

Being to his Negro

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Being Considered of the Impropriety of holding our Fellow Creature in Slavery, I do hereby Emancipate one Negro called Peter, aged four Years Old to go out and be Free when he arrives to the Age of Twenty-one Years, which will be on October the Thirtieth Eight Hundred and Nine, as Witness hereunto I have set my Hand and Seal this the 7th Day of January 1793.

Joel King

At a Court held for Princess Anne County the 7th day of January 1793. The above Deed of Emancipation from Joel King to his Negro called Peter, was acknowledged by the said Joel King and at his Request is Ordered to be Recorded,

Test,
E. H. Woodley Esq,

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This Indenture made the sixth Day of December in the Year of our Lord One Thousand eleven hundred and Ninety two, Between Henry Chapel of the County of Prince Anne of the one Part, and Jonathan Woodhouse Jr. of the said County of the other Part, Witnesseth, that for and in Consideration of the sum of Twenty Eight Pounds, two Shillings and six pence Current Money of Virginia, to the said Henry Chapel in hand paid by the said Jonathan Woodhouse at or before the Sealing and delivery of these Presents the Receipt whereof I do hereby Acknowledge, and thereof and of every part thereof do hereby acquit exonerate and discharge the said Jonathan Woodhouse Jr. his Heirs and Assigns by these Presents. To the said Henry Chapel have granted, bargained, sold, aliened and confirmed and by these Presents do grant, bargain sell alone and confirm

unto the said Jonathan Woodhouse his Heirs or Assigns one certain Tract or Parcel of Land containing Twelve and an Half Acres of Land more or less, being the Lands that my Grandfather gave my Father in his last Will and Testament, this Land adjoins Jonathan Wackey, Edward Petty and John Cornick to have and to hold the said bargained Premises with all the Appurtenances thereto belonging to the said Jonathan Woodhouse his Heirs and Assigns for ever, to his and their own proper Use and Benefit and the said Henry Chapel do hereby covenant and promise that the said Land is free from every Incomberance whatsoever had made committed or suffered by them and the said Henry Chapel for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators the said bargained Premises unto the said Jonathan Woodhouse his Heirs and Assigns for ever will Marrant and Defend against all and every Person or Persons whatsoever, in Manner whereby the said Henry Chapel have heretounto set his Hand and Seal the Day and Year first above written.

Signed sealed and Delivered
In presence of . . .
William Cannon
Edw. Cannon
Peggy Cannon
Frances Cannon

Henry Chapel

At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 7th day of January 1793. The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Henry Chapel to Jonathan Woodhouse Junr, was Acknowledged by the said Henry Chapel, and is Ordered to be Recorded . . .

Test,
E. H. Woodley Esq

unto the said Jonathan Woodhouse his Heirs or Assigns one
certain Tract or Parcel of Land containing Twelve and
an Half Acres of Land more or less, being the Lands
that my Grandfather gave my Father in his last Will and
Testament, this Land adjoins Jonathan Wachey, Edward
Petty and John Cornick to have and to hold the said
bargained Premises with all the Appurtenances thereto
belonging to the said Jonathan Woodhouse his Heirs and Assigns
for ever, to his and their own proper Use and Benefit and the
said Henry Chappel do hereby covenant and promise that
the said Land is free from every Incomberance whatsoever
had made committed or suffered by them and the said Henry
Chappel for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators
the said bargained Premises unto the said Jonathan Woodhouse
his Heirs and Assigns for ever will Warrant and Defend
against all and every Person or Persons whatsoever.

Witness whereof the said Henry Chappel have
set his Hand and Seal the Day and Year first
written . . .

Signed Sealed and Delivered }
In presence of . . .

William Cannon.

Edw. Cannon

Peggy Cannon

Frances Cannon

Henry Chappel

At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 7th day of January 1793.
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Henry Chappel
to Jonathan Woodhouse jun^r, was Acknowledged by the said Henry
Chappel, and is Ordered to be Recorded . . .

Seal,
E. H. Wooseley Esq

10.

To all to whom these Presents
shall come, I, Joel King of the County of Princess Anne
and State of Virginia, sign writing, Know Ye,
that I, Joel King do will for and in the Consideration of
the Natural Love and Affection which I have unto my
Children William King and Lovy King of the County aforesaid
and also for divers other good Causes and Considerations to
me hereto moving, hath given and granted and by these
Presents do give and grant alien and confirm unto my
Children William King and Lovy King that is to
William King twenty five Acres of Land being the Plantation
whereon I now live, and one Negro Man called April,
one Bed and furniture that which I sleep on myself, one Old
Muir and her Increase, one Sheffer and Young sow and
her Increase, one Cow and her Increase, one Chest, one Case,
and bottles to him and his heirs for ever. And also to Lovy
King twelve and one half Acres of Land, which I bought
of Jeremiah King one Young Muir and one Cow and Sheffer
and there Increase, one Cow, one old sow and there Increase,
four Barrows, two Beds and furniture, one of the Beds is at
my Mothers three Iron Pots, one Shubbt, one Chest, one
Safe six Chairs four Peter Basins, five Pewter Plates, ten Earth-
en Plates, four Jugs, six Spoons Knives and forks one Linen-
Whel, one Boom and lacking two Barrels of Pork, six
Barrels of Corn, three Gallons of fat, and all and every
thing that I have in Domes and without Domes
but what is given to William King, as is mentioned
above in this same Deed of Gift to Lovy King and her
Heirs for ever, for my said Children William King and
Lovy King To have and to hold the aforesaid
Land, Negro, Stock, and all the Goods mentioned in this

To all to whom these Presents
shall come, I, Joel King of the County of Prince Anne
and State of Virginia, sign greeting. Know ye
that I, Joel King do well for and in the Consideration of
the Natural Love and Affection which I have unto my
Children William King and Lovey King of the County aforesaid
and also for divers other good Causes and Considerations to
me hereto moving, hath given and granted and by these
Presents do give and grant also and confirm unto my
Children William King and Lovey King that is to
William King twenty five Acres of Land being the Plantation
whereon I now live, and one Negro Man called April,
one Bed and furniture that which I sleep on myself; one Old
Mair and her Increase, one Heffer and Young sow and
there Increase, one Ewe and her Increase, one Chick, one Cat
and books to him and his heirs for ever. And also to Lovey
King twelve and one half Acres of Land, which I bought
of heremah King one Young Mair and one Cow and Heffer
and there Increase, one Ewe, one old sow and there Increase,
four Barrows, two Beds and furniture: one of the Beds is at
my Mothers three Iron Pots, one Shillde, one Chick, one
Sife six Chirs four Peter Basons, five Pewter plates, ten Earth
en Plates, four Jugs, six Spoons Knives and forks one Linen
Whel, one Room and tackling two Barrels of Pork, six
Barrels of Corn, three Gallons of salt, and all and every
thing that I have ⁱⁿ Dore and without Dore
but what is given to William King, as is mentioned
above in this same Deed of Gift to Lovey King and her
Heirs for ever, for my said Children William King and
Lovey King To have and to hold the aforesaid
Land, Negro, Stock, and all the Goods mentioned in this

Deed of Gift with all the Appurtenances therunto belonging, or in any wise Appertaining to the said William King, their Heirs and Assigns for ever, and I the said Joel King for myself, and for my Heirs to warrant
and for ever defend the aforesaid Land, Negro and other
Goods to the said William King and Lovey King their
Heirs and Assigns for ever, against me and my Heirs
and all and every Person or Persons whatsoever from any
Claim, or Demand and from all Powers Rights and
Titles of Powers Judgments and Incumbrances whatae-
ver. In Witness whereof The said Joel King hath
hereunto set my Hand and Seal this fifth Day of January
One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety three:

Signed, sealed and Delivered]

In presence of
John & Coe
John & Coe
William H. Broughton

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Joel King

At aboutt Hild for Princess Anne County the 7th day of January 1792
The above Indenture of gift from Joel King to his son William
and Daughter Lovey King was Acknowledged by the said
Joel King and is Ordered to be Recorded,

Seal.
E. G. Mosley clk.

^{Bishop & the Governor} I know all Men by these Presents that we
William Bishop and James Beale of Princess Anne County
are held and firmly bound to Henry Lee Esquire
Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the full
and just sum of Three Hundred Pounds, to be paid to the
said Henry Lee Esquire and his Heirs for the use
of the said Commonwealth for payment whereof well and
truly to be made. We bind ourselves and each of us our and
each of our Heirs, Executors and Administrators jointly
and severally firmly by these Presents, Sealed with our

, 41,

Deed of Gift with all the Apertures therunto belonging, or in any wise Appertaining to the said William King their Heirs and Assigns for ever, and the said Joel King for myself and for my Heirs to Warrant and for ever defend the aforesaid Land Negro and other Goods to the said William King and Lucy King their Heirs and Assigns for ever, against me and my Heirs and all and every Person or Persons whatsoever from any Claim, or Demands and from all Dowers Rights and Titles of Dowers Judgments and Incumbrances whatsoever In Witness whereof I the said Joel King hath hereunto set my Hand and Seal this fifth Day of January One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety three.

Signed, sealed and Delivered

In Presence of
Henry X. Salmon
John Fox
William H. Broughton

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At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 7th day of January 1792
The above Indenture of Gift from Joel King to his son William
and Daughter Lucy King was acknowledged by the said
Joel King and is Ordered to be Recorded.

Test.
E. H. Moseley Esq.

Bishop & the Governor
Know all Men by these Presents that we
William Bishop and James Leahy of Princess Anne County
are Held and firmly bound to Henry Lee Esquire
Governor of the Commonwealth of Virginia, in the full
and just sum of Three Hundred Pounds, to be paid to the
said Henry Lee Esquire and his Successors for the Use
of the said Commonwealth for payment whereof well and
truly to be made We bind ourselves and each of us our
and each of our Heirs, Executors and Administrators Jointly
and severally firmly by these Presents. Sealed with our

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Seal and dated the 18th Day of August 1792.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such
that Whereas the above Named William Bishop is
Constituted and Appointed by the Worshipful Court of
Princess Anne County an Inspector of Lumber in the said
County. I therefore the said William Bishop shall and do
faithfully perform the Duties of the said Office of Inspector
of Lumber during his Continuance therein, then the above
Obligation to be Void or else to remain in full force and Virtue
Sealed and Delivered. Willm. Bishop.
In the presence of John Salisbury.
John Leahy. James Leahy.

At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 6th day of September 1791
William Bishop is Appointed an Inspector of Lumber in this
County who took the Oath required by Law and it is Ordered that
he give Bond with James Leahy his Security in the Clerks Office,
according to Law.

Test.

E. H. Moseley Esq.

At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 7th day of January 1792
The above Bond was this day Acknowledged by William
Bishop and James Leahy his Security to his Excellency the
Governor and is Ordered to be Recorded.

Test.

E. H. Moseley Esq.

Seals and dated the 18th Day of August 1792.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that Whereas the above Named William Bishop is Constituted and Appointed by the Worshipful Court of Princess Anne County an Inspector of Lumber in the said County. Therefore the said William Bishop shall and do faithfully perform the Duties of the said Office of Inspector of Lumber during his Continuance therein, then the above Obligation to be Void or else to remain in full force and Virtue.

Sealed and Delivered?

In the presence of,

John Salisbury.

Willm Bishop.

James Leahy.

At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 6th day of September 1792 William Bishop is Appointed an Inspector of Lumber in this County who took the Oath required by Law and it is Ordered that he give Bond with James Leahy his Security in the sum of £1000.

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Test.

E. H. Moseley Esq.

At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 7th day of January 1793 The above Bond was this Day Acknowledged by William Bishop and James Leahy his Security to his Excellency the Governor, and is Ordered to be Recorded.

Test.

E. H. Moseley Esq.

This Indenture made this Seventeenth Day of December in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety two, Between Tally Moseley & James Danley Executors of Thomas Old dec^t in the County of Prince Anne in Virginia of the one part, and Dudley Whitehead of the other Part. witnesseth that for and in Consideration of the sum of Seven Pounds in Hand paid unto the said Tally Moseley & James Danley Executors of Thomas Old dec^t by the said Dudley Whitehead, at or before the sealing and Delivering of these presents that the Receipt whereof they doth acknowledge, they the said Tally Moseley and James Danley Executors of Thomas Old dec^t hath agreeable to the last Will and Testament of Thomas Old dec^t hath Sold and Confirmed unto the said Dudley Whitehead and his Heirs One certain tract of Land Containing by the Estimation Sixty Acres more or less being in the County of Prince Anne in Namys Creek Neck, and is bounded as followeth to wit Beginning at a tree running Westerly joining on Joseph Queen Land to a corner tree, and from thence southerly binding on my own Land to another tree, and from thence Easterly binding on my own Land still to the same said tree, and from thence Northly binding on said tree to the first station, and all Ways, Waters Water Courses, Profits and Appurtenances whatever to the said Premises belonging or in any wise appertaining, and the Reversion & Heirlooms Remainder and Remainders Rents and Issues and Profits thereof, and all the Estate Right and Title of them the said Tally Moseley and James Danley Executors of Thomas Old dec^t in and to the same To have and to hold all and singular the Premises hereby bargained and sold with the Appurtenances unto the said Dudley Whitehead his Heirs and Assigns for ever, to the only proper Use and Service of him the said Dudley Whitehead his Heirs and Assigns for ever, to be free and clear of and from all

This Indenture made this seventeenth
Day of December in the Year of our Lord One Thousand
and Seven Hundred and Ninety two. Between
Tully Moseley & James Danley Executors of Thomas
Old dec^t in the County of Prince George in Virginia of the
one part, and Dudley Whitehead of the other Part.
Witnesseth that for and in Consideration of the sum
of Seven Pounds in Hand paid unto the said Tully
Moseley & James Danley Executors of Thomas Old dec^t
by the said Dudley Whitehead at or before the sealing and
Delivering of these presents that the Receipt whereof they doth
acknowleage, they the said Tully Moseley and James Danley
Executors of Thomas Old dec^t hath agreeable to the last Will
and Testament of Thomas Old dec^t hath sold and Confirmed
unto the said Dudley Whitehead and his Heirs one certain
tract or Parcel of Land containing by the Estimation

Twenty Acres more or less being in the County of Princess Anne Co. VA Deeds 1792-1795
in Mannys Creek Neck, and is bounded as followeth

Beginning at a Creek running Westerly joining on Joseph Gwin
Land to a corner tree, and from thence Southerly binding on my
own Land to another tree, and from thence Easterly binding on my
own Land still to the same said Creek, and from thence Northly
binding on said Creek to the first Station, and all Ways Waters
Water Courses, Profits and Appurtenances whatsoever to the said
Premises belonging or in any wise appertaining, and the
Reversion & Reversions Remainder and Remainders Rents and
Issues and Profits thereof, and all the Estate Right and Title of
them the said Tully Moseley and James Danley Executors of Tho-
mas Old dec^t of in and to the same. To have and to
hold all and singular the Premises hereby bargained and
sold with the Appurtenances unto the said Dudley White-
head his Heirs and Assigns forever, to the only proper Use
and Benefit of him the said Dudley Whitehead his Heirs
and Assigns forever, to be free and clear of and from all

Power and all other Encumbrances of what nature or kind
ever. And Lastly they the said Tully Moseley &
James Danley Executors of Thomas Old dec^t hath Sold,
agreeable to the last Will and Testament of Thomas Old
dec^t with the Appurtenances unto the said Dudley Whitehead
his Heirs and Assigns against the said Tully Moseley
and James Danley Executors of Thomas Old dec^t all and
every Person and Persons shall and will WARRANT and
for ever defend these premises out of the Estate of Thomas
Old dec^t if to be had. As witness we the said Tully
Moseley and James Danley Executors of Thomas Old dec^t
hereunto set their hands and seals the Day and Year
first above Written.

Signed Sealed and Delivered
In the presence of.....
John Whitehead Jr
Joseph Morris
Anthony Murphy

Tully Moseley
James Danley Execs Esqrs

At a Court held for Princess Anne County the 1st day of February 1793.
The above Indenture of Deed and Sale from Tully Moseley
and James Danley Executors of Thomas Old dec^t to Dudley
Whitehead was proved according to Law by the Oath of John
Whitehead Jun^r Anthony Murphy and Joseph Morris three of
the Witnesses to the same, and is Ordered to be Recorded

Recd.
E. H. Moseley Esq.

Power and all other Encumbrances of what nature or how
ever, and lastly if they the said Tully Moseley &
James Pawley Executors of Thomas Old. dec^d. hath Sold,
agreable to the last Will and Testament of Thomas Old
dec^d. with the Appartenances unto the said Dudley Whitehead
his Heirs and Assigns against the said Tully Moseley
and James Pawley Executors of Thomas Old. dec^d. all and
every Person and Persons shall and will Warrant and
for ever defend these premises out of the Estate of Thomas
Old dec^d. if to be had, to Whitehead the said Tully
Moseley and James Pawley Executors of Thomas Old dec^d.
hereunto sett their hands p[ro]p[ri]et[ies] their seals the Day and Year
first above written.

Signed sealed and delivered
In the presence of.....

John Whitehead, Jr.
Jesse Morris
Anthony Murphy
William Capps.

Tully Moseley

James Pawley

In Court held for Princess Anne County the 4th day of February 1793.
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Tully Moseley
and James Pawley Executors of Thomas Old dec^d. to Dudley
Whitehead was proved according to Law by the Oath of John
Whitehead Jr. Anthony Murphy and Jesse Morris three of
the Witnesses to the same, and is Ordered to be Recorded

Test.

E. H. Moseley Esq.

43.

This Indenture made the Eleventh day of
December in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven
Hundred and Sixty two, between John Hancock
Jun^r. of the County of Princess Anne and Commonwealth
of Virginia of the one part, and Patrick Parker of the
Borough of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Virginia of the
other part. Witnesseth that the said John Hancock Jun^r.
Hancock for good and sufficient Consideration of the sum of Four Hundred
Pounds by the said Patrick Parker to him in hand
paid at and before the Sealing and Delivery of these
Presents, the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowl-
edge, and thereof doth acquit and discharge the
said Patrick Parker his Heirs, Executors and Ad-
ministrators, hath granted, bargained, sold, aliened,
Parker: grant, bargain, sell, alien, transfer and confirm unto
the said Patrick Parker Two Hundred Acres of Land
situate, lying and being in said County of Princess Anne
part of the same tract and Plantation of Land whereof
William Hancock late of said County dec^d. resided, and
which he devised to his son the said John Hancock Jun^r.
the said two hundred Acres of Land hereby bargained
and sold, being bounded as follows to wit, beginning at
a Stamp, at the existing place to Joseph Gray's and running
thence S. 64° W. 3 Chains, 24 Links to the main run or
Creek, thence S. 55½° W. 2 Chains 85 links up the run,
thence by the Meanders of the Run, to a Gum at the head
of the branch or run, thence S. 24° E. 2 Chains 27 links
to a Gum, thence S. 27° E. 1 Chain 90 links to a black
Gum, thence S. 17° E. 2 Chains 50 links to a large red
Oak, thence S. 15° E. 4 Chains 26 links to a dead Gum,
thence S. 1½° E. 6 Chains to a gum, thence S. 4 W. 3 -

This Indenture made the Eleventh day of December in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Sixty two, Between John Hancock Junr. of the County of Prince George and Commonwealth of Virginia of the one part, and Partrick Parker of the Borough of Norfolk and Commonwealth of Virginia of the other part. Witnesseth, that the said John Hancock Junr. Hancock consideration of the sum of Four Hundred Pounds by the said Partrick Parker to him in hand paid, at and before the sealing and delivery of these Presents, the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge, and thereof doth acquit and discharge the said Partrick Parker his Heirs, Executors and Administrators, hath granted, bargained, sold, aliened, transferred and confirmed, and by these Presents, doth grant, bargain, sell, alien, transfer and confirm to the said Partrick Parker Two Hundred Acres of Land, situate, lying and being in said County of Prince George part of the same tract and Plantation of Land whereof William Hancock late of said County did reside, and which he devised to his son the said John Hancock Junr. the said two hundred Acres of Land hereby bargained and sold, being bounded as follows to wit, beginning at a stump, at the existing place to Joseph Gray's and running thence S. 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ W. 2 Chains, 24 Links to the main run or Creek, thence S. 55 $\frac{1}{2}$ W. 2 Chains 88 links up the run, thence by the Meanders of the Run, to a Gum at the head of the branch or run, thence S. 24 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. 2 Chains 27 links to a Gum, thence S. 27 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. 1 Chain 90 links to a black Gum, thence S. 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. 2 Chains 50 links to a large red Oak, thence S. 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. 4 Chains 28 links to a dead Gum, thence S. 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. 6 Chains to a Gum, thence S. 4 W. 3

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Chains 50 links to a dead Gum, thence S. S. E. 10 Chains 60 links to a pine, thence S. E. E. 6 Chains 60 links to a Gum, thence S. 13 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. 2 Chains 8 links to a Corner Gum, at John Brury's, thence N. 17 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. 3 Chains 30 links to a dead Pine, thence N. 90 E. 1 Chain 60 links to a large white Oak, thence W. 66 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. 7 Chains to a large Beach, thence N. 70 E. 5 Chains 15 Links to a new made small white Oak, thence N. 21 W. 3 Chains, 67 Links to a Beach, thence S. 27 W. 2 Chains 8 links to a beach thence N. 34 W. 4 Chains 75 links to a large corner Gum, thence S. 77 $\frac{1}{2}$ E. 21 Chains 55 Links, thence S. 19 W. 32 Chains 30 Links to the road, thence along the road to a branch, thence along the high land of Joseph Gray, on the south, East side of the said branch, including the said branch to the first station. To have and to hold the said two hundred Acres of Land, situate, lying being and bounded as aforesaid, and all Houses, Buildings, Orchards, Maps, Profits, Luminaries, Hereditaments and Appurtenances thereto in any wise belonging or Appertaining to him the said Partrick Parker and his Heirs for ever, free and clear from the lets, hindrance or molestation of the said John Hancock Junr. or any other Person or Persons whatsoever and the said John Hancock Junr. doth hereby warrant, and defend the Title of the said two hundred Acres of Land to the said Partrick Parker, and his Heirs against the claim or Demand of any other Person or Persons whatsoever claiming or to claim, by from through or under him in witness whereof, the said John Hancock Junr. hath hereunto set his Hand and Seal the Day and Year first above written.

Signed sealed and delivered
in presence of

W. Hinson

W. Parsons

Joseph Hinson

John Campbell

Hezekiah Munden

John Hancock Junr.

Chains 50 links to a dead Gum, thence S. S. E. 10 Chains
to a link to a pine, thence S. S. E. 6 Chains 60 links to a
Gum, thence S. 18° E. 2 Chains 8 links to a Corner Gum; at
John Brury's, thence N. 17½° E. 3 Chains 30 links to a
dead sline, thence N. 70° E. 4 Chain 60 links to a large
white Oak, thence W. 60° E. 7 Chains to a large Beach,
thence N. 70° E. 5 Chains 15 links to a new made small
White Oak, thence N. 21° W. 2 Chains, 67 Links to a Beach,
thence N. 27° W. 2 Chains 8 links to a beach thence N. 34°
W. 1 Chains 76 links to a large Corner Gum, thence N.
77° E. 21 Chains 55 links, thence N. 13° W. 32 Chains
30 links to the road, thence along the road to a branch,
thence along the high land of Joseph Gray, on the south.
East side of the said branch, including the said branch to
the first station. To have and to hold the said
Two Hundred Acres of Land, situate lying and bound-
ed as aforesaid, and all Houses, Buildings, Fences,
Ways, Profits, Commodities, Hereditaments and Appurten-
ances thereto in any wise belonging or Appertaining to
him the said Patrick Parker and his Heirs for ever free
and clear from the let, hindrance or molestation of the said
John Hancock Junr. or any other Person or Persons whatsoever
and the said John Hancock Junr. doth hereby Warrant,
and defend the Title of the said two hundred Acres of
Land to the said Patrick Parker, and his Heirs against
the claim or Demand of any other Person or Persons
claiming or to claim, by force through or under him
in Witness whereof, the said John Hancock Junr. hath
hereunto set his Hand and Seal the Day and Year
first above written

Signed sealed and delivered

In presence of

W. Hanco

W. Parsons

Joseph Simmo

Walter Campbell

Neatachi Mardon

44.

At a Court Held for Prince Anne County the 4. day of February 1790
The aforesaid Indenture of Bargain and Sale, from John
Hancock Junr. to Patrick Parker was proved according to Law
by the Earl of Chester, Mr. William Parsons and William
Campbell three of the Witneses to the same, and is
Ordered to be Recorded,

Test,

E. H. Moseley Esq

This Indenture made the Twenty Eighth
day of December in the Year of our Lord One Thousand
Seven Hundred and Ninety Five. Between Jonathan
James of the County of Prince Anne in Virginia of the one
part, and Solomon Frizzle of the same place of the other part.
Witnesseth that for and in Consideration of the sum of
four Pounds five Shillings to him in Hand paid by the said
Solomon Frizzle before the Sealing and Delivering of these
Presents the receipt hereon written he doth hereby acknowledge,
he the said Jonathan James have granted bar-
gained sold and Conformed, and by these Presentments do
grant, bargain, sell and Confirm unto the said Solomon
Frizzle his Heirs and Assigns for ever. Forty five Acres of
Land lying and being in the aforesaid County
and bounded as follows Beginning at Cedar Creek and
running South Fifteen Degrees Easterly twenty poles to
Stamps Creek, thence N. 85 degrees Easterly 50 poles thence
S 20 degrees Easterly 20 poles to deep Creek, thence S. 41.
degrees Easterly to Stamps Creek, thence binding on said
Creek to Cedar Creek, thence binding on said Creek to the
first station, together with all Hunting, Fowling, Fishing
whatsoever to the said Premises belonging or in any wise
Appertaining, and the Reversion and Reversions there-
under and Remainders Rents, Issues and Profits thereof
and all the Right and Title of him the said Jonathan

John Hancock Junr.



44.

At a Court Held for Prince Anne County the 4th day of February 1795
The aforesaid Indenture of Bargain and Sale from John
Hancock Junr. to Patrick Parker was record'd according to Law
by the Clerk of Justice William Parsons and William
Campbell Clerk of the Writs to the same, and is
Ordered to be Recorded.

Test,
E. H. Moseley Et al.

This Indenture made the Twenty Eighth
day of December in the Year of our Lord One Thousand
Seven Hundred and Ninety five. Between Jonathan
James of the County of Prince Anne in Virginia of the one
part, and Solomon Frizzel of the same place of the other parts.
Witnesseth that for and in Consideration of the sum of
Four Pounds five Shillings to him in Hand paid by
Solomon Frizzel before the Sealing and Delivering of
Presents the Receipt hereon written he doth hereby Ack-
nowledge, he the said Jonathan James have granted bar-
gained sold and Conformed, and by these Presents do
grant, bargain, sell and Confirm unto the said Solomon
Frizzel his Heirs and Assigns for ever. Forty six Acres of
Marsh Land lying and being in the aforesaid County
and bounded as follows Beginning at Cedar Creek and
running south Fifteen Degrees Easterly twenty poles to
Kempis Creek, thence N. 85 degrees Easterly 50 poles thence
S 20 degrees Easterly 35 poles to deep Creek, thence S. 25.
degrees Easterly to Kempis Creek, thence binding on said
Creek to Cedar Creek, thence binding on said Creek to the
first station, together with all Hunting, Fowling, Fishing
whatsoever to the said Premises belonging or in any wise
Appertaining, and the Reversion and Reversions there-
under and Remainders Rents, Issues and Profits thereof
and all the Right and Title of him the said Jonathan

45.

James of in and to the said Marsh and Appurtenances
to have and to hold the said Marsh and Appurtena-
nces unto the said Solomon Frizzel his Heirs and Assigns
for ever, free and clear from Master and all other Incum-
brance of what Nature and Kind soever, and the said Jonathan
James his Heirs all and singular the Premises hereby
bargained and sold with the Appurtenances unto the said
Solomon Frizzel his Heirs and Assigns against him the
said Jonathan James his Heirs shall and will Warrant,
and for ever Defend by these Presents. In Witness
whereof he the said Jonathan James have hereunto set his
Hand and Seal the Day and Year first Mentioned
Sealed and Delivered }
In Presents of }
Shenongood Land
David Danley Jonathan James
William Williamson

At a Court Held for Prince Anne County the 4th day of February 1795
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Jonathan James
to Solomon Frizzel was acknowledged by the said Jonathan James
and is Ordered to be Record'd

Test.
E. H. Moseley Et al.

This Indenture made the Eleventh
day of December in the Year of our Lord One Thou-
sand Seven Hundred and Ninety two. Between
John Hancock Junr. of the County of Prince Anne, and
Commonwealth of Virginia of the one part, and
William Parsons of the same County and Common-
wealth aforesaid of the other part. Witnesseth, that
the said John Hancock Junr. for and in Consideration of the
sum of Three Hundred and Twenty Seven Pounds by the
said William Parsons to him in Hand paid at and before

45.

James of iv and to the said Marsh and Appurtenances
to have and to hold the said Marsh and Appurtenances
unto the said Solomon Frizzel his Heirs and Assigns
for ever: free and clear from Dower and all other Incum-
brance of what Nature and Kind soever: and the said John
than James his Heirs all and singular the Premises hereby
bargained and sold with the Appurtenances unto the said
Solomon Frizzel his Heirs and Assigns against him the
said Jonathan James his Heirs shall and will Warrant,
and forever defend by these Presents. In Witness
whereof he the said Jonathan James have hereunto set his
Hand and Seal the Day and Year first Mentioned....

Sealed and Delivered}

In Presents of
Thorngood Land
David Parley
Charles Williamson

Jonathan James

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At a Court Held for Prince Anne County the 5th day of February 1793
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Jonathan James
to Solomon Frizzel was acknowledged by the said Jonathan James
and is Ordered to be Recordal

Seal.
E. H. Newley Et C.

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This Indenture made the Eleventh
Day of December in the Year of our Lord One Thou-
sand Seven Hundred and Ninety two. Between
John Hancock Jun^r of the County of Princess Anne, and
Commonwealth of Virginia of the one Part, and
William Parsons of the same County and Common-
wealth aforesaid of the other Part. witnesseth, that
the said John Hancock Jun^r for and in Consideration of the
sum of Three Hundred and Twenty seven Pounds by the
said William Parsons to him in Hand paid at and before

the Sealing and Delivery of these Presents the Receipt whereof
he doth hereby Acknowledge, and thereof doth hereby acquit and
discharge the said William Parsons his Heirs Executors and
Administrators: hath granted, bargained, sold, alienated, de-
sired and confirmed, and by these Presents doth grant, bargain
sell, alien, transfer and confirm, unto the said William Parsons
One Hundred and Thirteen Acres of Land be the same more or less
situate lying and being in said County of Prince Anne being a
part of that Tract and Plantation of Land, whereon William
Hancock Father of the said John resided, and which he devised to
the said John by his last Will and Testament, which said One
Hundred and Thirteen Acres are bounded as follows, to wit Begyn-
ning at a White Oak at William Williamson's fence, in a Road leading
to John Murray's Plantation, and running thence E. 18° West, 16.
Poles to a dead pine, thence S. 6° West 7 poles, 10 links to a White Oak,
thence S. 9° West 25 poles 10 links to a dead Beach, thence S. 2° E.
10 poles, 10 links to a large Beach; thence S. 8° West 10 poles to a
White Oak, thence S. 15° East 15 poles 15 links to John Murray's
Line, thence along the said Line 77 1/2° W. 52 poles to a Ditch thence
S. 77 1/2° W. 9 chains and 10. links to a corner, between Patrick
Patrick and the said William Parsons, thence S. 19° West, 32.
chains 30 links, to the Main Road, thence along the Main
Road to a branch, thence crossing the main Road N. 88° E. 16.
poles to a pine, thence S. 78° East 31 poles to another pine, thence E. 9° E.
14 poles 10 links to an Oak stump, and thence to the first station.
To have and to hold the said One Hundred and Thirteen
Acres of Land more or less, situate, lying, being, and bounded as
aforesaid, to him the said William Parsons and his Heirs for ever,
together with all Houses, Buildings, Orchards, Slaves, Water, Ponds
Communitie, Hereditaments and Appurtenances therunto in any
wise belonging or pertaining to him the said William Parsons,
and his Heirs for ever. And the said John Hancock Jun^r doth
by these Presents for ever Warrant, and Defend the Title of the
said bargained Premises to the said William Parsons, and his Heirs
against the lawful Claim or Demand of any other Person or Persons
whatever claiming or to claim by from, through or under him.
In Witness whereof the said John Hancock Jun^r hath hereunto

the Sealing and Delivery of these Presents the Receipt whereof
he doth hereby Acknowledege, and therof doth hereby acquit and
discharge the said William Parsons his Heirs Executors and
Administrators. hath granted, bargained, sold, aliened and
confermed, and by these Presents doth grant, bargain
sell, alien, transfer and convey unto the said William Parsons
One Hundred and Thirteen Acres of Land be the same more or less
situate lying and being in said County of Prince Anne being a
part of that Tract and Plantation of Land, whereon William -
Hancock Father of the said John resided, and which he devised to
the said John by his last Will and Testament, which said One
Hundred and Thirteen Acres; are bounded as follows, to wit Begin
ning at a White Oak at William Williams's fence, in a Road leading
to John Murray's Plantation, and running thence S. 18° West, 16.
Poles to a dead pine, thence S. E. West 7 Poles, 10 links to a White Oak.
thence S. 92° West 25 poles 10 links to a dead Beach, thence S. 2° E.
28 poles, 20 links to a large Beach, thence S. 85° W. 18 poles to a
White Oak, thence S. 18° East 15 poles 15 links to John Murray's
Line, thence along the said Line 77 $\frac{1}{2}$ W. 50 poles to another
Line, thence N. 77 $\frac{1}{2}$ W. 9 Chains and 40. links to a corner, between
Patrick and the said William Parsons, thence N. 19 West, 32.
Chains 20 links, to the Main Road, thence along the Main
Road to a branch, thence crossing the main Road N. 88 E. 16.
poles to a pine, thence S. 75° East, 31 poles to another pine, thence 69° E.
14 poles 10 links to an Oak stump, and thence to the first station.
To have and to hold, the said One Hundred and Thirteen
Acres of Land more or less, situate, lying, being, and bounded as
aforesaid, to him the said William Parsons and his Heirs for ever,
together with all Houses, Buildings, Orchards, Ways, Water, Provisions
Commodities, Hereditaments and Appurtenances therunto in any
wise belonging or Appertaining to him the said William Parsons,
and his Heirs for ever. And the said John Hancock Junr. doth
by these Presents, for ever warrant, and defend the Title of the
said bargained Premises to the said William Parsons, and his Heirs
against the lawful Claim or Demand of any other Person or Persons
whatsoever claiming or to claim by from, through or under him.
In witness whereof the said John Hancock Junr. hath hereunto

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Set his Hand and Seal the Day and Seal the Day
and Year first above Written.

L. S. *John Hancock Junr.*
Signed, Sealed and Delivered
In presence of
W. Hemmings
Joseph Timmo
William Campbell
Malachi Murden.

John Hancock Junr.

Memorandum:

Three acres and three Quarters lying within Mr. Murray's
Tract is not intended to be conveyed by this Deed,
John Hancock Junr.

At a Court Held for Prince Anne County the 5 day of February 1793.
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from John Hancock Junr.
to William Parsons was proved according to Law by the Oath of
Joseph Timmo, William Timmo and William Campbell three of
the Witnesses to the same and is Ordered to be Recorded,

Test,

E. H. Morley Esq.,

This Indenture made the Fifth Day
of February in the Year of our Lord One Thousand
Seven Hundred and Ninety three Between John
Whitehead of the County of Prince Anne of the one part
and Jeremiah Murden of the same County of the
other part Mitesetli, that for and in Consideration
of the sum of Thirteen Pounds Current Money of Virginia
to the said John Whitehead Junr. in Hand paid by
the said Jeremiah Murden at or before the sealing and delivery
of these Presents, the Receipt whereof he doth hereby
Acknowledege and therefore do release, acquit and discharge
the said Jeremiah Murden his Heirs Executors and Admi-
nistrators by these Presents, he the said John Whitehead Junr.
hath granted, bargained, sold, aliened and Confermed and

Set his Hand and Seal the Day and Seal the Day
and Year first above Written.

Signed Sealed and Delivered
In presence of

J. H. Nimo

Joseph Nimo

William Campbell

Malachi Burden

John Hancock junr.

Memorandum

Three acres and three Quarters lying within Mr. Murray's
Dence is not intended to be conveyed by this Deed,

Malachi Burden

John Hancock junr.

At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 5th day of February 1793.
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from John Hancock junr.
to William Parsons was proved according to Law by the Oath of
people Nimo, William Nimo and William Campbell three of
the Witnesses to the same and is Entered to be Recorded.

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E. H. Moorey of Et.,

This Indenture made the Fifth Day
of February in the Year of our Lord One Thousand
Seven Hundred and Ninety three Between John
Whitehead of the County of Princess Anne of the one part
and Jeremiah Burden of the same County of the
other part witnesseth, that for and in Consideration
of the sum of Thirteen Pounds Current Money of Virginia
to the said John Whitehead junr. in Hand paid by the
said Jeremiah Burden at or before the sealing and Delivering
of these Presents, the receipt whereof he doth hereby
Acknowlede and therefore do release, acquit and discharge
the said Jeremiah Burden his Heirs, Executors and Admi-
nistrators by these Presents, he the said John Whitehead junr.
hath granted, bargained, sold, alienated and Confermed and

by these Presents do grant, bargain and sell, and alien and
conferm unto the said Jeremiah Burden and his Heirs
a piece of Swamp Land lying in the County of Prince of
Princes Anne, near the Great Swamp, Beginning at corner
Heck of Michael Tentsfo's Land and running N. 16° East
by 34 poles to a corner white Oak, thence N. 78° West 40 poles
N. 78 W. 12 poles, N. 50 West 5 poles S. 67 West 6 poles, S. 76
West 11 pole, S. 72 West 12 pole, S. 75 West 12 pole, N. 75 1/2 West 15
pole, to a corner white Oak of Caleb Lands, thence S. 5 West 18 pole,
S. 20 pole to a corner Oak of Michel Tentsfo thence along the said
Tentsfo's line S. 76 East 104 poles to the first station, and all Houses,
Building, Orchard, Waye, Water and Water Courses, Profits, Com-
modities, Hereditaments and Appurtenances whatsoever to the
said Premises belonging or in any wise Appertaining and the
Reversion and Reversions, Remainder and Remainders Rents,
Haus, and Profits thereof, and also all the Estate, Right title
Interest, &c. Property, Claim and Demand what-
ever of the said John Whitehead junr. of in and to the said Premises
and all Deeds, Evidence and Writings touching or in any wise
concerning the same, To have and to hold the Land
hereby conveyed and all and singular other the Premises
hereby bargained and sold, and every part or parcel thereof
with their and every of their Appurtenances unto the said
Jeremiah Burden and his Heirs and Assigns for ever to the
only proper Use and behoof of the said Jeremiah Burden his
Heirs and Assigns for ever, and the said John Whitehead for
himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators do covenant
promise and grant, to and with the said Jeremiah Burden
his Heirs and Assigns by these Presents that the said John
Whitehead, now at the time of sealing and Delivering of these
Presents is seized of a good sure perfect and Indefeasible Estate
of Inheritance in Fee Simple of and in the Premises here
by bargained and sold, and that they hath good power and
lawful and absolute Authority to grant and convey the same to
the said Jeremiah Burden in manner and form aforesaid,

by these Presents do grant, bargain and sell, and alien and
convey unto the said Jeremiah Murden and his Heirs
a piece of Swamp Land lying in the County of Prince of
Princes Anne, near the Great swamp, Beginning at corner
Station of Michael Tentsc's Land and running N. 16° Easter.
By 54 poles to a corner white Oak, thence N. 78 West 40 poles
N. 78 W. 12 poles, N. 52 West 5 poles S. 67 West 6 poles, S. 76
West 11 pole, S. 72 West 12 pole, N. 75 West 12 pole, N. 75 1/2 West 15
pole, to a corner white Oak of Caleb Land, thence S. 5 West 18 pole.
S. 20 pole to a corner Stake of Michel Tentsc's thence along the said
Tentsc's line S. 76 East 104 poles to the first Station, and all Houses,
Building, Orchard, Wayes, Water and Water Courses, Profits, Com-
modities, & creditaments and Appurtenances whatsoever to the
said Premises belonging or in any wise Appertaining and the
Reversion and Reversions, Remainder and Remainders Rents,
Fees, and Profits thereof, and also all the Estate, Right Title,
Interest, Use, Trust, Property, Claim and Demand what-
soever of the said John Whitehead for of in and to the said Premises
and all Deeds, Evidences and Writings touching or relating
concerning the same, To have and to hold the said Land
hereby conveyed, and all and singular other the Premises
hereby bargained and sold, and every part or parcel thereof
with their and every of their Appurtenances unto the said
Jeremiah Murden and his Heirs and Assigns for ever to the
only proper Use and Benefit of the said Jeremiah Murden his
Heirs and Assigns for ever, and the said John Whitehead for
himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators do covenant
promise and grant, to and with the said Jeremiah Murden
his Heirs and Assigns by these Presents that the said John
Whitehead, now at the time of Sealing and Delivering of these
Presents is seized of a good sure perfect and Indefeasible Estate
of Inheritance in Fee Simple of and in the Premises here,
by bargained and sold, and that they hath good power and
lawful and absolute Authority to grant and convey the same to
the said Jeremiah Murden in manner and form aforesaid,

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And that the said Premises now are and so for ever
hereafter shall remain and be free and clear of and
from all former and other Gifts, Grants, Bargains, Sales,
Deverys, Right and Title of ~~any~~ over Judgments Executions
Title, Troubles, Charges and Incumbrances whatsoever made
done committed or suffered by the said John Whitehead or
any other Person or Persons whatsoever, and the said John
Whitehead and his Heirs all and singular the Premises here,
by bargained and sold with their Appurtenances unto the said
Jeremiah Murden and his Heirs and Assigns against him
the said John Whitehead and his Heirs, and all and every
other Person or Persons whatsoever shall Warrant and
for ever Defend by these Presents, In witness whereof the
said John Whitehead hath hereunto set his Hand and
Seal the Day and Year first above Written

Sealed and Delivered by

In the presence of

Sam'l Smith

John Whitehead

John Whitehead swn: 

At about Goldsboro Prince Anne County the 2 day of February 1793.
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from John Whitehead
to Jeremiah Murden was Acknowledged by the said John
Whitehead and is Ordered to be Recorded,

Test,

E. H. Moseley Esq.

This Indenture made this sixteenth Day
June in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand Seven
Hundred and Ninety two Between Mary Anne
Scott of the County of Prince Anne of the one part, and
John Matthias of the County Norfolk Shipwright of the other
part. Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the sum
of Five Pounds Current Money of Virginia, to the said Mary
Anne Scott in Hand paid by the said John Matthias at or