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Trust

Know all Men by these presents that I Nathan Hall of Pittsylvania County am this  
10<sup>th</sup> day February 1774 justly indebted to Henry and Edmond Lyne the just and full sum of twenty  
three pounds and a pence in Current money of Virginia in my becoming security for one  
Journiah Bowles of Brunswick County and being truly desirous to do the said Henry  
and Edmond Lyne due justice and to secure to them the payment of the aforesaid sum of  
money with legal Interest thereon from this date on the said sum I the said Nathan  
Hall have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do give grant bargain sell  
and deliver to the said Henry and Edmond Lyne their Heirs and assigns for ever one certain  
Tract of Land lying and being in the County of Brunswick containing two Hundred &  
thirty seven Acres more or less lying upon Edans Creek being the place where the said Hall  
lived while in Brunswick also Iron Grey Mare about 2 years old, pecked about 2 feet 7  
Inches high also Trunk which the said Hall bought of Mr Lyne one Brown Cow  
half dozen flag Bairs also my gifted Gunns To have hold and enjoy the above 237  
Acres Land Grey Mare Trunk &c. to the said Henry and Edmond Lyne their Heirs  
or assigns for ever and I the said Nathan Hall for my self my Heirs &c. do covenant  
and agree with the said Henry and Edmond Lyne their Heirs &c. or assigns against me and  
my Heirs and against all and every other Person whatsoever shall and will warrant and ever  
defend the above Land Grey Mare &c. Upon Trust that nevertheless the said Henry and Edmond  
Lyne shall at any time after the first day October next after giving five days notice they  
the said Henry and Edmond Lyne shall and may dispose for the best Price that can be  
got in Cash for the aforesaid Land Mare Rifle Cow Gunns &c. to discharge the aforesaid  
sum of Twenty three pounds and a pence Current money with legal Interest thereon  
as before mentioned and also to pay all necessary Charges and expenses in securing the  
said Debt and Interest to the said Henry and Edmond Lyne their Heirs &c. and the said  
Henry and Edmond Lyne shall pay unto the said Nathan Hall his Heirs or assigns  
the overplus money arising from such sale if any overplus should be In Witness  
whereof the said Nathan Hall has hereunto set his hand and seal this 10<sup>th</sup> day of  
Feb<sup>r</sup> 1774.

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J<sup>r</sup> Salmon Tho: Backsdale

Nathan Hall (Seal)

Thomas Nelson

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1774  
The within D<sup>e</sup>d of Trust was Acknowledged by Nathan Hall Party thereto to be his Act  
and Deed And the same was ordered to be Recorded by the Court

Test  
Wm. Threlkeld

# This Indenture

made on the fifteenth day of January in the Year of Christ one thousand  
Seven Hundred and seventy four between Thomas Bullock of Pittsylvania County of the one part  
and Henry and Edmund Lyne of the same County of the other part witnesseth that for and in Consideration  
of the Sum of Twenty three Pounds seven shillings and three pence which the said Thomas  
Bullock am justly indebted to the said Henry and Edmund Lyne and honestly agree to secure and  
pay to them and for and in the further Consideration of the Sum of Five shillings like Money to the  
said Thomas Bullock in Hand payed by the said Henry and Edmund Lyne at and before the sealing  
and Delivery of this the Receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge and thereof and of every part thereof  
to cancel and discharge the said Henry and Edmund Lyne their Heirs Executors and Administrators  
The said Thomas Bullock have granted bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents do grant  
bargain sell and confirm to the said Henry and Edmund Lyne their Heirs and Assigns for ever one certain  
Tract of Land lying upon Smiths River containing seventy seven Acres more or less and bounded as  
follows beginning at a Dog Wood on the East side of Smiths River thence south three quarters East one  
hundred and two Poles to a white Oak in the County line thence West along the County line part  
of two hundred and twenty six poles to her and River thence up the said River as it meanders to the  
beginning Dequired with all the Appurtenances belonging or in any Wise appertaining to the premises  
hereby granted or intended to be granted and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders  
and all Services Benefits and Profits of the said seventy seven Acres and premises and all the  
Rights Claims Interests and Securities relating to the same To have and to hold the said seventy  
seven Acres and other premises unto the said Henry and Edmund Lyne their Heirs and Assigns for  
ever to the only proper Use and behoof of the said Henry and Edmund Lyne their Heirs and  
Assigns forever And the said Thomas Bullock doth hereby grant for himself and his Heirs that he  
the said Thomas Bullock and his Heirs and every of them shall and will warrant and for ever defend  
the said seventy seven Acres and other premises and every part and Article thereof with all singular  
the Rights and Appurtenances unto the said Henry and Edmund Lyne their Heirs and Assigns for  
ever against him the said Thomas Bullock and his Heirs and every of them and against every other  
Person whomsoever Upon Trust notwithstanding that the said Henry and Edmund Lyne their Heirs  
Executors Administrators or Assigns shall after the said Day of January in the year of Christ one thousand  
Seven Hundred and seventy five as soon as the said Henry and Edmund Lyne their Heirs Executors  
Administrators or Assigns shall think proper or the said Thomas Bullock shall request  
which ever of these two Circumstances shall happen sell for the best Price that can be gotten after  
giving ten Days publick Notice the said seventy seven Acres of Land and Premises and out of the  
Money arising from such Sale discharge pay and satisfy themselves the above mentioned



Sum of Twenty three Pounds seven Shillings and Three Pence with lawful Interest from the twenty seventh day of May one thousand seven Hundred and seventy three until the same shall be fully discharged and the expenses attending the drawing and recording this Indenture, and the contingent Charges of the sale, as aforesaid and other necessary Expenses that shall attend the securing and obtaining the above mentioned Money or performing any thing that is or shall be necessary relative to the intent of this Indenture and the said Henry and Edmund Lyne their Heirs Executors, Administrators, or to his Order. In Witness whereof the said Thomas Bullock hath hereunto set his Hand and Seal on the (say) and Year first above written.

Sealed and Delivered  
in the presence of  
Lewis Gwilltam  
Thomas Bullock Jr  
Daniel Bullock

Thomas Bullock

Exam. It is hereby held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1774  
The within Deed of Trust was acknowledged by Thomas (Bullock Esq) thereof to be his Act and Deed and the same is ordered to be Recorded by the Court  
Just

Wm. Tunstall

Lyme &  
Grove  
Deed of  
Trust

Know all Men by these Presents that Edward Graves of Pittsylvania County on this 20<sup>th</sup> day November 1773 justly indebted to Henry and Edmund Lyne the just and full sum of Thirty four Pounds Eighteen Shillings & eight Pence Current money of Virginia and being lawfully possessed to do the said Henry and Edmund Lyne and justice and to secure to them the payment of the aforesaid sum of Money with legal Interest thereon from this date in the said sum of. The said Edmund Graves have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do give grant bargain sell and release to the said Henry and Edmund Lyne their Heirs and Assigns for ever one blk Mare branded in the near Bullock E about 4 feet 6 Inches high with a hump upon her nose also a Young Horse Colt about 3 years old with a blaze face and 3 white feet branded on the shoulder and buttock **HI** being the Horse Colt I had of Mich<sup>l</sup> Brinker also my Rack Hogs consisting of about 19 head marked with a crop of underneath in

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the right Ear and a crop in the left together with their futures increase one Bed & Furniture all  
my Crop Tobacco and 120 Barrells Corn and all my Tadder together with the rest of my Estate  
be it of what kind never To have hold and enjoy the above lke Mare Horse Colt Hogs Bed  
& Furniture, Tob: Corn fodder &c &c to the said Henry & Edmund Lynes their Heirs Executors  
&c for ever and I the said Edmund Graves for my self my Heirs &c do covenant and agree  
with the said Henry and Edmund Lynes their Heirs &c against me and my Heirs and against  
all & every other person whatsoever shall with warrant and ever defend the above lke Mare  
Horse Colt Hogs Bed Tob: Corn fodder &c &c Upon trust that never theless the said  
Henry and Edmund Lynes shall at any time after the 1<sup>st</sup> day April 1772 after giving  
10 days notice they the said Henry and Edmund Lynes shall and may receive for the  
the best price that can be got in cash for the aforesaid Mare Young Horse Colt Bed Hogs Corn  
Tob: fodder &c &c to discharge the said sum of Thirty four Pounds fifteen shillings &  
and 8 Pence Current Money with legal Interest thereon as above mentioned and also  
to pay all necessary charges in securing the said Debt & Interest to the said Henry  
and Edmund Lynes their Heirs &c and the said Henry and Edmund Lynes shall  
pay unto the said Edmund Graves the surplus money arising from such sale if  
any surplus should be In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand &  
Seal this 20<sup>th</sup> day November 1772

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John Merwin  
Henry Dillon }  
}

Edmund Graves

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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1772.  
The within Deed of Trust was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses thereto to be the Act & Deed  
of the within named Edmund Graves and the same was ordered to be Recorded by the  
Court  
Test

Will: Tunstall

Dillard  
from  
Harris  
Deed  
This Indenture made this third day of January one thousand seven hundred  
and twenty four between John Harris of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and  
Thomas Dillard; of the same County of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Harris for  
and in consideration of the sum of thirteen Pounds Six shillings & eight pence Current money  
of Virginia by the said Thomas Dillard to the said John Harris in hand paid at and before  
Insaling and Delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof by the said John Harris is  
hereby acknowledged and the said Thomas Dillard and his Heirs thereof and therefrom forever  
Acquit Exonerate and Discharge hath Granted bargain'd and sold and by these presents

doth Grant bargain sell Release and confirm unto the said Thomas Dillard his Heirs and  
 Assigns all that Tract or parcel of Land containing by estimation two hundred and ten Acres  
 be the same more or less situate lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania and on the  
 west side of Allen Creek it being the Land of Plantation whereon the said  
 John Harnetts now lives and the said Tract is Bounded by the Lines of James Buckley  
 and James Henderson &c. together with all and singular the Houses buildings Trees Orchards  
 wood ways Waters and Watercourses Meadows Pastures and all other benefits and advantages  
 to the said belonging or in any wise appertaining with all the Estate right Title Interest  
 use property Claim or demand of him the said John Harnetts to the said Thomas Dillard  
 his Heirs or assigns for ever and that the said Thomas Dillard or his Heirs or assigns  
 may at any time hereafter enter into and upon have whole use occupy possess and  
 enjoy the said Land and premises without the usual Molestation or disturbance of  
 him the said John Harnetts or his Heirs and further the said John Harnetts  
 Undertakes for himself and his Heirs that at any time hereafter at the Request  
 proper Cost and charge in the Law of him the said Thomas Dillard or his Heirs  
 that he or they will make or cause to be made and executed such Feoffment or other  
 reasonable Acts of Conveyance or assurances as shall be adjudged Necessary for the  
 Quiet Conveyance of the above mentioned <sup>Granted</sup> Lands and premises In Witness whereof  
 the said John Harnetts have set his hand & seal the day year first above mention  
 dated & delivered in  
 presence of us  
 John Harnetts Esq<sup>r</sup>

John Vaughan, James Buckley  
 Geo Buckley, Benj. Griffiths, Joshua Stone &c

Memorandum that on the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1772 quiet and peaceable posses-  
 sion of Every of Esen was had and taken by the within mentioned John Harnetts and  
 by him returned to the within named Thomas Dillard according to the form and  
 Intent of the within Written Deed

Test  
 John Vaughan  
 James Buckley, John Buckley

John Harnetts Esq<sup>r</sup>

Received this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1772 of Thomas Dillard Esq<sup>r</sup> thirteen pounds six  
 shillings and eight pence current money of Virginia it being in full consideration  
 for the within mentioned Granted Land and premises as Writings my hand day and  
 Year above written.

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 John Vaughan  
 James Buckley  
 John Buckley

John Harnetts Esq<sup>r</sup>

James

James

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 Evans  
 Bellinger  
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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 2<sup>d</sup> Day of February 1772

This Indenture together with the memorandum of giving and Reciept on the back indented was proved by the Oaths of two of the Witnesses thereto to be the several Acts and Deed of the above named John Harnett and the same was ordered to be testified and afterwards to wit at a Court held for the said County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1772. The same was further proved by the Oaths of the other Witnesses thereto to be the several Acts and Deed of the said Harnett all which were ordered to be Recorded by the Court

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Will Tunstall Esq

Pittsylvania County to wit.

This day came before me Francis Hervey and made oath that he heard Isaac Clements tell Jeremiah Ward that he would pay him some Money the sum not remembered which the said Jeremiah Ward refused to take without he the said Clements would pay him Ten Pounds Given under my hand this first day of January 1772 further the said Francis Hervey says that it was at May Court 1772.

Crispin Shulten.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1772

The within Deposition was ordered to be Recorded by the Court

Test

Will Tunstall Esq

This Indenture

made this 1<sup>st</sup> Day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy three between Thomas Billings of Pittsylvania County of the one part and Charles Burton of the same County of the other part Witnesseth that he the said Thomas Billings for and in consideration of the just and full sum of a hundred Pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by him the said Charles Burton the Reciept hereof he the said Thomas Billings doth hereby acknowledge hath given granted Bargained and sold and by these presents doth give grant Bargain sell Enfeoff and confirm unto the said Charles Burton his three Executors Administrators and assigns for ever one certain Tract or Parcel of Land containing two hundred & two Acres more or less part of a larger tract of Thomas Billings Dat<sup>d</sup> 1760 Situate lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania aforesaid lying on both sides of Sandy Creek of Danna River and bounded as follows Viz<sup>t</sup> Beginning on the East side of the Creek at a corner White Oak in Slay's line thence North along the said line to a corner Gum thence West along Gatty Hughes line to a corner White Oak thence South along an old line to a corner White Oak thence along a winding line a long the Creek to the first Stationed place to have & to hold the above sold Land and

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Remains with all and singular the Priviledges and Appurtenances thereunto belonging unto him the said Charles Barton his Heirs Executors Administrators and assigns for ever to have hold use occupy Possess and enjoy the same with every part and parcel thereof unto him the said Charles Barton his Heirs Executors Administrators and assigns for ever against him the said Thomas Bellings his Heirs Executors Administrators or assigns and against the claim and demand of any other person or persons whatsoever shall and will By these presents Warrant and for ever defend In Witness whereof he the said Thomas Bellings hath hereunto set his hand and affix his seal the day & year above written.

Thomas Bellings Seal

signed sealed and Delivered  
In the presence of

James I. Brumfield

John X. Perry

John Ashworth, John Tomblins

Memorandum that on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1773 that quiet and Peaceable possession of the within mentioned Land and Premises was given and made by the within named Thomas Bellings unto the within named Charles Barton according to the Tenor form and effect of the within written Deed

In presence of

James I. Brumfield

John X. Perry

John Ashworth, John Tomblins

Thomas Bellings Seal

Received this 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1773 of the within named Charles Barton the just and full sum of hundred pounds current money of Virginia it being the consideration money within mentioned Received by me.

James I. Brumfield

John X. Perry

John Ashworth

John Tomblins

Thomas Bellings Seal

At about held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> day of May 1774

The within Indenture together with the memorandum of Levy and Seize and Receipt thereon Indorsed were proved by the oaths of three of the Witnesses thereto to be the several Acts of Deed of the within named Thomas Bellings all which were ordered to be Recorded By the Court

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Payne  
Deed of  
Trust

# This Indenture

made this Twenty sixth day of February in the year of Christ  
one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between William Payne of the County of Albemarle  
of the one part and Crispin Shelton of the County aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that  
for and in consideration of the sum of sixteen pounds four shillings and six pence of Virginia which to the  
said William Payne is justly due to the said Crispin Shelton and he hereby agrees to secure  
and pay to him and for and in the further consideration of the sum of five shillings like  
money to the said William Payne by the said Crispin Shelton in hand paid at and before the  
making and delivery of this the Receipt hereof I do hereby acknowledge and thereof out of  
every part thereof as Exonerate and discharge the said Crispin Shelton his heirs Executors  
and administrators he the said William Payne hath granted bargained sold and con-  
firmed and by these presents do grant bargain sell and confirm to the said Crispin  
Shelton his heirs and assigns for ever one Sorrel horse Branded on his near buttock S or  
something like it and one Pean horse Branded on his near buttock D or something like  
it also one Rifle Gun with brass mountings likewise Two Cows marked with a cross  
and a dot in the left ear and a dot in the right ear Each and said Cows future Increase  
**To have and to hold** the said Two horses and Rifle Gun and the said Two Cows and  
their future Increase to the said Crispin Shelton and to his heirs and assigns for ever to the  
only proper use and behoof of the said Crispin Shelton his heirs and assigns forever and the  
said William Payne does hereby grant for himself and his heirs that he the said  
William Payne himself and his heirs and every of them shall and will warrant and forever  
defend the said Two horses Rifle Gun and two Cows and their future Increase and every one  
and each of them with all and singular the rights and appurtenances unto the said Crispin  
Shelton his heirs and assigns forever against his heirs and every of them and against  
every Person whomsoever upon Trust Nevertheless that the said Crispin Shelton his heirs  
Executors administrators or assigns after the first day of September in the year of Christ  
one thousand seven hundred and seventy four or as soon as the said Crispin Shelton his  
heirs Executors administrators or assigns shall think proper or the said William Payne  
shall request whichever of these two circumstances shall first happen sell for the best  
price that can be gotten after giving ten days public notice the said Two horses and the  
Rifle Gun and Cows their future Increase and out of the money arising from such  
sale purchase pay and satisfy the above mentioned sum of sixteen pounds with lawful  
Interest from this present date until the same shall be fully purchased and the Expenses  
the procuring & Recording this Indenture and the contingent charges of the sale as aforesaid  
and other necessary Expenses that shall attend the securing and obtaining the above  
mentioned money or performing any thing that is or shall be necessary relative  
to the Intent of this Indenture <sup>that</sup> and the said Crispin Shelton his heirs Executors admi-  
nistrators or assigns shall pay or cause to be paid the overplus if any remains from



such sale to the said William Payne his heirs Executors and administrators or assigns  
 or his or her in Writs whereof the said William Payne hath herunto set his hand & seal  
 on the day and year above Written  
 Shales and colored in the presence of

William Payne

Amishad Shelton  
 William Pace

Examined

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1774.  
 This Deed of Trust was proved by the Oaths of the Witnesses hereto to be the act and Deed  
 of the above named William Payne and the same was ordered to be Recorded.  
 By the Court  
 Wm. Chastalle C<sup>l</sup>

Murdoch & Co  
 from  
 T. D. Deed  
 of Trust

**This Indenture** made on this thirty first day of March in the year of Christ  
 one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between William Tord of Pittsylvania County of the  
 one part and Thomas Murdoch of the said County of the other part witnesseth that for and in  
 consideration of the Sum of three hundred pounds Current Money which he the said  
 William Tord his justly indebted to the said Thomas Murdoch and honestly desire to receive &  
 pay to him and for and in the further consideration of the Sum of five Shillings the money  
 to the said William Tord in hand paid by the said Thomas Murdoch at and before the  
 sealing and Delivery of this the Receipt whereof he hath hereby acknowledge and thereof and  
 of every part thereof hath received and discharge the said Thomas Murdoch his heirs Executors  
 and administrators the said William Tord hath granted bargain sold and confirmed  
 and by these presents hath grant bargain bargain sold and confirm to the said Thomas  
 Murdoch his heirs and assigns forever one Tract of Land lying upon the Branches  
 of the Big Creek containing three hundred and seventy Acres joining the Land of  
 John Johns and Peter Deby being the Plantation which he the said William Tord bought  
 of John Short whereon he now lives seven Negro Males Humphrey Viles Eximio Frassick  
 David Clee and Africa seven horses one Lean Mare one Wagon and Carts Eight head  
 of Cattle Two feather Beds and furniture with his household of Kitchen furniture, Blanket  
 Minerals with the further Increase of said Mare and Cattle and female Slaves with all  
 Appurtenances belonging or in any wise appertaining to the Premises hereby granted  
 intended to be granted and the Reversions and Quersions Remainder and Remainder  
 and services Profits and profits of the said Land & Effects and premises and all their  
 Rights Claims Interests and securities relating to the same To have & to hold the said  
 Land & Effects and other Premises unto the said Thomas Murdoch his heirs

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and assigns for ever to the only proper Use and Benefit of him the said Thomas Murdock his  
Heirs and assigns for ever And the said William Todd hath hereby grant for himself and his  
Heirs that he the said William Todd and his Heirs and every of them shall and will  
lawfull and for ever defend the said Land and Effects and other promises and every part and  
Article thereof with all and singular their Rights and appurtenances unto the said Thomas  
Murdock his Heirs and assigns for ever against him the said Thomas Murdock and his  
Heirs and every of them and against every other Person whomsoever Upon Trust nevertheless that  
the said Thomas Murdock his Heirs Executors administrators or assigns shall after the thirtieth  
Day of March in the year of Christ One thousand Seven Hundred and seventy Six or as soon  
as the said Thomas Murdock his Heirs Executors Administrators or assigns shall  
think proper or the said William Todd shall request him which ever of these two circum-  
stances shall first happen sell for the best Price that can be gotten after giving ten  
Days publick Notice the said Land and Effects and promises and out of the Money  
arising from such sale discharge pay and satisfy himself the above mentioned  
Sum of Three hundred Pounds and what ever Sums may be hereafter advanced him  
with lawful Interest from the Day of One thousand Seven Hundred and  
until the same be fully discharged and the Expenses attending the drawing  
and receiving this Indenture and the contingent charges of the sale as aforesaid and other  
necessary expences that shall attend the securing and obtaining the above mentioned  
Money or performing any thing that is or shall be necessary relation to the Intent of  
this Indenture and that the said Thomas Murdock shall pay or cause to be paid the  
wages if any remain from such sale to the said William Todd his Heirs Executors  
Administrators or to his or their order In Witness whereof the said William Todd hath  
subscribed at his Hand and seal on the Day and year above written.

Scaled and Delivered in the presence of

Don Inmick

William Todd

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1778.  
This Deed of Trust was acknowledged by William Todd Party thereto to be his Act and  
Deed And the same was ordered to be Recorded By the Court

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Wm. Tinsall &

This Indenture made this Twentyfifth day of May one thousand  
Seven Hundred and Seventy four Between William Atkinson of the County of Pittsylvania  
and Parish of Courten of the one part and John Smith of the same County and Parish of the  
other part Witnesseth that the said William Atkinson for and in Consideration of the Sum

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of three hundred pounds current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said John Smith the Receipt whereof the said William Atkinson hath hereby acknowledge and thereof hath acquit and discharge the said John Smith his Heirs Executors and administrators hath granted Bargained sold aliened and confirmed and by these presents hath Grant Bargain sold alien Release and confirm unto the said John Smith his Heirs and Assignes forever all that Tract or parcel of Land whereon the said Wm Atkinson now lives lying and being in the said County of Maryland formerly lunenburg on the North side of Pig River containing one hundred and fifty Acres be the same more or less it being part of a Tract of Two hundred Acres of Land Granted to the said William Atkinson by patent bearing date the fifth day of September one thousand seven hundred and forty nine and bounded as follows (to wit) Beginning at a Red oak on the said Pig River of the south side Thence North half five perches West crossing the said River one hundred and eleven poles to a Branch South Ten perches West crossing Quaggs Creek Two hundred and four poles to a Red oak South Ten perches East one hundred and Ten poles to a Red oak on the North side the said River Thence down the said River according to its meanders Two hundred & six poles crossing the River to a Gum Tree thence down the south side the River by its meanders one hundred & fifteen poles to the first Station Together with all houses outhouses ways Waters and Water courses profits hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever to the said Tract or parcels of Land belonging or in any wise appertaining and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and remainders Parts Profits and profits thereof and all the Estate Right Title Interest claim and demand whatsoever of him the said William Atkinson his Heirs Executors &c of in or to the same or any part or parcel thereof with all Acts Evidences and writings touching or in any wise concerning the Premises **To have and to hold** the said premises with all and every of these appurtenances unto the said John Smith his Heirs and Assignes forever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said John Smith his Heirs & Assignes forever And the said William Atkinson for himself his Heirs Executors and administrators hath covenant promise and agree to and with the said John Smith his Heirs and Assignes forever in manner and form following that is to say that him the said William Atkinson is Truly and lawfully seized in his own Right of so Good sure and absolute Estate of Inheritance in fee simple of in all and singular the said premises with their Appurtenances and that he has a Good Right & Lawful Authority to sell and convey the same as by these presents he has done and that the said John Smith his Heirs and Assignes shall and may at all times hereafter peaceably and lawfully have held use occupy and enjoy and possess the said premises with their Appurtenances truly and clearly acquitted Exonerated and discharged



of all and from all Incumbrances of what nature or kind so ever and that the said William Atkinson and his heirs all and singularly the said bargain'd and sold premises with their and every of their appurtenances unto the said John Smith his heirs and assigns forever against himself and his heirs and against all and every other person or persons whatsoever Lawfully Claiming or to Claim the same. shall and will Warrant and for ever defend by then presents and lastly the said William Atkinson doth covenant promise and agree for himself and his heirs to and with the said John Smith his heirs and assigns that he the said William Atkinson and his heirs shall and will at any time hereafter when required at the proper Costs and charges of the said John Smith his heirs & assigns as and execute or cause to be done and executed all and every such further Act or Acts thing or things (pieces or pieces in the Law whatsoever as shall by the said John Smith his heirs or assigns or his or their Council learned in the Law be reasonably advised or required for the better assuring and sure making the said premises with their appurtenances abovementioned and intended to be hereby granted unto the said John Smith his heirs and assigns for ever according to the true intent & meaning of these presents. In Witness whereof the said William Atkinson to these presents have hereunto set his Hand and affixed his seal the day and year first above Written.

Signed Sealed & delivered  
in presence of

Samuel Calland

Arthur Stephens

Payton Smith

William V. Atkinson  
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## Memorandum

That on the day of the date of the within Written Indenture full and peaceable possession & Seizen of the within mentioned Premises with the appurtenances was had and taken by me the within named William Atkinson & by me given and delivered to the within mentioned John Smith according to the form & Effect of the within Deed.

Witness my hand & Seal

Test Sam. Calland Arthur Stephens Payton Smith

William V. Atkinson  
mark

## Received

this Twentyfifth day of May one thousand seven hundred and seventy five of the within named John Smith the sum of Three Hundred Pounds Current money of Virginia being the consideration Money within mentioned.

Test Sam. Calland Arthur Stephens Payton Smith

Recd. from William V. Atkinson

At a Court held for Allegany County on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of May 1775. The within Indenture together to the memorandum of Seizen and Receipt hereon indorsed was acknowledged by the above named William Atkinson to be his several Acts and Deed and the same was ordered to be Recorded By the Court

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Smith  
from  
Garrett

# His Indenture

made on the seventeen day of February in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy six Between Robert Garrett of the one Part and Peyton Smith on the other part Witnesseth that the said Robert Garrett for and in Consideration of the sum of Thirty six pounds sixteen shillings nine pence Current Money of Virginia which he the said Robert Garrett is justly Indebted to him and to witly gives to secure and pay to him and for and in further consideration of the sum of five shillings like money to him in hand paid by the said Robert Garrett at and before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt is hereby acknowledged and thereof and Every part thereof paid Exonerate and discharge the said Peyton Smith his Heirs and Assigns for ever one certain Tract or Parcel of Land in Albemarle County containing one hundred Acres lying on the south side of Big River and joining the mouth of Snow Creek it being the land the said Smith sold to the said Garrett with all the appurtenances belonging or in any wise appertaining to the premises hereby granted or intended to be granted and the Reversion and Remainder remainder and remainders and all services Benefits and profits of the said Land and premises and all his rights Claims Interests and Security of the same To have and to hold the said Land and premises unto the said Peyton Smith his Heirs and Assigns for ever and the said Robert Garrett do hereby grant for him self and his Heirs that he the said Robert Garrett and his Heirs and every of them shall and will warrant and for ever defend the said Land and premises and every part and Ache thereof with all and singular there right and appurtenances unto the said Peyton Smith his Heirs and Assigns for ever against him the said Robert Garrett and his Heirs and every of them and against every other person whomsoever When first notwithstanding that the said Peyton Smith his Heirs or Assigns shall after the first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy six or as soon after as the said Peyton Smith shall think proper or the said Robert Garrett shall request them which ever of these two circumstances shall first happen sell for the best price that can be gotten after Ten days publick notice the said Land and premises and out of the money arising from such sale pay himself the above sum of Thirty pounds sixteen and nine pence like money with lawful Interest thenceforth from the date of the expences attending drawing and Recording this Indenture and the Contingent charges of the sale aforesaid and the other necessary expences attending the securing and obtaining the above mentioned money or performing any thing that is or may be necessary on Account of this Indenture and that the said Peyton Smith shall pay the surplus after such sale to the said Robert Garrett his Heirs or Assigns or to his other use in Manner whereof the said Robert Garrett hath hereto set his hand & seal the day & year first above written Signed sealed and delivered in presence of

William Harrison

Amos X Harrison Daniel Daugh  
mark

Robert Garrett.





(1A)

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1775.

The within Deed of Trust was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses thereto to be the Act and Deed of the within named Robert Garrett and the same was ordered to be Recorded by the Court.

Test

## This Indenture

made this 21<sup>st</sup> Day of May in the year of our Lord

Henry }  
From } Deed  
Stone }

one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between Henry Stone of Pittsylvania County of the one part and William Stone of the said County of the other part witnesseth that the said Henry Stone for and in consideration of the sum of twenty pounds Current and Money to him in hand paid by the said William Stone before the making and delivery of these presents Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge and himself therewith fully satisfied contented and paid and thereof and every part thereof doth hereby acquit and discharge the said William Stone his heirs &c for ever hath granted sold aliened conveyed and confirmed and by these presents doth grant sell respect and confirm unto the said William Stone his heirs and assigns forever one certain Tract parcel or parcel of Land containing one hundred acres more or less situate lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania on the North side of Dan River and bounded as followeth to wit beginning at a Gum tree on the said River thence to a Red oak on the top of the Ridge between the said River and the Town branch and thence to a white oak on the said Town branch and thence to a white oak corner in the line of the Land that Henry Stone bought of Peter Perkins thence along the said line to the line of the Land that George Chadwell now is living on thence along the said Chadwells line to Henry Stones old line thence along the said Stones line to his old beginning at a Black Walnut tree on the said Dan River thence Down the said River as it meanders to the beginning To have held peaceably enjoy the aforesaid one hundred acres of Land above mentioned with all Houses orchards gardens woods under woods and meadow Ground with all other and singular the appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining from the Claim title or Title of them the said Henry Stone his heirs &c or any other person or persons whatsoever to the only full use and behoof of him the said William Stone his heirs Executors administrators or assigns forever and the said Henry Stone for himself his heirs Executors &c doth covenant promise and agree that he will from time to time and at all times hereafter against all persons whatsoever the right of the above said Land and premises warrant and forever defend unto the said William Stone and the said Henry Stone doth for himself his heirs further promise that he shall and will be ready at all times for ever hereafter to make any further conveyance right or title that he the said William Stone his heirs or assigns or his or



this Court learned in law shall lawfully receive at the proper cost and charge of him the said William Stone in Writings whereof the said Henry Stone hath hereunto set his hand and fixed his seal the Day and year first above written

Signed sealed and Delivered

In the presence of

Henry Stone Seal

John Smith

Peter Wilson William Cox

Memorandum

that on the day within mentioned Quiet and peaceable possession and Livery of Seisin was made done and had of the within mentioned Land and premises by Henry Stone unto William Stone within mentioned according to the form

In presence of

Henry Stone Seal

John Smith

Peter Wilson William Cox

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1778.

The within Indenture together with the Memorandum of Livery and Seisin hereon indorsed were proved by the oaths of the Witnesses thereto to be the acts and Deeds of the above named Henry Stone and the same was ordered to be Recorded by the Court

Will Tinsall

Examined

This Indenture

made this 26<sup>th</sup> day of May in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between William Young of Pittsylvania County of the one part and Thomas Hale of the same County of the other part Witnesseth that the said William Young for and in consideration of the sum of forty pounds Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Thomas Hale before the insuing & delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof he the said William Young doth acknowledge and confess himself fully satisfied and paid thereof so clearly acquit and discharge the said Thomas Hale his heirs Executors and administrators for ever finally by these presents hath given granted bargained and sold he of fe and confirmed and by these presents so firmly clearly and absolutely sell in fee simple confirm unto the said Thomas Hale his heirs and assigns for ever one certain tract or parcel of Land containing twenty five Acres being the same more or less situate being and lying on both sides of Pig River in Pittsylvania County being formerly conveyed for and to George

Hale from Young

from Hether

and bounds as followeth Viz. beginning at a Millery on the North side of Egg River thence me-  
 lues North fifty two paces west fifty four poles to pointiers South fifty nine paces west eighty  
 four poles crossing the River to divide Oak South twenty four and a half paces East a hundred  
 and twenty six poles Crossing two branches to a dogwood thirty eight and a half paces East  
 forty six poles coming abranche to a white Millery on the River and thence runs the same  
 and meanders to the first station of being the Land the said Male now lives on together  
 with all houses and houses Cattle Gardens orchards fences woods underwoods Waters  
 water courses thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining therunto to have and to  
 hold the said Land and premises and singular appertinances whatsoever therunto  
 belonging or in any way appertaining to him the said Thomas Male his heirs and  
 assigns forever and the said William Young for himself and his heirs the Land and premises  
 with their and every of theirs I assure by these presents against me and my heirs or  
 any person or persons whatsoever laying any Right or title to the same in any part  
 thereof in Writings whiche if the said William Young hath hereunto set my hand  
 and affix my seal the day and date above written.

William Young 

**Memorandum** that on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1778 full and peaceable possession was  
 given to the within Land and tenements was made and done and followed by the within  
 named William Young to the said Thomas Male according to the true intent and  
 meaning of the within written Deed.

William Young 

At about huts for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1778.

The within Indenture together with the Memorandum of Survey and Survey hereon under-  
 were acknowledged by the above named William Young to be his act and Deed and the  
 same was ordered to be Recorded by the Court.

Test  
 Will. Hundall C.

**This Indenture** made the eight day of January in the year of our Lord  
 one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between Robert Mosher of the County of  
 Pittsylvania of the one part and Francis Cox of the aforesaid County of the other part  
 Witnesseth that the said Robert Mosher for and in Consideration of the Sum of Thirty  
 Pounds current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Francis Cox  
 at or before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof is hereby

Done  
 from  
 Mosher

acknowledged both granted bargained and sold and by these presents both grant bargain  
and sell unto the said Francis Lee Two hundred Acres of Land more or less beginning  
at a Spanish Oak on the said Hockers Line thence along the said Hockers line  
to a corner Hickory from thence to the Beginning place so as to contain Two hundred  
Acres of Land more or less Being the Land John Rich formerly lived on together with  
the House Buildings Orchard Ways Waters Watercourses And its Commodities  
Husbandry and Appurtenances whatsoever to the said premises hereby granted  
or any part thereof belonging or in any wise appertaining and the Provision  
and Provisions Remainder and Remainders Rents Issues and profits thereof  
To have and to hold the said Land hereby conveyed and all and singular other the  
Premises hereby granted with the appurtenances unto the said Francis Lee his  
Executors Administrators and assigns forever and so warrant and defend the  
said Land and premises from all persons & persons whatsoever In Witness whereof  
the said Robert Hocker have hereunto set his Hand and Seal the Day and  
Years first above written.

Witness my Hand and Seal

in the presence of

Will: Tunstall and Chas: Hall

Esq: Daniel William Graham

Robert R. Hocker

mark

**Received** on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of the within mentioned Did the Sum of Thirty pounds  
Current money being the consideration within mentioned In full of the same.

Witness

William Tunstall

Esq: Daniel William Graham

Robert R. Hocker

mark

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 21<sup>st</sup> Day of February 1778

The within Indenture together with the Receipt herein inserted were proved by the oath  
of one of the Witnesses thereto to be the Act and Deed of the above named Robert Hocker  
and the same was ordered to be Certified and afterwards to with at a Court held for  
the said County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1778 the same was further proved by the  
oaths of two more Witnesses thereto to be the Act and Deed of the said Hocker  
which was ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Exam<sup>r</sup>

Test Will: Tunstall



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# Indenture

made this twenty fourth day of November in the

Walker  
from  
Justice  
Duo  
C. B.

Year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy three between John Justice and Mary his Wife of the County of Pittsgloonia of the one part and Joseph Walker of the County of Gungland of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Justice and Mary his Wife for and in the Consideration of the sum of Eighty pounds Current money of Virginia to them in hand paid by the said Joseph Walker the receipt hereby acknowledged be the said John Justice and Mary his Wife hath Granted Bargained and sold aliened Released Enfeoffed and Conferred and by these presents hath Grant Bargained sold Released Enfeoffed and Conferred unto the said Joseph Walker all that Tract piece or parcel of Land Situate lying and being on Harpings Creek in the said County of Pittsgloonia containing by estimation one Hundred acres in the same more or less being part a Greater Tract of Land formerly the property of John Justice Esq. deceased but now divided amongst his Son Viz. Thomas Ezra Justice and the above named John it being the Land he the said John Justice now lives on and divided from his Brothers Land by marked Trees as will appear more fully by the deed the said John Justice had from his father and recorded in Halifax Court and all House and House Offices buildings Trees Woods and underwoods Ways Waters Watercourses profits Commodities Advantages Hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever to this said one hundred acres of Land and premises above mentioned belonging or in any way appertaining and also the Provision and Reversion Remainder and Remainders Rent and Services of the said premises above mentioned and of every part and parcel thereof with the Appurtenances and also all the Estate Right title Interest Claim and demand whatsoever either in Equity or Law of the said John Justice of in or to the said one Hundred acres of Land and premises above mentioned and of every part and parcel with the Appurtenances To have and to hold the said one Hundred acres of Land and premises above mentioned and every part thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Joseph Walker his Heirs Executors or assigns to the only use of Relief of the said Joseph Walker his Heirs Executors & assigns forever and the said John Justice and his Wife Mary for themselves their Heirs with covenant and agree to and with the said Joseph Walker his Heirs Executors &c. by this presents in the manner & form as followeth that is to say that he the said John Justice and Mary his Wife the said parcel of Land and premises above mentioned & every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Joseph Walker his Heirs Executors &c. against him the said John Justice & Mary his Wife & their Heirs Executors &c. and against every other person whatsoever shall Warrant and for ever defend by this presents in Witness whereof the said John Justice hath to these presents set his hand & seal this day and year first above written Signed sealed & Delivered in presence of Saml. Colland John Davis John Munday James Talbot

John Justice

**Memorandum** that on the twenty fourth day of November one thousand seven hundred and twenty three. Quiet and peaceable possession with living and Lagen of the within Land and premises was given to the within named Joseph Walker before the under written Witnesses by

Witnesses

John Justice

Sam<sup>r</sup> Calland. John Davis

John Hendley. James Falconer

And the day and Year within written of the within named Joseph Walker Eighty pounds current money of Virginia being the consideration money of the within mentioned Land

Witnesses

John Justice

Sam<sup>r</sup> Calland. John Davis

John Hendley. James Falconer

At a Court held for Pennsylvania County on the 26. Day of May 1778.

The within Indenture together with the Memorandum of living and Lagen and Receipt hereon inserted were proved by the oaths of three of the Witnesses thereto to be the several Acts and Deeds of the above named John Justice and the same was ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Test

St. Jefferson  
from  
G. Jefferson  
Deed  
G. Jefferson

**This Indenture** made this Twelfth Day of May one thousand seven hundred and twenty four between George Jefferson of Lunenburg County of the one part and Peter Field Jefferson of Richlandburg County of the other part Witnesseth that the said George Jefferson for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and twenty pounds current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged. Both Granted Bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents both Granted bargain sold confirm unto the said Peter Field Jefferson his Heirs and assigns forever one certain Tract of Parcel of Land containing by estimation Four Hundred of more Acres lying and being in the County of Pennsylvania on the Camp Branch of Turkey Creek and is bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a Hickory on a high dry ridge thence South Three Hundred and eleven Poles to Pointers East Two Hundred Poles to a Red oak North Two Hundred of Thirty eight Poles to Pointers in the old order line thence along the same North Forty Degrees West Two Hundred and Forty eight Poles to Pointers and thence South Twenty one Degrees West one Hundred and twenty three Poles to the beginning To have and to hold the said Tract or parcel of Land with all and singular the premises & appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining with the Privileges & Provisions Granted and Remained theret. unto the said Peter Field Jefferson his Heirs & Assigns forever.



And the said George Jefferson for himself and his heirs p<sup>er</sup>petuam covenant and agree to and with the said Peter Field Jefferson that he the said George Jefferson the above mentioned Land and premises with the Appurtenances unto the said Peter Field Jefferson his heirs and assigns for ever against the claim and demand of him the said George Jefferson and his heirs and against all and every other Person or persons whatsoever shall and will warrant for ever (as far as by these presents in Writings whereof the said George Jefferson hath hereunto at his Hand & seal the day and year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered

in presence of

David Willis

Thomas Garland

his  
Susantha T. Nichols  
marks

G. Jefferson Seal

## Memorandum

that on the 12<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1774 Quiet and peaceable possession of Livery and Seign of the Land and Premises within mentioned was made & delivered by the within married George Jefferson unto the within married Peter Field Jefferson according to the form & effect of the within written Deed

In presence of

David Willis

Thomas Garland

his  
Susantha T. Nichols  
marks

G. Jefferson Seal

At about half past Eight o'clock on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1774.

The within Indenture together with the Memorandum of Livery & Seign hereon endorsed were acknowledged by the within married George Jefferson to be his Act & Deed and the same was ordered to be Recorded (By the Court)

Test Wm. Threlkeld & Co

## Deed Indenture

made this Twelfth day of May one thousand seven hundred & seventy four between George Jefferson of Lunenburg County of the one part and Peter Field Jefferson of Necklinburg County of the other part Witnesseth That the said George Jefferson for and in consideration of the sum of Sixty pounds Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath Granted Bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents p<sup>er</sup>petuam Grant Bargain sold and confirm unto the said Peter Field Jefferson his heirs and assigns for ever one certain Tract or parcel of Land

G. Jefferson  
from  
G. Jefferson  
Deed  
Exam C



containing by estimation Three Hundred and Twenty one Acres lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania on Saters Creek and is bounded as followeth To wit Beginning at Pointe James Smiths Line thence along the same crossing Saters Creek North Three Hundred and Thirty six Poles to a Red oak Tree one Hundred and Fifty three Poles to a white oak South Three Hundred and Thirty six Poles to a Black Jack and East One Hundred and fifty three Poles to the beginning To have and to hold the said Tract or Parcel of Land with all and singular the Appurtenances therunto belonging or in any wise appertaining With the Provisions and Reservations Remains and Reminders thereof unto the said Peter Field Jefferson his Heirs and assigns for ever To the only proper use and behoof of him the said Peter Field Jefferson his Heirs and assigns for ever and the said George Jefferson for him self and his Heirs with covenant and agree to and with the said Peter Field Jefferson that he the said George Jefferson the above mentioned Land and Curries with the Appurtenances unto the said Peter Field Jefferson his Heirs and assigns for ever against the claim and Demand of him the said George Jefferson of his Heirs and against all and every other Person or persons whatsoever shall lawfully warrant or for ever defend by these presents In Witness whereof the said George Jefferson hath hereunto set his Hand & Seal the Day and year first above written

Signed sealed and Delivered

G. Jefferson Seal

in presence of

David Willis

Thomas Garland

Susanna <sup>his</sup> Michels  
mark

Witness That on the 2<sup>d</sup> Day of May 1772 Quiet and peaceable Possession of Henry and Heirs of the Land and Curries within mentioned was made of followeth by the within named George Jefferson unto the within named Peter Field Jefferson according to the form & effect of the within written Deed.

In presence of

G. Jefferson Seal

David Willis, Thomas Garland, Susanna <sup>his</sup> Michels  
mark

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1772.

The within Indenture together with the Memorandum of Levy and Seizen herein Inrolled were acknowledged by the within named George Jefferson to be his Acts and Deed and the same were ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Test

Remission  
from  
Atkinson  
Deeds

**Chise Indenture** made this day of December in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy three Between Henry Atkinson Esq and Rachel his Wife of the County of Alleghania of the one part and George Atkinson of the same County of the other part Witnesseth that the said Henry Atkinson and Rachel his Wife for and in Consideration of the sum of thirty Pounds Current money of Virginia to them in hand paid at & before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the receipt whereof the said Henry Atkinson himself fully satisfied hath given granted bargained sold Aliened and confirmed and by these presents doth give grant bargain sell Alien and confirmed unto the said George Atkinson and to his Heirs and Assigns forever one certain Tract or parcel of Land situate lying and being in the County aforesaid Containing by estimation fifty Acres be the same more or less on the North side of Clegg River beginning at the River on a red Oak running from thence a straight line to a White Oak Corner thence then running a straight line to the River and ends at the River in two Corners Thus being the Land given him by his Father William Atkinson Esq and all buildings Woods and under Woods standing or growing upon the premises and all ways easements profits commodities and Appurtenances whatsoever thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining and the Reversion and Reversions remainder and remainders ~~xxxxxx~~ thereof and all the right Title use Trust Interest Property Claim and demand of him the said Henry Atkinson and Rachel his Wife of and in all and singular the premises with all and every Advantages and all evidences writings or monuments of or concerning the said land and premises To have and to hold the said Tract or Parcel of Land with all and singular the premises herein before mentioned meant or Intended to be hereby Granted with all and Every of their Appurtenance unto the said George Atkinson and to his Heirs and Assigns and to the only proper use and behoof of him the said George Atkinson and of his Heirs and Assigns forever And the said Henry Atkinson and Rachel his Wife and their Heirs the said Tract or parcel of Land and all and singular the premises herein before mentioned with the Appurtenances unto the said George Atkinson his Heirs and Assigns and to his and their own proper use & uses against the Challenging Claim and demand of all persons whatsoever shall & well warrant and forever defend by these presents In Witness whereof the said Henry Atkinson hath hereunto set hand and affixed his seal the day and Year first above written

Signed sealed and delivered

In the presence of

John Calland  
James Falconer  
Morice Atkinson  
mark

Henry H. Atkinson  
mark



## Memorandum

that on the third day of December one thousand seven hundred and seventy three Quiet and peaceable possession with heavy and seizure of the within Lands and premises was given to the within named George Harrison before the under written witnesses by

In presence of

Sam<sup>r</sup> Calland

James Falconer

Morice <sup>his</sup> X Atkinson  
markHenry H Atkinson <sup>his</sup> seal  
mark

Recd of George Harrison the full sum of thirty Pounds current Money being the Consideration of the within Lands and premises this third day of December 1773.

In presence of

Sam<sup>r</sup> Calland

James Falconer

Morice <sup>his</sup> X Atkinson.  
markHenry H Atkinson <sup>his</sup> seal

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1774.  
The within Indenture together with the Memorandum of Levy and Return and Receipt thereon inserted were proved by the Oaths of the Witnesses hereto to be the several Acts & Deeds of the above named Henry Atkinson All which were ordered to be Recorded

Test

Mays  
from  
Chandler  
Dedimus

George the third by the grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King defender of the faith &c. To Peter Calland and Rich<sup>d</sup> Hughes or any two of his Majestys Justices of the County of Pittsylvania Greeting whereas Robert Chandler by his certain Indenture of Feoffment hath conveyed unto Henry Mays of the County aforesaid one certain Tract or parcel of Land lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania containing one hundred and Ten Acres more or less and whereas Parthenia the wife of the said Robert cannot conveniently Travel to and from our said County Court of Pittsylvania. Know ye that we trusting to your faithful and prudent circumspection in Examining the said Parthenia the wife of the said Robert from and apart from her said husband whether she is freely and voluntarily without the persuasions or threats of her said husband Relinquish her right of power in and to the said Land and premises conveyed by her said husband in the said Indenture and when you have <sup>it</sup> done that you certify to our Justice of m

Mays  
from  
Chandler  
Dedimus

Examined



said Court of Pittsylvania under your hands and seals presently and plainly you send  
 Together with this writ Witness William Turnstall Clerk of our said County Court at  
 the Courthouse the 1<sup>st</sup> Day of June in the 13<sup>th</sup> year of our reign

William Turnstall

By virtue of the above Ordinance to us directed we have examined Parthenia the wife  
 of Robert Chandler apart from her said husband touching her Relinquishment of her  
 power in and to one Hundred and Ten Acres of Land more or less conveyed by her said  
 husband to the above Henry Mays we do hereby certify that the said Parthenia  
 apart from her said husband did freely and voluntarily without the persuasion or  
 threats of her said husband relinquish her right of Dower and to the said Land and  
 Premises conveyed by her said husband in the said Indenture to the said Henry Mays  
 Given under our hands and seals this 19<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1774.

Peter Copland Seal

Arch. Hughes Seal

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1774.

The within petition was returned and ordered to be Recorded By the Court

O. Test.

William Turnstall Ck

George the third by the grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith  
 to Peter Copland and Arch. Hughes or any two of His Majesties Justices of the  
 County of Pittsylvania Greeting whereas Robert Chandler by his certain Indenture of  
 Trostment hath conveyed unto Stephen Mays of the County aforesaid one certain Tract  
 or parcel of Land lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania containing 220 Acres more  
 or less and whereas Parthenia the wife of the said Robert Chandler cannot conveniently  
 Travel to and from our said County Court of Pittsylvania Know ye that we Trusting to  
 your faithful and provident circumspection in examining Parthenia the wife of the said  
 Robert Chandler from and apart from her said husband whether she does freely and  
 Voluntarily without the persuasions or threats of her said husband relinquish her  
 right of Dower and to the said Land and premises conveyed by her said husband in the  
 said Indenture and when you have it done that you certify to our Justices of our said

Mays  
 from  
 Chandler  
 Petition

Court of Pennsylvania under your hands and seals distinctly and plainly you send together with this writ Writs William Tunstall Clerk of our County Court at the Courthouse the 1<sup>st</sup> Day of June in the 13<sup>th</sup> year of our King.

Will. Tunstall

By virtue of the above Decimus proved we have examined Pratheria the wife of Robert Chandler apart from her said husband touching her relinquishment of her <sup>in and</sup> power to Two hundred and twenty Acres of Land more or less conveyed by her said husband to the above Stephen Miers we do hereby certify that the said Pratheria apart from her said husband did fully and voluntarily without the persuasions or threats of her said husband relinquish her right of power and to the said Land and premises conveyed by her said husband in the said Indenture to the said Stephen Miers Given under our hands and seals this 19<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1771.

John Galsord Seal

Arch<sup>d</sup> Hughes Seal

Examined

At publick sale for City of Pennsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1771.

The within Decimus was returned and ordered to be recorded by the Court

Just

Will. Tunstall

John & Hall  
Barnes & Dues

Chise Indenture

made this fourth Day of January in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between Charles Burns of the Parish Cometen in the County of Pennsylvania of the one part and Theophilus Tule and William Galt Merchants in Prince George County of the other part It Witnesseth that the said Charles Burns for and in consideration of the sum of Forty five pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Tule & Galt also before the making & delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof to the said Charles Burns doth hereby acknowledge and thereof and of and from every part and parcel thereof doth hereby acquit Exonerate and discharge by these presents to the said Charles Burns. Galt Granted bargained and sold Alien & Releaved in possession and Consigned and by these presents doth Grant Bargain and sell When Curren enoff and confirm unto the said Theophilus Tule and William Galt all that Tract piece parcel or Divident of Land situate lying and being in the Parish and County aforesaid containing by estimation Two hundred and fifty four Acres on the South side James River and bounded as follows

to Wit beginning at Red oak on the River thence and down south fifty Degrees west one hundred and seventy Two poles to a white stake South thirty four degrees east Ninety Six poles to a white white oak South fifty Six Degrees east Two hundred and Twenty poles to Pointers North thirty eight Degrees east ninety four poles to Hickory on the River and thence up the same and meanders to the Beginning with all Houses outhouses Edifices buildings  
Gardens Gardens Fences trees Woods underwoods ways waters watercourses profits commodities Advantages Accidents and appurtenances whatsoever to the said premises above mentioned belonging in any wise appertaining and also the Reversion and Reversion Remainder and remainders Rents Issues and profits of the said premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances and also all the estate Right title Interest claim and Demand whatsoever either in equity or in Law of him the said Charles Burns and his Heirs of in and to the said Premises only or only any part thereof To have and to hold the said Two hundred and Fifty four Acres land and premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Theophilus Tule and William Call their and each of their Heirs and assigns forever and the said Charles Burns for himself and his Heirs the said Tract piece parcel or piece of Land and premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Theophilus Tule and William Call their Heirs and assigns against him the said Charles Burns and his Heirs and all and every other person and persons whatsoever and his and their Heirs shall and will warrant and ever defend by these presents Whosoever and his and their Heirs shall and will warrant and ever defend by these presents in witness whereof the said Charles Burns hath to these presents set his hand and seal the day and year first within mentioned

Witness and delivered  
in presence of

William Willson John Willson  
Peter Thwaitt. Burdett Smith

Charles B. Burns  
marks



**Memorandum** that on the Day and year first within mentioned full piable and quiet possession and seign of the Land Premises within Mentioned was made and delivered by the within named Charles Burns unto the within named Theophilus Tule & Wm Call to hold to them their Heirs and assigns forever according to the purport true Intent and meaning of the within Indenture

In presence of  
Burdett Smith William Willson  
Peter Thwaitt. J. Willson

Charles B. Burns  
marks





**Received** the pay and gear first within mentioned of the within named  
 Theophilus Tule and William Coatt the sum of Forty five pounds Current Money of  
 Virginia being the Consideration within mentioned to by them paid to me

Witness

Burrows Smith

William Wilson

Peter Thowatt

Jas Wilson

Charles B. Bowers

mark.

Seal

**At** a Court held for Cotteswold County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1771.

The within Indenture together with the Memorandum of Dower and Dizen and Receipt  
 heron Interred were acknowledged by the within named Charles Bowers to be his several  
 Act and Deed and then Wife of the said Charles came into Court and relinquished  
 her right of Dower in and to the premises conveyed by her said Husband in the  
 within Indenture. All which were ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Witness

Will Tunstall &c.

Taking  
 from  
 Southland  
 Deed of Truck

**Chise Indenture** made on the Twenty seventh day of April  
 in the year of Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between George  
 Southland of the one part and Peter Perkins of the County aforesaid of the other part  
 witnesseth that for and in Consideration of the Sum of one hundred and ninety three  
 pounds Ten shillings and six pence Curr<sup>t</sup> money which the said George South-  
 land am justly indebted to the said Peter Perkins and humbly desires to secure  
 and pay to him and for and in the further consideration of the Sum of five shillings  
 like Money to the said George Southland in hand paid by the said Peter  
 Perkins at and before the sealing and delivery of this the receipt whereof he  
 doth hereby acknowledge and thereof and of every part thereof hath received  
 and discharge the said Peter Perkins his heirs Executors and administrators  
 and the said George Southland for himself his heirs Executors and administrators  
 doth and confirm and by these presents doth grant bargain sell and confirm to the said  
 Peter Perkins his heirs and assigns forever one certain Tract of Parcel of Land containing  
 by estimation Twenty five Acres by the same more or less and Bounded as followeth To  
 Wit. beginning at the Mouth Sandy River on Dam River in the Fork thence up Sandy  
 River to Wilsons Line thence to Hatcher's line which said is Due to the said Southland  
 from Chas<sup>r</sup> Little and Anne Little which reference may be had with all the  
 Appurtenances belonging or in any wise appertaining to the premises hereby granted

is intended to be granted and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder & Remainders  
and all Services benefits and profits of the said ~~land and premises~~ Land and  
premises, and all Rights claims Interest and securities relating to the same. To  
have and to hold the said Land and other premises unto the said Peter Perkins his  
Heirs and assigns forever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Peter Perkins  
his Heirs and assigns forever And the said George Southward doth hereby grant for  
himself & his Heirs that he the said George Southward and his Heirs and every  
of them shall and will warrant and for ever defend the said Land and other premises  
and every part and Article thereof with all and singular the rights & Appurtenances  
unto the said Peter Perkins his Heirs and assigns forever against him the said  
George Southward and his Heirs (and every of them and against every other Person  
whomever) Upon Trust nevertheless that the said Perkins his Heirs Executors Adminis-  
trators or assigns shall after the Twenty seventh Day of April in the Year of Christ one  
Thousand seven hundred and seventy four as soon as the said Peter Perkins his Heirs  
Executors Administrators or assigns shall think proper or the said George Southward  
his Heirs do shall request it which ever of these two circumstances shall first happen  
sell for the best price that can be gotten after giving ten days publick Notice the said  
Land and premises and out of the money arising from such sale discharge pay  
and satisfy to the said Peter Perkins the above mentioned sum of one Hundred and Ninety  
Three pounds Ten shillings and six pence with lawful Interest from the Twenty seventh  
Day of October one thousand seven hundred and seventy three untill the same shall be  
fully discharged and the expenses attending the procuring and according this Indenture and  
the contingent charges of the Sale as aforesaid and other necessary Expenses that shall  
attend the securing and obtaining the above mentioned Money or performing any thing  
that is or shall be necessary relative to the Intent of this Indenture and that the said  
Peter Perkins his Heirs Executors Administrators or assigns shall pay or cause to be  
paid the overplus if any remain from such sale to the said George Southward his Heirs  
Executors Administrators or to his Order In Witness whereof the said George Southward  
have hereunto set his Hand and seal on the day and year first above written

Sealed and delivered in the presence of

Quincy Birchett John Southwell

William Tallon John Wilson Charles Buxton

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1774.

The within Deed of Trust was acknowledged by George Southward party thereto to be  
his Act and Deed and the same was ordered to be Recorded by the Court

That

George X Southward  
mark.



# *Spurs & Co. from Ganders Wid of Pauk* *Deeds from Polson* *James* *Will Tinsall*

*CLXXIV* between Peter Saunders of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Alexander Spurr John Bowman and Co. of the City of Glasgow in the Kingdom of Great Britain Merchants of the other part witnesseth that for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and nine pounds thirteen Shillings and one penny which be the said Peter Saunders is justly indebted to the said Alexander Spurr John Bowman & Co. and lawfully owes to secure and pay to them and for aid in consideration of the further sum of five Shillings to him now lawfully owing be the said Peter Saunders hath granted bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents with bargain sold and confirm to the said Alexander Spurr John Bowman & Co. their Heirs and Assigns forever the following Tract of Land lying and situate in the said County of Pittsylvania to wit one hundred and ninety five Acres of Land lying on the head of Bear's Creek being the Tract whereon the said Peter Saunders lives also ninety Acres joining the said Tract for which the patent is not yet issued and two Negroes Slaves to wit, Hales and Lucy to have and to hold the Land and Slaves aforesaid to the said Alexander Spurr John Bowman and Co. and to their Heirs and Assigns forever and the said Peter Saunders with hereby covenant for himself and his Heirs that he the said Peter Saunders and his Heirs the Land and Slaves aforesaid to the said Alexander Spurr John Bowman and Co. their Heirs and Assigns against the Claim of all and every person or persons shall and will warrant and for ever defend upon Trust nevertheless that the said Alexander Spurr John Bowman & Co. shall after the tenth fifth day of December in the year MDCCLXXV or as soon thereafter as the Spurr Bowman or their Factor or Attorney shall think proper or the said Peter Saunders shall request which ever of these circumstances may first happen sell for the best price that can be got after giving twenty Days publick notice the Land & Slaves aforesaid and out of the money arising reserve sufficient to satisfy the Debt aforesaid with Interest from this date the costs of advertising this Debt and whatever necessary Expenses may accrue by Reason of such sale & return to the said Peter Saunders the surplus Money if any In witness whereof the said Peter Saunders hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and year first above written. Memorandum the words "said Peter Saunders" also the words "and Slaves" also the words "request" interlined before signing

and

Peter Saunders

At Albany held for Pittsylvania County on the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1775.

The within Indenture was acknowledged by Peter Saunders personally to be his Act and Deed & the same was ordered to be Recorded

Will Tinsall



Roberts  
from  
Polson

**C**his Indenture made this Twentieth first day of May in the  
year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and twenty four between Andrew Polson  
of Bellingham in the one part and James Roberts of said County of the other parte  
Winnepush that for and in consideration of the sum of eight pounds Curr<sup>t</sup> Money  
of Virginia which he the said Andrew Polson is justly Inbited in Bond to said  
James Roberts and honestly owes to receive and pay to him (and for and in  
consideration of the sum of five shillings of like money to the said Andrew  
Polson in hand paid by the said by the said James Roberts at and before the  
sealing and delivery of this the Receipt wherof is hereby acknowledge and  
thrust and every part thereof goes exonerates and Discharge the said James  
Roberts his Heirs Executors and administrators (and he the said Andrew  
Polson has granted bargained sold and conveyed and by these presents  
with good bargain sold and confirm unto the said James Roberts his  
Heirs and assigns forever Viz<sup>t</sup> head of cattle two Cows and a heifer and 2 Calves  
the Cows and heifer stands in the neck Eastward Cows in the left Ear one Brown or bay  
horse known by name of Judgells Tail, one feather bed and Furniture a parcel  
of pewter and all other of any household Furniture one Crock Ear white ware of clay  
Cot with all the appurtenances belonging or in any wise appertaining to the  
premises hereof granted or intended to be granted and the reversion and reversions  
remainders and remainderers and all services benefits and profits of the same  
and all rights Claims Demand and equity relating to the same to have and  
to hold the same unto the said James Roberts his Heirs and assigns forever to  
the only proper use and behoof of the said James Roberts his Heirs and assigns  
forever and the said Andrew Polson with hereby grant for himself and his  
Heirs that he the said Andrew Polson and his heirs and every of them shall &  
well warrant & swear defend the same and every part and articles thereof with  
all and singular the rights and appurtenances unto the said James Roberts his Heirs  
and assigns forever against him the said Andrew Polson and his Heirs (and every  
of them) and against every other person whomsoever Upon Trust notwithstanding the said  
James Roberts his Heirs Executors administrators or assigns shall after the Twentieth fifth  
day of May in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and twenty  
four or as soon after as he the said James Roberts his Heirs or assigns shall think  
proper or he the said Andrew Polson shall request him whichsoever of these two  
Circumstances shall first happen sell for the best price that can be gotten after ten days  
Publick notice the said Land and premises and out of the money arising out of such  
sale discharge and satisfy to him self the above mentioned sum of eight Pounds with  
lawful Interest from the date of these presents untill the same shall be fully discharged

and the expences attending the procuring and advertising of this Indenture and the contingent Charges of the sale aforesaid and other necessary expences that shall attend the securing and obtaining the above mentioned money or performing any thing that is or shall be necessary relative to the Intent of this Indenture and the said James Roberts his heirs Executors assigns shall pay or cause to be paid the overplus if any remain from such sale to the said Andrew Pelton his heirs Executors or assigns or his other order in Writings whereof the said Andrew Pelton hath subscribed his hand and seal on the day and year first above written.

Sealed signed and delivered  
in the presence of  
J<sup>r</sup>. Salmon  
William Young  
Jesse Ward.

Andrew Pelton *(Seal)*

*cont. &*  
At a Court held for Cetylgloania County on the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1771.  
The within Deed of Trust was acknowledged by Andrew Pelton party thereto to be his Act and Deed and the same was ordered to be Recorded.

Test. Will Tunstall C<sup>l</sup>

**Indenture** made this twelfth day of February and in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between Henry Stone of the County of Cetylgloania of the one part and Sylvester Adams of the County aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Henry Stone for and in consideration of the sum of ninety pounds current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid at or before the Enrolling and delivery of these presents by the said Sylvester Adams the receipt whereof the said Henry Stone doth hereby acknowledge hath given granted sold conveyed and confirmed unto the said Sylvester Adams and to his heirs and assigns for ever one certain Tract or parcel of Land situate lying and being in the County aforesaid on the north side of Dan River and bounded as follows. To wit beginning at large Pylon on the River bank at the line between Stones land and the Land formerly belonging to James Dunkin thence up the said river and on orders to the upper end of a wash place at the Head in the said Stones Charles Land thence a straight course to where the Drain or Branch meet to the lower end of the

Adams  
from  
Stone  
E.C.



said Stones Peach cypress runs into the low grounds thence up the said Drain or Branch to the first bottom that makes into the said Drain or Branch on the lower side thereof and thence up the said Bottom a straight course to the old line thence with the old line to the said Adams line which formerly belonged to James Dunham including all the land within the said bounds with all woods under forests swamps marshes low grounds feeding fishing and shooting together with all houses out houses orchards gardens fences waters (and water courses ways profits commodities and all other appurtenances whatsoever there unto belonging in any wise appertaining ~~that~~ <sup>which</sup> I ~~have~~ <sup>do</sup> give the afore-  
said parcel of Land (and all the recited premises with every part and parcel thereof with their and every of their appurtenances unto the said Sylvester Adams and to his heirs and assigns forever to the only proper use of him the said Sylvester Adams and of his heirs and assigns forever and the aforesaid Henry Stone for himself and his heirs the abovesmentioned old Land and premises and every of their appurtenances unto the said Sylvester Adams and to his heirs and assigns for and do hereby warrant the same against him the said Henry Stone his heirs Executors Administrators and assigns against all and every other person or persons whatsoever shall and will warrant and by these presents forever defend In Witness whereof the said Henry Stone hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written

Signed sealed and Delivered  
in presence of

Levy Dornston Smith

George Pope

Ischua Nelson

Henry Stone

**Memorandum** that on the twelfth day of February 1771 Quiet and peaceable possession and seizen of the within mentioned Land and premises was had and taken by the within named Henry Stone in his proper person and by him delivered unto the within named Sylvester Adams according to the true intent & meaning of the within written Deed

In presence of

Levy Dornston Smith

George Pope Ischua Nelson

12<sup>th</sup> day of February 1771 Then received of Sylvester Adams ninety pounds current money for the within mentioned Land.

Levy Dornston Smith

George Pope Ischua Nelson

Henry Stone



At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of February 1774.

This Indenture together with the memorandum of Levy and Sale hereon indented was  
 proven by the oaths of <sup>three</sup> of the witnesses thereto subscribed and ordered to be Recorded

Test

Will. Guntzloff

Galloway & Co  
 from  
 Manthins  
 Deed of Trust

# Chise Indenture

mades this Twentieth day of November one thousand  
 Seven hundred and seventy three Between James Manthins of Pittsylvania County  
 of the one part and Alexander Trent of Henrico County Peterfield Trent of Great Britain  
 and James Callaway of (Sussex) County of the other part Witnesses that for good in considera-  
 tion of the sum of Forty six pounds eight <sup>een</sup> Shillings and three pence current  
 Money of Virginia which the life said James Manthins is justly indebted to the  
 said Trent and Callaway and which he lawfully owes to secure and pay  
 to them the said Alexander Trent Peterfield Trent and James Callaway or to their  
 Attorneys of for and in consideration of the sum of Two Shillings like money to the  
 said James Manthins in hand paid by the said Alexander Trent Peterfield Trent  
 and James Callaway at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents  
 the Receipt whereof the said James Manthins with hearty acknowledgements to them  
 James Manthins hath granted bargained and sold and by these presents con-  
 grant bargain of sell to the said Alexander Trent Peterfield Trent and James Callaway their  
 Heirs and Assigns for ever Two Negroes Follow by the Names of big Tom and little Tom  
 a black Horse a Grey Horse seven head of Cattle thirteen head of Hogs five feather Beds  
 and Furniture one Walnut Chest one Cherry Tree Chest and one Cherry Tree Table  
 To have and to hold the above said Negroes Horse and Hare Cattle Hogs Beds Chest and  
 Table with the said Alexander Trent Peterfield Trent and James Callaway their Heirs  
 to the only proper and lawful use of them the said Alexander Trent Peterfield Trent and James Callaway their Heirs  
 and Assigns forever and the said James Manthins for my self and my Heirs in  
 covenant and agree with the said Alexander Trent Peterfield Trent and James  
 Callaway their Heirs and assigns that I the said James Manthins the said Negroes  
 Horse and Hare Cattle Hogs Feather Beds Chest and Tables to the said Alexander  
 Trent Peterfield Trent and James Callaway their Heirs and assigns against me my Heirs and  
 all other persons whatsoever shall and with by these presents warrant of for ever defend  
 upon Trent notwithstanding that the said Alexander Trent Peterfield Trent and James  
 Callaway or any person reputed by them either of them shall after the Twentieth  
 day of December next ensuing the date hereof as soon thereafter as they the said Alex-  
 Trent Peterfield Trent and James Callaway or any other person by them authorized  
 have thought proper to sell and dispose of for the best price that can be got after

Examined

Hodges  
 from  
 Pigs & Deed

giving six days Notice the aforesaid two Negroes Horre (and) Mares down head of Cattle  
 Thirteen head of Hogs Three feather Beds two Chests and one Table to discharge the  
 above said sum of Forty two pounds Eighteen shillings and three farthings current money  
 or any other sum he may contract in the mean time and also pay (and) satisfy all  
 necessary expenses arising and accruing in any manner whatsoever necessary to the  
 securing and making safe the Debt or that which may be contracted in the mean time  
 and the said Alexander Trent, Herfield Trent and James Callaway their heirs and  
 assigns shall pay to the said James Mankins his heirs or assigns the surplus  
 money arising from such sale if any surplus shall be whereof the said James  
 Mankins have heretofore set my hand and seal the day of year first above written  
 signed sealed and delivered  
 in the presence of

James Mankins

Testimonial Wills

Rich<sup>d</sup> Deakins Andrew Irvin

George Haynes Caleb Tate

Wm<sup>t</sup> Ingu to pay Interest on the above sum of Forty two pounds Eighteen shillings  
 and three farthings from this 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 1773 till paid

That Just. Wills

Rich<sup>d</sup> Deakins George Haynes

James Mankins

Caleb Tate Andrew Irvin

At a Court held for Alleghenian County the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1773

The within Debt of Trust and Mannerment arrived thereto from James Mankins  
 to Alexander Trent, Herfield Trent and James Callaway was proved by the oaths of  
 the several witnesses thereto subscribed and ordered to be recorded

Test Will Tunstall C<sup>l</sup>.

**These Indenture** made this 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July one thousand seven hundred  
 and seventy four Between John Pigg of the County of Alleghenian of the one part and  
 Edmund Hedges of the said County of the other part witnesseth that the said John Pigg  
 for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred pounds current money of Virginia  
 by the said Edmund Hedges to him the said John Pigg in hand paid before the sealing and  
 delivering of these presents the Receipt whereof he the said John Pigg doth hereby acknowledge  
 and thereof doth acquit and discharge him the said Edmund Hedges his heirs Executors  
 administrators both present and to come and confirmed by these presents doth grant bargain  
 sell convey and confirm unto the said Edmund Hedges his heirs and assigns Three

Hedges  
 from  
 Pigg & Dea



fourteen and sixty acres of Land lying and being in the County of Wiltshire  
 lying on both of the last Creek of Berkhin Creek and bounded as follows to wit beginning  
 at a corner or oak thence North sixty seven Degrees east two hundred poles to pointless  
 thence south three degrees east three hundred and twenty poles to pointless thence south  
 sixty Degrees west two hundred poles to pointless thence North three hundred and twenty  
 poles to the beginning To have and to hold the said mesuage plantation and tract of  
 Land with the appurtenances unto the said Edmund Hedges his heirs and assigns to  
 the only use and behoof of the said Edmund Hedges his heirs and assigns for ever  
 and the said John Pigg his heirs Executors and administrators the said mesuages  
 plantation and tract of Land with the appurtenances thereof unto him the said  
 Edmund Hedges his heirs and assigns shall and will warrant and for ever  
 defend by these presents against the claims and demands of him the said John  
 Pigg his heirs and assigns or any other person whatsoever and the said John  
 Pigg for himself his heirs Executors administrators with covenant promise to do  
 with the said Edmund Hedges his heirs Executors administrators or assigns that  
 the promises and covenants thereof are free and discharged from all manner of  
 incumbrance and that the said Edmund Hedges his heirs and assigns for and not  
 withstanding any act or thing by him the said John Pigg or any other person  
 committed done or suffered shall or lawfully may for ever hereafter have & hold  
 use occupy possess and enjoy the same and every part thereof with the appurtenances  
 without the lawful let or molestation or violation of him the said John Pigg or  
 assigns or any other person whatsoever in Wiltshire whomever the parties aforesaid  
 to these presents have Interchangeably set his hand and affixed his seal the  
 Day and year above written

John Pigg. Seal

Received on the day of the date of the within mentioned Indenture of the within  
 named Edmund Hedges the sum of one hundred pounds Current money  
 being the consideration of the within mentioned Indenture by me.  
 Wherefore it is that on the Day of the date of the within written Indenture free &  
 peaceable possession of Seven of the within mentioned premises was by me had and  
 taken and by me delivered unto the within named Edmund Hedges

John Pigg.

At a Court held for Wiltshire County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774.

This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Levy and Seizure from John  
 Pigg to Edmund Hedges was acknowledged by the said John and ordered to be  
 Recorded

Test

Will Tunstall Esq

Examined



# Chise Indenture

Received  
of  
Henry  
Pauitt  
the sum of  
thirty pounds

made this twenty eighth Day of July in the year  
of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and sixty four between Henry Pauitt  
of Pittsylvania County of the one part and Allen Adams of the same County of the  
other part Witnesseth that the said Henry Pauitt for and in the consideration of the  
sum of thirty pounds current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said  
Allen Adams the receipt whereof he the said Henry Pauitt doth hereby acknowledge  
Hath bargained sold alienated and confirmed and the said Henry Pauitt for  
him self his heirs Executors and administrators or assigns doth by these presents  
grant bargain sell infest and confirm unto the said Allen Adams his heirs  
or assigns for ever one certain tract piece or parcel of Land containing one  
hundred acres lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania on the South side  
of Batteston River and bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a corner  
Maple on the said River thence south fore (paces west eighty two poles thence  
south seventy one west thirty six poles to a Hickory on the said River thence upon  
the same and over and to the beginning to have and to hold the said Hundred  
acres of Land with all its appurtenances to the said Allen Adams his heirs &  
assigns for ever and he the said Henry Pauitt for himself of his heirs Executors and  
administrators Doth covenant and agree to and with the said Allen Adams that he  
the said Henry Pauitt doth covenant and for ever Discontinue the above mentioned Land  
and premises with all the appurtenances to the said Allen Adams his heirs and  
assigns for ever and against him the said Henry Pauitt or his heirs and from the claims  
or Claims of every other person whatsoever in Witness whereof the said Henry Pauitt  
hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal this Day and year first above  
written

Henry P. Pauitt Seal  
mark.

Memorandum that this Day full and lawful person and Livery of Seign of the within  
mentioned Land and premises was given and delivered by the said Henry Pauitt to the  
within mentioned Allen Adams

Henry P. Pauitt  
mark.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774  
This Indenture from Henry Pauitt to Allen Adams with the memorandum of  
livery and seven shillings entered was acknowledged by the said Henry and ordered  
to be Recorded

John  
Killer Tarrant CB

For  
from  
Dud  
Arcin  
of  
St. Paul

**Chise Indenture** made the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of May in the  
 Fourteenth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord King George the third and in the  
 year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and twenty four Between Abraham  
 Arcin of the County of Wiltshire of the one part and John Cox of the County of Wiltshire  
 of the other part Witnesseth that the said Abraham Arcin for and in the consideration  
 of the sum of Thirty one pounds three Shillings and nine pence which he the said  
 Abraham Arcin is justly indebted to the said John Cox and honestly paid  
 to receive and pay to him and for and in the further consideration of the sum  
 of five Shillings Court Money to the said Abraham Arcin in hand paid by the said  
 John Cox at and before the sealing and delivery of this the receipt whereof he  
 doth hereby acknowledge and thereof and of every part thereof does acquit  
 and discharge the said John Cox his heirs Executors and assigns the  
 said Abraham Arcin hath granted bargained sold and confirmed and  
 by these presents does grant bargain sell and confirm to the said John Cox  
 his heirs and assigns forever one Bay Mare and a Horse Colt which said Mare  
 the said Arcin purchased of Mr. John Wheat Linn Head of Black Cattle which is  
 now in his Possession Fifteen head of Hogs Two Beds and Furniture and all my  
 Household and Kitchen Furniture With all the appurtenances belonging or in any wise  
 appertaining to the premises hereby granted To have to hold to the said John Cox  
 and other effects together with their future Increase unto the said John Cox his heirs and  
 assigns forever and the said Abraham Arcin doth hereby grant for himself and his  
 heirs that the said Effects is clear from the claim or claims of any person or persons  
 whatsoever Upon trust nevertheless that the said John Cox his heirs Executors  
 or assigns shall after the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July next or as soon as the said John Cox his  
 heirs Executors or assigns shall think proper or the said Abraham Arcin shall  
 request them which ever of these two circumstances shall first happen sell for  
 the best Price that can be gotten after giving Ten days public notice the said Effects  
 and out of the Money arising from such sale discharge and pay and satisfy  
 the above mentioned sum of Thirty one pounds three Shillings and nine pence  
 with lawful Interest from the date hereof untill the same shall be fully dis-  
 charged and the expenses attending the drawing and recording this Indenture  
 and the contingent charges of the sale as aforesaid and other necessary expenses  
 that shall attend the securing & obtaining the above mentioned Money & the said  
 John Cox his heirs or assigns shall pay or cause to be paid the overplus if any remain from  
 such sale to the said Abraham Arcin or his order In Witness whereof the said Abraham Arcin  
 hath hereunto set his hand and seal on the day & year first above mentioned  
 sealed & delivered in presence of

Abraham Arcin Seal



Will Funston, cc

Williams  
from  
Wilson  
Dad

[illegible]



Wilson and John Wilson for themselves and their heirs the said Tract of parcel of Land and premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with their and every of their Rights Members and appurtenances unto the said Charles Williams and his Heirs and assigns against them the said Alley Wilson and John Wilson and every other person and persons whatsoever shall and with Warrant and for ever defend by these presents In Witness whereof the said Alley and John Wilson hath to these presents set his hand and affix'd his Seal the 29<sup>th</sup> Year first above Written

Alley Wilson Seal

John Wilson Seal

Memorandum That on the Day and Year first within mentioned was made and Delivered by the within named unto the within mentioned to hold to him his Heirs and assigns forever according to the Cuspost true Intent and meaning of within written Indenture.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1771.

The within Indenture from Alley and John Wilson to Charles Williams was acknowledged by the said John aparty thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Wm. Tinsall Ck

**This Indenture** made this twenty fourth day of July In the year of our Lord God one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between Jonathan Hanby of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part & John Daniel Sr of the County aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Jon<sup>as</sup> Hanby for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Jon<sup>as</sup> Daniel Sr the Receipt whereof the said Jon<sup>as</sup> Hanby with hereby acknowledge him self to be therewith fully and entirely satisfied Hath granted Bargained sold aliened Released and confirmed (and by these presents doth grant bargain sell alien release and confirm unto the said John Daniel Sr his heirs and assigns for ever one certain Tract or parcel of Land containing one hundred and seventy nine Acres lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania aforesaid and Bounded as followeth Viz. Beginning at white oak on the south side of the Mayo River thence run line North forty degrees west sixty three poles crossing the River to a white oak south wistly one degree west one hundred and ten poles crossing at Branch three times to a pear Chestnut tree

Daniel  
from  
Hanby  
Dud

Smith  
from  
Hanby

in a fork of the said River North sixty seven degrees West forty poles to a white oak  
 South ten degrees west fifteen poles from the aforesaid fork to a Hickory sapling south  
 Twenty degrees East thirty poles to a Black Oak south twenty one degrees West  
 forty eight poles to pointers south fifty four degrees west two hundred and sixty  
 two poles to a Black Gum south forty seven degrees East sixty six poles crossing the  
 River to a red oak at the foot of a Mountain thence along the Mountain side  
 North fifty one degrees east four hundred and fifty poles to the first station with  
 all House Orchards Gardens Trees woods underwoods waters and water courses  
 thereof standing growing and being with all or any wife appertaining also the  
 Reversions and Reversions Remainder and Remainders thereof and every part &  
 parcel thereof To have and to hold the same granted Land and premises with thine  
 and every of their appurtenances unto the said John Daniel Sr. & to his Heirs &  
 assigns for ever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said John Daniel his Heirs  
 and assigns for ever and he the said Jon<sup>a</sup> Hanby for him self and his heirs doth  
 covenant grant and agree to and with the said John Daniel his Heirs and assigns  
 that he and they shall and may at all times hereafter peaceably and quietly hold  
 and enjoy the said granted Land and premises free from all former sales Gifts  
 Mortgages Rights of Dower or any other Incumbrance whatsoever and he the said  
 Jon<sup>a</sup> Hanby shall and will warrant and forever Defend the above said granted  
 Land and premises with the appurtenances unto the said John Daniel his Heirs  
 his heirs and assigns for ever against all and every other person or persons that  
 shall lay any claim thereunto In WITNESS whereof he the said Jon<sup>a</sup> Hanby  
 hath hereunto set his hand and affix'd his seal the day Month and year first  
 above Whitten

Shall and coven<sup>t</sup>

In presence of

Jon<sup>a</sup> Hanby Seal

at a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1772

This Indenture from Jonathan Hanby to John Daniel was acknowledged by  
 the said Jonathan and ordered to be Recorded

Test: Will Tennill Ck

**This Indenture** made this twenty fourth day of July in the Year  
 of our Lord God one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between David Hanby of  
 the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and William Smith Sen<sup>r</sup> of the County of  
 the other part Witnesseth that the said David Hanby for and in consideration of the

Smith  
 Sen<sup>r</sup>  
 Hanby Seal



Sum of twenty two pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the  
 said William Smith the Receipt whereof the said David Hanby hath hereby acknow-  
 ledge himself to be therewith fully and entirely satisfied. And he granted Bargained  
 and sold by these presents with good Reasonable full plain release & Concession unto the said W<sup>m</sup> Smith  
 his heirs and assigns forever one certain Parcel or parcels of Land  
 containing two hundred and fifty four Acres Lying and being in the County  
 of Pittsylvania aforesaid and bounded as follows Viz Beginning at a Chestnut  
 three miles North fifty two Degrees East thirty two poles to a red oak North  
 fourteen Degrees East fifty poles to a Chestnut North seventy seven Degrees East  
 one hundred and forty four poles crossing Allen Creek and a branch to three  
 Chestnuts south fifty four Degrees East one hundred poles crossing the other fork  
 to a Chestnut South fifteen and an half Degrees East six ty two poles crossing  
 a branch to a red oak south sixty two Degrees West twenty poles crossing a  
 branch to two white oaks south thirty seven Degrees West fifty four poles to a  
 Red oak South sixty two Degrees West ninety one poles to a <sup>White</sup> Striped oak North  
 eighty eight Degrees West one hundred poles crossing the Creek and a branch  
 to a red oak North twenty Degrees West one hundred and eighteen poles to the  
 Beginning with all Houses orchards Gardens Trees woods under woods waters  
 and Water courses thereon standing growing and being with all Profits Commodities  
 advantages & Appurtenances whatsoever to the same belonging or in any wise  
 appertaining also the Reversion & Reversions Remainder and Remainders thereof  
 and every part and parcel thereof To have and to hold the said Granted Land and  
 premises with their good every of their Appurtenances unto the said W<sup>m</sup> Smith & to  
 his heirs and assigns forever to the only proper use and benefit of him the said  
 William Smith his heirs and assigns forever And he the said David Hanby  
 for himself & his heirs both covenant grant and agree And with the said W<sup>m</sup>  
 Smith his heirs and assigns that he & they shall enjoy at all times hereafter  
 peaceably and quietly hold & enjoy the said Granted Land and premises free  
 from all former sales Gifts Mortgage Rights of Power or any other Incum-  
 brance what soever of the the said David Hanby shall with warrant  
 and power Defend the aforesaid granted Land and premises with the Appur-  
 tenances unto the said W<sup>m</sup> Smith his heirs and assigns forever against all  
 & every other person or persons that shall lay any Claim thereunto In Witness  
 whereof he the said David Hanby hath hereunto set his hand & affixed his  
 seal the day Month & year above written. 1771  
 Sealed & Allowed in presence of

David Hanby Seal

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1771

This Deed from David Hanby to W<sup>m</sup> Smith was acknowledged by the said David  
 & ordered to be Recorded

Test Well Tunstall

Examined

book  
from  
book } Deed

**This Indenture** made the twenty fourth day July  
in the year of Our Lord Christ One thousand seven hundred and twenty four  
Between John Cook of the County of Pennsylvania of the one part and Benjamin  
Cook of same County of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Cook  
for and in Consideration of the love and Affection which he beareth unto his  
well beloved son Benjamin Cook hath given granted and confirmed unto  
the said Benjamin Cook and to his heirs for ever a certain Tract or parcel of  
land Containing one hundred Acres situated in the said County on both  
sides of the Crab tree and Snow creeks and included within the lines of William  
Heard Sarah Hutchinson James Cook and Joseph Cook to have and to hold the  
said Land & premises unto the Benjamin Cook together with all its appurtenances  
thereto belonging or in any wise Pertaining and the said John Cook with for  
himself his heirs & further Promise grant and agree to and with the said  
Benjamin Cook his heirs and assigns to Warrant and defend the above  
Mentioned Land and Premises with their and every of their Rights members  
and Jurisdictions unto the said Benjamin Cook his heirs and assigns forever  
to be free and Clear and fully acquitted of all manner of former and other  
gifts whatsoever in Witness whereof the said John Cook hath hereunto set  
his hand and affixed his seal the day and year above written.

signed sealed and Delivered  
in presence of

John Cook

### Memorandum

That on the day and year within mentioned Quit  
and Peaceable Possession of the Within Mentioned Land and Premises  
was given and granted unto Benjamin Cook the other Covenantor to these  
Parents

John Cook

Examiner's

At a Court held for Pennsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774.  
The within Deed of Gift from John Cook to Benjamin Cook was acknowledged  
by the said John and ordered to be Recorded

Test

Will Turnbull C8



Rucker  
from  
Cook } Deed

**This Indenture** made the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July in the year of our Lord  
Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy Four Between <sup>the County of</sup> John Cook of <sup>Pittsylvania</sup> Pittsylvania  
of the one part and Gideon Rucker of the County aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth  
that the said John Cook for and in consideration of the Love and Affection which  
he bears unto his wife beloved son in law Gideon Rucker hath given granted and  
Confirmed unto the said Gideon Rucker and to his heirs forever a Certain Tract  
or Parcel of Land Containing by estimation one hundred Acres be the same more  
or less lying and being on the East side fork of Snow Creek in Pittsylvania County  
and Bounded within the lines of John Beard Joseph Cook and Amos Richardson  
To have and to hold the said Land and Premises together with all its Appur-  
tenances therunto belonging on in any wise pertaining unto the said Gideon  
Rucker and to his heirs forever and the said John Cook doth for him self his  
heirs the further Premises grant and agree to and with the said Gideon Rucker  
his heirs and assigns to warrant and defend the above mentioned Land and  
Premises with their and every of their Rights Members and jurisdictions unto  
the said Gideon Rucker his heirs and assigns forever to be free and clear and  
freely acquitted of all manner of forms and other Gifts Whatsoever In Witness  
whereof the said John Cook hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the Day  
and year above Written

Sign'd Seald and delivered  
in presence of

John Cook Seal

## Memorandum

That on the Day and year within mentioned Quett  
and peaceable possession of the within mentioned Land and premises was granted  
to Gideon Rucker The other Covenantor to this presents

John Cook Seal

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774

The within Deed of Gift from John Cook to Gideon Rucker was acknowledged  
by the said John and ordered to be Recorded

Test.

Will Tunstall Ck

Examined

Webb from Webb & Gift

**To all people** to whom these presents shall come I Merrey Webb Sen<sup>r</sup> of the County of Pittsylvania and Parish of Cambden for and in Consideration of the love good will and Affection which I have and do bear towards my Daughter Lucy Webb of the aforesaid County and Parish have given and granted and by these presents do fully give and grant unto the said Lucy Webb her Heirs Executors or Admors all and singular Two Negroes to wit Aggy and Salls together with their increase to her & her Heirs forever **To have and to hold** the said Negroes with their increase to her the said Lucy Webb her Heirs Executors or Admors from henceforth as her proper Estate absolutely without any manner of Condition In Witnes whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty seventh day of July one thousand seven hundred and twenty four

Signed Sealed and delivered  
in the presence

Leon<sup>d</sup> Turnstall Thomas Perry  
Francis Cox Will<sup>d</sup> Turnstall

Merrey Webb Seal

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1772.

This Deed of Gift from Merrey Webb to his daughter Lucy Webb was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be recorded

Test Will<sup>d</sup> Turnstall C<sup>l</sup>

Examin'd  
& Deliv'd

Webb from Webb & Gift

**To all people** to whom these presents shall come I Merrey Webb Sen<sup>r</sup> of the County of Pittsylvania and Parish of Cambden for and in Consideration of the love good will & Affection which I have and do bear towards my Loving Son John Webb of the aforesaid County and Parish have given and granted and by these presents do fully give and grant unto the said John Webb his Heirs Executors or Administrators all and singular one Negroe Boy named Ico to him and his Heirs forever **To have and to hold** the said Negroe Boy Ico to him the said John Webb his Heirs Executors or Administrators from henceforth as his proper Estate absolutely without any manner of Condition In Witnes whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty seventh day of July one thousand seven hundred and twenty four

Signed Sealed and delivered in presence of

Leon<sup>d</sup> Turnstall Francis Cox  
Thomas Perry Will<sup>d</sup> Turnstall

Merrey Webb Seal

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1772.

This Deed of Gift from Merrey Webb to his Son John Webb was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses thereto subscribed and ordered to be recorded

Test Will<sup>d</sup> Turnstall C<sup>l</sup>

Examin'd  
& Deliv'd



Wills  
from  
Merry  
Dued  
to  
Right

To all people to whom these presents shall come I Merry Webb Senr. of the County of Pittsylvania and Parish of Comfort for and in consideration of the Love great Will and Affection which I have and do bear towards my Loving Son Merry Webb of the aforesaid County and Parish have given and granted and by these presents do fully give and grant unto the said Merry Webb his Heirs Executors or Administrators all and singular one Negro Girl named Hannah together with her increase to him and his Heirs forever Isaac and Abigail Negroes with her increase to him the said Merry Webb his Heirs Executors or Administrators from henceforth as his proper Estate absolutely without any manner of Condition In Witness whereof I have hereunto put my hand and seal this Twenty seventh day of July one thousand seven hundred and twenty four

Signed sealed and delivered

Merry Webb Seal

in the presence of  
Leon Tunstall, Thomas Perry  
Francis Cox (Wills Tunstall)

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774.  
This Deed of Gift from Merry Webb to his Son was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses thereto subscribed & ordered to be Recorded

Examined  
Deem'd

Wm Tunstall 68

Sealed  
from  
Copland  
Dued

This Indenture made this Twenty fifth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and twenty four between Peter Copland of the County of Pittsylvania on the one part and Patrick Coult of the Town of Richmond and County of Henrico on the other part Witnesseth that the said Peter Copland for and in consideration of the sum of Four hundred & twenty Pounds Current money of Virginia to him the said Peter in hand paid by the said Patrick the receipt whereof he the said Peter doth hereby acknowledge and thereof doth acquit and Discharge the said Patrick hath given granted bargain'd and sold and by these presents doth give grant bargain and sell alien assign and confirm unto the said Patrick Coult his Heirs and assigns one certain Tract or parcel of Land containing by estimation Eight Hundred Acres lying and being in the 3<sup>rd</sup> County of Pittsylvania and is bounded as follows Viz Beginning at a Cotton Tree on the north side of Swin or Smiths River Runneth first corner thence North forty degrees East Twelve poles to a white oak thence North seventy five degrees East forty poles to a Red Oak thence North thirty five degrees East

one hundred and fifty two poles to a pine thence North twenty degrees East eighty poles to  
 a white oak thence east sixty two poles to a hickory thence north fifty five degrees  
 West crossing both forks of Beaver Creek Two hundred and seventy five poles to a red  
 oak thence North sixty degrees west one hundred and fifty poles to a pine thence south  
 twenty degrees West one hundred and fifty poles to a poplar thence south fifteen degrees  
 West one hundred and sixty poles to a pine thence south forty degrees West one  
 hundred and eighty four poles to an ash on the same. In or on the River near the  
 upper end of an Island and thence down the same as it meanders to the beginning Together with  
 all houses orchards Plantations and other Improvements thereunto belonging or in any  
 wise appertaining to have and to hold the forsaid Tract of Land with all and every the  
 Appurtenances to the said Patrick Coult his Heirs and assigns forever to the only proper use  
 and behoof of him the said Patrick or of his heirs or assigns and to no other use intent  
 or purpose whatsoever and the said Peter Copland for himself and his heirs solemnly  
 grant covenant and agree to and with the said Patrick Coult in manner following  
 that is to say that he the said Patrick his Heirs or assigns may and shall at all  
 times or at any time hereafter enter in upon the forsaid Land and premises and  
 the same have hold occupy of Possess fully and Quietly free of and free from the  
 Molestation and Hindrance of him the said Peter or his heirs &c. and further that he the  
 said Peter Copland his heirs &c. will to the said Patrick Coult his Heirs or assigns for  
 ever Warrant and maintain a Good and sufficient right and title in & to the said Land  
 and premises hereby sold and conveyed against the claim or claims of him the said  
 Peter or of any other person or persons whatsoever lawfully claiming by force or under  
 him the said Peter and lastly that he the said Peter Copland his Heirs &c. shall and  
 will at any time hereafter upon the request and at the proper cost and charge of him  
 the said Patrick his Heirs &c. make do and execute or cause to be made done &  
 executed such further or other Deeds or Deeds for the more perfect assuring the Land and  
 Premises hereby sold and conveyed to the said Patrick Coult his Heirs or assigns  
 as he or they or his or their council lawyers in the Law shall reasonably advise desire  
 or require In Witness whereof the said Peter Copland hath hereunto set his hand  
 and affixed his seal the Day and year first above Written

Signed & Sealed in presence of

Peter Copland Seal

George the Third by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King  
 Defender of the Faith &c. To Robert Hainston and John McJann Gent Gentlemen whereat  
 Peter Copland of the one Part have agreed to assure of convey to Patrick Coult of the other  
 part the fee simple Estate of and in a certain Parcel of Land lying and being in the  
 County of Pittsylvania containing by estimation Eight Hundred Acres to the same



more or less adjoining the Lands of the said Peter Copland by such Deed in writing as the said Patrick by his Council Learned in the Law shall be advised which Deed is herewith annexed and Elizabeth the wife of the said Peter lives so remote that cannot conveniently Travel to our said Courthouse of Pittsylvania to make such acknowledgement as in that case requires therefore we command you that you personally appearing to the said Elizabeth and you take her acknowledgement and when you have taken it that you write and return the same under your seals to our Justices at the Courthouse of the said County that the same together with such Deed may be Recorded sending to the same Justices this Write Witness (William Tunstall Clerk of our said Court this 15<sup>th</sup> Day of July in the 1<sup>st</sup> year of our Reign  
 Will. Tunstall.

**By virtue** of the within commission to us directed we the subscribers did personally go to the above named Elizabeth Wife of the said Peter Copland and her did examine privately and apart from her said Husband and received the Acknowledgment of the said Elizabeth who declared that she did the same willingly and of her own free will without the persuasion or force of her said Husband Relinquish her right of Dower in the above Lands and that she was willing the same should be Recorded in the County Court of Pittsylvania In Witness whereof we have herewith set our hands and seals this 30<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1772.  
 Rob<sup>t</sup> Hartson *Seal*  
 John McGown *Seal*

*Examined & delivered*

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1772  
 This Indenture was acknowledged by Peter Copland to be his Act and Deed and the same was ordered to be Recorded and afterwards the Deed was returned and also ordered to be Recorded  
 Test. Will. Tunstall C<sup>l</sup>

*German from German*

**This Indenture** made this thirteenth Day of May one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between Christopher Gorman of Pittsylvania County in Cambridge Parish of the one part and Joseph Gorman Son of the said Christopher Gorman of the County and parish aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Christopher Gorman for and in consideration of the Sum of five Shillings Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Joseph Gorman the receipt whereof he doth confess and acknowledge But more especially

for the Affection he the said Christopher Gorman hath for his Son Joseph Gorman hath granted bargained sold aliened enfeoffed and confirmed and the said Christopher Gorman for him self his Heirs Executors and administrators doth by these presents grant bargain sell alien enfeoff and confirm to the said Joseph Gorman and to his heirs and assigns for ever one certain tract or parcel of Land containing fifty acres by estimation be the same more or less situate lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania and being part of the Tract of Land that the said Christopher Gorman now has or being bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at the mouth of a small spring branch near the Fork of great Barethion running up the <sup>road</sup> branch to a corner oak oak Thence along the old line to Edmund Hargis line thence upon the said Hargis line to a white oak on the said Creek thence upon the said Creek as it meanders to the mouth of the branch to the beginning To have and to hold the said fifty acres of Land be the same more or less in the bounds above mentioned with all the appurtenances thereto belonging to the said Joseph Gorman his Heirs and assigns for ever of the said Christopher Gorman himself his Heirs Executors and administrators with covenant and agree with the said Joseph Gorman that he the said Christopher Gorman will warrant and forever defend the said before granted Land with all its appurtenances to the said Joseph Gorman his Heirs and assigns forever against him the said Christopher Gorman and his Heirs and from the claims of any person or persons whatsoever In Witness whereof the said Christopher Gorman hath to these presents set his hand and seal the day and year above Written

Christopher X Gorman L S,  
mark.

Signed sealed and Delivered  
in the presence of  
Thomas Hodges  
Elizabeth X Gorman Mary X Gorman  
mark mark

Memorandum That the twenty six day of November one thousand seven hundred and twenty two That quiet and peaceable Possession with Loony of Six of the within mentioned Land and premises was given and delivered by the within mentioned Christopher Gorman to the within named Joseph Gorman his heirs and assigns forever according to the form and effect of this Deed in the presence of the witnesses hereunto required  
Witness  
Christopher Gorman

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774.  
This Deed of Gift from Christopher Gorman to Joseph Gorman with the memorandum of Loony and Six thereon indorsed was acknowledged by the said Christopher and ordered to be Recorded  
Test. Will. Tunstall C



Weatherford  
 Son  
 Weatherford  
 Deed

**This Indenture** made this twenty seventh day of July in the  
 year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between  
 John Weatherford of Pennsylvania County of the one part and David Weatherford  
 of the same County of the other part witnesseth that the said John Weatherford for  
 the Natural Love and Affection that he hath for his said Son David Weatherford  
 and for the further consideration of Five shillings to him in hand paid hath  
 given Granted Morgaged and sole Alien'd Release enfeoffed and confirm'd  
 unto the said David Weatherford one certain Tract or parcel of Land situate  
 Lying and being in the County of Pennsylvania on Cherry stone Creek containing Two  
 hundred Acres more or less Bounded as followeth to wit by Thomas Hardy David  
 Wade John Nichols and the said John Weatherford lines To have and to hold  
 the said Tract or parcel of Land and every part and parcel thereof with the Appur-  
 tenances unto the said David Weatherford to the only proper use and behoof of him  
 the said David Weatherford and his Heirs and assigns forever and the said  
 John Weatherford for himself his Heirs &c. doth covenant Grant and agree  
 to and with the said David Weatherford his Heirs and assigns by these  
 presents that he the said John Weatherford the said Tract or parcel of Land  
 and premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with  
 the Appurtenances unto the said David Weatherford his Heirs and assigns  
 against him the said John Weatherford and his Heirs and all and every  
 other person or persons whatsoever shall and will warrant and for ever  
 Defend by these Presents In Witness whereof the said John Weatherford hath  
 hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written  
 Sign Seal'd and delivered  
 in presence of

Jno. Weatherford

The word Cherry stone Creek (and lines, Interlined before signed)

A Court held for Pennsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774.

This Deed of Gift from John Weatherford to David Weatherford was acknow-  
 ledged by the said John and order'd to be Recorded

Test

Willow Bud  
from  
Willow & Gift

To all People to whom these Presents shall come I Anthony Tittle do give Grudging know ye that of the said Anthony Tittle of the parish of Camden in the County of Philadelphia for and in consideration of the love good will and affection which I have and doe bear towards my loving son George Tittle of the same parish and County have given and granted and by these presents do fully give and grant unto the said George Tittle his heirs executors or administrators all and singular five Cows marked with a crop of near ear and a slit in the off Ear for heifers and a bull all of one mark are more and stators felt the mares branded thus **LD** the Cows branded thus **AA** twenty head of hogs with the same marks of the said Cows also two feather beds and furniture two pots five basons ten plates and four pictures a Grey horse branded thus with a diamond two stears of the same mark of the others mentioned all in the parish aforesaid known by the name of which before the signing of these presents I have delivered him the said George Tittle and inventory signed with my own hand and bearing even date to have and to hold all the said goods and chattles in the premises or dwelling house to him the said George Tittle his heirs executors or administrators from hence forth as his and their proper Goods and chattles absolutely without any manner of Condition In Witnes whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 20<sup>th</sup> day of March one thousand seven hundred and seventy four.

Signed sealed and delivered  
in the presence of

Anthony Tittle

John Nee  
his  
William W Cox  
mark  
Thomas X Goff  
mark

At a Court held for Philadelphia County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774.

This Deed of Gift from Anthony Tittle to George Tittle was proved by the Oaths of the Witnesses thereto subscribed and ordered to be Recorded.

Test Willm. Tunstall Ck

Deed  
from  
Payne & Co

This Indenture made this Eight day of June 1774 Between William Jones of Philadelphia County of the one part and Ruben Payne of the said County of the other Part Witnesseth that he the said Ruben Payne for and in consideration of the Sum of Fifty pounds current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said William Jones the receipt whereof he both hereby confess and acknowledge hath bargained sold aliened and confirmed the said Ruben Payne for himself his heirs and



and administrators doth by these presents grant, bargain, sell, assign, release and confirm unto the said William Jones his heirs and assigns forever one certain Tract or Parcel of Land containing Three Hundred and seventy six Acres be the the same more or less actually lying and being in the County of Alleghenian on the North side of Banister River and bounded as followeth (Viz.) Beginning in Corners line thence along the same line north sixty seven West four hundred and twenty eight Poles to Pointers thence North fifty two East two hundred and thirty four Poles to Pointers in Grays Line south forty four East one hundred and thirty six Poles to a white oak south sixty two East two hundred and sixty Poles to Pointers south forty six West ten Hundred and thirty six to the beginning to have and to hold the aforesaid Three hundred and seventy six Acres of Land with all the appurtenances to the said William Jones his heirs and assigns forever and the said Ruben Payne for himself his heirs and assigns doth covenant and agree with the said William Jones that he the said Ruben Payne with covenant and for ever defend the said Land with all its appurtenances to the said William Jones his heirs and assigns for ever against him the said Ruben Payne and his heirs and from the claim or claims of any person or persons whatsoever In Witness whereof the said Ruben Payne hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year above written

Signis sealed & delivered  
in presence of

Ruben Payne (seal)

At about hills for Alleghenian County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774

This Indenture from Ruben Payne to William Jones was acknowledged by the said Ruben and the prior examination of Agnes the wife of the said Ruben being had who relinquished her right of Dower the above granted premises was ordered to be Recorded

Witness Will Tunstall Esq

Murdoch & Co.  
from  
Shelton  
Deed of Trust

**T**his Indenture made on this first Day of June in the year of Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between Lewis Shelton of the County of Alleghenian of the one part and Thomas Murdoch of the said County of the other part witnesseth that for and in consideration of the sum of ninety pounds seven shillings and four pence Current money which he the said Lewis Shelton is justly indebted to the said Thomas Murdoch and honestly desire to secure of pay to him and for and in the further consideration of the sum of five shillings like money to the said Lewis Shelton in hand paid by the said Thomas Murdoch at before the sealing & delivery of this Mortgage

whereof he doth hereby acknowledge and thrust and of every part thereof doth execute and discharge the said Thomas Mordaugh his Heirs Executors and administrators the said Lewis Shelton hath granted bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain sell and confirm to the said Thomas Mordaugh his Heirs and assigns for ever one Tract or Parcel of Land lying upon the dry Branch in the said County containing four hundred and forty three Acres one Negro Wench named Patience Negro Girl named Eddy with the future increase of said Slaves with all the appurtenances belonging or in any wise appertaining to the premises hereby granted or intended to be granted and the Reversion and Reversions remainder and remainders and all services benefits and profits of the said Land and Effects and premises and all his rights claims interest and securities relating to the same To have & to hold the said Land and Slaves and other premises unto the said Thomas Mordaugh his Heirs and assigns for ever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Thomas Mordaugh his Heirs and assigns for ever and the said Lewis Shelton doth hereby grant for himself and his Heirs that he the said Lewis Shelton and his Heirs and every of them shall and will warrant and for ever defend the said Land and Slaves and other premises and every part and article thereof with all and singular their rights and appurtenances unto the said Thomas Mordaugh his Heirs and assigns for ever against them the said Lewis Shelton and his Heirs and every of them and against every other person whomsoever Upon Trust nevertheless that the said Thomas Mordaugh his Heirs Executors Administrators or assigns shall after the first Day of April in the year of christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy five or as soon as the said Thomas Mordaugh his Heirs Executors Administrators or assigns shall think proper or the said Lewis Shelton shall request him which ever of these two circumstances shall first happen sell for the best price that can be gotten after giving ten Days publick notice the said Land and Slaves and premises and out of the money arising from such sale discharge pay and satisfy himself the above mentioned Term of Ninety pounds sixteen shillings and four pence with lawful Interest from the first Day of June one thousand seven hundred and seventy four untill the same shall be fully discharged and the expenses attending the drawing and recording this Indenture and the contingent charges of the sale as aforesaid and other necessary expenses that shall attend the securing and obtaining the above mentioned money or performing any thing that is or shall be necessary relative to the intent of this Indenture and that the said Thomas Mordaugh his Heirs Executors Administrators or assigns shall pay or cause to be paid their Executors or Administrators or to his the overplus if any remain from such sale to the said Lewis Shelton his or his order in Witness whereof the said Lewis Shelton hath hereunto set his hand and seal on the Day and year first above written.

Lewis Shelton 

Witnessed in the presence of  
Don M Nicole Thomas Jones John Gregory



At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1772.

This Deed of Trust from Lewis Hunter to Thomas Murdock was acknowledged by the said Lewis to be his act and Deed which was required to be Recorded

Teste Will Tinsdale Esq.

Phillips  
from  
Deborah

**His Indenture** made this 10<sup>th</sup> Day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between Hannah Dodson of the County of Pittsylvania the one part and Tobias Phillips of the said County of the other part witnesseth that for and in the consideration of the consideration of the sum of Forty pounds current money to her in hand paid the receipt whereof she doth hereby acknowledge and thereof and every part and parcel thereof do acquit account and discharge him the said Tobias Phillips his heirs and assigns for ever have given granted bargained and sold a line conveyance and confirmed unto the said Tobias Phillips his heirs and assigns for ever one certain tract or parcel of Land containing one hundred and fifty acres more or less lying lying on the South side of Figg River in the County aforesaid and bounded as followeth to wit.

**Beginning** at a white oak on the side of the river thence of North fifty five degrees east two hundred and Ten poles to a small white oak North forty degrees west one hundred and fifty eight poles to a box chestnut tree and her Deed is in the S. River and thence up the same as it meanders to the first station with all Houses orchards gardens meadows pastures furring Woods ways Waters undivided meadows growing with all the Estate right title Interest possession propriety Claim and demand whatsoever of her the said Hannah Dodson in or to the same to any part or parcel thereof the Reversion or Reversions Remainder and Remainders of all and singular the before mentioned premises and every of their appurtenances To have and to hold The said one hundred and fifty acres more or less and premises with their every of their appurtenances unto the said Tobias Phillips his heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Tobias Phillips his heirs and assigns for ever free and clear of all former Deeds gifts grants bargains sales powers titles of Honour Injuncts Executions or any other incumbrances whatsoever Further the said Hannah Dodson for herself her heirs and assigns with covenant promise and agree to and with the said Tobias Phillips his heirs and assigns that him with the right and title of the said Land and premises with their and every of their appurtenances against all persons whatsoever with warrant and warrant unto the said Tobias Phillips his heirs and assigns and lastly the said Hannah Dodson do promise and agree to with the said Tobias Phillips his heirs & assigns that they shall be ready at all times hereafter to make any further deed or deeds conveyances and conveyances in the law for the better securing the right of title of the said Land of premises unto the said Tobias Phillips his heirs and assigns as the said Tobias Phillips his heirs & assigns shall

Reasonably price enquire in redress whereof the said Hannah Dotson have hereunto set her Hand  
and seal her seal this day and year first above written

signed sealed and delivered  
in the presents of

<sup>his</sup> William M. Lawson Int.  
<sup>his</sup> Thomas T. Bennett  
<sup>his</sup> William X. Lawson Int.  
<sup>marks</sup>

<sup>her</sup> Hannah H. Dotson <sup>Qual</sup>  
<sup>mark</sup>

## Memorandum

that the day and year first above written peaceable and quiet  
possession of the within mentioned premises was had and taken by the within named Dotson  
and by her petitioners unto the within named Tobias Phillips according to the true intent and  
meaning of the within written Deed.

April the 12<sup>th</sup> 1774 Then received of Tobias Phillips the full and just sum of forty  
Pounds in full of the within mentioned premises received of

<sup>his</sup> William M. Lawson Int.  
<sup>mark</sup>

<sup>her</sup> Hannah H. Dotson <sup>Qual</sup>  
<sup>mark</sup>

Thomas T. Bennett  
W. M. + Lawson Int.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774.

This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Levy and Sale and receipt thereon indented from Hannah  
Dotson to Tobias Phillips was proved by the Oaths of the several Witnesses thereto subscribed and ordered to be  
Recorded

Test

Roberts &  
from  
Louell.  
Mortgage

## This Indenture

made this 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of February in the year four Last one  
thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between Daniel Louell of the County of Pittsylvania on the one  
part and William Roberts of King George County Spencer Mannock of Westmoreland County and  
John Watts of Caroline County on the other part Witnesseth that the said Daniel Louell for and  
in Consideration of the Sum of One thousand Pounds current money of Virginia to him in hand  
paid by the said William Roberts Spencer Mannock and John Watts the Receipt whereof he the  
said Daniel Louell doth hereby confess and acknowledge he the said Daniel Louell hath granted  
Bargained and sold and by these presents doth grant Bargain sell and confirm unto the said William  
Roberts Spencer Mannock and to John Watts and to their Heirs and assigns forever Ten Negroes  
to wit Nell. Eliza Rachel Eow. Charles Dany. Ben Randolph. Nann. and Lall. Fifteen head of  
Cattle Thirty head of Hogs seven head of Horses Two Hundred and Thirty Acres of Land



more or less it being the Land whereon I now live together with all my Household and Kitchen Furniture  
and Plantation themselves. commodities and advantages to the said William Robertson Spence Marrow  
and John Watts and all premises belonging or in any wise appertaining and also the Reversion and  
Reversion Remainder and Remainders thereto and services of all and singular the said premises above  
mentioned and every part and article thereof and also all the Estate Right Title Interest claim and command  
whosoever of him the said Daniel Lovell of in and to the said premises and of in and every part and  
Article thereof with appurtenances and all other evidences and writings Touching or concerning the said  
Premises above mentioned or any part or Article thereof

## To Have and to Hold

the said Negro and their Increase together with the Land and Household and Kitchen Furniture and all  
and singular the premises hereby granted or mentioned or intended to be lawfully granted and every part  
and Article thereof with the appurtenances Together with the said Land and Negro and their Increase  
unto the said William Robertson Spence Marrow and John Watts his Heirs and assigns to the only  
proper use and behoof of them the said William Robertson Spence Marrow and John Watts their heirs  
and assigns forever to have and to hold the said premises to them their heirs and assigns that  
of the said Daniel Lovell his Heirs and assigns do and shall will and lawfully pay or cause to be paid  
unto the said William Robertson Spence Marrow and John Watts their Heirs Executors Admins or  
assigns the sum of one thousand pounds Current money of Virginia in and upon the 1<sup>st</sup> Day of August  
one thousand seven hundred and twenty nine that then and from thence forth to their heirs and assigns  
thing herein contained shall crack and be void any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding  
and the said Daniel Lovell for himself his Heirs and assigns doth covenant and grant to and with  
the said William Robertson Spence Marrow and John Watts their Heirs Executors Admins and assigns that  
that he the said Daniel Lovell or his Heirs and assigns shall and will lawfully pay or cause to be  
paid unto the said William Robertson Spence Marrow and John Watts their Heirs Executors  
Admins or assigns the said full sum of one thousand pounds Curr<sup>t</sup> money of Virginia in and  
upon the Day of according to the true intent and meaning of these presents and  
also that the said William Robertson Spence Marrow and John Watts their Heirs and assigns  
shall and may from time to time and at all times after default shall be made in performance of  
the proviso or condition herein mentioned peaceably and quietly intanto have their country possess  
and enjoy the said premises above mentioned with the appurtenances unto the said William Robertson  
Spence Marrow and John Watts without the let suit trouble hindrance molestation inter-  
ruption and denial of him the said Daniel Lovell or his heirs and of all and every other person  
and persons whatsoever and further that the said Daniel Lovell and his Heirs and all and  
every other person and persons and his and their Heirs any thing having or claiming in the  
said premises above mentioned or any part or Article thereof shall and will at any time  
or times after default shall be made in performance of the said proviso or condition herein  
contained made do and execute or cause or procure to be made done and executed all and  
every such further and other lawfull and reasonably grants acts and aforesaid in the

Now what is given for the further better and more perfect granting and securing of all and singular the said premises above mentioned and every part and article thereof unto the said William Roberson, Spence Mannox and John Watts their heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of them the said William Roberson, Spence Mannox and John Watts their heirs and assigns forever absolutely paid and discharged of and from the proviso or condition herein contained of and from all Equity of Redemption by virtue or colour thereof according to the true intent (and meaning) of these presents as by the said William Roberson, Spence Mannox and John Watts their heirs or assigns or their counsel learned in the Law shall be reasonably advised or advised and required and lastly it is covenanted and agreed upon by and between the said parties to these presents and the true intent and meaning hereof also is and it is hereby declared that the said Daniel Loeble or his heirs shall and may at all times lawfully and lawfully shall be made in performance of the proviso or conditions herein contained peaceably and quietly have hold and enjoy all and singular the said premises above mentioned and receive and take the rents and profits thereof to their proper use and Benefit any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding. In Witness whereof the said Daniel Loeble hath to these presents at his hand and affixed his seal the day and year first within written.

Signes Sealed and delivered  
in the presence of us.

John Cox.

Thomas Haver.

Joseph Ferguson.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1778.

This Indenture of Mortgage from Daniel Loeble to William Roberson and others was acknowledged by the said Daniel and ordered to be recorded.

Wes  
M<sup>rs</sup> Fenshall

Richardson Jr  
from  
Richardson Sen  
Dued

This Indenture made this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy eight Between Amos Richardson of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Amos Richardson Jun<sup>r</sup> of the aforesaid County of the other part Witnesseth that the said Amos Richardson for and in consideration of the Love & Affection which he beareth unto his well beloved Son Amos Richardson hath given granted and confirmed unto the said Amos Richardson and to his heirs forever a certain Tract or parcel of Land containing by estimation Fifty acres be the same more or less lying and being on grassy fork of new Creek in Pittsylvania County and bounded within the lines of William Ragan and John Hall To have and to hold the said Land and premises together with all its



appurtenances therunto belonging or in any wise pertaining unto the said Amos Richardson  
and to his heirs forever and the said Amos Richardson with for himself his heirs & further promise  
grant and agree to and with the said Amos Richardson his heirs and assigns to Warrant and  
defend the above mentioned Land and premises with their and every of their Rights members  
and Jurisdictions unto the said Amos Richardson his heirs and assigns forever to be free  
and clear and fully acquitted of all manner of forms and other gifts whatsoever. In Witness  
whereof the said Amos Richardson hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the  
Day and year above written

Amos Richardson 

Signed Seal'd and delivered  
in the presence of

David X Chadwell

Thomas Loring Junr

Gideon Tucker

**Memorandum** that on the day and year within mentioned quiet and  
peaceably Possession of the within mentioned Land and premises was granted to Amos  
Richardson the other covenant to these presents.

David X Chadwell  
Thomas Loring Junr  
Gideon Tucker

Amos Richardson 

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1772  
This Deed of Gift from Amos Richardson Junr to Amos Richardson Junr was proved by the  
oaths of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded

Test

**This Indenture** made this seventh Day of February one thousand seven  
hundred and seventy four Between Richard Griffin of Halifax County of the one part and Thomas  
Walters of Pittsylvania County of the other part witnesseth that the said Richard Griffin for the  
consideration of fifty pounds Current money to him in hand paid before the enrolling and delivery  
of these presents the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge himself to be fully satisfied  
continued and paid by these presents hath given granted Bargained sold alienated conveyed  
and confirmed by these presents fully, freely & absolutely after grant alienate enfeoff and  
confer unto the said Thomas Walters his heirs Executors administrators or assigns for  
ever one certain tract or parcel of Land containing four hundred and four acres the same  
more or less according to the bounds Bearing Date situate lying and being in Pittsylvania

Walters  
Junr  
Griffin

Witness

County and town as followeth Beginning at William Weatherfords corner Red oak in Thomas  
 Walters Line thence in Walters Line North eighty two Degrees west one hundred and forty three poles  
 crossing a Branch to a white oak thence along Tatleys Line south forty six degrees east  
 twenty four poles to a point south eighty four degrees west two hundred eighty poles  
 crossing two branches to a pine south three and half Degrees east twenty poles to a  
 corner south fifty three degrees east three hundred sixty four Poles to a white oak North  
 twenty eight degrees east thirty poles crossing a branch to William Weatherfords corner  
 pine and thence on his Line North four degrees west two hundred eighty poles to the  
 Beginning To have and to hold the above Granted premises with all <sup>and</sup> singular its  
 rights members Jurisdictions Appurtenances together with all houses edifices buildings  
 Gardens orchards Land Cape meadows Fields and pastures Woods and underwoods  
 Water ways profits and commodities whatsoever therunto belonging or in any wise  
 appertaining unto the said Thomas Walters his heirs Executors administrators or  
 assigns forever and the said Richard Griffin for himself his heirs assigns in manner  
 following Viz that the said Thomas Walters his heirs and assigns <sup>for ever</sup> shall from time to  
 time and at all times hereafter peaceably and quietly have hold use occupy possess and enjoy  
 the above granted premises and every part and parcel with every of their rights members  
 jurisdictions and appurtenances and have receipt take the use profits commodities to  
 their proper uses and behoofs forever without any lawful suit trouble vexatious  
 or disturbance of him the said Rich Griffin or his heirs Executors administrators or  
 assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever by him or under him them or any  
 of them theirs or any of theirs and the said Rich Griffin for himself his heirs assigns  
 further promise grant agree to with the said Thomas Walters his heirs assigns to warrant  
 and defend the above granted premises with theirs every of their rights members jurisdictions  
 and appurtenances unto the said Thomas Walters his heirs and assigns for ever to be free &  
 clear fully acquitted exonerated & discharge of all manner of forms other gifts grants bargain  
 sales and other conveyances of all other incumbrances whatsoever & lastly the said Richard  
 Griffin with further promise covenant and agree to and with the said Thomas Walters  
 his heirs assigns to make perform and accomplish or cause to be made performed and  
 accomplished all and every other act of acts thing & things device and devices whatsoever  
 in the face or means which by the said Thomas Walters his heirs or assigns or by his  
 or their counsel deemed in the Law to be reasonably avoided needed or required as Writings  
 whereby I have herunto set my hand & fixed my seal the day & year above written

Signed Sealed and delivered  
 in the presence of us Witnesses

Thos. Hile John Dupuis  
 John Walters Robert Walters

Richard Griffin



*Memorandum* that every <sup>of</sup> person was given this Day the said  
Rich Griffin of the within mentioned Lane and premises and all their appurtenances  
unto the said Thomas Walters (and his heirs forever in the presence of us  
Notaries

Thos. Hill, John Dupuis  
John Walters, Robert Walters

Richard Griffin Esq

Examined

Records held for Pennsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774.  
This Inventory from Rich<sup>d</sup> Griffith to Thomas Walters was proved by the oath of the  
Witnesses subscribed. Thos<sup>d</sup> Griffith to be recorded.

\*O. W. H. T. F. J. S. L. C.

Cooper } Dub

This Indenture made this eighth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & seventy four Between Thomas Cooper Junr of the County of Pike Land on the one part and Peter Copland of the same County on the other part Witnesseth that the said Thomas Cooper for & in consideration of the sum of six hundred even money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Peter the receipt whereof he the said Thomas fully hereby acknow- ledge hath given granted bargained & sold and by these presents doth give grant bargain and sell alien assign and confirm unto the said Peter Copland his heirs and assigns one certain parcel of Land containing by estimation four acres be the same more or less lying in the said County of Pennsylvania one bounded as follows Viz Beginning at a Hickory sapling in the line of the said Peter Copland one corner on the line with Joseph Thompson east nearly two poles to a stake in his field thence south sixty seven degrees West eighteen poles crossing a Creek to a sapling on the site of a Mill in Thomas Coopers Line thence North five degrees West to the beginning together with all Woods Waters & heronries belonging to have and to hold the aforesaid parcel of Land with the appurtenances to the said Peter Copland his heirs and assigns forever to the sole proper use and behoof of him the said Peter & of his heirs and assigns and to no other use intent or purpose whatsoever and the said Thomas Cooper for him self and his heirs doth hereby grant covenant and agree to and with the said Peter in manner following that is to say that it now and shall be Lawfull to & for the said Peter his heirs or assigns at any time and at all times hereafter to enter in & upon the said Land and premises hereby sold and conveyed and the same to have hold occupy and possess fully and quietly free of and quiet from the molestation or hindrance of him the said Thomas his heirs or assigns and further that he the said Thomas his heirs & will to the said Peter his heirs and assigns forever warrant and defend a good right and title in and to the s<sup>d</sup> Land

and promises against the claim or claims of him the said Thomas or of any other person or persons to whom he shall or may hereafter claim or claim that he the said Thomas Cooper his heirs or assigns shall and will at any time hereafter upon request and at the proper cost and charge of the said Peter Copland his heirs or assigns make and cause to be made and executed such further or other Dues or Dues for the more perfect satisfying the said and promises herein set forth and to the said Peter Copland his heirs or assigns as he or they or his or their council or counsellors in the Law shall reasonably advise or require. In Witness whereof the said Thomas Cooper hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and year first above written

Signed and sealed in presence of 8

Thomas Cooper Junr. (Seal)

Received of the said Peter Copland the sum of six pounds current money being the full consideration in this Dues this 28<sup>th</sup> July 1771.

Thomas Cooper Junr.

James's

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1771.

This Indenture from Thomas Cooper Junr to Peter Copland was acknowledged by the said Thomas and ordered to be Recorded

Will Tunstall C<sup>l</sup>

Payne  
Chas  
Myne } Dues

This Indenture made this Fourteenth Day of May and in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between William Myne Senr of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Robert Payne of the said County of the other part Witness that the said W<sup>m</sup> Myne Senr in consideration of the sum of Ten pounds current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Robert Payne at or before the executing and delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof the said William Myne Senr doth hereby acknowledge and thereof and of and from every part and parcel thereof doth hereby acquit and discharge the said Robert Payne his heirs Executors Administrators by these presents he the said William Myne Senr hath granted bargained and sold aliened enfeoffed and confirmed all that tract piece or parcel of Land situated lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania on Andersons Branch and bounded as Followeth Beginning at Thomas Dudleys corner Red oak thence on Dudleys South fifty degrees West one hundred & fifty nine poles to pointiers in Thomas Dudleys corner thence South Thirty three Degrees East thirty poles to a pin in the Country line thence East forty two poles to pointiers in the Country line & Robert Paynes corner thence along Paynes line north thirty eight poles to pointiers North fifty Degrees East one hundred &



Eight poles crossing another Branch ponders in Durdley how thence along his line North  
Thirty eight degrees West Twenty eight poles to the beginning in all thirty five acres more  
or less with all Houses and other improvements Woods underwoods Swamps Meadow  
Grounds or any other appurtenances whatsoever to the same adjoining and also  
the reversion and Remainder (and remainders right Estate Interest  
Benefits Claims Demand of them the said William Wynne of to all and  
singular the said premises and of in and to every part and parcel of them and  
of to all yearly and other Rents and profits received upon any Demise  
or Lease of the said premises or any part thereof To have and to hold the said  
Tract or parcel of Land with the Bounds above mentioned and all and singular the  
said premises herein before mentioned and intended to be heretofore granted with their and  
Tory of their appurtenances unto the said Robert Payne his heirs and assigns forever  
and the said W<sup>m</sup> Wynne for himself and his heirs the said Tract or parcel of Land and all  
and singular the premises with their and Tory of their appurtenances unto him the  
said Robert Payne his heirs and assigns against him the said William Wynne &  
his heirs or any of them or any person or persons whatsoever shall and well warrant  
and for ever defend by these presents free and clear from all incumbrances whatsoever  
In Witness whereof the said William Wynne hath hereunto set his hand and seal  
the day and year first above written

Signed sealed and delivered  
in the presence of  
Thomas Dudley Thomas Duncan  
John Wynne John Dix  
John Bygones John Partridge

W<sup>m</sup> Wynne

## Memorandum

that quiet possession of fifteen and twenty of the within  
Land was given unto the within named Robert Payne By the within named W<sup>m</sup> Wynne  
The day and year first within written

Thomas Dudley Thomas Duncan John Wynne  
John Dix John Bygones John Partridge

Received the full consideration money for the within premises the day and  
year first within written

Test

Thomas Dudley Thomas Duncan John Wynne John Bygones John Partridge

At a Court held for Wiltshire County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1778.

The Deed from William Wynne to Robert Payne was passed by the calls of two of the Witnesses  
subscribed thereto and ordered to be testified

Test

Examined

# This Indenture

made the 38<sup>th</sup> day of July one thousand seven hundred and twenty four Between James Smith of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Joel Hurt of the County of Halifax of the other part Witnesseth that the said James Smith for and in consideration of the sum of Thirty pounds current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Joel Hurt at or before the making and delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof the said James Smith hath hereby acknowledged and himself therewith fully satisfied contented and paid hath granted bargained and sold (and by these presents do grant bargain sell and confirm unto Joel Hurt his Heirs Executors administrators and assigns forever one certain Tract or parcel of Land situate lying and being in Pittsylvania County on the Branch of (Difficult) Creek containing by estimation four hundred acres more or less and bounded as followeth to wit (Beginning at his own corner pine on the upper side the aforesaid Creek thence on his line north fifty six degrees east two hundred and forty poles crossing three Branches to a pine north eighteen Degrees East one hundred and twenty four poles crossing a branch to a white oak thence on Echols Line north twenty five degrees west one hundred of six poles to a Red oak North thirty Degrees east thirty one poles to a small white oak thence on Luch Line south sixty five degrees West two hundred and seventy poles to a pine thence north south five degrees East one hundred and thirty four poles to a pine East eighty two poles and a half to the Beginning) With all houses out houses trees ways waters of water courses woods & underwoods profits commodities advantages & appurtenances whatsoever to the said tract or parcel of Land (and premises above mentioned) and also the Reversion and Reversions remainder and remainders Rent and services of the said Land & premises and every part and parcel thereof and also the whole Right title interest claim and demand whatsoever with in equity or in Law of him the said James Smith his Heirs Executors administrators or assigns of in and to the said Land and premises and every part and parcel thereof to have and to hold the said Land and premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Joel Hurt his Heirs Executors administrators and assigns forever and the said James Smith for himself and his Heirs do covenant and agree with the said Joel Hurt and his Heirs by these presents that he the said James Smith the said Tract of Land and premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Joel Hurt and unto his Heirs forever against him the said James Smith and his Heirs and all and every other person or persons whatsoever shall and will warrant and forever defend the said Land and premises In Witness whereof the said James Smith hath to these presents set his hand and seal the day & year above Written

Signed Sealed and delivered  
In presence of

James Smith

Hurt  
from  
Smith

Deed

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line across more  
maps Meadow  
and also  
the Interest  
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to the said  
singular the  
with their and  
rights forever  
of Land and all  
to him the  
on My name &  
well warrant  
and whatsoever  
land and seal

the within  
and My name

the day and

Parish

Chas of the Wm of



## Memorandum

That on the day and year within written full payable and Quick possession and livery of Seign was given and delivered by the within named James Smith unto the within named Joel Hurt according to the purport true intent and meaning of the within Written Indenture

Test

James Smith

Received the 28<sup>th</sup> day of July 1772 of Joel Hurt the sum of thirty pounds current money it being the full of the within mentioned consideration money to be paid me

Test

James Smith

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1772

This Indenture together with the memorandum of Livery Seign and Receipt thereon endorsed from James Smith to Joel Hurt was acknowledged by the said James and ordered to be Recorded

Test

Will Tansall

Hodges  
Hamm  
German & Dutch  
Delee

This Indenture made this 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July one thousand seven hundred and seventy two Between Christopher German of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Edmund Hodges of the said County of the other part Witnesseth that the said Christopher German for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred current money of Virginia by the said Edmund Hodges to him the said Christopher German in hand paid before the sealing and delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof the the said Christopher German both here and acknowledge and thereof both acquit and discharge him the said Edmund Hodges his heirs Executors Administrators Both grant bargain sell enfeoff and confirm by these presents both grant bargain sell enfeoff and confirm unto the said Edmund Hodges his heirs and assigns Ten acres of Land lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania lying on the west side of Little Crook Creek & bounded by a small branch and running of the said Hodges line to the said Land ten acres more or less To have and to hold the said messuage plantation and tract of Land with the appurtenances unto the said Edmund Hodges his heirs and assigns to the only use and behoof of him the said Edmund Hodges his heirs and assigns for ever and him the said Christopher German his heirs

Executors administrators the said enfeoffed plantations and lands of Land with the appurtenances there. of unto him the said Edmund Hodges his heirs and assigns shall and with warrant and forever defend by these presents against the claims and demands of him the said Christopher German his heirs and assigns or any other person whatsoever and the said Christopher German for himself his heirs Executors administrators with counsel provided and with the said Edmund Hodges his heirs Executors Admins and assigns the premises and every part thereof accepted and discharged from all manner of incumbrance and that the said Edmund Hodges his heirs and assigns for and not withstanding any act or thing by the said Christopher German or any other person committed done or suffered shall or lawfully may forever hereafter have hold use occupy possess and enjoy the same and every part thereof with the appurtenances without the least full let or molestation or aversion of him the said Christopher German or any other person whatsoever in Witness whereof the parties aforesaid to these presents have interchangable set his hand and affix of his seal the Day and year above Written

Signed sealed and delivered  
in the presence of us

Christopher German Seal

**Received** on the day of the date of the within mentioned Indenture of the within named Edmund Hodges the sum of one thousand £ of Virginia being the consideration of the within mentioned Land received by me.

**Memorandum** that in the day of the Date of the within mentioned Indenture fee and Peaceable possession of Negro of the within mentioned premises was by me had and taken and by me delivered unto the within mentioned Edmund Hodges

Christopher German

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1774.  
This Due together with the memorandum of Levy and Sale and receipt thereon indorsed from Christopher German to Edmund Hodges was acknowledged by the said Christopher and ordered to be Recorded

Test

Wm. Tinsley Clk



Worham  
from  
Mynne  
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Warrham  
from  
Wynne  
Esq.

# This Indenture

made this 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August and in the year of our Lord

Christ one thousand seven hundred and twenty four Between William Wynne Esq. of the County of Wiltshire of the one part and John Warrham of the said County of the other part Witnesses that the said William Wynne for and in consideration of the sum of one thousand and sixty five pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said John Warrham at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof the said William Wynne doth hereby acknowledge and thereof to save from every part and parcel thereof doth hereby acquit and discharge the said John Warrham his Heirs Executors & administrators by these presents to the said William Wynne hath granted bargained and sold released conveyed and confirmed all that Tract piece or parcel of Land situate lying and being in the County of Wiltshire in the south side of Dan River and bounded as follows Beginning at the mouth of Rutledge Creek thence up the said Creek to a white oak at the mouth of a small Branch thence by crossing the said Branch to Jacksons Creek thence down Jacksons Creek as it meanders to the mouth thence down the Dan River River as it meanders to the beginning in all containing Two Hundred Acres more or less it being the Land given to said William Wynne Esq. by Wm Wynne Esq. the said Thos. Warrham did in the County of Halifax reference thereto being had with all House and all other improvements Woods underwoods Swamp meadow Ground or any other Appurtenances whatsoever to the same adjoining and also the Reversion and Reversion Remainder of Humane Right Estate Interest benefit Claim and demand whatsoever of him the said William Wynne of in & to all singular the said premises & of in and to every part of parcel of them and of in and to all yearly & other Rents and profits Received upon any Demise or lease of the said premises or any part thereof To have to hold the said tract or parcel of and and all and singular the said premises hereto before mentioned and intended to be hereby granted with their and every of their Appurtenances unto him the said John Warrham his Heirs and assigns for ever & the said William Wynne for himself & his Heirs the said Tract or parcel of Land and all and singular other premises with their and every of their Appurtenances unto him the said John Warrham his Heirs and assigns against him the said William Wynne & his Heirs or any of them or any person whatsoever should with warrant of for ever released by these presents free & clear from all incumbrances whatsoever In Witness whereof the said William Wynne have hereunto set his hand and Seal the day & year first above written

Signed sealed & delivered in the presence of  
J. G. Wilson, Robert Wynne  
George & Southland  
John Dye

Wynne<sup>m</sup> Esq. Seal



Memorandum that quiet possession of Heaven and Lucy of the within  
premises was given unto the said John Northam By the said William Wynde the  
Day and year first within written

Wynne. m. Am.

L. Guilim <sup>his</sup> George A. Southland  
Robert Payne <sup>marks</sup> John Dix

Received the within consideration Money for the within Land & premises  
the day & year first within written

L. Guillem Robt Payne George & Southland  
 John Dix,

At a Court <sup>mark</sup> held for <sup>John Day</sup> Wylocania County the 25.<sup>th</sup> Day of August 1771.

This Indenture from William Wynne to John Harrison was proved by the  
oath of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded

Dist

M<sup>rs</sup> Armistead & Co  
 from Bill  
 Robinson & Co  
 Sale

I know all Men by their friends that I hope Reduction of the  
County of Virginia for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred and  
twenty four pounds and four pence current money of Virginia to him in hand  
in hand paid by Messrs. Clerk and Co. of the said County the Rec<sup>d</sup> whereof the  
said Messrs. Clerk and Co. do hereby acknowledge and thereof doth rec<sup>d</sup> & discharge  
them the said Messrs. Clerk and Co. their heirs & assigns their friends with bargain  
sell & otherwise over unto the said Messrs. Clerk and Co. their heirs & assigns the following  
two Negroes Tom a Negro fellow and Rachel a negro woman being the two negroes  
sold him the said Messrs. Clerk and Co. by Messrs. Clerk and Co. the said  
said articles & hereby warrant & sell to him the said  
Messrs. Clerk and Co. their heirs & assigns from me my heirs executors & administrators  
I have etc. and every other person whatsoever in Witness whereof I have hereunto  
set my hand and seal the second day of August 1774.

Ordered that this bill of sale to carry Interest from this day. It being for two  
hundred and up the said Upper Reuben.

Signed Seal & Delivered  
in presence of

Lys Robinson 

Rob. Payne

Robt. Payne. O Wm. that the Handb<sup>t</sup> delivered in pl<sup>y</sup> for the whole  
 Ann Robinson. J<sup>ys</sup> Robinson.

Examin'd

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 25 Day of August 1774

This Bill of sale from Isaac Barton to Messrs Armistead &amp; Company was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded

Test

Will Tunstall 68.

## This Indenture

Talbot

from

Barton

Examin'd

made the nineteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between Joshua Barton of Roan County and province of North Carolina of one part & Matthew Talbot of Bedford County & Colony of Virginia of the other part witnesseth that he the said Joshua Barton for and in the consideration of one hundred pounds of lawful money to him in hand paid by the said Matthew Talbot the Receipt whereof the said Joshua Barton doth hereby acknowledge he the said Joshua Barton hath granted Bargained sold aliened and confirmed & by these presents doth grant bargain and sell aliened and confirm and by these presents doth grant bargain and sell unto the said Matthew Talbot one certain Tract or parcel of Land lying on both sides Tye River in Pittsylvania County containing one hundred and seven acres of Ground as followeth to wit beginning at a white oak South fifty Degrees east one hundred & sixty four poles to a white oak South eighteen Degrees west eighty eight poles to a Dogwood North ninety Degrees west one hundred eight poles to two Spanish oaks North fifteen degrees east one hundred & thirty four poles to the beginning and also all trees woods under woods lites commons commons of Pastures profits commodities advantages Hereditaments ways waters & appurtenances whatsoever to the said mesuages Land above mentioned belonging or any way appurtening to the said Governor Governors Remains & Remains Parts & services of the said premises and of every part thereof & all the estate Right title interest claim and demand whatsoever of him the said Joshua Barton of in and to the said mesuages Land above mentioned and the premises and every part thereof to have to hold the said mesuages or tenement & all & singular the premises above mentioned Every part & parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Matthew Talbot his heirs & assigns to the only proper use & behoof of him the said Matthew Talbot his heirs & assigns forever and the said Joshua Barton for himself & his heirs the said mesuages or tenement and the premises & every part thereof against him and his heirs & against all & every other person and persons whatsoever to the said Matthew Talbot his heirs & assigns shall & will warrant & forever defend by these presents in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affix my seal this day & date above written

Signed sealed & delivered in the presence of us  
 Wm. Murphy, Isaac Barton, David Barton

Joshua Barton Seal



At a court held for Pittsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of August 1771.  
This Indenture from Thomas Porter to Matthew Taltell was proved by the oaths  
of the Witnesses subscribed thereto & ordered to be Recorded

Witness  
Will. Tumbally Clerk

Charles  
Porter  
Died

This Indenture made and executed this Twenty fifth day of  
August one thousand seven Hundred & seventy seven between Mark Porter of  
Pittsylvania County of the one part and Charles Porter of the same County of the  
other part Witnesseth that the said Mark Porter for the consideration of Twenty pounds  
Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid before the unsealing & Delivery  
of these presents the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge himself to be  
fully satisfied contented & paid & by these presents have given granted bargain'd  
sell Allocated enfeoffed and confirm'd and by these presents fully clearly and  
absolutely give grant bargain sell Allocated enfeoff & confirm unto the said Charles  
Porter his heirs Executors and administrators or assigns for ever one certain parcel  
or tract of Land containing fifty acres lying & being in the County of Pittsylvania  
on both sides Smiths River & bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a small Hickory  
on the River side thence meastures North fifty two and one half degrees with two  
hundred & thirty two poles crossing a branch to a Hickory North forty five Degrees  
East eighteen poles to a birch on the River thence down the stream thereof as it  
meanders to a black oak on the North side thence off with seventy two degrees East  
fifty eight poles to a pine south forty nine and an half Degrees east thirty eight  
poles crossing a branch to a white oak south sixty two Degrees East forty four poles  
to a Hickory South fifty Degrees East seventy poles crossing a branch to an Elm  
on the River thence up the River as it meanders to the first station to have and to  
hold the above granted premises with all and singular its Rights members  
Jurisdiction and appurtenances together with all Improvements profits and  
commodities whatsover thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining unto  
the said Charles Porter his heirs and assigns for ever and the said Mark Porter  
doth for him his heirs and assigns covenant grant & agree to and with the said  
Charles Porter his heirs and assigns in manner & form following Viz<sup>t</sup> that the  
said Charles Porter his heirs & assigns may & shall from time to time & at all  
times for ever hereafter peaceably & quietly have hold use occupy possess & enjoy  
the above granted premises every part & parcel with every of their Rights  
members Jurisdiction & appurtenances & have Receive & take the uses profits &

comodities to his or their proper use and behoofe for ever without any lawfull said trouble  
 Denial or evasions or disturbance of him the said Mark Foster his heirs executors admors  
 or assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever by or from or under him them or any  
 of them theirs or any of theirs and the said Mark Foster doth for him self his heirs  
 and assigns further promise grant and agree and with the said Charles Foster his heirs  
 and assigns for ever to WARRANT and defend the above granted premises with their land  
 every of their Rights and anubers Jurisdctions and appurtenances unto the said  
 Charles Foster his heirs or assigns for ever to be free & clear & fully adjusted & cleared and  
 discharged of all manner of form & other gifts grants bargains sales sales & sales  
 Dower and all other incumbrances whatsoever In Witness thereof I have hereunto  
 set my hand and fix'd my seal the day and year above Written.

signed sealed & delivered  
 in the presence of

Joshua Turner

John Turner

Robt. Perryman.

Mark Foster 

**Memorandum** that on the day and year within written that quiet and  
 peaceable possession was granted of the within mentioned Land & premises unto Charles  
 Foster by the other covenantor.

in presence of us

Joshua Turner.

John Turner

Robt. Perryman

Mark Foster 

**At a Court** held for City of Virginia County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of August 1772.

This Indenture from Mark Foster to Charles Foster was proved by the oaths of the  
 Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded

Teste Willm. Tunstall Ck.

Blagge  
 from  
 Humphries  
 Quod of Trust

**Know all men** by these presents that I Samuel Humphries of Charlotte  
 County for & in consideration of John Blagge becoming my security to William  
 Christian and Adam Smith in a Bond penalty Two hundred pounds for the  
 delivery of a Warrant for two thousand acres of land by the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March next  
 to the said W<sup>m</sup> Christian & Smith now to the end that the said John Blagge may be safe



I the said Samuel Humphries have granted bargained & sold by these presents  
do grant bargain sell & deliver to the said John Blagge his heirs & assigns one  
Grey Horse bought of Stephen Trigg five years old also a Bay mare  
bought of William Christian and a Colt of the said mare neither doct'd  
or branded bought of the said Person To have hold & enjoy the above Horses  
to the said John Blagge his heirs & assigns forever with this condition that if  
I do not deliver the Warrant which the said Blagge became my security for agreeable  
to Bond then all my right & title of the above mentioned Horses to be void & the said  
Blagge his heirs &c but upon my delivering the Warrant aforesd then all the  
above to be null & void and of no effect In Witness the said Samuel Humphries  
has hereunto set his hand & seal this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February one thousand seven  
hundred and seventy four

Tste

Sam<sup>l</sup>. Humphries

Edmund Syne

Edmund Graves

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1774.

This Deed of Trust was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses to be the act  
and Deed of the within named Samuel Humphries and the same was  
ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Tste Will Tunstall C<sup>l</sup>

Examined  
del<sup>d</sup>

Callen  
C<sup>l</sup>  
Moor  
B<sup>i</sup>  
S<sup>ar</sup>

Walker  
from  
Boatman  
of  
Frank

I know all Men by these presents that I Richard Boatman of  
Pittsylvania County on this 31<sup>st</sup> day March 1774 justly indebted to Samuel Walker  
of the said County the just and full sum of twelve pounds ten shillings Covenant money  
of Virginia and being truly pious to the said Samuel Walker due justice and  
to secure to him the payment of the aforesaid sum with legal Interest thence from  
this day I the said Richard Boatman have granted bargained & sold and by these  
presents do grant bargain sell & deliver to the said Samuel Walker his heirs  
and assigns forever my Wagon and all its Gear &c also 6 Horses viz<sup>t</sup> a black  
Halter a Black Horse a white &c as certified by a Bill of Sale between  
Me and him my Wagon Horses To have hold and enjoy the above Wagon  
and 6 Horses to the said Sam<sup>l</sup> Walker his heirs &c forever against one  
and one heirs and I the said Rich Boatman for my self my heirs &c do  
covenant and agree with the said Samuel Walker his heirs &c against one and any

Here and against all and every other person whatsoever shall he will warrant & will defend the above Mazon Gurs &c and to Heres Upon trust nevertheless that the said Samuel Walker shall and may at any time after 25<sup>th</sup> day December next after giving ten days legal notice to the said Samuel Walker shall and may dispose for the best price that can be got in Cash for the aforesaid Mazon Gurs and to Heres to discharge the said Sum of twelve pounds ten shillings four pence money with legal Interest thereon as before mentioned and also to pay all necessary charges in securing the said Debt and Interest to the said Samuel Walker his Heirs &c for ever and the said Samuel Walker shall pay unto the said Richard Bealman his o Heirs &c the overplus money arising from such sale if any overplus should be In Witness whereof the said Rich<sup>d</sup>. Bealman hath hereunto set his hand & seal this 21<sup>st</sup> day March 1771.

Edmund Lynce Joseph Cooper

Rich<sup>d</sup>. R. Bealman Seal  
marks

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of September 1771.

This Deed of Trust from Rich<sup>d</sup>. Bealman to Sam<sup>l</sup>. Walker was proved by the oath of one Witness subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded

Josh Will Tunstall C<sup>l</sup>

Calland & Co  
from  
Morison  
Bill of  
Sale

I know all men by these presents that I John Morison of Pittsylvania County for and in consideration of the sum of Eight pounds Current money of Virginia I am justly indebted unto Sam<sup>l</sup>. Calland & Co. of the said County and humbly desiring to pay him have Bargained sold and so by these presents bargain sell and deliver unto Sam<sup>l</sup>. Calland & Co. one Bay Mare four feet four Inches high Banded on the near shoulder & Bled with a Striped Iron about five years old to have &c to hold the said Mare unto the said Samuel Calland & Co. their Heirs and Executors forever And I the said John Morison for my self my Heirs & Executors shall and will for ever Warrant and defend the said Mare unto the said Samuel Calland & Co. their Heirs & Executors against all persons whatsoever In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 12<sup>th</sup> day of January one thousand seven hundred & seventy four Signed sealed & delivered in presence of John I. Morison Seal  
marks  
James Falconer

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of September 1771.

This Bill of Sale from John Morison to Sam<sup>l</sup>. Calland & Co. was proved by the oath of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded

Josh Will Tunstall C<sup>l</sup>



# His Indenture

made the seventeenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between Thomas Sears of Chesterfield County of the one part and Jermiah Ward of Pittsylvania County of the other part Witness all that the said Thomas Sears for and in consideration of the sum of Seven pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Ward the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath granted bargained and sold and does by these presents grant bargain sell alien infest confirm & deliver unto the said Jermiah Ward his heirs and assigns forever one certain Tract or parcel of Land lying and being in Pittsylvania County aforesaid and on both sides of Cedar Creek containing three hundred and eighty acres more or less and bounded as follows Viz<sup>t</sup> Beginning at a Spruce oak on Cedar Creek thence south fifty one Degrees West two hundred and sixty poles to a white oak thence North fifty one Degrees West one hundred poles to a Spruce thence North six Degrees West seventy four poles to a red oak thence North fifty one degrees East three hundred and sixty three poles to thence south thirty Degrees East one hundred and eighty poles to a Dogwood on the said Creek thence up the said Creek as it ascends to the first Station and the Division and Provisions Remainder and Remainder thereof and all the Estate Right Title Interest claim & Demand whatsoever of him the said Thomas Sears of in and to the said Land and Premises and every part and parcel thereof To have and to hold the said Land and Premises with the appurtenances unto the said Jermiah Ward his heirs and assigns forever And the said Thomas Sears now hereby for himself his heirs Executors Admins and assigns covenant promise and agree to and with the said Jermiah Ward his heirs & assigns that he the said Thomas Sears the aforesaid Land and Premises with the appurtenances unto the said Jermiah Ward his heirs & assigns against all persons whatsoever shall and will Warrant & for ever defend In Witness whereof the said Thomas Sears hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and year first within written

Sign'd Seal & Delivered  
in presence of

Wm<sup>th</sup> X Rogers

James S. Morrison

Benja. Tarrant

Thomas Sears  
his  
Elizabeth X Sears  
marks.

## Memorandum

That on the day and year within written quit and peaceable possession and seizen of the within mentioned Land and Premises with the appurtenances was given and made by the within named Thomas Sears to the within named Jermiah Ward according to the Tenor & effect of the within written Deed

In presence of Wm<sup>th</sup> X Rogers

James S. Morrison Benja. Tarrant

Thomas Sears

Ward  
for  
Sears

Smith &  
from  
Smith &  
Power of

74

Received of Jeremiah Ward the full and Just Sum of sixteen pounds Current money of Virginia in full of all demands for the within mentioned Land & premises.  
 In witness whereof  
 Thomas Sears.

In presence of  
 Wm<sup>th</sup> X<sup>th</sup> Egger  
 James S<sup>th</sup> Harrison Burya Tarnish

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1775.

This Indenture from Thomas Sears to Jeremiah Ward was proved by the oath of the Witness subscribed here and ordered to be Recorded.

Test Will<sup>th</sup> Tinsall 23

Smiths Deeds  
 from  
 Smiths Deeds  
 Power of Attorney

I know all Men by these presents that I John Smith Jun<sup>r</sup> Pittsylvania County and Colony of Virginia for and in full of all and good cause me hereunto moving have made and given constituted and appointed and by these presents do ordain constitute and appoint my truly friend John Smith Jun<sup>r</sup> of the said County Pittsylvania my true and lawful attorney for me and in my name and to my use to sell dispose of and in my name to make and or Deeds in my name as to the said John Smith Jun<sup>r</sup> shall think proper and for a certain Tract and parcel of Land lying and being in King William County and in said Colony and bounded as followeth Viz<sup>t</sup> joining Matthews River also joining John Calletts Line and Thomas Edicks line containing ninety seven acres being the same more or less giving by these presents granted to my said attorney sole and full power and authority to sell and convey the said mentioned Land and also to Recover & Receive all such Sum or Sums or purchase money of said Lands and also to pursue and follow such legal courses for the recovering obtaining and Recovering of the same as my self might or could do was I personally present and without Receipt of the same acquittance and other sufficient discharges for me and in my name to make sign seal and deliver as also one or more atty under him to substitute appoint and again at his Pleasure to Revoke and further to perform and finish for me and in my name all one singular thing or things which shall or may be necessary touching and concerning the premises as fully thoroughly and Intirely as the said John Smith Jun<sup>r</sup> in any manner might or could do in and about the same Ratifying and allowing and confirming whatsoever my said atty shall lawfully do or cause to be done in and about the Execution Premises by virtue of these Presents In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this first Day of September & in the fourth year of our Sovereign Lord George the third by the Grace of



God of Great Britain France & Ireland &c. and in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy four  
Signed sealed & delivered  
in the Presence of

John Smith Esq<sup>r</sup>

Rich<sup>d</sup> Hampton James Dillard  
Thomas Black William Young John Smith

**At a Court** held for **Wagloonia County** on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of September 1771

The above Power of Attorney from John Smith Esq<sup>r</sup> to John Smith Esq<sup>r</sup> was  
Examined & ordered to be Recorded

Test Will Tunstall Esq<sup>r</sup>

Adams  
from  
Hire

**This Indenture**

made this twentieth six Day of August in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between John Six of the County of Hanover of the one part and John Adams Esq<sup>r</sup> of Wagloonia County of the other part witnesseth that the said John Six for and in the consideration of the sum of fifty five pounds current money of Virginia to him in hand paid By the said John Adams the Receipt whereof he the said John Six doth hereby acknowledge. I have bargained sold alien and conveyed and he the said John Six for himself self his heirs Executors and administrators do by these presents grant bargain sell alien and confirm unto the said John Adams his heirs and assigns forever one certain tract piece or parcel of Land containing four hundred acres Or there same more or less which Lying and being in the County of Wagloonia in Little Cherry some Creek and bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at Red oak on to Mr Grays Line North eighty five Degrees east crossing the creek eighty poles to white oak thence south Eighty degrees east ninety three poles to a pine south fourteen east Six three poles to a pine thence south fourteen Degrees east one Hundred Ninety six poles to a white oak thence two lines North seventy six Degrees east one Hundred twenty poles to a white North fifty degrees west two hundred forty six poles to poplars North North sixty four Degrees west three hundred and fifteen poles to a white oak thence south fifty three degrees west sixty poles crossing a branch to poplars in the Long grounds of the Creeks thence south fifteen Degrees East crossing the Creek one Hundred poles to the first Station to have and to hold the above mentioned four hundred acres of Land with all the appurtenances to the said John Adams his heirs and assigns forever and he the said John Six for

him self and his Heirs Executors and administrators do covenant and agree to and with the said John Adams that he the said John Alex Deth warrant & for ever defend the above mentioned Land and premises with all its appurtenances to the said John Adams his Heirs and assigns for ever and against him the said John Alex or his Heirs and from the claim of any person or persons what soever in witness whereof he the said John Alex hath set his Hand and affixed his seal this Day and year first above written and sealed & delivered in the presence of

Sub. Robert Paine

Edmund Paine William Jones

John I. Adams Allen A. Adams.

John X Alex  
his

**Memorandum** that this Day full and peaceable person and living of John of the within mentioned Land and premises was given and delivered By the said John Alex to the said John Adams in the presence of

**At a Court** held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of September 1771.

This Indenture from John Alex to John Adams was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded.

Test  
Wm. Lunsford

Smith  
from  
German  
Deed  
German

**This Indenture** made on the fifteenth day of August in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between John German of the one part and James Smith of the other part Witnesseth that the said John German for and in consideration of the sum of thirteen pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath given granted bargained & sold and by these presents doth give grant bargain sell & confirm unto the said James Smith his Heirs and assigns for ever one certain Tract or parcel of Land lying and being in Pittsylvania County on the waters of Little Bear River being the Remainder of a Tract of Land patented in his own name the other parts was sold to his Father Christopher German and to John Jackson both which Tracts is Recorded to the said Pitts Court containing one hundred Acres of Land the same more or less and in the Tract he now lies on and there a corn field on the same. Beginning at a corner white oak in the fork of the Road leading to the breathouse and near his Corn field thence up the Road to a small Bottom to a Red oak sapling thence the old line crossing Little Bear River and up the point of



a. Site to a Rod each thence eastward towards the plantation to a corner. thence the  
 Rod thence along Chamberlans line to a last path thence along the path to the White  
 Oak or the Beginning with all and singular the appurtenances belonging or in any  
 wise appertaining to have and to hold the said Land and premises unto the said  
 James Smith his heirs Executors administrators and assigns for ever and the said  
 John German sett for himself and his heirs Executors and administrators covenant  
 and agree with the said James Smith his heirs and assigns by these presents  
 that it shall and may be lawfull & and for the said James Smith & his heirs  
 peaceably & quietly to have hold possess and enjoy the said Land and premises  
 and the Right Title of him the said John German without let suit Trouble or  
 molestation from him the said John German his heirs Executors or administrators  
 or any other person or persons lawfully claiming or by from or under them or any  
 of them and the said John German for himself and his heirs the said Land and  
 premises as before expressed unto the said James Smith and his heirs shall and  
 will covenant and for ever defend by these presents In Witness whereof the said John  
 German hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above  
 written

signed sealed & delivered in presence of

John I German <sup>his</sup> Seal

Christopher X German <sup>his</sup>

Joseph H German Elizabeth X German <sup>his</sup>

Mary X German Arch. Smith <sup>mark</sup>

## Memorandum

that on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August in the year of our  
 Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven Henry & Charles of the  
 mentioned Land & premises was acknowledged to be made

In presence of  
 Arch. Smith

John I German <sup>his</sup> mark

## At a Court

held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>d</sup> day of September 1778.  
 This Indenture from John German to James Smith was proved by the oaths of the  
 Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded

Clk. Will. Tunstall &

## This Indenture

made this twenty fifth Day of August in the  
 year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy seven  
 Joseph Medhief of Pittsylvania County of the one part and Thomas Ball  
 of the same County of the other part Witnesseth that the said Joseph Medhief for and

Ball  
 from  
 Medhief &

in the consideration of the sum of fifty two pounds good and lawful money of Virginia so  
 here in hand paid by the said Thomas Ball the Receipt whereof he the said Joseph  
 Midkiff doth hereby acknowledge I have bargained sold aliene and confirmed and the  
 said Joseph Midkiff his heirs Executors administrators Do by these presents grant  
 Bargain sol aliene in fee and confirm unto the said Thomas Ball his heirs or  
 assigns one certain tract piece or parcel of Land containing one hundred acres  
 situate lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania in both sides Elk horns Creek and  
 bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at Tenneys river line thence North forty  
 Degrees west one hundred and sixty seven poles ending Elk horns Creek to the  
 line thence along his line south sixty Degrees west to his corner Red oak in Whetleys  
 line thence along his line south fourteen Degrees East one hundred and eighty four  
 poles crossing the said Creek to a white oak in Tanges line thence along the same  
 North sixty three east to the the Beginning. **To have and to hold**

the said Lands and premises with all its appurtenances to the said Thomas Ball  
 his heirs and assigns forever and he the said Joseph Midkiff for him self his heirs  
 Executors and administrators do covenant and agree to and with the said Thomas  
 Ball and that he the said Joseph Midkiff do warrant and for ever defend the  
 said before mentioned Lands and premises with all the appurtenances to the said  
 Thomas Ball his heirs and assigns forever and against him the said Joseph Midkiff  
 and his heirs and against every other person or persons whatsoever in Whose behalf  
 he the said Joseph Midkiff hath set his hand and affixed his seal this Day and  
 Date first above written.

Witness my hand and seal this 22<sup>nd</sup> Day and month of September 1772  
 Joseph I. Midkiff (seal)  
 Thos. Ball  
 Thos. Ball  
 Thos. Ball

**Memorandum** that this Day full and peaceable persons and Livery of  
 men of the within mentioned Lands and premises was given and delivered By the said  
 Joseph Midkiff to the within mentioned Thomas Ball in the presence of  
 Thos. Ball  
 Joseph I. Midkiff

Thos. Ball

**At a Court** held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of September 1772.

This Indenture with the name of Henry & others hereon inserted from Joseph Midkiff to Thomas  
 Ball was acknowledged by the said Joseph and the examination of Henry & others the wife of the said  
 Joseph to him who relinquished her right of Dower in the premises above mentioned together with  
 the said Deed was ordered to be Recorded

Will Tunstall Esq



Campbell  
from  
Shackley  
Died  
Egan

# This Indenture

made the twenty second day of September in the  
 year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and twenty four Between two  
 Schochley and Rebecca his Wife of Pittsylvania County and Colony of Virginia  
 of the one part and John Campbell of the above County and Colony of the other part  
**Witnesseth** that the said Levi Shackley for and in consideration of the sum  
 of thirty pounds Current Lawful money of Virginia in hand paid by the said John  
 Campbell the Receipt whereof he do hereby acknowledge and thereof and of every part  
 and parcel thereof so acquit and discharge him the said John Campbell his Heirs  
 and assigns forever have given Granted Bargained sold Alien'd Released and confirmed  
 and by these presents do give Grant Bargain sell Alien Release and confirm unto the said  
 John Campbell his Heirs Executors Administrators and assigns forever one certain piece  
 parcel or Tract of Land containing one hundred Acres of being part of a Greater  
 piece parcel or Tract of Land granted to James Schochley by way of Patent bearing  
 Date the twenty sixth day of July one thousand seven hundred and sixty five &  
 by a Deed granted by the said James Schochley to Levi Shackley Recorded in said County  
 Court bearing Date the twenty eighth day of November one thousand seven hundred  
 and twenty one said Land is situate lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania  
 on one of the main Branches of Little Pige Creek and bounded as follows Viz.  
 Beginning at a white oak near the great Road corner mentioned in the original  
 Patent thence running with the said patent south sixty eight and one half degrees  
 West crossing a branch to acchite oak thence with the patent south fifty three  
 Degrees west one hundred and twenty poles to pointers thence again with the patent  
 south Nineteen degrees east eighty three poles to pointers in the line of the patent  
 thence a new dividing line north fifty five degrees East two hundred & five poles  
 crossing a branch to pointers in another dividing line which runs across the whole  
 Tract separating William's part of the Land from this thence along said  
 line straight to the Beginning White oak containing one hundred Acres be the  
 same more or less and also all trees ~~with~~ ~~large~~ ~~Woods~~ ~~common~~ ~~of~~  
 Pasture Profits conveniences advantages Hereditaments Ways Waters Water-  
 courses and appurtenances whatsoever to the said one hundred Acres of Land  
 above mentioned belonging or in any wise appertaining and also the Reversion and  
 Reversions Remainder & Remainders Rents & Services of the said premises and every  
 part thereof and all the Estate Right Title Interest ~~Share~~ ~~Benefit~~ ~~whatsomever~~  
 of them the said Levi Shackley and Rebecca his Wife of in & to the said one hundred  
 Acres of Land and all and singular the premises above mentioned and every part &  
 parcel thereof with the appurtenances thereof unto the said John Campbell his Heirs  
 and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of him the said John Campbell his Heirs

and assigns for ever and the said Levi Shackley his heirs and assigns in premises and agrees to  
 and with the said John Campbell his heirs and assigns that he shall and will bear and  
 at all times hereafter to make any further Debt or Debts conveyance or conveyances  
 the said Levi Shackley securing the Right and title of the said mentioned acres of  
 Land unto the said John Campbell his heirs and assigns as he the said John Campbell  
 his heirs and assigns shall reasonably devise and lastly the said John Campbell  
 his heirs and assigns from time to time shall well and sufficiently be said warrant  
 be defended and kept harmless by the said Levi Shackley his heirs and assigns  
 of and from all manner of former and other gifts grants Bargains sales Mortgages  
 jointures Dower title of Dower statute Merchant wrights judgments executions  
 and entails Rent and annuities of Rents Forfeitures Fines Issues and of and from  
 all and singular other Titles incumbrances and demands whatsoever had made  
 committed suffered omitted or done by the said Levi Shackley his heirs or assigns  
 or by any other person or persons whatsoever lawfully claiming by from or under  
 him them or any of them in Witness whereof the said Levi Shackley and Rebecca  
 his wife hath hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above  
 written. At his heirs assigns undersigned above the county north line  
 Signed sealed and delivered  
 in the presence of  
 Levi Shackley  
 Rebecca X Shackley  
 wife

**Memorandum** that the day and year within mentioned full payable and  
 quiet possession and delivery of the within mentioned premises was made & delivered by the  
 within mentioned Levi Shackley unto the within mentioned John Campbell to hold to  
 him his heirs and assigns for ever according to the true Intent and meaning of the  
 within mentioned Indenture.

Witness

Levi Shackley Seal

September the twenty second 1772.

**Received** from John Campbell the just and  
 full sum of thirty pounds Current money of Virginia in full of the within mentioned  
 premises. I say Received of and

Witness

Levi Shackley

**At a Court** held for e Wysoania County the 22<sup>d</sup> Day of September 1772.

This Indenture with the memorandum of Levy & Isaac Thorton indorsed from Levi Shackley  
 and Rebecca his Wife to John Campbell was acknowledged by the said Levi & Isaac and ordered  
 to be Recorded

Witness

Will. Sematall



Hughes & Wimbush  
from  
Bullock's Debt  
& Trust

# This Indenture

made the seventh day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and twenty four Between Thomas Bullock of the County of Maryland of the one part and Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes & John Wimbush of the County aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Thomas Bullock for and in consideration of the sum of Thirty pounds current Money of Virginia which the said Thomas Bullock is Justly indebted to the said Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes and John Wimbush and do hereby receive and pay unto them and for and in consideration of the further sum of one Shilling like money of Virginia to the said Thomas Bullock in hand paid by the said Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes and John Wimbush at and before the sealing & delivering of these Presents he except whereof the said Thomas Bullock doth hereby acknowledge the said Thomas Bullock hath granted bargain sold and confirmed and by these Presents doth grant bargain sell and confirm unto the said Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes & John Wimbush one certain Tract or Parcel of Land Situate lying and being in the County of Maryland aforesaid containing by Estimation seven hundred Acres or the South fork of Cascade Creek whereon the said Thomas Bullock now lives being bounded by the Lines with all the appurtenances belonging or in any wise appertaining to the premises hereby granted or intended to be granted and the Reversion and Reversions remainder and Remainder and Premises at all Services, rents and profits of the said Thomas Bullock in & to the premises and all his Rights and Claims Interest and Securities relating to the same to have & to hold the aforesaid tract piece or Parcel of Land and all its appurtenances unto the said Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes & John Wimbush their heirs and assigns to the only proper use and behoof of them the said Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes & John Wimbush their heirs and assigns forever and the said Thomas Bullock doth hereby grant for himself and his heirs the said Thomas Bullock and his heirs and assigns shall and will Warrant and for ever defend the said Tract of Land as aforesaid and every part and article thereof with all and singular their rights and appurtenances unto the said Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes & John Wimbush their heirs and assigns forever against him the said Thomas Bullock & his heirs and every of them and against every other Person and Persons whomsoever upon trust notwithstanding that the said Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes & John Wimbush their heirs Executors Admins or assigns after first day of Nov<sup>r</sup> which shall be in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & twenty four or Term if required by the said Thomas Bullock his heirs Executors or Admins sell for the best price that can be after Ten days previous and public Notice the said tract of Land and premises or so much as shall be of value sufficient to satisfy and pay them the said Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes & John Wimbush the said sum of Thirty pounds with lawful interest thence from the date of these Presents till the same shall be fully discharged as also to pay the necessary Expenses attending the drawing and executing this Indenture and the contingent charges of the sale aforesaid with other necessary Expenses attending the drawing and obtaining the aforesaid Money or performing any thing that is or may be necessary on account of this Indenture and that the said Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes and John Wimbush their heirs Executors

Carried up

Smith  
from  
Parberry  
Dec  
E.C.

Administrators or Assigns shall pay or cause to be paid the receipt of any money from such sale unto the said Thomas Bullock his Heirs Executors or Assigns or to his or their order on Demand in Writings whereof the said Thomas Bullock hath to these presents set his hand and seal the day & year first within written.

Signed & Delivered  
In presence of  
In Witness John Parr.  
Henry

Thos. Bullock

**At a Court** held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1778.

This Deed of Trust from Thomas Bullock to Arch<sup>d</sup>. Hughes and John Smith was proved by the oath of one of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be certified and afterwards to wit. At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1778. Was further proved by the oaths of the other Witnesses thereto subscribed all which was ordered to be Recorded.

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**This Indenture**

made on this thirty first day of August in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between James Parberry of Pittsylvania County on the one part and Archibald Smith of said County on the other part Witnesseth that the said James Parberry for and in consideration of the sum of Forty five pounds current money of Virginia to him in hand paid it and before the sealing and delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath given granted Bargained sold and by this presents religiously grant Bargain all and confirm unto the said Archibald Smith and his Heirs and Assigns forever a certain Tract or Parcel of Land lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania on the waters of Tryon Run Creek containing Two hundred & thirty eight Acres as by Patent granted to Stephen Center bearing date the third day of August one thousand seven hundred and seventy one and by the said Stephen Center conveyed by deed to the said James Parberry in the Court of Pittsylvania Records being read to the said said the Court do well more fully appear with all and singular the Appurtenances belonging or in any wise Appurtenanting to have to hold the said Land and premises unto the said Archibald Smith and to his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns forever and the said James Parberry doth for himself his Heirs Executors Administrators covenant & agree with the said Archibald Smith their Heirs and Assigns by these presents that it shall & may be lawful to & from the said Archibald Smith & his Heirs & Assigns forever from time to time and at all times forever hereafter Peaceably and Quietly to have hold Possess and



Enjoy the said Land and premises and the Right and Title of them the said James Parberry  
without let suit Trouble or Molestation from him the said James Parberry his  
Heirs Executors or Administrators or any other Person or Persons Lawfully claiming  
in by from under them or any of them and the said James Parberry for himself and  
his Heirs the said Land and premises as before expressed unto the said Archibald  
Smith and his Heirs and Assigns shall and will Warrant and forever defend by  
these presents In Witness whereof the said James Parberry hath hereunto set  
his hand & seal the day and year first above Written

Signed Sealed & Delivered

in presence of

Harry Jones

James Smith Daniel Baugh

James Parberry Seal

1777

1777 August 31<sup>st</sup>. Then Rec<sup>d</sup> the sum of Forty five pounds being the consideration  
within mentioned Writings my hand and seal this day & year aforesaid

Witness Harry Jones

James Smith Daniel Baugh

James Parberry Seal

**At a Court** held for Pittsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1777

This Indenture with the Receipt hereon ~~underwritten~~ **James Parberry** to Archibald  
Smith was acknowledged by the said James and ordered to be Recorded

Test

Know all  
from Bill  
of Sale

**Know all** Men by these presents that I James Cox of the County of Pittsylvania  
for and in consideration of the sum of Fifty pounds Current money of Virginia to me  
in hand paid before the executing and Delivery of these presents that granted bargained  
sold and delivered and by these presents doth grant bargain sell and deliver unto Thomas  
Jones of the County aforesaid one White Horse Branded on the near Buttock **P** one Cow  
and two yearlings of different marks Thirteen Head of Hogs marked with a  
cross in the right Ear and 11 in the left one feather Bed & Trunk together with  
all the rest of my Household and Kitchen Furniture which Horse Cattle Hogs & other things  
do by these presents Warrant and defend from me my Heirs Executors and assigns  
the Claim or Claims of any Person or Persons whatsoever unto the said Thomas Jones  
his Heirs In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my  
seal this 1<sup>st</sup> Day of Nov<sup>r</sup> 1777

Signed and Delivered in presence of  
Joseph Abner John Cox

James Cox Seal

This Indenture made this tenth day of November one thousand seven hundred and twenty four Between Numa Hardaway of Dinwiddie County and Daniel Harkins of Pittsylvania County Witnesses that for and consideration of the sum of thirty pounds current money of Virginia to the said Numa Hardaway in hand paid by the said Daniel Harkins at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents the Receipt



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Thomas <sup>his</sup> Charles George <sup>his</sup> Dore.  
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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1774.

This Indenture from Newman, Hardaway to Darnes, Perkins was proved by the oath of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded.

Wash. Mill. Furnace Co.

Morton  
from  
Hargrett

# This Indenture

of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between Thomas Hargrett of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Joseph Morton of the other part  
**Witnesseth** that the said Thomas Hargrett for and in consideration of the sum of

one hundred pounds current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Jo<sup>t</sup>. Morton the Receipt whereof he the said Thomas Hargrett doth hereby acknowledge hath granted Bargained sold Relinquished and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain sell enfeoff and confirm unto the said Jo<sup>t</sup>. Morton one certain Tract piece or parcel of Land situate lying and being in the County aforesaid on both sides of the North fork of Sandy River containing by estimation Two Hundred & fifty three Acres It being the Land which was conveyed by John Ellis Court Gent to the said Thomas Hargrett and recorded in the County Court of Halifax Reference being had to the said Deed with more fully appears Together with all Houses Woods underwoods Ways Waters and Water courses profits commodities advantages Benefits and appurtenances whatsoever to the said Land and premises above mentioned in in any wise belonging or appertaining and also the Reversion and Reversions Remainders and Remainders Parts Juirs and profits of the said premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances and also the Estate right Title Interest Claim and demand whatsoever either in Equity or in Law of him the said Thomas Hargrett of in or to the said premises above mentioned or any part or parcel thereof with the appurtenances To have and to hold the said Tract piece or parcel of Land and premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Jo<sup>t</sup>. Morton his heirs and assigns forever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Jo<sup>t</sup>. Morton his heirs & assigns forever

and the said Thomas Hargrett and his heirs doth covenant grant and agree to and with the said Jo<sup>t</sup>. Morton his heirs & assigns by these presents that he the said Thomas Hargrett the said Tract piece or parcel of Land and premises above mentioned granted Bargained and sold and every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Joseph Morton his heirs and assigns forever against him the said Thomas Hargrett his heirs and assigns and all and every other person or persons whatsoever shall and with Warrant forever defend by these presents In Witness whereof the said Thomas Hargrett hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the Day and year first above Written

Witnessed and delivered in presence of  
John Morton Joseph Austin John Shackleton  
**At a Court** held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>d</sup> Day of November 1775 This Indenture from Thomas Hargrett to Jo<sup>t</sup>. Morton was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded  
Wm Tunstall Ck



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Lyell  
from  
Hardaway  
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# This Indenture

made the seventh Day of November in the year one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between Newman Hardaway of the County of Dinwiddie of the one part and Joseph Lyell of Brunswick County of the other part Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the sum of Two hundred and forty five pounds Current Money of Virginia to the said Newman Hardaway in hand paid by the said Joseph Lyell at or before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge and therewith acquit and discharge the said Joseph Lyell his Executors & Administrators by these presents he the said Newman Hardaway hath granted bargained sold aliened and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain sell alien and confirm unto the said Joseph Lyell and his Heirs and assigns forever one certain Tract or parcel of Land in the County of Plymouth containing one thousand eight hundred and twenty four Acres and bounded as followeth to wit beginning at a corner George Near a branch thence N 46° W 650 poles to a corner on the back line thence S 65° W 7 poles to a corner S 20° W 120 poles to a corner thence South 704 poles crossing a branch of Southward Branch thence South to a corner thence on the side of the said branch thence S 87° E 338 poles to a corner in Joseph Mortons line thence N 34° W 166 poles to a corner thence N 55° E 200 poles to a corner thence S 31° E 22 poles to a corner thence N 47° E 192 poles to the beginning and all Houses Buildings Orchards Mays Males Males Coveses profits commodities Accidents & Appurtenances whatsoever to the said Premises hereby granted or any part thereof belonging or in any wise appertaining And the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders Parts Parts and profits thereof and also the Estate Right Title Interest Use Trust property Claim and Demand whatsoever of him the said Newman Hardaway of in and to the said premises and all Deeds Evidence and Writings touching or in any wise concerning the same

## To have and to hold

the Land hereby conveyed and all and singular other the premises hereby bargained and sold and every part and parcel thereof with their every of their Appurtenances unto the said Joseph Lyell and His and assigns forever to the only proper use and behoof of him the said Joseph Lyell and of his Heirs and assigns forever and the said Newman Hardaway for himself his Heirs Executors & Administrators doth covenant promise and grant to and with the said Joseph Lyell and his Heirs & assigns by these presents that the said Newman Hardaway now at the time of sealing and delivery of these presents is seized of a good sure perfect and indefeasible Estate of inheritance in fee simple of and in the premises hereby bargained and sold and that he hath good power and lawful and absolute Authority to grant & convey the same to the said Joseph Lyell in manner and form aforesaid and that the said premises now are and so forever hereafter shall remain and be free and clear of and from all former and other Gifts Grants Bargains Sales Dower Right and Title of Dower judgments executions Titles Troubles charges and incumbrances whatsoever made done committed or

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Joseph  
from  
Lyell  
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suffered by the said or any other person or persons whatsoever (the said Joseph Lytle hereafter to give due & pay debt to our Sovereign Lord the King his Heirs and Successors for and in Respect of the premises only excepted and forgiven) And that the said and his heirs and singular the premises hereby bargained and sold with the appurtenances unto the said Newman Hardaway and his Heirs and all and every other person and persons whatsoever shall warrant and forever defend by these presents (and lastly that he the said Newman Hardaway and Heirs and all and every other person and persons and his and their Heirs any thing having or claiming in the premises herein before mentioned or intended to be hereby bargained and sold shall and will from time to time and at all times hereafter at the reasonable Request and at the proper charges in the Law of him the said Joseph Lytle Heirs or Assigns make good and secure or cause or procure to be made good and executed all and every such further and other lawfull and reasonable Act and Acts Thing and Things conveyances and assurances for the further better & more perfect conveying and securing the premises with their and every of their appurtenances unto the said Joseph Lytle and Heirs and Assigns as by the said Joseph Lytle his Heirs or Assigns or their Council learned in the Law shall be reasonably devised advised or required In Witnes whereof the said Newman Hardaway hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day and year first above written

Witness my hand and seal  
in the presence of  
Daniel Rankins  
George D Deane Thomas Braschmally  
Newman Hardaway

**At a Court** held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of November 1774.  
This Indenture from Newman Hardaway to Joseph Lytle was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded

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This Court do

**This Indenture** made this Twenty second Day of November one thousand seven hundred and seventy four Between George Jefferson of Lunenburg County of the one part and Peter Fields Jefferson of Michlinburg County of the other part Witnesseth that the said George Jefferson for and in consideration of the Sum of Five Hundred pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath Granted bargained sold Aliened enfeoffed and confirmed and by these presents hath granted bargained sold Aliened enfeoffed and confirmed and by these presents hath granted bargained sold Aliened enfeoffed and confirmed unto the said Peter Fields Jefferson his Heirs and Assigns forever one certain Tract or parcel of Land containing by estimation one thousand and five Acres lying and being

Jefferson  
from  
Jefferson  
Dues  
of



in the County of Alleghania on Turkey Cock Creek and is bounded as followeth  
 to wit Beginning at a white oak on the foot of Turkey Cock Mountain thence along  
 the old patent line South ten degrees East Two hundred and five poles to pointiers thence  
 meridians East Two hundred and twenty eight poles to pointiers North three hundred  
 and twenty five poles to pointiers West Four hundred and twenty one poles in the old  
 line thence along Esplanade line N Sixty degrees West one hundred and twenty poles  
 to a Red oak South Twenty degrees West one hundred and thirty poles to a Locust and  
 South Sixty degrees East one hundred and twenty poles to the beginning together with the  
 Reversion and Reversions Interests and Remainders of the Land and premises above  
 mentioned with all and singular the Appurtenances therunto belonging in in any  
 wise Appertaining To have and to hold the said Tract or parcel of Land with the  
 Appurtenances unto the said Peter Field Jefferson his Heirs & Assigns forever to the  
 only proper use and behoof of him the said Peter Field Jefferson his Heirs &  
 Assigns forever and the said George Jefferson for himself and his Heirs doth covenant  
 and agree to and with said Peter Field Jefferson that he the said George Jefferson  
 the above mentioned Land and premises with the Appurtenances unto the  
 said Peter Field Jefferson his Heirs and Assigns forever against the claim and  
 demand of him the said George Jefferson and his heirs and against the  
 claim and demand of all and every other Person or Persons whatsoever shall  
 and will warrant and forever defend by these presents In Witness whereof  
 the said George Jefferson hath hereunto set his hand and seal the Day and  
 year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered  
 in presence of  
 Tho<sup>s</sup> Jefferson Tho<sup>s</sup> <sup>his</sup> Daniel  
 William Lawrence

Jefferson Seal

**Memorandum** That on the twenty second Day of November in the year  
 above hundred & twenty four quiet and peaceable Relation of Shew and Sign of the  
 Land and premises within mentioned was made and allowed by the within named George  
 Jefferson unto the within named Peter Field Jefferson according to the Effect of the  
 within Deed In presence of

Tho<sup>s</sup> Jefferson Tho<sup>s</sup> <sup>his</sup> Daniel, William Lawrence

Jefferson Seal

**At a Court**

held for Alleghania County the 21<sup>st</sup> Day of November 1778.

This Deed with the memorandum of Shew and Sign thereon entered from George Jefferson  
 to Peter Field Jefferson was acknowledged by the said George and ordered to be Recorded

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Shelton  
 from  
 Council

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Shelton  
from  
Crispian  
Crispian  
Crispian

# This Indenture

made this fourteenth day of November in the year of our Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and twenty four Between Henry Pruitt and Rebecca his wife of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Crispian Shelton of the same County of the other part Witnesseth That the said Henry Pruitt and Rebecca his wife for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred Pound current money of Virginia to them in hand paid by him the said Crispian Shelton the Receipt whereof he the said Henry Pruitt and Rebecca his wife with him by acknowledge hath given granted bargain and sold and by these presents hath given granted bargain and sold unto the said Crispian Shelton his heirs and assigns for ever one certain Tract or parcel of Land situate lying and being in the County aforesaid containing Two hundred and fifty five Acres more or less the plantation whereon the said Henry Pruitt now lives being part of said Land and lying on both sides of Pamlico River and bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at two corner Black Gum on the Banks of the said River in Rubin Pagners line thence along said Pagners Line to a Corner Red Oak thence along a marked line to a corner pine in William Linnards line thence along the said Martin line to a corner Red Oak on the said River thence crossing the same River the Meander through to a corner Maple in Allen Adams line on the bank of said River thence along said Adams line to a corner in said River thence up the same as it meanders to a corner Black Gum on the said River thence off along a marked line adjoining Robert Martins Land to a Corner white oak in James Jones line thence along the said Jones line to a Corner Red Oak on the said River thence crossing and up the same as it meanders to two corner Black Gum on the said River to the Beginning To have and to hold the said Two hundred and fifty five Acres of Land in the Bounded above and signed together with all the Appurtenances and the Provision and Privileges and Remainders Rents Issues and profits thereof and all the Right title Interest and advantage whatsoever as well in Law as in Equity unto the said Crispian Shelton his heirs and assigns for ever and the said Henry Pruitt and Rebecca his wife for them selves their heirs Executors and Administrators do covenant and agree to and with the said Crispian Shelton his heirs and assigns that he the said Crispian Shelton may now at this time and at all times hereafter peacefully and quietly have hold use possess and enjoy all and singular the premises before granted and conveyed free and clear of the lawfull claim hindrance or demand of him the said Henry Pruitt and Rebecca his wife and from all and every other person and persons whatsoever and the said Henry Pruitt & Rebecca his wife his heirs Executors & Admins the aforesaid Tract or parcel of Land and all and every part thereof unto the said Crispian Shelton his heirs or assigns shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents In Witness whereof the said Henry Pruitt and Rebecca his wife have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written

Henry Pruitt  
mark  
Rebecca Pruitt  
mark



Daniel Shellen, Richard Farthing, Abner Shellen, Dylor Spencer Shellen  
**Memorandum** The day and year within written Henry of the within  
 granted Land was delivered to the within James Crispin Shellen  
 In presence of  
 Daniel Shellen Richard Farthing Abner Shellen  
 Wm. Todd Edm. Taylor Spencer Shellen  
 Henry C. Prewitt  
 mark

**Received** the day and year within written the sum of one hundred pounds  
 Current Money the consideration within mentioned  
 Witness  
 Daniel Shellen Rich Farthing Abner Shellen  
 Wm. Todd Edm. Taylor Spencer Shellen  
 Henry C. Prewitt  
 mark

**At a Court** held for Pennsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1778  
 This Deed with the Memorandum of Henry and Liza and Receipt thereon indexed  
 from Henry Prewitt to Christopher Shellen was acknowledged for the said Henry  
 and the prior examination of Rebecca wife of the said Henry being had who  
 attested her right of Dower in and to the said Land of Premises was together  
 with the said Deed ordered to be Recorded  
 Wm. Todd  
 Wm. Prewitt

Exam  
 Prewitt  
 from  
 Shellen

**This Indenture** made the twenty fourth day of November in the year  
 of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between William Nalley  
 of Pennsylvania County and Colony of Virginia of the one part and Hugh Prewitt  
 of the said County and Colony of the other part Witnesseth that the said Wm. Nalley  
 for and in consideration of the sum of fifty pounds to him in hand paid by the said  
 Hugh Prewitt the Receipt whereof he the said William Nalley doth hereby acknow-  
 ledge to the said William Nalley hath granted bargained sold aliened and  
 confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain sell alien Relieve and confirm  
 unto the said Hugh Prewitt his heirs Executors administrators or assigns  
 forever all that Messuage piece parcel or tract of Land containing fifty some  
 Acres siting apart of a greater piece parcel of or tract of Land which sd. Wm.  
 Chiswell sold to Wm. Nalley and the said Wm. Nalley sold his right  
 and title of said Land to the said William Nalley as by Indenture here-  
 in before doth more fully appear said Land being situate lying and being in the  
 County of Pennsylvania on the south side of Tomichawke Creek and bounded as follows

Viz Beginning at a Spanish Lake by the said Creeke in the said Hedges line thence runs  
 dividing line south twenty degrees West eighty five poles to a Gum by a branch in the line  
 of the original Patent thence south sixty four degrees West fifty six poles crossing said  
 Branch to point on corner mentioned by the patent thence North thirty Degrees West one  
 hundred and twenty four poles crossing a branch to a white Lake by the said Creek  
 in the line of the Patent thence down the said Creek as it meanders to the first beginning  
 Spanish Lake containing fifty seven Acres to the same more or less and also all trees Woods  
 under Woods commons of pasture profits commodities advantages Hereditaments ways  
 Waters Water courses and appurtenances whatsoever to the said fifty seven Acres of Land  
 above mentioned belonging or in any wise appertaining and also the Reversions Remainders  
 and Remainders Parts and Pieces of the said premises and every part and  
 parcel thereof and all the estate right title ~~interest claim and demand~~ and whatsoever  
 of him the said William Nalley his Heirs or Assigns of or to the said fifty seven Acres  
 of Land and premises and every part thereof To have and to hold the said fifty seven Acres of Land &  
 all and singular the premises above mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with the appur-  
 tenances thereof unto the said Hugh Bantles his Heirs Executors Administrators and assigns  
 to the only proper use and behoof of the said Hugh Bantles his Heirs Executors Administrators and  
 assigns forever and the said William Nalley for himself his Heirs and assigns doth covenant promise  
 grant and agree to and with the said Hugh Bantles his Heirs and assigns by these presents in  
 manner and form following that is to say the said William Nalley at the time of executing  
 and delivery of these presents is seized of and in the said fifty seven Acres of Land and all &  
 singular other the premises granted bargained and sold with all and every there Rights and  
 Appurtenances of good pure perfect and absolute Estate of Inheritance in fee simple without  
 any condition Reversion Remainder of Limitation of any use or uses Estate or estates in or to  
 any persons or persons whatsoever and the said Hugh Bantles his Heirs and assigns shall &  
 may by force and virtue of these presents at all times hereafter lawfully peaceably and quietly  
 have hold use occupy and possess the said fifty seven Acres of Land and have Receive the  
 Issues and profits thereof to his and there own proper use and behoof forever without any  
 lawful let suit trouble denial Interruption or disturbance of the said William Nalley  
 his Heirs or Assigns and the said Hugh Bantles his Heirs and assigns from time to time  
 shall and sufficiently be saved warranted defended and kept harmless by the said W<sup>m</sup>  
 Nalley his Heirs and assigns of and from all manner of Persons and their gifts grants  
 Bargains sales Leases Mortgages Fines Procons Titles of Power Sales Merchandise and of the  
 People Recognizances contracts Judgments Executions Writs entails Rents services of Rents  
 Profitures fines Issues and of and from all and singular other like Incumbrances and  
 demands whatsoever had made suffered committed or done by the said William Nalley  
 his Heirs or Assigns or by any other person or persons whatsoever lawfully claiming by



from tender him them every of them and lastly the said William Nalley his Heirs or assigns do promise and agree it and with the said Hugh Randles his Heirs and assigns that he shall and will be ready at all times hereafter to make any further Deed or Deeds conveyance or conveyances in the Law for the better securing the Right and Title of the said fifty down Acres of Land unto the said Hugh Randles his Heirs & assigns as to the said Hugh Randles his Heirs and assigns shall reasonably demand In Witness whereof the said William Nalley hath hereunto set his hand and seal the Day and year first above written

And I delivered  
in the presence of

William Nalley  
his mark

**Memorandum** that the day and year within mentioned full peaceable & quiet possession and delivery of the within mentioned Land and premises was made and Delivered by the within mentioned William Nalley unto the said within mentioned Hugh Randles to hold to him his Heirs and assigns for ever according to the true intent and meaning of the within mentioned Indenture

Witness

William X Nalley Esq  
his mark

**Received** this day of one thousand seven hundred and seventy four of Hugh Randles the just and full sum of fifty pounds Current money of Virginia in full of the within mentioned premises. Pay Received by me

William X Nalley Esq  
his mark

**At a Court** held for Pittsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1775. This Indenture from William Nalley to Hugh Randles was acknowledged by the said William and ordered to be Recorded

Witness

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from  
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**This Indenture** made this sixteenth day of July in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy four between David Pain of Pittsylvania and James Dabbs of the said County in the Province of Virginia Witsnes that the said David Pain for and in Consideration of the sum of fifteen pounds to him in hand paid by the said James Dabbs before the unsealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof he hath hereby acknowledged and him self therewith fully satisfied contented and paid hath

James  
Dabbs  
David  
Pain  
Esq

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granted bargained sold aliened enfeoff Release and confirmed and by these presents doth sell  
 alone alone enfeoff Release and confirm unto the said James Daks his Heirs and assigns for ever  
 all that tract or parcel of land situated lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania in the  
 following east side of Cascade creek containing by estimation Sixty nine acres be the same  
 more or less and bounded as to Wit Beginning on an oak thence south Fifty Nine Degrees  
 East forty two pole to Ashpanish Oak thence south Ten degrees east eighty two pole thence south  
 fifty five degrees West fifty four pole to a red oak thence North fifty nine degrees West one  
 Hundred and fourteen pole to a Maple in the said east side of the said Mountain Creek  
 thence up the creek as it meanders to the beginning with the Reversion (and Reversions remain-  
 per and remainders Parts Issues and revenues thereof and also all the Title Estate property  
 claim and demands whatsoever of the said David Pain of In and to the said Pace Parcel or  
 Parcel of land and premises above mentioned James Daks his Heirs and assigns for  
 ever to have and to hold to Decedent's heirs (and peaceably enjoy the said Tract or piece  
 or parcel of Land thenceunto belonging and the said David Pain for him self his Heirs Executors  
 Administrators or assigns with covenant and agree to and with the said James Daks his Heirs and  
 assigns by these presents that he the said David Pain the said Tract or parcel of Land Premises above  
 mentioned shall and will warrant for ever defend unto the said James Daks his Heirs (and  
 assigns for ever from all persons claiming or to claim by from or under him the said David Pain  
 his Heirs or any other person or persons whatsoever in Witness whereof the said David Pain  
 hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and date first above written

Signed Sealed & Delivered  
In the presence of

David + Pam  
mark

Charles Daks  
 Tho. A. Perkins  
 Ben. B. Keel  
 mark

**At a Court** a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of January 1775.

This Indenture from David Pain to James Daks was acknowledged by  
 the said David and sworn to be Richard

Test  
 Will Tunstall C<sup>8</sup>

**Know all Men** by these presents that I Samuel Cawley of Pittsylvania County am  
 this 12<sup>th</sup> day July 1772. Justly indebted to Henry & Edmund Lynce of said County the just and full  
 sum of Twenty nine pounds five shillings (and eight Pence current money of Virginia and being duly  
 desirous to do the said Henry and Edm. Lynce due justice and secure to them the payment of the aforesaid  
 sum money with legal Interest thereon from the date hereof on the said sum I the said Samuel Cawley

Examined

Lynce  
 from  
 Cawley  
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have granted bargained sold and delivered by these presents as good bargain sold & delivered  
 the said Henry & Edmund Lyne their Heirs Executors and Administrators to & for ever one  
 certain Tract of Land containing one Hundred and thirty Acres lying and being in  
 Kentucky County on both sides of Iron River and bounded as followeth to wit  
 Beginning at the mouth of Peeping creek thence up the same as it meanders to a Maple  
 on the East side of the creek thence off North eighty degrees east seventy eight poles to a  
 white Oak North thirteen degrees East forty poles to a red Oak West forty five poles to a black  
 Oak North sixteen Degrees east twenty eight poles to a waterhole Tree on the River thence  
 crossing the River and down it as it meanders to a white Walnut Tree on the River thence  
 off South one and a half Degree East fifty one poles to a white Oak South seventeen degrees East  
 one hundred and ten poles to two white Oaks South seventy eight Degrees West twenty one poles  
 to a Spanish white Oak and Hickory on the River then crossing the River and up it to a  
 Hornbeam off North sixteen degrees East thirty eight poles to a Hickory on the River  
 thence down the same as it meanders to the first station with all Woods improvements &  
 appurtenances and appurtenances whatsoever. To have and to hold the said one hundred  
 and thirty Acres Land with the appurtenances aforesaid to the said Henry & Edmund  
 Lyne their Heirs Executors <sup>James and the said Samuel Crowley for my self Henry & Edmund Lyne</sup> and agree with the said Henry & Edmund Lyne  
 their Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns against me and my Heirs and against all  
 other persons whatsoever shall find with warrant and ever defend the fore mentioned  
 Tract of Land containing one Hundred and thirty Acres with the Appurtenances thereto  
 unto belonging upon Trust that notwithstanding the said Henry & Edmund Lyne shall  
 at any time after the 1<sup>st</sup> day of April 1775 after giving Twenty days notice they the said  
 Henry & Edmund Lyne shall and may sell and dispose for the best price that can  
 be got in Cash for the aforesaid Tract one hundred and thirty Acres Land with the  
 Appurtenances to discharge the said sum of Twenty nine pounds five Shillings  
 and eight pence Current money of Virginia with legal Interest thereon as above mentioned  
 and also to pay all necessary charges & expenses arising in any manner what-  
 soever in securing the said Debt and Interest to the said Henry & Edmund Lyne  
 their Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns and the said Samuel Crowley his Heirs Executors  
 Administrators or Assigns the overplus money arising from such sale if any overplus  
 should be In Witness whereof the said Samuel Crowley hath hereunto set his hand  
 at this 12<sup>th</sup> Day of July 1775

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In the presence of

Richard White M<sup>a</sup> a Gentleman for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of  
 Jan<sup>y</sup> 1775. This Deed of Trust from Samuel Crowley to Henry & Edmund  
 Lyne was proved by the oath of one Witness to be the act and Deed of  
 the said Samuel Crowley and the same was ordered to be testified By  
 the Court

John Will. Tinsell C<sup>l</sup>

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Bobbitt & ad

# This Indenture

made this 25<sup>th</sup> day of January one thousand seven hundred and twenty five Between John Bobbitt and Benjamin Lankford of Pittsylvania County Jonathan Jennings of Fincastle County of the one part and David Rees of Dinwiddie County of the other part Witnesseth that the aforesaid John Bobbitt Benjamin Lankford and Jonathan Jennings for diverse good causes & considerations them therunto moving but more especially for avoid consideration of the sum of one hundred and fifty Pounds Current Money of Virginia to them the aforesaid John Bobbitt Benjamin Lankford and Jonathan Jennings in hand paid the Receipt whereof they doth hereby acknowledge and themselves covenanted and bindeth shall granted sold aliened conveyed and confirm'd unto the said David Rees his Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns one certain Tract or parcel of Land lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania on both sides of Pigg River and containing one hundred & sixty Acres and bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a Lyn tree on the North side of the said River thence South thirty Degrees East eighty two Poles to a red oak South twenty one poles to a white oak South forty two degrees West thirty seven poles to a Spanish oak South twenty two degrees West forty four poles to a white oak South thirty Degrees East twenty six poles to a Gum South forty five Degrees East forty poles to a white oak Lewis Sellers Corner thence South fifteen Degrees East one hundred and twenty six poles to Pigg River thence down the River as it meanders crossing the same to the South of Pigg River thence across Pigg River as it meanders to the first Station To have and to hold the aforesaid Tract or parcel of Land with all Houses Woods and Waters with all other profits and improvements of what kind soever unto him the aforesaid David Rees his Heirs Executors Administrators and assigns for ever and to the only proper use and behoof of him the said David Rees his Heirs Executors Administrators & Assigns for ever as an Estate in fee simple and the aforesaid John Bobbitt Benjamin Lankford & Jonathan Jennings did for themselves their Heirs and Assigns further agree with him the aforesaid David Rees his Heirs and that they will for ever hereafter warrant and defend the aforesaid Land & Premises from themselves and their Heirs and from all persons claiming any right or Title to the said Land unto him the aforesaid David Rees his Heirs Executors Administrators & Assigns for ever In Witness whereof they the aforesaid John Bobbitt Benjamin Lankford & Jonathan Jennings have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written

Signed Sealed & Delivered  
in the presence of

John Bobbitt Seal  
Jonathan Jennings Seal

## Memorandum

that on the day and year within mentioned David & Peaceable  
Possession and Egoen of the within mentioned Land and Premises was given and made by John  
Bobbitt Benjamin Lankford & Jonathan Jennings to the within David Rees agreeable to the  
within Written Indenture

Signed Sealed & Delivered  
in the presence of

John Bobbitt Seal  
Jonathan Jennings Seal



**At a Court** held for *Plymouth County* the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of *January* 1775

*Examined  
2 Dec 1774*

This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Liens and Liens Indorsed from *John Pettit* and *Jonathan Jennings* to *David Ross* was acknowledged by the said *Pettit* and *Jennings* (and ordered to be Recorded)

Test *Will Tunstall* 68

*Taken & taken  
from book  
Bishop's Sale*

**Know** all persons whom it may concern that *Harmon Croke* of *Plymouth County* and County of *Virginia* for and in consideration of the Sum of thirty five pounds sixteen Shillings current money of *Virginia* to me in hand paid by *George Pike* and *Thomas Lackey* the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge have bargained sold and delivered and by these presents according to the due form of Law do bargain sell (and deliver unto the said *George Pike* and *Thomas Lackey* five head of Cattle viz three Cows a yearling and a Bull two Mares one a dark Bay (and the other a bright Bay both branded on the near shoulder with **HK** and also ten head of Sheep with all their Lammets one Wagon and one Mill and three fether beds with their furniture To have and to hold the said bargained premises unto the said *George Pike* and *Thomas Lackey* their Executors Administrators and assigns for ever and the said *Harmon Croke* for my self my Executors and Administrators the said Bargained premises unto the said *George Pike* and *Thomas Lackey* their Executors Administrators and assigns against all persons shall and will Warrant and for ever defend by these presents provided nevertheless that if the said *Harmon Croke* my Executors Administrators or assigns or any of us do and shall will and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said *George Pike* and *Thomas Lackey* their Executors Administrators or assigns the sum of thirty five pounds sixteen Shillings current money of *Virginia* on the twenty second day of August next ensuing the Date hereof for redemption of the bargained premises then this present bill of sale shall be void and of none effect But if default be made in the payment of the said Thirty five pounds sixteen Shillings in part or in the whole contrary to the manner (and form aforesaid that then it shall remain and be in full force and virtue In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the Twenty third day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy four

Sealed and Delivered in the presence of  
*Sam<sup>r</sup> Galland William Pike*

*Harmon Croke*

**At a Court** held for *Plymouth County* the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of *January* 1775

*Examined*

This Bill of sale from *Harmon Croke* to *George Pike* and *Thomas Lackey* was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses subscribed Thereto & ordered to be Recorded

Test *Will Tunstall* 68

*Examined  
from  
Stephens  
Laneford*

*Examined*

Lancaster  
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# This Indenture

made the year of our Lord  
 about one thousand seven hundred and twenty four by and between Henry Lancetford of Pittsylvania  
 County of the one part and Thomas Stephens of the same County and parish of the other part  
 Witnesseth that the said Henry Lancetford for and in consideration of the sum of thirty pounds current  
 money to him in hand paid by the said Thomas Stephens at and before the intaling and  
 delivering of these presents the receipt whereof he hath truly acknowledge and thereof and every  
 part thereof hath clearly acquit and discharge the said Thomas Stephens his heirs Executors  
 and Admins and every of them by these presents hath granted bargain and sold aliened Enfeoff  
 Released and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain and sell alien Enfeoff Release  
 and confirm unto the said Thomas Stephens one piece or parcel of Land containing one  
 hundred Acre be the same more or less lying and being on the north West fork of cascade  
 creek and bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at Harris corner black oak thence along  
 north eight Degrees East to chestnut thence a new line running west crossing the creek to  
 a corner Red oak South seventy eight and half degrees East fourteen poles to Harris corner  
 white oak thence along his line north thirty five degrees East twenty three poles crossing  
 the said north west fork to the beginning with all and singular the appurtenances therunto  
 belonging unto him the said Thomas Stephens and his heirs only to possess and enjoy of him the  
 said Thomas Stephens his heirs and assigns for ever And the said Henry Lancetford for him  
 self his heirs Executors and Admins hath covenant and grant to and with the said Thomas  
 Stephens that it shall and may be lawfull for the said Thomas Stephens his heirs Executors  
 Admins from time to time and at all times for ever hereafter peaceably quietly to have hold  
 occupy possess and enjoy the said land and premises (and the Right Title of him the said  
 Henry Lancetford his heirs to with out any lawfull Let Let trouble molestation or interrup  
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 of them or any other person or persons lawfully claiming or to claim in by from or under them  
 or any of them (and the Henry Lancetford for himself and his heirs the said land and premises  
 before said Indented mentioned and expressed unto the said Thomas Stephens and his heirs  
 against him the said Henry Lancetford and his heirs all claiming or to claim in by from  
 or under them or any of them shall and will warrant and for ever defend by these presents  
 In Witness whereof the said Henry Lancetford hath hereunto put his hand and affixed his  
 seal the day & date above written

Signed sealed & delivered  
 in the presence of

Henry I Lancetford  
 mark

**At a Court** held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of January 1775

This Indenture from Henry Lancetford to Thomas Stephens was acknowledged by the said Henry  
 and ordered to be Recorded

Will Tunstall

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# This Indenture

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made this the twentieth day of January in the year of our  
 Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy five between Isaiah Hathings of Pittsylvania County of  
 the one part and John Brown of the other part Witnesseth that the said Isaiah Hathings for an in com-  
 pensation of the sum of fifty pounds to him in hand paid by the said John Brown before the executing  
 and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof he hath hereby acknowledged and him self fully  
 satisfied contented and paid hath bargained sold aliene Enfranchised confirm unto the said John  
 Brown his heirs (and assigns for ever one certain part or parcel of Land situate lying and  
 being in Pittsylvania County on the branch of cascade Creek containing by estimation one  
 hundred and thirty four Acres be the same more or less to wit beginning at pointlers In Hathings  
 line thence a new line to Red oak north forty seven degrees east one hundred poles to a white  
 oak south eighty nine degrees west twenty eight poles to a Spanish oak in the fork of a branch  
 south eighty one degrees west eighty six to a corner south thirty five degrees west to a black  
 then to a new line to the beginning with all woods ways waters and water courses flowing grounds  
 within the bounds aforesaid together with the privilege of hunting hawking fishing &c all other  
 profits and commodities hereditaments what ever to the same or any part thereof belonging  
 in any wise appertaining to have and to hold possess and enjoy the said tract or parcel  
 of Land and all other the before mentioned premises and every part thereof with their and  
 every of these appertinances unto the said John Brown and to his heirs (and assigns for  
 ever to the only use and behoof of him the said John Brown his heirs & assigns forever from  
 the said claim or demand of him the said Isaiah Hathings his heirs or assigns or any  
 other person or persons whatsoever the said John Brown (and his heirs and assigns forever  
 shall have peaceable possession to occupy & enjoy the said Land and appertinances thereunto  
 belonging & the said Isaiah Hathings for him self his heirs Executors Administrators or assigns  
 doth covenant and agree and with the said John Brown his heirs and assigns by these presents  
 that the said Isaiah Hathings the said part or piece of Land and premises above mentioned  
 shall and will warrant & defend unto the said John Brown his heirs & assigns for  
 ever from all persons laying or to claim by from or under him the said Isaiah Hathings his  
 heirs or any other persons whatsoever in Whomever of the said Isaiah Hathings hath hereunto  
 set his hand and affix his seal the day & date first above written

Signed sealed & Delivered  
 in the presents of

Isaiah Hathings

Absalom Bestick John Harris John Rice

This Day Recd the within contents of John Brown by his Attorney

Absalom Bestick John Harris John Rice

Isaiah Hathings

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of January 1775

This Indenture with receipt thereon indorsed from Isaiah Hathings to John Brown was proved  
 by the oaths of the Witnesses subscribed thereto & ordered to be Recorded Test Willm Tamm

Examined  
 from  
 Brown  
 Hathings

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**Know all men**

by these presents that I *John Poyne* of the County of Pittsylvania for and in consideration of the sum of thirty pounds current money of Virginia as also one Mear of Oats and half a Mear of Corn as warrant (and for ever sold unto John Poyne of the same County one Negro Boy named Phill which said Negro Boy I do hereby warrant and for ever defend unto the said John Poyne of the said County) Saled with my seal & dated this 29<sup>th</sup> day of October 1774.

Witness  
 Will. Todd  
 Will. Bingham

I do believe 

**At a Court**

held for Pittsylvania County the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of January 1775.

This Bill of sale from John Glover to John Poyne Junr. was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses subscribed thereto and ordered to be Recorded.

Test Will Tunstall Esq

**Articles**

of agreement between Manuel Nash of the one part and Joseph Gorman of the other part witness that the said Nash lends the said Gorman Six pounds ten shillings upon interest which for security for the same money to the said Nash the said Gorman gives up the tract of land he mentions on to the said Nash as his proper right provided the said Gorman does not repay or cause to be repaid the above mentioned sum with lawfull interest. Given under my hand this twentieth Day of January anno dom. one thousand seven hundred and seventy five.

**The Condition**

of the above obligations is such that if the above named Joseph Gorman do said shall well and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Nash the above mentioned sum on or before the first Day of November next then the above obligation to be paid or else remain in full force & virtue Signed & sealed & delivered in the presence of

Test  
 Jesse Robinson John Pigg

Joseph I Gorman   
 mark.

**At a Court**

held for Pittsylvania County the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of January 1775.

This Instrument of Writing from Joseph Gorman to Manuel Nash was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses subscribed thereto & ordered to be Recorded.

Test  
 Will Tunstall Esq