuel Blackwell and Margery his
 Wifes for themselves their heirs Exec^{rs} and Adm^{rs} doth hereby further
 Covenant promise grant and agree to and with the said W^m James
 and his heirs and assigns that he the said W^m by force and Virtue
 of these presents for and notwithstanding any act done or which
 shall or may be done hereafter to the contrary by them y^e said
 Samuel Blackwell and Margery his Wifes their heirs Exec^{rs}
 Adm^{rs} or assigns shall have hold Use Occupie possess and
 enjoy the said hereby granted and hereby intended to be granted
 lands and premises with the appurtenances unto him the said W^m
 James and to his heirs and assigns for ever with warranty from y^e
 future Claim of them the said Samuel and Margery and their
 heirs and assigns on any Claiming by from or under them or any
 or either of them any estates right title claim or estate what
 soever And that they the said Sam^l and Margery their heirs Exec^{rs}
 Adm^{rs} or assigns any every and either of them shall and will at any
 time or time or times hereafter at the reasonable request Cost and
 charges in the law of him the said W^m James his heirs or assigns
 make do acknowledge and Execute such further lawfull and
 reasonable act and acts devise and devices Convoiances & assurances
 in the law for the better and more sure Confirmation of y^e hereby
 granted land and premises with the appurtenances unto the said W^m James his
 heirs & assigns for ever as the said William his heirs or assigns or any
 or either of them or his or their council learned in the law reasonably
 devise advise or requires And In Witness of all the premises y^e said
 Samuel and Margery his Wifes first parties to this Indenture hath
 hereunto set their hands and affixed their Seals the day and year
 first above mentioned

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In the presence of
 Joseph Palmer

his
 Alice A. Palmer

his
 Isaac T. Palmer

Samuel Blackwell Seal
 Margery M Blackwell Seal
 Marks

On the
 8: 20: 1725 Then she within mentioned
 Margery Blackwell was Examined
 Concerning the premises and the said what
 she did was voluntary
 Philips Smith
 John Keen

Memorandum
That Just and peaceable possession and Seizen of the
within granted land and premises was this day given and delivered
by the within named Samuel Blackwell and Margery his wife
unto the within named William James by the Delivery of Tenth
Twigg upon the said Land in the presence of

Joseph Palmer
Isaac Palmer
Mark Palmer
Died 20: 1725
This deed of Indenture

with Delivery & Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland County
Court by Sam^r Blackwell & Margery his wife to W^m James his
heir in the said Margery Relinquishment
Recorded Test W. Lee C. C.

Know all men by these presents that I Samuel Blackwell of St
Stephens parish in the County of Northumberland & Colony of
Virginia Gen^l am bound and virtly indebted unto W^m James
Planter of Wicocomago parish in the County aforesaid in the full
just sum of Two hundred pounds Sterling money of Great Brittain
to be paid to him the said W^m James or to his heirs Exec^r Adm^r &
assigns to the which payment well and truly to be made & done
I bind my self my heirs Exec^r Adm^r and every of their Son
and in the whole and every part thereof virtly by these presents
Sealed with my Seal this Eighteenth day of October 1725
The Condition of the above Obligation is Such that if the
above bounden Sam^r Blackwell his heirs Exec^r & Adm^r shall
cause his Son Sam^r now born off the body of Margery his wife
Child of W^m Downing Jun^r dec: and his heirs Exec^r & Adm^r
to make over alien enfeoff and Confirm unto the aforesaid
W^m James his heirs and assigns forever all his or their right title
and Interest of their part of the land formerly the land of
W^m Downing dec: and which was the land of St David Ciffin
lying in Wicocomago parish and by the said W^m Downing dec:
given and devised to his Son Thomas Downing and therein Ad-
mitting the said Thomas only an Estate for life and reversions
Right of the said land being determined by Northumberland County
Court to be legally vested in the above bounden Sam^r & Margery his
wife and was by them the said Sam^r & Margery his wife given under
Seal by a publicke Instrument in writing to their eldest Son Sam^r
and lawfully acknowledged by the above bounden Sam^r Blackwell
and Margery his wife in Northumberland County Court and now
Solely by the above bounden Sam^r & Margery his wife unto the aforesaid
W^m James his heirs and assigns forever the aforesaid land by a certain
deed of Indenture bearing Date with these presents relation
thereto being had may more at large appear now if the above bound
den Sam^r Blackwell his heirs Exec^r Adm^r or assigns shall make or
cause his aforesaid Son Samuel and his heirs Exec^r Adm^r & assigns
to ratify and confirm by further Instruments or Instruments in
writing unto the aforesaid W^m James his heirs or assigns the land
now sold by the above bounden Sam^r Blackwell and Margery his
wife unto the aforesaid W^m James his heirs and assigns for ever as
his or their Council learned in the case shall think expedient &
reasonable

Reasonable to be done at his own risk and charge in the law
then the above Obligation to be void and of none Effect Else to Stand
and remain in full force power and Virtue

Signed Sealed and delivered in
Presence of

Sam^r Blackwell Seal

Rich^d Lee
Cory Kelle
Joseph Palmer

Dies 8: 20: 1725

This bond for performance
of Covenants was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court
by Sam^r Blackwell to William James Esq^r is Admitted to Record

Dec^r R Lee Esq^r

This Indenture made the Twentieth day of October in the
Twelfth Year of the reign of Our Sovereign Lord George by grace
of God King of Great Britain France and Ireland Defender of
the Faith &c Anno Domini 1725 between William Smith younger
of the parish of North Sutherland in the County of Richmond planter
and Elizabeth his Wife of the one part and Joseph Nutt of the parish
of great Wicocomoco in the County of Northumberland planter of
the other part Witnesseth that the said W^m Smith and Elizabeth his
Wife do in Consideration of the sum of seven thousand pounds
of good Tobacco to them in hand paid by the said Joseph Nutt all
and before the time of executing and delivery of these presents the
receipt whereof they do hereby acknowledge and thereof acquit ex-
onerate and discharge the said Joseph Nutt his heirs Executors and
Administrators and every of them forever by these presents have
granted bargained sold alien released and confirmed
by these presents do grant bargain sell alien release and confirm
avenue confirm unto the said Joseph Nutt his heirs and assigns all
that tract or parcel of land situate lying and being in a
parish of great Wicocomoco in the County of Northumberland
bounded on the South side of great Wicocomoco River and a
Creek commonly called Housick Creeks containing by Estimation
One hundred and Fifty acres less the same more or less being
third part of four hundred and Fifty acres of land which descended
into the said Elizabeth Smith as one of the three daughters and
Coheirs of William Downing dec^r: together with all houses Edifices
Buildings gardens Orchards woods underwoods ways waters water
Courses furwiledges comodities and appurtenances whatssoever to
before granted lands and premises belonging on in any wise apper-
taining and the reversion and reversions remainders remainders
rents fines and profits thereof and also all the Estates right
little interest benefit property claim and demand whatsoever of them
the said W^m Smith and Elizabeth his Wife in and to the same

To have

To have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land herein before
 granted bargained and sold and every part and parcel thereof unto
 the said Joseph Nutt his heirs and assigns to the only proper uses
 behoof of him the said Joseph Nutt his heirs and assigns for ever and to
 or for no other uses intent or purposes whatsoever and the said W^m
 Smith and Elizabeth his Wife and their heirs the before granted
 land and premises with the appurtenances and every part & parcel
 thereof unto the said Joseph Nutt his heirs and assigns from & against
 them the said W^m Smith and Elizabeth his Wife and either of them
 their and either of their heirs and assigns shall and will warrant
 and for ever defend by these presents and the said William Smith &
 Elizabeth his wife for themselves their heirs Executors and Adm^{rs} due
 Covenants promises grant and agree to and with the said Joseph Nutt his
 heirs & assigns by these presents in manner and form following that is
 to say that the said Joseph Nutt his heirs and assigns and every of them
 shall and lawfully may from time to time and at all times for ever
 hereafter peaceably and quietly have hold use occupy possess & enjoy
 the before granted lands and premises with the appurtenances of
 every part and parcel thereof without any manner of let hind
 trouble Interruption or disturbance of the said W^m Smith & Eliz
 his Wife or either of them their or either of their heirs or assigns
 and that they and their heirs and assigns be acquitted exonerated and
 discharged of and from all and all manner of former and other gifts
 grants bargains sales Estates titles troubles charges and Incumbrances
 whatsoever therein and Services from henceforth to become due & payable
 to the said Lords or Lords of the See or Sees of the premises and in
 respect of his or their Superiority or Superiorities only excepted & reserved
 and further that the said W^m Smith and Elizabeth his wife their
 heirs and assigns shall and will at any time or times hereafter within
 the space of ten years from the date of these presents at and upon the
 reasonable request and proper Costs and Charges in the law of or
 Joseph Nutt his heirs and assigns make acknowledgments and execute all
 every such further and other lawfull and reasonable Act and thing
 and things deeds Conveyances and assurances in the law whatsoever
 for & further and better assuring and Conveying of & before granted
 lands and premises with the appurtenances unto the said Joseph Nutt
 his heirs and assigns as by the said Joseph Nutt his heirs or his
 or their council learned in the law shall be reasonably advised on
 these presents Indentures have Interchangeably sett their hands &
 seals the day & year above written

Sealed and delivered in the
 presence of
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 Aaron Taylor

W^m Smith seal —
 Elizabeth Smith seal —
 mark

William James

On 8: 20: 1725

mentioned Elizabeth Smith party to these presents was examined
 according to Law by Cap^t Philip and M^r John Keen and the said
 what the said was voluntary

Philip Smith
 John Keen

Memorandum that on the Twentieth day of October 1725 peaceable and quiet possession and Seizin of the lands and hereditaments within mentioned to be granted was given & delivered by the within named William Smith and Elizabeth his wife unto the within named Joseph Nutt by delivery of Just and True Swigg on the said lands to hold the same unto him, his heirs, assigns, his heirs, and assigns forever according to the tenor form and effect of the within written deed in the presence of

Aaron Taylor
William James

Dec 8: 20: 1725

This deed of Indenture with livery & Seizin from William Smith & Elizabeth his wife was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court to Joseph Nutt party to these presents and the said Elizabeth being in her rights of Law in the said land and on the said Nutts motion its admitted to Record

Per B. Lee Clerk

This Indenture made in the year of Our Lord 1723/4 March the 19th 1723/4 do all to whom these shall come whereas Joseph Nutt Exec^r of Richard Nutt dec^d: had to him granted two hundred fifty seven acres of land from the proprietors of the Northern neck of Virginia by patent bearing date the sixteenth of August One thousand seven and sixteen which said two hundred & fifty seven acres of land is situated on the South side of great Wicocomoco River in the County of Northumberland and whereas also Benjamin and John Nutt is in the possession of the said two hundred fifty seven acres of land and is bound as follows (viz^d) beginning on the said land at a quarter marked red Oak standing on the mouth of Indian fields creek on great wicocomoco river side and opposite to the land of Mr^r Rich^d: Neal and thence extending up the Indian fields Creek a branch the several courses and meanders of the same which being reduced to a direct line is South Thirty four Degrees West one hundred and sixty one poles to an ancient marked white Oak in a Valley near the head of Indian fields branch thence by marked trees South thirty six degrees west eighty eight pole to a Cedar post by the main road the being a Corner post of fifty acres lately bought by my Father Richard Nutt dec^d: of Leonard Knight thence along a line dividing from the fifty acres by forty two degrees west fifty poles to a Corner Hickory of Peter Brasly near a valley thence along the line of Peter Brasly South fifty three Degrees West forty poles to post in Peter Brasly line between three angular marked Caplins a white Oak a Dogwood and a Maple Oak thence along the same said Rich^d: Nutt dec^d: north fifty six deg^s: fifteen minutes West one hundred and thirty one poles

to a Corner white Oak in a Valley of the Leavelle branch down
 the head of Fieldings mill pond thence north thirty three degrees
 forty five minutes East one hundred and twenty four poles
 to post on a Paint thence north sixty six degrees one hundred
 fifty two poles six links to a corner maple in y^e westmost
 branch of Judians Field standing by the pastures of y^e said
 Nutt thence down the branch and Coves the several Courses
 and meanders of the same being reduced to a direct line is
 north twenty nine degrees thirty minutes East nine poles to the
 River lastly down the river the several courses and meanders
 of the same being reduced to a direct line is South forty two
 Deg: East eighty one pole to the beginning red Oak Howlong
 y^e that the said Joseph Nutt son and in Consideration of
 one Shilling to be paid him in hand by the abovesaid Benjamin
 and John Nutt and for divers other good Causes & Considerations
 him therunto moving hath remised released and forever quitted
 claimed and for these presents by themselves and their heirs
 lawfully begotten doth fully clearly and absolutely remise release
 and for ever quit claim unto y^e abovesaid Benjamin and John
 Nutt in their full and peaceable possession and Enjoyment to
 their lawfull begotten heirs for ever all such rights Estates
 little Interest and demand whatsoever which he the said
 Joseph Nutt hath or ought to have of in or to the abovesaid
 two hundred and fifty seven acres of land by Virtue of y^e
 abovesaid deeds from the proprietors or by any other ways or
 means whatsoever to have and to hold the abovesaid two hundred
 fifty seven acres of land with all singular rights members
 and appurtenances unto the said Benjamin and John Nutt &
 their lawfull heirs for ever so that neither he the said Joseph
 Nutt nor his heirs nor any other person or persons for him or
 them or in his or their names or in the name right or stead
 of any of them shall or will by any means or ways here-
 after have claim or challenge demand any Estate right
 little or interest of in or to y^e premises or any part or
 parcel thereof but for in all and every acc. right Estate
 little interest or demand of in or to the premises on any part
 thereof they and every of them shall be utterly excluded
 and barred for ever by these presents in witness whereof
 I have hereunto set my hand and seal this

John Adnall
 John Bridgman

Joseph Nutt Seal

Die Martij 19^o: 1723/4

1925 This deed of Indentures was acknowledged in Northumberland
 County Court by Joseph Nutt to Benjamin and John Nutt and is Recorded

Tosh B Lees C Cur

This Indenture made this sixteenth day of June in the year of
 our lord God one thousand seven hundred and Twenty Six be-
 tween Elizabeth Ashton of Northumberland County of the one part
 and Matthew Keener of the aforesaid County of the other part
 Witnesseth that the said Elizabeth Ashton for several good causes
 and Considerations her therunto moving but more specially
 for the consideration of the sum of two thousand five hundred
 pounds of Tobacco or goods to the value thereof to her in hand
 paid by the said Matthew Keener att and before the executing &
 Delivery of these presents & receipt whereof the said Elizabeth
 Ashton doth hereby acknowledge and of every part & parcel
 thereof doth clearly acquit and discharge the said Matthew
 Keener his heirs execs & Admrs for ever by these presents have
 granted aliened released and confirmed unto the said Matthew Keener in
 his actual possession now being by virtue of a bargain & sale to him
 thereof made for one whole year by Indentures dated two days
 before the date hereof and by virtue of a Statute for transferring
 of uses into possession and to his heirs and assigns for ever all her
 right and title interest and property in and to a certain piece
 and parcel of land about twenty acres situate lying and being
 in Cherry Point in Northumberland County bounded upon the East
 of the said Matthew Keener and James Tompson and the lands of
 Robert Banks and was bequeathed unto Jane Ashton mother of &
 above Elizabeth Ashton by the last will and Testament of Clement
 Aldridge bearing date the 28th of September Anno 1698 and
 now by Censual descent became the land of the above Elizabeth
 Ashton ten of the said Acres of land was conveyed by Rich^d Hynt
 unto the above said Clem^t Aldridge Sen^r by deed bearing date the 17th
 of April 1697 according to the bounds appointed and marked by &
 Clem^t Aldridge in his last time more fully appear and all woods
 feedings ways ^{mettys} and water Courses pastures privileges & appurtenances
 whatsoever to the said tract divided or tenement of land belonging
 or any wise appertaining and of reversion and reversions remaind in
 and remainders yearly and other rents and profits of the premises to have
 and to hold the said tract divided or tenement of land aforesaid
 with the appurtenances thereof together before mentioned or intend-
 ed to be hereby granted unto the said Matthew Keener his heirs
 to the only proper use and behoof of the said Matthew Keener his heirs
 and assigns for ever and the said Elizabeth Ashton first party to these
 presents for her self her heirs execs & Admrs doth covenant grant to &
 with the said Matthew Keener that it shall and may be lawfully
 for the said Matthew Keener his heirs & assigns from time to time
 and at all times hereafter for ever peaceably and quietly to have hold
 use occupy possess and enjoy the said tract divided or tenement of
 land before mentioned or intended to be hereby granted with
 all and every of their appurtenances under the rents & services
 that may be due hereafter to the Lord or Lords of the fees fees
 without any lawfull suit troubles or Interruption of them the said
 Elizabeth Ashton her heirs or assigns or any other person or persons
 claiming by from or under him or them or any of them and the
 Elizabeth Ashton first party to these presents doth farther for
 her self

her heirs and assigns Covenant and promise to and with the said Matthew Kemner
 his heirs and assigns that she the said Elizabeth Ashton her heirs and assigns shall
 at any time within the space of Twenty years upon the request by all
 the proper and lawful Charges in the law of the said Matthew Kemner
 his heirs and assigns that she the said Elizabeth Ashton her heirs and assigns
 and at any time within the space of Twenty years do make execute
 or cause or procure to be made done and executed all and every such thing
 thing act and acts conveyances and assurances in the law whatsoever for
 the better conveying the said land and premises and appurtenances unto
 the said Matthew Kemner his heirs to the use of the said Matthew Kemner
 his heirs and assigns for ever as shall be by law or their Councils
 Learned in the Law be reasonably devised or required and the said Eliz
 Ashton first party to these presents for herself her heirs and the said
 tract dividend or Tenement of Land and every part and parcel of
 them with their appurtenances hereby granted Released Released and Confirmed
 unto the said Matthew Kemner his heirs and assigns againsty claim
 or claims of any person or persons claiming by blood or under
 her the said Elizabeth Ashton by virtue of any former bargain
 or Sale or other Instruments of writing by her made there
 of or caused to be made done or concerning any premises
 or of any part thereof with and with warrant and for ever de
 -sends by these presents with witness whereof the said Elizabeth
 Ashton first party to these presents hath hereunto set her hand
 Seal the day and date first above written

Signed Sealed & Delivered
 In presence of
 Me: Donum
 John Lewis

Elizabeth Ashton Seal
 Matthew

This deed was acknowledged in Northumberland
 County Court by Eliz Ashton to Matthew Kemner
 and is recorded
 Jerh B. Lee Clerk

This Indentures made the Sixteenth day of June in the year of Our
 Lord God One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Five between Eliz
 Ashton of Northumberland County of the one part and Matthew Kemner
 of the aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Eliz Ashton
 for the Consideration of the Sum of Five Shilling Curr: money of
 Virginia the receipt whereof the said Eliz Ashton doth hereby acknow
 -ledge hath bargained and Sold and by these presents do bargain and
 Sell unto the said Matthew Kemner a certain parcel of land about
 Twenty acres situate lying being in Cherry point in Northumberland
 County bounded upon the land of the said Matthew Kemner and James
 Tompson and the land of Robert Bunkes and was bequeathed to James
 Ashton Mosher of the above Elizabeth Ashton by the last Will and Testa
 -ment of Clement Aldridge Sen^r bearing date the 26th of Sept^r
 Anno 1698 and now by Lisal Decent become the land of the
 above Elizabeth Ashton Ten of the said acres of land was conveyed by
 Richard Flynt unto the aforesaid Clement Aldridge Sen^r by deed bear
 -ing date the 17th of April 1697 according to the plot bounds appointed
 and marked by the said Clem^t Aldridge in his life time more
 fully appear

This Indentures made this sixteenth day of June in the year of
 our lord God one thousand seven hundred and Twenty Six be-
 tween Elizabeth Ashton of Northumberland County of the one part
 and Matthew Heinen of the aforesaid County of the other part
 Witnesseth that the said Elizabeth Ashton for several good causes
 and Considerations her therunto moving but more specially
 for the consideration of the sum of two thousand five hundred
 pounds of Tobacco or goods to the value thereof to her in hand
 paid by the said Matthew Heinen att and before the executing &
 delivery of these presents & receipts whereof the said Elizabeth
 Ashton doth hereby acknowledge and of every part & parcel
 thereof doth clearly acquit and discharge the said Matthew
 Heinen his heirs ex^{or} & Adm^r Son even by these presents have
 granted already released and confirmed and by these presents do
 grant alien release and confirm unto the said Matthew Heinen in
 his actual possession now being by virtue of a bargain & sale to him
 thereof made for one whole year by Indentures dated two days
 before the date hereof and by virtue of a Statute for times having
 of uses into possession and to his heirs and assigns forever all her
 right and title interest and property in and to a certain piece
 and parcel of land about twenty acres situate lying and being
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 of the said Matthew Heinen and James Tompwin and the land of
 Robert Banks and was bequeathed unto Jane Ashton mother of &
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 Aldridge bearing date the 28th of September Anno 1698 and
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 of April 1697 according to the bounds appointed and marked by &
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 feedings ways and watter Courses pastures privileges & appurtenances
 whatsoever to the said tract divided or tenement of land belonging
 or any wise appertaining and of reversion and reversions remaind in
 and remainders yearly and other rents and profits of the premises to have
 and to hold the said tract divided or tenement of land aforesaid
 with the appurtenances thereof together as first mentioned or intend-
 ed to be hereby granted unto the said Matthew Heinen his heirs
 to the only proper use and behalf of the said Matthew Heinen his heirs
 and assigns forever and the said Elizabeth Ashton first party to these
 presents for her self her heirs ex^{or} & Adm^r doth covenant grant to &
 with the said Matthew Heinen that it shall and may be lawfully
 for the said Matthew Heinen his heirs & assigns from time to time
 and at all times hereafter for ever peaceably and quietly to have hold
 use occupy possess and enjoy the said tract divided or tenement of
 land before mentioned or intended to be hereby granted with
 all and every of their appurtenances under the rents & Services
 that may be due hereafter to the Lord or Lords of the fees
 without any lawfull suit troubles or Interruption of them the said
 Elizabeth Ashton her heirs or assigns or any other person or persons
 claiming by from or under him or them or any of them and the
 Elizabeth Ashton first party to these presents doth further for
 her self

his heirs &c. Covenant and firmness to and with the said Matthew Kenner
 his heirs and assigns that she the said Elizabeth Ashton her heirs &c. shall be
 at any time within the space of Twenty years upon the request of all
 the juster east and Charges in the law of the said Matthew Kenner
 his heirs and assigns that she the said Elizabeth Ashton her heirs &c. shall
 and at any time within the space of Twenty years to make or execute
 or cause or procure to be made done and executed all and every such thing
 they act and acts conveyances and assurances in the law whatsoever for
 the better conveying the said land and premises and appurtenances unto
 the said Matthew Kenner his heirs to the use of the said Matthew Kenner
 his heirs and assigns for ever as shall be by his or their Councils
 Learned in the Law be reasonably devised or required and the said Eliz
 Ashton first party to these presents for herself heirs and the one
 tract divided or Tenement of Land and every part and parcel of
 them with their appurtenances hereby granted Released & Committed
 unto the said Matthew Kenner his heirs and assigns against y claim
 or claims of any person or persons claiming by Robt or under
 her the said Elizabeth Ashton by virtue of any former bargain
 or sale or other Instruments or writing by her made there
 or or caused to be made or done or concerning y premises
 or of any part thereof shall and will warrant and for ever De
 fend by these presents in witness whereof the said Elizabeth
 Ashton first party to these presents hath hereunto set her hand
 Seal the day and date first above written

Signed Sealed & Delivered
 In presence of
 Me: James
John Lewis

Eliz: Ashton Seal
 Made

D. 2 June 16: 1723

This deed was acknowledged in Northumberland
 County Court by Eliz Ashton to Matthew Kenner
 and is Recorded
 Seth B. Lee Clerk

This Indentures made this Sixteenth day of June in the year of Our
 Lord Gods One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Five between Eliz
 Ashton of Northumberland County of the one part and Matthew Kenner
 of the aforesaid of the other part Wittne both that the said Eliz Ashton
 for the Consideration of the Sum of Five Shilling Curr: money of
 Virginia the receipt whereof the said Eliz Ashton doth hereby acknow
 ledge hath bargained and Sold and by these presents do bargain and
 Sell unto the said Matthew Kenner a certain parcel of land about
 Twenty acres situate lying being in Cherry point in Northumberland
 County bounded upon the land of the said Matthew Kenner and James
 Tompson and the land of Robert Banks and was bequeathed to James
 Ashton Mother of the above Elizabeth Ashton by the last Will and Testa
 ment of Clement Aldridge Sen: bearing date the 26th of Sept: 1713
 Anno 1698 and now by Luke Decent become the land of the
 above Elizabeth Ashton Ten of the said acres of land was conveyed by
 Richard Flynt unto the aforesaid Clement Aldridge Sen: by deed bear
 ing date 17th of April 1697 according to the shod bounds appointed
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 fully appear

and the reversion and reversions remainders and remainders together
with the rents and profits of the premises and every part and parcel
thereof with every of appurtenances to have and to hold the said
tract or parcel of lands and all and singular the premises and
every part and parcels thereof hereby mentioned and intended to
be hereby bargained and sold with their and every of their appurte-
nances unto the said Matthew Kemmer his heirs Executors and assigns
from the day before the date hereof for and during the term of
One whole year thence next ensuing fully to be compleat and
ended yeilding and paying the yearly rent of One year of Indian
Corn at the least at the Nativity of Our blessed Lord & Saviour
if the same be demanded to the intent that by the virtue of these
presents of this statute for transferring of uses unto possession the said
Matthew Kemmer may be in actual possession of the premises and
be enabled to accept of a grant of reversion and inheritance to him
and his heirs in Witness whereof the said Eliz Ashton first party
to these presents hath now hereunto set her hand and Seal the day &
date first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
In presence of

John Bonnum
John Lewis

Elizabeth Ashton Seal
mark

This deed was acknowledged in Northumberland County
Court by Eliz Ashton to Matthew Kemmer and is Recorded
Per R Lee Esqur

This indenture made the fourth day of May in the Eleventh Year of
the reign of Our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God of Great Britain
Justice and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c Anno Dom 1721
thousand Seven hundred and Twenty five between Thomas Legg of
Richmond County and Colony of Virginia of the one party and
John Smith of Northumberland County and Colony aforesaid of the
other party Witnesseth that I the said Thomas Legg for a valuable
consideration to me in hand paid whereof I hold my self fully satisfied
and contented hath demised granted bargained sold remised released
confecked and confirmed and by these presents doth demise grant
bargain sell remised release entock and confirm unto the said John Smith
his heirs and assigns one hundred acres of land more or less situate
lying and being in Northumberland County aforesaid upon the branches
of Chickacoke bounding as followeth (to witt) beginning at a poplar
standing upon the fork of a branch running by a neck of land called
poplar neck and from thence running up the main branch westerly
to a Corner poplar standing in the same Swamp and from y^e Corner
poplar south and by East by a line of marked trees to a Corner black
Oak and from thence running along the path going to Chickacone
Near North East

To a Spanish Oaks which is a Corner marked tree standing in a deep bottom and from thence running West and by North to a first Station for one hundred Acres of land more or less with all woods under woods trees timber trees waters meadows pastures feedings marshes as also fences houses Orchards gardens and back sides to y^e said One hundred acres of land more or less belonging in any wise appertaining or therewith used Occupied or enjoyed together with all rights priviledges and appurtenances to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining and the reversions & reversors remainder and remainders rents Issues and profits To have and to hold the said One hundred Acres of land as aforesaid and premises & every part and parcel of them hereby granted bargain and sold unto the said John Smith his heirs and assigns for ever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said John Smith his heirs and assigns for ever yielding and paying the said rents for y^e same land of Right accustomed and the said Thomas Legg for himself his heirs & assigns that at the time of enrolling & delivery of these presents shall in himself goods right full power & Lawfull Authority to grant and Convey the said One hundred Acres of land as aforesaid in manner and form as aforesaid & that the said John Smith his heirs and assigns shall and may from time to time and at all times hereafter hold use Occupy possess and enjoy the same and every part & parcel thereof without the lett hindrance and molestacion of him the said Tho Legg or his heirs Exec^{rs} or Adm^{rs} or any Claiming from by or under them or any of either of them and the said Tho Legg his heirs Exec^{rs} or Adm^{rs} shall and will at the reasonable request and Charges of him the said John Smith his heirs and assigns make them self suffer and acknowledge on Cause to be made in the law whatsoever for the same made perfect and sure making the premises unto the said John Smith his heirs & assigns for ever in Writings whereof the party first above written to this present Indenture hath Interchangeably sett his hands and fixed his Seales the day and Year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In presence of us
 his
 Christopher Petty
 Marks
 George Petty
 his
 In: I Elmore
 Marks

Tho Legg Seal

Memorandum That Quiet & peaceable possession and Seizen of the within mentiooned land & premises was this day given and delivered by the within named Tho Legg his party to this Indenture unto the within named John Smith by the Delivery of Turf and Twiggs upon the said lands and in the presence of

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 made in Smith by the Delivery of Turf and Twiggs upon the said lands and in the presence of

Dies

This deed & Indenture with Livery and Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland County court by Tho Legg to John Smith and Sarah Wife of the said Thomas Legg came into Court and relinquish her right of Dower in the said lands and is Recorded
 Last Will & Testament

This Indenture made the Seventeenth day of February in the
 tenth 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. in the year of Our Lord God One thousand Seven hundred
 and twenty three between Graves Eves of the County of
 Northumberland planter of the one part and Wm Coppedge of y^e
 said County planter of the other part Witnesseth that y^e Graves
 Eves for diverse good Causes and Considerations him therein move-
 =ing but more especially for and in consideration of two thousand
 Seven hundred pounds of good and lawfull Tobb^o to him in hand
 paid by the said Wm Coppedge att & before y^e ^{11th day of} ^{11th} delivery
 of these presents the receipt whereof and him self fully satisfied
 and paid he doth hereby acknowledge have given granted sold remised
 released aliend Transferred and confirmed and by these
 presents for himself his heirs & assigns for ever all the right title
 Interest possession claim and demand of him the Graves Eves of in
 or to a Certain parcel of land Situate lying and being in y^e parish
 of Great Wickeromoc in the County of Northumberland aforesaid
 containing by Estimation twenty five acres of land hee the James
 more or less being part of the land whereon the Graves Eves now lives
 and is bounded as followeth Viz^z beginning at the Rolling Road on y^e
 line of Richard Hackney thence along the line to a marked Cornered
 Oak on the side of a branch that divideth the line of Rich^d Hackney &
 the land of John Severson thence down the said branch to a marked Ash
 standing on or near the mouth of a branch called the Flax pond branch
 thence along by marked trees through the Graves Eves old field and
 through a piece of Tobb Ground and then by marked trees down a
 Valley to a marked white Oak at the mouth of a branch in Howsons
 Swamp & divideth the Graves Eves land and the land of his brother
 Thomas Eves dec^d: thence up thence up the Swamp to the land formerly
 sold by the Graves Eves unto y^e Wm Coppedge to the beginning at the
 Rolling road with all tenements houses Out houses Gardens Orchards
 Fences Woods Underwoods ways waters and Water Courses together
 with the due share of all mines minerals & Quarries and all other
 Priviledges profits and appurtenances whatsoever to the said granted
 premises belonging or appertaining to have and to hold y^e parcel of
 land and all premises herein before granted bargained and sold with
 all rights members and appurtenances therunto belonging unto the
 said Wm Coppedge and to his heirs and assigns for ever to y^e only
 proper use and behoof of him the Wm Coppedge his heirs & assigns
 for ever yielding and paying the first rents due accoustomed to be
 paid for the same and the said Graves Eves for himself his Exec^r
 Adm^r & assigns and every of them do Covenant promise grant
 agree to and with the said Wm Coppedge his heirs & assigns
 and assigns and every of them in manner and form following
 that Vis^z to say that the Graves Eves now hath & untill the estate
 hereby mentioned and intended to be made to the Wm Coppedge
 his heirs and assigns for ever to him and their own proper use he
 his heirs and assigns shall fully and lawfully vesteth in the Wm Coppedge
 his heirs and assigns for ever as aforesaid & shall continue to have
 hold and enjoy a good free firm and Indivisible estate in
 fee Simple to him and his heirs for ever of in and unto the
 premises herein before granted and every part thereof with the
 appurtenances

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 his
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 the
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And that he hath good right full power and lawfull authority to convey
 the same in manner herein before expressed unto thed Wm Coppedge
 and to his heirs and assigns for ever and that thed granted premises
 with the appurtenances thereto and clear from all tithes gifts grants
 bargains and sales and from all manner of other tittles Troubles &
 Incumbrances whatsoever and shall so remain untill y^e Estate
 hereby to be made shall be fully to all Intents and purposes Vested
 & Confirmed unto thed Wm Coppedge his heirs and assigns for
 ever hereafter may and shall peaceably and quietly possess occupy
 and enjoy thed granted premises fully freely & absolutely acquit
 - ed & discharged of and from all Burdens and other gifts grants
 bargains and sales and all other charges tittles Troubles Incum-
 - brances and demands whatsoever that made suffered or acknow-
 - ledged or done or hereafter to be had made suffered or acknow-
 - ledged or done by him thed Graves Eves his heirs Exec^r Adm^r or
 Assigns or by any person or persons whatsoever and that he thed said
 Graves Eves his heirs Exec^r and Adm^r all and singular the herein
 before granted premises with the appurtenances unto thed Wm
 Coppedge his heirs and assigns shall and will warrant and for ever
 defend by thed presents ag^t him thed Graves Eves his heirs
 Exec^r Adm^r & Assigns and every of them & ag^t all and every other
 person or persons whatsoever and lastly that from time to time
 during the space of Seven years from the dates of thed pres^t
 thed said Graves Eves his heirs Exec^r Adm^r and Assigns atty request
 Cost and Charge of thed Wm Coppedge his heirs Exec^r Adm^r &
 Assigns shall and will acknowledge and execute such Surveys
 and other Conveyances for the better assurance of the premises
 unto thed Wm Coppedge his heirs and assigns for ever as by his
 or their Council learned in the Law shall be reasonably
 devised advised or required in Wittness whereof thed Graves
 Eves hath hereunto set his hand with Seals the day and
 year first above written

Wigged Sealed and Delivered
 In presence of Tho: Webb
 Wm Vokes Jr. John Taylor

Graves Eves Seal

Memorandum That Direct
 and peaceable possession of the within mentioned parcels of
 lands and premises was given by the within named Graves Eves
 by Livery and Seizen unto the within named Wm Coppedge by
 Delivering of Trust and Tigg in the presence of
 Tho: Webb Wm Vokes John Taylor

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 This deed of Indentures with Livery and Seizen was acknowledged
 in Northumberland County Court by Graves Eves to Wm Coppedge and
 Elizabeth Eves came into Court (the wife of thed said Graves Eves) and
 relinquish her right of Dower in the said Land and is Recorded

Test B. Lee & Cur

This Indenture made y^e Fifteenth day of June in the Year of Our
 Lord Gods Ques Shownd Seven hundred and Twenty five between
 William Lourey and Mary his Wife of the County of Northum-
 berland of the One part and Richard Bales of the County of
 Lancaster of the other part witnesseth that the said W^m Lourey &
 Mary his Wife for a valuable consideration already rec^d & more Es-
 pecially for the love and affection that the said Mary hath beareth
 unto her two Sons hereafter named and for divers other good causes
 and Considerations then hereunto moving hath given granted Etc
 and Confirmed and by these presents hath given grant Etc
 and Confirmed unto the said Richard Bales four hundred Acres of Land
 being part of a pattent for twelve hundred Acres granted to Col^l J^o
 M^ostron bearing date the 1st day of October 1653. and known by
 the name of Black point situate lying and being in the County of
 Northumberland. and to be laid off next adjoining to the land belonging
 to Col^l Peter Stuck being part of the same pattent and to be bounded
 along the said Black line of mark trees down to the main branch of the
 Creek and along the said branch so far as y^e a parallel line with the said Black
 will include the said four hundred acres of land with all the woods
 underwoods ways matters privileges profits Emolum^{ts} hereditaments
 and Appurtenances whatsoever to the said piece or parcel of Land be-
 longing or any waies appertaining To have & to hold all and
 singular the said Land and premises hereby given and granted unto
 the said Rich^d Bales and his heirs upon this special trust and Confidence
 and to the uses intents and purposes herein after expressed and for no
 other use intent or purpose whatsoever (Vizⁿ) all and singular
 the said Land and hereditaments before hereby granted to and for
 the use and behoof of Joseph and William Bales Sons of y^e said
 Mary Lourey late widow and relict of Joseph Bales of y^e County
 of Northumberland dec^d: party to these presents and to them and
 their heirs for ever to be equally divided between them but in case
 either of them dye without being lawfully begotten then the
 Survivour to have the whole four hundred acres of Land to him
 and his heirs for ever and in Case both the said Joseph and W^m Bales
 dye without heirs then the said four hundred acres of Land to goe
 to Richard Bales Son of the aforesaid Mary and his heirs for ever
 so much as Joseph Bales dec^d: and Mary his wife now Mary Lourey
 did by deeds under their hands dated the 7th of February 1714
 did therein mention four hundred Acres of Land in Black point pattent
 to be settled upon One or more of their Sons that should be born
 of their two bodies in case they should have no more Sons or that y^e
 said Land should not be settled on them that then the same should
 goe to their Son Rich^d Bales and his heirs for ever now it is y^e true
 intent and meaning hereof y^e neither the said Joseph W^m nor Rich^d
 Bales sons of the aforesaid Mary shall not have any claim right or title
 to the said four hundred acres of Land mentioned in the aforesaid in-
 dedd which was to be laid off out of the said pattent known by the name of
 Black point pattent but that the four hundred acres of Land hereby given
 and granted is to be in the Lien thereof and likewise so much as y^e
 aforesaid Mary did promise her dec^d husband in his life time and at y^e
 making of his Will that she would give part of her Land at Black
 point to their two Sons (Vizⁿ) Joseph and W^m Bales to y^e Intent y^e he
 might give his Land in Richmond County to their Daughter Sarah
 Bales and her heirs for ever now for the several considerations &
 causes herebefore mentioned and for the Love and good Will y^e
 aforesaid W^m Lourey and Mary his Wife hath and beareth towards
 the above

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the above mentioned Children and every of them and for their better
prevention doth in witness whereof set their hands and Seals 4 day of
June first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered
in the presence of
Charles Fallin
David Ball
George Ball

Wm Lorry Seal
Mary Lorry Seal

Memorandum Livery Seizen and possession was this day given by the
within named Wm Lorry and Mary his Wife of the within men-
tioned lands and appurtenances unto the within named R^d Ball
to and for the severall Uses in the within written Deed by the
Delivering of Turf and Turf on the said land in presence of

Test
Charles Fallin
David Ball
Ge^o: Ball

June the 6th 1725

Mem^o: M^{rs} Mary Lorry being privately
Examined Concerning the premises within
mentioned by M^r Tho^s Hughlett and M^r Jud
Kees Justices the Court then sitting She
what she did was without Compulsion

Th^o Hughlett
John Keene

Die Junij 16^o 1726

M^{rs} Wm Lorry and M^{rs} Elizabeth Lorry
came into Court and acknowledged this deed of indenture with
Livery and Seizen to Cap^t Richards Bales in trust for Joseph
and Wm Bales & Minors the said Elizabeth being privately exami-
ned as abovesaid and on Cap^t Richards Bales his motion it is
Admitted to Record

Test R^d Lee C^ler

Indenture made this sixteenth Day of February in the year of our Lord one
 Thousand seven hundred and Twenty four between Peter heath of Stephens
 parish in northumberland County and Colony of Virginia Planter and
 Hannah his wife of the one part and Josiah Dameron of the parish
 County and Colony aforesaid Planter of the other part witnesseth that the
 Said Peter heath and Hannah his wife for several Good Causes and Considerations them
 Themselves moving but more Especially for the Consideration of the sum of Six
 hundred pounds of Tobacco to them intant payd or secured to be payd the receipt
 whereof they do hereby acknowledge and of every part and part and parcel thereof
 doth freely Exonerate and Discharge the Said Josiah Dameron his heirs and
 assigns for ever by these presents have Granted Bargained Sold Aliened Enfeoffed
 and Confirmed and hereby doth grant Bargain Sell Alien Enfeoff and Confirm
 unto the Said Josiah Dameron his heirs and assigns for ever one parcel or Tenent
 of Land Containing fifty seven acres and one half acre being the moyety or
 half part of a Patent of one hundred and fifteen acres of Land granted to
 James Clanton Senior Dated the 24 day of September 1695 and by the
 Said James Clanton assignd unto Edward Smith the 30 day of July 1696 and
 acknowledged unto the Said Edward Smith the day and Date last before mentioned
 and now become the Land of the Said Hannah heath & James Dameron formerly
 Hannah and James Smyth's Daughters of the Said Edward Smyth now Coheirs
 to the Said Land which Said one hundred and fifteen acres of Land is situate
 Lying and being in the Parish formerly called Courtois and now called
 St. Stephens parish in northumberland County and bounded as followeth viz
 beginning at a Corner marked Hickory Standing in the Southward side of the main
 Road stretching from Cox his mill upwards and thence running along an
 old Line of marked Trees dividing this from the Land of Mr James Johnson
 between the South and west paynt one hundred and Eighty three poles eleven
 poles to an old red oak stump formerly a Corner dividing this and Mr James
 Johnson Standing north forty seven Degrees East Distance thirty two Links
 from a Spanish oak new marked with Consent of the Said Mr Johnson and
 Mr Clanton from thence north Eighty nine Degrees East one hundred five
 poles and nine Links to Stake Standing by the Side of a branch near the road
 Leading to Timothy Greens to the widdow Anne Flynt and bearing south
 Eight Degrees west from a new red marked oak Corner Tree Distance thirty
 one Links thence north four Degrees east eighteen poles North twenty four
 degrees East ten poles North fifty five Degrees East Twenty Two poles Eighteen
 Links to an old marked red oak Corner Tree to widdow Flynts from thence North
 fifteen Degrees west one hundred forty and five poles to an old Corner red oak
 Standing fifteen foot to a new marked Spanish oak to the ward of the old Corner
 Tree from thence west to the beginning Comprising one hundred fifteen acres And all
 Houses orchards gardens fences woods underwoods her water and water Courses
 pastures feeding ways and other hereditaments whatsoever to the Said moyety
 or fifty seven and half acres of Land belonging or any ways appertaining

Peter Heath
 Wrote to
 Josiah Dameron

together with all woods or writings touching the premises now in their possession
 To Have and To Hold the hereby granted or Intended to be ^{herely} granted parcell or
 Tenement of fifty seven acres and a half of Land being the mayety or half part
 of the above mentioned one hundred and fifteen acres that it ^{they} lay all their right
 Thereto with their rights members and appurtenances from them the said Peter
 Heth and Hannah his wife their heirs Executors & administrators unto him
 the said Josiah Dameron his heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof
 of him the said Josiah Dameron his heirs and assigns for ever more and the
 said Peter Heth and Hannah his wife doth for themselves their heirs Executors
 and administrators Covenant and Grant to and with the said Josiah Dameron
 that it shall and may be Lawfull for the said Josiah Dameron his heirs or
 assigns from time to time and at all times hereafter for ever peaceably and
 Quietly to have hold use occupie posses and Enjoy the said Tenement or parcell
 of fifty seven and a half acres of Land here by granted or intended to be ^{herely}
 Granted with all and Every of their appurtenances under the rents and services
 that may be due hereafter to the Lord or Lords of the fee or fees without any
 Lawfull Let Suit Trouble or Interruption of them the Peter Heth and Hannah
 his wife their heirs Executors &c or and any person Claiming by from or
 under them or any or Either of them and the said Peter Heth and Hannah his
 wife doth hereby Covenant promise and grant to and with the said Josiah
 Dameron That they the said Peter Heth and Hannah his wife at the next
 Court to be held for Northumberland County or any other Succeeding Court to
 be held for the said County shall at the request of the said Josiah Dameron
 his heirs or assigns acknowledge this Instrument of writing before the justices
 then and there sitting according to due form of Law unto the said Josiah
 Dameron In witness of all the above so Covenants and agreements Touching or
 Concerning the hereby and herein granted premises the said Peter Heth &
 Hannah his wife have hereunto set their hands and seals the Day and year
 first above written

the mark and Seal of Peter Heth
 the mark & Seal of Hannah H Heth

Signed Sealed and Delivered
 in presence of
 David Straghan
 the mark of Robert Crowder
 John millard

Memorandum

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 That Quiet and peaceable possession and Seizen of the within mentioned
 fifty seven acres and a half of Land was this day Given by the within named Peter
 Heth and Hannah his wife to the uses intents and purposes of this Instrument
 of writing by Indenture expressed unto the within mentioned Josiah Dameron
 by the Delivery of Turf & Ling upon part of the within bargained premises in
 presence of these persons whose names are under written this 16th day of February
 1724 David Straghan
 John millard

Die February the 27th 1724th then Hannah Heth was privately Examined before Capt Charles Lee & m^r Thomas Hughtlet Concerning her Relinquishment of Dower to the premises and she said what she did was Voluntary without Compulsion

The Hughtlet

Charles Lee

Feb: 17th 1724/5

This deed of Indenture with Divery and Livery was Acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Peter and Hannah Heth unto Josiah Dameron (and the said Hannah Heth was privately Examined by Cap^t Charles Lee & m^r Thomas Hughtlet) and is admitted to Record

West Rich Lee & C

This Indenture
Made to
Churchwardens
Deens of
wiccocomoco
Parish

This Indenture made this Sixth Day of September in the ninth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God over Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c and in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Twenty three Between Thomas Pinckard of the County of Lancaster of the one part and Samuel Heath and Thomas Berry Church wardens of the parish of wiccocomoco and County of northumberland of the other part whereas Thomas Bonum and Rebecca his wife by Doods Dated the Twentieth of September in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred & nine did bargain sell and Convey to one Richard Hudnall Two hundred acres of Land Situate Lying and being in the parish and County aforesaid on part of which Land was then erected & built a Church Commonly Caled the Brick Church being the parrish Church of the aforesaid Parish of wiccocomoco and at the time of making and Ensealing of the said Doods the said Richard did promise & agree to and with the aforesaid Thomas & Rebecca that he would make over and Convey all such Estate Right title and Interest which he the said Richard should have from the aforesaid Thom: & Rebecca by virtue of the said Doods and the said Rich: afterwards to witt on the Twenty second day of the aforesaid month of Septem: did become bound unto the aforesaid Thomas Bonum and George Eskridge in the penal sum of one hundred pounds Sterling Conditioned that if the said Richard Hudnall or his heirs at any time thereafter at the Special Instance and Request of the aforesaid Thomas Bonum or George Eskridge or either of them or their heirs should make deal Deliver and Execute such Deed or Deeds as should at any time thereafter be presented to him for the Conveying of the aforesaid Church and Two acres of Land nearest thereto adjoining to such persons & to such use and uses as the said Bonum and Eskridge or either of them should nominate & appoint ^{they} their heirs obligation to be doyd &c and whereas the aforesaid Rich: Hudnall

hath sold and conveyed the aforesaid Two hundred acres of Land & premises unto the aforesaid Thomas Pinhard Gentleman without any Reservation of the aforesaid Church & Two acres of Land Now This Indenture witnesseth that the Said Thomas Pinhard at the Special Instance and request of the aforesaid George Eskridge in order to Comply with and Discharge the Condition and obligation of the Said Richard Hudson as well as for the Consideration of the Sum of five Shillings of Lawfull money to him in hand paid at and before the sealing and Delivery hereof by the aforesaid Samuel Heath and Thomas Berry Church wardens as afores. the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge Hath Given Granted Bargained Sold remised release and for ever quite Claimed and by these presents doth give grant Bargain Sell Remise Release & for ever quit Claim unto the Said Samuel Heath Thomas Berry the present Church wardens of the aforesaid Parish of wicocomoco and their Successors for the use of the said parish for ever the aforesaid Church and Two acres of Land next thereto adjoining to be Laid out in a Square with the Church on the Center thereof and all the Estate right Title property Claim and Demand whatsoever that the Said Thomas now hath or ought to have of in and to the said Church & Two acres of Land The Said Church and Land being in the actual possession of the aforesaid Parish of wicocomoco before the making of the aforesaid Deeds from Thom: Bonum & Rebecca his wife to the afores. Rich: Hudson so both remained and still is in the actual possession of the same To Have and to Hold the aforesaid Church & Two acres of Land to them the Said Samuel Heath and Thom: Berry Church wardens of the aforesaid Parish of wicocomoco and to their Successors Church wardens to the parish for ever to the uses Intents and purposes hereafter mentioned (that is to say) the Said Church to be used for the Reading of Divine Service and Exercise of all other Religious Duties therein for which the same was Erected & built & the Said Two acres of Land for the making of a Church yard building a vestry house or any other parochial use or uses that the present Church wardens or the Church wardens for the time being by and with the Consent & order of the Vestry of the Said parish for the parishs use shall think fitt & necessary to be Done to no other use Intent or purpose whatsoever In Testimony whereof the parties above mentioned to these presents have hereunto sett their hands and affixed their Seales the Day & year above written

Sealed and Delivered in the presence of
 Tho: Edwards *HEBLE* Tho: Pinhard

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 Memorandum The sixth day of Sept^r 1723 That quiet & peaceable possession and Seizin of the within mentioned Land and premises was this day given and Delivered by the within named Thomas Pinhard party to this Indenture unto the within named Samuel Heath & Thomas Berry for the uses within mentioned by the delivery of Suf: Torgg upon the Said Land in presence of us Tho: Edwards *HEBLE*
 Sept: 18th 1723 This Deed of Indenture with Levy and Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Cap: Charles Lee Lawfull Attorney of Cap: Thomas Pinhard to m^r Thomas Berry one of the Church wardens of wicocomoco parish and is admitted to Record

Test: Rich: Lee C.C.

Know all men by these presents that I Thomas Pinchard of the County of Lancaster Gentleman am holden and firmly bound do stand bound and indebted unto Samuel Heath and Thomas Berry Church wardens of the parish of wiccomoco in the County of Northumberland in the Just Sum of Two hundred Pounds Sterling money of Great Britain to the which payment well and truly to be made unto the said Samuel Heath and Thomas Berry Church wardens as aforesaid and their Successors Church wardens for the said Parish of wiccomoco I bind my self my heirs Executors administrators &c for the whole sume firmly by these presents Sealed with my own Seal Dated this Sixth Septemb: one Thousand seven hundred Twenty three

The Pinchard Bond to Church wardens of wiccomoco Parish

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bounden Thomas Pinchard by Deed of Indenture bearing date the Sixth Day of Berry Church wardens as above said Two acres of Land and the Church thereon as by the said Deed may more at large appear Now if the said Samuel Heath and Thomas Berry & their Successors Church wardens shall have hold possess and Enjoy the said Church and Two acres of Land & premises thereby Granted unto the said Samuel Heath and Thomas Berry Church wardens as aforesaid and their Successors Church wardens for ever and assigns shall from time to time and at all times for ever hereafter observe perform accomplish full fill and keep all and Every the articles Clauses Promises and Agreements Sett Down Mentioned Comprised & Express'd in the said Deed which on his part his heirs &c are hereby Intended Sett Down and Express'd to be observed performed accomplished full fill'd and kept according to the true Simple and plaine Intent & Meaning of the said Deed and the same Deed with Every of Sieren thereon Endors'd he the said Thomas Pinchard shall duly acknowledge (or Cause to be done) in due form of Law at Northumberland County Court on the request or Instance of the said Samuel Heath and Thomas Berry or their Successors Church wardens for the parish aforesaid That then the above obligation to void and of no Effect otherwise to stand and remain in full force Value and power in the Law

Sealed signed and Delivered in presence of

Tho: Edwards

KEBLE

Tho: Pinchard Seal

Sept: 19th 1723

This Bond was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Capt Charles Lee Esq full Attorney of Capt Thomas Pinchard unto Mr Thomas Berry one of the Church wardens of the Parish of wiccomoco and is Recorded

Just Rich Lee Esq

The Duke
Powatto
Cap Lee

Know all men by these presents that I Thomas Pinchard Gentleman
the County of Lancaster have assigned ordained and made and in my stead & place
put and constituted my trusty and well beloved friend Charles Lee of Northumberland
County Gentleman my true and lawfull Attorney for mee and in my stead & name
to acknowledge in Northumberland County Court all my Right Title & Interest
to Two acres of Land now layd off for a yard and other uses to the Church of
Wiccomore Parrish in the County aforesaid Relinquishing allowing and holding firm
and stable all and whatsoever my said attorney shall do or cause to be done
for the Confirmation of the said Two acres of Land to the Church thereon unto
Samuel Heath and Thomas Perry Church wardens of the aforesaid Parrish and to
their Successors Church wardens In Witness whereof I have hereunto sett my
Hand and Seal this Sixth Septemr one Thousand Seven hundred Twenty three
note the words Sixth or
Interlined before signed
Witnesses Tho: Edwards
Tho: Pinchard Seal

September 18th 1723 This Power of Attorney of Cap Thomas
Pinchard to Cap Charles Lee was proved in Northumberland
County Court by the Oaths of m^r Tho: Edwards & Cap Heble
and on the motion of the said Lee it admitted to Record
Test Rich Lee Esq

This Indenture made the 17th Day of September 1723 and in the year of
the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King George of Great Britain France & Ireland King
Defender of the faith &c between William Morton of Richmond County planter of the one
part and Richard Warrick of Northumberland County Carpenter of the other part with
witnesseth that the said William Morton for and In Consideration of Three Thousand pound
of Gold to be paid by the said Richard Warrick att and before the Enscaling and Deliv
ering of these presents the receipt whereof he doth acknowledge and then of and
of every part and parcell thereof Doth acquitt Release Exonerate & Discharge
Causes and Considerations him thereunto moving hath Given Granted bargain
Sold Remise Released and Confirmed and by these presents give grant bargain
sell Remise release and Confirm unto the said Richard Warrick in his actual
possession now being by fine and Value of one Indenture of bargain & sale to him
thereof made for one whole year bearing Date the Day next before the date of
these presents and of the Statute of trans ferring uses into possession to his heirs
and assigns for ever all that messuage Tenement and Tract or parcell of Land
Lying in the County of Northumberland and ill bounded as followeth beginning at
a marked red oak Standing in a line which Divides the said Land and Capt
Richard Spanns formerly in John Downings thence near South west along
a line of trees tooa Spanish oak Standing in the line which Divides the
Land and Graves trees formerly John Joneses thence along the said line to a
line to a line with which Divides the said Land and the Land of John Tho:
mas to a marked white oak Corner Tree of the said Land thence over a bar
ring forty acres of Land more or less being part of a Dividend of Land

W^m Morton
Dad to
Rich
Warrick

Formerly belonging To Walter allen part of the said Land fell by his death
 to William morton by the last will and Testament of Walter allen as
 may more fully and at large appear all which said Land with all wood
 underwoods ~~commodities~~ Timber and Timber trees ways waters privileges
 advantages Commodities & appurtenances whatsoever To the said
 mesuage Tenement Tract or parcel of Land belonging or in any wise
 appertaining and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remain-
 ders Issues and profits of all and singular the premises & all the
 Estate right Title Interest benefits properties Claims or demands
 whatsoever of him the said William morton of in and to same or any
 part or parcel thereof To Have And To Hold the said mesuage Tenement
 Tract or parcel of Land & premises aforesaid hereby granted bargained
 sold remised released and Confirmed and Every part and parcel thereof
 with their and Every of their appurtenances unto the said Richard
 Warrick his heirs and assigns for ever to the only proper use of the said
 Richard warrick his heirs and assigns for ever more to be holden of the
 Chief Lord or Lords of the fee fee of the premises by the rents and
 services of the same as they shall hereafter Comedue and of right
 accustomed to be payd and that the said mesuage Tenement Tract
 or parcel of Land and premises aforesaid hereby given granted
 Bargained sold Remised Released and Confirmed & Every part and
 Parcel thereof with there and Every of there appurtenances now
 are and be so from time to time and at all times hereafter shall
 Remaine continue and be unto the said Richard warrick his heirs
 and assigns free and Clear and freely and Clearly acquitted Exonerated
 and Discharged of and from all and all manner of former and other
 Gifts grants bargains sales Leases Joynters Dowers and Title of
 Dower and of and from all ~~and~~ other Titles Charges and Incumbrances
 whatsoever had made Committed Done or suffered to be done by the
 said William morton his heirs or assigns or by any other person or persons
 Claiming or to lay Claim by from or under them & that him the said
 William morton his heirs or assigns shall and will upon the request
 Richard warrick his heirs and assigns at some Court within the
 time limited by the Laws of the Country from the Date of these
 presents to be held for the County of Northumberland acknowledged
 in the said Court these presents and shall and will from time to time and at
 all times hereafter at the Reasonable Request and at the proper Cost and
 Charge in the Law Richard Warrick his heirs and assigns make do acknow-
 ledge suffer Devise & Execute all and Every such act or acts thing or things
 Devise and Divise assurance or assurances in the Law for the further more
 better & perfect Assuring and Conveying the said mesuage Tenement
 Tract or parcel of Land and premises aforesaid unto the said Richard

364^o Warrick his heirs and assigns for ever as by the said Richard Warrick his
his heirs & assigns or his or their Council Learned in the Law shall be
Reasonably Devised advised or required In witness whereof the parties
first above mentioned hath herunto set his hand and seal the Day & year
first above Written

Signed Sealed & Delivered in the presence of us
George Warrick Thomas Greenstead William W^{his} morton (Seale)
mark
Anna A mortons
mark

September 18th 1723

This Deed of Release was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court
by William Morten unto Richard Warrick and is admitted to Record
- Test Rich Lee C^{ort}

W^{his} morton
Seal
Rich
Warrick

I know all men by these presents that William morton of the County of Rich:
do owe and stand firmly bound unto Richard Warrick of the County of Northumber
land him his heirs Executors administrators or assigns in the full and just Sum
of Six Thousand Pounds of legal Cob^{ts} to the payment I bind my self my heirs
Executors adm^{rs} firmly by these presents Sealed with my Seale & Dated this 17th
Day of September 1723 The Condition of the above written obligation is such
that whereas the above bounden William morton having by a Deed of Release
Sould unto the said Richard Warrick acres of Land now if the said
William morton shall fullfill & keep all the articles Covenants & agreements
made & Comprised in the aforesaid Deed or Instrument of Indenture & save the
said Richard Warrick Indemnified that then the above written obligation
be void and of no Effect Else to stand & remain in full force
Strength & virtue

Signed Sealed & Delivered in presence of
George Warrick Thomas Greenstead William W^{his} morton (Seale)
mark

September 18th 1723 This bond was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court
by William Morten unto Richard Warrick and is admitted to Record

Test Rich Lee C^{ort}

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W^{his} morton
Seal
Rich
Warrick

This Indenture made the 17th day of September anno Dom 1723
and in the year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George King of Great
Britain France & Ireland King Defender of the faith & Between William
morton of the County of Richmond Plant^{rs} of the one part & Richard Warrick
of the County of Northumberland Carpent^{rs} of the other part Witnesseth

Witnesseth that the said William morton for & in consideration of the sum of one care of Indian Corn to him in hand paid by the said Richard Warrick the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath bargained & sold and by these presents doth bargain & sell unto the said Richard Warrick all that my Mesuage or Tenement Tract or parcel of Land Lying in y^e County of Northumberland and is bounded as followeth beginning at a marked red oak Standing in the Line of Cap^t Richard Spain formerly John Downings thence South west along a line of Trees to Spanish oak Standing in y^e Line of wth Divideth the said Land & Graves Cues formerly John Jones Thence along the said To a line which Divides the said Land & Land of John Thomas to a marked white oak a Corner Tree of the said Land thence over a branch to the said Land of Cap^t Spain thence along the said Line to the beginning red oak Including forty acres of Land more or less being part of a Dividend of Land formerly belonging to Walter allen part of the said Land fell by his wife to William morton by the last will and Testament of Walter allen as may more fully & at large appear waters privileges & appurtenances whatsoever to the said mesuage Tenement tract or parcel of Land or to any part or parcel thereof belonging or any wise appurtenant and all the Estate Right Title Interest benefit properly Claim & Demand whatsoever of him the said William morton of in and to the same & of in to Every part and parcel thereof To Have and To Hold the said mesuage tenement Tract or parcel of Land and premises hereby Granted & Sold or Intended to be bargained and Sold & Every part and parcel thereof with there & Every of these appurtenances unto the said Rich^d Warrick his heirs Executors adm^r or assigns from the day of the Date hereof for & During the full Term & time of one whole year next Ensuing fully to be Completed & Ended to the end that by Value of these presents & for the Statute of Transferring Uses into possession that the said Richard Warrick may be in the actual possession of the Premises and be thereby enabled to Except of a Grant of y^e Reversion Inheritance thereof to him and his heirs for ever In Witness whereof the party here above named have hereunto set his hand and Seal the Day & year first above Written

Signed sealed & Delivered in presence of
Thomas Greenstead George Warrick

William ^{his} morton (Seal)
mark
Anna A morton
mark

Sept 14th 1723

This Deed of Lease was Acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by W^m morton unto Richard Warrick and is admitted to Record

Test Rich Lee & Co

Charles
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to Rosten
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This Indenture made the nineteenth day of October in the Eleventh year
of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God of Great Britain
France & Ireland King Defender of the faith &c Annoq: Domini one Thousand
Seven Hundred Twenty & five Between Charles Betts of St Stephens Parishes
in northumberland County and Colony of Virginia of the one part & Rosten
Betts of the said Parish County & Colony of the other part Witnesseth that
the said Charles Betts for the tender love & affection he hath for his Brother
Rosten Betts hath granted Bargained aliened Enfeoffed & Conferred by these
presente both Grant Bargain. Alien Enfeoffe Confirm unto the said Rosten
Betts and to his heirs and assigns for ever all that Tract Dividend and parcel
of Land Situate and being in the said Parish County and Colony containing by Estima-
tion Eighty acres of Land (more or less) being part of Two hundred & fifty
acres of Land Granted by Deed or Grant from the Honorable the proprietors of
the northern Neck of Virginia by their agent & attorney the Honorable Thomas
Lee Esq: Dated under his hand and seals of the said proprietors office the Thirteenth
Day of January ann: Domini one Thousand seven hundred and fourtee and is
Divided as followeth (to witt) beginning at a marked Gum Standing in the Line that
northwardly by a line of marked Trees through the Glade to the land of Thomas
Hayes thence down the branch that Divides this Land from the Land of the said
Hayes to the head of a Creek the Issues out of Little wicowomoc thence along
the said Creek the various Courses & meanders of the same unto the line of
the above mentioned Capt. Coles thence along the Line of the said Coles to the
beginning Tree with all woods Trees under woods Clead Ground fences
building waters water Courses and other Conveniences privileges & appurtenances
whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining for & to the
said Charles Betts his heirs &c unto him the said Rosten Betts and to his
heirs and assigns for ever To Have and To Hold the said Eighty acres of
Land (more or less) as aforesaid with all its Rights members and advanta-
ges whatsoever unto him the said Rosten Betts and to his heirs and assigns
unto the only proper use and behoof of the said Rosten Betts and his heirs
and assigns for ever and to no other use Intent or purpose whatsoever
and the said Charles Betts for himself his heirs Executors &c doth here by
Covenant and agree fore with the said Rosten Betts his heirs & assigns that
he the said Charles Betts at this time hath an absolute Estate in the fee of
and to the hereby granted Land and premises & that the said Rosten Betts from
time to time shall have hold use occupy possess enjoy the said here by Gran-
ted Eighty acres of Land (more or less) as aforesaid & premises unto him the
said Rosten Betts & to his heirs & assigns for ever free & Clear from the future
Claim of him the said Charles Betts or any other person Claiming by
or under him the said Charles Betts and that he the said Charles Betts shall
and will at any Time or times hereafter at the request and Charges in the
presence & Confirmation of the hereby Granted Land & premises unto the
said Rosten Betts and to his heirs and assigns as he the said Rosten his heirs
or assigns or his or their Council Learned in the Law shall Reasonably
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or Acquire and that the said Charles will acknowledge this Instrument in Northumberland County Court in due form of Law In Witness of all the premises the said Charles Betts first party to this Instrument of Indenture hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day & year first above mentioned

Signed Sealed & Delivered in presence of
Richard Smith William Hurst
Edward ^{his} Cartrell

Charles Betts (Seal)

The nineteenth of October anno 1725

Memorandum

That quiet & peaceable possession & sizen was This day Given & Delivered by the within named Charles Betts of the within mentioned land and premises unto Rosten Betts within named by the Delivery of Turf and Twig upon the said Land in the presence of Richard Smith William Hurst

October the 20th 1725

This Deed of Indenture with delivery and sizen was Acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Charles Betts to Rosten Betts and is Admitted to Record
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This Indenture made the 19th Day of October one Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty five and in the eleventh year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God King of Great Britain France & Ireland Defender of the Faith &c between David Denning of St. Stephens Parrish Smith in the County of Northumberland of the one part & Isaac Edwards of the Parrish and County aforesaid Carpenter of the other part Witnesseth that that that the said David Denning for Divers Good Causes Considerations him therein to moving but Especially for and in Consideration of the sum of four Thousand pounds of Tobacco in hand paid or Secured to be paid at or before the Ensealing and Delivery of these presents the receipt whereof he the said David Denning doth hereby acknowledge & Every part thereof doth acquit release Exonerate and Discharge the said Isaac Edwards his Executors administrators and assigns hath Given Granted bargained Sold and by these presents doth give grant bargain Sell allien Enfeoff and Confirm unto Isaac Edwards his Executors his Executors administrators & assigns a Certain piece or parcel of Land containing by Estimation one hundred acres or thereabouts be the same more or less situate lying and being in St. Stephens Parrish and County of Northumberland and on some of the head branches of great wicocoonocow River and bounded as followeth viz: beginning at Live gate where commonly a Spanish oak Corner Tree stood & on the north side the rode that leads from Conways mill to Dun ways old field Extending thence with a line of marked Trees down a Valley binding upon the Land of Richard Denney and the Land of m^r Hughtlet to the main Branch binding up the branch on the Land of Cap. Galle and binding upon

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upon the Land late Dennis Conways up a small branch to a marked Hickory
 Standing at the head of the said Conways Spring Branch and within the pasture
 thence with a line of marked Trees along the old path to the first mentioned
 Corner Tree being part of a Dividend of Land formerly granted to Dennis
 Eyes by patent dated the Seventh Day of March 1662 and by the said Dennis
 Eyes made over unto Daniel McCarty father of the said Daniel and acknow-
 ledged in northumberland County Court by the said Eyes and Hannah his
 wife the 26th day of may 1692 together with all houses out houses barns
 Stables Gardens orchards fences Trees woods under woods water & water-
 Courses with all hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or
 in any wise appurtenant and all the reversion or reversions remainer
 or remainers of all and singular bargained the before mentioned premises
 unto the aforesaid one hundred acres of Land more or less as aforesaid hereby
 granted bargained sold with its rights members and appurtenances thereunto
 belonging or in any wise appurtenant To Have and to hold the aforesaid
 one hundred acres of Land more or less as aforesaid from him the said
 David Denney his heirs Executors administrators or assigns unto him
 the said Isaac Edwards his heirs Executors administrators and assigns
 for ever to the only proper use benefit and behoofe of him the said Isaac
 Edwards for ever against him the said David Denney or any other person
 or persons whatsoever claiming or to claim by from or under him shall
 and will ever warrant and defend by these presents the aforesaid one hundred
 acres of Land more or less as aforesaid and the aforesaid David Denney
 for him self his heirs Executors adm^{rs} & assigns doth Covenant Grant and
 agree to and with the said Isaac Edwards in manner and form as followeth
 that is to say that the said Isaac Edwards shall peaceably and quietly
 have hold use occupy possess and enjoy the said one hundred acres of Land
 more or less as aforesaid and further the said David Denney doth Covenant
 Grant and agree to and with the said Isaac Edwards that he the said David
 Denney hath in him self good right and Lawfull authority to make over
 the aforesaid one hundred acres of Land more or less as aforesaid and fur-
 ther the said David Denney doth Covenant Grant and agree to and with
 the said Isaac Edwards that is to say that he the said David Denney at
 the reasonable request and Charges in the Law of him the said Isaac Ed-
 wards will do make execute and perform any such further act or acts thing
 or things Device Devices Conveyance or Conveyances in the Law as by the
 said Isaac Edwards or assigns or his or their Council Learned in the Law
 shall be reasonably Devised advised or required in witness whereof the
 said David Denney hath herunto Interchangable Sett his hand & fire

his Seal the Day & year above written
 Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of David Dinnee (Seal)
 Hugh Kelly
 Richard Dinnee

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Memorandum October the 19th 1725

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That quiet and peaceable possession and Heren of the within, granted one hundred acres of Land more or less as aforesaid was this Day Given and Delivered by the within named David Denning and Anne his wife to the within mentioned Isaac Edwards by the Delivery of Turf and Twig, on part of the said ^{Land}, in the name of the whole in presence of Hugh Kelly Richard Dinnee

October 20th 1725 This Deed of Indenture with Livery & Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by David Denning to Isaac Edward and Ann Wife to the said David came into Court and Relinquished her Right of Power in the said Land, it is admitted to Record
Just Rich: Lee & Co

David Denning
Isaac Edwards

Now all men by these presents that I David Denning of St. Stephens parish in the County of Northumberland Smith of one and stand justly and lawfully bound by these presents unto Isaac Edwards Carpenter of the parish and County aforesaid in the just and penal sum of Eight Thousand pounds of Good Lawful merchantable Foot to the which paym^t well and Truly to be made and done by and oblig^e my Executors Administrators for the whole sealed with my Seal dated the

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The Condition of the above written obligation is Such that whereas the above bounden David Denning having sold unto Isaac Edwards one hundred acres of Land more or less as by a Deed from the said David Denning to the aforesaid Isaac Edwards bearing Even Date with these presents now if the said David Denning shall fullfull perform all the articles Clauses Covenants and agreements made and comprised in a certain Deed or Instrument of writing of one hundred acres of Land more or less between the said David Denning & the said Isaac Edwards that then the above written obligation to be voyd and of noe Effect the contrary and remane in full force virtue
Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of David Dinnee
In presence of Hugh Kelly Richard Dinnee (Seal)

October the 20th 1725

This bond was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by David Denning to Isaac Edwards & is Recorded

Just Rich: Lee & Co

Rich^d Neale
Deed to
Thomas Butcher

This Indenture made the 14 day of December 1724 between
are Neale of wicocomocoe parish in the County of northumberland in
Virginia of the one part and Thomas Butcher of Stephens parish in
the County and Colony aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said
Richard Neale for and in consideration of the sum of four Thousand five
hundred Pound of Tobacco to him in hand paid by the said Thomas Butcher
before Ensealing and Delivery of these presents the receipt whereof he the
said Richard Neale doth hereby acknowledge & thereof and Every part
and parcell thereof doth acquitt & Discharge the said Thomas Butcher his
heirs Executors and administrators by these presents have Given Granted bargain
and Sold and by these presents do Give Grant bargain & Sell unto the
Thomas Butcher and to his heirs & assigns for Ever a certain piece or parcell
of Land being in wicocomocoe parish in the County aforesaid & on Great
Wicocomoco River containing by Estimation forty Eight acres be the same more
or less it being the Greater part of Tract of Land the said Richard Neale
purchased of one James Knight for fifty acres more or less which said
forty eight acres as before be the same more or less is bounded as followeth Viz
Beginning at a marked red oak on the north Side of a marsh upon a Creek
Commonly Called ware Creek from thence a west Course to marked Cedar post
standing in the Ground and from thence a south west by south Course to a
rather marked Cedar post standing in the Ground and from thence a same
Course to a marked white oak standing on the side of a Branch that fall
Down into the aforesaid ware Creek and from the said marked white oak
Running a westerly Course up the said Branch to a marked red oak & from thence
the same Course to a marked white oak standing near the head of a Creek com
monly Called back Creek and running down the said Creek it several Courses to
Great wicocomoco River thence Eastwardly down the said river its several
Courses to the mouth of the aforesaid ware Creek thence up the said ware Creek
to the beginning marked red oak Tree To Have and To Hold the afore
said piece or parcell of Land forty Eight acres (more or less) bounded as
aforesaid with all the woods underwoods profits advantages & appurtenances
thereunto belonging unto the said Thomas Butcher and his heirs and assigns
for Ever and the said Richard Neale doth by these presents for himself
his heirs Executors and administrators & Every and Either of them Covenant
promise & Grant to and with the said Thomas Butcher his heirs Exec
utors & administrators & to & with Every & Either of them to warrant the aforesaid
piece or parcell of Land and Every part and parcell thereof to be free & Clear
at this time and that the same shall from time to time and at all times forever
hereafter Continue and remain free and Clear and free by and Clearly acquit
& discharged of & from all & all manner of Joynters
mortgages former Gifts Grants bargains Sales or Demands whatsoever of
any person or persons whatsoever to him the said Thomas Butcher his heirs
and assigns for Ever In witness whereof the said Richard Neale hath set his hand
and Seal the day & year above written

Rich^d Neale (Seal)

Signed Sealed & Delivered in the presence of
Leonard Howson Elmer & George

Memorandum the 34 day of December anno Domini 1724

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That quiet and peaceable possession and Seizen of the within mentioned Land and premises thereby Granted & Sold was this day Given & Delivered by the within named Richard Neale to the uses Intent and purposes there by mentioned and Intended unto the within mention Thomas Butcher by the Delivery of Turf and Twig upon a part of the said Land in the name of the whole in the presence of Leonard Howson Elmer & George

March 27th 1724/5

This Deed of Indenture with Severy and Seizen was Acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Mag^r Richard Neale to Thomas Butcher & is Comitted to Record

Just Rich: Lee C^l C^l

Francis Kenner
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Daughter

This Indenture made the seventeenth day of February in the year of our Lord God one Thousand Seven hundred Twenty four Between Francis Kenner of St Stephens Parrish in Northumberland County and Colony of Virginia Gent: of the one part and Elizabeth Kenner daughter of the said Francis Kenner of the other part Witnesseth that the said Francis Kenner for and in Consideration of the Love and affection which he hath & doth bear toward his said loving and Dearfull Daughter Elizabeth have Given & granted aliened & confirmed and to her heirs Lawfully to be begotten of her body Eight Negroes or Slaves bearing by name Expressed viz. Beth Tom Frank Sarah named Sam Semina & Daniel Together with their future Increase to be possessed with them the said Negroes and Increase of them Immediately after the Decease of him the said Francis Kenner or when it shall please him to Surrender them to her the said Elizabeth and also the said Francis Kenner for the Consideration aforesaid hath given and granted and by these presents doth give & grant unto his said Daughter Elizabeth and to her heirs and assigns one Doren of Silver Spoons marked with E K and one Gold ring with a stone in it marked with E K and one plain ring and one Chest of Drawers To Have and To Hold the aforesaid Negroes or Slaves unto the said Elizabeth Kenner and to her heirs Lawfully to be begotten of her body for ever but for Defalt of such issue to revert & be to the use of his Two sons viz. God ham Kenner and Howson Kenner their heirs and assigns for ever equally to be Divided & also to Have and To Hold the said Spoons rings and Chest of Drawers unto the said Elizabeth Kenner her heirs and assigns for ever and the said Francis Kenner doth for himself his heirs Executors & Covenant to and with his said Daughter Elizabeth Kenner that it shall and may be Lawfull for the said Elizabeth at any time after his Decease to Dispose of Give and Grant all or any of the said Negroes or Slaves or their Increase to any or as many of her heirs Lawfully to be begotten of her body as she shall see fitt and most convenient in Witnes whereof the said Francis Kenner hath hereunto set his hand & Seal the day & date first above written

Signed

Sealed & Delivered in the presence of David Shaughan
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Francis Kenner (Seal)

March 27th 1724/5

This Deed of Indenture was Acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Francis Kenner to his Daughter Elizabeth Kenner & on the motion of the said Francis it is admitted to Record

Just Rich: Lee C^l C^l

Dorothy Brablers Inventory

In obedience to an order of Court Dated February the 17th anno 1724³⁶⁸ we the scribes being this day met at the House of John way and have valued the Estate of Dorothy Crapell in money all that was brought to our view

To 1 heifer of 3 years old	£s. 0 0	To Salt and wool & Lumb	£s. 9
To 1 Barrel and half Bushels of Corn	0 11	To 1 pair of Blankets & washing & other things	0 15
To 1 Sow and pig	0 8	To 50 pounds of Tobacco	0 6
To 1 ox and Lumb	0 2	To 34 pounds of meat	0 2
To 1 wooling wheale	0 8	To 1 box Iron	0 2
To 1 some Cotten	0 2		

March 17th 1724/5

This Inventory of the Estate of Dorothy Brablers Deed was Exhibited into Court by John Whay Adm^r of the Deed and on his Motion it is admitted to Record

Test Rich^d Lee & Co

Wm Harcum Tho. Harcum John Coles John way

Northumberland

In obedience to an order of Court held for this County march 20th 1724 we the scribes met and being first sworn by Cap^t Charles Lee one of his majesties Justices do appraise the Estate of Thomas aires Deed as followeth

Judg Thomas Aires Et

A Trunk a	£s. 2 0 0	1 yearling a	8j	£s. 8
A Looking Glass 2/3 of Lin ⁿ	0 4 0	6 Sows a		31 0 0
1 apron & Cantaloup petticoat a	0 3 0	2 Barrows Large a		1 10 0
a parcel of Lumber a	0 1 0	14 Shoates a 3/6 off		2 12 0
a pair of Shup Shiers & Cudlitch a	0 0 10	5 boar shoates a 3/6		0 27 0
1 flesh fork & Slice a	0 1 4	1 barrow Sheat a		0 4 0
1 ax 1/6	0 1 0	1 Chest a 4/1 1 Ground & Blancheta		0 6 0
7 Sheep & Two Lambs a	2 10 0	1 Rugg & 3 blankitts a		1 0 0
a fier Tongue & Table a	0 6 6	11 of wool a 6 off		0 5 0
1 Spit 2/6 1 bedstead hide & Cud a	0 8 6	1 Gunn & 1 spade lock a		0 5 0
a parcel of Lumber a	0 5 0	1 head boulder to 40 a 12		2 10 0
1 Cow a	1 10 0	1 head boulder w 38 a 8 off		2 3 0
1 Stear 4 year old a	1 10 0	1 pair Blanketts 1 Rugg		1 5 0
2 Stears 3 year old a	2 00 0	1 old mare & Colt a		26 14 0
2 heiffers 2 year old a	1 10 0			

William Es

The within Contains a True and perfect Inventory of all the Estate of Thomas aires Deed as yet come to my hands but for as much as there are Divers of the articles therein mentioned which is said to belong to Charles Linnum one of the miccosmoco Indians which I could not Rightly find out it remaining a Dispute how much thereof Doth still belong to the said aires and which I thought fit to Insert here Phillip Smith

June 17th 1724

This Inventory of the Estate of Tho^s aires Deed was Exhibited into Court by Cap^t Philip Smith Adm^r of the Deed and is admitted to Record

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In obedience to an order of this County Court wee the subscribers did meet at the house of David Moor Deceased and being sworn did appraise the said moors Estate as follows

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- To one Cow abt five years old with a calf } s: 15: 0
- To one very old Cow & calf } s: 10: 0
- To one Cow about five years with a calf } s: 18: 0
- To one Cow abt 17 years old with a calf } s: 14: 0
- To one heffer abt two y old } s: 5: 0
- To one Steer abt two y old } s: 5: 0
- To one old horse old Saddle and Bridle } 2: 15: 0
- To one old Linning one old wooling spinning wheeld } s: 0: 0
- To one old Trundle bedsted an old bed to Cattails with old Covering a feather boudster } 0: 30: 0
- To one old feather bed and bedsted & furniture } 2: 5: 0
- To 2 old Iron pots & forks quantity 40 lb pound } 0: 10: 0
- To 2 old frying pans and one small Spitt } 0: 8
- To one old gun Shot bag and powder horn } 0: 12: 0
- To 26 pound of old pew } 0: 13: 0
- To 26 pound old pewter at } 0: 12: 0
- To one old Coat & Sacoat and necktolks } 0: 5: 0

- To 8 glase bottles at 3 a piece } 2: 4
- To one sword Razor & Knifer } 0: 10: 0
- and Tob' Tonge - - - - - } 0: 12: 0
- To one old Chest & 2 very old boxes - - - } 0: 12: 0
- To a p'sell of old wooden lumber - - - } 0: 7: 0
- To a old Look glaf - - - - - } 0: 5: 0
- To a percell old muddles Tubbs and bowls & Rull - - - } 0: 16: 0
- To p'sell old Books - - - - - } 0: 8: 0
- To a p'sell of Earthen ware - - - } 0: 4: 0
- To a p'sell of old Iron of several sorts } 0: 0: 0
- To one old Grindstone a p'sell of } 0: 6: 6
- one old nails & a knife } 0: 6: 6
- To one old Table & form 3 old } 0: 3: 3
- Chairs 2 old Siffers one old box and Rats for a pot & 3 Sheaves } 0: 3: 3
- To one old Canoe wth a Repishie } 0: 7: 3

appraised by us the day above 23: 12: 14

f me Nicolas Lancaster
Nicolas Robinson
John X Lancaster
mark

To 1 old fine Hat
an account of the hags which could not be got up is as follows
five Sows & 13 Shoats abt a year old
and six little piggs abt 2 month old
Debts out standing & Debts to pay shall give an account when settled

Thomas T. allen
Aug^r X allen
her mark

Or 20th 1723

This Inventory of the Estate of David Moor Deceased was presented to the Court by Thomas Allen who Intermarried the Delect of the S^o M^ore and on his motion was admitted to Record

Test Rich^d Lee C^ler

Northumberland County ss

In obedience to an order of Court Dated the 20th of may 1724 wee whose names are here under written have met at the house of John Math Deed and being first sworn by m^r Thomas Hughtlet have then & there Invented and appraised all & singular the Estate of the said Jⁿ Math Deed that was presented to our view viz^t

Inventors
John
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- To 1 Large old Chest at £0: 6: 6
- To 10 Sheep at 3 p --- £2: 10: 0
- To 1 Spit frying pan & pot
- To 5 Lambs at 3 p --- £1: 5: 0
- To 23 Geese at 13 p --- £4: 15: 0
- To 2 Cows & Calf at --- £3: 10: 0
- To 1 Cow & Calf at --- £1: 15: 0
- To 4 Cows at --- £5: 5: 0
- To 1 Stear 4 year old at --- £1: 15: 0
- To 1 Stear 3 year old at --- £1: 10: 0
- To 1 Bull 2 year old at --- £0: 16: 0
- To 1 Cow & Calf at --- £0: 15: 0
- To 4 yearlings at --- £1: 12: 0
- To 2 Cows at --- £2: 10: 0
- To 1 horse at --- £2: 00: 0
- To 1 mare & horse Colt at --- £2: 5: 0
- To 1 feather bed & boulder
- 1 pillow 1 Rug 2 Blankets } £5: 0: 0
- and bedstead
- To 1 feather bed boulder
- Rug 1 blanket & Trundle bedstead } £2: 0: 0
- To 1 flock bed boulder
- 1 pillow 2 Rugs 2 Blankets } £2: 0: 0
- old bedsted
- To 2 old boxes a half } £0: 8: 0
- bushel a pare wool cards
- To 36 p pewter at 3 p p } £0: 15: 0
- To 2 Tankards at --- £0: 14: 6
- To 22 Spoons at --- £0: 3: 6
- To 1 Large old Chest at --- £0: 6: 6
- To 1 Spit frying pan & pot
- To 2 Rugs fier long & door spairs } £1: 5: 0
- To 25 flesh forks above iron
- To a pair small Millinds & hand saw
- To a parcel of Earthen ware at --- £0: 11: 0
- To 1 Iron pot weighing 72 p at 13 p } £1: 18: 0
- To 1 Ditto weighing 37 at at 3 p p } £0: 9: 3
- To 1 old Ditto --- £0: 11: 0
- To 1 pale 1 Tub 2 piggins } £0: 7: 0
- 1 Rund let at ---
- To 2 Sifters & 9 bottles at --- £0: 31: 6
- To 8 1/2 p of yarn at 6 p } £0: 14: 7
- To 72 p of wool at 6 p p --- £0: 15: 0
- To 1 Looking Glass at --- £0: 2: 0
- To a parcel of old Lumber at --- £1: 0: 0
- To 2 doz Chairs at --- £0: 9: 0
- To 16 hogs at --- £2: 5: 0
- To 3 old Tubbs at --- £0: 2: 0
- Given under our hands the fifth day of June 1724 Joseph Tipton George Routh James Garner Robert Reaser
- To 2 hogs not appraised
- James m^r Callaugh

Ine the 17th 1724 This Inventory of John Math Deed was presented to the Court by James m^r Callough Adm^r of the said Deed and is admitted to Record. Just Rich Lee Clk

Northumberland County ss

Inventors
Thomas
Ashburn
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In obedience to an order of the worshipsfull Court Dated the 20th of may 1724 we whose names are under written have met at the house of Thomas ashburn Deed being first sworn by m^r Thomas Hughtlet & have then & there Invented & appraised all & singular the Estate of the said Thomas ashburn Deed that was presented to our view viz^t

- To 16 p of Good pewter
- To 20 plates at --- £0: 8: 9
- ser at 3 p p --- £0: 6: 8
- To 1 feather bed boulder 1 hat } £4: 10: 0
- To 27 p of old Ditto at 3 p p } £0: 9: 0
- 1 pillow 2 Blankets Rug & bedsted

To 1 feather Bed boulster
 1 pillow 1 Sheet 2 Blankets
 Ruggs Cadder and Bedsted at 3: 0: 0
 To 1 feather bed boulster
 2 pillow 2 Sheets quilt
 Silk Ruggs beadsted Curtains
 and vallings 8: 0: 0
 To 1 old bed & furniture 5: 10: 0
 To 1 Saddle pistols & Couly
 pers & Swivels 5: 10: 0
 To 6 Leather Chairs at 0: 15: 0
 To 1 small Table & form
 and Table Linnen 0: 11: 0
 To 9 Chag Chairs 0: 11: 3
 To 1 Chest at 0: 8: 0
 To 1 Cupboard at 1: 0: 0
 To 2 Tankards & pallen Cup 0: 10: 0
 To 1 Candelstick and pointing
 nger and Trifles 0: 5: 0
 To 2 old Trunks & old boxes 0: 8: 0
 To 3 potts weighing 72 lb
 at 2 lb 0: 18: 0
 To a parcel of old Iron Lumb 8: 2: 0
 To 2 Iron Spits 0: 7: 0
 To a parcel of wooden waires 5: 0
 To a parcel of Earthen waire 0: 8: 6
 To Some Earthen bottles 0: 4: 6
 To 1 old warming pan Two 20 1 9: 0
 Looking Glasses Some picture
 To 2 old Tables 0: 31: 0
 To Some old books & some Trif 0: 9: 0
 To Some old barrels & Lumb 0: 15: 0
 Hannah ^{her} M. ashburn
 mark

To 2 Spinning wheals 10: 9: 0
 To a molatto Girl 7: 0: 0
 To 1 old snare at 0: 12: 0
 To 1 horse at 1: 15: 0
 To a black mare 2: 10: 0
 To 1 old Cow & Calf at 1: 5: 0
 To 2 Cows & Calfs at 3: 0: 0
 To 2 Cows & Calfs at 2: 15: 0
 To 1 Cow at 1: 7: 0
 To 1 Stear 4 years old 1: 8: 0
 To 1 Ditto 5 years old 1: 10: 0
 To 1 Ditto 3 years old 0: 18: 0
 To 2 Ditto 2 years old 1: 5: 0
 To 1 Bull 3 years old 0: 16: 0
 To 1 heffer 3 years old 0: 12: 0
 To 3 yearlings 0: 13: 0
 To 1 old Cart & wheals 1: 00: 0

Given under our hands the 11th of
 June 1724
 George Rountt
 Robert Harrison
 James Garner
 Robert Reeves

June 17th 1724
 This Inventory of the Estate of Tho^o ashburn
 Deed was presented to the Court by Hannah
 ashburn and is Recorded
 Test Rich^d Lee C^ler

Northumberland Countyss

In obedience to an order of Court held the 2^d of august 1723 we whose
 names are under written being first sworn before m^r John Keen did appraise
 the Estate of Phillip oshea Deed in money as follows

To 1 Chest & wareing aparcel £4: 0: 0 Henry Bogges
 To 1 young mare 1: 5: 0 Wm Metcalf ^{his} Wm Cornish
 maid

To a pair of breaches not appraised 5: 5: 0
 Mary M Price ^{Sept 11th 1723} This Inventory of the Estate of Phillip Oshea Deed was presented to
 the Court by Mary Price adm^r of the said Deed and on her motion it is admitted to
 Record Test Rich^d Lee C^ler

Inw
 Plus
 Richard
 Sons to

Northumberland County

Pursuant to an order of the above said County Court bearing Date the 20 of May 1724
we the Subscribers did meet at the Dwelling house of Mr Elizabeth Richardson
and being Sworn by Cap Charles Lee did appraise the said Deed Estate in money
as followeth

Inw:
Elix
Richardson
son's Est

To 2 yearlings at	£5: 8: 0	To 3 y ³ / ₄ of Carse at	£0: 9: 9
To 5 Steers at	9: 15: 0	To 1 old Large Chest	0: 7: 0
To 2 Steers at	2: 15: 0	To 1 Sheat ap ^o of yeare binding and some Thread	0: 9: 3
To 2 Cows at	3: 0: 0	To 1 sifter & Two y ³ / ₄ of Linn Linning	0: 3: 0
To 1 Cow at	1: 16: 0	To 1 Large Tugg & piece of p ^o lank	0: 2: 6
To 1 Bull at	1: 10: 0	To 4 Shifts at	1: 0: 0
To 5 old Tubbs	0: 12: 0	To 2 petticoats at	0: 7: 0
To 2 Ditto at	0: 10: 0	To 1 Hauchchiefs head lining and some other things	0: 14: 0
To 1 old Lider box at	0: 2: 0	To 4 aprons & 1 y ¹ / ₂ muslin	1: 0: 0
To 1 Flock bed & furniture	2: 0: 0	To 2 y ³ / ₄ of all mode	0: 5: 0
To 3 hides at	0: 10: 0	To 1 p ^o of old Sheats	0: 7: 0
To 6 Lider Cash at	1: 7: 6	To 1 p ^o of womens Sacking & 1 silk handkerchief & some other thing	0: 10: 0
To 1 pad Lock at	0: 4: 0	To 11 y ³ / ₄ of Cape at	0: 13: 9
To Some old Lumber at	0: 6: 0	To 24 y ³ / ₄ of Silk poplin and one hank of black silk	3: 0: 9
To 1 Earthen pan at	0: 0: 6	To 1 large petticoate at	0: 12: 0
To 1 Rugg at	0: 14: 0	To 5 y ³ / ₄ of ^{white} Linn Linning at	0: 8: 9
To 3 Bagg & some beans	0: 7: 6	To 1 Trunk and one p ^o of womens shoes	0: 12: 0
To 1 Brass Ladle at	0: 3: 0	To 1 pott quantity 57 p ^o at 3 p ^o	0: 14: 3
To 1 Lugg Cutting knife Candles tick & Tong at	0: 8: 0	To 2 Dishes quantity 11 p ^o at 14 p ^o	0: 12: 10
To 7 Small bottles at	0: 2: 4	To Cow & Calf at	2: 5: 0
To 3 Small Baskets and at old box Iron at	0: 2: 6	To 1 mane at	3: 0: 0
To Some old Cloaths at	0: 10: 0	To 1 arme Chear at	0: 6: 0
To 1 Spitt at	0: 5: 0	To 1 bellmettle Skillet	0: 12: 0
To 1 old frying pan pothook & Rock	0: 4: 0	To 1 bed bedstead & furniture	10: 0: 0
To 1/2 Bushel of Salt at	0: 1: 0	To 11 y ³ / ₄ of Cape at	0: 13: 3
To Some Lumber at	0: 7: 0	To 2 p ^o of Stockings & some other thing	0: 17: 5
To Some wheat at	0: 1: 0	To 2 p ^o of Boddie at	0: 16: 0
To Some old pewter at	0: 1: 8	To 1 y ³ / ₄ & 3/4 of all mode	0: 13: 0
To 1 Door Lock & Staple at	0: 3: 6	To 4 petticoates a riding Gown and other wastcoat at	1: 4: 0
To 1 old hat & pale at	0: 2: 6	To 6 aprons & one silk handkerchief	0: 1: 0
To 1 old Dook at	0: 1: 0	To 5 y ³ / ₄ of white Linn Linning	0: 10: 0
To 1 old fan at	0: 0: 6	To 5 y ³ / ₄ of Duroy	0: 12: 0
To 18 Shoates & 2 pigs at	8: 2: 0		
To 10 yd ¹ / ₂ of Linn at	1: 1: 0		

To 13 yds of Serge at	5: 19: 0	To 4 hoggs not seen	
To 1 napkin & a piece of Dew dead	5: 6	To one mare	
To 2 womens Caps & some other	0: 10: 0	To nine Barrells of Gun	
To 2 old Ruggs at	0: 10: 0	To acct. of Job 1625	
To 1 lb of pewter at 16 pp	0: 13: 8	To Iron pistle	
To 1 hatchet at	0: 1: 3	To 1 Bahett	
To 1 pot quantity 70 at 8 1/2 pp	0: 5: 10	To one silk Handkerchief	
To 9 lb of Tallow at	0: 3: 9	Knife and fork	
To some Caske	0: 1: 6	To 2 yds of Copper Lining	
To 2 old hoes at	0: 2: 6	To 1 Job tin	

Elizabeth Shears

Partho¹⁰ Schreuer
Ch¹⁰ Garlington
Sam Garlington

June the 17th 1724

This Inventory of the Estate of Eliz¹⁰ Richardson Deid was presented to the Court by Eliz¹⁰ Shears Exec¹⁰ of the said Deid and on her Motion it is Admitted to Record

Test Rich Lee Cl¹⁰ Cur

Charles Betts Deid
to Jonathan Betts

This Indenture made the sixteenth day of February in the Eleventh 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 annoque Domini one Thousand Seven Hundred & Twenty five Between Charles Betts of the parish of St. Stephens in the County of Northumberland and Colony of Virginia of the one party and Jonathan Betts of the same parish County & Colony of the other party Witnesseth that the said Charles Betts for the tender Love & affection he hath to his Brother Jonathan Betts hath Granted bargained Alien'd Enfeofed and Confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain Alien Enfeof & Confirm unto the said Jonathan Betts & to his heirs and assigns for ever all that Tract & parcel of Land Situate & being in the said parish County & Colony containing by Estimation fifty acres of Land being part of a patent of Land Granted by Deed or Grant from the Honorable the Proprietors of the northern neck of Virginia by their agent and attorney the Honorable Thomas Lee Esq^r Dated under his hand & the seal of the said proprietors Office the 13th Day of January anno 1714 and is bounded as followeth (to Wit) beginning at a marked Chestnut post standing in the old field nere the said Charles Betts his pasture fence thence along a Line of marked Trees Westwardly to a branch that Divides this Land from the Land of Thomas Hayes Deid thence down the said branch Eastwardly to a marked Corner poplar standing in the said branch and is Corner Tree to this Land and the Land of Roster Betts thence along the Line of the said Roster Betts Southwardly to a marked Corner pine standing in the Glade thence westwardly by a Line of marked Trees to the Chestnut post the beginning with all woods Trees under woods Cleard Ground fences buildings

Jonathan Betts
Candle
Char: Bc

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Buildings waters water Courses & other Conveniences privileges & appurtenances
 whatsoever therunto belonging or in any wise appurtening from him the said Charles
 Betts his heirs & unto him the said Jonathan Betts his heirs & assigns forever To
 Have and To Hold the said fifty acres of Land as aforesaid with all its rights
 members & advantages whatsoever unto him the said Jonathan Betts & to his heirs
 and assigns unto the only proper use benefit & behoof of the said Jonathan Betts
 and his heirs & assigns forever and to no other use intent or purpose whatsoever
 and the said Charles Betts for himself his heirs & assigns do both hereby Covenant
 and agree to and with the said Jonathan Betts and his heirs & assigns that he
 the said Charles Betts at this Time hath an absolute Estate in fee of in & to
 the hereby Granted Land & premises and that the said Jonathan Betts from
 time to time shall have hold use occupie possess & Enjoy the said hereby Gra
 nted fifty acres of Land as aforesaid and premises unto him the said Jonathan
 an Betts and to his heirs & assigns for ever free & Clear from the future Claim
 of him the said Charles Betts or any other person Claiming by from or under
 him the said Charles Betts and that he the said Charles Betts shall & will
 at any Time or Times hereafter at the request & Charges in the Law of the said
 Jonathan Betts his heirs or assigns make doe & Execute such further assura
 nce & Confirmation of the hereby Granted Land & premises unto the said
 Jonathan Betts and to his heirs & assigns as he the said Jonathan Betts his heirs & assigns
 in the Law shall Reasonably Devise advise or require and that the the said
 Charles will acknowledge this Instrument in northumberland County Court
 in Due form of Law In Witness of all the premises the said Charles Betts
 first party to this Instrument of Indenture hath hereunto set his hand & affix
 ed his Seal the day & year first above mentioned

Signed Sealed and Delivered in presence of
 Richth Smith Jun^r & Wmth Smith
 Richth Smith mark Charles Betts (Seal)

memorandum February the 16 1725
 That quiet and peaceable possession & seizen was this given and Delivered by
 by the within named Charles Betts of the within mentioned Land & premises
 unto Jonathan Betts within named by the Delivery of Surveys & Swigg upon of
 said Land in the presence of Richth Smith Wmth Smith

March 16th 1725 This Deed of Indenture with Survey & Seizen was acknowledged in northumberland
 County Court by Charles Betts to Jonathan Betts & is Recorded Test: J. Lee Esq^r

Jonathan
 Betts
 Bondo
 Char: Betts

Know all men by these presents that I Jonathan Betts of the County of north
 umberland & parish of St. Stephens in the Colony of Virginia am firmly bound
 and Indebted unto Charles Betts of this said County parish & Colony in the Just
 & penal Sum of fifty pounds of Current & Lawfull money of Great Britain to
 which payment well & timely to be made unto the said Charles Betts his heirs
 administrators or assigns I bind me my heirs & executors administrators for ever
 firmly by these presents sealed with my Seal Dated the twenty sixth day of Feb^r
 1725 The Condition of the above obligation is Such that whereas the
 above

above bounden Jonathan Betts and the abovesaid Charles Betts hath Divided
 the Land above the Glade Left to them by their Deed father Charles
 Betts by a line of marked Trees (to witt) beginning at a marked pine
 Standing in the glade thence along the said Line of marked Trees westwardly
 to fork neck branch Dividing the said Land above the Glade in Two
 Equal parts now if the said Charles Betts shall from time to time
 forever hereafter Quietly and peaceably possess the one half of the Land
 so Divided as aforesaid that is to say that half that was Left him by his
 Deed father Charles Betts from the above bounden Jonathan Betts
 his heirs and assigns that then the above obligation to be void and
 of none Effect otherwise to Stand & Remaine in full force strength
 & virtue

signed sealed & Delivered in the presence of Jonathan Betts (Seal)
 Richard Smith Wmth Smith
 mark

This bond was acknowledged in northumberland County Court by Jonathan Betts
 to Charles Betts and is Recorded Test: *James H. Cur*

Edward
 Allgood
 David Spence

This Indenture made the 23 day of march in the tenth year of
 our Sovereign Lord George by the grace of God of Great Britain France & Ireland
 King Defender of the faith &c aunc Dominions one Thousand seven hundred
 Twenty & four between Edward Allgood of St Stephens parrish in northumb
 land County & Colony of virginia of the one part & David Spence of the parrish
 County and Colony of the other part witnesseth that the said Edward allgood
 aforesaid for the good & valuable Consideration of Three Thousand pounds of
 Tobacco to him by the said David Spence party to this Indenture in hand
 paid the Receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge have Granted Bargain
 ed sold aliened Enfeoffed & Confirmed and hereby do Grant Bargain
 sell alien. Enfeoffe & Confirum from me my heirs Executors & adminif.
 unto him the said David Spence party to these presents & his heirs or
 assigns forever all that Divided or parcel of Land Situated being in
 the said parrish & County & Colony containing fifty acres be the same
 more or less according to the Courses meets & bounds. Thereof beginning
 at the mouth of a branch called the Reddy branch on the Eastward Side
 of Coll Dueslys mill pond and so Down the said pond to the head of
 Creek called Chimcahan Creek and Down the said Creek to marked Cedar
 Tree which Divides this Land & the Land of William Betts is now formerly
 Jonathan Rostons So running Southwardly along a line of marked Trees
 to a Small branch running into the Reddy Branch which Divides this Land
 and the Land of John Appellbes Deed so down the said branch to the
 mouth of the Reddy branch where it first began this Land being part
 of

of a parcell of Three hundred & fifty acres of Land formerly belonging to Ben^{372a} Ed^d and by the said Ed^d to Edward allgood father the said Edward allgood first party to these presents by Deed Dated the 17 Day of December 1692 Relation thereunto together with all woods under wood water water Courses privileges profits Commodities & appurtenances with all writing papers & Evidences whatsoever to the same belonging or in any wise appurtenant To Have and To Hold the said fifty acres of Land be it more or less Limited as aforesaid Together with all and Singular the premises & appurtenances from me the said Edward allgood me my heirs Exec^{rs} and adm^{rs} to him the said David Spence his heirs and assigns for ever and the said Edward allgood Toh hereby further Covenant & agree to and with the said David Spence party as afores^d to these presents his heirs and assigns that he the said David Spence his heirs & assigns from him the said Edward allgood his heirs Executors and administrators & all other persons whatsoever the said fifty acres of Land & appurtenances shall have and hold use occupie possess and Enjoy to him his heirs & assigns forever unto no other use intent or purpose whatsoever and in witness of all the premises the said Edward allgood hath hereunto Set his hand and Seal the Day and year first above Written

Signed Sealed & Delivered in the presence of us

^{the mark of}
Silvester & Welch John Maurison
^{the mark of}
Michal John

^{the mark of}
Edward C. allgood (Seal)

memorandum may the 18 Day Day of 1724

That quiet & peaceable possession & Lien of the within mentioned Land and premises was this Day Delivered by the within Edward allgood first party to this Instrument of Indenture unto the within mentioned David Spence by the Delivery of Turf & Twiggs upon part of the within granted Land & premises in the presence of us

^{the mark of}
Silvester & Welch
Michal ^{the mark of} John
John Maurison

^{the mark of}
Edward C. allgood

May 20th 1724

This Deed of Indenture with Levery and Lien was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Edward Allgood to David Spence & Eliz^a Wife of the said Edward allgood came into Court and Relinquished her Right of Dower and on David Spence
208 Motion it's Recorded

Test Rich: Lee C^l

John Jordan
Deed to
Hannah
Bridgman

This Indenture made this Twelfth day of June in tenth 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 & Annoy
Domini one Thousand Seven hundred Twenty & four Between John
Jordan of St. Stephens parish in the County of Northumberland and
Colony of Virginia of the one party and Hannah Bridgman of the same
parish County and Colony of the other party Witnesseth that the said John
Jordan for & in consideration of the sum of one Thousand five hundred
pounds of Tobacco to him in hand paid the receipt whereof he doth
herby acknowledge and of Every part and parcel thereof doth hereby
acquit Exonerate and Discharge the said Hannah Bridgman her heirs
Executors administrators and assigns for ever by these presents hath
Granted Bargained Sold aliened Remised Released Enfeofed and
Confirmed and hereby Doth Grant bargain Sell allien Remise
Release Enfeof and Confirm unto the said Hannah Bridgman and to
her heirs and assigns for ever a certain piece or parcel of Land
Situate lying and being in the parish and County aforesaid containing
by Estimation fifty acres more or less and bounded as followeth beginning
at a small persimmon Tree standing by John Smiths Corn field fence
and so running Southwardly to mulberry Tree standing at the head of
and so down the Valley
Valley to a persimmon Tree standing at the head of a small branch
so down the said branch to red oak standing at the main Swamp and
so over the said Swamp and Down the Eastward side till you come
against the plantation formerly Thomas Bridgmans from thence across
the Swamp to the mouth of a branch called humphres Spring Branch
and so up the said branch to red oak standing upon sort of point which
Divides this Land and Land of Mr George Ball formerly Capt John
Haynies Land so along the said Line to hichory in the Corner of the old
field from thence to red oak from thence white oak from thence to a
Corner Tree which Divides this Land and the land of John Haynie
along the said Haynies Line to the persimmon Tree where it first began
being part of a parcel of Land formerly belonging to Henry wickers
and from the said wickers to his Daughter Elizabeth late Elizabeth
Smith from the said Elizabeth Smith to her Son Thomas Smith and
from Thomas Smith to John Jordan first party to these presents
Together with all houses orchards Gardens woods Trees underwood
waters & other Conveniences and appurtenances whatsoever to the
said Land containing fifty acres more or less as aforesaid with the
appurtenances belonging or in any wise appurtening To Have
And To Hold the aforesaid fifty acres of Land more or less as
afore said and premises from him the said John Jordan first
party to these presents his heirs Executors administrators unto
her the said Hannah Bridgman and her heirs Exec: & assigns
and

and to the only proper use & behoof of the Said Hannah Bridgman her
 heirs Exec^{rs} & adminis^{rs}. Doth hereby further Covenant & agree to and
 with the Said Hannah Bridgman that he the Said John Jordan at
 this Time hath good right & Lawfull authority to the Said hereby
 Granted Land and premises to Sell and Dispose and that she the
 Said Hannah Bridgman from time to time and at all times forever
 hereafter shall have hold use occupy possess & Enjoy the same
 Land and premises with appurtenances with warranty from the future
 Claim of him the Said John Jordan his heirs Exec^{rs} & unto her
 the Said Hannah Bridgman and her heirs & assigns forever and from
 the future Claim of all other person or persons whatsoever and that the
 Said John Jordan shall & will at any time or times hereafter by the requ
 est and at proper Costs & Charges in the Law of her the Said Hannah
 Bridgman her heirs or assigns make & doe acknowledge Execute
 Such other Lawfull & Reasonable act or acts Devises & Conveyances
 or other assurances for the better making and Sure Conveying of
 the hereby Granted Land and premises with the appurtenances unto
 the Said Hannah Bridgman and her heirs & assigns forever as she
 the Said Hannah Bridgman her heirs or assigns or her or there Cou^{ns}
 learned in the Law shall Reasonably Devise advise or require and
 and further that the Said John Jordan shall and will acknowledge
 this Deed of Indenture in Northumberland County Court unto Hannah
 Bridgman or her heirs & in Due form of Law in witness of the premi
 ses the Said John Jordan hath hereunto set his hand & Seal the
 Day & year first above mentioned

Signed Sealed & Delivered in the presence of John Jordan (Seal)
 John Hudson John Bridgman

memorandum that quiet and peaceable possession by Levery & Livery
 was this day given and Delivered by the within named John Jordan first
 party to these presents unto the within named Hannah Bridgman
 by the Delivery of Turf & Twig upon part of the Land within mentioned
 in the name of the whole in the presence of
 John Hudson John Bridgman

June 17th 1724

This Deed of Indenture with Levery and Livery was acknowledged in Northumberland
 County Court by John Jordan to Hannah Bridgman & Jane Wife of the Said Jordan Relin
 quishing her Right of Dower on the Said Land & on the motion of the Said Hannah Bridgman
 it is Recorded

Test Rich^d Lee Clerk

George
Esbridge
Did to
Mary
Leasure

To all to whome these shall come whereas George Esbridge had to him
 Granted six hundred acres of Land from the proprietors of the northern
 neck by patent bearing Date the sixth day of august in the year
 of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred & Twelve being part of
 a patent of one Thousand acres of Land first Granted to John
 Mosher and William Newman by patent Dated the sixth day of
 may one Thousand six hundred and fifty one which said six hundred
 acres of Land is situate on the Southeastmost side of yeocomoco River
 in the County of northumberland and whereas also Mary Leasure
 is in the possession of fifty acres part of the aforesaid six hundred
 acres of Land which said fifty acres of Land is bounded as follows the
 (viz) beginning at a marked Chestnut oak Corner Tree to the Land of
 Leasure and Knott and Extending thence down along yeocomoco River
 the several meanders thereof brought into a straight Line is north thirty
 Degrees East one hundred and eighteen poles to a pine Tree on the
 River side from thence South East Eighty Two Poles & a half to a stake
 near the Road from Thence ninety Two Poles Southwest to the Land
 of the said Knott from Thence north forty seven Degrees west fifty
 four Poles and a half to the place where the same began now knowys
 that the said George Esbridge for and in Consideration of the Sum
 of five Shillings of Lawfull money to him in hand paid by the
 said Mary Leasure & for Divers other Good Causes & Considerations
 him therunto moving hath Remised Released and for Ever quitt Claimed
 and by these presents for himself and his heirs doth fully Clearly &
 absolutely remise Release and for Ever quit Claimed unto the aforesaid
 Mary Leasure in her full and peaceable possession & heren and to her
 heirs and assigns for ever all such right Estate Title Interest & Demand
 whatsoever which he the said George Esbridge hath or ought to have
 of in or to the aforesaid fifty acres of land by virtue of the aforesaid
 Deed from the proprietors or any other ways or means whatsoever To
 Have and To Hold the aforesaid fifty acres of land with all
 singular its rights members & appurtenances unto the said Mary
 Leasure her heirs & assigns to the only proper use & behoof of her the
 said Mary Leasure her heirs & assigns for Ever so that neither he the
 said George Esbridge nor his heirs nor any other person or persons
 for him or them or in his or their names or in the name right or stead
 of any of them shall or will by any way or means hereafter have
 Claim Challenge or Demand any Estate right Title or Interest of in or
 to the premises or any part or parcel thereof but from all & Every action
 Right Estate Title Interest or Demand of in or to the premises or any
 part thereof they & Every of them shall be utterly Excluded & Barred for
 Ever by these presents In Witness whereof I have herunto set my hand
 and Seal this Twentieth day of May in the year of our Lord 1661

George
Esbridge
did to
Mary
Leasure

Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Four
Seals and Delivered in the presence of
Sam^l Blackwell Charles Betts

G. Eskridge Seal

May the 20th 1724

This Deed of Release was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by
George Eskridge to Mary Learure and is admitted to Record

Just Ric^d. Lee Clerk

To all To whom These Shall Come whereas George Eskridge had to him
Granted Six hundred acres of Land from the proprietors of the northern neck
by Patent Bearing Date the Sixth day of August in the year of our Lord
one Thousand hundred and Twelve being part of a patent of a Thousand
acres of Land first Granted to John meeks & William Newman by patent
Dated the Sixth day of May one Thousand Six hundred fifty one which
Six hundred acres of Land is Situate on the Southeaster most side of yeecom
oco River in the County of Northumberland and whereas also John west and
Elizabeth his wife who was one of the Daughters of George Learure
Deed are in the possession of one hundred and forty two acres part of the
aforesaid Six hundred acres of Land which said one hundred forty two
acres is Bounded as followeth (viz^t) Beginning at an old Chestnut Swamp
near Hannah Lewis's Dwelling house and Extending thence North by
Two Degrees west fifty Seven Poles to a Black walnut in the line of Will
iam Knott from thence South Thirty one Degrees East forty pole to an old
Sassafriz from thence South forty five Degrees west forty pole to a marked
Red oak from Thence South Sixty Degrees west Twenty five pole near
the head of a Branch called Subtaper Branch from thence South
Eighty Degrees west fifty four pole to the line of John Opie from thence
South forty five Degrees East one hundred thirty five pole to a corner
Tree Standing near the mill pond from thence north fifty Eight Degrees
East one hundred forty six pole to the Land of Thomas Hall thence
along the Land of the said Thomas and Stephen Hall north west one
hundred and Thirty pole to the place where the same began now know
ye that the said George Eskridge for and in Consideration of the Sum
of five Shillings of Lawfull money to him in hand paid by the aforesaid
John ²¹⁰west and Elizabeth his wife and for Divers other good causes and
Considerations him therein to moving hath remised Released and for
ever quit Claimed and by these presents for himself and his heirs doth
fully Clearly and absolutely Remise release and for ever quit Claim
unto the aforesaid John west and Elizabeth his wife in there full and
peaceable possession and Liven and to there heirs & assigns forever
all

all such right Estate Title Interest and Demand whatsoever which to
 the said George Estridge hath or ought to have of in or to the aforesaid
 one hundred forty two acres of Land by virtue of the aforesaid Deed
 from the proprietors or by any other ways or means whatsoever To Have
 And To Hold the aforesaid one hundred forty two acres of Land
 with all and singular its rights members & appurtenances unto
 the said John West and Elizabeth his wife there heirs & assigns
 for ever to the only proper use & behoof of him the said John
 West and Elizabeth his wife there heirs and assigns for ever
 so that neither he the said George Estridge nor his heirs
 nor any other person or persons for him or them or in his or
 there names or in the name right or Head of any of them shall
 or will by any way or means hereafter have Claim Challenge
 or Demand any Estate Right Title or Interest of in or to the
 premises or any part or parcel thereof but from all & every
 action Right Estate Title Interest or Demand of in or to the
 premises or any part thereof they & every of them shall
 be utterly Excluded & Barred for ever by these presents

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seale
 this nineteenth Day of February in the year of our Lord
 Christ one Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Three
 Sealed and Delivered in the presence of *G. Estridge* (Seale)
 Willoughby Clem^t Lattimer

Die Martij 18^o: 1723/4

This Deed of Release was acknowledged in Northumberland County
 Court by George Estridge unto John West and on the said West's motion
 it is admitted to Record Test *R. Lee*

Inventory
 Wm Estridge
 Estate

Northumberland County

In obedience to and order of this County Court Dated the 20th of
 January 1724^r wee whose names are here under written being
 appointed by the said order to appraise the said Deed Estate
 and being sworn before m^r Thomas Hugulet one of his majesties
 Justices of the piece and having proceed as followeth Viz

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|------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| To 3 Cows & 3 yearling at 4:10:0 | To a parcel of old Books | Lo: 12: 6 |
| To 1 Cow big with Calfet . . . 5:10:0 | To 5 ^o of shot moles & 2 ^o of bullet | 0: 8: 0 |
| To 8 Sheep at 6 ^o 2: 8: 0 | To 5 Iron potters shooles | 1: 14: 10 |
| To 1 feather bed and furniture } 3: 10: 0 | To a parcel of old Lumber at | 0: 6: 0 |
| and bed st ^d | To some Shoemakers Toolery | 0: 15: 0 |
| To 1 Old feather bed & Cover } 1: 15: 0 | and some Lasts | |
| ing & Trundle bedsted | To 1 Cow 4 piggs & Two Barrows | 1: 05: 0 |
| To 3 Old fl ^o k bed at | 1 stony shot | |

To parcel of old silver - } £ 5: 0: 0 To 5 old Tables & Chair at 6: 10: 0
 and old saddles Case pistols }
 To 2 of old wool at - - - - - 0: 2: 0 To 14 bottles at - - - - - 0: 2: 6
 To 2 1/2 of pickt Cotton } - 0: 4: 0 To a parcel of Toy new Tools at 2: 10: 0
 and some unpick }
 To a parcel of wood in fumb' at 0: 2: 0 To a Carpenters Saw at - - - - - 0: 7: 6
 To 3 pothooks & bell metley } - 0: 6: 0 To 5 old whipsaw at - - - - - 0: 10: 0
 Shillit & Candle sticks }
 To 3 wedges 2 pickles a Spitz } - 5: 0: 0 To a Tennant Saw - - - - - 0: 7: 0
 and fire Tong }
 To 1 Sum old Iron at - - - - - 0: 6: 0 To 3 guins at - - - - - 2: 0: 0
 To 1 old wheeler & ^{Case} wood } 0: 10: 0 To 1 maine bridle & saddle } 5: 10: 0
 & hatchell - - - - - } pistols & houlsters & Two swords
 To 1 Small Still at - - - - - 5: 0: 0 To Some bottons & other Truck 0: 2: 0
 To Some Earthen ware 2 } 0: 7: 6 To Some old Cloaths & hatt 0: 10: 0
 frying pans & 1 Billiard }
 To 1 Sum old Cask & Two } - 5: 16: 0 To 1 Glew pot razor & fleames } 6: 0
 Raw hides - - - - - } and some other Truck }
 To Some feathers & small } 0: 4: 0 To Eight Bushels & half
 matter of flax - - - - - } of wheat unapprated
 To 2 quindstones - - - - - 0: 3: 0 To Six Pound of Galacks
 To 37 weight of pewter at } 5: 7: 9 and a pair of men shoes
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 To 27 weight of pewter at } 0: 13: 6
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 To 1 Dor^r & Eight Spoons } 0: 4: 0
 & quart pot - - - - - }
 To Some wooden ware - - - - - 0: 4: 0
 To 1 Chest & Trunk & box at 0: 16: 0

Sarah ^{her} Aldridge widow
 and relict of Wm Aldridge

John Conway George Dawkins
 Rich Rountt Wm Warrick

Feb: 17th 1724/5

This Inventory of the Estate of Wm Aldridge Deid was Exhibited into Court
 by Sarah Aldridge Exec^r of the Deid and is admitted to Record

Test Rich: Lee Jst Cor

Griffin
Faulteroy
Died of
Pulmonary
his son

This Indenture made the sixteenth day of February in the
 Eleventh year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the Grace
 of God King of Great Britain France & Ireland Defender of the Faith
 Annoq Domini 1724 Between Griffin Faulteroy of the parish
 of St. Stephens in the County of Northumberland Gent: & Anne his wife
 of the one part and William Faulteroy Son of the said Griffin Faulteroy
 and Anne his wife of the other part Witnesseth that the said Griffin
 Faulteroy and Anne his wife for and in consideration of the natural
 love and affection which they have and beare unto their said son
 William Faulteroy and for Divers other Good Causes & valuable Consi-
 derations them thereunto especially moving have Given Granted
 Alien Released and Confirmed and by these presents do Give Grant
 Alien Release and Confirm unto the said William Faulteroy In his
 actual possession now being by virtue of a bargain and Sale to
 him made of the Two Several Tracts of Land with the appurtenances
 herein after mentioned by Indenture bearing Date the day next
 before the day of the Date of these presents for one year from the
 day next before the day of the said Indenture and by force & virtue
 of the Statute for Transferring uses into possession) and the heirs of
 his Body Lawfully to be begotten all that Tract of Land situate
 lying and being in the aforesaid Parish of St. Stephens and County
 of Northumberland ^{commonly} called or known by the name of Betty's neck
 containing by Estimation Two hundred acres be the same more or
 less as also another Tract of Land commonly called the Great
 plantation situate lying and being in the aforesaid Parish of
 St. Stephens and County of Northumberland containing by Estimation
 Sixty nine acres be the same more or less together with all houses
 Offices Buildings Gardens orchards woods under woods ways waters
 water Courses privileges Commodities & appurtenances whatsoever
 to the said Two Several Tracts of Land and premises belonging or
 in any wise appertaining and the reversion and Reversions Remainder
 and Remainders Reuts Issues & profits thereof and all the Estateright
 Title and Interest of them the said Griffin Faulteroy & Anne his
 wife of in and to the same To Have and To Hold the said Two
 Several Tracts of Lands herein before mentioned with the appurtenances
 unto the said William Faulteroy and the Heirs of his Body Lawfully
 to be begotten and in case the said William Faulteroy shall
 happen to Die without such heirs of his Body then the said Two
 Several Tracts of Land with the appurtenances to go and remain
 To Samuel Faulteroy another Son of the said Griffin Faulteroy
 and Anne his wife and the heirs of his body Lawfully to be begotten
 and in Default of such issue the said Land to revert & return
 unto the said Griffin Faulteroy & Anne his wife and the
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heirs of the said Anne for ever and to or for no other intent or purpose
 whatsoever and the said Griffin Fautleroy and Anne his wife for themselves
 there heirs Executors & adminis^{rs} do Covenant promise Grant & agree to
 and with the said William Fautleroy his heirs & assigns by these presents in
 manner and form following (that is to say) that the said William Fautleroy
 and the heirs of his Body Lawfully to be begotten shall and may from
 time to time and at all times for ever hereafter peaceable and quietly
 have hold occupie poses and enjoy the before Granted Two Tracts
 of Land with the appurtenances and every part & parcel thereof without
 any manner of Lett Suite Trouble molestation or Interruption or from
 the said Griffin Fautleroy and Anne his wife there heirs Ex^{ors} or adm^{rs}
 or any other person or persons whatsoever Lawfully Claiming or to Claim
 by from or under them or any of them and that free close & discharged
 of and from all manner of former and other Gifts Grants Bargains
 Sales Leases and all other Estates Titles Troubles Charges & Incumbran
 ces whatsoever Except an Estate for Life which m^{rs} Elizabeth Debutts
 the Wife of m^r Lawrence Debutts hath in the before Granted Tract
 of Land called the Gyleab In lieu of her Dower of and in the Estate
 of her Deed husband m^r Richard Bushrod Brother of the said Anne Fautleroy
 and also Except the quitrents of the premises from here forth to become one
 and payable unto the Chief Lord or Lords of the fee) and further that the
 said Griffin Fautleroy & Anne his wife & there heirs shall & will at
 any time or times hereafter at & upon the reasonable request & proper
 Costs and Charges in the Law of the said William Fautleroy his heirs &
 make doe & execute and acknowledge all & every such further & other
 Lawfull and reasonable act and acts Deeds Conveiences & assurances
 in the Law whatsoever for the further better more perfect & absolute
 Assuring & Conveying the before Granted Land and premises unto the
 said William Fautleroy and the heirs of his body Lawfully to be begotten
 as by him or them or his or there Council Learned in the Law shall be
 Reasonable Advised or Divised and Required In Witness Whereof
 the parties first above named to these present Indentures have Interch
 angably set there hands and Seales the day and year first above
 Written

Sealed and Delivered in the presence of
 Sam^l Godwin John Knott

Griffin Fautleroy Sealed
 Anne Fautleroy Sealed

Die Martij 17 1724th m^{rs} Anne Fautleroy party to this release was this day
 privately Examined Concerning the premises by us and said what she did was
 without Constraint

Richard Neale
 Charles Lee

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 march 17th 1724th This Release was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court
 by m^r Griffin Fautleroy and m^{rs} Anne Fautleroy privately Examined by M^r Richard Neale
 and Capt Charles Lee the said Anne acknowledged the said Release to W^m Fautleroy and is
 admitted to Record

Test: Charles Lee

Henry Gaskins Deed to Tho Gaskins Gent

This Indenture made the 15th of July one Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty four between Henry Gaskins of the parish of St Stephens in the County of Northumberland Carpenter of the one part and Thomas Gaskins Jun^r of the same County and parish of Great Wilton Gentleman of the other part Witnesseth that the said Henry Gaskins for and in consideration of the full value of six hundred pounds of Tobacco well paid by the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r the receipt whereof and himself to be thereat well satisfied the said Henry Gaskins both acknowledge and thereof doth hereby fully discharge the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r his heirs Executors & adm^r hath given granted Bargained sold Infeoffed and Confirmed and by these presents doth fully & absolutely give grant Bargain sell Infeoff and Confirm unto the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r and his heirs a certain Tract of Land part of the Stony Mountain Pattorn all that the said Henry Gaskins doth now hold or ever did situate in the parish of Great Wilton County of the above said County the said Land more or less and all the appurtenances therunto belonging To Have and To Hold unto the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r his heirs and assigns forever (Subject to the quitrents which from hence forth shall become due and the said Henry Gaskins Gaskins Doth for himself and his heirs Covenant Grant and agree to and with the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r that the hereby granted Land and premises now is & so from hence forth shall be and continue clearly acquitted Honorated and Discharged of an from all manner of former Gifts Grants Bargains Sales and all Innumbrances whatsoever with warranty against any person or persons whatsoever and the said Henry Gaskins Doth further Covenant and promise to Deliver up to the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r all the papers he hath concerning the Title & bounds of the hereby granted Land and premises and also to make any other Deed or Deeds for the more sure Conveying of the said Land & appurtenances unto the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r his heirs & assigns as the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r or his heirs or assigns shall at any Time Require (at his or there Costs & Charge in the Law In witness whereof the parties above mentioned have Interchangably set there hands and Seals the Day & year above written

Signed Sealed & Delivered in presence of
 Robert Gordon Thomas + Gaskins Joynt Henry H Gaskins (Seal)
 Mary Gaskins Thomas Gaskins (Seal)
 memorandum July 15th 1724

Livery of Seizen was this day made and given by the within named Henry Gaskins of the within mentioned Land & premises unto the within named Thomas Gaskins Jun^r by Delivery of Suit & Feign on the said Land in presence of

Robert Gordon Thomas + Gaskins Joynt Mary Gaskins
 July 17th 1724 This Deed of Indenture with Livery and Seizen was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Henry Gaskins to Tho Gaskins Jun^r and is admitted to Record
 Test Rich^d Lee Clerk

John Stanley
Died to
Archibald
Johnstone

This Indenture made this fifteenth day of January in the year of our Lord
God one Thousand Seven hundred Twenty and Three Between John Stanley of
St. Stephens ~~parish~~ in northumberland County & Colony of Virginia Carpenter of
the one part and Archibald Johnstone of the parish County and Colony aforesaid
Chirurgion of the other part witnesseth that the said John Stanley for several good
Causes and Considerations him therunto moving but more Especially for the
Consideration of the Sum of Three Thousand five hundred pounds of Tobacco
in Caske to him in hand paid or secured to be payed the receipt whereof he doth
herely acknowledge and of Every part and parcel thereof doth freely & honor-
te acquitt and Discharge the said Archibald Johnstone his heirs & assigns forever
by these presents hath Granted Bargained Sold Alien'd Enfeofed & Confirmed
and hereby doth Grant Bargain sell alien Enfeof and Confirrm unto the said
Archibald Johnstone his heirs & assigns for ever one small parcel or
Tenement of Land Containing fifty acres be it more or less Situate
Lying and being at or upon the head of mattapanie River in the parish
aforesaid and bounded as followith vizt beginning at a marked red oak
Standing nere the branch that Divides this land from the land of Robert
Bradly thence to marked white oak by the side of an old field called Flynt
side field and thence Southerly to a nother marked oak Standing by a swamp
side thence down the said Swamp to Richard Booths Line thence down the
mill pond to the mouth of mentioned Branch thence up the said Branch
to the first Station which said parcel or Tenement of fifty acres of Land
be it more or less is part of a greater Tract or Dividend of Land Containing
five hundred and fifty acres Granted to one Robert newman Taking ^{part} of
march 1655 and by the said Robert newman assigned unto one John Hay-
nie by assignment Endorsed Dated the 6 of 9 1654 and by the said John
Haynie assigned unto one John Kent and by the said John Kent Devised
to Phoebe his wife and by the said Phoebe Transferred unto one John
Reach and by the said John Reach Conveyed unto the said John Stanley
and all houses orchards Gardens fences woods underwoods waters & water
Courses pastures feeding ways and other hereditaments whatsoever to the
said fifty acres of Land ^{both more & less} belonging or in any wise appertaining To Have
and To Hold the said hereby Granted or Intended to be here by Granted
parcel or Tenement of Land Containing fifty acres of Land be it more or
less as aforesaid Together with all its rights members and appurtenances
From him the said John Stanley his heirs Executors and administrators unto
him the said Archibald Johnstone his heirs & assigns and to the only
proper use and behoof of the said Archibald Johnstone his heirs and
assigns forever more and the said John Stanley doth for himself his
heirs Executors & adm^{rs} Covenant Grant to and with with the said Archibald
Johnstone that it shall and may be Lawfull for the said Archibald John-
stone his heirs and assigns from time to time and at all times hereafter
forever peaceably and quietly to have hold use occupie possess & enjoy
the said parcel or Tenement of Land before mentioned or Intended to
be hereby Granted with all & Every of there appurtenances under the
Rents

Deeds and Services that may be hereafter due to the Lord or Lords
of the fee or fees without any lawfull Let Suit Trouble or Interruption
of him the Said John Stanley his heirs or assigns or any other person
or persons claiming by from or under him or them or any of them
and the Said John Stanley doth Covenant to & with the Said
archibald Johnstone that he the Said John Stanley Together with
Mary his wife at the next Court to be held for the County of
Northumberland or any other Succeeding Court to be held for the
County at the request of the Said archibald Johnstone his heirs
or assigns shall acknowledge this Instrument of writing before
the Justices then and there sitting in due forme of Law unto the
Said archibald Johnstone In witness of all the above Covenants & grants
Touching and Concerning the hereby and herein Granted premises the
Said John Stanley first party to these presents hath hereunto set his
hand and Seal the day & year first above mentioned

Signed Sealed & Delivered in presence of
the mark of Bee B more

the mark & Seal of John F Stanley (Seal)

David Straughan

memorandum that quiet and peaceable possession and Sizen of the within
mentioned Land and premises was this day given & Delivered by the
within named John Stanley to the uses intents & purposes of this Instru-
ment by Indenture Expressed unto the within named archibald Johnstone
by the Delivery of Suf & Twig upon part of the within bargained premises
in the presence of these persons whose names are under written this day of
January 1723
the mark of Bee B more David Straughan

July the 15th 1724 this Deed of Indenture with Livery and Sizen
was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by John Stanley
unto archibald Johnstone and is admitted to Record

Jest Q. Leet Cur

Attest
Doherty's
Will

In the name of God Amen I Neale Doherty of Northumberland
County in Virginia being in Good health of Body and of Sound & perfect
mind and memory (praise be therefore given to the almighty God) do
make and ordain this my present last will and Testament In manner
and forme following (that is to say) first and principally I commend
my Soule into the hands of almighty God hoping through the merits
Death and passion of my Saviour Jesus Christ to have full and free
pardon and forgiveness of all my sins and to Inherit Everlasting life
and my Body I Commit to the Earth to be Decently Buried at the
Discretion of my Executor hereafter named and as Touching the
Disposition of all such Temporal Estate as it hath pleased almighty
God to bestow on me I Give and Dispose thereof as followeth
I Give and bequeath unto my Son John Doherty and his heirs
for ever this piece of Land whereon I now live Containing to fifty
acres

acres and Two head of Cattle and my Great Gun Secondly I Give and Bequeath unto my Son James Doherty and his heirs forever my plantation at the heat of Preslys Creek Containing by Estimation fifty acres Provided that the said James shall not molest nor in any case hinder my Daughters Eaise Mary Ann and Elizabeth Doherty from working and making Cops of Tob^o and Corn on the said Plantation During their single Life Thirdly I Give and Bequeath unto my Daughter Eaise Doherty one bed and furniture thereunto belonging fourthly I Give and bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Doherty one Bed and furniture thereunto belonging Fifthly & Lastly I Give and Bequeath unto my well beloved wife Ann Doherty the use of all the remaining part of my personal Estate during her widowhood & at the Expiration of her widowhood or life to be then Equally Divided among all my Children and I do hereby make ordaine constitute and appoint my True and well beloved wife the said Ann Doherty to be my Sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament as Witness my hand this 8th Day of November 1722

Testes Inth Smith Josth Irwin

Wmth Doherty
mark

Died Augth 18th 1725 this will was proved in northumberland County Court to be the last will and Testament of Wmth Doherty Deed by the oath of John Smith one of the Evidences to the said will and is Recorded

Test Rth Lee Cth Cur

An Inventory of the Estate of Benjamin Copidge & Died

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To one fore plain s Smoothing plain s Joynter one bed plain } 8	
one Channel plain one plough one Rabbit plain one o.g }	00 : 12 : 00
To 2 Tunnyng Gonges 2 augers five Chisels	00 : 08 : 00
To 5 broad ax s adds s froe s shallow adds	00 : 07 : 00
To 5 Drawing Knives s Iron square	00 : 03 : 06
To 2 Small Gimblits s ft Compases old 2 Small old Sawz and one gage one plain Stock and mallet }	00 : 05 : 06
To 2 old hoes s tandle tick 3 pewter spoons	00 : 03 : 00
To s fishing line	00 : 05 : 04
To s Doy th of Turnd plaites s Strainer & Salt seller	00 : 02 : 06
To 5 old bowls 2 Stools	00 : 06 : 10
To s Spinning wheale without a Spindle or whirl	00 : 04 : 06
To s old Sable and bridle an old head Stale saddle Coath of pair	00 : 06 : 00
To s Coat Dreaches and hat	05 : 05 : 00
To s old Coat & Sacote sold p of shoes s garters sold Let approx	00 : 05 : 00
To s razor s Ink horn with a Care and pen Knife 2 old Knives & forks s bucket one p of Sizers one p of Tob ^o Tongz }	00 : 02 : 06
To a parcel of wool one pair of old Dreaches	00 : 02 : 06
To s gun	00 : 12 : 00
To 6 Sheets of paper s Book	00 : 05 : 00

To 1 Iron pot and pot hooks	00: 04: 06
To 1 Chest and old Lock and a few old nails	00: 08: 04
To 1 Small Canoe	00: 08: 00
To a 4 year old ^{man} man	00: 02: 00
To a parcel of quills hoops 6 wheele Rim hoops	00: 02: 08

Alice A Coppidge ^{wid} Tho^s Calle Tho^s Genn Henry Oblin appraisers
 June 16th 1725 This Inventory of the Estate of Benjamin Coppidge Deed was
 presented to the Court by Alice Coppidge Adm^r of the Said Deed and is admitted to
 Record Test. Rich^d. Lee Clk

Inventory
 of
 John
 Span
 Estate

Inventory of the Estate of John Span Deed as followeth V^t

To money in Cash	To a small qt of Rum mollasses & Sugar
To 1 gold ring	To 1 Red and 3 Silk Laces
To 1 Scruto	To 1 Spice mortar
To 1 Clock	To 1 p ^s wheels and Cart
To a parcel of Books	To 1 Ivory snush box
To 2 orill Tabils	To 1 Case of knives & grater
To 1 Spaine Ditto	To 1 Remnant of Silk Dugget
To 4 feather beds and furniture	To 4 p ^s Silk Stockings
To 7 peaces of fine Linning	To 1 fine Cloak
To 3 p ^s of Course Ditto	To 4 1/4 Thread
To 1 p ^s of fine holland	To 2 Perukes & one p ^s Gloves
To 2 Remnants fine Ditto	To 2 p ^s worsted Stockings
To 2 bed Tickins	To a parcel of Buckrum
To 5 p ^s of mens Shoes	To a parcel Wadding
To 1 p ^s of fushian	To a parcel of mohane buttons & Silk
To 1 Wash	To a parcel of fine Silk Stuf
To 5 ^{lb} of Gunpowder	To 1 Doz ^r Leather Chears
To 8 ^{lb} of Shot	To a parcel of Tables Lining & Two Cups
To 60 ^{lb} of nails	To a Small piece Shalloon
To 1 p ^s of Diaper	To 3 horses & 4 ^s head of Cattle
To 1 Close stool	To 49 Sheep
To a parcel of nails & hoes	To 1 Set of Iron wedges
To 1 Large Chest	To 1 Spade and grubbing hoe
To 2 Old Ditto	To 15 negroes
To 1 Deale box	To 1 fine hat
To a parcel of Ginger and paper	To 1 p ^s of Ornabrigs
To 1 Tin box & Civitviols	To 1 p ^s of fine holland
To a parcel of pewter & one Staddish	To 1 p ^s Course Lining
To 2 Spits & a p ^s of handirons	To 1 p ^s Capiloth
To 1 Ladle & Shimer & fleshfork	To 1 p ^s of Candlewicks & bed Cord
To 1 warming pan	To 1 Large saddle and bridle
To a parcel of Earthen ware	To 794 ^s p ^s of Tobacco
To 1 Coper Kettle	To 5790 ^s p ^s of Ditto
To a parcel of File Caste	To 23 barrels of Indian Corn
To a parcel of bottles	

To 1 Conoe
 To 1 Boate
 To 1 Brass Kettle
 To 1 old Hackney Saddle
 To 1 Cross cut Saw & 2 Iron pistles
 To 2 Tubbs with water pails & piggins
 To a parcel of hogs

To 2 Spikes & fopits
 To 7 Iron pots & 2 pot Trammels
 To 1 Little Trunk
 To 24 Sterling in bills of Exchange
 To 40 in Cash
 To 17 bushels of Wheat
 To 16: 16: 3 in money Sterling

July 15th 1724

This Inventory of the Estate of John Span Deed was presented to the Court by R. Span one of his Exors and is admitted to Record

Rich: Span Giles Webb

Test Rich: Lee & Blue

Inventory

A Inventory of Simon Boleys Estate Deed

To 4 feather beds and furniture
 To 1 feather bed and Rug one horse
 and bridle and Saddle
 To 1 Sidesaddle & bridle and some
 old horse harness
 To 6 Cows & 3 Calves and 3 heifers
 and Two young Steers
 To 3 Sows and Twenty year old Shee
 and Six Gees
 To wooden ware To 4 Chests
 Small Trunk and one old box 2 pails
 2 piggins 6 plates 6 Trenchers
 and 3 Tob^o h^o & one Rundlet
 and 7 Sider Casks and 2 Tubbs
 2 Tables one Tray and 1 Spining
 wheele
 To 2 gunns & 1 Suit of Cloaths
 and 1 Riding Coat 2 p^r Stockings
 and 1 p^r of Shoes and 1 hat and
 Grinding Stone

To Iron ware
 To 1 Crap Saw 1 Carpenters adze 1 narrow
 ax and 1 broad ax 1 Coopers ax 1 handsaw
 1 Drawing Knife and gemlet
 To 2 frying pans & 4 pots one Spit 1 of
 fier tongs one Shovel 6 hoes and Grubbing
 hoe to 3 wedges 10 h^o hooks and 1 box and
 heaters 2 meals of flers
 To pewter
 To 8 Dishes & Sixteen plates & basons &
 Salt Sillers
 To 3 Tankards & 1 Chamber pot & 1 sporing
 To Tin ware
 To 3 pans and 1 paper box 10 1 brass Skime
 To Earthen ware
 To 4 pans 4 plates & Two Chamber pots
 1 Jar & 5 potts and 3 Cups 10 1/2 glass bottle
 To some old glass
 To Looking Glass
 To 1 p^r of wool Cards
 To 2 Candlesticks

Ex

Errors Excepted by Sarah Boley

Edward
Tuckers
Power Att
to George
Eskridge

Know all men by these presents that Edward Tucher of Weymouth
and Milcomb Regis in the County of Dorset merchant do make
Constitute and appoint Capt George Eskridge of yeocomoco in the
County of Westmoreland in Virginia my true and Lawfull attorney
for me and in my name and to my use to ask demand & Receive
from all persons within the Colony of Virginia and Maryland
all such Debts as are due and payable to me for or by Reason of
any Contract Account Noat Bill Penal bond or obligation
whatsoever and I do also Give and Grant to my said attorney
full power and Lawfull Authority by under him one or more
attorney or attorneys to constitute and at his pleasure to
Revoke the Same and on non payment toimplead Arrest Sue
for Levy and Recover by course of Law all such Tobacco Sum
or Sums of money as are due and payable to me as aforesaid
and on Receipt thereof acquittance and Discharge in my name
to Give and finally to do such matters and things as I myself
might or could do were I personally present hereby Ratifying and
Confirming all that my said Attorney shall Lawfully Doe in
the premises In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and Seale this 23 day of September 1726

Signed and Sealed and delivered (being
first Lawfully Stamp'd) in the presence of E Tucher Sealed
Giles Lawrence Robert Firard
Silas Conden

Feb^r 15th 1726^r This power of Attorney of Edward Tucher Merch^t of
Weymouth to Maj^r Ge^o Eskridge was proved in
Northumberland County Court by the oath of Rob^t Firard
one of the evidences to the said power the said Firard also
swore that he saw Giles Lawrence and Silas Conden the
other Two witnesses sign the said Power who were both
drow'd in the paper into Brag and on the motion of th^r
Eskridge the said power is admitted to Record

Test Rich^d Lee Clerk

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This Indenture the fifteenth Day of february in the Eleventh
year of the Reign of our Sovereign King George by the Grace of God King
of Great Britain France & Ireland Defender of the Faith &c Annoq^{ue}
Domini 1724 between Griffin Fantheroy of the Parrish of St Stephens in
the County of Northumberland Gentle^{man} & Annehis wife of the one part and
William Fantheroy Son of the said Griffin Fantheroy & Annehis wife of
the other part Witnesseth that the said Griffin Fantheroy & Annehis
wife for and in consideration of ~~xx~~ five shillings to them in hand payd
by the said William Fantheroy the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged
have Bargained & Sold and by these presents doe Bargain & sell unto the
said William Fantheroy his Executors Administrators and assigns all that
Tract of Land Situate lying and Being in the aforesaid Parrish of

St Stephens and County of Northumberland Commonly Called or Known by the name of Bettyes Aeth containing by Estimation Two hundred acres be the same more or less as also another Tract of Land Commonly called the Cleab Plantation situate lying and being in the aforesaid Parish of St Stephens and County of Northumberland containing by Estimation Sixty nine acres be the same more or less Together with all Houses Dishes Buildings Gardens orchards Woods under Woods ways waters water Courses privileges Commodities and appurtenances whatsoever to the said Two several Tracts of Land and premises belonging or in any wise appertaining To Have and To Hold the said Two several Tracts of Land and all and singular other the premises with the appurtenances unto the said William Fawtheroy his Exec^r Adm^r and Assignes from the day next before the Day of the Day of these presents for and during and untill the full End and Term of one year from thence next Ensuing and fully to be Compleat^d & Ended yealding and paying therefor unto the said Griffin Fawtheroy and Annis wife there heirs or Assignes the Rent of one Car of Indian Corn at the feast of the nativity of our Bleped Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ next Ensuing if the same shall be lawfully Demanded to the end Intent and purpose that by virtue of these presents and of the Statute for Transferring uses into possession the said William Fawtheroy may be in the actual possession of the premises and thereby Enabled to accept & take a Grant and Release thereof to him and the heirs of his body In Witness whereof the parties first above named have subscribed to these present Indentures have Interchangeably set their hands & sealed the day & year first above written

Sealed and Delivered in the presence of
 Sam^l Godwin John Knott
 Griffin Fawtheroy Seale
 Anne Fawtheroy Seale

Die Martij 17th 1724/5
 M^{rs} Anne Fawtheroy party to this Lease was this Day privately examined Concerning the premises by us and said what she did was without Constraint

Rich^d Neale
 Charles Lee

March 17th 1724 This Lease was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by m^r Griffin Fawtheroy and m^{rs} Anne Fawtheroy privately examined by m^r Neale and m^r Charles Lee the said Anne acknowledged the said Deed of Lease to W^m Fawtheroy and is admitted to Record

Test: 

Shipped by the Grace of God in good order and well conditioned by Charles Lee man
 upon the Good Ship called the Rose Brigantine whereof is master under God for this present
 voyage Julius Eynon and now riding at anchor in the Westmoreland and by Gods Grace
 bound for Bidford to lay five hth of Tobb at six pounds p^r Tun being marked & being marked
 numbered as in the margin and are to be Delivered in the like good order and well conditioned
 at the aforesaid port of Bidford (the danger of the seas excepted) unto James Smith or to his
 assigns he or they paying freight for the said Goods with primage & average accostimes
 in witness whereof the master or purser of the said Ship hath affixed to the bill of lading
 all of this Tenor and Date of which Three bills being accomplished the other two shall be
 void and so God send the Good Ship to her Desired port and safe return Dated in
 May the 26th 1719

W
 Charles Lee
 Bill of Lading

At a Court held for Northumberland County March 15th 1726
 The above bill of lading was presented into Court by Cap^t: Charles Lee
 on his motion it was admitted to Record Test: *Richard Lee*

Know all men by these presents that I Elizabeth Winder of the parish of Copley in
 the County of Westmoreland am held and firmly bound unto William Beverly
 of the parish of St Annis in the County of Essex his heirs Executors & assigns in the
 Sum of five hundred pounds Sterling the which payment well and truly to be
 made I bind my Self my heirs Executors & assigns firmly by these presents in witness
 whereof I have therunto set my hand & Seal this 24th Day of January Anno
 Domini 1724

Wm Beverly
 Bond to
 Wm Beverly

Whereas the above bound Elizabeth Winder hath this day agreed with the abovesaid
 Wm Beverly to stand to and abide by the bounds lines & Divisions which James
 Thomas Gent Surveyor shall make lay of an mark between the abovesaid parishes
 in Brevelons Wick in the parish of St Stephens in the County of Northumberland
 The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Elizabeth and
 her heirs do shall stand to and forever abide by the bounds lines Division and Deter-
 mination which the above said James Thomas Gent shall make between her the said
 Elizabeth and the above said Wm Beverly in the lands aforesaid and as soon as may be
 after the said Division acknowledge the same in the County Court of Northumberland
 then the above obligation to be void and of None Effect Else to be and Remain
 in full force power and Virtue
 Signed Sealed and Delivered
 Elizabeth Winder & Seal.

in the presence of us November the 16th 1726
 Henry Lee
 In Footman
 This bond was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Eliz^r
 Winder to Richard Lee Lawfull attorney of William Beverly Gent and
 is admitted to Record Test Richard Lee

Know all men by these presents that I William Beverly of the parish of St Annis in the County
 of Essex have made Ordained Constituted and appointed and do hereby make Ordain
 Constitute and appoint Richard Lee of Northumberland County Gent my True and
 Lawfull Attorney for me and in my name to acknowledge my part of an indenture for
 the Settlement of the bounds of my one Thousand Acres of land in Brevelons Wick in
 Northumberland County Dated the Twenty Eighth Day of September last un hundred
 and Twenty Six Between Elizabeth Winder late of the parish of Copley in the County of
 Westmoreland but now of the parish of St Stephens in the County of Northumberland the one
 and me William Beverly and also do authorize my Attorney to receive the said
 Elizabeths Acknowledgment thereof and let the same be Recorded In Witness whereof
 I have hereunto put my hand and Seal this 29th Day of September last 1726
 Signed & Sealed in presence of
 Henry Lee
 In Footman
 Ambros Callis
 William Callis
 Beverly Seal

Wm Beverly
 Power Att^y
 to R. Lee Gent

November 16th 1726
 This Power of Attorney of Wm Beverly to Richard Lee was proved in
 Northumberland County Court by the Oaths of Henry Lee John Footman
 and Ambros Callis Witnesses thereto is admitted to Record
 Test Rich: Lee

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Wm
Beverly

This Indenture made the Twenty Eighth day of September in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred and Twenty Six Between Elizabeth Winder late of the Parrish of Copely in the County of Westmorland but now of the parrish of St. Stephens in the County of Northumberland widow of the one part & William Beverly of the parrish of St. Wills in the County of Essex Gent: of the other part Whereas the said Elizabeth by her certain Deeds of Lease & Release bearing Date the fourth and fifth days of March in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred and Twenty Three for the Consideration therein mentioned Did convey unto the said William Beverly his heirs & assigns one Thousand acres of Land with the appurtenances Situate lying & being in Brextons Neck in the parrish of St. Stephen in the County of Northumberland and Did Enter into one bond or obligation bearing Date the Twenty fifth Day of January in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred and Twenty five to the said William Beverly in the penalty of five hundred Pounds Sterling Conditioned to stand to such Bonds as James Thomas Gent Surveyor of Lancaster County pursuant to the agreement of the said Parties hath since Surveyed and laid out the said one Thousand acres and settled and Determined the bounds thereof as followeth Beginning at a marked pine Tree in a branch of Tasmenders Creek and Extending thence North 24 Degrees East five hundred and forty two poles to a Stake in a neck called bever Dam Neck between Two branches of the Great Pond from thence north 88 Degrees west Two hundred & seventy two poles to a marked white oak by the Road side from thence south 42 Degrees West Seventeen poles to a Sweet Gum on the Side of a Gully from ^{that} south 17 Degrees East Down the said branch to the head of a Cove that parts the plantation where Wm Fisher lately dwelt and the plantation where Thomas Reeves now lives thirty six poles to Two small Red oaks from thence Down the several meadows and water courses of the Creek & River to Hells Point to a marked persimmon Tree on the Bay Side from thence up the bay to the mouth of Tasmenders Creek from thence up the said Creek to the head of a branch thereof to the place it began Including the Island as by the Survey and plat hereunto annexed doth appear NOW This Indenture Witnesseth that for the Removing and preventing all Disputes and Controversies which may hereafter arise Touching or Concerning the bounds of the said one Thousand acres it is hereby mutually agreed between the said Elizabeth Winder & William Beverly that the bounds aforesaid so settled and Determined by the said James Thomas shall for ever be and Remain the True bound of the said one Thousand acres of Land never hereafter to be Disputed or Controverted between them or their heirs And the said Elizabeth Winder doth by these presents Give Grant and Confirm unto the said William Beverly his heirs & assigns the said one Thousand acres of Land within the said bounds To Have and To Hold the said one Thousand acres of Land with the appurtenances unto the said William Beverly his heirs & assigns for ever In Witness whereof the said parties have hereunto set their hands and Affixed their seals the Day & year above written

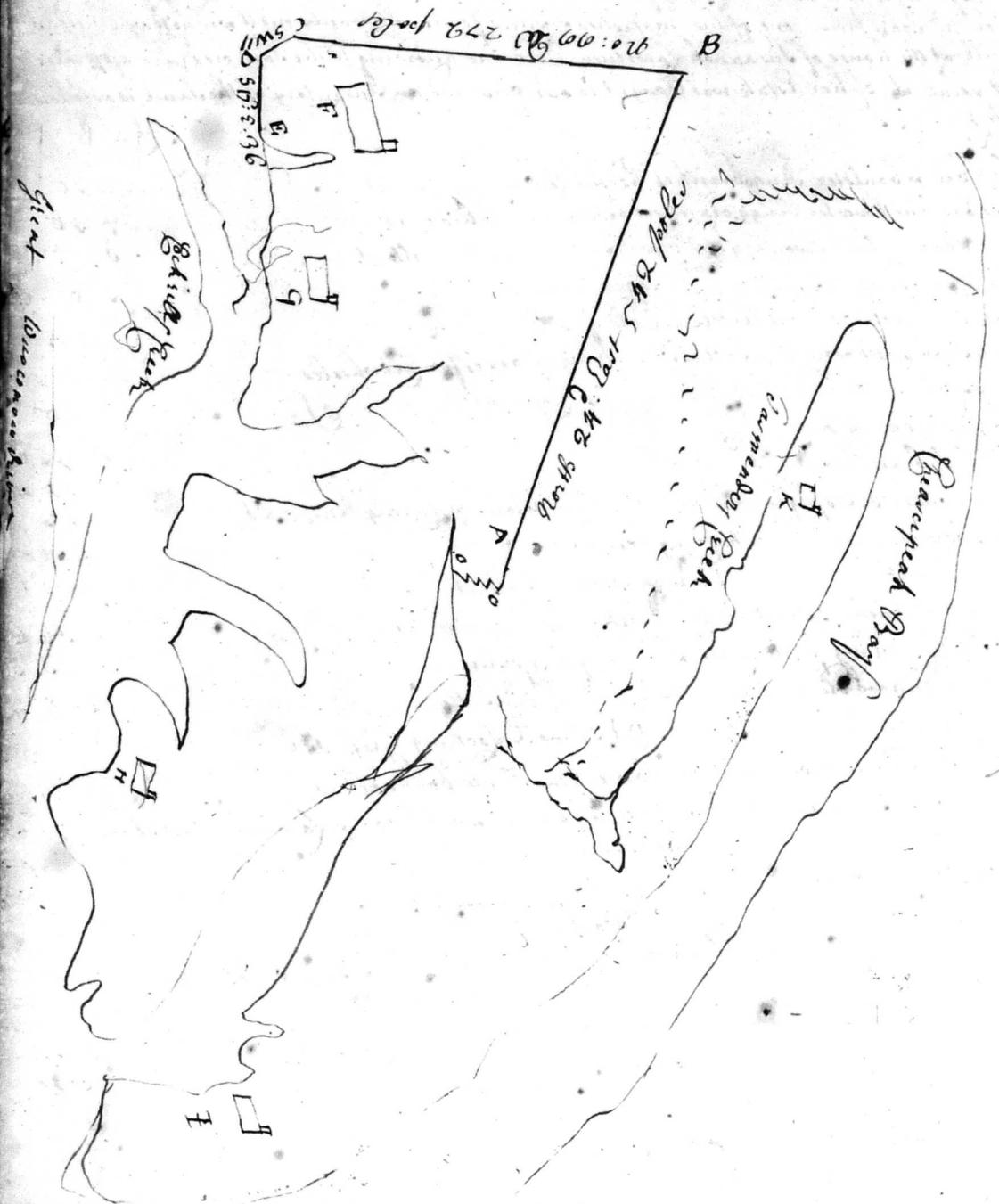
in presence of us
Henry Lee
Jn: Hootman
Ambrose Callis
William Callis

Elizabeth Winder (Seal)
W Beverly (Seal)

At a Court held for Northumberland County on the 16th day of Nov^r 1726

This Deed was in open Court acknowledged by Eliz^a Winder to be her act & Deed & together with the annexed Plat admitted to Record & is Recorded

Test: R. Lee Ct. Cler.



Invent
Susan
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This survey for Capt William Beverley of the County of Spis one thousand Acres of Land situated lying & being in the County of Northampton land and was purchased by him the said Capt Beverley of Mrs Elizabeth Windsor and being part of Beverly Neck bounded as follows viz beginning at a marked line vice at A in the Chain and extending thence north 24 East 542 poles to a Stake in a neck called Bever Dam Neck between two branches of the Great pond from thence No 88 west 27 poles to a marked white oak by the Road side from thence South 43 West 17 poles to a sweet Gum on the side of a Gulle from thence South 17 East Down the Branch to the head of a Cove that parts the plantation where William Fisher Dwells and the plantation where Tho Reeves now lives 36 poles to two small red oaks from thence Down the several meanders and water courses of the Creek and River to fleets point to a marked persimmon between the Bay side from thence up the bay to the mouth of Tammenders Creek from thence up the said Creek to the head of a branch thereof to the place it began including the whole land surveyed by me James Thomas Sur of Lancaster County
 A is the beginning pine tree nigh Jones pasture fence AB is with 24 East 542 poles B is a Stake in the Bever Dam Neck BC is North 28 West 272 poles C is a marked white oak by the Road D is South 43 West 17 poles D is a sweet Gum on the side of a Gulle DE is South 17 East 36 poles E is two small red oaks at the head of the Cove F is the house where Wm Fishers lives G is the house where Thomas Campbell lives H is Tho Smiths house tenant for life I is the house where Mr Robert Jones lives on fleets point K is a Tobacco house on the Island or peninsula L is the mouth of Tammenders Creek M is fleets point N is the house where Tho Reeves lives O is in Jones pasture fence

Northumberland County

In obedience to an order of the above said County Court Dated march the 17th 1724 we the appraisers in the said order appointed whose names are under written being first sworn before m^r John Keene one of his majesties Justices for the said County mett wednesday the 11th of april at the house of Susannah Lawrence Deed and according to the said order did appraise and value wth of her Estate was brought to our view and an Inventory of the same is as follows

Inventory
Susan na
Lawrence
Estate

To 1 bed & bolster Rugg blanket bedsted (red and hide) all at	3 10
To 1 bed and bolster Rugg blanket bedsted (red & hide) at	3 10
To 1 large Chest Two arged ^d with locks and keys all at	1 5
To a parcel of Carpenters and Coopers Tools	1 0 0
To 3 Iron potts & Iron Kettle all old q ^t 55 ^{lb} at 5 ^{pp}	19 7
To 2 Iron potthooks 3 a set of Iron Rings & boxes for Cart wheels	13 0
To 1 Iron pistle and other old Iron 5 a Crookettle w th rest old 5	10 -
To 1 large brass kettle q ^t 42 at 28 ^{pp}	3 2 6
To 1 old brass kettle q ^t 57 at 8	11 4
To 1 candle box 1 pair fier Tonges 1 small Stilliard & Cutting Knife at	12
To 1 box of shears and Chafing dish all old	2
To 7 q ^t bottles & some old Earthen ware sold at	2 6
To 2 pott racks 1 spitt old flesh forks & table & slicer at	13 6
To 2 old frying pans & old Iron Driping pan	13
To 37 of good old pewter at 29 ^{pp} 37 ^{pp} old Ditto at 8 11 ^{pp}	2 8 4
To 1 small bellmettle Skillet & 1 small looking glass 1 16	4 6
To 1 small old bible and some other small old books all at	5
To 1 leather old Trunk 1 old Chair Table 1 small old box & large old Chair at	10 -
To 2 old broken Cans and 9 bottles at	4
To 1 old Linn wheale & 2 flacks braks	5
To a parcel of old wooden household ware at	12 6
To 7 old Casque 11 ^{lb} 12 ^{lb} old Tubbs 12 ^{lb} Iron wedges 10 ^{lb} & parcel of old Lumber	1 17
To 6 Cows and one Calfe	8 00
To 4 young Shears 1 young bull all at	3 15
To 2 Three years old heffers at	2 10
To 3 yearling at 4	1 0 0
To 1 horse one old mair & 1 2 years old mair all at	7 0 0
Signum John F Hertley	
45 02 09	

Richard Tullus
Matt Keener
Sam Bonum

March the 19th 1725
This Inventory of the Estate of Susanna Lawrence Deed was presented to the Court by John Hertley Administrator of the said Deed and on his motion it is Decreed

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Northumberland County

In obedience to an order of the above County Court Dated the 17th day of March 1724/5 we the appraisers appointed in the said order whose names are under written being first sworn before in John Keene one of his majesties Justices for the said County Mett laterd the 17th of April 1725 at the house of Mr Annes

Opie & Deed and according to the Directions of the said order did value & appraise the said Dec Estate in money and an inventory of the same is as followeth Viz

Item 28 of old pewter at 2 p 16 s 4 p 32 of good D ^o 12 2	0 8	11
Item 1 Gold Mill at 30 s 9 of largest hand Irons 2 s	0 2	05
Item 1 Good Iron and other old Iron 13 s 11 of large scales & wails 6	0	19
Item 6 th old pewter at 2 p 8 s a riddle and rive at 2 s		5 9
Item 6 th of old D ^o at 7 3 s 6 and a parcel of Earthen ware at	0 5	3 6
Item 1 puler stool pans at		3 0
Item a parcel of holland waire 30 s 1 Chainy Coule 2 s 6	5	12 6
Item 7 of wool at 4 p		2 4
Item 1 Sugg 5 s 1 Cooping Glafs 3		1 3
Item 52 Leather Chairs at 5 s 1 p 5 (aine D ^o at 5 s 1 p	4	5
Item 1 Chest of Drawers 30 s 1 Gunn 20 s	2	15
Item 1 large broken looking Glafs a warming pans other things		19
Item 1 Good New bed Curtins & Ballins Egg & suitable furniture	8	00
Item 2 beds boulders pillows & furniture at	10	00
Item 1 bed boulder 2 pillows Rugg Blanketts & furnished	35	19 8
Item 8 th of New feathers at 12 p 3 s 2 y of wing a Cloath	3	00
Item 11 yds of Linsinning at 2 p		3 3
Item 1 yd of Talls at 5 p		7 4
Item 40 of Nails at 5 p	1	07 7
Item 1 old horse 10 s 1 p 2 Eight bottles 9 s 4		16 8
Item 1 large Earthen Pott with some molapes 1 brass Candler		19 4
Sick and 1 large pewter spoon		7 00
Item 2 old brass Skillets and other small things		10 00
Item 1 p of small Shilliards		11 00
Item a parcel of Carpenters Tools and some old Iron	0 2	00 00
Item a Case with 6 bottles of fifty Gallon Casque 2 Eggs 1 old Churn	0 5	00 00
Item 1 Chest		12 00
Item 1 Suit of womans Cloaths		0 2 05 00
Item 1 Suit of D ^o		0 5 10 00
Item 1 Suit of Dunjar Ditto 1 p of Keys & Leather Trunk	5	05 00
Item a parcel of hoggs at 6 s 1 p	15	08 00
Item 1 womans Saddle & bridles 10 s a parcel of Candles & box 4 s	0 0	14 00
Item 1 old Chest & 8 old Tables	0 5	15 00
Item 25 sheep at 6 p & 13 lambs at 2 s 1 p	12	02 6
Item 7 Cows and Calves at 35 s 1 p 12 5 10 & 2 barren Cows 3 is	82	05 4 1/2
Item 4 Large Stears at 25 s 8 2 open 5 & one bull 20 s is	15	05 00
Item 3 Two years old Stears at 15 s 1 p & 4 heffers at 10 s 1 p	0 9	04 00
	0 4	04 00

Item 3 yearlings at 8/6	02 00 00
Item 5 knives & forks and box	00 04 00
Item a parcel of Sand Leather at	05 12 06
Item one old Cascut Saw	00 05 00
Item Table Linen and bedding Linen	03 00 00
Item 3/4 yds of Shrip holland at 2/6	00 08 09
Item 3/4 yds of Diced Canvas at 12	00 03 09
Item Goods out of England as p ^{ce} acc ^t from thence in Currency	02 17 02
Item 1 head Dress	05 25 00
Item to the Rest of an Opie wearing apparrel	08 00 00
Item 1 Sack of mohair a parcel of bottom & p ^{ce} of Strars	00 02 40
Item a parcel of Books one Jug box	05 05 00
Item 1 horse 40/6 & 1 mare 30/6 her Riding horse 30/6	05 00 00
Item 12 head of Cattle at 15/6 & 1 Cow & 1 calf 20/6	16 10 00
Item 2 yearlings	00 16 00
Item one old Crabs pott sold Tin pan & 1 pott: 4 shoes & 1 cap	00 12 00
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Item 1 Corn Cradle and a parcel of Lumber at the quarter	158 97 6 1/2
Item 1 yearling 8/6 & 12 hogs 3: 12	05 00 00
Item 9 Sider Casque 1 wooling wheels & Grindstones	04 00 00
Item 1 Sword	02 00 00
Item 10 bushels of wheat at 1/6 p ^{ce}	00 15 00
Item 1 Iron potts 1 little Ditto 1 potrach 1 Spitt 1 p ^{ce} of flesh forks	03 17 6
1 Cradle one frying pan 1 brass Kettle & pothooks	03 10 00
Item 1 spiggin one old bucket 1 pair of Tubbs & 1 old Table	00 15 00
Item 1 old floths bed old 1 meale Tubb	00 08 00
Item Silver 1/10 Cash 8/6	00 16 07
Item 1 p ^{ce} of Gould 2/6 & 1 Silver spoon 12/6 & 1 Silver Cup 20/6	03 09 06
Item 1 p ^{ce} of broken old Gould bodds	00 12 06
Item 3 mourning rings 11/6 & 1 Seal Ring 20/6	03 10 00
Item 1 Stone Ring	05 00 00
Item 1 p ^{ce} of silver buckels 3/6 & 1 p ^{ce} of money scales 4/6	00 08 00
Item 1 small Trunch 2/6 & 10 of Dry pork at 2 1/2 10/6	00 12 05
Item 6 1/2 Gallons of brandy at 2/6 p ^{ce}	04 15 03
Item 5 1/2 of Dry beef at 1 1/2 p ^{ce} is 6/6 & 1 Gallon 19 molasses at 1/6	00 08 03
Item 4 m 11 miles at 2/6 p ^{ce} and 700: 10 Ditto at 4/6	157 05 05
Item 1 Suit of mens Cloaths and other small things	00 11 00
Item 1 p ^{ce} of small bellows at 2/6 & 16 Grees 16/6	02 15 00
Item 2 Good hides & Two ordinary D ^o	00 18 00
Item 1 Cart & wheels	00 08 00
Item 1 pot and Lumber in the quarter	05 00 00
Item 2 oval baggs	00 06 00
Item 1 Good bed and furniture	00 03 00
Item 1 small Chest	07 00 00
Item Remainder Lumber in Groff	00 03 00
one pair of Silver Clasps	06 00 00

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 Wm. Cornish
 Henry Baggett Wm. Metcalf

13 May 19th 1725
 This Inventory of the Estate of Linn Opie Deed was presented to the Court
 by Griffin Faulkney and on his motion it is Recorded

Kate & Sarah belonging
 10 Susannah Opie

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In pursuance to an order of Court held for Northumberland County dated the 17th of March anno 1724/5 Granted Sarah Dollins adm^r of John Dollins Decd for the appraisment of the said Decd Estate we the subscribers being sworn before m^r John Keene one of his Majesties Justices for the said County have appraised what of the said Estate was presented unto us by the said adm^r as followeth viz

Inventory
John Dollins
Estate

To 25 Sheep at	08 08 00	To an old Gun at	00 15 00
To 11 hogs at	03 18 00	To 15 spoons at	00 03 06
To 33 Gees at	03 13 00	To a pair of piggin	00 03 00
To 2 Stear at 5 year old	04 00 00	To a parsell of old Iron	00 02 06
To 1 Stear at 4 year old	03 08 00	To 6 quart bottles at	00 02 00
To 2 Stears at 2 year old	03 18 00	To a Saddle and bridle at	00 06 06
To 4 barren Cows at	07 00 00	To 2 frying pans at	00 02 06
To 2 heffers at	03 04 00	To 2 Iron pots at	00 19 00
To 3 yearlings at	03 03 00	To 1 D ^o at	00 04 10
To 3 hogs at	00 15 00	To 1 D ^o at	00 02 03
To a parcel of old Books	00 10 00	To a pestle and small p ^o of fier Tong	00 06 06
To a horse at	03 00 00	To a box iron & heaters	00 03 00
To 3 hogs at	00 10 00	To an old Hittles & some Lumber	00 03 00
To a feather & boulder Rugg	04 10 00	To a parcel of old Ditto	00 13 00
1 blanket sheet (each side & lined)		To 4 hogs at	00 16 00
To an old mare & year old Colt	02 10 00	To sum fishing hooks & lines	00 03 08
To an old Goat vest & breeches	00 15 00	To sum old Lumb ^r	00 12 00
To a feathered & boulder rugg & other kett ^l of seals hid. (each side)	05 10 00		
To 6 old Naphins at	00 03 00		
To 4 ^{lb} of powder at 10	03 13 04		
To a doz ⁿ of plates at	00 12 00		
To an old Chest at	00 05 00		

Sarah S Dollins

Matt^w Neale
Robert Clark
James Gardner
Richard booth

May the 19th 1725 This Inventory of the Estate of John Dollins Decd was presented to Northumberland County Court by Sarah Dollins adm^r of the said Decd and is admitted to the record

Test J. Keene

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George Chilton of the County of Northumberland and Parrish of ⁹³⁴ wicocomoco in the Colony of Virginia Do hereby authorize Depute and Impower Cary Heble to be my Lawfull attorney for me and in my name to acknowledge all my Right and Title to a Deed of Gift bearing Wen Date with these presents to my Grand Daughter Judith Purcell &c Relation therunto being had may more fully and at large appear and what my said attorney shall Lawfully Doe in the premises Touching such Deed of Gift in Northumberland County Court I Doe hereby Ratifie and Confirm as with nee my hand and seal this 9th Day of October Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred & Twenty four

West John Nash Charles Craven
Mag^r X^r Dameron Walter Pasquitt

George Chilton Seal

Jan. 20th 1724/5 This Power of Attorney from Ge^o: Chilton to Cary Heble was proved by the Oaths of John Nash & Charles Craven Witnesses thereto & is admitted to Record

Test Rich^d: Lee Clerk

To all To whome to whome this present Indenture shall come I George Chilton of the County of Northumberland and Parrish of wicocomoco in the Colony of Virginia Greeting. Now Know ye that I the said George Chilton for the Natural Love & Affection I have and bare unto my Loving Grand Daughter Judith Purcell Daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Purcell and for the said Judiths better preferment and Advantage and for Divers other Good Causes and Considerations me therunto moving have Given and Granted and by these presents Doe fully and absolutely Give and Grant and make over unto my said Loving Grand Daughter and her heirs Lawfully begotten of her body for Ever Three Negroes (to witt) a Girl Called Murea and a Girl Called Frank and a boy Called Joe Together with the said Negro Girls Increase and in Case of the want of such heirs as aforesaid I Give the said Negroes and there Increase to George Purcell and Thomas Purcell Sons of the aforesaid Thomas and Elizabeth Purcell to the said George and Thomas and there heirs forever which Gift is to be understood to Descend to my said Grand Daughter &c as aforesaid at or upon the Deaths of my self and Loving wife Elizabeth (Chilton) To have and to hold the said Negroes and there Increase as aforesaid forever in as full and ample manner as Can by words or writing be Express or Done in wittnes whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this 9th Day of October Anno Domini one thousand seven hundred and Twenty four

Signed Sealed & Delivered in the presence of
John Nash Charles Craven Walter Pasquitt

George Chilton Seal

Jan. 20th 1724/5 This Deed of Gift was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Cary Heble Attorney of George Chilton to Judith Purcell and is Recorded

Test Rich^d: Lee Clerk

I George Chilton of the County of Northumberland & Parrish of Great wicocomoco in the Colony of Virginia Do hereby authorize Depute and Constitute Cary Heble to be my Lawfull attorney for me and in my name to acknowledge all my Right and Title to a Deed of Gift bearing Wen Date with these presents to Judith Chilton Daughter of Penoni and Ann Chilton &c Relation being therunto had may more fully and at large appear and what my said attorney shall Lawfully Doe in the premises Touching such Deed of Gift in Northumberland County Court I Doe hereby Ratifie and Confirm as with nee my hand and seal this 9th Day of October one thousand seven hundred and Twenty four

West John Nash Charles Craven

George Chilton Seal

Jan. 20th 1724/5 This Power of Attorney from Ge^o: Chilton to Cary Heble was proved in Northumberland County Court by the Oaths of John Nash and Charles Craven Witnesses thereto and is admitted to Record

Test Rich^d: Lee Clerk

George Chelton
Deed to
Judith
Chelton

To all to whome this Present Indenture shall come I George Chelton of the County of Northumberland and Parrish of wicocomoro in the Colony of Virginia send Greeting
 Now know ye that The said George Chelton for some particular causes & Considerations
 me hereunto moving have Given and Granted and by these presents doe fully & absolutely
 Give and Grant and make Over unto Judith Chelton Daughter of Benoni & Ann Chelton
 and her heirs lawfully begotten of her body for ever a Negroe Girl named Mary and
 her Increase and in case of the want of such heirs as aforesaid I Give the said Negroe
 and Increase to Stephen Chelton son of the aforesaid Benoni and Ann Chelton and his
 heirs for ever (which Gift is to be understood to Desend to the said Judith Chelton
 & at or upon the Death of my self and loving wife Elizabeth Chelton To Have
 and To Hold the said Negroe Girl and her Increase as aforesaid forever in as
 full and ample manner as can by words or writing be Express or Implied willneff
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this 17th Day of
 October Anno Domini one Thousandth hundred and Twenty four
 signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of
 John Nash Charles ^{Esq} Caven George Chelton Seal

Land: 90th 1724/5

This deed of Gift from George Chelton to Judith Chelton was Acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Cary Noble Attorney of the sd Geo^e Chelton to the said Judith Chelton and is Recorded

Test Rich. Lee Clerk

Benjamin
Anne Palmer
Deed to
Robert
Duack

To all Christian people to whome these presents shall come we Benjamin
 palmer and anne Palmer his wife of the County of Northumberland in Virginia send
 Greeting in our Lord God everlasting Now know ye that we the said Benjamin
 palmer and anne palmer for and in the Consideration of the sum of fifteen hundred
 Pounds of Tob^o to us in hand paid or secured to be payd by the said Robert Duack
 of the County of Northumberland aforesaid the Part whereof we do hereby acknowledge
 and every of them do acquit and Discharge the said Robert Duack his heirs and admors
 and assigns and every of them by these presents have remised Released and forever
 quit Claimed and by these presents do for us our heirs Executors or admors Remise
 Release and for ever quit Claim unto the aforesaid Robert Duack and to his heirs and assigns forever
 in his full and peaceable possession being all our right Title Interest & Demand which we ever
 had now have or hereafter may have or ought to have or Claim of in and to one Certain
 plantation Teniment and tract of Land Situate and being in the Parrish of wicocomoro in
 Northumberland County aforesaid containing one hundred acres of Land lying on the head
 of a Creek commonly called Breckan Creek Springing out of Great wicocomoro River
 being part of a patent of Two hundred and fifty acres of Land Granted anno 1632 by
 Richard Bennett Esq^r: to Henry wicker the which aforesaid one hundred acres of Land
 being since held and possessed by certain David Orland ^{2nd 1708} and is the Land on which the said
 Robert Duack now dwells and is in possession of so that we the said Benjamin Palmer and
 Anne Palmer nor any other person or persons for us in our names or in our Rights any
 Right Title Claim Demand or Interest of in or to the aforesaid plantation Teniment
 and tract of Land nor of it or to any part or parcel thereof shall hereafter have
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Claim Demand or Interest of in or to the aforesaid Plantation Tenement or Tract of Land shall be Excluded and for ever Debar'd by these presents and we the said Benjamin Palmer and Anne Palmer and our heirs the aforesaid plantation Tenement and Tract of Land Every part and parcel thereof unto the said Robert Duack his heirs and Assignes for ever against us the said Benjamin Palmer and Anne Palmer our heirs and against Every other person or person whatsoever Lawfully Claiming or which at any time forever hereafter Lawfully may Claim any Estate Right title or Interest of in or to the aforesaid Plantation Tenement and Tract of Land or any part and parcel thereof by from or under us the said Benjamin Palmer and Anne Palmer our heirs or Assignes or any of us shall and will forever warrant and Defend by these presents in Witness whereof we the said Benjamin Palmer and Anne Palmer have hereunto set our hands and Seales this 14th day of September 1725

Signed Sealed and Delivered in presence of
 Tho^s Berry John Bashford
 Rich^d **H** Anonab
 Ben^d B Palmer Seal
 Ann^r A Palmer Seal

Mem^d that the words Grand father th
 to the said Anne Palmer between the 11th & 12th lines were inserted before the
 Insealing and Delivery of these presents
 Mem^d Ann Palmer was Examined according to Law Concerning the
 premises within mentioned and she said what she did was without
 Constraint
 John Heene Sam^l Blackwell

October the 20th 1725
 This Deed of Indenture was acknowledged in Northumberland County County
 Court by Benjamin Palmer and Ann his wife (the said Ann being privately Exam-
 ined by Mr. John Heene and Mr. Sam^l Blackwell) unto Rob^t Duack and is admitted
 to Record
 Test^r Rich^d Lee Sec^r

James
Waddy
Will

In the Name of God Amen I James waddy of the County of Northumberland being well Stricken in years but of perfect sense and memory and Calling to mind the uncertainty of this life do prepare make and Declare this my last will and Testament in manner and form following Inprimis I Resigne and Recommend my Immortal Soul into the hand of my Blessed Saviour and Redeemer Christ Jesus in firm hope and belief through his meritorious Death and Passion to Receive pardon and forgiveness of all my sins and a Joyfull Resurrection at the Last Day to Eternal Bliss and happiness and for what worldly Estate God in the abundance of his mercy hath been pleased to allow me I Dispose thereof through his permission in manner and form following

Item it is my will that my loving wife so long as she remains my widow have to enjoy half my now dwelling plantation half the houses & half the orchards thereon and the benefit of the labour of those four Negroes, ^{Sarah} Tom and Nell to her use and advantage

Item I Give to my loving wife her wearing appurillls and all her choice of any horse or mare I have together with her Bedstead and furniture and all the Linen and wooll that I have in the house and all my hogs and one Trunk which is marked with the letters E W and one feather bed and bolster & one pair of Blanketts one warming pan and one Close stool

Item I Give and bequeath to my son Frances waddy the other half of my said dwelling plantation with the houses and orchards and appurtenances During his mothers my oforsaid wifes life and at her Decease I Give all my said dwelling plantation with the land and appurtenances thereunto belonging to my son Francis waddy and the heirs of his body lawfully begotten and for want of such heirs I Give the said land and appurtenances thereunto belonging to my son Benjamin & his heirs forever

Item I Give to my son Francis and the heirs of his body the land I have neare Scotland will it being part of hoppers pottin and for want of heirs of the body of my son Francis I Give the said land and premises to my son Benjamin and his heirs forever

Item it is my will and Desire and Do hereby order and Devise that from and after the Decease of my said loving wife my son Francis have two Negroes Tom & Nell and there Increase for ever

Item it is my will and Desire and Do hereby order and Devise that from and after the Decease of my said loving wife my son Benjamin have two Negroes Tom & Nell and there Increase for ever

Item I Give to my son Francis four Negroes Sarah will Judy and Lucy and my large folding Table and Chest of Drawers and one large Chest and one still and worm to him and his heirs forever

Item I Give to my son Benjamin three Negroes Nan Jack and Jeff one Limbrick and my large Looking Glass to him and his heirs forever

Item I Give to my son Benjamin son my Negroe boy Moses

Item I Give to my Son Daughter Benjamin Ann my negroe Girl Sarey

Item I Give to my Son Daughter Benjamin Tomimah my negroe boy bristo

Item I Give to my Son in Law William olliphint my best Suit of apperrell I shall die master of and the next best to my son in Law John olliphint all the rest and remainder part of my Estate my debts and funeral expences being paid I Give and Devise to be Equally Divided between my loving wife and Two sons Francis and Benjamin and Do hereby appoint my said sons Francis and Benjamin whole and Sole Executors of this my last will and Testament and I Do hereby Revok all former wills and Testaments by me made and it is my further Desire that my Estate be not Inventoried nor appraised and I Doe Declare this and none other to be taken for my last will and Testament in Confirmation whereof I have hereunto set my hand and fixed my Seal this fiftenth day of march 1724/5

Signed Seald and attested in presence of us
William Bently John F. olliphint John Hill Die Aug. 15. 1725 James Waddy Seale

This will was proved in Northumberland County Court to be the last will & Testament of James waddy Deed by the oaths of Wm Bently John olliphint and John Hill and is admitted to Record

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Wm Keene
Will

In the Name of God Amen the 25 day of October annoq Domini 1725
 I William Keene of the County of Northumberland in the Colony of Virginia being
 of sound and perfect mind and memory thanks be to God almighty for the same
 Doe make this my last will and Testament in manner and forme following
 Revoking & absolutely annulling all and Every will and wills here before by me
 made Either by word or writing and this only to be taken for my last will & Testament
 and none other first I Give my Soul to God that gave it me and my body to the Earth
 from whence it came to be buried in such Decent and Christian manner as my Executors
 hereafter mentioned shall see convenient Trusting through the merits of my Beloved
 Saviour Jesus Christ to find free pardon for all my Sins
 Item I Give to my Sister Elizabeth Lee and her heirs forever all that part of Land I had of
 her in Lancaster County according to the bounds she claimed it by
 Item I Give to my Sister anne Metcalf and her heirs forever the Remaining part of my
 Land in Lancaster County it being that part I had of her
 Item I Give to my Loving Daughter Elizabeth Keene Tenn negroes (viz) Tom
 her body lawfully to be begotten also one Good feather bed bolster Pillow & pillowcases
 Item I Give to my Loving Daughter Elizabeth Keene five Cows one Bull four Years
 bred sheep to her and her heirs forever it is also my will and Desire that my said Daugh-
 ter Elizabeth Keene be and Remain in the hands of m^r William Ball Jun^r and at
 the Expiration of Twelve months after the probat of my will that my Executrix
 Deliver unto the said Ball all the Estate I have given unto my said Daughter
 Elizabeth Keene he Giving the Court Good Security to be accountable for the same
 and the profits thereof
 Item I Give to my Son Newton Keene Two hundred and Sixty acres of Land in
 Cherry point known by the name of the falls to him and his heirs forever
 Item I Give to my Son Newton Keene Eight Negroes (viz) Billicom winny willie
 Cake Sam Harry & Tony to him the said Newton Keene and his heirs forever also Two
 Good feather beds with bolsters ^{pillow} pillowcases Two p^r Sheets Blankets and Rugs
 Item I Give to my Son Newton Keene all my plate Except six Spoons marked T, B
 and old broken Silver and Gould also I Give to my Son five Cows one Bull four Years
 bred and Ten Sheep to him and his heirs and my will and Desire is that my said Son during the
 time of his minority be and Remain with his Estate in the hands of my Loving wife Elizabeth
 Keene and Cap^t Thomas Newton and if they Die before my Son come to age then
 Leave my said Son and his Estate in the hands of my Loving brother Thomas Martin and one
 who the said Newton shall appoint
 Item I Give unto my Loving wife Elizabeth Keene four Negroes (viz) Billy George Samson
 and Jeremy to her my said wife and her heirs forever Item I Give unto my Loving wife Elizabeth
 Keene my plantation whereon I now Live containing Two hundred and forty acres for & during
 her Natural Life and after her Decease thereof my Son Newton Keene and his heirs forever
 also I Give unto my Loving wife five Negroes (viz) Jellis Joan nanne Little Jenny & Violet
 for and during her Natural Life and after her Decease thereof to my said Son and his heirs
 forever
 Item it is my will and Pleasure that my molatto Charles be free at the age of Twenty
 four years and it is also my will that my molatto Tom above be free at the age of
 thirty one years and be Transported into mary Land

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I have Given unto my Loving wife all the rest of my Estate herein not by me before Given she paying all my Just Debts and I Expressly Desire that no part of my Estate be appraised and lastly do make constitute ordain and appoint my Loving wife Elizabeth then Executrix of this my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal the Day & year above written

Signed Sealed & Delivered in the presence of

In^o John Sam^l Bonum

In^o Galle and Parrish Garner

Die Feb^o 2^o 1725

William Keene Seal

This will was proved in Northumberland County Court to be the last will and Testament of William Keene & c by the oaths of Sam^l Bonum and John Galle witnesses in the said will and is recorded

J. Lutter

Inventory of Capt^s Haynes Estate

An Inventory of Capt^s Haynes Estate Deceased to the supboard and Two feather beds 2 flocks beds and 5 Truckell bed and 5^o of hand Irons 2 Spits To Two Tables & 3 Chests and 5 pare of bellows and 56 Chairs and Six pots and 4 pair of pot-hooks & 4 piggin and 2 pales & Two Tubbs & 1 powdering Tubb and 3 firing pans and aopper Skillet one Bellmettle mortar & pistle and 2 brass Candlesticks & 4 pewter wons & 5 Dishes & 2^o of plates & 3 saucers 2 sets of Saukards & 1 Saukard one point pott a Salt Sillers & 5 pewter mustard pott & 3 Graters & 4 pewter Basons & 2 Dor^o & 4 Spoons & 3^o of tier Tonge 2 fier shovels 3 pott Racks Grid Iron 2 Spades one wimble bit one smoothing Iron & heaters 5^o of screws 5 sett of Lion wedges 4 Tuggs & butter potts 1 Iron pottle a pair of wool cards 2 sifers 2^o of Taylors shears 2 pair of scissars 1 pair of sheep shears one Crasping Dish 4 spinning wheels & 1 brass snuffbox one piece of a Saukard 3 Tobaccos boxes one pewter bottle a old pewter pott one looking glass a Dor^o of glass bottles 2 Brass Sanious scales one silver headed cane 26 books a weavers loom & 1 year a Seal skin Trunk and 1 old bench & 1 old wheel bench and 15 Sheep & 2 Rundletts and one warming pan and 3 hand saws and a Tennant saw and Drawing Knife and a Compaf Saw and a adze and Coopers aw & 3 Gimblits and a pair of gimps and 1 hogg hose & 1 hawel & 1 narrow axis & 1 broad ax and 12 hoes and 1 Carpenters adze and 1 Shoemakers awl & Two Hammers and one Crubing hoe and 1 auger & 2 Chisels & 1 Toyutar and 1 Grindstone and 12 Vider Casque and 2 barrells and 1 plane & 12 head of Cattle and a Ras and flesh fork and a sabb and a salt punch and 2 Cradles and a Turnd bow and one Flard & 1 Gerander and a Pine sifer and some Saffetts and some old knives one hone and 2 Rasors & 1 old canoe and 1 old Vider Trough one mortar and 1 old Drum line and 2 porringers and 1 enugg and 1 pair of spectacles and one Tut horn and 1 packett Books & 3 other books

Elmor Haynes

Wm
Wildes
Will

In the name of God Amen I William Wildy of Northumberland County being
very sick and weak of body but of perfect sense and memory Do make & bidain this
my last will and Testament ^{or} principally and first of all I Give and bequeath
my Soul into the hands of almighty God who gave it and my body to the Earth to be
buried after a Decent and Christian manner and for what worldly Estate it hath pleased
almighty God to bless me withal in this world I Do Give and bequeath in the following
manner and form

Item I Give and bequeath unto my Son William Wildy one feather bed and bolster one
pare of Sheets & one pare of Blankets and one Dugg & Two pillows & Two Cows & one Stear

Item I Give and bequeath unto my Son Motley Wildy Two hundred acres of Land at my
plantation that is Commonly known by the name of Apes hole to him & his heirs
for ever and I Give to my said Son Motley my Negroe man named Dick

Item I Give and bequeath unto my Daughter Jane Wildy Two hundred acres of Land
from Esq^r Chichesters Corner Tree adjoining to the Land of Mr^s Hobson to the first
Deep Valley coming out of the Lowlands and then Jayning to Walters his pattern
to a Corner Tree in the Cold Spring Swamp thence up the said Swamp to the Church
Spring and so up the valley from the said Spring to Esq^r Chichesters Corner Tree
for Two hundred acres of Land be the same more or less to her the said Jane
and her heirs forever and I Give unto my said Daughter Jane my negroe
boy named Tom Item I Give and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth

Gay for Two Cows & Calves

Item I Give and bequeath unto my Son Joseph Wildy my plantation
where one now live and all the rest of my Land which I have not already
Given to him the said Joseph and his heirs forever and I Give unto my said
Son Joseph three negroes named Samson James & Jack

Item I Give and bequeath all the rest of my personal Estate to be Equally
Divided between my Two Sons Motley and Joseph and my Daughter Jane
to be Equally Divided between them three and their heirs forever

Lastly I nominate and appoint my Two Sons Motley Wildy & Joseph
Wildy to be my True Executors of this my last will and Testament in witness
whereof that this is my last will & Testament I have unt set my hand
and fixed my Seal this 19th Day of April Anno 1726

signed sealed & delivered
in the presence of us

William Wildy Seal

Jⁿ: wornam

Tho^s or Harding

Joseph J Robinson

Die July 20^o 1726 This will was proved in Northumb^r
County Court to be the last will and Testament of Wm
Wildy Deed by the oaths of John wornam and Thomas
Hartin Witnesses thereto & is admitted to Record

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[Signature]

Mary
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Will

In the name of God Amen I Mary Price of the parish of St. Stephen
in the County of Northumberland widow being at present in sound and perfect health
and Reasonable understanding Do make and Ordain this to be my last will &
Testament in manner and form following hereby Revoking & making void
all former wills and Testaments by me made Dated this Twenty sixth day of
December Anno Domini one thousand Seven hundred and Twenty four and in
the Eleventh year of the Reigh of our Sovereign Lord King George of
Great Britain &c

Item I Give and bequeath my Soul into the hands of Almighty God
that gave it me hoping by his Infinite mercy and by my Dear Saviour
Jesus Christ his Intercession and by the merits of his passion it shall at
the last Day be reunited to my body & glorified and I will that my
body have Christian and Decent burial

Item I will that ^{all} my Just Debts being Truly paid and as for my Goods
and Estate which it hath pleased my Good God to bestow upon me beyond any
Deserts of mine I Give and bequeath them in the following manner

Item I Give and bequeath unto my son John Lewis one wearing apparel
was his fathers to be in full of his part of my ^{estate} for that it hath
pleased God to bless him with a plentiful Estate

Item I Give and bequeath to my son James Lewis one feather bed & furniture
to be payd him immediately after my Decease by my Executor out of my Estate

Item I Give and bequeath unto my Grand Daughter Anne Lewis Daughter
of my son William Lewis Deed my Gold Ring & Silver bodkin to be payd
immediately after my Decease

Item I Give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter Elizabeth Lewis Daughter
of my said son Wm. my next largest Gold Ring to be Delivered as above

Item I Give and bequeath unto my Grandson Vincent Lewis son of Wm. Lewis
Deceased one ewe & Lamb to be Delivered as above

Item I Give and bequeath to my Grandson Pemberton Clayton one heffer
to be Delivered to him immediately after my Decease by my Executor

Item I Give and bequeath to my Grand Daughter Mary Damerill Daughter
of Joseph Damerill my son in Law all my wearing apperrell to be delivered
as mentioned

Item I Give and bequeath to my Grandson Lewis Toon son of my son in
Law Mark Toon Deceased five ^{pounds} of Tobacco to be payd him when he shall
attain the age of Twelvety one years by my Executors

Item I Give and bequeath to my son Arjalon Price son of Richard Price
Deceased one pigrow woman named Betty & her Increase forever

Item it is my desire that my son Arjalon Price have the Tutition of my Grandson
Lewis Toon above named and that he shall Give him his mainainance until
he shall be of Age

Item I Give & bequeath to my said son Arjalon Price all and singular the Best Residue and
Remainder of my Estate of what nature kind or quality soever to him and his heirs forever
and Do hereby nominate and appoint him to be my full and whole Executor of this my
last will and Testament In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
Seal & day & year within written

Mary M Price
her hand & Seal

read published & Delivered in presence of us
George Rount Martha Rount William Rount
County Court to be the last will and Testam^t of Mary Price Died by the oaths of Geo. Rount Martha Rount and
Will^m Rount witnesses thereto & is admitted to Record

Die aprilis 20 1726 This will was proved in Northumberland
County Court to be the last will and Testam^t of Mary Price Died by the oaths of Geo. Rount Martha Rount and
Will^m Rount witnesses thereto & is admitted to Record

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Jane Parkers Will

In the name of God Amen Jane Parker of St Stephens Parrish in the County of Northumberland and Colony of Virginia being Sick & weak in body but thanks be to God in perfect sense & memory Do make this my last will & Testament in manner & form following

Item I Give and bequeath my soul to God who I have it hoping through the merits of Jesus Christ to obtain pardon of all my sins and my body I Commit to the Grave to be Decently Interred at the Discretion of my Exec^{rs} hereafter named and as for my Temporal Estate my Just Debts being first paid I Dispose of as fo^{ll}

Item I Give and Devise unto my Son Wm Parker one black horse bridle & saddle one feather bed and boudler & 3 sheets of Blanketts one Dugg Two pillows four pillow Cases & 1 standing bedsted three new pewter Dishes six new pewter plates six pewter spoons four new basons three pewter porringers one pewter Tankard one Dish & one Chest and all the Goods and Chattles that Did belong to Andrew Reed

Item I Give unto my God Daughter Annmatione y earling heffer to be Delivered to her in may next and she to have her choice out of any part of my stock of Cattle to have and to hold the said heffer with all her Increase unto her the said Elmor and her heirs & also a ewe Lamb I Give unto my said God Daughter with all her Increase forever

Item I Give unto my Daughter Sarah Edwards my best suit of waring Cloaths

Item I Give and Devise all the Rest of my Estate to be Equally Divided betwixt my Son Wm & my Three Daughters Elisth Gaskins Anne Payne & Sarah Edwards Shear & Shear alike Lastly I Do nominate and appoint my brother Richard Paries and John Gaskins Executors of this my last will & Testament in Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my Seal this 13 Day of January Anno Domini 1724

Signed Sealed published & Declared to be the last will & Testam^{nt} of Jane Parker before Nathaniel Gaskins Henry Gaskins ^{clerk} & Walter ^{clerk} Jane X Parker Seal

Die 7th 20th 1726 This will was proved in Northumberland County Court to be the last will and Testament of Jane Parker died by the oaths of Nathaniel Walker and Henry Gaskins witnesses thereto & is admitted to Record Test R Lee Clerk

Anne Opies Will

In the name of God Amen the 30th of December 1724 I Anne Opie of the Parrish of St Stephens in the County of Northumberland being Sick and weak of body but of perfect & sound memory Do make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following (viz^t) first I bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God my maker hoping that through the meritorious Death and passion of Jesus Christ my only Saviour and Redeemer to Receive free pardon & forgiveness of all my sins and as for my body to be buried in Christian burial at the Discretion of my Exec^{rs} hereafter nominated

Item I Give unto my Son Thomas Opie my part of my Deed husbands Estate to him my said son and his heirs forever to be Delivered to him when he shall come to the age of Eighteen years & I Desire that the Trustees of my said Deed husbands will may Take Care of my said sons Estate with the rest of my Children till he shall come of age and this I Declare to be my last will and Testament in witness whereof I Do hereunto set my hand and seal the 13th day and year above

Sealed & Delivered in presence of Mary Johnstone & Francis Henner Anne Opie Seal

Die Martij 17th 1724/5 This will was proved in Northumberland County Court to be the last will & Testam^{nt} of Anne Opie died by the oaths of Francis Henner and Mary Johnstone and is admitted to Record

Test R Lee Clerk

Wm Arledge's Will

In the name of God Amen I William Arledge of the County of Northumberland being Sick and weake in body but in perfect sense & memory do make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following and first of all I bequeath my soul to almighty God who gave it me and my body to the Earth to be buried at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter mentioned As Touching what worldly Goods it hath pleased God to send me do Give and bestow as followeth

Imp^o I Give and bequeath unto my Sons William & John Arledge my Tract of Land lying in widdowmore parishes to be Equally Divided between them my son William to have the plantation I give it to them & there heirs forever I likewise Give my Till to my three Sons Wm. In^o & Sam^l Arledge Each of them to have there Equal part in her the Rest of my moveable Estate I leave the use of it to my wife Sarah Arledge During her widowhood but if she marries my will is that it shall be Equally Divided between her & my Daughter Jane my Sons Wm. In^o Sam^l & Isaac Arledge Every one to have there Equal part my will is that William Fallin shall have the Tuition of my son Wm^l until he Comes to the age of Twenty one years and that Charles Fallin have the Tuition of my son In^o until he Comes to the age of Twenty years Ido likewise appoint my wife Sarah Arledge to be Exec^{tr} of this my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto put my hand and Seale this Twentieth fifth day of August Anno Domini 1724th Signed Sealed & published in presence of

Thomas Norman
Charles Fallin

Did Jan^y 21^o 1724/5

W Arledge Seale

This will was proved in Northumberland County Court to be the last will & Testament of Wm. Arledge dec^d by the oaths of Thomas Norman & Charles Fallin and is admitted to Record

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Susanna Lawrence's Will

In the Name of God Amen I Susanna Lawrence of S^t Stephens parish in northumberland County widow being Sick & weake in body of sound and perfect memory thanks be to almighty God for the same but Calling to mind the unseertain state of this Transitory Life and that all men must yeald unto Death when it shall please God to Call do make and Ordain this my last will & Testament first I Give and bequeath my soul to God that gave it me and my body to the Earth from whence it was Taken and as Touching such worldly Goods where with it hath pleased God to Endow me in this present life I Give Devise and Dispose of in manner and form following viz^t Imp^o I Give Devise and bequeath unto my son in law John Hartly and to his wife fifty acres of my Land Joyning & Conwensent to his now Dwelling house to him and his said wife & there heirs forever Item I Give and bequeath unto my son Edward Lawrence fifty acres of Land adjoyning upon the fifty acres of Land bequeathed to John Hartly & Extending to the line of Richard Tomson Item all the rest of my Estate I Give and bequeath after Debts payd to be Equally Divided amongst my Children viz^t John Lawrence Edward Lawrence and my son in law John Hartly and I do hereby nominate and appoint my son in law John Hartly whole and Sole Executor

of this my last will & Testament and do hereby Revoke and Disannul^{387a}
all former will or wills Testament or Testaments by me heretofore made or
lauded to be made either by word or writing ratifying and confirming this to be
my last will and Testament and no other in witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and Seal the 19th Day of Aprill 1720

Signed Sealed Published & Declared Delivered - The word fifty did before signior (Seal)
to be the last will & Testament of The mark & seal of Susanna & Lawrence
Susanna Lawrence in presence of
Matthew Seale David Straughan - Dies Marij 17th 1721/5
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This will was proved
in Northumberland County Court to be the last
will and Testament of Susanna Lawrence died
by the oaths of Matthew Seale & David Straugh
han and is admitted to Record
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Richard
Haynie's
Will

In the name of God Amen I Richard Haynie being very sick and weak
of body but of sense and memory bleis'd be to God for the same Do here make
here my last will and Testament first I bequeath my soul to Almighty God my
Creator and my body to be Decently buried at the Discretion of my Exec^{rs} hereafter
mentioned Item I Give and bequeath to my son Bridger Haynie all the Land that
belongs to me on the right hand of the Road as you go Down from the Court house
Downwards to him and the Lawfull heirs begotten of his body otherwise to fall
to Bridger Haynie and his heirs for ever Item I Give to my son Richard Haynie
all my plantation wherew^{ch} I now live with all the Land belonging to it as far
as first branch at the Tan Trough's to him and the heirs Lawfully begotten
of his body and in case the said Richard Die with out Lawfull Issue of his
body then the Land to fall to macksamilion Haynie and Ormsby Haynie
to the Lawfull heirs of there body Item I Give and bequeath to my sons
Ormsby Haynie and Charles Haynie all my Land from the aforementioned
brance to the Extent of my Land to them and there heirs Lawfully begotten of
there body Item I Give and bequeath to my son Samuel Haynie a peace of
Land Joyning to Richard Oldham to him and his heirs forever of about
Eighty Acres of Land and the rest of my Land in the sd^d Dividend to be Equally
Divided between my four Daughters Katharine Haynie Elinor Haynie
Wenifred Haynie and Anna Haynie to them and there heirs forever
Item I Give and bequeath to my Two Daughters Wenifred & Anne Haynie
my Two negroes George and Beck after my wifes Decease Item it is my
will that my Estate may not be brought to appraisment Item I Give
and bequeath to my Daughter Elizabeth I wit a gold ring of Twenty shill
ings price Item tis my will that my loving wife Elinor Haynie
with the assistance of Maj^r George Estridge to be my Exec^{rs} of this my
Last will and Testament and hereunto I do Revoke all other wills &
Testaments from the beginning of the world until this Day as witness my
hand and Seal this 31st Day of October in the year of our Lord 1721

Signed Sealed in presence of
Henry Christopher Tho Baylis
Ric^d Haynie & Seale

Die Martij 28^o 1724/5
 This will was proved in northumberland County Court
 to be the last will and Testament of Richard Haynes decd by the Oaths of
 Henry Christopher and Thomas Baylis & is admitted to Record
 Test R^o Lee Clerk

Graves decd
 Decd to
 Joshua James

This Indenture made the fiftenth Day of September In the year of
 our Lord God one thousand seven hundred and Twenty four Between
 Graves Eves of northumberland County of the Parrish of Great wicomore
 of the one part and Joshua James of the same County and Parrish of the
 other part Wittneseth that the said Graves Eves for & in Consideration
 of the Just Sum of Ten thousand Pounds of Good Sound merchantable
 Tobacco to him the said Graves Eves in hand already paid & satisfied
 by the said Joshua James the Receipt whereof he the said Graves Eves
 doth hereby Acknowledge and Confess and thereof of Every part and parcel
 thereof doth Clearly and absolutely acquitt & honorate & Discharge the said
 Joshua James his heirs Executors and Administrators and Every of them for
 ever by these presents and for Divers other Good Causes & Considerations
 him the said Graves Eves thereunto moving hath Given Granted bargained
 Sold Alien'd Enfeofed and Confirmed and by these presents he the said Graves
 Eves doth for himself and his heirs fully and absolutely Give Grant bargain
 Sell Alien Enfeof and Confirm unto him the said Joshua James and to his
 heirs and assigns for ever all that Tract or parcel of Land whercon now
 live being by Estimation Seventy five Acres and bounded as followeth viz
 begining at the mouth of the flax pond branch from thence Extending
 to a porsimon Tree on the north side of the old field whercon now live
 from thence by marked Trees to the mouth of the thirty foot house
 branch so Extending up the said branch to a Red Oak Corner Tree
 from thence to a Wasafis Tree in the aforesaid Old field and so to the
 Line of Pitts Curvice from thence to a Chestnut Tree at the head of the aforesaid
 Graves Eves' Spring branch thence down along the said Spring branch
 to the main branch and so up the said main branch to the flax pond the
 place of begining Together with all and singular the plantations
 houses out houses Tobacco houses Orchards Inclosures and all other
 Improvements benefite and appurtenances whatsoever unto the said
 parcel of Land belonging or any ways appertaining To Have and To
 Hold the said parcel of Land and premises Together with all and singular
 the appurtenances to the same belonging or any ways appertaining
 unto him the said Joshua James his heirs and assigns forever to the
 only proper use benefit and behoof of him the said Joshua James
 his heirs and assigns and to no other use intent and purpose whatsoever
 and the said Graves Eves for himself and his heirs doth hereby Covenant
 promise Grant and agree to and with the said Joshua James his heirs and
 assigns that he the said Graves Eves and his heirs shall and will from time to
 time and at all times forever hereafter warrant and Defend the aforesaid Parcel
 of Land and the premises unto him the said Joshua James his heirs & assigns
 against all manner of persons Claiming or to Claim any Right Title or
 Interest thereunto or unto any part or parcel thereof from any person whatsoever

and has the said Graves Dees for himself and his heirs doth hereby Covenant Grant
 and agree to and with the said Joshua James his heirs and assigns that he the said
 Dees and his heirs shall and will from time to time and at all times forever hereafter
 do make acknowledge suffer and execute or cause to be done made acknowledged
 suffered & executed all and every such further & other Act and Acts thing and things
 Appearances & Conveyances in the Law as by the said Joshua James his heirs or
 or there Councell Learned in the Law shall be from time to time devised or devised
 for the further and better appearance Surely and Sure making of all and singular
 the premises hereby bargained and sold or intended to be bargained and sold In
 Confirmation Whereof the said Graves Dees hath hereunto set his
 hand and seal the Day and year first above written

Ex

Wills Currier Senr. Wills Currier Junr Graves Dees (Seal)
 Francis Currier
 mark

Memorandum September the fifteenth 1724
 that full and peaceable possession by Livery of Seisin by Turf and Turf was given
 and Delivered by the within named Graves Dees of the Land and premises sold
 and Enfeoffed by the within Indenture to the within named Joshua James to him
 his heirs and assigns forever In presence of us
 Wills Currier Senr. Wills Currier Junr

Memorandum that before the acknowledgment of the within Deed of Sale
 a burying place was allowed to be for the use of y^e within named Graves Dees
 and his family of Thirty foot square

Ind 20th 1724 This Deed of Indenture with Livery and Seisin was acknowledged in Northumberland County
 County Court by Graves Dees to Joshua James & Elizth Wife of the said Dees came into Court
 and Relinquished her right of Dower in the said Land and on the motion of the said James it is
 admitted to Record Test Rich: See 68 Cur

The
 Barenraft
 Will

In the name of God Amen the 24th Day of September in the year of our
 Lord God 1724 I Thomas Barenraft of St Stephens Parrish in Northumberland County
 being sick and weak in body but of sound and perfect memory thanks be to almighty
 God but calling to mind the uncertain state of this Transitory life and that all men
 must yield unto Death when it shall please God to Call do make and ordain this my
 last will and Testament in manner and form following principally and first of all
 I Recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it me and my body
 to the Earth from whence it was Taken to be buried in a Decent and Christian burial
 at the Discretion of my Executors here in mentioned and as Touching such worldly Estate
 where with it hath pleased God to endow me with I Give and Devise in manner & form
 following Imp^t I Give and Devise unto my Son John Barenraft all that Tract or
 Tenement of Land where on he now lives to him and his heirs and assigns forever
 Item I Give to my said son John my negroe woman and my best feather bed
 furniture four Cows one Great Hettle and one Great Chest and Two pewter basons
 and one gray Mare Item I Give and Devise unto my Son Thomas Barenraft
 the plantation and Land where on I now live with its appurtenances to him
 his heirs and assigns forever Item I Give unto my Son Simon Peter Barenraft
 my plantation and Land in Cone to him his heirs and assigns forever
 Item I Give unto my Daughter Jane Hardin Two Dees and Six hundred Pounds
 of Tobacco to be paid her by my Three Sons

Item I Give unto my Daughter Martha ^{My} Two Cows I Give unto my Daughter Winifrid Gill Two Cows I Give unto my Daughter p^r Two Cows I Give and bequeath unto my Said Sons Thomas Barrcraft & Simon Peter Barrcraft Equally to be Divided between them Item I do hereby nominate and appoint my Son John Barrcraft Sole Executor of this my last will & Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the Day & Date first above written

The mark & Seal of Thomas Barrcraft Seal

Signed Sealed published & Delivered by Thomas Barrcraft to his last will and Testament in presence of us the Overseers of the Parish of St. Andrew

the 15th of December 1705

John Gillies
David Straughan

This will was proved in Northumberland Court to be the last will and Testament of Thomas Barrcraft Deceased by the oaths of John Gillies and David Straughan witnesses in the said will and is Recorded

april 1726

Inventary
William
Kenne Estate

An Inventory of m^r William Kenne Deceased Estate Given by his wife Elizabeth Kenne Negroes George Jenny and Lagoon are Three Negroes given me by my father Molattoes Charles Coulter Thompson James and Isaac Moll Mear Sarah Dick Jetty nell Judy six ty old Cattle and Twenty year old Cattle Three horses Three mares forty five sheep Twenty Hogs Eighteen Sheats Thirty Seven Books one Gold Ring one p^r of Gold buttons one silver Tankard one Fan one Dozⁿ Large and Two small Silver spoons Two broken d^o a Sun box a Silver hilted sword a flock Ten bedds Ten boulders Ten pillows Eleven Druggs one Quilt five p^r of blanketts Eleven p^r of sheets four suits of Curtins and Vallins four Testa Coaths Thirteen p^r of pillow Cases Eight bedstedds and Cots Three bunches of Curtin fringes seven Table Coaths Two and a half Dozen of Napkins half a dozen of Towels Twenty Dishes Three Dozⁿ of a half of plates one Dozⁿ and four Dyp plates half a Dozⁿ of bowls and four pewter basons one and a half Dozen of pewter spoons a pewter Stand Three pewter Chamber pots one Chest of Drawers one Dyp one Chest of Fish Six Chests Two Trunks one Desk one Spice box one Cupboard five Tables Thirty Chairs three Looking Glases a Still p^r worn a Cole still and Limbrich half a Dozen of Earthen pans half a Dozⁿ Tea plates & one Cup Two Earthen punch Bowls one Glasp Canter one Cuwit ~~Caracavagge~~ three Muggs one Tea pot one paper box one Glasp Salt Seller a large Loop Spoon one pewter Tazherd Three wooden Cans Nine Cans testicks one Gallon flaggon a quart & a pint pot a Cloth Case one Draf Conse Two p^r of and Irons one flower box one p^r of money Scales one p^r of marking Irons Ten Knives Eight forks Three Dozⁿ of quart and Two Dozⁿ of pottle bottles Twenty Six Dder Casks five hundred Gallons of Dder Sherry Eight Gallons of Brandy one Set of Shoemakers Tools Two pound of Shae thread one Beara Stand one Anchor one Round let fifteen sides of Leather Six brushes Two whisks Two razors one horn one gun one pocket pistol one powder flask and a Shot bag Sixty Six pounds of wool three piles

five piggs three stubs two large and two small Brass Kettles one large iron Kettle
 on two feet and a cover one Dripping pan Eight pots four pat Ducks six p^o of pot-hooks
 Spits Two Saffes Two frying pans one bell miltle Millit a Brass mortar & pittle and
 of Carpenters Tools Three Drawing knives Two Grinstones six Iron widges four Cupboard
 Plowths three mens saddles and bridles Twenty five Earthen pans nine butter pots one
 Cream pot Two p^o of Cotton Two p^o of wool cards one p^o of Tow cards a Tow Hatchell one
 p^o of Tongs one p^o of Scales and weights and weights six p^o of sheep shears Two
 p^o of Taylors shears half a Doren of Dress hooks two Grease fatts a Surtch Two
 Sifters Nine wheat Sives one spade Three shovels five powdering Tubs Two
 Earthen fish pots one Barrell salt Eight Tubbs fifteen yards of Kersey Twelve
 yards of Hollon Ten y^o of Cheek Lining one piece of Lins Lining Eight pounds of
 Thread four pound of Cotton 4 p^o of hinges one broad ax Two narrow axes four
 broad and four narrow hoes fifteen hundred Twenty penny Nails Three thousand
 Ten penny Nails Six Thou^o Eight penny Nails two thousand Six penny nails
 one hundred and Ten thirty penny Nails three quarters of a pound of powder Two
 pound of shot Two hatts Two brass & heaters Two lanterns one warming pan
 one bed pan one pewter Cade Cup one Earthen Dypkin Two Earthen Basons one
 ox Chain & Cart Two mens & Two womens Casts one hand mill Two Spinning
 wheels one Cole one p^o of flesh forks one trimmer one p^o of Large Stilliards
 and Can hooks one p^o of small Stilliards one Pitch fork one fishing gill a Curru
 one p^o of sauffers one p^o of Twerers four p^o of sitting Needles Two Locks one p^o
 Coaks Gantlets one trap Cock one set of Coppers Tools Two Doren of fish hooks five
 Luns one p^o of fier Bellowses a plate half Doren of Petty pans four baskets Three old Iron
 pots one Tunder box one p^o Spindles one horswhip one wheat Chest a parcel of old Iron
 Two Stone Juggs Two Cast Cut saws one Coper Tankard about fifteen hundred feet of
 pine plank Nine Thousand Six hundred Seventy Eight pounds of Tobacco six Barrells
 of wheat one and one hundred and fifty barrels of Corn made at home fifteen Tobacco
 Seventeen hundred Eighty Two pounds of Tobacco and Ten Barrells three bushels & a part
 of Corn made at Cheaster Three Tot^o

Elizab Keene

April 20th 1726 This Inventory of the Estate of W^m Keene Deceased Exhibited
 into Court by Eliz^a Keene and is admitted to Record
 Test Rich^d Lee J^o Cur

Richard
Tomson's
Will

In the name of God Amen the 16th Day of August in the year of
 our Lord God 1723 I Richard Tomson of Saint Stephens parish in Northumberland County
 planter being Sick and Weak in body but of sound and perfect memory thanks be Given
 to God for the same but Calling to mind the uncertain State of this Transitory life
 and that all flesh must yeald unto Death when it shall please God to Call Therefore
 do make and ordain this my last will and Testament that is Say principally and
 first of all I Give and recommend my Soul to God that gave it and my body to the Earth
 to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the Discretion of my Executors herein
 nominated and as Touching such worldly Estate where with it hath pleased God to
 Bless me in this life I Give Devise and Dispose of in the following manner and form
 I Give and Devise unto my son Richard Tomson all my Land whereon
 I now Live situate lying and being in Cherry point Together with all its houses
 orchards and fences and other its appurtenances to him and to his heirs & assigns
 forever I Give my will is that my said son Richard Tomson should be Returned of full age
 at the age of Eighteen years and that he shall be possest with the said Land and that
 other personal Estate is hereby bequeathed unto him at the said age of Eighteen
 years and that he shall continue to be under the Guardianship of my Executors
 hereby nominated until he shall attain to the said age of Eighteen years

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Item I Give and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth Tomson one Easy Chair
 Item I Give unto David Straghan my book Called Bishop Hall's works Item
 all the rest of my personal Estate my Just Debts being paid I Give and bequeath unto
 my loving wife Elizabeth Tomson and to my said son Richard Tomson and to
 my two Daughters Anne and Sarah Tomsons Equally to be Divided amongst them
 my said wife requiring no other Dower of my personal Estate Item my will is and
 I do hereby order that my said son Richard shall have one years Schooling to learn
 to Wright and Cypher and the Charges thereof to be Defrayed out of his Estate
 Item my will is that my two Daughters (viz) Anne & Sarah Tomson have one
 years Schooling each to Learn to Read and to begin at the age of Twelve years
 and the Charge thereof to be paid out of there parts of there Estates that is to say
 the Schoolmasters Salary Item I do hereby nominate Constitute and ordain my
 Loving wife Elizabeth Tomson and my loving father in Law Robert Harrison
 and my Trusty friend David Straghan Executors of this my last will and Testament
 and my will is that nothing be Acted or Done by any of my Executors without the
 approbation of the said David Straghan Touching or Concerning the said Estate
 and I do hereby Revoke and annul all former other will or wills Testaments by me
 here tofore made or caused to be made either by word or writing ratifying and
 Confirming this to be my last will and Testament and no other in this world of these
 here unto Set my hand and seal this Day and Date first above written

Signed Sealed Published and
 Declared by Richard Tomson
 to be his last will Testament in presence of us
 the mark of James F Tomson
 the mark of John F Cambell
 Richard Tomson

Richard Tomson Seal
 Die Jan 9th 1723/4

This will was
 proved in Northumberland County Court
 to be the last will and Testament of Rich
 Tomson by the oaths of James Tomson and
 John Cambell and is admitted to Record
 Test R Lee Clerk

Thomas
 Gashins
 Joyner
 Deed to
 Thomas
 Gashins
 Gent

Simon Polley's
 will

In the name of God Amen I Simon Polley Senr of Northumberland County
 and Colony of Virginia being sick and weak of body but of perfect memory thanks be to
 God do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner form following
 first I commend my soul to God and my body I Commit to the Earth from whence it
 was Taken to be Decently buried at the Discretion of my Executors here after
 nominated as for my worldly Estate I Dispose as followeth I Imp^o I Give
 unto my Son William Polley one feather Bed and the furniture that belonging
 to it that stands in the old Truckel bedsted and Bedstead and my Long Gun and one
 old Iron pot that has a hole in it Item I Give to my Daughter Mary Tomas
 one Cow and yearling the Cow Called Shubby and one pewter Dish I send Give
 to my son Simon Polley one feather Bed and furniture that belongs to it
 and bedsted that stands up stairs and my short Gun and my Chest that stands
 up in the Chamber and one Cow and calf and brand as one Carpenters adze
 and hand saw Item I Give to my Daughter Martha Polley one flock Bed and
 furniture that belongs to it and one Chest above stairs the largest that is there
 and one Cow and calf Item I Give to my Daughter Judith Polley one pewter
 Dish and one pewter bason and three plates one Iron pot & one Cow and calf
 Item I Give to my Daughter Sarah Polley one pewter Dish and one pewter bason
 and three plates and Two young heifers about Two years old and one black mare
 Called Pettitt and all her future Increase Excepting the first Two Cattle the first
 to my Daughter Martha Polley the second to my Daughter Judith Polley Item all
 the rest of my personal Estate be it Little or much after my Debts payd
 I do Give and bequeath unto my loving wife Sarah Polley to be Executrix

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of this my last will and Testament revoking all former wills by me made from it
 my will and Desire that my Estate shall not be appraised holding this to be my last will
 and Testament whereof I have set my hand and fixed my seal this 2^d of May 1723
 signed sealed in the presence of
 Alexander Moorhead
 Jonathan Betts
 Betts
 Simon ^{his} Boley Seal
 mark

DiO Janij 15th 1723/4

This will was proved in Northumberland
 County Court to be the last will and Testament of Simon Boley
 Deed being proved by the oaths of Alex^r Moorhead and Wm.
 Betts and is admitted to Record

Thomas
 Gaskins
 Joyner's
 Deed to
 Thomas
 Gaskins
 Gent

This Indenture made the 15th of January one Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty
 three between Thomas Gaskins of the parish of Great Wileborough in the County of
 Northumberland Joyner of the one part and Thomas Gaskins Jun^r of the County and
 parish aforesaid Gentleman of the other part witnesseth that the said Thomas Gaskins
 for and in Consideration of the full sum of Two thousand Six hundred Pounds of good
 Tobacco well paid by the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r the Receipt whereof and receipt
 of self to be therewith well satisfied the said Thomas Gaskins doth acknowledge
 and thereof doth hereby fully discharge the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r his heirs
 Executors and Administrators hath given granted bargained sold conveyed
 and confirmed and by these presents doth fully & absolutely give grant bargain
 sell convey and confirm unto the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r and his heirs a Certain
 Tract or parcel of Land containing ninety Acres situate in the County and parish
 aforesaid the said Ninety Acres of Land and all the appurtenances therunto
 belonging To Have and To Hold unto the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r
 his heirs and assigns forever (Subject to the Duties which from henceforth
 shall become due) and the said Thomas Gaskins doth for himself and his
 heirs Covenant Grant and agree to and with the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r
 that the hereby granted Land and premises now is and so from henceforth shall
 be and continue clearly acquitted honored and discharged off from all
 manner of former Gifts Grants Bargains Sales and all Incumbrances whatsoever
 with warranty against any person or persons whatsoever and the said Thomas Gaskins
 doth further Covenant and promise to deliver up to the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r
 all the papers he hath concerning the title and bounds of the hereby granted Land
 and premises and also to make any other Deed or Deeds for the sole Sure Keeping
 of the said Ninety Acres of Land & appurtenances unto the said Thomas Gaskins
 Jun^r his heirs and assigns as the said Thomas Gaskins Jun^r or his heirs or assigns
 shall at any time require (at his or their Costs and Charges in the Law) in witness
 whereof the parties above mentioned have Interchangably set their hands and Seals
 the Day and year above written
 Signed sealed and Delivered in presence of
 Elizabeth & Dameron Archibald Hodge
 Mary & Gaskins Thomas & Gaskins
 Mary & Gaskins
 The Gaskins Jun^r Seal

memorandum

Livery of Seisin was this Day made and given by the within named Thomas Gaskins
 of the within mentioned Land and premises unto the within named Thomas Gaskins Jun^r by the
 Delivery of Turf and Twig on the said Land in presence of
 Archibald Hodge Elizabeth & Dameron
 Mary & Gaskins Jun^r 15th 1723/4 This Deed of Indenture with Livery and Seisin was
 acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by Tho. Gaskins Joyner to Tho. Gaskins
 Jun^r and is admitted to Record

John Cloughtons
Will

In the name of God Amen I John Cloughton of the parish of St Stephens in the County of Northumberland being very sick and weak of body but of sound and perfect mind and memory praise be to God for the same and calling to mind the uncertainty of this Transitory life Do think it fit and convenient to make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form as followeth Item I Give my dwelling plantation with about Eighty acres of land be the same more or less to begin at my Corner Red oak next to the land of Dameron and to extend from thence a straight line to a persimmon Tree in my Cornfield and from thence to the branch between this plantation and my son Richard I Give the aforesaid Land to my son John Cloughton and his heirs for ever Item I Give the plantation where my son James lived and all the remaining part of my Land on this side of the aforesaid branch unto my Grandson John Cloughton and his heirs for ever Item I Give and bequeath to my son Richard Cloughton the plantation whereon he now dweth and one hundred and forty acres of Land thereunto adjoining to him my said son and his heirs for ever Item I Give and bequeath the plantation where my son in Law Henry Dawson now dweth with what Land I have heretofore marked and laid out belonging to it be the same Sixty acres more or less to my Daughter Anne Dawson the wife of the said Henry and her heirs for ever Item I Give and bequeath all the remaining part of my Land heretofore not mentioned to my son John Cloughton and my Grandson John Cloughton to be Equally Divided between them I Give the aforesaid Land to my said son and Grandson and their heirs for ever Item I Give and bequeath to my son John Cloughton my negroe woman called Mariah together with her future Increase to him and his heirs for ever also I Give and bequeath to my son John Cloughton one feather bed and what furniture belongs to it one large Trap one pewter Dish ^{my pewter plates} two pewter plates Item I Give to Jane Knott the wife of Wm Knott one feather bed and what furniture belongs to it Item I Give and bequeath to my son John Cloughton Two Cows and Calves and a steer of four years old Item I Give and bequeath my negroe man called Isaac to my Grandson John Cloughton but my will and meaning is that my son Richard Cloughton shall have the said negroe man and the profits of him untill my Grandson shall attain to the age of seventeen years Item I Give and bequeath to my Grandson Pemberton Cloughton a young Sorrell mare Item I Give and bequeath to my son John Cloughton one Cow & calf more then the former Two Item I Give all the remaining part of my Estate not heretofore mentioned to be Equally Divided between my sons John Cloughton Richard Cloughton Jane Knott the wife of William Knott my Daughter Elizabeth Hall and my Daughter Elinor Lewis being Dead my Desire is that her five Children may have one fifth part of the before mentioned Remaining part Item I Give all my wearing apparel to my Two Sons John and Richard Cloughton Item I Give my Stock of hogg and what Corn and other provisions I now have to my son John lastly I do menatly appoint my Two Sons John and Richard Cloughton whole and sole Executors of this my last will and Testament making void and of no Effect all other wills heretofore by me made Declaring this to be my last will and Testament in witness whereof I have heretofore set my hand and fixed my seal this Sixth Day of March 1725

William ^{his} Trussell John I B ^{his} Buxler
mark mark

John Cloughton Seal

James Thomas

Dia July 20: 1726

This will was proved in Northumberland County Court to be the last will and Testament of John Cloughton Died by the oaths of William Trussell and J^r Buxler witnesses thereto and is admitted to Record

Andrew
Flanigan
Died of lease
to John
Moorhead

This Indenture made the seventeenth Day of December one Thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Three and in the sixth 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 Andrew Flanigan of the Parish of St. Stephens and County of Northumberland of the one part and John Moorhead Esq. of the same parish of the other part witnesseth that the said Andrew Flanigan for several good Considerations him therunto moving hath leased set over unto farmed let and by these presents doth lease set over farm and let unto the said John Moorhead for his natural life all that messuages Tenement or parcell of land containing eighty five Acres and binding upon Thomas Berne and Richard Hindal for the full Term of the said John Moorhead's Natural life To Have and To Hold all the said messuages or parcell of land for and during the natural life of the aforesaid John Moorhead to have hold possess and enjoy all and every part and parcell of the said land Commencing from the Day & Date of these presents To Have and To Hold and to enjoy all and every part and parcell of the said land according to the Tenor of these Covenants and agreement in these presents Express'd he shall and may at all times and from time to time peaceably & quietly have hold possess and enjoy the said house and all the Demised premises during his natural life without any lawfull Let Trouble Denial Expulsion Eviction Interruption or molestation of him the said Andrew Flanigan or any other person or persons lawfully Claiming by from or under him or any person or persons Claiming any Right or Title to the same during the natural life of the aforesaid John Moorhead In Witness whereof the party first above Written hath hereunto set his hand and fix'd his Seals the Day and Date first above written in presence of us John Ray Esq.
Ann F. Moorhead
Andrew Flanigan (Seal)

Jan: 15th 1723/4 This Deed of lease was in open Court Acknowledged by Andrew Flanigan to John Moorhead and on the motion of the said Moorhead it is Recorded Test Rich: Lee Clerk

Margret
James
Will

In the name of God Amen I Margret James being sick & weak but of perfect sense and memory Calling to mind the shortness of this life doth make this my last will and Testament first I bequeath my body to the Earth from whence it was Taken to be buried in decent Christian order and my soul to God that gave it in a sure and certain hope of the best at the last Day and all my worldly Goods as follow I give unto my Daughter Margret James my Riding horse called by the name of Sgerhill and Pide saddle and after all my lawfull Debts are paid then the Remainder of my Estate I give and bequeath unto my four youngest Children Margret James Moses James Charles James and George James and my Desire is that my Daughter Margret should keep my two sons Charles and George under her care until they come to the age of Eighteen and also I do ordain and appoint my Loving Son Thomas James my lawfull Executor of this my last will and Testament as witness my hand and Seal this fourth Day of January 1723
Margt James Uno & Seal
Rich: Smith
Pills Curtis

Die Jan: 15th 1723/4

This will was proved in Northumberland County Court to be the last will and Testament of Margt James dead by the oath of Richard Smith Sen & Pills Curtis and is admitted to Record

Tho Gaskins
Will

In the Name of God Amen I Thomas Gaskins Sen of the County
of Northumberland and Colony of Virginia being sick and weak in body but of
perfect sense and memory thanks be to God and knowing my self to be mortal
Do make this to be my last will and Testament in manner and form following
first I Give my soul to almighty God hoping through the merits of my
Beloved Saviour Jesus Christ to Receive full pardon for all my sins and my
body to the Earth to be buried at the Discretion of my Executors hereafter mentioned
nothing Doubting but at the last Day it will be raised and by longed and as
Touching such worldly Goods as it hath pleased the almighty to bless me with
I Do Dispose of the same in manner as followeth Item I Give to my loving
wife Martha Gaskins all the Land I now hold on the South Side of the mill
Creek Together with the orchards houses and all the appurtenances thereto
belonging During her natural life Item I Give to my said wife Eight
negroes known by the names of Harry Tom Jane Great Peep Cate mott Jack
and Sundry During her life Item I Give to my Granddaughter Elizabeth
Gaskins and her heirs Two Negroes called by the names of Peggy & Letty
Item I Give to my Grandson Thomas Gaskins and his heirs Two negroes
called by the names of Dinah and Solomon Item I Give to my Grandson
Ewin Gaskins and his heirs one negro called by the name of Nell
Item I Give to my Son Thomas Gaskins all the Residue of my negroes
and Lands to him and his heirs forever Item it is my will that after my
Debts are paid and Legacies Satisfied all my personal Estate be Equally
Divided between my loving wife Martha Gaskins and my Son Thomas
Gaskins to whom I Give the same and I Do appoint my said wife & Son
Executors of this my last will and Testament in Testimony whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and Seal this 25th Day of April anno Domini 1726
Signed Sealed and Delivered in presence of us
Josias Gaskins Christopher Garlington
John Forrest

Tho Gaskins & Seal

Did 7th 20th 1726 This will was proved in
Northumberland County Court to be the last will and
Testament of Thomas Gaskins Deed by the oaths of
Josias Gaskins Christopher Garlington and John
Forrest witnesses thereto & is admitted to Record

Test B. Lee Clerk

December the 13th 1729

Inventory of
the Estate of
Jane White
Deed

A True and Just Inventory of the Estate of Jane White Deed Taken and appraised
by us whose names are under written being first sworn by Mr John Heen one of his
majesties Justices for this County

To 3 Cowes & Calves at 5: 12:00	04	16	00	To a parcell of old Lumber	00	08	00
To 2 young Cattle	05	02	00	To some Earthen ware bottles & other Lumber	00	12	00
To 23 hogs at 5 p p	03	05	00	To 6 ^{lb} of butter & 1/2 Gallon molasses	00	03	06
To 5 piggs	00	05	00	To 2 ^{do} of Peas	00	08	00
To 1 odd Cabbidge & other Lumber	00	05	00	To 6 ^{do} of Tallow at 2 p p	00	08	04
To 5 mare and Calf	02	05	00	To 1 bushel of salt	00	02	00
To 6 Barrells & bushels & 2 p p of	02	14	00	To 7 1/2 p p of Beans	00	04	00
Indian Corn at 2				To 1 Iron pottle	00	05	00
To 2 odd beds & boulders of shelly				To 2 Iron pots & Iron Kettle	07	00	00
pillow 2 odd blanchetts small	03	00	00	5 ^{lb} of spit and other Lumber			
new hugg 1 odd D ^r with bedstead and				To 1 powdering Tub & 2 hides	00	05	00
and hds				To some beafe	00	04	00
To 7 ^{do} of pick Cotton at 12 p p	00	07	00	To 10 Dung hill fowls at 11 p p	00	03	04
To 2 ^{do} of powder at 10 p p	00	03	04		24	59	06
To some odd quater	00	04	00	and some Tobacco not used as yet			
To some odd Silver	00	07	00	Dead hams scale of mark of Robert Draddy R			
To 1 odd Saddle & other Lumber	00	08	00	Richard booth David Craughan			
To a p ^{ell} of Iron and brap	00	10	00				

and some Tobacco not used as yet
Dead hams scale of mark of Robert Draddy R
Richard booth David Craughan
Matt Heener
Jan 15th 1729 This Inventory of the Estate of Jane White
Deed was presented to the Court by David Craughan
is admitted to Record Test B. Lee Clerk

Inventory of John Pope's estate

An Inventory of m^r John Pope's dead his Estate
 To 5 Cows & 2 Calves To 6 Cows & 2 Steers 2 year old 10 four heifers 2 years old 3 heifers
 one year old to 2 Bulls one year old 10 9 Sheep to 2 old horses to one young mare to one
 feather bed and furniture to 3 d^o with one blanket Rug a pair of shales To one D^o wth
 Rugg blanket and ap^{pr} of sheets Beds 10 10 d^o very old without any thing belong my test
 To 9 new leather chairs to 9 d^o very much Dammed To 6 d^o very old to 4 flag chairs
 To 5 old Table to 3 old Trunks locks and keys to 5 large looking glasses to one Ten Gall
 Rundlet to 10 Sider Casks to 5 old Saddle and bridle to 4 small Rundlets to 3 d^o of
 Leather to 2 old Spinning wheels to 6 old Tubs to 5 Doz^s of Glass bottles to 4 Earthen
 Butter potts to one old butter Tub to 5 Spice mortar and pestle one old Tin Cullind
 To 2 old pails one old piggon one washing Tub to one Iron spit one Iron pestle to
 5 Iron pot Brack one frying pan to 2 meal sifters one old Sifting Tray to 4 narrow
 axes one broad ax to 5 old hand saw one old Carpenters adze to one old box Iron
 5 old Chafing Dish to one p^r of old firelongs some Iron pot hooks to 6 books
 one perrie wiggs Great Coat to 2 Suits of Cloaths to 3 Negro men 2 Negro
 women To 1 Negro boy 12 years old to 1 molatto boy 8 years old to 1 molatto
 Girl 4 years old To 1 negroe girl 9 years old to one negroe boy 14 years old
 To 1 old Indian woman to 25 plates 3 pewter Caddles ticks to 8 new Spoons
 one Brass Caddles tick To 2 old Tankards 5 pewter Dishes To 4 small basons
 a small Skillet broacher to 2 old porringers one salt Seller to 2 pewter Stam
 ber potts to 35 pounds of old pewter one Tin grater
 To 4 Earthen Pups one small punch bowl to 1 Iron paf and hooks 20 pounds To one
 D^o and hooks 27 p^{ts} To 1 Dillo and hooks 25 p^{ts} to one D^o and hooks 14 p^{ts} to one
 D^o and hooks 56 p^{ts} to one D^o without hooks 46 p^{ts} to one old Gun to
 the Crop of Tobacco made in 1722: 4992 to the Crop of Tobacco made in
 1723 - 4400 To 45 Barrells of Indian Corn to 5 Bushells of wheat to
 16 bushells of Beans To 22 Bushells of salt to 4 Sows and 22 shoals to 2 Gold
 Rings

Ann A. Pope
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 mark
 Tho Pittman

Paid: 15th 1723/4
 This Inventory of the Estate of John Pope Dead was Exhibited into the Court by
 Ann Pope and Thomas Pittman Exec^{rs} of the said Decd and on their motion it
 was admitted to Record

Test Rich^d Lee Clerk

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Inventary of
W^m Williams
Estate

At a Court held for Northumberland County January 26 1722/3 it was ordered that W^m Aldridge Richard mason Richard Rount and Thomas Pitman or any three of them should appraise the Estate of W^m Williams late of the said County Deed and Return an Inventary of the Same to the next Court in obedience whereunto we whose names are underwritten met and valued the Same and Inventary whereof follows

To Two Cows and Two yearlings at	3: 10: 00
To one heifer four years old with Calf at	1: 10: 00
To one Two year old heifer at	0: 16: 00
To one feather bed and furniture	5: 00: 00
To one D ^r some feathers some flocks & some bed Cloaths	2: 10: 00
To one Iron pot and hook at 2 p ^{ts} to a parcel of old plaster at 6 p ^{ts}	0: 16: 06
To 22 Spoons at 3 to 4 Teen pans & one pepper box at 2	0: 05: 40
To one Suit of mens Cloaths hat and Stockens	2: 10: 00
To one old felt hat & p ^{ts} of Stockens & p ^{ts} of Briches & new shirt & p ^{ts} of old leather breeches	0: 05: 06
To 1 Shift old & suit of womens Cloaths at 18 & Lining petticoat	0: 17: 00
To 2 Suits of womens Cloaths & Lining petticoat at	1: 12: 00
To 1 new Shift one new shirt one Black hood a parcel of head Lining & aprons some thread some Tapes box (which they sh ^d)	1: 10: 00
To a parcel of old wooden ware	0: 10: 00
To a parcel of old Earthen ware	0: 02: 06
To a parcel old hoes Ladle Skimmer Sas pen flesh fork	0: 06: 00
To 1 box Iron heaters and frame at	0: 02: 06
To 1 old Spinnin wheel & p ^{ts} of old wool Cuds	0: 05: 00
To 1 old Sifting Tray one old meal sifter	0: 00: 06
To 1 old Stock Lark & Looking Glass & p ^{ts} of old Spatter dashes	0: 02: 00
To 1 Glass bottles & Comb some wool	0: 01: 06
To a parcel of Tob ^o	
To a parcel of Corn at 6 p ^{ts} Barrell	3: 00: 00
To 1 small old Cuy board one old frying pan at	0: 03: 00
To 7 hoggs at	5: 00: 00
To a parcel of Tob ^o made on the plantation 264	

Robert Hudson

Thomas Pitman
Richard mason
Richard Rount

Die Augij 22 1723

This Inventary of the Estate of W^m Williams Deed was presented to the Court by Robert Hudson and on his motion admitted to Record

An additional Inventary of W^m Williams's Estate
one Breeding Sow

10th Sep^r 1723 Rob^t Hudson

Anne Stowell's
Will

In the name of God Amen I Anne Stowell of the County of Northumberland and
parish of Stephens in the Colony of Virginia being Distempred of body but of perfect
memory and Remembrance praiſe be God for it do make this my last will and Testament
first and principally I Commend my Soul to God: that gave it me and my body to the
Earth from whence it was Taken to be Decently Interred at the Discretion of
my Executors hereafter nominated and as for my worldly Estate I dispose of as
followeth Item I Give and bequeath unto Arthur popplewell his Choice of
all my Cows and his Choice of all my Steers and my old mare and all my Curlogue
and my hat and my meal sifter Item I Give and bequeath unto Mary Roberts daughter
of John Roberts my Demity Sacket and large petty Coat and my white apron Item I Give and
bequeath unto Dorothy Sumpter one dark Coat and petticoat of Virginia Cloath
and one Downe Shift Item I Give and bequeath unto Elizabeth Popplewell
one Black hood and one Silke handkerchiefe Item I Give and bequeath unto
Sarah haise Sen one old Sermon book of Horses works Item all the rest
of my Estate moveable and Immoveable Lands and houses be it of what
nature or Quality I Give and bequeath unto Judith Popplewell
Daughter of the Said Arthur Popplewell and Elizabeth his wife and to her heirs
and Aliques forever and if the Said Judith should Chance to Die without
Lawfull Issue then I Do Give and bequeath her Said Estate unto her sister
winifred Popplewell and to her heirs and Aliques for ever Item it is my
will and desire that the above said Arthur popplewell should have his
Life time in my Said Lands if he pleases to Live on it and I Do appoint
my friend John Butcher to be my whole and Sole Executor of this my
last will and Testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and Seale the Sixth Day of October Anno 1722

Sign'd & Seald in the presence of
Richard Smith John F Roberts
Dorothy  Templer
marks

Signum
Anne Stowell Seale

Die Augij 22 1723

This will was proved in Northumberland County Court
to be the last will and Testament of Anne Stowell Decd
by the oaths of Richard Smith and John Roberts and is
Recorded Test



Inventory
Wm Freys Est

An Inventory of the Estate of Wm Frey Deceased		\$ 396 25
To a parcel of Silver		00:11:00
To 26 lbs of Bacon at 6 rd		06:10:00
To 30 rd of Beef at 3 rd		00:07:06
To 44 rd of hogs Lard at 6 rd		07:02:00
To 16 rd of Tallow at 4 rd		00:05:04
To a parcel of nails		01:00:00
To 4 narrow hoes 2 narrow axes		00:08:00
To a parcel of old hoes and axes		00:10:00
To 2 Stone Suggs and a parcel of Bottles		00:06:00
To 1 pestle 3 wedges 1 handsaw and Drawing Knife		00:12:00
To 2 old frying pans 3 Indian Baskets		00:10:00
To 2 old flock beds and furniture		06:00:00
To 3 Tub 2 pails 2 piggons 5 flag Chairs and old Cloath		08:15:00
To 3 old Iron pots and hooks 7 rd 3 rd		00:18:00
To a parcel of salt 3 old formes		00:06:00
To 12 th of hollow pewter and Tankards 3 old pewter		01:13:00
To 8 th of pewter at 12 th		02:12:00
To a basket and pipes and Earthen ware		00:05:00
To 7 Shirts 4 sheets a parcel of other Linnen		03:10:00
To 17 th of serge & 3 rd of half Trunks		02:03:00
To 1 box and a parcel of small things		01:00:00
To 1 st of Large Breaches some small things		00:12:00
To 4 hats 4 th of Shoes sum Trifles		01:06:00
To a parcel of wearing Cloaths		05:00:00
To a parcel of meal baggs & pier Deer skin		00:12:00
To Six yards of Merse one walking Suck		00:18:00
To 13 th of Druggett's Bed tick		02:05:00
To 5 th of Thread and a parcel of things		01:06:00
To 2 old handkerchiefs 2 rd of Stockins		00:06:00
To 36 th of Callimanco & Damask		03:00:00
To 50 th of serge and stuff		03:05:00
To 32 th of Linnen		03:12:00
To 25 th of Tuchen		02:06:00
To 19 th of Tuchen		02:01:02
To 13 th of fustian		00:16:07
To 19 th of Linnen		00:16:03
To 26 th of fine Linnen		03:06:03
To 73 th of Linnen		06:02:06
To 54 th of Linnen		05:03:02
To 102 th of Linnen		08:10:00
To 40 th of Linnen		03:06:08
232		79:19:09
To 134 th of Linnen		06:14:09
To 23 th of Linnen		01:15:04
To 26 th of Linnen		01:06:06
To 64 th of fustian		00:08:00
To 6 th of fine Linnen		00:18:00
To 21 th of Diaper		01:06:09
To 11 th of Tuchen		01:02:00

To 3 Casks	00 15 00
To 5 Stock Foot	00 01 06
To 2 bedsteds and cards & powdering Tub and Lumb ^r	05 05 00
To 1100 foot of planch	05 10 00
To 8 barrows and saws 20 young hoggs	12 00 00
To 6 barnells of Corn	02 10 60
To 1 Barrel Six old Cask	00 15 00
To a parcel of wheat in the straw	00 10 00
To 3 large Shears & Smaller	08 00 00
To 4 Cows & Large Bull	07 10 00
To 4 heifers & small Stear & Calves	03 00 00
To 23 yards of Broad Cloath unvalued	82 03 05 1/4
To 7 yards of shalloon unvalued	
To 1 new bagg unvalued	

Pursuant to an order of northumberland County Court Dated July 17th 1723 we the subscribers Did meet & appraise the Said Estate in money as above Tho- Gill Edward Cates Charles Better Geo^{rs} Hesterson

August the 21st 1729

This Inventory of the Estate of William Fry Deed was Exhibited into the Court by George Hesterson Ex^{or} of the Said Deed and is admitted to Record

Test Rich Lee Cl^{er}

Virginia

Rob^t Christopher
Will

In the name of God Amen I Robert Christopher of St. Stephens parish in Northumberland County being very sick and weak in body but thank be to almighty God of sound and perfect sense mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and Testament in manner and form as followeth first I Give and bequeath my soul to almighty God my Creator hoping through the merits of my Blesed Saviour Jesus Christ to Receive Remission and forgiveness of all my sins and that both my soul and my Body may Receive and Enjoy Eternal blep and happiness and my Body I bequeath to the Earth to Receive Christian burial as to my Ex^{or} shall seem meet and for what worldly Estate it hath pleased God to Bless me with all I Dispose of as followeth Imp^o I bequeath my plantation houses & the Land thereunto belonging whereon I live to my Son William and to his heirs and Assignes forever secondly I Give to my Son John the Land I bought of Capt John Calle with the houses and plantation thereon to him and his heirs and Assignes forever 3^{ly} I Give to my son Henry five hundred pounds of Tobacco to help him toward building on his Land which I presume may Decend to him from his mother 4th I Give to my Daughter Elizabeth the wife of John Lewis as much Lining as will make a pair of Sheats 5th I Give to my Daughter Hannah one Shilling Sterling she having had Accord ing to my ability a sufficient portion before 6th as to all the rest of my personal Estate Consisting of household Goods Stock money or what Else is or was under the name or calling of personal Chattles I Give and bequeath to be Equally Divided between my loving wife Anne and my three Sons Henry John & William it being at present my wifes Desire but if she should alter her mind and Claim a Third part then my will is that the other Remaining Two thirds be Equally Divided between my Said three Sons 7th by my Desire is that my Estate be neither inventoried nor appraised because I owe not any thing that Requires any such solemnity

To a parcel of old Iron one old Grasping Dish & six Tongs at 00:06:00
 To one old Iron pot and a old Peap hook 00:06:00
 To a parcel of earthen ware at 8 Eight Glass Bottles 00:05:00
 To a old Case & 8 bottles & one old Table one old piggin 00:05:06
 To 3 old Chairs & one old Trunk & one old Book Dressing at 01:05:00
 To one old Table one old wheale Two old meal Tubs and Two 00:07:00
 old Chairs and other old Lumber
 To one Diaper Table Cloath & Diaper napkins & by of new 00:14:00
 To 12 p^{cs} of wool and one p^{cs} of wool Cards 00:04:00
 To one looking Glass & Towel & a parcel of old Book 00:06:00
 To one Gold Ring one silver needle Case one silver Bedkimming 00:10:00
 Silver Chain one silver fired le Bushel & Breast Bushels
 To 4 Sticks of mohare a Dozⁿ of Breast buttons & one flask 00:05:00
 of one mans Nitch cloath
 To 6 y^{ds} of Druget at 18 p^y 00:09:00
 To 10 y^{ds} of sheeting Linnin at 12 p^y 00:12:00
 To 9 y^{ds} of Ditto at 18 p^y 00:16:06
 To 3 Barrells of Indian Corn at 6 p^{Bar} 01:04:00
 To 2 Bushels of salt at 2: 6 p^{Bush} 00:05:00
 To one old Bed le tick one Gumblet & a Basket 00:08:06
 To one feather Bed & Bouldier bedsted Curtins & Vellins with other 05:10:00
 furniture at
 To one feather Bed & Bouldier Bedstead one new Rugg & old Blankets at 03:10:00
 To one flock bed & bouldier bedsted & other furniture at 02:00:00
 To one old bed tick at 00:03:00
 Wm Wilby Dr^r to the Estate 100
 Wm Cooper Dr^r to the Estate 500
 Roger Jones Dr^r to the Estate 100
 To 4 hogs & seven sheats not appraised being out Layers *to not to be found*
 To 6 hogs 5 years old
 To a Barran Row
 To 500^{lbs} of Tobacco in G^o Danksines hands
 Thomas Wormyn
 William H Payne
 John Lancaster
 Daniel Clark
 Eliz^a M Clark
 February 20th 1722/3 This Inventory of the Estate of
 William Berry Deed was presented by Daniel and Eliz^a
 Clark and on their notices admitted to Record
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Inventory
 Andrew Reed
 Estate

Jmp^r

Northumberland County August y^e 07th Anno 1723
 In obedience of an order of this County Court we the Subscribers Did meet
 this Day above at the house of Jane Parker Widow and appraised all the Estate
 of Andrew Reed Deed that was brought before us to appraise as follows
 To one horse Bridle and Whip and whipp 04:11:03
 To 25^{lbs} of pewter at 9 p^{lb} 01:02:04^{1/2}
 To one Suit of Cloaths Shoes and Stockins 03:00:00
 To a parcel of old Cloaths 00:12:00
 To 5 y^{ds} of Druget 00:03:00
 To a Small Brooker Looking Glass 00:18:00
 To one Bed and bouldier Tub 00:00:10
 To 3 Dozⁿ of breast buttons 00:00:08
 To 4th of a y^{ds} of shalloon 00:03:09
 To 2th of a y^{ds} of dit Tub a 15 01:16:09
 To 24^{1/2} yards of fine Linnin a 18

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To 1/4 yd of fine Scotch Cloath
To 1/2 yd of fine Lining
To 1/2 yd of fine Lining
To 1/4 yd of fine Lining
To 1/4 yd of fine Lining
To 1/4 yd of fine Lining
To one new hat
To a parcel of neck Cloaths
To Cash
To a bag of some old Lining Cloaths
To a parcel of private things
To one old Bible
To one old Chest
To one frying pan one or two hois much worn
appraised of us

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Sam Span
Nicholas Robinson
Nicholas Lancaster

To Two hundred pounds of Tobacco
To one hundred and fifty five Do
To Two barrels of Indian Corn

200
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355

These above mentioned things is what was not appraised of the within mentioned Estate

To the Estate of Andrew Reed D^o Anno Domini 1793
To his Coffin 150 lbs of Tobacco
To 3 1/2 yd of fine Lining
To half a bushel of wheat in Fall
To 25 lbs of Tobacco I paid John Gaskoigne on the acct of him the said Reed
Errors Excepted of me Jane Parker

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This Inventory of the Estate of Andrew Reed D^o was presented to the Court by Jane Parker and is admitted to Record Test Rich: Lee & Co

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To: John Deline Estate

To 5 Sheep 2: 8: 0
To 5 Cows at 30 p^{er} 7: 10: 0
To 4 Two year olds 3: 4: 0
To 3 old horses & two mares 34: 40: 0
To 1 bed and furniture 2: 00: 0
To 1 bed of furniture 2: 00: 0
To 1 bed and furniture 5: 50: 0
To 1 bed and furniture 2: 10: 0
To 1 Negro woman 30: 00: 0
To 3 Negro boys a pair of Boots
To some Dutchmen
To 1/2 Dozⁿ Napkins & Towels
2 Table Cloaths sold shut
3 pillow Cases
To 2 old Chests and boxes
To 1 old Table

To 1 shape & Masors 5: 00
To 43 lbs of Indefirent Gun powder 2: 31: 00
To a parcel of Tools & some old Iron & spindle 3: 00: 00
To 2 Thralls & set of fowling gear
To 3 yd of pothooks
To 2 old frying pans & spit
To 5 shewers & 2 strings & 2 shaws
To 1 Cheffing Dish & 1 Ladle
To 1 pair of shears & 1 old line
To 1 pair of flesh forks
To 1 wooden Iron & Grid
To 4 yds of Leather & 2 hids
To 3 pair pots weighing 87
To 2 lbs of Thrift
To 1/2 yd of Oz bags & 1/2 of
To 1/2 yd of Doz of thread bottom

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To 14 Sheets of paper	200: 00: 06	To 1 Bridle & Saddle	150: 00: 08
To apparel of old books	00: 07: 00	To 2 Iron pots	15: 00: 00
To 1/2 lb of wool	00: 05: 09	and some Lumber	
To 1 Coat & Vest & hat	01: 05: 00	To 1/2 of wool Cards	03: 06: 00
To 1 pair of piggins & candle		To 23 hoggs young	
To 1 Look Glass & some old	00: 10: 00	2 Stone Suggs	not appraised
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Pursuant to an order of Court we the subscribers having met being first sworn and appraised the Estate of John Blinc Deed in Money

Rebecca Blinc *Sign*

Tho: Cottle
Henry boggep
William metcalfe
Thomas Genn

Northumberland August 19th 1723

Inw: Catharine Butcher Estate

In obedience to an order of this Court we the subscribers Did meet at the plantation of Catharine Butcher Deed and then there appraise the said Deed Estate as followeth

To 2 Cows & Calves 2 Cows & yearling	6: 10: 00	To 3/4 of pink Cotton	03: 00: 00
To 23 head of sheep at	7: 09: 06	To 2 Iron pots of 105 at 1/2 of 1/2	5: 00: 00
To 1 mare and foal at	3: 00: 00	To 1 Gun at	5: 00: 00
To 2 old beds beds leady furnit	5: 15: 00	To 3 Sicksels & some Lumber at	0: 05: 03
To 2 y th allamade at 6/11 y th	00: 09: 09	To apparel of wool at	0: 15: 00
Muslin at 2/9		To one bagg of feathers at	5: 15: 00
To 2 old Smoothing Irons and	0: 02: 06	To one old Grindstone at	0: 05: 00
one old futing thimber at		To one old Truckel bedstead	0: 06: 00
To 3 Remnants of Tape at	0: 05: 03	and one old Spinning wheel at	
To 26 1/4 y th of window at	5: 06: 00	To 6 hives of bees at 38/12	
To 9 3/4 y th of old D ^o at	0: 05: 06	Two sold Table (cloth and)	5: 14: 00
To 2 old Shillies at	0: 03: 00	Two napkins at 16/	
To one old Bible at	0: 02: 00	To 4 yards of Crape	0: 04: 00
To apparel of old Lumber	5: 05: 00		
To 6 y th bottles	0: 05: 03		

Robert Jones
Edward Coles John Coles
Thomas Butcher *Sign*

A Memorandum of some things that was forgot

To 1 owl Connew
To 2 owl pilla Cases
To 1 Gimlet
To 1 pair of Spectacles

Augth 22nd 1723

This Inventory of the Estate of Catharine Butcher Deed was presented to the Court by Thomas Butcher and on his Motion it's Admitted to Record

Test Rich: Lee C^{ler}

George Estridge Deed to Stephen Hall

To all To whom these shall come Whereas George Estridge had been granted six hundred acres of Land from the proprietors of the northern neck by patent bearing Date the 6th Day of August in the year of our Lord one Thousand seven hundred and Twelve being part of a patent of a Thousand acres of Land first granted to John Meekes and William Newman by patent Dated the sixth Day of May one Thousand Six hundred fifty and one which said six hundred acres of Land is situate on the South Easter most side of yeo more thiner in the County of Northumberland and whereas also Stephen Hall is in the possession of fifty acres part of the aforesaid six hundred acres thereof Land which said fifty acres of Land is bounded as followeth (viz) begining at an old Chestnut Stump Standing near Hannah Lewis's Dwelling house and Extending from thence South for by fifty Degrees East Seventy nine pole

to a Stake from thence north forty five Degrees East one hundred and
 four poles to a Stake from thence north thirty nine Degrees West twenty four poles
 to a Stake near to where the ancient Corner Tree stood from thence south fifty three
 Degrees west one hundred and four ten poles to the place where the same began Now
 Know ye that the said George Eskridge for and in Consideration of the Sum of five
 Shillings of Lawfull money to him in hand paid by the aforesaid Stephen Hall and for
 Divers other Good Causes and Considerations him therunto moving hath Remised
 Released and for Ever quit Claimed and by these presents for him Selfe his heirs
 Doth fully Clearly and absolutely Remise Release and for Ever Quit Claim unto
 the aforesaid Stephen Hall in his full peaceable possession and Sixteen and to his
 heirs and Assignes for ever all such Right Estate Title Interest Demand whatsoever
 which he the said George Eskridge hath or ought to have of in or to the aforesaid
 fifty Acres of Land by Virtue of the aforesaid Deed from the Proprietors or by any other
 ways or means whatsoever To Have and To Hold the aforesaid fifty Acres of Land
 with all and Singular its members Rights & appurtenances unto the said Stephen
 Hall his heirs and Assignes to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Stephen
 Hall his heirs and Assignes forever so that neither he the said George Eskridge
 nor his heirs nor any other person or persons for him or them or in his or their name
 or in the name Right or Deed of any of them shall or will by any way or means here
 after have Claim Challenge or Demand any Estate Right Title or Interest of
 in or too the premises or any part or parcel thereof but from all of Every Acre or
 Right Estate Title Interest or Demand of in or to the premises or any part thereof
 they and Every of them shall be utterly Excluded and Bars for Ever by these presents
 In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seal this thirteenth
 Day of February in the year of our Lord Christ one Thousand Seven hundred
 and Twenty Three

G Eskridge Seal

Sealed and Delivered in the presence of

Wm Laurey Clerk Lettimer

March the 15th 1723/4 This Deed of Release was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court
 by Ge^r Eskridge to Stephen Hall and on his motion it^s admitted to Record

Test Rich: Lee C^lck

George
 Eskridge
 Deed to
 Wm Knott

To all To whom these Presents shall come Whereas George Eskridge
 had to him Granted six hundred Acres of Land from the proprietors of the northern
 Neck by patent bearing Date the sixth Day of August in the year of our Lord
 one Thousand Seven hundred and Twelve being part of a patent of a Thousand
 Acres of Land first Granted to John Meeks and William Newman by patent Date
 the sixth Day of May in the year of our Lord one Thousand Six hundred fifty
 and one which said six hundred Acres of Land is Situate on the South Eastern
 Side of Yeowomeo River in the County of Northumberland and Whereas also
 William Knott is in the possession of one hundred Acres part of the aforesaid
 six hundred Acres of Land which said one hundred Acres of Land is bounded as
 followeth (viz) Beginning at a marked White oak Standing on the Side of Yeowomeo
 River being a Corner Tree to the Land late of Mr John Opie and from thence
 running Down the said River ito several Courses or Meanders which Reduced
 to a straight Line is north thirty one Degrees East one hundred and thirty poles
 to a marked Chestnut Oak a Corner Tree to the Land of Mary Learure from thence
 South forty seven Degrees East along a Line of ancient marked Trees Seventy seven
 poles to a poplar in an old field from thence South forty Degrees East nineteen
 poles to a Black walnut from thence South thirty one Degrees East forty poles to a
 marked Red oak from thence South forty five Degrees West forty poles to a
 marked Red oak from thence South forty Degrees West Twenty five poles
 to near the head of a Branch Called Tublacks Branch from thence South
 Eighty Degrees West fifty four poles to the Corner of Mr John Opie from thence
 North West along the said Line to the place where the same began

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Now know ye that the said George Eskridge in consideration of the sum of five shillings of Lawfull money to him in hand paid by the aforesaid William Knott and for Divers other good Causes and Considerations him thereunto moving hath Remised Released and for ever quit Claimed and by these presents for him self and his heirs Dosh fully Clearly & absolutely Remise Release and for ever quit Claim unto the aforesaid William Knott in his full and peaceable possession and Use in and to his heirs and assigns forever all such Right Title Interest or Demand whatsoever which he the said George Eskridge hath or ought to have of or to the aforesaid one hundred acres of Land by Verue of the aforesaid Deed from the Proprietors or by any other ways or means whatsoever To Have and to Hold the aforesaid hundred Acres of Land with all particular its Rights members and appurtenances unto the said William Knott his heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of him the said William Knott his heirs and assigns forever So that neither he the said George Eskridge nor his heirs nor any other person or persons for him or them or in his or their names or in the name Right or Stead of any of them shall or will by any way or means hereafter have Claim Challenge or Demand any Estate Right Title or Interest of in or to the premises or any part or parcel thereof but from all and every such Right Title Estate Interest or Demand of in or to the said premises or any part thereof they and every of them shall be utterly Excluded and barred for ever by these presents In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and Seale this nineteenth Day of February in the year of our Lord Christ one Thousand seven hundred and Twenty Three

Sealed and Delivered in the presence of
 G. Eskridge Seal
 Wm. Jorrey
 Clerk Lettiner
 Die Martij 19^o 1723/4
 This Deed of Release was acknowledged in Northumberland County Court by George Eskridge unto William Knott and on the said Knotts motion its admitted to Record

Test: J. Lee Clerk

Wm. Knott
 Deed to
 Geo. Knott

At his Indenture made this 22 Day of January in the Tenth 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 God one Thousand seven hundred and Twenty Three four between William Meadows late of Northumberland County and in St. Stephens parish in the Colony of Virginia but now of St. Maryes County in the province of Maryland of the one part and John Hudson Senr of the parish County and Colony first mentioned of the other part Witnesseth that the said William Meadows for Divers good Causes & Considerations him thereunto moving but more especially for and in consideration of the sum of ^{one hundred and thirty} thousand pounds of ^{sterling} to him in hand paid at or before the Suscribing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof he the said William Meadows both hereby Acknowledge have granted bargained sold aliened Enfeofed and Confirmed and by these presents do grant Bargain sell alien Enfeof and Confirm unto the said John Hudson and John heirs and assigns for ever a certain tract Decident or parcel of Land situate and lying in the said parish County containing by Estimation fifty acres of Land (be the same more or less) it being a tract or parcel of Land sold by John Lee unto Edward Phillips and from him the said Phillips unto one John Attkins and by several Conveyances but last

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