

Received April the 25<sup>th</sup> 1776 of Joseph Harris Junr & the sum of fifty pounds  
Current money it being the mentioned consideration Money to be paid unto me  
Tith  
Ben Lankford  
John George James George John Buckley  
Joseph T Harris  
mark.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1776.

This Indenture together with the memorandum of my Seal and receipt  
hereon endorsed was proved by the oaths of three of the Witnesses thereto to  
be the several acts and Deed of the within named Joseph Harris and the  
same was ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Tith Will Tunstall Clerk

This Indenture made this Eighteenth day of January One thousand Seven hundred and  
Seventy six. Between Samuel Bolling of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part & William  
Witcher Daniel Witcher Benjamin Tarrant George Turnor and Tully Choice of the said  
County of the other part witnesseth that for and in Consideration of the sum of full sum  
of Fifty Pounds Current Money of Virginia in hand paid before the sealing and Delivery hereof  
the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge he the said Samuel Bolling hath granted bargained  
and sold and by these presents doth Grant Bargain and Sell unto the said William Witcher &c  
their Heirs and assigns forever all that Tract or parcel of Land containing Two hundred & four  
Acres lying and being on Snow Creek being the Land which the said Bolling has from Tully Choice  
Together with all Woods Ways Waters Watercourses Privileges profits and advantages whatsoever  
to the same belonging or in any wise appertaining and the Rents and Revenues therefrom  
Rents Issues and profits thereof and all the Estate right or Title of the said Samuel Bolling in and  
to the said Land To have and to hold the said Tract or parcel of Land and all and singular  
the premises with the appurtenances unto the said William Witcher &c their Heirs and assigns  
forever to them and their own use and the said Samuel Bolling doth Covenant and Grant  
for himself and his Heirs to and with the said William Witcher &c their Heirs and assigns  
that the said Samuel Bolling and his Heirs the said Land and premises hereby Conveyed  
and every part thereof Against him the said Samuel Bolling and his Heirs and all  
and every Person or Persons whatsoever unto the said William Witcher &c their Heirs  
and assigns shall and will warrant and forever Defend by these Presents In  
Witness whereof the said Samuel Bolling hath hereunto set his hand and Seal

the

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the day and year first above written

Sale & Delivery  
In presence of

Henry Conway  
James Mitchell Robert Dalton Jr.

Samuel Belling L.S.

Memorandum That upon the Eighteenth day of January 1776, full & payable  
Linen and Paper was given and delivered by the said Samuel Belling of the within  
mentioned Land with the Appurtenances unto the within named William Matten &c for  
and unto their use their heirs and assigns forever according to the form and effect of the  
present Indenture

Samuel Belling L.S.

Test.

Henry Conway James Mitchell Robert Dalton Jr.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1776

This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Linen & Paper hereon indorsed was  
acknowledged by the within named Samuel Belling to be his act and Deed and the same was  
Ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Test Will Tunstall C.R.C.

Adams  
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This Indenture made and confirmed this Twelfth Day of April in the Year of our  
Lord One thousand seven hundred & Seventy six and in the Sixteenth Year of the Reign of  
our Sovereign Lord George the Third by the Grace of God of great Britain France & Ireland  
King Defender of the Faith &c Between Walter Mattenly of the County of Pittsylvania  
of the one part and Sylvester Adams of the County aforesaid of the other part witnesseth  
that the said Walter Mattenly for and in consideration of the sum of Sixty Pounds  
Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid at or before the Enrolling & Delivery  
of these presents by the said Sylvester Adams the Receipt whereof the said Walter Mattenly  
doth hereby acknowledge hath given granted bargained sold enfeoffed and confirmed  
unto the said Sylvester Adams and to his Heirs & assigns forever One certain tract or parcel  
parcel of Land situated lying and being in the County aforesaid containing 394 acres and  
lying on both sides of Sandy River and bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at  
a red oak on the south side of the River in Kinnon's old line thence along his line

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George  
Mary

L.S.

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South Twenty two degrees West twenty eight poles to a white oak thence North lines South thirty four degrees East One Hundred and two poles to a branch to a White Oak North eighty six degrees East One hundred forty eight poles beyond the River but below the falls to a White Oak North thirty degrees East three hundred and twenty poles beyond two branches to a small white oak South eighty nine degrees West three hundred and six poles beyond two branches to a red oak in his own lines thence on said line South twenty nine degrees East Ninety one poles beyond a branch to white oak South Nineteen degrees West forty nine poles to a red oak South forty two degrees West forty six poles beyond a branch to a large white oak South five degrees West thirty one poles to a red oak on the River Bank thence up the River which meanders to the Beginning with all Woods Underwood Swamps marshes Land grounds feeding fishing and boating together with all houses and houses orchards gardens fences Waters & Watercourses Ways profits commodities and all other appurtenances whatsoever therunto belonging or in any ways appertaining thereto. To have and to hold the aforesaid Tract or parcel of Land and all the reeves promises with every part and parcel thereof with them and every of their appurtenances unto the said Sylvester Adams and to his Heirs and Assigns forever to the only proportion of him the said Sylvester Adams and of his Heirs and Assigns forever. Which Tract or parcel of land was surveyed by George Lumbins by Patent bearing date the fifteenth Day of August in the Year One thousand Seven Hundred Fifty four & by several Conveyances came in the possession of Walter Mattenly as by the County Court of Halifax will more fully appear to cause being first had thereto of the aforesaid Mr. Walter Mattenly for himself and his Heirs the above mentioned land and promises and every of their appurtenances unto the said Sylvester Adams and to his Heirs & assigns forever & do hereby warrant the same against him the said Walter Mattenly his Heirs Executors Administrators and assigns and against all and every other person or persons whatsoever shall and will Wars and defend by these presents In Milnefield whereof the said Walter Mattenly hath here unto set his hand & seal Day & Year first above written

Signed sealed & acknowledged

Walter A. Mattenly L.S.  
mark.

In presence of

George Robt George Adams

Mary Williams Thomas Fletcher

This instrument now made before signed  
in presence of the above witnesses

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12<sup>o</sup> Day of April 1776 Then Received of Christopher Adams Sixty Pounds Current money of England  
for the Within mentioned Land I say received from me Walter A Mattenly  
mark  
Tuck

George R. George Adams

Many Williams Thomas Fletcher

At a Justice's for Pittsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> day of April 1776

This Indenture together with the Receipt hereon indorsed was acknowledged by the within  
Named Walter Mattenly to be his act and Deed of the same was ordered to be Recorded  
By the Court

Tuck Mill Pittsylvania Co.

Scroggins  
from  
Rice  
Lease for  
Ten Years  
Tennant

This Indenture made the Tenth Day of February one thousand Seven Hundred  
and Sixty six Between William Rice of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part  
and Humphrey Scroggins of the said County of the other part witnesseth that for and in  
consideration of the Rents and Covenants on the part of the said Humphrey Scroggins he the said  
William Rice hath devised Granted to farm Let and by these Presents do demise grant and  
to farm Let unto the said Humphrey Scroggins his Heirs and assigns during the Term herein  
after mentioned all that Tract of Land lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania  
containing One Hundred & fifty acres to the same more or less and being the said Tract  
where the said William Rice formerly lived and the said Humphrey Scroggins to  
enjoy all advantages and benefits arising from the same To have and to hold  
the said premises hereby conveyed with the appurtenances unto the said Humphrey  
Scroggins his Heirs and assigns for and during the full end of Term of Ten Years  
commencing from the first day of January last past Yielding and paying yearly  
and every Year during the said Term on the first day January annually the sum of  
Twenty Pounds Current Money and the said Humphrey Scroggins for himself his  
Heirs and assigns doth covenant & agrees to and with the said William Rice his  
Heirs & assigns that he the said Humphrey Scroggins and his assigns shall well  
and truly pay the said sum of Twenty Pounds Current Money Yearly and  
every

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any Year until the said Term of Ten Years shall expire. In Witness whereof the  
said William Rice hath hereunto set his Hand and affixed his Seal the Day and  
Year above Written

Wm Rice. L.S.

Signed Sealed & Delivered  
In presence of  
Will Tunstall John Pynter  
John Colley

Memorandum That the within named Humphrey Scroggins doth O�ge himself  
his Heirs or assigns to keep the Fence together with the houses and orchards in good  
Repair & return the same in as good Order to the said William Rice as he the said —  
Humphrey Scroggins receives it after the full end of Term of Ten Years within mentioned  
Witness

Wm Rice

Will Tunstall John Pynter John Colley

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of May 1770  
The within Release & memorandum herein endorsed was proved by the  
Oaths of the Witnesses sheweth to be the acts & Deed of the within named  
William Rice & the same was ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Test. Will Tunstall C.

This Indenture made this Thirteenth Day of October One thousand Seven  
Hundred & Seventy five Between John Blair of Halifax County of the one part  
and Rubin Jones of the other part Witnesseth that the said John Blair for and  
in Consideration of Twenty five Pounds to him in hand paid the Recd whereof he the  
said John Blair doth hereby acknowledge hath granted bargained & Released and  
Confirmed unto Rubin Jones all that Tract or parcel of land lying & being in the  
County of Pittsylvania containing Eighty two and a Quarter acres more or less Beginning  
at a hickory thence West One hundred & forty poles to pointers thence South Ninety  
degrees East one hundred poles to a black oak thence east One hundred & Twenty three  
Poles to a pine thence North three and a half degrees East Ninety four poles as is  
measured to the first Beginning containing by Estimation Eighty two and a Quarter  
acres by the same more or less with all the appurtenances thereunto belonging also all  
the Estate right Title Interest Property claim & Demand whatsoever either in  
Equity

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Equity & Law of him the said John Blair to have & to hold the said Tract piece  
on parcel of Land above mentioned and every part & parcel thereof with the appur-  
tenances unto the said Reuben Jones his Heirs & assigns forever against him the said  
John Blair and his Heirs and all and every person or persons whatsoever shall and  
will warrant and forever defend by these presents Mr Mitness whereof I  
have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal

Test

John Blair. L.S.

John Sizemore James X Jones  
his mark  
Jeffry O Parker  
mark

Memorandum That on the day <sup>first</sup> of year within mentioned  
full peaceable and quiet possession and seizure of the within Land and premises  
was given

John Blair

Test  
John Sizemore

At a Court held for Pennsylvania County the 23 Day of May 1776.

This Indenture together with the memorandum of Livery & Seizure hereon indorsed  
was acknowledge by the within named John Blair to be his acts & Deed and the  
same was ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Test Mill Tunstall C.

Payne  
from  
Sone Dede

This Indenture made this Twenty sixth day of February in the Year of our Lord  
Christ One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty six Between James Sone of Pitt-  
sylvania County of the one part and Reuben Pain of the same County of the other part witness  
that the said James Sone for and in consideration of the sum of One Hundred and  
fours Paunels current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Reuben  
Pain the Receipt whereof he the said James Sone doth hereby acknowledge that  
bargained sold alured and confirmed and the said James Sone for himself his two  
executors and administrators doth by these presents <sup>Grant</sup> bargain sell alien infus and  
confirm unto the said Reuben Pain his Heirs and assigns forever One certain  
Tract piece of Land containing One Hundred & eighty one acres  
to the same more or less situate lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania

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on the South side of Banister River and Bounded as followeth viz Beginning  
at a Scalley Bark Oak Hickory on the River south twenty degrees East Ninety poles  
to a Willow Oak south thirty eight degrees East thirty poles to a White Oak south fifty three  
degrees West ten poles to Painter South Twenty four degrees East twenty five poles  
to Painter North fifty nine degrees East forty one poles to a Willow Oak south  
fifty three degrees East One hundred and twenty poles to Painter in the old line and  
thence along the same south fifty three degrees West One hundred and fifty two  
poles to a Willow Oak & thence North fifty three degrees West two hundred poles  
to a Red Oak on the River and thence down the same side meandering to the  
Beginning Together with all Trees Woods underwood Ways Waters & Watercourses  
Privileges Advantages Hereditaments and Appurtenances whatsoever to the said Tract  
Piece or Parcel of Land and Premises above mentioned and also the Revision  
and Revisions Remainder and Remainders Rents Issues and Services of the  
said Premises and of every part and Parcel thereof and also all the Estate right  
Title Interest Claim and Demand whatsoever either in Equity or in Law of him  
the said James Sloane and his Heirs of in and to the said Premises or any part  
thereof To have and to hold the said Tract piece or parcel of Land  
& premises above mentioned and every part and Parcel thereof with the appurtenan-  
ces unto the said Ruellin Payne his Heirs and assigns to the only proper use  
and behoof of him or them the said Ruellin Payne his Heirs and assigns forever and  
to the said James Sloane for himself and His Heirs doth covenant grant & bynes  
to and with the said Ruellin Payne his Heirs and assigns by these presents the  
said Tract piece or parcel of Land and Premises above mentioned giving part  
and Parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Ruellin Payne his Heirs  
and assigns forever against him the said James Sloane & his Heirs and every  
other person or persons whatsoever shall and will warrant and forever defend by  
these presents In Witness whereof the said James Sloane hath hereunto set his  
hand and affixed his Seal the Day of year first above written

Sealed & Dated in presence of

John Edm. Paine Wm Payne

Edmund Fitzgerald

James X Sloane <sup>his</sup> mark J. S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of May 1776,

The Within Indenture was made by the Oaths of three of the Witneses thereto to be  
the acts & Deed of the within Namee, James Glouc of the same was ordered to be Recd  
By the Court

Jas. Hill. Trustee Co

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This Indenture made the 2<sup>d</sup> day of May in the Year a<sup>r</sup> m<sup>r</sup> L<sup>xxv</sup>, One  
thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy six. Between John Cox and Francis his wife  
of Pittsylvania County of the one part and Charles Finch of the County of Pittsylvania  
of the other part. Witneseth that the said John Cox and Francis his wife for and  
in consideration of the sum of five Pounds Current Money of Virginia to them  
had paid by the said Charles Finch the Receipt whereof the said John Cox and  
Francis his wife doth hereby acknowledge hath given granted bargained & sold  
and by these presents doth give grant bargain sell and Deliver and Confirm to him the said  
Charles Finch his Heirs and assigns forever One certain Tract or parcel Land containing  
by Patent Ninety eight Acres more or less lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania  
on the branches of Mill Creek and on the North side Rugg Creek. and bounded  
as follows. To wit. Beginning at a Dogwood at his old line. thence North line of North  
forty five degrees East Eighty poles to a White oak. South seventy five degrees East  
One Hundred and eight poles to a Black oak. South Thirtynine degrees East Thirty eight  
poles to a White oak on the East side of Rugg Creek. thence down the same as it  
Meanders to his said old line & thence on the same North forty five degrees West One  
Hundred & Twenty poles to the Beginning Together with all & singular the privileges  
and appurtenances therunto belonging or in any wise appertaining unto the said  
Charles Finch his Heirs and assigns forever To have and to hold the  
occupy enjoy and possess the same with every part and parcel thereof to him  
the said Charles Finch his Heirs & assigns forever to the only proprieuty and  
Benefit of him the said Charles Finch his Heirs and assigns forever against  
them the said John Cox and Francis his wife and their Heirs and against  
the claims and demands of all other Persons whatsoever. Shall and will witness  
and by these presents ever defend. In witness whereof the said John Cox  
and

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and Frances his wife have hereunto set their hands & seals the Day & year first  
above written  
Signed sealed & delivered  
In the presence of  
Edmund Lyne Lewis Lyne  
John X McRaken  
mark

John E Cox L.S.  
mark

Frances E Cox L.S.  
mark

Memorandum That on the day and year first written mentioned Quic  
and peaceable possession and Seizure of the murther mentioned Land & premises  
with all the appurtenances was given and made by John Cox & Frances  
his wife to Charles Finch and his Heirs according to the Tenor of the  
murther written Deed

John E Cox  
mark

Test  
Edmund Lyne Lewis Lyne  
John X McRaken  
mark

Frances E Cox  
mark

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 23 Day of May 1776

This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Henry & Leizur herein indorsed  
was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses thereto to be true and Deed of the above  
named John Cox and Frances his wife and the same was ordered to be Recorded  
By the Court

Test. Will. Pinchall Co.

This Indenture made the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May one thousand seven hundred & seventy  
six Between John Cox and Frances his wife of Fincastle County of the one part  
and Charles Finch of the County of Pittsylvania of the other part witnesseth that  
the said John Cox and Frances his wife for and Consideration of the sum of twenty  
five Pounds Current money of Virginia to them in hand paid by the said Charles  
Finch the Receipt whereof the said John Cox and Frances his wife doth hereby  
Acknowlede hath given granted bargained & sold and by these presents doth —  
give grant bargain sell and deliver & confirm to him the said Charles Finch  
his Heirs and Assigns forever one certain Tract or Parcell of Land containing  
one Hundred & Eighty Acres more or less situate lying and bounded in Pittsylvania  
County on the North side of Irwin River and Bounded as follows to wit —

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Beginning at an ash on the River at the mouth of Rugg Creek. Randolph Harmer and Kings Harmer and Runing thence Northerly North thirty four degrees East Eighty poles to a Spanish oak North forty five degrees West benging two Branches and Rugg Creek One Hundred and Ninety poles to a White oak the same course continued benging three Branches two Hundred & Twenty Seven poles to a Dogwood South fifty degrees West benging the Little Creek thirty two poles to a Red oak North forty degrees West Fifty three poles to pointes in Randolph Harmer & Kings line thence on their line South thirty four degrees East Thirty two poles to a White oak on the River thence Down the River aick Meanders to the first Station together with all & singular the Privileges and Appurtenances there unto belinging or in nise appertaining to the said Charles Finch his Heirs and assigns forever To have and to hold and occupy and enjoy the same with every park and parcell thereof to him the said Charles Finch his Heirs and assigns forever to the only Proprietary and Right of him the said Charles Finch his Heirs and assigns forever against him the said John Cox and Frances his wife and their Heirs or assigns and against the claim and Demand of all other persons whatsoever shall and will by these presents ever Warrant & Dene In witness whereof the said John Cox & Frances his wife have hereunto set their hands & Seals the Day & Year above Written Signed sealed & delivered by John Cox L.S.  
mark.  
In the presence of Frances Cox L.S.  
mark.  
Lewis Gwinion.  
Edmund Lyne. <sup>his</sup> Mac Mahon  
Mark

Memorandum That on the Day & Year first within mentioned Quicke and Peaceable possession and Seizure of the within mentioned Land & premises with all the appurtenances was given and made by John Cox & Frances his wife to Charles Finch and his Heirs according to the Tenour of the within Written Deed.

Test. Edmund Lyne Lewis Gwinion John Mac Mahon <sup>his</sup> John Cox <sup>his</sup>  
<sup>mark</sup> <sup>mark</sup> <sup>mark</sup>  
Frances Cox <sup>his</sup> <sup>mark</sup>  
<sup>mark</sup>

Markethall Pennsylvania County the 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of May 1776  
This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Lewis & Seizure herein contained Was proved by the Oaths of the witnesses thereto to be the act and Deed of the within named John Cox & Frances his wife & the same was ordered to be Recorded by the Court

Test. Will. Tunstall A.D.

This Indenture made this 23<sup>rd</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 Seventy six. Between Richard Pilon of the Parish  
of Landon & County of Pittsylvania of the one Part and Joshua Cantrell of the  
Parish and County aforesaid of the other Part witnesseth that the said Richard  
Pilon for and in Consideration of the sum of Twenty three Pounds Current Money of  
Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Joshua Cantrell before the Concluding  
and Delivery of these Presents the Receipt whereof whereof he the said Richard  
Pilon doth hereby acknowledge. Hath given granted bargained and sold and by  
these Presents doth give grant Bargain and sell unto the said Joshua Cantrell all that Dividid  
Tract Piece or Parcell of Land Situate lying and being in the Parish and County  
aforesaid on both sides the West Fork of Strawberry Creek it being part of Threes  
Hundred Acres bounded by Thomas Henderson to the said Richard Pilon by Deed  
duly Recorded in the County Court of Pittsylvania and Bounded as followeth (to Wit)  
Beginning at a Post Oak Saplins in the said Pilon's line thence along a New line  
of Marker Trees along the said Creek to William Pitties line to the said Pilon's corner  
thence along the old line to a corner Chestnut on a Ridge thence along the said line to the  
Beginning containing One Hundred Fifty acres more or less. Together with all Wood, underwood  
Ways Waters and Watercourses Profits Commodities Advantages Hereditaments and  
Appurtenances unto the said Joshua Cantrell. To have and to hold the said Dividid  
Tract Piece or parcell of Land unto the said Joshua Cantrell and his Heirs to the only  
prosperity and welfare of him the said Joshua Cantrell his Heirs and assigns forever  
and the said Richard Pilon for himself his Heirs and assigns doth hereunto grant and  
agree to and with the Joshua Cantrell and his Heirs that he will Warrant and Defend  
the said Dividid Tract Piece or parcell of Land from him and his Heirs and the claim  
of any person or persons whatsoever In Witness whereof the said Richard Pilon hath  
hereunto set his hand & affixed his seal the day & year first written  
Signed Sealed & Delivered  
In the presence of  
Lewis Gwinne Adam Lackey  
William Longan

Richard Pilon. L.S.

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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of May 1776  
This Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Richard Allen to Joshua Gantrell was by

the said Richard Allen acknowledge to be his act and deed unto Elizabeth his wife  
being purely Examined as the Land whereof Relinquished her right of Dower in and to the  
within Granted Land and Promises all which was ordered to be Recorded By the  
Court

Test.

Will. Tunstall Esq

Smith  
from  
Gorman  
Exam.

This Indenture made on this eighth day of March in the year of our Lord  
Christ one thousand seven hundred and seventy six Between Joseph Gorman & Elizabeth  
his wife of Pittsylvania County on the one part and James Smith of said County on the  
other part witnesseth that the said Joseph Gorman for and in consideration of the sum  
of Twenty Pounds fourteen Shillings Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid  
at and before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof is  
hereby acknowledged hath given granted bargained and sold unto the said James  
Smith his Heirs and assigns forever a certain Tract or Parcell of Land containing  
fifty acres lie the same more or less lying and being in the County aforesaid on the Little  
bank of Dareskin as by Deed Recorded in the County aforesaid from Christopher Gorman the  
said Joseph Gorman Recourse being had to the said deed the lines &c. will more fully appear  
with all & singular the appurtenances belonging or in any wise appertaining To have and  
to hold the said Land & Promises unto the said James Smith and his Heirs and assigns  
forever hereafter to have hold & enjoy the said Land and promises and the  
right and Title of them the said Joseph Gorman and Elizabeth his wife without  
let & hind Trouble or molestation from the said Joseph Gorman & Elizabeth his  
Wife their Heirs Executors Administrators or any person or persons lawfully claiming  
in behalf or under them or any of them are the said Joseph Gorman & Elizabeth  
his wife for themselves and their Heirs the said Land and promises above  
expressed unto the said James Smith and his Heirs shall and will Warrant and  
forever defend by these Presents In Witness whereof the said Joseph Gorman and  
Elizabeth Gorman hath hereunto set their hands & seals the day & Year last  
above written

Sold & Deliv. in the presence of  
Arch Smith Saml Morley his  
Edm<sup>d</sup> <sup>tho</sup> Hedges Samuel L McGehee  
mark. mark.

Joseph X Gorman S. J.  
marks his  
Elizabeth X Gorman S. J.  
marks her

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Memorandum That on the 25 day of March in the year One thousand Seven  
Hundred and Seventy five Livery of Leases of the within Land and premises was in  
acknowledged to be made

Joseph X Gorman S.C.  
mark

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Aub Smith Edm CTT Hodge  
mark

Samuel Morley Saml McGehee  
mark

Elizabeth X Gorman S.C.  
mark

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 29 Day of May 1776

This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Livery & Leasing herein  
indorsed was acknowledged by the within named Joseph Gorman to be his acts  
and Deeds & Elizabeth his wife being privately Examined as the few directs  
Retinguished her right of Domination and to the within granted Land  
and Premises all which was Ordered to be Recorded By the said

Josh Will Gunstall Esq

This Indenture made this Twenty fifth Day of April in the year of our  
Lord Christ One thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy five Between us Watkins  
of the County of Halifax of the one part and Roger Adkinson of the County of  
Dinwiddie of the other part witnesseth that the said us Watkins for and in  
consideration of the sum of Six Hundred Pounds Current Money of Virginia the Receipt  
Whereof he doth hereby acknowledge hath granted bargained sold alienated released  
and confirmed and by these presents for himself and his Heirs doth Grant bargain  
sell alien Release and confirm unto the said Roger Adkinson and his Heirs & assigns  
forever One certain Tract of Land containing Thirteen Hundred and four Acres  
it being part of a Tract of Land Granted unto John Roberson Esq Containing  
Seven thousand Three Hundred & Eighty four Acres lying and being in the County of Halifax  
Now Pittsylvania and Deeded by the said John Roberson Esq to Nathaniel Terry and  
from the said Terry to William Stokes that part of the above mentioned Thirteen  
Hundred and four Acres first mentioned which the said us Watkins recovered  
from the said William Stokes for Non payment of his Majestys Quibrants in the  
Honorable

Honourable the General Court and Deemed as followeth, to wit, Beginning at a  
 Hickory in Terry's line thence South eighty five degrees West eight Hundred and Sixty two  
 poles bearing four Branches to Pointers South Sixty degrees East three Hundred and thirty  
 four poles to Pointers in Chancery line thence on the same North eighty three degrees  
 East one Hundred poles to Pointers south six degrees East One Hundred and forty  
 two poles to a red oak in Weakley's line thence on the same North Eighty one degrees  
 East One Hundred and forty eight poles to a Hickory in Medkiff's line thence on  
 the same North Sixty degrees East One Hundred poles bearing the Eagle Run to  
 Pointers North eighteen degrees East seventy two poles to a red oak in Chancery line thence  
 on the same North twenty two degrees West One Hundred and thirty two poles to Pointers  
 New a Branch and thence North thereby three and an half degrees East One Hundred  
 and six poles bearing a branch to the first station Together with all Houses Garrets  
 Orchards fences Woods under Woods Waters Watercourses Standing Lyming and being with  
 all People Commoditely Advantages and appurtenances there unto belonging or in any  
 wise appertaining and also the Revision and Revisions Remainder & Remaining thereof  
 and every Part and Parcell thereof To have and to hold the said Land and  
 with all and singular the appurtenances unto the said Roger Adkinson to the proper use  
 and behoof of him the said Roger Adkinson and to his Heirs and assigns forever and  
 the said Geo. Watkins for himself and his Heirs the said Land and promises with  
 them and every of their appurtenances to the said Roger Adkinson his Heirs and  
 assigns shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents against any  
 Person or Persons whatsoever having or lawfully claiming any right or Title in or  
 to the same or any part or parcell thereof and the said Geo. Watkins for himself and  
 for his Heirs doth grant Covenant and agree to and with the said Roger Adkinson  
 his Heirs and assigns in Manner and Form following That is to say that the said  
 Geo. Watkins at the time of the sealing and Delivery of these presents is and still  
 seized of an infeable Estate in fee simple of land in the premises and that he hath  
 good Right and Lawfull Authority to sell and convey the same in Manner and Form  
 aforesaid and that the same shall forever remain to the said Roger Adkinson his  
 heirs and assigns fully and clearly Exonera<sup>t</sup> and Discharg<sup>t</sup> of and from all manner of  
 other former Bargains sales Titles dwelt<sup>t</sup> and all other rights and Estates whatsoever  
 In witness the said Geo. Watkins hath hereunto set his hand & seal the day  
 and

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and 10 years above Written and in presence off

Nathaniel Terry James Daniel

Jas. Hockings William Grigory

Geo. Wathking L.S.

Memorandum That peaceable and quiet possession was granted by the Within mentioned Geo. Wathking of the within mentioned Premises unto the within mentioned Roger Adherson and him Recis<sup>c</sup> in witness where off the said Geo. Wathking hath here up to set his hand and affix his seal the Day & year within Written & in the presence off

Nathaniel Terry Jas. Daniel

William Grigory Jas. Hockings

Geo. Wathking L.S.

This is good to all intents and purposes from me to the said Roger Adherson and from my Heirs &c. as to the within Deed mentioned & Conveyed to him by me provided he pays me the five hundred Pounds as within agreement and not other ways

Geo. Wathking.

George the third by the grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the Faith &c. To Nathaniel Terry Robert Wathking & George Boyd Gentlemen or any two his Majestys Justices of the County of Halifax Greeting whereas George Wathking by his certain Indenture of Feoffment hath conveyed unto Roger Adherson of the County Dinniddie on certain Tract or Parcell of Land lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania containing Threelov Hundred and four Acre. and Whereas Susanna the wife of the said George cannot conveniently travell to and from our said County Court of Pittsylvania to know by that we Trusting to your faithfull and provident Circumspection in Examining Susanna the wife of the said George from any apard from her said Husband whether she doth freely and voluntarily without the perswasions or threats of her said Husband relinquish her right of Dower in and to the Land and premises Conveyed by her said Husband in the said Indenture and when you have id done that you Certifie to our Justices of our said County Court of Pittsylvania under your hands & seals distinctly and plainly you send together with this Will Witniff William Tunstall

Clerk

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Deed of our said County Court at the Courthouse the 21<sup>st</sup> Day of May in the 16<sup>th</sup> year of  
our Reign  
Will Tunstall  
R. Wooding

By Virtue of the above Ordinance soe directed we have Examined Susanna the wife  
of George Watkins a part from said Husband Touching her Relinquishment of Possession and  
to Twelve Hundred and few acres of Land Conveyed by her said Husband to the above named  
Roger Atkinson (which Land lies in the said County of Pittsylvania) we do hereby certify that  
the said Susanna a part from her said Husband did freely and Voluntarily Without the  
Persuasion or Threats of her said Husband Relinquish her right of Proprietary to the said  
Land and premises Conveyed by her said Husband in the said Indenture to the said Roger  
Atkinson Given under our hands and Seals this 21<sup>st</sup> Day of May 1776.

W. T. S.  
R. Wooding S. J.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1776  
This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Living & given in record was  
Proved by the oaths of Two of the Witnesses thereto to be the act and Deed of the within  
Named George Watkins and the same was Ordered to be Certified and afterwards to W<sup>t</sup> Tunstall  
at a Court held for the said County the 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of May 1776 the same was further proved  
by the oath of one of the other Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be Recorded and also the  
Ordinance herto annexed was returned and Ordered to be Recorded By the Court

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

Donald G<sup>c</sup>  
from  
Rowland  
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This Indenture made the Twenty eighth Day of October in the Year of our Lord  
One thousand seven hundred and seventy five. Between John Rowland and Mary his wife  
of the County of Pittsylvania and Colony of Virginia of the one part and James & Robert Don-  
ald G<sup>c</sup>. Merchants and Partners of Great Britain of the other part. Witnesseth that he  
and in consideration of the sum of One Hundred and fifteen pounds Current Money  
Virginia to the said John Rowland and Mary his wife in hand paid by the said James  
& Robert Donald G<sup>c</sup>. at or before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the Rec-  
ipient of them do hereby Acknowledge and therefroth Release acquit and Discharge  
the said Donald G<sup>c</sup>. their Executors and Administrators by these presents and they  
the said John Rowland & Mary his wife have Granted, Bargained, sold, aliened or  
Conveyed

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Confirmed, and by these presents do Grant, Bargain, Sell, alien, & Confer, unto the said  
Donald & C<sup>o</sup>, and their Heirs a certain Tract or parcel of Land situate lying & being  
in the County of Pennsylvania on this side of Smith's River, being the same Tract that the  
said John Rowland purchased of a certain Landor Richardson as by a Deed recorded  
in the County Court of Pennsylvania beforew<sup>s</sup> mentioned, had and appears bounded  
as follows. Beginning at an Ash Tree on the Bank of said River, running thence  
North forty degrees East One Hundred and Eighty four poles to a pine, thence  
along the dividing line between said Rowland and Peter Copland thence west thirty  
poles to a red oak, thence North thirty degrees West Two Hundred & Thirty two  
poles to a knoll on the Bank of the River, thence along the meandering of the  
River to the Beginning containing in the several courses, Four Hundred and  
fifty acres, and all Houses, buildings, Orchards, Ways, Watercourses, profits  
commodities, Hereditaments and 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, Rents, Issues, & profits  
thereof, and also all the Estate, Right, Title, Interest, Use, Trust, Property, claim  
and Demand whatsoever, of them the said John Rowland & Mary his wife  
of in, and to the said Premises, and all Deeds, Evidences, and Writings, touching  
or in any wise concerning the same. To have and to hold the Lands so  
hereby conveyed, and all and singular other the premises hereby bargained and  
sold, and every Park and parcel thereof, with their and every of their apperten-  
ances, unto the said Donald & C<sup>o</sup>, their Heirs and assigns, forever, to the only  
proper use and behoof of them the said Donald & C<sup>o</sup>, and of their Heirs and  
assigns, forever. And the said John Rowland and Mary his wife for themselves  
their Heirs, Executors, and Administrators, do, covenant, Promise, and Grant  
to and with the said Donald & C<sup>o</sup>, and their Heirs and assigns, by these Presents  
that the said John Rowland and Mary his wife, now at the time of sealing & delivering  
of these Presents, are seized of a good, sure, perfect, and indefeasible Estate of  
Inheritance, in fee simple, and in the premises hereby bargained and sold, and that  
they have good, power, and lawful and absolute Authority to Grant and  
Convey,

Convey the same to the said Donald & Co in manner and form aforesaid, and that the said  
 Premises now are, and so forever hereafter shall remaine all free and clear of and from  
 all manner of other gifts, grants, bargains, sales, Donors right and title of Donor, judgments  
 executions, titles, Troubles, charges, and encumbrances whatsoever made, done, committed, or  
 suffered by the said John Rawland & Mary his wife, or any other person or persons in  
 whatsoever the quantum hereafter to grow due and payable to our Lord the King his Heires  
 and successors, for and in respect of the premises only executed and surprized, and  
 that the said John Rawland and Mary his wife and their Heires, all and singular the  
 promises hereby bargained and sold with the appurtenances unto the said Donald & Co:  
 their Heires and assigns, against them the said John Rawland and Mary his wife and  
 their Heires, and all and every other person and persons whatsoever, shall warrant  
 and forever defend by these presents and lastly, that they the said John Rawland  
 and Mary his wife and their Heires, and all and every other person and persons, and his  
 their Heires, any thing having or claiming in the premises herein before mentioned, or intended  
 to be hereby bargained & sold, shall and will from time to time, and at all times hereafter  
 at the reasonable request, and at the proper cost and charges in the law of them the  
 said John Rawland & Mary his wife and their Heires, or assigns, make do & execute  
 or cause or procure to be made, done and executed, all and every such further and  
 other lawful and reasonable act and acts, thing and things, conveyances & assurances  
 for the further, better and more perfect conveying and assuring the premises aforesaid  
 with their and every of their appurtenances, unto the said Donald & Co, their Heires and  
 assigns, by the said John Rawland & Mary his wife, their Heires or assigns, or their  
 counsel learned in the law, shall be reasonably devised, advised, or required  
 In witness whereof, the said John Rawland & Mary his wife have hereunto set their  
 hands and seals the Day & Year first above written.

Sealed & Delivered  
 In the presence of  
 John Murchie  
 Harry Innes, Anne X. Moran.  
 Mark

John Rawland L.S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 23<sup>rd</sup> Day of May 1776  
 This Indenture of Bargain and Sale was acknowledged by the within named  
 John

John Rawland a Party thereto to have his acts and Deed of the same was ordered to be Recorded by the Court.

Test. Will. Franklin Esq

This Indenture made this Ninth day of December in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy five Between James Leak of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Joshua Leak of the same County of the other part, Witnesseth that the said James Leak for and in Consideration of the sum of Five shillings to him in hand paid by the said Joshua Leak the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and thereof doth acquit Exonerate and discharge the said Joshua Leak and by these Presents he the said James Leak hath given granted bargained Alined Enfeoffed and Confirmed and by these presents doth give grant Bargain sell alien Enfeoff and Confirm unto the said Joshua Leak his Heirs and Assigns forever One certain Tract or Parcel of Land situate lying and being on Elk horn Creek in the County of Pittsylvania containing by Estimation One Hundred Acres or the same more or less (so Red) the place whereon the said James Leak now lives and Boundes as follows Beginning at a red Oak thence South twenty five degrees West One Hundred and Eighteen poles to Painter thence a New line South Sixty three and a half east to Painter in the old line thence North Nineteen degrees East One Hundred and Eighty seven poles to a pine No. sixty three & half degrees West to the Beginning and all True ways Waters & Watercourses therein Contain'd and all Profits Commodities Advantages Inhabitants and Appurtenances whatsoever to the same belonging or in any wise Appertaining either in Equity or in Law of him the said James Leak and his Heirs or in or to the said Tract of Land and Premises and every part thereof with the appurtenances and also the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders Ments Issues and Services there of and all the Estate right Title Interest Claim and Demand whatsoever of him the said James Leak and his Heirs To have and to hold the said Tract of Land and Premises with the Appurtenances unto the said Joshua Leak his Heirs & assigns

forever

forever and the said James Leak for himself and his Heirs doth Covenant and agree to  
and with the said Joshua Leak that the said James Leak and his heirs the said Tract  
or Parcell of Land and Premises above Mentioned with the Appurtenances unto the  
said Joshua Leak his heirs and Assigns against him the said James Leak & his  
Heirs and against the claims or Claims of all and every other Person or Persons  
whatsoever shall and will Warrant and forever defend by these Presents In  
Witness whereof the said James Leak hath hereunto set his hand & affix'd  
his Seal the day & year first above Written

Signed Seal'd & Deliv'red  
in presence of  
Tho. Leak. Stephen Coleman.  
Joseph Leak.

James Leak. P.S.

Memorandum That on the day and Year within Written full Peaceable  
and Quiet Possession and Livery of Seizure of the Land and Premises within  
Granted and sold was made and delivered by the within named James Leak unto the  
within Named Joshua Leak to hold to the said Joshua Leak his Heirs & Assigns  
forever according to the True intent and meaning of the within Written Indenture  
In presence of  
Tho. Leak  
Stephen Coleman  
Joseph Leak.

James Leak. P.S.

At a Court held for Pennsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1776  
This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Livery & Seizure hereon indorsed  
was proved by the oaths of two of the Witnesses thereto to be the act and Deed  
of the within named James Leak and the same was ordered to be certified  
and afterwards to be recorded at a Court held for the said County on the 25<sup>th</sup> day  
of May 1776 the same was further proved by the oaths of the other Witnesses  
thereto & Ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Test. Will. Drayton Esq

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the said tract  
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Leak & his  
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Robert  
McConway  
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This Indenture made this 23 day of May in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred & Seventy six between Mary McConway & John McConway Executrix of the Last will and Testament of Robert McConway dec'd of the one part and William Stewart of the other part witnesseth that the said Mary McConway and John McConway for and in Consideration of the sum of Thirty Pounds Current Money of Virginia in hand paid at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath given granted bargained and sold and by these presents doth give grant bargain sell and confirm unto the said William Stewart and his Heirs and assigns forever a certain Tract of Land containing One hundred and fifty acres more or less lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania and joining the Land of Lenoore Lomax and the Lands of Robert McConway with all and singular the appurtenances there unto belonging or in any wise appertaining To have and to hold the said Land and Premises unto the said William Stewart his Heirs Executrix Administratrix and Assigns forever and the said Mary McConway and John McConway do for themselves their Heirs Executrix and Administratrix covenant and agree with the said William Stewart and his Heirs and Assigns by these presents that it shall and may be lawfull to and for the said William Stewart his heirs and assigns from time to time and at all times forever here after peaceably and quietly to have hold & posse and enjoy the said Land and Premises and the right and Title of them the said Mary McConway & John McConway without the let or hindrance or molestation from the said McConway & John McConway their heirs Executrix or Administratrix or any other person or persons lawfully claiming by from or under them or any of them and the said Mary McConway and John McConway for themselves and their heirs the said Land and Premises as before expressed unto the said William Stewart and his Heirs shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents In witness whereof the said Mary McConway & John McConway have hereunto set their hands & affixed their seals the day & year first above

Written

Written

Signed sealed & Deliv<sup>r</sup>d  
In the presence of

Mary X Mc Conway P.P.  
mark

John Connaway L.S.

Recd On the Day of the date of these presents the Consideration within mentioned  
 Within <sup>her</sup>  
 Mary X Mc Conway  
 mark

John Connaway

At Court held for Pittsylvania County the 23<sup>d</sup> Day of May 1776  
 The Within Bargains and Sales was acknowledged by the within Named Mary  
 Mc Conway & John Mc Conway to be their act and Deed and the same was ordered  
 to be Recorded By the Court

Subd. Will Gunstall C.R.

Barton  
from  
East & wife  
Dec<sup>r</sup>

This Indenture Made this 23<sup>d</sup> Day of July in the Year of our Lord  
 One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy six Between Joseph East & Martha  
 his wife of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part & Henry Barton of  
 the County aforesaid of the other part witnesseth that the said Joseph  
 East and Martha his wife for and in Consideration of the sum of Seventy  
 Pounds Current Money of Virginia to them in hand paid by the said Henry  
 Barton above before the Ensealing and delivery of these Presents the receipt whereof  
 they the said Joseph East and Martha his wife doth hereby acknowledge and  
 themselves therewith fully satisfied Contented and Paid hath Granted  
 bargained & sold and by these presents do grant bargain sell and confirm unto  
 Henry Barton and unto his heirs forever One certain Tract or Parcel of Land  
 situated lying and being in Pittsylvania County on Little Knob Stone Creek &  
 containing by Estimation two hundred & sixteen acres more or less bounded  
 as followeth to wit Beginning at Joseph Collins corner thence  
 along his line to Edward Hubbards corner thence along Hubbard's line to the  
 road which is Gilberts line thence along the road to Gilberts new line the  
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along the same to Stephen Collins old line thence along the same to Joseph  
Collins corner at the Beginning with all Houses out houses Woods & under  
Woods Water and Water courses profits and advantages whatsoever to the  
said Land and Premises above mentioned belonging or in any ways  
Appertaining and also the Reversion and Reverting Remainder and  
Remaining rents & services of the said Land and Premises and of every  
part and parcel thereof and also the Estate right Title Interest claim  
and demand whatsoever either in Equity or in Law of them the said  
Joseph East and Martha his wife and their Heirs Executors & Administrators  
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  
Henry Barton his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns forever  
and the said Joseph East and Martha his wife for themselves and their  
Heirs do covenant and agree to and with the said Henry Barton and  
his Heirs by these Presents that they the said Joseph East and Martha his  
wife the said Land and Premises above mentioned and every part and parcel  
with the Appurtenances unto the said Henry Barton and unto his Heirs  
and Assigns forever against them the said Joseph East and Martha his wife and  
their Heirs and Assigns and all and every other person or persons whatsoever shall  
and will warrant and forever defend the said Land and Premises by these Presents  
In Witness whereof the said Joseph East and Martha his wife hath to  
these Presents set their hands and seals the day and year above written  
Signed sealed & delivered  
in presence of  
Ben. Lankford

Joseph <sup>his</sup> East L. S.  
mark

Memoandum That on the day & year within mentioned  
full, peaceable and Quiet possession & delivery of the within mentioned  
Land and Premises was given and delivered by the within named Joseph East  
unto

unto the within named Henry Barton according to the purport true intent and  
meaning of the within written Indenture Joseph X East <sup>his</sup> mark L.S.  
Signed Sealed & Delivered  
in presence of  
Ben. Lankford

July the 25<sup>th</sup> 1776 Then Recd of Henry Barton Twenty Pounds Current  
Money in full of the within consideration Money to be paid unto me  
Cash Joseph X East <sup>his</sup> mark  
Ben. Lankford

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August 1776  
and Receipt  
This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Henry & Suzen Crenon  
Indorse was acknowledged by the above named Joseph East to be his  
Several acts and Deed and Martha wife of the said Joseph being privately  
Examined as the Law directs & relinquished his right of attorney and to the  
within granted. I doe promise all which was Ordered to be Recorded  
By the Court

Tus. Will. Tunstall C.P.

Pigg  
from  
Martin  
Deeds  
Exam'd

This Indenture made this seventeenth day of February in the year of our  
Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy six Between William Peter Martin  
& Elizabeth his wife of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Richard  
Pigg of the same Parish and County of the other part witnesseth that the said  
William Peter Martin for and in Consideration of the sum of Forty Pounds current  
Money to them in hand paid by the said Richard Pigg the receipt whereof they  
hereby acknowledge they the said William Peter Martin and Elizabeth his wife  
have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and  
sell unto the said Richard Pigg and his Heirs a certain piece of Land  
of land lying on the Mercury Branch containing two hundred acres more or  
less and is the same Land that was formerly assigned and laid off for Allen  
Adams by his father John Adams and is bounded as following to Wm by  
Symmonds Land on the East by the Land of the said Martin on the North  
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Capt. L. S.

4 Pounds Current  
to be paid unto me  
his X East  
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Liam Peters Martin  
mark and Richard  
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Fifty Pounds Current  
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by the Land of Cain & John Adams on the south and by the Land of the said  
Martin on the south East and the Reversions Remainders Rents Yees  
and Profits thereof and all the Estate right Title claim & Demand as well  
as in Law as in Equity To have and to hold the said Land  
and Premises unto the said Richard Pigg his Heirs and assigns  
forever to his and their own Proprietary and the said William Peters  
Martin doth Covenant and grant to and with the said Richard Pigg  
that he the said William Peters Martin and his Heirs the aforesaid  
Land & Premises unto the said Richard Pigg his Heirs and assigns  
shall and will have Warrant and defend by these presents In Witness  
whereof the said William Peters Martin & Elizabeth his wife have here  
unto set their hands & Seals the Day & Year before written  
Sealed & Deliv. Wm Peters Martin. L. S.  
Eliz<sup>a</sup> Martin. L. S.  
in the presence of us  
Mary Dudley  
Magdalen M<sup>o</sup> Tinsley  
James Pigg. Cain & Adams  
mark

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August 15776  
The within Bargain and sale was acknowledged by the within Named William  
Peters Martin to be his act & deed and the same was Ordered to be Recorded  
By the Court

Test. Will Tunstall Esq.

This Indenture made this 16<sup>th</sup> day of August One thousand Seven  
Hundred and seventy seven. Between Charles Finch of Pittsylvania County  
of the one part and Joseph Martin of the said County of the other part  
Witnesseth that the said Charles Finch for and in Consideration of the  
Sum of fifty Pounds to him in hand paid by the said Joseph Martin as on  
before

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before ensualing and delivery & delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof is  
hereby acknowledged he the said Charles Finch hath granted bargained & sold  
Alien'd Released & confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain & sell  
Alien Release and Confirmation unto the said Joseph Martin a certain piece or  
Parcel of that Tract of Land wherein the said Charles Finch now lives on  
the North side of the Arvin or Smith's River which Tract of Land may be more  
fully known by Patent Granted to William Blairs beginning at the mouth  
of a small branch opposite to the upper point of a small Island on the North  
side of Smith's River running thence a North course to the first Valley a  
draught of rug Creek above a piece of Tobaccos Ground on rug Creek thence  
down the said Valley to where the old line crosses rug Creek and along the old  
line to the beginning and all Houses Edifices buildings yards gardens Orchards  
Fences Trees Woods Underwoods Ways Waters Watercourses Profits Commodities  
Advantages Inundaments and Appertinances whatsoeuer to the said my said  
Plantation Tenement Tract Piece or Parcel of the above mentioned Tract to the  
south of new lines to be run as aforesaid he being a Hundred Acres more or  
less also all deeds and evidences and Writings Touching or in any wise  
concerning the said Promises or any part thereof and also Estates right title  
interest claim and demand whatsoever either in Equity or in Law him the said  
Charles Finch and his Heirs and all and every other persons whatsoever to  
have and to hold the said Mysusage Plantation Tenement Tract piece  
or Parcel of Land and Promises above mentioned and every part and  
Parcel as aforesaid unto the said Joseph Martin his Heirs and assigns  
to the only proprieuse and Bearer of him the said Joseph Martin his  
Heirs and assigns forever and the said Charles Finch for himself his  
Heirs &c doth Covenant Grant and agree so & with the said Joseph  
Martin his heirs and assigns by these presents that the said Charles Finch  
the aforesaid Mysusage Plantation Tenement Tract piece or Parcel of  
Land and Promises above mentioned unto the said Joseph Martin his  
Heirs and assigns against all persons whatsoever shall & will warrant and

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forver defend the right and title of the said Land from all persons whatsoever  
claiming or having any right or title there unto In witness whereof the  
said Charles Finch hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal  
the Day and date before mentioned Charles Finch S.S.

Sign'd and sealed

In presence of

John Donelson John Morton  
John Salmon Sam'l H Hall  
mark

Memorandum That Quiet and Peaceable Possession & Seizure  
was had & given to the within Land & Premises by the said Joseph Martin  
from the said Charles Finch the day and date within mentioned

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John Donelson John Morton  
John Salmon Sam'l H Hall  
mark

Charles Finch

Received of Joseph Martin fifty Pounds Current Money of Virginia in  
full for said Land and Premises Witness my hand & Seal this 16<sup>th</sup> Day  
of August 1577 C Charles Finch S.S.

Test John Donelson

John Morton John Salmon  
Sam'l H Hall  
mark

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August 1577 C  
This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Every & Particular  
hereon indorsed was by the within named Charles Finch Acknowledged before  
his several acts and Deed and the same was ordered to be Recorded By the  
Court

Test. Will Tunstall Esq Pitts County

Richards,  
from  
Ayres } Due

This Indenture made this 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August and in the Year of our Lord  
Christ One thousand seven hundred and seventy six. Moses Ayres of Hellsburg County  
of the one part and Gabriel Richards of Pittsylvania County of the other part  
Witnesseth that the said Moses Ayres for and in Consideration of the sum  
of Country two pounds ten shillings Current Money of Virginia to him in hand  
Paid by the said Gabriel Richards the Receipt whereof the said Moses Ayres  
doth hereby Acknowledgeth having granted Bargaine, and Sold alienated & confirmed  
and by these presents doth give grant Bargaine and Sell alienate and Confirm the  
said Gabriel Richards all that Tract or parcel of Land lying and being in Pittylv.  
County on a branch of Dan River Containing by Estimation Two Hundred acres  
and Bounded as followeth. To wit Beginning hickory South fifty six West  
Two hundred and forty four pole to a Post Oak North fifty five west a hundred and  
Eight to a Paintree North forty four East Three Hundred and twenty eight to a pine  
tree South forty six East a hundred and fifty pole to the Beginning and also all  
trees Woods Underwood Profit Commodities Advantages Hereditaments ways  
Waters Watercourses Appurtenances whatsoever to the said Tract or parcel of  
Land and Premises above mentioned belonging or any ways Appertaining and also  
the Revision and Reversion Remainder and Remainders and Right Interest thereon  
and demand whatsoever of him the said Moses Ayres his Heirs and Assigns forever  
of him and to the said Tract or parcel of Land and premises and every part thereof  
To have and to hold the said Tract or parcel of Land and all and singular  
the said premises above mention with the appurtenances unto the said Gabriel Richards  
his heirs and assigns forever and to the said Moses Ayres for him and his  
Heirs the said Tract or parcel of Land and Premises whatsoever unto the said  
Gabriel Richards his heirs and assigns forever shall and will Warrant and forever  
defend In Witness Whereof I have set my hand & Seal

Sign Seal and delivered  
In the presence of us

Moses Ayres. S. S.

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Year of our Lord  
of Pittsylvania County  
the Other part  
tion of the sum  
him in hand  
of Moses Ayres  
dated & confirmed  
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Interest claim  
and assigns forever  
unto the said  
Gabriel Richards  
him in his  
unto the said  
arrant and forever

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August 1776

This Bargain and Sale from Moses Ayres to Gabriel Richards was acknowledged  
by the said Moses Ayres to be his act and Deed and the same was Ordered to be  
Recorded By the Court

Test. Will. Tunstall Co

Stephens  
from  
Neal  
Dated

This Indenture made this second day of March in the year of our Lord  
One thousand seven hundred and Twenty six Between Benjamin Neal of  
Pittsylvania County of the one part and William Stephens of said County of the  
part. Witnesseth that the said Benjamin Neal for and in Consideration of  
the sum of fifty pounds to him in hand paid by the said William Stephens before  
the sealing and delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge  
and himself Justly satisfied Contented and paid hath bargained sold aliened ~~enfeoff~~  
Released and confirmed and by these presents doth bargain sell alien ~~enfeoff~~  
and confirm unto the said William Stephens his Heirs and Assigns forever  
One certain Tract or parcel of Land situated lying and being in Pittsylvania County  
on both sides of home Creek containing by Estimation One Hundred & Twenty  
five Acres by the same more or less to wit, Beginning at a red oak tree  
North Eighteen degrees West Ninety poles to a white oak North Sixty four degrees  
East forty six poles to a white oak North forty two degrees West Thirty six poles -  
to a white oak North Twenty seven degrees East Forty eight poles to a red oak North Twenty  
two degrees west Sixty Nine poles to a red oak south Sixty seven degrees West two hundred  
and eight poles to a Hickory south Twenty six degrees West forty seven poles to -  
Pointing south Sixty six degrees East two hundred and sixty poles to the Beginning  
With all Woods Ways Waters and Watercourses field Grounds within the Bounds  
aforesaid together with the Privilege of Hunting Hanting fishing and all other  
Profits and Commodities whatsoeuer to the same or any part thereof  
belonging or in any wise appertaining To have and to hold possess and enjoy  
the said Land and all other the before mentioned premises and every part thereof  
with their and every of their Appurtenance unto the said William Stephens his  
Heirs and assigns forever from the right claim or Demand of him the  
said

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said Benjamin Neal his Heirs or assigns or any other Person or Persons whatsoever  
to the said William Stephen and his Heirs and assigns forever shall have peaceable  
Possession to occupy and enjoy the said Island appurtenances therunto belonging and  
the said Benjamin Neal for himself his Heirs Executors Administrators or  
assigns doth covenant and agree to and with the said William Stephen his Heirs and  
assigns by these Presents that he the said Benjamin Neal the said Part or parcel  
of Land and premises above mentioned shall and will Warrant and forever defend  
unto the said William Stephen his Heirs and assigns forever from all persons  
claiming or to claim by from or under him the said Benjamin Neal his Heirs  
or any other Person whatsoever In Witness whereof the said Benjamin  
Neal hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the Day and date first  
above written

Benjamin X Neal L.S.  
mark

Elizabeth + Neal L.S.  
mark

above Written

Signed sealed & dated  
In the presence of

Peter Perkins John Dickinson  
Nicholas Perkins Diving Gilliam  
James Mackee

*Memorandum* That within mentioned Possession and tract of one  
hundred and twenty five acres of land was had and delivered in fee simple from  
Benjamin Neal & Elizabeth his wife to William Stephen according to the true  
intent and meaning of the within Indenture witness our hands and seals

Witness

Peter Perkins John Dickinson

Nicholas Perkins Diving Gilliam

James Mackee

Benjamin X Neal L.S.  
mark

Elizabeth + Neal L.S.  
mark

Received this second Day of March 1776 the full sum of Fifty pounds  
current Money of Virginia in full of the within Indenture witness our hands  
and seals

Witness

Peter Perkins John Dickinson

Nicholas Perkins Diving Gilliam

James Mackee

Benjamin X Neal L.S.  
mark

Elizabeth X Neal L.S.  
mark

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>d</sup> Day of August 1776  
 This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Livery & Seizure and Receipt  
 hereon Indorsed was proved by the Oaths of three of the Witnesses thereto  
 to be the Several acts and Deed of the within named Benjamin Neal  
 & Elizabeth Neal and the same was Ordered to be Recorded By  
 the Court Test. Will. Gunstall C. O.

*Delivered*

Memorandum Seven Negroes Valued	\$ 435
To 11 head cattle .....	
To 270 Pannels of Fence .....	5 Acre
To Clearing Ground .....	15 acres
To 370 foot plank and Stock Hen	1.5 acre
To 1 Logg House .....	5 acres
To 1 Cross Cut of 1 Winch Do	4.10 acre
To 5 Narrow axed Bro. Do A Grubing hors. 11 Wedges 8 narrow hors and one foot adges drawing knifed Hammer & one Auger	5.16 acre
To Waggon & Horsing	85 acres
To 330 Peach Trees planted in Orchard Way	
To 300 apple Trees in Hause way	
31 Cherry Trees and Pear Trees	

William Hankins

Adam Stultz

Joseph Morton

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 23<sup>d</sup> Day of February 1775  
 The within Valuation of Newman Hardaway <sup>Improvements</sup> was returned  
 & Ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Test. Will. Gunstall C. O.

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William  
from  
Neal & Day

This Indenture made this second Day of March A.D. in the Year  
of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Seventy six. Between Benjamin  
Neal and Elizabeth his wife of the one part and Debriz Gillum of this County  
of Pittsylvania of the other part, WITNESSETH that the said Benjamin  
Neal and Elizabeth his wife for and in consideration of the sum of two  
Hundred Pounds to them in hand paid by the said Debriz Gillum before  
the signing and delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof they do hereby  
acknowledge and themselves fully satisfied contented and ~~paid~~<sup>have</sup> ~~Released~~<sup>Hath bargained</sup>  
sold and ~~Released~~<sup>Confirmed</sup> unto the said Debriz Gillum his Heirs and  
Assigns forever One certain Tract or parcel of Land containing four Hundred  
Acres lying and being in Pittsylvania County on both sides of home Creek & Walton's  
Creek and Bounded as followeth (to wit) Beginning at a Red on the  
south side of home Creek thence North Sixty two degrees East Seventy five  
Poles to a pine thence North thirty One degrees East Seventy Eight poles  
to a red Oak North seventy four degrees East eighty four poles to a white Oak  
North thirty eight degrees East One Hundred poles to a red Oak North  
Eighteen degrees West Eighty nine poles to a red Oak North Eighty five  
degrees West three hundred & fifty seven poles to Pointers thence South Ten  
degrees East Twenty two poles to a Chestnut South fifty four degrees East  
forty three poles to a red Oak South forty six poles to a red Oak South  
fifty degrees East One hundred and eighteen poles to a white Oak South  
eight degrees east Seventy two poles to a Gum South fifty degrees west with  
three poles to white Oak South seventy One degrees East Eighty six poles to  
Wits Apple South Sixty one degrees East twenty one poles to the Beginning  
Together with all Woods Ways Waterways and Meadow Grounds thereon lying  
or in any wise appertaining with all rite claim Interest and Demand —  
Whatsoever in few Simple to the only property & Right of him the said  
Debriz Gillum against us Benjamin Neal & Elizabeth his wife our Heirs  
and Assigns forever and will make any other Rite as ~~out~~<sup>and</sup> of  
Conveyance

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Conveyance unto the said William as he or his Heirs shall lawfully require  
In Witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and Seals this day  
of year above written

Benjamin X Neal. S. S.  
mark

Elizabeth X Neal. S. S.  
mark

Witness )  
Peter Perkins. John Dickinson  
Nicholas Perkins. William X Liphing Jr.  
James Mackbee

Memorandum the within mentioned tract of  
four Hundred Acres of Land was had of the said Benjamin Neal and  
Elizabeth his wife according to the true intent and Meaning of the within  
Indenture. Witness our hands and Seals the day & year within mentioned  
Witness

Benjamin X Neal. S. S.  
mark

Elizabeth X Neal. S. S.  
mark

Peter Perkins  
John Dickinson. Nicholas Perkins  
William X Liphing Jr. James Mackbee

Received this second Day of March 1777 Two Hundred Pounds  
Current Money of Virginia in full of the within Indenture Witness our  
hands and Seals

Benjamin X Neal. S. S.  
mark

Elizabeth X Neal. S. S.  
mark

Witness

Peter Perkins. John Dickinson  
Nicholas Perkins. William X Liphing Jr.  
James Mackbee

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County August the 22. 1776  
The Indenture here annexed was presented in Court and together with the  
Memorandum and Receipt thereon indorsed were proved by the Oaths of three  
of the Witnesses thereto to be the respective acts and deed of Benjamin Neal  
and Elizabeth his wife parties thereto. Ordered that the same be recorded

Teste

Will. Tunstall Esq.

Ryburn  
from  
Henry Ingrum  
Decr)

This Indenture made the XXIII day of December in the year of  
our Lord One thousand seven hundred and twenty five Between James  
Henry of Accomack County in Virginia and Sarah his wife of the one part  
and William Ryburn of Pittsylvania County in the said Colony of the  
Other part. Witneseth that the said Henry and wife for and in  
consideration of the Brotherly affection and Good Will he bears to the  
said William for his advancement in life, and for the further consideration  
of One Shilling to him the said James Henry before the Execution hereof. the  
Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have given granted bargained sold  
and by these presents do give grant bargain and sell unto the said William  
his heirs and assigns forever five hundred acres of Land in the Counties of  
Halifax and Pittsylvania, on the South East side of Sandy Creek bounds  
as followeth. Beginning on the South East side of Sandy Creek about  
a small distance above the said Henrys Mill at a small branch thereof  
running southerly along the line of the Land lately purchased from Nathl  
Dickinson to the end of that line and the same course further continued  
till it intersects the line of the Land purchased by James Ingrum from  
Luke Williams thence running Westerly along the said Ingrums line to his  
Beginning Boundary thence by a line drawn parallel as near as may be  
to the course of Sandy Creek so far that by a line to be run from thence  
to intersect Fitzgeralds line and drawn his line Northerly to Sandy Creek  
and along the said Creek, and bounded there with to the Beginning may  
include five hundred acres of Land over and above the Land purchased  
of Nathaniel Dickinson which is included in these Bounds. To have  
and to hold the hereby granted premises with all their rights privilages  
and Appertinances so as above bounded unto him the said William Ryburn  
his heirs and assigns forever, to the only proper use and behoof of the  
said William Ryburn his heirs and assigns forever, and to no other  
use or uses whatsoever. In Testimony whereof the said  
parties have to these presents interchangeably set their hands and  
affixed.

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affixed thereto seals the Day and Year above mentioned.

Signed Sealed & Delivered  
In presence of

David Terry. Obediah Parker  
John Lovelace. Chas M'Laughlan

James Henry L.S.  
Sarah Henry L.S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County April the 25. 1776 —  
The Indenture herto annexed was presented in Court and proved by the Oath  
of one of the witnesses thereto to be the acts and deed of James Henry —  
and Sarah his wife parties thereto. And at another Court held for the said  
County August the 22 in the year aforesaid the same was further proved  
by two other of the witnesses thereto Ordered that the same be recorded —

T. T. Will Tunstall C.S.

I KNOW all men by these presents that I Joseph Cook of Pittsylvania County have this  
Day bargained sold and delivered unto John Cook of the said County One Negro Gavel  
Named Will and two leather Bed. one Chest and Table. Two Horses One Gray  
and One Saddle with a black face and do warrant and defend the said Articles to  
the said John Cook from the first Night or Title of any Persons whatsoever for  
Value Received of him As witness my hand this tenth Day of February  
One thousand seven hundred and twenty six Joseph Cook

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John Payne

Joseph Ray Henry Conway

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 22 Day of August 1776  
The within Bill of Sale from Joseph Cook to John Cook was proved to be the  
act and deed of the said Joseph Cook and the same was Ordered to be Recorded  
By the Court

T. T. Will Tunstall C.S.

Dillard  
from  
Hubbard  
Died

This Indenture made this third Day of January in the Year of our Lord One  
 thousand Seven hundred Seventy and six. Between Edward Hubbard of the County  
 of Pennsylvania of the one Part and James Dillard of the same County of the other  
 Part Witnesseth that the said Edward Hubbard for and in consideration of the  
 sum of Eight Pounds Current Money of Virginia by the said James Dillard in hand  
 paid at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof  
 the said Edward Hubbard doth hereby acknowledge and the said James Dillard  
 and his Heirs therefrom Acquit and forever discharge hath Granted bargained and  
 sold unto the said James Dillard his Heirs or assigns all that Tract or parcel  
 of Land containing by estimation ten acres to the same more or less situated lying  
 and being in the County of Pennsylvania and on the North side of Straitstone Creek  
 and Bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at the mouth of John  
 Ballinger's Spring branch thence up the said branch to where my line crosses the  
 same thence to the Westward along my said line to the said James Dillard's corner  
 thence along the Dividing Line of the said Dillards and my self to Straitstone Creek  
 thence down the said Creek as it Meanders to the mouth of the said Ballinger's  
 Spring branch as aforesaid. Together with all & Singular the Houses Fences orchards  
 woodways Waters Meadows and Feeding and all other Benefits & Advantages to the  
 said Land belonging or in any wise appertaining and that the said James Dillard  
 and his Heirs may at any time hereafter enter into and upon have whole use occupy  
 possess and enjoy the said Land and promises hereby Granted without the denial  
 molestation or disturbance of him the said Edward Hubbard or his Heirs and  
 that the said Edward Hubbard undertakes for himself and his Heirs that at  
 any time hereafter at the Request Proper Costs and Charge on the Law of  
 him the said James Dillard and his Heirs he will make and execute or cause  
 to be made and Executed such further or other reasonable acts of Conveyance  
 as shall be adjudged necessary for the quiet enjoyment of the above mentioned  
 Granted Land and promises to the said James Dillard his Heirs or assigns  
 In witness whereof the said Edward Hubbard have hereunto set his  
 hand & seal the Day & Year first above written  
 to be the same & he will  
 countersigned before signed &

Edward A. Hubbard his  
 mark

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Signed Sealed & Delivered  
In presence of us  
Ben Lankford his X  
Rob Weakley Peter D D Donney  
Tho Dillard mark

William Griggory Mr Collins

*Memorandum* That on the third Day of January 1776 quiet and  
peaceable possession of Living and Seizure was had and taken by the witness  
Named Edward Hubbard and by him delivered to the witness James  
Dillard According to the form and intent of the within written Deed  
Witness my hand day and year above written *Edward A Hubbard*  
*his mark*

Ben Lankford Rob Weakley  
Peter D D Donney Tho Dillard  
mark

William Griggory Mr Collins

*Received* this third Day of January 1776 of James Dillard Eight pounds  
current Money of Virginia being in full Consideration for the within mentioned  
Granted Land and promising Witness my hand Day and year above written  
*his* *Edward A Hubbard*  
*mark*

Ben Lankford Peter D D Donney  
mark  
Robert Weakley  
Tho Dillard William Griggory Mr Collins

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County April the 25<sup>th</sup> 1776.

This Indenture was presented in Court and together with the Memorandum and  
and Receipt were proved by the Oaths of two of the witnesses thereto to be the  
acts and deed of the above named Edward Hubbard AND at another Court  
held for the said County August the 22<sup>nd</sup> in the year aforesaid the same was  
again presented in Court and further proved by the Oath of one other of the  
Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be recorded —

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Will Tunstall C.S.

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Baynes  
from  
Williams  
Recd.  
C. Cram.

This Indenture made this twenty eighth Day of July in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred & Seventy six. Between M<sup>r</sup> Henry Williams of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Richard Bayne of the same County of the other part witnesseth that the said Henry Williams for and in consideration of the sum of One hundred and fifty five Pounds current Money of Virginia to him the said Henry Williams in hand paid by the said Richard Bayne about before the sealing and delivery of these present the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and every part thereof doth clearly acquit and discharge the said Rich<sup>r</sup> Bayne his heirs executors and administrators and every of them by these presents hath given granted alienated bargained sold released and confirmed and by these presents doth give grant alien bargain sell release and confirm unto the said Rich<sup>r</sup> Bayne One certain Tract or Parcel of Land situate lying and being in Pittsylvania County containing Eight Hundred Acres wherein the said Henry Williams now liveth and is the same Land conveyed to the said Henry Williams by William Glascock a Deed for which is recorded in Pittsylvania Court, Recorded as followeth (to wit) Beginning at Stewarts corner White Oak thence his lines North Eighty five degrees East two hundred poles to a pine the same course containing One hundred & twenty poles crofing a branch of Elk horn Creek to a pine North thirty three and a half degrees east so pointing and thence a new line North thirty eight degrees West Four hundred and eighty poles to a pine in Law's line thence his line North thirty degrees West One hundred and thirty poles to pointers thence along Tarry's line South thirty degrees West five hundred & Ninety six poles to the Beginning also the following Stock & effects that is to say twenty Head of Sheep One ox cart with the Yards and other necessaries thereto belonging and Four draught Steers or Oxen Together with all and singular the appurtenances thereto belong and all & singular the Stock Effects Land and premises before mentioned unto the said Richard Bayne his heirs and assigns forever and the said Henry Williams for himself his executors administrators and assigns doth covenant & grant to & with the said Richard Bayne that it shall and may be Lenuell to and for the said

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and Richard Payne his heirs and assigns from time to time and all times forever here  
after peaceably and quietly to have hold use occupy possess and enjoy the said Land and  
Premises and the said Stock of Sheep, oxen, cart and draught Horses &c before mentioned  
at the right and Title of him the said Henry Williams to the same or any part  
thereof without any interruption trouble or molestation of him the said Henry  
Williams his Heirs or assigns, or any of them, or any other person or persons lawfully  
claiming in by them or under him over them or any of them, and the said  
Henry Williams pay him self and his Heirs the said Land and premises Stock &c  
(as before mentioned) unto him the said Richard Payne and his Heirs against whom the  
said Henry Williams his Heirs and assigns, and from every Person whatsoever shall  
and null Warrant and forever defend by these presents. In witness whereof the said  
Henry Williams hath hereunto set his hand and Seal, the date first above written,  
Signed Sealed & delivered.

Henry Williams. L.S.

in presence of

Luke Williams. Benjamin B. Branner

his mark

John Martin. Richard Yates junior

his mark

John Rakesbran. Thomas X. Ball

his mark

MEMORANDUM That on the day and Year first within mentioned  
Quiet, and Peaceable possession of the Land and Premises and every thing contained  
in the within Conveyance was had by Henry Williams and by him delivered to  
Richard Payne according to the intent and meaning of the within Deed  
In presence of

Luke Williams. Benjamin B. Branner

his mark

John Martin. Richard Yates Jr. Thomas X. Ball

his mark

John Rakesbran

Henry Williams. L.S.

R.C. the Twenty sixth Day of July One thousand seven hundred and Seventy six of  
the within named Richard Payne the sum of One hundred & fifty five Pounds  
Currency being the full Consideration for every thing Land, Premises and Stock, with  
the ox Cart &c granted Bargained & Sold by me to the said Richard  
Payne agreeable to the within Adventure

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Park his  
Luke Williams Benjamin B. Branner  
John Martin Richard Yates Jr.  
Thomas X. Bell John Rakustraw

Henry Williams

At a Court held for Pennsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August 1776

This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Livery and Deed and Receipt  
hereon indorsed may prove by the Oaths of three of the witnesses thereto to be the  
General Act and Deed of the within named Henry Williams and the same may  
be ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Sig. Will. T. Tunnall C. P. C

Conway  
from  
Wall  
Dicks  
Exam<sup>c</sup>

This Indenture made this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of March in the year of our Lord Christ  
one thousand seven hundred & Seventy Two Between John Hall of Pennsylvania  
County of the one part & Henry Conway of the said County of the other Part  
Witnesseth that the said John Hall for and Consideration of the sum of Sixty  
Pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid as & before the Sealing  
& Delivering of these presents the receipt whereof is here by Acknowledged That  
Given Granted Bargained & Sold and by these Presents doth Give Grant Bargain  
& Conferm unto Henry Conway & his Heirs & Assigns forever A Certain  
or Part of Land Containing by Estimation Two hundred Acres to the same more or  
less lying and being in the County aforesaid on both Sides of Sonther Creek on hundred  
Acres of which tract was Bought of my father Thomas Hall Part upon order of Council  
Belonging to John Richardson the other one hundred Acres was Purchased of William Hill  
a joining Francis Huty wherow Samuel Davis Lives the Boundaries of the said Land  
more plainly appear Recourse being had to the Deeds Recorded to the said John Hall  
in Halifax Court Rollwall & singular the appurtenances thereto belonging or in any  
wise appertaining to have & to hold the said Land & Premises unto the said  
Henry Conway His Heirs Assigns forever & the John Hall doth for himself &  
his Heirs Executors & Administrators Covenant and agree with the said Henry Conway  
his Heirs and Assigns by these Presents that it shall & may be Lawful to & for the  
said Henry Conway his Heirs & Assigns from time to time & at all times for  
ever hence after peaceably & Quietly to have hold & Possess and enjoy the said Land  
purchased

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of the Right & Title of him the said John Hall without Let Suit Troubles or mole-  
station from him the said John Hall his heirs & executors or Administrators or any per-  
son or Persons lawfully claiming in by from or under him this his Exe<sup>t</sup> or any  
other or any other Person or Persons whomsoever of the said John Hall for himself  
and his <sup>his</sup> the said Land and Premises as before Express'd unto the said Henry Conway  
& his heirs & assigns shall warrant & forever defend by these presents In witness  
whereof the said John Hall hath hereunto set his hand & Seal the Day and year  
first above written

Sealed & Delivered  
in the Presents of  
James Smith  
Arch<sup>r</sup> Smith  
also for me

John T Hall L.S.  
mark

Memorandum) That on the Twenty-fourth Day of March one thousand  
seven hundred and seventy two quiet & peaceable Possession of the Land Premises  
aforesaid was made & Delivered by the within named John Hall unto the  
within named Henry Conway according to the form and effect of the within Deed  
In Presents of  
James Smith  
Arch<sup>r</sup> Smith

John T Hall L.S.

mark

A Court continued at Philadelphia for Pennsylvania County the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of March 1772  
The Within Indenture together with the Memorandum of Survey of Sixteen Acres Indented  
was proved by the oaths of two of the Witnesses thereto, to be the acts and Deeds of the  
Within named John Hall of the same was audience to be certified & affixed to this  
Abo Court Roll for the said County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August 1776 the same was further proved  
by the oaths of the other witness thereto to be the aforesaid Deed of the said John Hall, All  
which was Ordered to be Recorded by the Court

Sub Wm. Cummins C.P.C.

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This Indenture Made this 20<sup>th</sup> day of August in the year of  
 our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred & Sixty Six Between Peter  
 Copland of the County of Pittsylvania on the one part and Samuel Bird of the  
 same County on the other part Witneseth that the said Peter for his Conser-  
 vation of the sum of Twenty five Pounds Current money of Virginia the  
 receipt whereof the said Peter doth hereby Acknowledg'd hath given granted  
 Bargained & Sold: and by these Presents doth give grant Bargain & Sell alio  
 enfeoff & confirm unto the s<sup>r</sup>d Samuel one certain Tract or paral of Land lying  
 and being on Reedy Creek in the said County of Pittsylvania containing  
 Estimation two hundred & Eighty Acres be the same more or less and is bo-  
 ded as follows. Viz. Beginning at a Tree in the Order line and running  
 thence South twenty five Degrees West Two hundred & fifty eight poles  
 to a Red Oak in the same thence North forty five Degrees East  
 two hundred & forty poles along s<sup>r</sup>d line to a White Oak thence North  
 Twenty Degrees East Ninety one poles crossing Reedy Creek to a Poplar  
 & comes in s<sup>r</sup>d line thence along the s<sup>r</sup>d line the last mentioned first  
 to a White Oak thence South Twenty six Degrees West Ninety eight po-  
 les to a White Oak thence South Sixty Degrees West one hundred & Twenty four  
 poles to the beginning together with all Houses orchards Plantations and  
 other improvements whatsoever to have and to hold the said Tract of Land  
 with the Appurtenances to the said Samuel and to his Heirs & assigns  
 ever, and Honely proper the f<sup>r</sup>d Bishop of him the said Samuel his Heirs &  
 Assigns, and to no other use intent or purposed whatsoever and the said  
 Peter for himself & his heirs doth hereby covenant & Agree with the said  
 Samuel that it may and shall be lawfull for the said Samuel his Heirs  
 & Assigns at all times and at any time hereafter to enter in and upon the said  
 Land of Peter, and the same to occupy & enjoy freely and Quietly  
 of and quiet from the molestation & hindrance of him the s<sup>r</sup>d Peter, his Heirs  
 & Assigns will forever warrant & maintain a good Right & Title in and  
 the said Land of Peter hereby sold & conveyed against the claims of  
 claims of him the s<sup>r</sup>d Peter or of any other Person or Persons lawfully

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claiming by from or under him the said Peter, And lastly that the said Peter  
his heirs & will at any time hereafter at the request and at the proper cost &  
charge of him the said Samuel his heirs & make doo & Executour cause to  
be made done & Executed such further or other Dued or Deeds, for the more  
perfect assuring the Land & Premises hereby sold & conveyed to the said  
Samuel his heirs or Assigns as he or they or his or their Council demand in the  
law shall reasonably advise Diver or require. In witness whereof the said  
Peter hereunto set his hand and Affid his Seal the Day & year first above  
Written Signed & Sealed in presence of

Abraham Penn

In Salmont

Jal Cooper

Peter Copland. Seal

At a Court held for Pennsylvania County the 22 Day of August 1776  
The Within Bargain and Sale was Acknowledged by the above Named.  
Peter Copland to be his act and Dued and the same was Ordered to be  
Recorded By the Court

Test. Will Tunstall C.R.

This Indenture Made this twenty Ninth Day of February  
in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty Six Between  
William Peters Martin and Elizabeth his Wife of the Parish of Campden  
& County of Pittsylvania of the one part & Iesse Robertson of the same  
Parish & County of the other part Witnesseth that the said William  
Peters Martin & Elizabeth his Wife for and in consideration of the sum of  
Sixty Pounds Current Money to him in hand paid at or before the  
making and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof they do hereby  
Acknowledege they the said William Peters Martin & Elizabeth his, have  
granted Bargained & Sold and by these presents Doth grant Bargain  
and Sell unto the said Iesse Robertson and his heirs a certain Track  
or parcell of Land situated in the parish & County aforesaid Containing  
three hundred & fifty Acres more or less bounded as follows (To wit.)  
Beginning at a pine corner to Richard Hartung thence to a pine  
near —

near the fork of the path thence a new line crossing the Winy Branch to the said Martins back line thence along his line crossing the Meadow Road to a pine corner to Rubin Payne thence N 45° E 10 pole to pointers corner to Rubin Payne then S 60 W 98 pole to pointers corner to Richard Tantling thence S 2 E 262 poles to the begining place with all ways waters priviledge & improvements and the Robertson's Remaining Rents Issues and profits thereof with the Appurtenances To have and to hold his land & premises unto the said Isse Robertson his heirs & Assigns forever to him and their own proper use and the said William Peters Martin for himself his Heirs & Executors and Administrators doth Covenant and grant to and with the said Isse Robertson his heirs <sup>and</sup> Assigns that he the said Isse Robertson his heirs or Assigns shall and may at all times hereafter lawfully and peaceably have hold use possess and enjoy the said Land and premises hereby conveyed free and clear of the lawful claim or interruption of him the said William Peters Martin and his heirs and all and every other person or persons whatever And that he the said William Peters Martin and his heirs the said land and premises and every part thereof unto the said Isse Robertson his heirs Assigns against him the said William Peters Martin and his heirs and all every other person or persons whatever, shall and will forever warrant & Defend by these presents In witness whereof the said William Peters Martin and Elizabeth his wife have hereunto set their hands & Seals the day and year before written

Sealed and Delivered  
in presence of us

William Lovell  
Mary Dudley  
Richard P. Pigg  
Mark

William Peters Martin  
Elizabeth Martin

At a court held for Bucks County the 22<sup>d</sup> Day of August 1776  
This Indenture of Bingham and ~~the~~ sale was by the aforesaid William Peters Martin Acknowledged to be his act and Deed and the same was  
Ordered to be Recorded by the Court

Test William Gunstall C.R.

This Indenture made the Twelfth Day of July One thousand Seven  
Hundred & Twenty six Between George Jefferson of Lunenburg County of  
the one part, and Peter Field Jefferson of Rockingham County of the other part  
Witnesseth That the said George Jefferson for New Consideration of the sum  
of Twenty five Pounds Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid, the  
Receipt whereof is hereby Acknowledged. The said Peter Field Jefferson doth Ac-  
cord and Confer and by these presents doth Grant Bargain Sell  
Aliue Ensign and Confirm unto the said Peter Field Jefferson his heirs and  
Assigns forever One certain Tract or parcel of Land lying and being in the  
County of Pittsylvania on the head of the Camp Branch of Turkey Cock  
Creek, containing by estimation One Hundred & Forty one Acres more or less  
Boundaries followeth to wit Beginning at the said Peter Field Jefferson  
own corner pointers, thence along his line South Two Hundred and Thirty eight  
Poles to pointers East One Hundred and fifty three poles to pointers North fif-  
ty six poles to a White Oak in the Old patent line, and thence along the  
same North Forty Degrees West Two Hundred & Thirty four poles to the  
Beginning. To have and to hold the said Tract or parcel of Land with all and  
singular the Appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise Appertaining  
With the reversion and reversions, Remainders and Remainders thereof unto the  
said Peter Field ~~Jefferson~~ <sup>Attucks</sup> Jefferson his heirs and Assigns forever. To the only  
purposes and behoof of him the said Peter Field Jefferson his heirs and Assigns  
forever and the said George Jefferson for himself and his heirs doth Covenant  
and Agree to and with the said Peter Field Jefferson, That he the said George  
Jefferson the above mentioned Land doth promise with the Appurtenances unto  
the said Peter Field Jefferson his heirs and Assigns forever Against the  
Claim & demand of all persons whatsoever shall and will Warrant and for-  
ever 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 & Delivered

in presence of  
Against the Claim &c. Mарked before signed

Thos Jefferson  
Thos Black  
Stephen <sup>his</sup> <sub>mark</sub> Tinker  
Eusibus Hubbard  
Joel <sup>his</sup> <sub>mark</sub> Arthur

G Jefferson L

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Memorandum That on the Twelfth Day of July One Thousand  
Seven Hundred & Seventy Six I have and Peaceable Possession and Seizure of  
of the Land and Promises within mentioned was made and Delivered by the  
within named George Jefferson unto the within named Peter Field Jefferson  
According to the form and Effect of the within Whilund Deed.

In the presence of

Thos Jefferson

Thos Blacke

Stephen Senter

Eusebius Howard.

Jod x Ottens

Mark

G. Jefferson L.S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776

This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Livery & Seizure  
hereon indorsed was proved by the Oaths of three ~~witnesses~~ Wm. Jones Thurt  
to be the last and Deed of the within Named George Jefferson and the  
same was Ordered to be Recorded by the Court

Testy Will Tunstall Esq

Tugge  
Groom  
Garrett  
Deed

This Indenture made this third Day of April in the year of our  
Lord Christ one Thousand Seven hundred and Seventy six Between  
Tudwick Tugge of the County of Pittsylvania and Robert Garrett of the  
County of Gramel in South Carolina witnesseth that the said Robert  
Garrett for the Consideration of one Hhundred And Fifty Pounds Current  
Money of Virginia hath given Granted and Confirmed unto the said Tud  
Tugge and to his heirs forever A certain Tract of Land lying in Pittsylva  
nia County on the South side of Tigg River containing one Hhundred Acre  
More or less Beginning on the River Bank at a Poplar Running thence  
South to the head of a Branch thence a West Course to a Poplar on the  
Bank of Smo Creek thence down said Creek to the River and down  
the River to the Beginning and all the Land and Promises within the said  
Bounds do I the said Robert Garrett do warrant and Defend for you

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the said Land and Premises from all person and persons what ever to have and  
to hold the said Land and Premises together with all its Appurtenances there  
unto belonging or in any wise pertaining unto the said Sode<sup>th</sup> Tugge and his  
heirs and Assigns forever and the said Robert Garrett doth set himself his heirs  
and Assigns do further Promis Grant and Agree to and with the said Sode<sup>th</sup>  
Tugge and to his heirs and Assigns to warrant and defend the above mentioned  
Land and Premises With their and every of their Rights Members and Incum-  
bencies unto the said Sode<sup>th</sup> Tugge his his Heirs and Assigns forever to be free  
and Clear and freely Exempted of all manner of Forcings and other Gifts  
What so ever as Witness<sup>ss</sup> of the said Robt<sup>t</sup> Garrett here unto set his  
hand Affix his Seal the day and year above written

Signed sealed and Delivered

In the presence of  
Ryton Smith  
Henry Conway  
Wm Graves

Robt<sup>t</sup> Garrett S.S.

Memorandum that on the Day and date within mentioned  
Recdable and Due Possession was given by the within mentioned Robert  
Garrett to the within mentioned Sod<sup>th</sup> Tugge as witness my hand.

Test  
Ryton Smith  
Henry Conway  
Wm Graves

Robt<sup>t</sup> Garrett

Received of Sodwick Tugge the Just and full sum within mentioned  
on the Day and Date within Mentioned Given under my hand.

Test  
Ryton Smith  
Henry Conway  
Wm Graves

Robt<sup>t</sup> Garrett

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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776  
 This Indenture to gather with the Memorandum of Living and Seizure  
 and Receipt hereon endorsed was proved by the Oaths of three of the Wit-  
 nesses thereto to be the several Acts and Deed of the within named Robert  
 Garrett and the same was Ordered to be Recorded By the Court  
Dated

First Mill Tunstall Co.

Matlock  
Groot  
Copland  
Deed

This Indenture made this 10<sup>th</sup> day of July in the year of our  
 Lord One thousand Seven Hundred & Twenty Six Between Peter Copland  
 of the County of Pittsylvania on the one part and David Matlock of  
 the same County on the other part Witnesseth that the said Peter for and  
 in consideration of the sum of Thirty two Pounds Current money of Vir-  
 ginia to him in hand paid by the said David the receipt whereof he  
 doth hereby Acknowledge hath given granted bargained & sold and by  
 these presents doth give grant Bargain & Sell alienenfied and Conferm  
 unto the said David his heirs and Assigns a certain Tract or parcel of  
 Land lying and being on Teedy Creek in the County of Pittsylvania  
 Containing by Estimation One hundred & Ninety Acres be the same  
 more or less and is bounded as follows Viz Beginning at a Dog-  
 wood James Headgills corner thence North forty four Degrees East  
 One hundred & Eighty six poles to a Dogwood, thence North forty five Degrees  
 West two hundred & six poles crosing Teedy Creek to a White Oak thence South four-  
 ty Degrees West one hundred & Thirty seven poles to a White Oak thence  
 South forty five degrees East One Hundred & eighty poles Crosing the aforesaid  
 creek to the Beginning together with all plantations & orchard  
 and other Appurtenances unto the same belonging or anywise appertaining  
 To have and to hold the said Tract of Land with the Appurtenances to him  
 the said David and to his heirs & Assigns forever to the only prospers  
 & behoef of him the said David his heirs & Assigns and to no other  
 intent or purpose whatsoeuer And the said Peter for himself & his heirs  
 doth hereby Covenant & Agree with the said David that he the said David

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named Robert  
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of his heirs  
and David

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his heirs or Assigns shall and may at all times and at any time hereafter to  
enter upon the <sup>for</sup> said Land. Promises and the same to have hold occupy  
& possess freely & quietly free of and quit from the molestation & hinde-  
rance of him the said Peter or of any other person or persons, and that he  
the said Peter will forever warrant & defend to the said David his heirs  
or Assigns the fore said Land promises freely sold and conveyed a-  
gainst the claim or claims of any person or persons whatsoever lawful  
by claiming by from under him the said Peter And lastly that the  
Peter will at any time hereafter upon the request and at the proper  
Cost and charge of the said David his heirs or Assigns make do &  
execute or cause to be made done & executed such further Deed or Deeds  
for the further & more perfect assuring the fore said Land & promises  
freely sold and conveyed as the Mayor or his or their council bound in  
the law shall advise advise or require In witness whereof the said  
Peter hath hereunto set his hand & affixed his seal the day of  
year first above written

Signed & Sealed in presence of  
Tho Cooper Junr  
James Stodgill  
Thomas Garner

Peter Copland S.S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776  
The within Indenture from Peter Copland to David Matlock  
was by the within Named Copland Acknowledged to be his act and  
Deed of the same was Ordered to be Recorded By the Court

Test. Will Install Co

Vaughan  
from  
Copland.  
Deed.

This Indenture made this <sup>10<sup>th</sup> day of July in the year of  
our Lord one thousand, two hundred and seventy six Between  
Peter Copland of the County of Pittsylvania on the one part and Arie  
Vaughan of the same County in the other part Witnesseth that the  
said Peter Copland for and in consideration of the sum of Thirty pound  
current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Arie the  
receipt whereof he the said Peter doth hereby acknowledge hath given  
granted Bargained & sold and by these presents doth give grant bargain  
& sell alien enfeoff and confirm unto the said Arie a certain Tract or  
parcel of Land lying and being on Needy Creek in the County of Pittyl-  
vania containing by estimation one Hundred Acres to the same more  
or less and is bounded as follows Beginning at a Red Oak Thorn  
Gardiners Corner and running thence North twenty eight degrees East  
about seven poles to a Dogwood Corner, thence North thirty degrees East  
One hundred & eighteen poles to a Red Oak Corner thence North forty five  
degrees West One hundred & eighty poles crossing Needy Creek to a White  
Oak thence South forty degrees West about Eighty poles to a pine  
Gardeners corner thence along Gardeners lines to the beginning together  
with all houses orchards and all other emoluments or appurtenances un-  
to the same belonging To have & to hold the said Tract of Land  
with the appurtenances to him the said Arie and to his heirs & assigns  
his heirs and assigns to no other use intent or purpose whatsoever And the said Tract  
of land for the effect for his heirs & assigns to be held with the same title  
for ever to the only purpose use & behoof of himself the said Arie in no  
other following that is to say that it may and shall be lawfull to & for the  
Arie his heirs & assigns at all times hereafter to enter upon the  
Land & purify and the same to hold occupy & enjoy freely & qui-  
etly free of and quit from the molestation or hinderance of himself  
Peter or of any and that the said Peter will forever warrant & defend  
to the said Arie his heirs & assigns the land and purifies hereby sold &  
conveyed against the claims of any person or persons whatsoever  
lawfully claiming the same by from or under him self Peter and  
Lasty</sup>

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Lastly that he the said Peter at any time hereafter at the request of the said  
Ans his heirs or assigns and at the <sup>Cost and</sup> charge will make do & execute or  
cause to be made done and executed such further or other Deed or Deeds as he or they  
or he or their Council learned in the Law shall advise & cause to require for  
Witness whereof the said Peter hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his  
Seal this Day of year first above written

Signed & Sealed in presence of

Thos Cooper J. S.

David Matlock

Thomas Garner

Peter Copland S. S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1774  
This Indenture of Bargain & Sale from Peter Copland to Ans Vaughan  
<sup>was by the said Peter Copland</sup> Acknowledged to be his act and Deed and the same was ordered  
to be Recorded By the Court

Pet. Will Twp. Pitt Co.

This Indenture made on this Twenty fourth day of September  
in the year of our Lord Christ One thousand seven hundred & Sixty Seven Between  
Samuel Douglass on the one part & Joshua Cantrell on the other part Witnesseth  
that the said Samuel Douglass for in Consideration of the sum of the sum of  
Forty Pounds Current money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said  
Joshua Cantrell and before the Sealing & delivery of these presents the receipt  
Whereof he does hereby Acknowledge & Thence and every part thereof does Exonerate  
and Discharge the said Joshua Cantrell his heirs and Assigns forever grants  
Bargains sells and Conveys unto the said Joshua Cantrell his heirs and As-  
signs forever One certain Tract or parcel of Land lying and being in the  
County of Pittsylvania & On Strawberry Creek containing Twenty Acres  
be the same more or less and bounded as followeth Viz Beginning at a  
White Oak in Hargetts old line thence Eighty poles West to a Red Oak

thence

Shall a new line North thirtieth seven degrees East One hundred & Eighty six poles to  
 the do line above mentioned, thence and the said line to the first Station  
 with all the Appurtenances belonging or in any wise appertaining to the said land  
 and premises and the reversion & reversions & remainder & remainders and all servile  
 benefits & Profits relating to the same to have and to hold the said land and pre-  
 mises unto the said Joshua Cantrell and his heirs and Assigns forever hereafter  
 peaceably & quietly to posses and enjoy the said Land and premises and the right  
 and title of him the said Samuel Lowgan Without Trouble or molestation from him  
 the said Samuel Lowgan or any other claiming in by from or under him  
 or any other person whom so ever the said Samuel Lowgan for himself  
 and his heirs the Land and premises as before Express'd unto the said  
 Joshua Cantrell & his heirs and Assigns shall Quill Warrant &  
 forever Defend by these presents For Witness whereof the said Samuel  
 Lowgan hath hereunto set his hand & Seal the day and year first  
 Above Written

Sealed & Delivered  
 in the presence of  
 Arch' Smith  
 George Murdoch  
 James Roberts

Samuel Lowgan S.S.  
 Recd)

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776

This Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Samuel Lowgan to  
 Joshua Cantrell was proved by the Oaths of the Witnesses thereto to be the Act  
 and Deed of the within Named Samuel Lowgan and the same was Ordred  
 to be Recorded by the Court

First Will Gunstall Esq

This Indenture made this 11<sup>th</sup> day of April in the year of Our Lord One  
thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Six by and Between Peter Finney of  
Pennsylvania County of the one part and Dayton Smith of the other part W<sup>t</sup>  
w<sup>th</sup> witnesseth that he the said Peter Finney for and In consideration of the Plenty  
and Services herein after mentioned hath promised granted Lett & to farm Lett  
& by these presents both promised granted Lett & to farm Lett unto the said  
Dayton Smith and his heirs Executors administrators &c one certain Tract or par-  
cell of Land Containing Ten Acres more or less lying and being on the South  
side of Pigg River Beg<sup>n</sup>ning at the foot of the Hill at said Finneys Spring  
Running down the Branch to the River down the same to the line between said  
Finney & Bro<sup>d</sup> Black thence to the foot of the Hill thence up the Groundy  
to the beginning at s<sup>d</sup> Spring Concluding the Quantity of s<sup>d</sup> Land in Groundy  
so bare and so hot the s<sup>d</sup> Tract or Parce of Land with the Appurtenances unto  
him the s<sup>d</sup> Dayton Smith his heirs Executors & Administrators and for said  
Smith to kill all trees that shall shade any of the fore mentioned Land No  
Damage whatever the said Smith shall put on s<sup>d</sup> Land for and during  
the Term of five years from the time of the land being cleared then to be  
likewise the said Smith to be paid for the same money for five years from the time to  
be delivered to s<sup>d</sup> Finney and I do oblige myself my heirs Executors Adminis-  
trators to continue the said Dayton Smith & his heirs Ext<sup>r</sup> & ye in quiet  
and peaceable possession for the time above mentioned and s<sup>d</sup> Smith has  
s<sup>d</sup> Land two years for clearing of s<sup>d</sup> Land the three last years the Smith  
is to pay s<sup>d</sup> Finney ten Shillings current Money of Virginia per Acre and what  
to be paid per Year Guts and Hides and Birds not to be m<sup>as</sup> killed in the day  
and date above mentioned

Signed sealed and Delivered

In presence of

Henry Conner

James Dillard

William Grays

Peter Finney L.S.

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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776  
to Payton Smith was appeared by the Oath of these  
This Indenture made from Peter Finney of the Witnesse thereto to be the  
Act and Deed of the within Named Peter Finney, and the same was Ordered  
to be Recorded By the Court

Pet. Finney Esq. Notary Public

Johnsh.  
from  
Roberts  
Deed  
Exam'd.

This Indenture made this 12<sup>th</sup> Day of June in the year of our Lord  
One thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty six Between Joseph Roberts and  
Sarah his Wife of the County of Pittsylvania of the one part and Charles  
Cunshaw of the County of Hanover of the other part witnesseth  
that the said Joseph Roberts & Sarah his Wife for in Consideration of  
the sum Three Hundred Pounds Current money of Virginia to them  
in hand paid by the said Charles Cunshaw at or before the sealing  
and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof they doth hereby acknowledge both  
given granted bargained sold Aland released & confirmed and by these presents  
doth give grant Bargain sell alien release and confirm unto the said Charles  
Cunshaw his heirs and Assigns forever all that Tract piece or parcel of Land  
Situate lying and being in the said County of Pittsylvania on both sides of Clinch-  
ing River containing by estimation One hundred Acres be the same more or  
less and bounded by the lands formerly held by Nathaniel Pope also the land pre-  
mierly held by Richard Clise, the land of James B. ma the land of Charles  
Terry and an entry of Land Surveyed by the said Joseph Roberts. Together  
with the Mill and all houses Edifices Buildings Trees woods underwoods, way-  
waters and waterscourses, Profts Commodities Advantages Hereditaments and appurte-  
nances whatsoever to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining and also the  
reversion or reversions Remainders and Remainders Rents Issues and profits  
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 diman-  
Whatsoever either in Equity or law of them the said Joseph Roberts and  
Sarah his wife their heirs and Assigns for or to the said Premises above men-  
tioned or any part or parcel thereof with the Appurtenances, To have and

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to hold the said or part or parcell of Land and promises above mentioned and  
every part and parcel thereof with their and every of their Appurtenances unto  
the said Charles Grinstead his heirs and Assigns to the only proper use and  
behalf of him the said Charles Grinstead his heirs and Assigns forever,  
and the said Joseph Roberts and Sarah his Wife for themselves and their  
heirs do covenant grant and agree to and with the said Charles Grinstead his  
heirs and Assigns by these presents that they the said Joseph Roberts & Sarah  
his wife the said Tract or parcel of Land and promises above mentioned and every  
part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances unto the said Charles Grinstead  
his heirs and Assigns against the said Joseph Roberts and Sarah his Wife  
and their heirs and Assigns and all and every other person and persons whosoever  
shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents, At Witness  
whereof the said Joseph Roberts and Sarah his Wife have hereunto interchan-  
geably set their hands and Affixed their Seals the day and year first above written

Sealed and Delivered

in the presence of

Will Todd

Abra. Sheldow

John Payne

John East

R Ferguson

Joseph Roberts S.S.

Sarah Roberts  
mark

Prec of Charles Grinstead the day and year first above mentioned the sum  
of Three Hundred pounds current money being the consideration wherein  
mentioned I, say Recd off me

Witness

Will Todd

Abra Sheldow

John Payne

John East

R Ferguson

Joseph Roberts

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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26 Day of September 1776  
 This Indenture together with the Receipt hereof indorsed was proved by the  
 Oaths of three of the Witnesses, unto to be, the acts and Deeds of the aforesaid Name  
 Joseph Roberts and the same was ordered to be recorded By the Court

First Mill Tunstall Co

bargain  
from  
Bostick  
Dec.

This Indenture made this third day of April in the year of our Lord  
 one thousand seven hundred and Twenty Five Between William Bostick  
 of the Province of North Carolina of the one part. And John Cargile of the  
 County of Virginia of the other part witnesseth That the said William  
 Bostick for an Inconsideration of the sum of Sixty Pounds Lawfull mo-  
 ney of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said John Cargile before sealing  
 and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof the said William Bostick doth  
 hereby acknowledge hath given granted Bargained sold Released & Confirmed  
 and by these presents do give grant Bargain Sell Release & Confirm unto the  
 John Cargill on certain Tract of Land containing Four Hundred and  
 four Acres lying in Pittsylvania County being granted unto John Bostick  
 Decd by Patent bearing Date the 23 day of May 1763 and bounded as  
 follows To wit Beginning at an ash where the County line crosses Dan  
 River thence along the said line east three hundred and forty six poles Cropping  
 Grans Creek five poles to a Spanish Oak thence northwes North one hundred  
 and Eighty two poles to a Willow oak in a Glade South sixty six Degrees West  
 Twenty two poles Cropping a branch to pointes in Gates Line thence on his said  
 South forty Degrees West forty four poles to Red Oak South Twenty two  
 Degrees Ninety four poles Cropping a branch to a Red Oak South Seventy Degrees  
 West one hundred and forty poles to a Spanish Oak on the River aforesaid thence  
 up the said River as it manders to the first Station To have and to hold the  
 said Land and premises with the appurtenances there unto belonging unto the  
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September 1776  
Proved by the  
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only proper uses and behoof of the said John Cargile his heirs and assigns forever in  
for himself and the said William Bostick for himself his heirs he doth further  
convenant to and with the said John Cargile his heirs &c that he and they shall  
and will warrant and forever defend the said land and premises with the appur-  
tenances unto the said John Cargile his heirs and assigns forever against whom the  
said William Bostick his heirs &c & against the claim & challenge or demand  
of any other person or persons whatsoever In Witness whereof the said William Bos-  
tick hath hereunto set his hand and seal the day and Year first above written  
Signed Sealed and Delivered

In the presence of

Constt. Perkins. Charles Ward

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Bens X Neal. John Marr.  
I mark

William Bostick S.S

Memorandum That on the third day of April 1775 peaceable and quiet per-  
sisting and Seizure was had and taken by the witness Name and William Bostick the land  
and premises within mentioned and by him delivered unto the said John Cargile Accord-  
ing to the usual symbols of Seizure and Seizure  
Witness present  
Constt. Perkins. Charles Ward

William Bostick

April 3 1775 Recd of John Cargile Sixty Pounds Current Money of Virginia  
it being in full of the aforesaid Land and Premises Witness my hand the day  
and Year above written —

William Bostick

Test. Constt. Perkins. Charles Ward

I Elizabeth Bostick Relict of John Bostick Do hereby acknowledge that I have  
Received full satisfaction of the witness named John Cargile for my Right of Power in  
the aforesaid mentioned Land and do hereby give up all Claim that I have thereto unto  
the said John Cargile his heirs & assigns forever in Witness whereof I have hereunto  
set my hand and seal this 3 day of April 1775

Test.

Constt. Perkins. Charles Ward

Elizabeth Bostick S.S  
mark

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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County September the 26. 1776 —  
 This Indenture was presented in Court and proved by the Oaths of three of  
 the Witnesses thereto to be the act and deed of William Bostick party  
 thereto, and the Memorandum and Receipt hereon indorsed were  
 also proved by the two Witnesses thereto All which were ordered  
 to be Recorded —

Testa

Will Tunstall 68.

Willcox  
from  
Allford  
Deed.

This Indenture made the twelfth Day of January One thousand Seven  
 hundred and Seventy Six and In the fourteenth year of the Reign of our sovereign  
 Lord George the third by the Grace of God of Great Britain France & Ireland  
 King  
 Defender of the Faith &c Between William Allford of the County of  
 of Bedford in the Colony and Dominion of Virginia Planter of the one part and  
 George Willcox Ind. of the County of Pittsylvania In the Colony and Domi-  
 nion aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said William All-  
 ford for and in consideration of the sum of forty Pounds Current Money  
 to him the said William Allford In hand Paid by the said George Will-  
 cox at or before the Sealing and Delivery of these presents the receipt whereof  
 he the said William Allford doth hereby acknowledge and thereof hath Acquit &  
 Discharge the said George Willcox his heirs Executors and Administrators hath  
 given granted Bargained and sold and by these presents doth give grant & sell  
 gain and sell unto the said George Willcox his heirs and Assigns forever one  
 tract or parcel of land situate lying and being In the County of Pittsylvania bound-  
 ed as followeth To wit the said tract containing Sixty Eight Acres be the same more  
 or less Beginning on Stanton River at the mouth of a Creek called Vallen-  
 stins Creek Then up the Creek to corner Walnut then straight line not west to  
 a White Oak then on the said Willcox's line North to the River then Down-

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the 26. 1776 —

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The River to the Mouth of the said Creek together with all Buildings Out Houses  
Gardens Fences Orchards trees woods under woods Ways Watercourses  
Habitations Commodities and Appurtenances ther unto Belonging or in any  
wise Appertaining to the same unto the said George Wilcox his heirs & Assigns  
and the Successors and Heirs Remainder and Remainders yearly and other  
Rents and profits of the said premises and of every Part and parcel ther of To  
have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land and all and Singular the pre-  
mises herein mentioned or intended to be bargained and sold with them and every of  
their Appurtenances unto the said George Wilcox his heirs Executors and Ad-  
ministrators for which said tract or parcel of Land and Premises now are in  
the Actual possession of him the said George Wilcox In Witnes  
where of the said William Allford hath hereunto set his hand and affixed  
his Seal the Day and year first above written

Sealed and Delivered

In Presence of

Richard <sup>his</sup> Breeding Henry <sup>his</sup> Mulin  
mark mark

John <sup>his</sup> McQuary Will Dudley  
mark

William Allford J.S.

January the 12. 1776 Received of the within named George Wilcox the sum  
of forty Pounds Current being the Consideration money for the within bargained  
Premises I joy received

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Richard <sup>his</sup> Breeding

mark

Henry <sup>his</sup> Mulin

mark

John <sup>his</sup> McQuary William Dudley

By me William Allford

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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776  
 This Indenture together with the receipt hereon Indorsed was by the subscriber  
 Named William Alford Acknowledged to be his Act and Deed of Martha wife  
 of the said William being Privately Examined as the Law directs Distinguished  
 her Right of Dowdryng to the within Land and premises Conveyed by her said  
 Husband to the within named George Willcox, all which was Ordered to be  
 Recorded By the Court

Test - Will Install it

Black

~~Black~~  
 from  
 McMillum  
 Bill Sale

Show all men by these presents that I Thomas McMillum of Pittsylvania  
 County and Colony of Virginia have sold and made over in Plain and Open  
 market a certain Gang of Hogs Viz. from long now Novatography Hill  
 Marked thus a Crop and Nit in the Right Ear, one sow and two Pigs now run-  
 ning up, Brown Creek the sow Marked with two Swallow forks four Old Hoops  
 3 of which is marked with a Crop and Nit on the Right Ear and one Blue sow  
 Marked two Swallow forks twelve, others Marked a Crop and Nit in the  
 Right Ear four Pigs Marked with a Crop on the Left Ear, One sow mark-  
 ed a Crop in the Right Ear and a half pony on the Right with her six pigs  
 & one Yearling sow Marked a Crop in the Left Ear and her six pigs In-  
 cluding in all Thirty four and in consideration of Seven pounds Currenty of  
 Virginia Warrting and Defending the same to his or his assigns from all and every  
 person or persons claim or to claim to him the said Thomas Black or his heirs  
 In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this seventh Day of  
 August 1776

Witness Present  
 James Dillard

Thos T. McMillum L.S.  
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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776  
 The Within Bill of Sale from Thomas McMillum to Thomas Black was proved  
 by the Oath of one of the Witnesses thereto to be the act & Deed of the said  
 Thomas

Thomas Melburn & the same was Ordered to be Recorded By the Court

West Will Tunstall

In the Name of the Common Wealth of Virginia To Hugh Jones &  
Archibald Hough Gent. & two of you. of the County of Pittsylvania. Whereas  
Peter Copland Gent by his certain Indenture of Thos instant bearing date the 21<sup>st</sup> day  
of September 1765 hath Conveyed unto Thomas Cooper of the County aforesaid One  
certain Tract or parcel of Land lying & Being in the County aforesaid on Beaver  
Creek & the Branches therefrom Containing Two Hundred & Fifty <sup>Acre</sup> more or less and  
Whereas the wife of the said Peter Copland cannot conveniently Travel to and from  
our said Court of Pittsylvania. Knoweys That we Trusting to your faithful & Provi-  
dent Circumpection in Examining Elizabeth the wife of the said Peter from and apart  
from her said Husband whether she does freely & Voluntarily without the Persuasion,  
or Threats of her said Husband Relinquish her right of Power in & to the said Land &  
Promises Conveyed by her said Husband in the said Indenture. and when you  
have it done that you Certify to our Justices of our said County Court of Pittyl-  
vania on the last Thursday in this Month under your hands & seals distinctly &  
Plainly you send together this Writ witness William Tunstall Clerk of  
our said Court at the Courthouse the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of August in the year of our  
Lord Christ One thousand seven hundred & Seventy six

Will Tunstall Co

Pittsylvania Set By Virtue of the above Commission so us directed we have  
examined Elizabeth the wife of the said Peter Copland apart from her said Husband touching  
her Relinquishment of Power in & to the above mentioned Two Hundred & Fifty  
Acres of Land conveyed by her said Husband to the within named Thomas Cooper  
and we do hereby certify that the said Elizabeth apart from her said Husband did  
freely & Voluntarily relinquish her right of Power in & to the said Land & premises  
so conveyed by her said Husband in the said Indenture to the said Thomas Cooper Given  
under our hands & seals this 27<sup>th</sup> August 1776

Hugh Jones S.S  
Arch. Hough. S.S

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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776  
 The Above Dedimus was returned and Ordered to be Recorded by the Court  
 West Hill Sunstable Co.

Daniel  
Brown  
Williams  
Dedimus

In the Name of the Commonwealth of Virginia &c To John  
 Donelson, John Dix, and John Winbush Gent: or any two of them Just  
 tices of the Commonwealth of the County of Pittsylvania Greeting  
 Whereas Henry Williams by his certain Indenture of Taffgment hath Conveyed  
 unto Richard Brainerd of the said County of Pittsylvania One certain Tract or  
 Paral of Land lying and being on the Branches of Elk horn & Squirrel Creek  
 in the said County Containing Eight Hundred Acres, and Whereas Ann the  
 Wife of the said Henry cannot conveniently travel to and from our said  
 County Court of Pittsylvania I know ye that we trusting to your faithfull &  
 Preuant Circumspetion in Examining Ann the wife of the said Henry from  
 and apart from her said Husband whether she does freely and Voluntarily with-  
 out the Persuasion or Threats of her said Husband Relinquish her Right of  
 Power in and to the said Land and promises Conveyed by her said Husband  
 in the said Indenture and when you have done it that you Certifie to our Justices  
 of our said Court of Pittsylvania under your hands and Seals distinctly and  
 Plainly you send Together with this Writ witness William Tinstall Clerk of our  
 said County Court at the Courthouse the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of August One thousand seven  
 hundred and Seventy six

West Hill Sunstable Co:

Pittsylvania sc

By virtue of the above Dedimus to us directed we have Examined  
 Ann the wife of Henry Williams apart from her said Husband Touching her  
 Relinquishment of Power in and to the above mentioned Eight hundred Acres of  
 Land Conveyed by her said Husband to the above named Richard Brainerd  
 hereby Certifie that the said Ann apart from her said Husband did freely and

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(68) Voluntarily without the persuasions or threats of her said husband relinquish her right of power in and to the said land & premises conveyed by her said Husband in the said Indenture to the said Richard Bain. Given under our hands and seals this 5<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776

In<sup>o</sup> Donelson L.S  
In<sup>o</sup> Windish L.S

To John  
& them his  
Greeting  
Land Conveyed  
in Tract on  
Quint Creek  
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and our said  
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Henry from  
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said Husband  
to our Justices  
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Thousand Seven  
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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County on 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776

This within Deed was returned & ordered to be recorded By the Court

(Test) Will Tunstall Co

In the name of the Common Wealth of Virginia, To Hugh  
Jones & Ambrose Hughes Gent or any two of the Justices of the County of Pittys-  
sylvania Greeting wheras Peter Copland by his certain Indenture of Tafford hath  
conveyed unto James Anthony one certain Tract or parcel of Land lying and being  
in the said County of Pittsylvania containing by estimation Three Thousand &  
Fifty Acres and wheras Elizabeth the wife of the said Peter cannot conveniently tra-  
vel to and from our said County Court of Pittsylvania Know ye that we trust-  
ing to your faithful and provident inspection in examining Elizabeth  
the wife of the said Peter from and apart from her said husband whether she  
does freely and voluntarily without the persuasions or threats of her said Husband re-  
linquish her right of power in and to the said land and premises conveyed by her  
said Husband in the said Indenture and when you record that you Certify to our  
Justices of our said Court of Pittsylvania under your hands and seals distinctly and  
plainly you send together with this Will Windish Wm Tunstall Esq of our said  
County Court at the Courthouse the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of August In the Year of our Lord  
Christ One thousand seven hundred & Seventy six

Will Tunstall

now Examined  
as Touching her  
aforesaid Acres of  
a Bain and  
aforesaid July 20  
John

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Pittsylvania set

By virtue of the above dedimus to us directed we have examined Elizabeth the wife of Peter Copland apart from her said husband touching her relinquishment of power in and to the above mentioned Three Hundred & Fifty Acres of Land conveyed by her said Husband to the above named James Anthony we do hereby certify that the said Elizabeth apart from her said husband did freely & voluntarily without the persuasions or threats of her said husband relinquish her right of power in and to the said Land & premises conveyed by her said husband in the said Indenture to the said James Anthony given under our hands & seals this 27<sup>th</sup> Day of August 1776

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At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> day of September 1776 The within Dedimus

Hugh Innes S.S.  
Arch<sup>d</sup> Hughes S.S.

was returned and Ordered to be recorded

Teste Will Tunstall C.S.

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from  
Coplands  
Dedimus  
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In the name of the Common Wealth of Virginia, to  
Hugh Innes & Archelous Hughes Gent or any two of the Justices of County  
of Pittsylvania Greeting whences Peter Copland by his certain Indenture for  
offment hath conveyed unto Abraham Penn of the County of Pittsylvania  
one certain Tract or parcel of Land lying and being in the said County of Pitt-  
sylvania containing by estimation One Hundred & twenty five acres and where-  
as Elizabeth the wife of the said Peter cannot conveniently travel to & from our  
said County Court of Pittsylvania I knowe that we trusting to your faithful-  
& prouident circumfiscition in examining Elizabeth the wife of the said Peter  
apart from her said Husband whether she does the same freely and voluntarily with-  
out the persuasions or threats of her said Husband relinquish her right of power in  
and to the same Land and premises conveyed by her said Husband in the said In-  
denture and when you have done it that you Certifie to our Justices of our said  
Court of Pittsylvania under your hands and seals distinctly and plainly  
you and together with this Writ witness Will Tunstall Clerk of our said

County

16<sup>th</sup> County Court at the Courthouse the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of August In the Year of our Lord Christ  
m<sup>th</sup> thousand Seven Hundred & Seventy Six

Hill Tunstall

Pittsylvania Co.

By virtue of the above commission nowe directed we have examined Elizabeth the wife of the  
Peter Capland apart from her said Husband touching her relinquishment of power in  
in the said  
as of Deeds  
Wives L.S.  
Husbands L.S.  
To the above mentioned One Hundred & twenty five Acres of Land conveyed by her said hus-  
band to the above named Abraham Penn we do hereby certifie that the said Elizabeth  
apart from her said Husband did freely and voluntarily relinquish her right of Dower in  
and to the said Land and Promises conveyed by her said husband in the said Indenture to the  
said Abraham Penn Given under our hands and Seals this 27<sup>th</sup> Day of August 1776

Hugh Jones S.S.

Arch. Hough S.S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> day of September 1776

The within Indenture was read and Ordered to be Recorded by the Court

Per Hill Tunstall C.R.

This Indenture made this third 3<sup>rd</sup> Day of July in the Year of our Lord One  
thousand Seven Hundred & Seventy Six Between Jno. Thompson of Pittsylvania  
County of Colony of Virginia planter of the one part & Robert Talton planter of the other  
part witnesseth that the said Jno. Thompson as well for and in consideration of  
the sum of Thirty Pounds Twelve Shillings & 8 pence that by him in hand Recd  
 hath Bargained sold and made over unto certain Tract & Part of Land being and lying  
in Pittsylvania County on the Head of Straberry Containing by Estimation One Hecto-  
ne Acre more or less laid off by marked lines for the full sum aforesaid made from  
the Hill to the said Thompson which he the said Thompson hath Bargained sold & signed  
in presence of

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Enspesse & Confirmd by these presents Dost give grant Bargain & Seal  
forn to the said Robert Palston his heirs & assigns all that Tract or Part of  
Land with all the appurtenances thereto belonging Houses out Houses Stables  
Barns Gardens Meadows Orchards fields Lands & Tenements wood,  
& under woods & Water courses Extents Profits Priviledges Heredita-  
ments & appurtenances whatsoever the said Tract or Part of Land belonging  
or in anywise appertaining Or there with all Currishly used Occupied or  
Injoyed of the Reversion and Devisions Remainder & Remainders Parts

and Successes of all & Singular the said Premises & all the Estate Right  
Title property Claim & Demand Whatsoever of him the said In<sup>c</sup> Tomp-  
son of late to the Above paid mentioned Tract or part of Land and premises  
him & every Part & Part thereof with their and every of their appurtenancies  
to have & hold the said Part of Land Hereditaments & Tenements all  
& Singular the premises hereby Granted and Conveyed with their & every  
of their Appurtenances unto the said Robert Palston his heirs & assigns to  
the Only Proprietary & Behoof of him the said Robert Palston his Heirs  
& Assigns forever of the said In<sup>c</sup> Thompson for himself his Heirs Exec of  
Assigns doth Covenant & Agree to & with Robert Palston his heirs &  
Assigns by these Presents that the said Robert Palston his Heirs &  
Assigns shall have & may lawfully from hence forth forever hereafter  
Peaceably & Quietly have hold use & Occupy & possess & enjoy the said Land  
& Premises hereby Granted & Conveyed With their & every of their appur-  
tenances free & Clear Right harmless & from all former and other Rights  
Grants Bargains and Sales In Witness whereof John Thompson hath  
hereunto

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I have set my hand & Seal this third Day of July  
Sealed and delivered  
In the presence of us

Sam Shilds

John Thompson S.S.

William Shilds

Jas Cunningham

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776

This Indenture of Bargain & Sale from the above named John Thompson to  
Robert Ralston by the above John Thompson Acknowledged to be his and  
Ded and the same was Ordered to be Recorded by the Court

Father Mullinall Esq

This Indenture made this 1<sup>st</sup> Day of August in the Year of our  
Lord Christ one thousand seven hundred and Twenty six Between John  
Cook of Pittsylvania County of the one part and Patrick Morrison of the same  
County of the other part witnesseth that the said John Cook of and in Consider-  
ation of the sum of Twenty Pounds Current money of Virginia to him now paid  
the receipt whereof both hereby Acknowledg have given granted Bargained sold and  
by these Presents do give grant Bargain sell and Confirm unto the said Patrick  
Morrison and to his heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns one certain tract par-  
al or Dividend of land containing Two hundred Acres more or less According to the  
Bounds being part of four hundred Acres granted first to Charles Bechtel bearing  
Date the tenth Day of August one thousand seven hundred fifty Nine dying and  
Being in County above staid and on the Tye River Creek being upper part of said  
Land aforesaid and bounded as followeth To wit Beginning at a White Oak  
on the south line where a new made Line of Markt Trees to the North side run to  
a Red Oak standing thence South Seventy five Degrees West to a Black Oak thence

south

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South in Degrees East two hundred and Sixty Miles to Red Oak and Hickory top  
then thence North Seventy five Degrees East to the Beginning With orchards Garden  
woods under way Water and Water courses there unto belonging or in any wise appur-  
tenant. To have and to hold the said Land and Appurtenance unto the said  
Patrick Morrison and to his heirs and Assigns forever and the said John Cock  
both for himself his heirs and Assigns covenant and agree to and with the said  
Patrick Morrison that he the said John Cock his heirs and Assigns the above  
Land and promising together with the Appurtenances unto the said Patrick Mo-  
rison and to his heirs and Assigns forever shall and will warrant and By  
these Presents forever Defend in Witness whereof the said John Cock have  
hereunto set his hand and first his Seal the Day and Year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered  
In presence of us  
Thomas Goad  
Abel Morgan  
John Goad

*John J. Cock L.S.*  
mark  
*Elizabeth Cock her L.S.*

Memorandum that on the 4<sup>th</sup> Day of August in the Year of our Lord  
Christ One thousand Seven hundred and Seventy Six Survey of Part of the Within  
Mentioned Land and Surveying by the within Named John Cock unto the <sup>re</sup> -  
Within Patrick Morrison According to the Effect and meaning of the within writ-  
ten Deed is hereby Acknowledged to be made

Thomas Goad  
Abel Morgan  
John Goad *Deo: Vnde: Patrick Morrison*

*John J. Cock L.S.*  
mark  
*Elizabeth Cock her L.S.*  
*John J. Cock L.S.*  
mark

The sum of Twenty Pounds Current money  
of Virginia aff me  
Thomas Goad, Abel Morgan  
John Goad

*Elizabeth Cock her L.S.*  
mark

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At a Court held for Pennsylvania County the 26<sup>th</sup> Day of September 1776  
This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Livery and Seizure  
and Receipt hereon endorsed was proved by the Oaths of the Witnesses thereunto  
of the within named John Cook and  
to be the several Acts and Deed the same was Drawn to be Recorded by the Court

Pst Mill Gunstall C.D.

This Indenture made this 12<sup>th</sup> Day of June in the year of Our Lord  
One thousand Seven hundred and Twenty Six Between Lewis Ginkins of the  
part and Thomas Smith of the other part Both of the County of Pennsylvania  
Witnesseth that the said Lewis Ginkins hath given granted and confirmed unto  
the said Thos. Smith his heirs and Assigns for ever One Certain Tract or Parcel  
of Land lying and Being on both Sides of Pigtown in the County aforesaid  
Beginning on a Red Oak on the First & Thence Running North to the  
order line at a Red Oak Thence along the Order line to a Beach thence down  
the branch to a Beach on the River Thence across the River a South course to  
William Steagell line and on his line to the River for Compliment of one hundred  
Acres more or less except one Acre of Land for a Berrying Land where Thomas Pott-  
er's wife was Buried with all her houses and houses orchards gardens Fences  
Woods underwoods Waters & Water courses there unto belonging or in anywise ap-  
pertaining to him the said Thomas Smith and to his heirs for ever To have  
and to hold the said Land premises with all singular the Appurtenances  
what so ever to the same belonging or in anywise appertaining to him the said  
Thos. Smith his heirs forever and he the said Lewis Ginkins for himself and  
his heirs the said lands and premises with their and every of their Ap-  
pertinances to the said Thos. Smith his heirs and Assigns shall and will warrant  
and

and defend by these ~~Yourselves~~ Against any Person or Persons whatsoever laying  
any Right or Title to the same or any Part thereof witness hereof he the said  
Lewis Ginkins hath here unto set his hand and sealed the day and year first  
above written Deed Assigned and Sealed

In presence of us

John Law Jun<sup>r</sup> David Willis

Lewis + <sup>his</sup>  
<sub>mark</sub> Ginkins S.S.

Memorandum that on the 12<sup>th</sup> Day of June in the Year of our Lord  
one thousand Seven hundred and Seventy six full and Peaceable Possession  
and Seizure of the Within Land and Tenements was made Done and Delivered  
by the Within Named Lewis Ginkins to the Within Named Thomas Smith  
According to the intent and meaning of the Within Written Deed.

Assigned and Delivered

In presence of us

John Law Jun<sup>r</sup> David Willis

Lewis + <sup>his</sup>  
<sub>mark</sub> Ginkins S.S.

Q.<sup>rd</sup>

At a Court held at Pennsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1776  
This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Lewis Ginkins herein  
Indorsed was Acknowledged by the above Named Lewis Ginkins to be his Act  
and Deed and the same was Ordered to be Recorded By the Court

P. W. Dunstall C. J.

This Indenture made this 18 Day of July one thousand seven hundred  
and Seventy six Between James Clemmons of Pittsylvania County of  
the one part and Samuel Mosley of the said County of the other part witnesseth  
that the said James Clemmons for and in consideration of the sum of Eighty Pounds  
Current Money of Virginia by him the said Samuel Mosley to him the said  
James Clemmons in hand paid before the sealing and Delivering of these Pre-  
sents the Receipt whereof he the said James Clemmons doth hereby Acknowledge  
and have of both acquittance and Discharge him the said Samuel Mosley his heirs Ex-  
ecutors Administrators Health granted Bargained Sold Enfeoffed and Confirmed  
and by these Presents both Grant Bargain Sell Enfeoffed and Confirmed  
unto the said Samuel Mosley his heirs or Assigns One Hundred Acres of Land be-  
the same more or less in Pittsylvania County lying on the South Fork of Ban-  
by River and Bounded by Randolph Gibson, John Strong and Thos Calaway  
Survey To have and to hold the said foregoing Plantation and tract  
of Land with the Apertures thereof unto the said Samuel Mosley his heirs and Ex-  
signs to the only use and behoof of the said Samuel Mosley his heirs and Assigns  
forever and the said James Clemmons his heirs Executors Administrators the said  
foregoing Plantation and tract of Land with the Apertures hereof unto him the  
said Samuel Mosley his heirs and Assigns I shall will Warrant and forever defend  
by these Presents Against the Claims and Command of him the said James Clemmons  
his heirs and Assigns or any other Person whatsoever and the said James Clemmons  
for himself his heirs and Administrators doth covenant promises and with the said  
Samuel Mosley his heirs Executors and Administrators and Assigns that the  
premises and every part thereof are free Discharged from all manner of incum-

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and that the said Samuel Mosley his heirs and Assignes for (and not with stand-  
ing any act or thing by him) the said James Clements or other Persons committed  
don or subject to be done shall lawfully may forever here after have full  
use occupy Possess and Enjoy the same and every part thereof with the Ap-  
pertances with the Lawfull Act or Injunction of every part thereof from the  
James Clements or Assignes or any other person what so ever Wilness  
Whereof the Parties aforesaid to these presents have set their hand and affixed their  
Seal the day and year above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In the  
In the Present of us

The Chas. Arthur Hopfut

Marshall Nash

James Clement L.S.

Recd on the Day of the Date of the Within Written Indenture of the within  
Named Saml Mosley the sum of Eighty Pounds Current Money being the Con-  
sideration Within mentioned I pay Recd by me

Memorandum that on the Day of the Date of the Within Written Indenture  
for and Passable payment of Duing of the within mentioned promises by me  
had and taken and by me Delivered unto the Within mentioned Saml Mosley

Recd

Chas. Hodge

Arthur Hopfut Marshall Nash

James Clement

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 25 Day of November 1776

This Indenture together with the memorandum of Duing and Sizeng hereon Indorsed  
was Acknowledged by the Within Name James Clement to be his Act and Deed  
and the same was Ordred to be Recorded By the Court

P. M. Gunstall C. D.

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Sale  
from  
Humphrey  
Died

This Indenture made this 27<sup>th</sup> day of November in the year of our Lord Christ  
one thousand seven hundred and twenty six Between William Murphy of Bradford  
County & Parish of Russell of the one part & Joseph Hale of the County of Pennsylvania  
and Parish of Cambden of the other Part witnesseth that the said William Murphy  
for and in Consideration of Sixty Seven Pounds Current Money of Virginia to him in  
hand paid by the said Joseph Hale the Receipt whereof the said William Murphy doth  
humbly Acknowledge he the said William Murphy hath Granted Bargained & Sold Aland  
and Conveyed by these Presents both grant, Bargain & Sell alien and Confirm  
unto the said Joseph Hale His Heirs and Assigns forever On Certain Tract or Par-  
cel of Land Containing One Hundred and Sixty four Acres being part of a Survey of  
Five Hundred & Twenty Acres the Patent whereof is dated September Twenty six One  
Thousand Seven Hundred Sixty Six lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania  
on both sides the North fork of Pigg River and bounded as follows Beginning  
at a Gum Post & Pointes thence north fifty Degrees East Twenty poles to a Dog-  
wood, North fifty Degrees West Eighty Eight poles to a Gum North ninety Eight  
Poles to a White Oak and Charnel West Hundred Yards to a Red Oak North Sixty  
Degrees West Twenty Six poles to a Charnel, south ten degrees West to a Red Oak  
Saplin on the side of a Money Hill then a straight <sup>line</sup> to the Beginning. Together  
with all Woods Underwoods & Commons Common of Pasture Woods Commons  
Advantages Hereditaments, Ways, Water & Water Courses and all Appurtenances  
whatsoever to the said Mesnage & Lands above mentioned Belonging or in any  
wise Appertaining & the Reversion & Reversionary Remainders and Remainders Rents  
and Diverses of the said Premises of every Part thereof and all the Estate Right  
Title Interest Claims and Demand what soever of him the said William Murphy  
of in and to the said Mesnage & Premises and every Part thereof To have and  
to hold the said Mesnage or Tenement and all and Singular the Premises above  
Mentioned and every part and parcel thereof with the Appurtenances unto the said  
Joseph

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Joseph Hale His heirs & Assigns forever and the said William Murphy  
 for him and his heirs the said message or remonstrance promises in every part  
 thereof against him and his heirs and against all and every other person  
 or persons whatsoever to him the said Joseph Hale His Heirs & Assigns  
 shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents in witness  
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day and year first above  
 written

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In presence of

Jn<sup>o</sup> Donelson

Abra. Stulton

John Cox

Jn<sup>o</sup> Wilson

*James*

William Murphy S.S.

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274) To all Christian People to whom these Presents shall come I Now ye that I William  
McBee of the Parish Camden in the County of Pittsylvania within the Colony of Virg-  
inia for divers good Causes and Considerations moving me herunto But more especially  
for the Natural Love and Affection I have unto my Son James McBee to give grant  
and fully make over by these Presents forever unto him one certain Tract or Parcell  
of Land Containing one Hundred Acres and Bounded as followeth Beginning at  
a White Oak at Walkers Corner thence South forty three Degrees East along Walkers  
line Two hundred and Eleven poles to Walkers Corner thence thence a new line  
North fifty four degrees East fifty eight poles to a popular known as Maxline  
North forty one Degrees West One hundred and Eighty poles to a White Oak corner  
on Beens Old line thence South Sixty Seven Degrees West along Beens Old line  
to the Beginning. It being Part of the Tract wheron I now live. I give the same  
with all the Appertances unto my Son James McBee to him his heirs & Assigns  
forever with all Interest Claim and Demand whatsoever in fee Simple from  
the date here of this Eleventh day of May an in the Year fourt Aord one thousand  
Seven Hundred and Twenty six In Wiltress whereof I have hereunto set my  
hand and affixid my Seal the day & year above written

Wiltress Present

Edward <sup>his</sup> Cathal

Richard <sup>mark</sup> Jane. William Macbee Jr.

William N. Macbee S.S.  
mark

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1776  
This Deed of Gift from William Macbee to James Macbee was Acknow-  
ledged by the said William to be his Act and Deed & the same was Ordered to be  
Recorded By the Court

Pet M<sup>r</sup> Gunstall C<sup>o</sup>

Shadwell  
from  
John  
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Know all men by these presents that we George Chadwell and Gennimah his wife of (Alleghany) County Virginia, Being inform'd of Bodys and not able to act in business to the common support of life do Covenant and Agree to and with our son John Chadwell of the said County, for divers good causes and considerations to make this our formal Deed of Conveyance of all our Right of that Tract of Land of Land wherein we now live, and one Negroe Man named Aquiu with all out Stock of Horses Cattle & hoggs & Household furniture and all out other Estate Real and Personal and hereby Impart him the said John Chadwell to Transact all our business whatsoever. For an consideration that he the said John Chadwell is to find us the said George Chadwell and Gennimah his wife sufficient Clothing Lodging Ditt and all other Necessaries suitable for our support &c During our Natural Lives, for which Consideration we do give grant Deed Convey and Confer and Deliver this our Estate, Real and Personal to him the said John Chadwell his Heirs &c for Ent and we do warrant and defend the said Estate to the said John Chadwell Against the claim or demand of any Person or Persons whatsoever. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this Twenty seventh day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Seventy six

Signed Sealed & Delivered  
In presence of  
Peter Perkins  
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Richard Marr  
John his  
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George Chadwell  
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Jennimah Chadwell  
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276) At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 28<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1776  
The Within Bill of Sale was proved by the Oaths of three of the Witnesses thereto to  
be the Act and Deed of the within Named George Chadwell and Immah Chadwell  
and the same was Onward to be Recorded By the Court

Geo. W<sup>t</sup> Pittsylvania Co.

This Indenture made this twenty fifth day of June in the Year of our Lord  
one thousand Seven hundred & Seventy Six Between Thomas Drake & Kathrine  
his Wife, of Pittsylvania County, of the one part, and Benjamin Brown of the  
same County of the other Part witnesseth, that the said Thomas Drake & Kathrine  
his wife for and in consideration of the sum of Sixty five Pounds Current money  
of Virginia to him the said Thomas Drake & Kathrine his wife in hand paid by  
the said Benj<sup>t</sup> Brown before the Sealing & Delivering of these Presents, the Receipt  
whereof is hereby Acknowledged by the said Thomas Drake & Kathrine his wife  
hath Given, Granted, Bargained & Sold, and by these Presents Doth give, grant  
and deliver & Confirm unto the said Benj<sup>t</sup> Brown, his heirs and assigns  
forever, one certain Tract or Parcel of Land containing Eighty two Acres situate  
lying & being in the said County of Pittsylvania, on Elkhorn a Creek of Danister  
bounded as follows (To wit) Beginning at Pointers, thence South nineteen  
Degrees West one Hundred & Fourteen Yards to a point North forty seven Degrees, West  
One Hundred & Eighty eight Yards; to a Stake in Dunton Spring line, North twenty  
five Degrees East forty four Yards to Pointers whence a new line South Twenty five  
Degrees East One Hundred & Sixty eight Yards to the first Stake. Together with  
all and singular the Privileges & Appurtenances thereto belonging or in any  
wise appertaining To have and to hold the above said Land & premises

unto the said Benj<sup>c</sup> Brown, his heirs and Assigns forever To have hold & occupy  
Possess & enjoy the same with every part thereof, to him the said Benj<sup>c</sup> Brown  
his heirs and Assigns forever against whom the said Thos Leake & Katharine  
his wife their heirs or Assigns and against the claim & demand of all other  
Persons whatsoever made by these presents do warrant & Defend the same

In Witness whereof the said Thomas Leake & Katharine his wife hath  
hereunto set their hands & seals, the date above written

Sealed and Delivered

In Presence of  
John Wimbush. Stephen Yates  
Richard Yates. John Martin

Thomas Leake *L.S.*  
Catharine Leake *L.S.*

Memorandum, that on the day & year first written mentioned  
quit & Vacable Possession & Seizure of the within Granted Land & premises  
with all the Appurtenances, was Given & made by Thomas Leake & Katharine his  
wife to Benjamin Brown, agreeable to the within Indenture.

In Presence of  
John Wimbush  
Stephen Yates  
Richard Yates  
John Martin

Thomas Leake *L.S.*  
Catharine Leake *L.S.*

Pec<sup>r</sup> of Benj<sup>c</sup> Brown, the day and year within mentioned the sum of fifty  
five pounds currency, as full Consideration for the within sold Land &  
Premises

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Stephen Yates  
Richard Yates  
John Martin

Thomas Leake  
Catharine Leake

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In the name of the commonwealth of Virginia. To the Notary John  
Dix & John Wimberly Gent or any two of the Justices of the Commonwealth of the County  
of Pittsylvania Greeting Whenceas Thomas Leek by his certain Indenture of Trust  
most hath Conveyed unto Benjamin Brown of the said County of Pittsylvania  
an certain Tract or Part of Land lying and being on both Sides of Elk horn Creek in the  
County aforesaid Containing eighty two Acres more or less, and wher as Catharine the wife  
of the said Thomas cannot conveniently Travel to and from out said County Court of  
Pittsylvania. Herewy that we Trusting to your faithfull & Presidit Circum-  
spection Examining Catharine the wife of the said Thomas from ane apart  
from her said Husband whether she was freely and voluntarily Without the Persuasions  
or Threats of her said Husband Relinquish her Right of Dower in and to the said  
Land & Promises Conveyed by her said Husband in the said Indenture and when  
you have soe it you Certifie to us Justice of our said County Court of Pittsylvania  
under your hands & Seal distinctly & Plainly you find Together with this Writ  
Witness Will Tunstall Clerk of our said Court at the Courthouse the 1<sup>st</sup> Day of Septemb<sup>r</sup>  
One thousand Seven Hundred & Sixty six

Will Tunstall

Pittsylvania Co

By Virtue of the above Deed we have Examined Catharine the wife of Thomas  
Leek apart from her said Husband Touching her Relinquishment of Dower in and to  
the above mentioned eighty two Acres of Land more or less Conveyed by her said husband  
to the above named Benjamin Brown. We do hereby Certify that the said  
Catharine apart from her said Husband did freely and voluntarily without the  
Threats or Persuasions of her said Husband Relinquish her Right of Dower in & to  
the said Land & Promises Conveyed by her said Husband in the said Indenture  
to the said Benj<sup>a</sup> Brown. Given under our hands & seals this 1<sup>st</sup> day of Sept<sup>r</sup> 1776

Jno Donelson L.S.  
Jno Wimberly L.S.

At a Court held at Pittsylvania County the 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August 1776

This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Deed of Deed of Receipt  
hereon indorsed was proved by the Oaths of Two of the Witnesses thereto to be the  
Several Acts & Deeds of the within Named Thomas Leach and the same  
was ordered to be certified, and afterwards (to writ) at a Court held for the  
said County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of November 1776 the same was further proved  
by the Oaths of other Witnesses thereto to be the Several Acts and Deeds of the  
said Thomas Leach, also the Deed or Deeds annexed was returned all  
which was ordered to be Recorded by the Court

First Mill Tunstall Co

George George  
Sam. Sam.  
Purcell Purcell

This Indenture made this third Day of January in the Year of  
Our Lord one thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty Seven Pittsylvania County  
John Purcell of the County of Pittsylvania of the one Part and John George of  
the same County of the other Part witnesseth that the said John Purcell  
for and in Consideration of the sum of Eighty Pounds Current Money  
of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said John George the Receipt whereof  
he doth hereby Acknowledge hath granted Bargained and sold Aland  
Released and Conferm'd by these Presents Both Grant Bargain and  
Sell Aland Release and Conferm unto the said John George his heirs Ex-  
ecutors and Administrators one certain Tract or Parc of Land lying on the  
upper fork of King Creek joining the lands of Daniel Morgan Francis Short  
and William Doss including the Plantation whereon the said George now  
living being in the said County of Pittsylvania containing by Estimation One  
Hundred Acres More or less being part of a greater Tract Granted to Francis  
Short by Patent bearing Date the 20<sup>th</sup> of July 1748 whose Bounds was followg

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(To Wit), Beginning at a Hickory tree North fifty four Degrees West  
Sixty four poles & two thirds to a Pine, North Thirty five Degrees East two hundred  
and forty eight poles to a White Oak, South fifty five East sixty four poles & two  
thirds to a Barleycorn on Hickory Road, South Thirty five Degrees West two hundred  
& forty eight poles to the Beginning. Together with all Houses Gardens Trees  
Woods Underwoods Meadows Feedings & profits commoditys Advantages Attesta-  
tions and Appurtenances whatsoever to the said tract of Land and premises  
above mentioned belonging or in anywise Appertaining and also the Rents and  
Reversions Remainder and Remainder Rents and Services of the premises above  
mentioned and of every Park and Parel thereof with the Appurtenances to have  
and to hold, the said tract or Parel of Land above mentioned and every Park  
and Parel thereof with the Appurtenances unto the said John George his heirs  
to the only purpose & behoof of him the said John George his heirs  
& assigns forever and in the said John Ferrell for himself and his heirs  
with covenant grant and agree to and with the said John George his heirs  
and assigns by these presents that he the said John Ferrell and his heirs  
the said tract or Parel of Land and premises above mentioned and every  
Park and Parel thereof with the Appurtenances unto the said John George  
his heirs and assigns against him the said John Ferrell and his heirs and a-  
gainst all and every other Person or Persons whatsoever shall and will war-  
rant and forever Defend by these presents. In Middlesex whereof I have  
hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written

Signed Sealed & Delivered  
In the presence of

Joshua Stone

Edm. Taylor

Joel. Short

John M. Ferrell J.S.  
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Memorandum of Every and Several of the within Land and  
Promises Granted to the within Names John George from the within named  
John Russell According to the full purport meaning and intent of the within

Written Indenture

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Hamond Taylor, Joel Sherk.

John <sup>his</sup> M Russell  
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Recd on the day of the date of the within Written Deed Eighty  
Pounds Current Money of Virginia being the Consideration Money  
Mentioned to be by him Paid to me

Pt

Joshua Stone

Hamond Taylor, Joel Sherk

John <sup>his</sup> R Russell  
mark

In a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 23 Day of January 1777

This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Every and Several Promises herein  
Indicated was Acknowledged by the above Named John Russell to be his, Personally  
and Due of Orange to be Recited By the Court

Attest Wm. Dinsdale Co.

Darris  
from  
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This Indenture the Twenty fourth Day of December in the  
Year of our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty four, Between  
Joshua Stephens of the County of Halifax of the one Part and James Gray  
of the aforesaid County of the other Part Witnesseth that for and  
in Consideration of the sum of Fifty Pounds Current of Virginia to  
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John P. Fennell

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I bind the said Joshua Stephens in hand paid by the said James Paris Jr at or  
before the Sealing and Delivery of These Presents the Receipt Whereof the said  
Joshua Stephens doth Acknowledge Acquit and Discharge and every Part  
thereof hath Bargained sold and confirmed unto the said James Paris Jr  
in his heirs or Assigns and every of them by these Presents he the said Joshua  
Stephens and Betty his wife hath Granted Bargained sold and confirmed  
and by these Presents doth Grant Bargain sell and Confirm to the said  
James Paris Jr in his heirs or Assigns for ever A certain Tract or Parcel of  
Land lying and being in the County of Pittsylvania on the South side of  
Danestic River containing Sixty Acres be the same more or less and Bounded  
as followeth (To wit) Beginning at Enoch Logans line Against the mo-  
uth of Allens Creek Thence a South west East a straight line to a corner  
Spruce Pine on the River in Elisha Dyer's line thence down the said River  
to the Beginning. With all the Appurtenances belonging or in any wise Appur-  
tenance to the Premises hereby Granted or intended to be Granted and Re-  
version & Reversions Remainder, and Remainders, and all Benefits and  
Profits of the said Land and Premises and all Rights Claims or Interest  
and Securities relating to the same To have and to hold the said  
Land and Premises unto the said James Paris Jr His Heirs and Assigns  
forever to the only profit use and behalfe of him the said James Paris  
his heirs and Assigns for ever and the said Joshua Stephens and Bettys his  
wife doth hereby Grant for themselves and other Heirs that they and their  
Heirs and every of them shall and will warrant and defend the  
said Land and Premises and every Part and Article Whereof with all and  
singular their Rights and Appurtenances unto the said James Paris his Heirs  
and Assigns forever Against him the said Joshua Stephens and his Heirs  
etc

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forever are every of them an<sup>e</sup> Against every other Person whomsoever haying  
any claim or title unto the said Land and Premises a<sup>e</sup> where  
fore the said Joshua Stephens and Betty his wife doth acknowledge  
Acquit and Discharge unto the said James Faries to his heirs and assigns  
for ever all Right Title Interest an<sup>e</sup> Property that is belonging or appur-  
taining therunto In witness whereof the said Joshua Stephens  
and Betty his wife hath hereunto set their hands and seals the day  
and year first above written

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In the presence of

John Clever, Joshua Stone

Will Doff, Elisha Dyer

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mark  
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Joshua F. Stephens J.S.  
Betty F. Stephens J.S.

Memorandum that on the Twenty seventh Day of Decem<sup>r</sup>  
in the Year of our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy four  
that full and peaceable an<sup>e</sup> quiet Possession of the within Land &  
Premises with the Appurtenances by him the said Joshua Stephens is  
Granted and Confirmed unto the said Joshua Stephens hath here unto set  
his hand and seal

Signed Sealed and Delivered

In presence of

Elisha Dyer, William Doff

John Clever, Joshua Stone

his  
mark

Joshua F. Stephens J.S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of August 1777.

To witness & indenture together with the Memorandum of Saving and Fugitive Servants  
induced was granted by the Oaths of two of the Witnesses thereto to the aforesaid  
of the within Named John Frederick Miller and Betty his Wife of Orderred to be  
servantes and apprentices to him as a Court held for the said County the 23<sup>rd</sup>  
Day of January 1777 the same was further granted by the oath of " " the  
other Witness thereto. All which was Declared to be Recordeed by the said  
John W. Tunkle Esq.

This Indenture made the Ninth Day of October in the Year of our  
Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Twenty Six Between Thomas  
Man Randolph of the County of Goodland of the One Part and John Frederick  
Miller of the County of Halifax of the other Part Witnesseth that the  
said Thomas Man Randolph for and in consideration of the said Miller  
leasing & having on Third Part of a Tract of Land lying on both Sides of the  
North Fork of Mayo River Granted by Paint to the said Randolph Han-  
mon & King an<sup>c</sup> for divers other Considerations hath Bargained & Sold and  
by these Presents do Bargain & Sell unto the said John Frederick Miller his  
Heirs & Assigns one certain Tract or Parcel of Land containing Four Hundred  
and Forty Acres lying on both Sides of the said River of the upper end of the  
before mentioned Tract to be cut off by a line run from a White Oak corner at  
the end of a line running South thirty four East one hundred & sixteen poles  
right a crook the River to a corner Spanish Oak an<sup>c</sup> the River & Reversions  
Remainder & Remainders Rents Issues and Profits there of an<sup>c</sup> of every Part  
Divided there of To have and to hold the said Tract or Parcel of Land and  
every part thereof with their an<sup>c</sup> way of their Appurtenances unto the said John  
Frederick Miller his Heirs and Assigns to the only Proprietor an<sup>c</sup> Behoof of  
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turn the said John Frederick Miller his heirs and Assigns forever are the  
 said Thomas Mann Randolph for himself his heirs Executors & Administrators  
 do covenant and Agree to and with the said John Frederick Miller his heirs  
 Executors Administrators and Assigns that he the said John Frederick Miller  
 the said Heirs or Assigns shall & may from time to time and at all times for  
 ever hereafter have hold Occupy Possess & enjoy the said Tract or Parc of  
 Land and every part thereof with the Appurtenances clearly described &  
 bounded & Titled of Dowes and all other Incumbrances Claims &  
 Demands whatsoever from him the said Thomas Mann Randolph his heirs  
 Exec Adm' or Assigns & from all and every other Person or Persons what so  
 ever claiming under him or them and the said Thomas Mann Randolph  
 for himself and his heirs the said Tract of Land & Premises with their Appur-  
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 claiming under him or them shall and will Warrant & forever by these  
 Presents Delind In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand &  
 Sealed the day and year above written. In witness before signed the word(s) (s)  
 Sealed & Delivered In presence of

Nat. Terry. Jas. Donelson

Jas. Donelson Jr. Micajah Mathews

R. Williams Ben Larkford

Thomas M. Randolph J. S.

This Indenture made this 25<sup>th</sup> Day of February in the Year of  
our Lord One Thousand Hundred and Twenty Seven Between William Roberts of  
the Parish of Camden in Hillsylvania County of the one Part and John Roberts  
of Hillsylvania County of the other Part witnesseth that the said William  
Roberts for and in Consideration of the sum of One Hundred Pounds Current  
Money of Virginia in hand paid by the said John Roberts at or before the sealing &  
Delivery of these Presents the Receipt whereof he doth hereby Acknowledge and these  
of Coats Aquit Release and Discharge the said John Roberts his Heirs Executors  
and Administrators by these Presents to the said William Roberts hath Granted Bar-  
gained and Almond Released and Confirmed and by these Presents hath Grant  
Bargain Sold Almond Released and Confirmed unto the said John Roberts his heirs  
and Assigns for ever one Tract or Parce of Land lying in Hillsylvania County  
and is bounded as follows (To wit) Beginning at the said line crossing west  
Hawk and Down the said Creek as it Manders to the bank of the said Creek below  
the Spring branch thence South East to the said line thence along the said line  
to the Beginning containing One Hundred and Twenty three Acres more or less  
To have and to hold the said be the same more or less and all its Appurte-  
nances to the said John Roberts his Heirs and Assigns forever to the Only proper  
use and Benefit of him the said John Roberts his Heirs and Assigns forever.  
And the said William Roberts for himself his heirs Executors &c doth covenant  
and Agree that the said John Roberts hath an Absolute Right to Grant and  
Convey the said One Hundred and Twenty three Acres of Land with all its Ap-  
pertinences to the said John Roberts his heirs and Assigns as above staid and that the  
said Presents now are and shall forever remaine Clear and free from all Encumbran-  
ces whatsoever of him the said William Roberts or any other Person or Persons what-  
soever and that the said William Roberts his Heirs & all and singular the

Yours,

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This Indenture made this 25<sup>th</sup> Day of February in the Year of  
our Lord, Sixteen Hundred and Twenty Seven, Between William Roberts of  
the Parish of Camden in Hillsylvania County of the one Part and John Roberts  
of Hillsylvania County of the other Part witnesseth that the said William  
Roberts for and in Consideration of the sum of One Hundred Pounds Current  
Money of Virginia in hand paid by the said John Roberts at or before the sealing &  
Delivery of these Presents, the Receipt whereof he doth hereby Acknowledge and Shows  
of Coath Acquit Release and Discharge the said John Roberts his Heirs Executors  
and Administrators by these Presents to the said William Roberts hath Granted Bar-  
gained and Aligned Release and Confirme and by these Presents hath Grant  
Bargain and Aligned Release and Confirme unto the said John Roberts his heirs  
and Assigns for ever one Tract or Parce of Land lying in Hillsylvania County  
and is bounded as followeth (To wit) Beginning at the said line crossing west  
Hawk and Down the said Creek as it Manders to the bank of the said Creek below  
the Spring branch thence South East to the said line thence along the said line  
to the Beginning containing One Hundred and Twenty three Acres more or less  
To have and to hold the said land to the same more or less and all its Appurte-  
nances to the said John Roberts his Heirs and Assigns forever to the Only proper  
use and Behoof of him the said John Roberts his Heirs and Assigns forever.  
And the said William Roberts for himself his heirs Executors &c doth covenant  
and Agree that the said John Roberts hath an Absolute Right to Grant and  
Convey the said One Hundred and Twenty three Acres of Land with all its Ap-  
pertinences to the said John Roberts his heirs and Assigns as above staid and that the  
said Presents now are and shall forever remaine Clear and free from all Encumbran-  
ces whatsoever of him the said William Roberts or any other Person or Persons what-  
soever and that the said William Roberts his Heirs &c all and Singlart the

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Burns having granted to the said John Roberts his Fours and Assigns  
 Against him the said William Roberts his Fours Executors &c and all and  
 any other Person or Persons shall and will Warrant and Searche  
 by these Presents. In witness whereof the said William Roberts  
 hath hereunto set his hand and Seal the Day and Year first aboveswitten  
 Signed Sealed and Delivered  
 In presence of —

William Roberts L.S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County by the 27<sup>th</sup> day of Feb: 1777

*Examined*  
 The Within Indenture was acknowledged by the Within Named William Roberts  
 to be his Act and Deed and the same was Recorded to be Recorded by the Court

Done

Will Penstall Esq.

Prec  
from  
Hardin }  
Dated

This Indenture made this fifteenth day of February in the Year  
 of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and Sixty six and in the seventeenth  
 Year of his Majesties Reign by and Between Mark Hardin of Surry  
 County in the Province North Carolina of the one Part and William Price  
 of Pittsylvania County and Province of Virginia of the other Part Wit  
 nesseth That the said Mark Hardin having obtained a Patent for a  
 certain Tract of Land lying in Pittsylvania County in Virginia hath  
 Convenanted and Agreed to and with the mentioned William Price for and in conse  
 quence of the sum of Forty Pounds Current Money of Virginia to him in hand  
 paid the Receipt of which he doth acknowledge both give grant Bargain sell  
 and Confirm unto the said William Price the above named Tract of Land

Done

lying and being in the County and Colony aforesaid bounded as follows to wit  
 Beginning at theophilus Lacy's corner Pointing then a Northwest West Two  
 hundred, fifty six poles to a Chestnut tree thence South Sixty five Degrees West  
 Sixty three poles to Pointing thence South fifteen Degrees West one hundred and  
 seventy six poles bearing by Branches to a Red Oak thence South forty two  
 Degrees East Twenty four poles less three Branches to a White Oak and Sweeting line  
 thence along his line East Two hundred and Seventy eight poles to a Hemlock lot  
 corner Pointing thence along his line North Twenty two Degrees West Two poles to  
 a White Oak thence North forty nine degrees East Twenty four poles to  
 theophilus Lacy's corner White Oak thence along his line North ten Degrees West  
 Two hundred and four poles to the Beginning With all the appurtenances thereto  
 belonging. And I do for myself my Heirs Executors & W<sup>m</sup> m<sup>t</sup> and all others  
 to whom it may concern be it known that I do give and convey the said  
 tract of Land unto him the said William Prince his Heirs Executors Adam & af-  
 sign to him or their own Proper use and Benefit from the claim or claims shall  
 and every other Person or Persons what so ever from time forth and forever Accord-  
 ing to the true intent and meaning of these presents In witness whereof I  
 have unto set my hand and affixed my seal this day and Year first above written  
 Signe Seal and Delivere, Mark Hardin J.S.  
 In presence of. John Talaforno  
 Henry Hardin. Richard Talaforno

Memorandum That on the 2d Month 1776 On this Day was given  
 and Granted from Mark Hardin to William Prince Quicke and Pracalle his  
 selfe according to the form and form of the within Deed

Richard Talaforno  
 Henry Hardin  
 John Talaforno

Mark Hardin J.S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of April 1776  
 This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Levy & Sizenghereon  
 Indorse was Proved by the Oaths of two WITNESSES where to, to be the acts and  
 Deeds of the within named Mark Hardin and the same was ordered to be  
 certifie & afterwards (to wit) At a Court held for the said County on the  
 22<sup>nd</sup> Day of August 1776 The same was further proved by the Oath of the  
 other witness thereto to be the act and due of the said Mark Hardin  
 which was ordered to be Recorded by the Court

John Will Rinstall Esq

Borrowed  
from  
William  
Brown att<sup>t</sup>

To all People to whom this present Writing shall come Henry Williams  
 late of the County of Pittsylvania sendeth Greeting in our Lord God last-  
 ing Wherast divers Persons in his & other Countys are owing sums of  
 Money to me the said Henry Williams which will fully appear It now  
 apes that the said Henry Williams for divers good and Valuable Causes and  
 Considerations on them unto belonging have made Constitution Ordinance and  
 in my place and stead put my Good friend Richard Brown of the  
 County of Pittsylvania my Attorney in fact for me the said Henry  
 Williams and in my Name to receive and take into his Possession  
 all the Debts due and to due and prosecute for the sum of Money and  
 other things due or shall become due to me the said Henry Williams and  
 upon Satisfaction given or any other due Computation or Agreement made or  
 concerning the premises acknowledge Satisfaction or to make and do any  
 other Release and Discharge for the same and further to as all and  
 every

every other Act and other thing and things whatsoever which shall be Requisite  
Or needful to be done or about the Promises so ful as the said Henry Williams  
might or could do the same being personally present at the doing thereof as I  
the said Henry Williams do by these Presents That he confirm and allow  
whatever my said Attorney shall lawfully do or cause to be done in the Promises  
on my behalf performed in my Name In witness whereof I have unto set  
my hand and seal the sixteenth day of December in the Year of our Lord God  
One thousand seven hundred and seventy six

Signed sealed and delivered

In presence of Sute Williams

Henry Williams Jr.

William Williams Chas Womack

Katharine Williams Richard Yates Jr

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 27<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1777

The William Brown of Albemarle was Proved by the Oaths of three of the Witnesses thereto  
to be the Act of David the Within Name & Henry Williams and the same was ordered  
by the Court

Title

Wm. Linstead Esq.

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This Indenture made this sixth day of January in the Year of our Lord one  
thousane, Seven hundred and Seventy Seven by Robert Pangerson of the County  
of Pittsylvania of the one part and Robert Pangerson of the County after said of the other  
part witnesseth that the said Eliza Harris for and in Consideration of the sum  
of Sixty five Pounds Current Money of Virginia to turn in hand paid by the said Robert  
Pangerson after before the sealing and delivery of these presents the Recipient hereof  
the said Eliza Harris doth hereby acknowledge and himself therewith fully satisfied  
contented and paid hath given granted bargained and sold and by these presents

do give grant Bargain and sell unto the said Robert Ferguson and unto his  
 heirs found on certain tract or Parc of Land Containing by estimation  
 One Hundred Acres in the same manner left According to the bounds hereafter  
 mentioned Beginning at a corner Red Oak at Hockleys Broad Thun-  
 ce Hopping along Clavers line crossing Fly Blow Creek to a corner Red oak  
 thence Hopping along William Todds line to Fly Blow Creek and crossing  
 the said Creek along Todds line to the said Creek Again thence Down  
 the said Creek to Hockleys Broad thence Hopping up Hockleys Broad to a  
 corner near the house thence crossing the Broad to Brewis line thence  
 Hopping along Brewis line to a corner Pine near the Master Ground thence  
 along Brewis line to Hockleys Broad thence down the Broad to the Beginning  
 with all houses out houses woods underwoods water and water courses  
 profits Advantages hereditaments and Appurtenances whatsoever to the  
 said David tract of Land and premises above mentioned belonging  
 or in anywise appertaining and also the Reversion in the Riversons re-  
 mainder and Remainerents Rents Services of the said Premises and  
 every Part and Yerall thereof and also the Estate Right Title Interest  
 Claim and Deman<sup>d</sup> whatsoever either in Equity or in Law of him the  
 said Elisha Harris or his said Executrix or Administratrix of and to the  
 said Land and premises above mentioned To have and to hold the  
 said land and premises above mentioned and every Part and Yerall there-  
 of with the Appurtenances unto the said Robert Ferguson his heirs Ex-  
 cutors Administrators or Assigns forever and the said Elisha Harris for  
 himself and his heirs with covenant and agree to and with the said  
 Robert Ferguson & his heirs by these presents that he the said Elisha Harris  
 the said tract of Land and premises above mentioned and every Part of  
 Yerall thereof unto the said Robert Ferguson and his heirs and all and

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every Person whatsoever shall and will Warrant and forswear before by these  
Parents In witness whereof the said Elisha Farris hath so thence Yrs-  
ents set his hand and seal the day and year above written

Signd Sealed & Acknowledg'd before

Ben Lankford John Buckley  
John George Robert <sup>his</sup> Bruna  
mark

Elisha Farris J.S.

*Memorandum* That on the day and year written/mentioned full  
payable and Due Pensation and wages of wages of the within mentioned Jane  
and Promises was given and delivred by the Within Name of Elisha Farris unto  
the with Name of Robert Fasson/ According to the purport true intent and  
meaning of the within written Indenture

Signd Sealed and Acknowledg'd before

Ben Lankford John George  
Robert <sup>his</sup> Bruna John Buckley  
mark

Elisha Farris

Received the 6<sup>th</sup> day of February 1776 of John Clever Sixty five pounds Current money  
being in full for the within mentioned Jane \$ 65.  
Int<sup>d</sup>

Ben Lankford John George  
Robert <sup>his</sup> Bruna John Buckley  
mark

Elisha Farris

At a Court held for Pennsylvania County the 27<sup>th</sup> day of February 1777  
The written Indenture together with the Memorandum of Lewis Vose son of Lewis  
Farron and now living Acknowledged by the Within Elisha Farris to be his several acts  
of Decd of the same was ordered to be recorded by the Court

Test

Will Langdale Esq.

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Officers for  
Pennsylvania

At a meeting of the Committee of Philadelphia County on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup>  
September 1775. The following Gentlemen were nominated as Officers for  
the Militia Agreeable to the Ordinance of Convention viz.

John Donelson Esq<sup>r</sup> County Lieutenant Robert Williams Esq<sup>r</sup>  
Colonel of the County. William Turnbull Lieutenant Colonel,  
John Wilson Esq<sup>r</sup> Major

Benjamin Lankford, Peter Perkins, Francis Luck James Lyon,  
Robert Hairston, Robert Woods, Daniel Shultz, Jno. Reid,  
Frederick Peters, John Donelson, Archibald Angus, Joseph Martin,  
John Dix, William Walker, Gabriel Shultz, Henry Williams  
John Salmon, Robert Payne, Johnathan Hamby, William Peters Martin,  
John Morton, Charles Cannon, Richard Gwynne, John Smith,  
Edmund Syne, Joshua Abstone, James Dix, Captains

Stephen Coleman, Joseph Tows, Thomas Waller, William Ward, Robert  
Brownson, Thomas Smith, Charles Burton, Barthol<sup>t</sup> Williams, Samuel  
Hildes, John Strong, Spencer Shultz, Rubin Payne, Beverly Shultz,  
John Morton, Isaac Clements, James George, Tully Chene, Just.  
Cameron Cheat, Thomas Jones, R<sup>t</sup> George Hairston, Bryan Mar-  
tin, David Linear, George Waller, John Cunningham, Frederick Fal-  
kinson, Elipha Shultz, Benjamin Vansley, Lieutenants  
Charles Kirby Joseph Tows (son of Joseph) George Carter, William Beaver,  
Samuel Bolling, Thomas Black, John Wayne, William Dix, John  
Fulton, Thomas Smith, Edmund Taylor Amstec, Shultz, John Payne  
Syng Roberts, William Shott, Joseph Evans, William Estes, Fairfield  
Hill, Vandaman, James Potts, John Wells, James Taylor, James Antho-  
ny, David Chadwick, John Parr, George Carter, John Purfro,  
Ensigns

P Williams (Chair)

W<sup>t</sup> Copy from Penn Martin Colk

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of February 1777

In which List was Returne and made to the Record

John Will Tunstall Esq

Family  
from  
Newling  
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This Indenture made this Twenty Second Day of February In the  
Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Seventy Seven Between  
Bryan Ward Newlin of the County of Pittsylvania of the one Part and  
John Henklein of the said County of the other Part Witnesseth that  
for an <sup>the</sup> Consideration of the sum of Twenty Pounds Current Money to him  
in hand paid the Receipt whereof he doth hereby Acknowledge and thankes one of  
Every Part and Panel thereof to acquit Exonrate and Discharge him the said  
John Henklein Esq<sup>t</sup> his heirs and Assigns for ever have granted Bargained and  
Sold aliened Conveyed and Confirmed unto the said John Henklein his heirs and  
Assigns for ever one certaine Tract or Panel of Land containing a hundred  
Acres more or less lying on both Sides of Potters Creek In the County aforesaid  
and Bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a corner a box  
Oak thence to a Red Oak corner thence to a corner a Black Jack thence  
to a corner (Red Oak thence) to a Dogwood on the Side of the Creek thence  
across the Creek to a Red Oak on the South Side of the Creek thence to a  
Spanish Oak corner on the top of a Bridge thence to a Red Oak corner  
in the head of a drain thence by a Direct line of new Market Trees down the  
drain to the head of a Branch then down the Branch with Manders to the Creek  
thence across the Creek to a Beech thence by a Direct line of Market Trees to  
the first Station with all Houses Orchards Gardens meadows Pastors feedings  
Woods Wayes Water underwoods Meadow Grounds with all the Estate Right  
Title Interest possession Property to claim and Demand whatsoever of him

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The said Bryan Ward Nowlin make the same or any Part or Parcell there  
 of the Recursion or Recursions Remainder and Remainders of all  
 and Singular the before mentioned Promises and every of their Ap-  
 pertinances To have and to hold the said Hunder<sup>d</sup> Acre of Land  
 more or less and Promises with their and every of their Appurtenances unto  
 the said John Henslee son<sup>t</sup> his heirs and Assigns to the Only Proprietary  
 and Bishop of him the said John Henslee son<sup>t</sup> his heirs & Assigns for  
 ever free and clear of and from all former Deeds Gifts Grants Bar-  
 gains Sales Dowers Titles of Powers Judgments Executions or any other  
 Encumbrances whatsoever and further the said Bryan Ward Nowlin for  
 himself his heirs and Assigns Doth Covenant Promise and Agree to  
 and with the said John Henslee son<sup>t</sup> his heirs and Assigns <sup>that he will</sup> with of Right  
 and Title of y<sup>e</sup> said Land and Promises with their and every of their  
 Appurtenances Against all Persons whatsover Will Well Behave and Define  
 unto the said John Henslee son<sup>t</sup> his heirs and Assigns and Lastly the said  
 Bryan Ward Nowlin doth Promise and Agree to and with the said John  
 Henslee son<sup>t</sup> his heirs and Assigns that they shall be Ready at all times  
 hereafter to make any further Deed or Deeds Conveniance and Conve-  
 niences in the Law for the Better Securing the Right and Title of the  
 said Land and Promises unto the said John Henslee son<sup>t</sup> his heirs &  
 Assigns as the said John Henslee son<sup>t</sup> his heirs and Assigns shall de-  
 sernally require In witness whereof the said Bryan  
 Ward Nowlin hath hereunto set his hand and placed his Seal this Day &  
 Year first above written  
 Signed sealed and delivered  
 in the presence of

Bryan Ward Nowlin J.S.

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Memorandum that the day and year first above written  
Received and Quitt Possession of the within mentioned Premises was had  
and Taken by the Within named Bryan Ward Nowlin and by him delivered  
unto the within named John Henslee Jr According to the true Am-  
ount and meaning of the within Written Recd

Bryan Ward Nowlin J.S.

February the 22 1777

Then Received of John Henslee Jr the full and just sum of Twenty Pounds  
in full of the within mentioned Premises Recd At

Bryan Ward Nowlin J.S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 27 March 1777

The Within Indenture Together with the Memorandum of Sale and Seizure and  
Receipt hereon annexed was Acknowledged by the Within Named Bryan  
Ward Nowlin to be his several Act of Deed and the same were ordered to be  
Recorded by the Court

Teste

Will. Fennell Esq. to

This Indenture made the Twentieth Day of November in the Year of  
our Lord One thousand Seven Hundred & Seventy Six Between James Thompson  
of the County of Pittsylvania of the one Part and John Kimbush of the same County  
of the other Part. Whereas it is agreed that the said James Thompson for an consideration  
of the sum of Twenty Pounds Current Money of Virginia to him in hand  
paid by the said John Kimbush before the sealing & Delivery of these Presents  
the Receipt whereof is hereby Acknowledged by the said James Thompson hath

Granted

Wm. Kimbush  
from  
Thompson  
Deed

Grant, bargained, sold & delivered, and by their Parents with Grand bargain  
 sell and deliver unto the said John Wimberly one Lot or half Acre of  
 Land situated, lying and being in the Town of Ryersonburg and County of  
 Pittsylvania aforesaid, adjoining Main Street, and known in the Plan  
 of the said Town by the Number Fifty Nine and all Trees Woods Houses  
 Improvements Commodities & Advantages whatsoever there unto app-  
 pertaining or in any way belonging and the Reversion and Devisees  
 Remainder and Remainders Parts Issues and Services of the same  
 and every Part thereof with the Appurtenances and also all the Estate Right  
 Title Interest Claim & Demand whatsoever either in Equity or in Law  
 of him the said James Thompson in his heirs & assigns to the said Lot  
 a half Acre of Land and promises aforesaid and the said James  
 Thompson doth for himself and his heirs Covenant and Agree with the said  
 John Wimberly his heirs and assigns by these Presents, that he the said  
 James Thompson the said Lot or half Acre of Land and Promises  
 and every Part thereof with the Appurtenances unto the said John Wim-  
 berly his heirs and assigns against him the said James Thompson  
 and his heirs & all and every other Person & Persons whatsoever shall  
 and will Warrant and forever Defend by these Presents In Wit-  
 ness whereof the said James Thompson hath hereunto set his hand  
 and affixed his Seal the date above written

Sealed & Deliv<sup>r</sup>

In presence of

Richard Brown.

John Martin.

Richard Yates jun<sup>r</sup>

John Martin

James Thompson J.S.

*Memorandum That on the Day and year first written  
in munitione full payable & Due Possession and Agent of the Lord of  
Land and Tenures within munitione made and Delivere by the within  
and name James Thompson unto the within name John Minchum agree-  
able to the within Indenture*

*In presence of*

*Richard Brown John Martin  
Richard Yates Jr John Martin*

*James Thompson*

*At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of March 1777  
This Indenture together with the Memorandum of Livery & Seizure heron  
Indorse was by the above Name James Thompson acknowledged to be his acts  
& Deed and the same was ordered to be record by the Court*

*Recd Will Dinsall CO*

*This Indenture made this Ninth Day of March in the Year of  
our Lord Christ One thousand Seven hundred & Seventy seven Between  
John Henry of the Parish of Cambdon in the County of Pittsylvania of the One part  
and Watson Henry of the Parish and County aforesaid of the Other part witness-  
eth that the said John Henry for and in Consideration of the sum of Thirty  
Pounds Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid by the said Watson  
Henry also before the sealing and Delivery of this present the Receipt where-  
of he hath hereby Acknowledged hath Given Granted Bargained sold aliened Re-  
leased & Conveyed by these presents unto Givn Grant Bargaind sell alien  
Release and Confirm unto the said Watson Henry his heirs & Assigns forever  
all*

all that Dividēd Tract Yace or Paral of Land situate lying and  
 being in the County of Pittsylvania on the Branches of mill Creek  
 it being Part of a greater Tract which was Granted to Christopher  
 Gorman by Patent bearing Date at Williamsburg the Twenty fifth  
 Day of Sept<sup>r</sup>. 1762 and Conveyed to the said Christopher Gorman to  
 John Gorman by Due, duly Recorded in the County Court of Pa.  
 lefax and by the said Gorman Conveyed to Edward Dolly by  
 and by the said Edward Dolly conveyed to the said John Henry by deed duly  
 Recorded at the County Court of Pittsylvania on the  
 2<sup>d</sup> day of July Recorded in the County Court of Pittsylvania containing  
 by Estimation One Hundred Acre, by the same more or less and  
 Bounded as followeth (To wit) Beginning at a Branch  
 on Adams line thence up the said Branch to a Hickory stand a South  
 course & straight line to a pine on Hickory line and so concluding the  
 upper Part of the said Tract of Two Hundred and Ninety four Acres for  
 Complement Together with all Trees Woods under Woods Ways Water &  
 Water Courses Profits Commodities Advantages Hereditaments & Appur-  
 tenances  
 whatsoever to the said Dividēd Tract Yace or Paral of Land and  
 Promises above mentioned Belonging or in any way Appertaining unto Also the  
 Partition & Portions Remaining and Remaining Parts Issues and Pro-  
 fits whatsoever either in Equity or in Law of him the said John Henry  
 open or to the said Partition or - any Part thereof To have & to hold  
 the said Dividēd Tract Yace or Paral of Land and Promises above  
 mentioned and every Part and Paral there of with the Appertinences unto  
 the said Walton Henry his heirs and assigns forever above mentioned &  
 Except of him the said Walton Henry his heirs & assigns forever and  
 the said John Henry and his heirs do covenant and Agree to and  
 with

with the said Watson Henry. Heirs and Assigns by these Presents that the  
 Bounding Tract Place or Parce of Land and Premises above mentioned, and  
 every Part and Parcel thereof with the Appurtenances unto the said Watson Henry  
 are his heirs & Assigns Against him the said John Henry & his heirs and  
 every other Person or Persons whatsoever shall and will Warrant & forever De-  
 pone by these Presents In Witnes whereof the said John Henry hath  
 hereunto set his hand & affixed his Seal the Day & Year above written.

Signed, Sealed & Dated

In the County of

Sam'l Robinson

Thomas Hardy. Thomas by way

John Henry J.S.

At a Court held for Pittsylvania County the 27<sup>th</sup> Day of March 1777  
 This Indenture of Marriage sole was proved by the oaths of the Witnesses there-  
 to to be the act and Deed of the within Name, John Henry & the same  
 was ordered to be Recorded by the Court

Recd - Will Tinsall C.R.

This Indenture made this Twenty first Day of March One thousand  
 Seven Hundred and Seventy Seven Between John Barrett, son of the Parish  
 of Cambden and County of Pittsylvania of the one part, and John Barrett, son of the  
 aforesaid County & Parce of the other part Witneseth that he the said John  
 Barrett son for the Love and Affection he doth bear to the said John Barrett his son  
 and for the Consideration of the sum of five Millings Current Money of Virginia to  
 him and his Assigns by his son John Barrett son the Receipt whereof he doth  
 confess and Acknowledge hath by these Presents, Banginge & Sole Ultimatus

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