

and Breachers said Methodist Episcopal Church, or by the Yearly Conference, authorized by the General Conference and none others, to preach and expound Gods holy Word therein, and in further trust and confidence that as often as any one or more of the trustees herein before mentioned, shall die, or cease to be a Member of the said Church, it shall be the duty of the stationed Minister or Preacher, authorized as aforesaid, who shall have the Pastoral charge of the members belonging to said Church to call a meeting of the remaining Trustees, and when so met the said Minister or Preacher, shall proceed, nominate one or more Persons to fill the place or places of him or them, whose Office or Offices have been vacated as aforesaid. Provided the Persons so nominated shall be a Member of the said Church one Year at least, and of the Age of twenty one Years, and the said trustees so assembled, shall proceed to elect, and by a Majority of Votes, appoint the Person or Persons so nominated. **Princess Co. VA Mills 1798-1800 www.virginiapioneers.net** in order to keep up the Number seven Trustees for ever: Provided Nevertheless, that if the said trustees, or their successors have advanced or shall advance any sum or sums of money, or are or shall be responsible for any sum, or sums of money, on account of the said premises, and they the said trustees and their successors be obliged to pay the said money's, they or a majority of them, shall be authorized to raise the said money's by a mortgage on the said premises or by selling the same, after Notice given Pastor or Preacher, who has the oversight of Congregation attending divine service on said premises, if of the money due be not paid to the said trustees or their successors within one year after such Notice given: and if such suit take place, the said trustees, or their successors, after paying the debt and all other expenses shall deposit the balance of the money arising from said suit, in the Hands

252 of the Steward or Stewards of the Circuit, which money in the

Hands of the said Steward or Stewards, shall be at the disposal of the next Yearly conference for the use of the said Society, and the said David Tentree and his Wife Peggy Tentree doth by these presents warrant and forever defend all and singular the before mentioned Lot or piece of Ground with all the Appurtenances thereunto belonging unto them the said Tully Mosley, William Sawley, Charles Hendley, James Lewis, Thomas Huddleston, John Woodland and James Dawley, and their Successors chosen and appointed as aforesaid, from all claims of them the said David Tentree and Tentree his Wife their Heirs and Assigns for ever, and from the claims of all other Persons whatsoever. In Witness whereof the said David Tentree and his Wife have hereunto set their Hands and Seals the Day and Year aforesaid, sealed and Delivered.]
In Presence of ...

David Tentree Jun. 
Peggy Tentree 

Memorandum,

Received this day of the date of the within written Indenture the Consideration therein mentioned in full

Witness.

David Tentree Jr.

At about Held for Princess Anne County the 6th day of May 1799.
The above Indenture of bargain and sale from David Tentree Jun and Peggy his Wife, to Thomas Huddleston, Tully Mosley, William Sawley, Charles Hendley, James Lewis and John Woodland Trustees, was together with the Receipt hereon Written, Acknowledged by the said David Tentree Jun. and Ordered to be Recorded . . .

Test,
S. H. Mosley Clk.

Articles of Agreement... Indented made and entered into, this Twentieth day of February, in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety nine Between Hannah Shepherd Widow of Smith Shepherd dec. of the County of Prince George of one Part, and Smith Shepherd William Shepherd, Lemuel Shepherd and John Woodhouse of the County aforesaid, for and in behalf of themselves, and also in behalf, and in the part of John Shepherd and Horatio Shepherds, the said John being absent from the County, and the said Horatio being an infant under the age of Twenty one Years of the other Part. Witnesseth that Whereas Smith Shepherd sen. by his last Will and Testament, bearing date the _____ day of September One Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety five, made the following devise, to wit, I give to my wife Hannah Shepherd the following Negroes, to wit, Leticia, Sister, Biner, Ned and Nellie, one Bed and furniture, one Mare and riding Chair, two Cows and Calves and my Riding Chair, Chair Mare, two Cows and Calves and Twenty Boards Cash, this I give to her my said Wife in lieu of her Dower in my Lands and other property, which said provision under the Will aforesaid, the Hannah Shepherd is dissatisfied with, and intended to relinquish all her Right, Title and Interest to the property thus devised her, and Claim her Dower in the Lands, Houses and other Estate of the said Smith Shepherd dec. in Consideration whereof and for as much as the Parties aforesaid are desirous of terminating and settling all matters of difference in an Amicable and friendly manner: They the said Smith Shepherds, William Shepherd Lemuel Shepherds, and John Woodhouse for themselves, and for and in behalf of John Shepherd and Horatio Shepherds the said John being absent from the United States, and the said

Shepherd & with Shepherd, Agreement.

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Horatio an Infant under the age of Twenty one Years do by these Presents relinquish, and for ever quit claim to the following Negroes, to wit, Leticia, Sister, Biner, Ned and Nellie, one Bed and furniture, one Mare and riding Chair, two Cows and Calves, and every other Article of Household furniture that belonged to the said Hannah Shepherd before her intermarriage with the said Smith Shepherd, or that she has once acquired, and that the said Hannah Shepherd, her Heirs, Executors, Administrators or Assigns, shall and may hold, possess and enjoy all and singular the aforesaid Negroes and other Property, clear and free of all and every claim or claims, incumbrance, or incumbrances, whatever, for her sole use, and benefit, with full power, and Authority to give, sell and dispose of all and singular the Negroes and other property herein before recited, in any way she may think fit. And it is further covenanted, agreed and consented to, by the said Smith Shepherd, William Shepherd, Lemuel Shepherd, and John Woodhouse, for themselves and for and in behalf, of the said Hannah Shepherd, that the said Hannah Shepherd, shall have, hold and possess, one Negroe Man called little Harry, for and during the term of her Natural life, without being accountable to them the said Smith Shepherd, William Shepherd, Lemuel Shepherd, John Woodhouse, John Shepherd and Horatio Shepherds for any wages hire or compensation whatever. And Lastly, the said Smith Shepherd, William Shepherd, Lemuel Shepherd, and John Woodhouse, do by these Presents, bind and oblige themselves, their Heirs, Executors, and Administrators, jointly and severally first by these Presents, to pay or cause to be paid, unto the said Hannah Shepherd or her Assign, on the first day of January annually and every Year, during the life of the said Hannah Shepherd the sum of One Hundred Dollars, in gold or silver. In Consideration whereof, the said Hannah Shepherd doth by these Presents hereby relinquish and for ever quit claim, to all her right, Title and Interest of Dower, in the Lands and other Estate of her deceased Husband Smith Shepherd, and of all and every other

Claim or Claims, demand or demands whatever. For the true and faithful performance of all and singular the Covenants, agreements and stipulations herein contained, the said Smith, Shepherd, Lemuel, Shepherd, William Shepherd and John Woodhouse of the one part and Hannah Shepherd of the other, bind themselves, their Heirs, Executors and Administrators, each to the other in the Penalty of Three Thousand Dollars. In Witness whereof, the said Parties have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, this Day and Year first above Written.

signed, sealed & acknowledged
in presence of

John Lovitt
William Shepherd Jr.
Amey Lovett.

Hannah Shepherd
Smith, Shepherd
William, Shepherd
Lemuel, Shepherd
John Woodhouse

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(16. a Court Held for Princeps Anne County the 6th day of May 1799.
The above Indented Agreement, between Hannah Shepherd of the one part, Smith, Shepherd, William, Shepherd, Lemuel Shepherd, John Woodhouse and Doratio Shepherd, was proved by the Oath of John Lovitt one of the Witnesses to the same, and Ordered to be Recorded.

Teste,

E. H. Mosley Clk.

Know all Men by these Presents, that We, William Sorey, James Sorey, and Jeremiah Blummer, of the County of Princeps Anne, in the Commonwealth of Virginia, are held and firmly Bound to James Wood Esquire Governor or Chief Magistrate of the said Commonwealth in fifteen hundred dollars, to be paid to the said James Wood Esquire and his Heirs, Executors for the use of the said Commonwealth for payment whereof well and truly to be made, We bind ourselves and each of our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these Presents. Sealed with our Seals and dated this 6th day of May 1799.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, that Whereas the said William Sorey hath lately been Ordained a Minister of the Baptist Church: Now therefore if the said William Sorey shall well and truly perform and execute, the above Obligation, according to an Act of Assembly, intituled an Act to regulate the Immigration of Negroes then the above Obligation to be void or else to remain in full force and Virtue.

Sealed and Delivered
in Presence of
E. H. Mosley.

William Sorey
James Sorey
Jeremiah Blummer

(16. a Court Held for Princeps Anne County the 6th day of May 1799
The above Bond from William Sorey together with James Sorey and Jeremiah Blummer his Securities to James Wood Esq. Governor of the Commonwealth, was this day acknowledged by the said William Sorey, James Sorey and Jeremiah Blummer, and Ordered to be Recorded.
Teste,
E. H. Mosley Clk.

This Indenture, made the Eighteenth Day of May in the Year of our Lord one Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety nine. Between Thomas Belworth and Sarah his Wife, John Rier and Mary his Wife, Edward Rier and Mary his Wife, John Macaul and Franky his Wife, and Mary Macaul of the one Part, and John Thoroughgood Senr. of the other Part, Witneseth, that for said Thomas Belworth and Sarah his Wife, John Rier and Mary his Wife, Edward Rier and Mary his Wife, John Macaul and Franky his Wife, and Mary Macaul for and in Consideration of the sum of Thirty Pounds, current Money of Virginia, to them in Hand paid, at the said John Thoroughgood at and before the sealing and delivery of these Presents, the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged; Have granted, bargained, sold, aliened, enfeoffed, released, and confirmed, and by these Presents do grant, bargain, sell, alien, enfeoff, release, and confirm, unto the said John Thoroughgood his Heirs and Assigns for ever: A certain Mesuage, Tenement or Tract of Land with its Appurtenances, situate, lying, and being near Lynhaven River in the County of Princeps Anne and Commonwealth of Virginia containing Fifteen Acres more or less, Bounded by the Land late the property of William Thoroughgood deceased, on the North and West, by the Land of the said John Thoroughgood on the East, and by a small Tract of Land belonging to Frederick Boush on the South; and is the same Land which formerly belonged to Samuel Sewelling late of said County deceased, and descended from him to his son Samuel Sewelling who died in his Minority, intestate and without issue about the Year Seventeen hundred and Ninety Three, whereupon the same descended to the said Sarah Belworth, and to the said John Rier,

Edward Rier, and John Macaul and Mary Macaul, Children of Edward Rier and John Macaul deceased, by their Wife Mary, (the said Sarah and Mary being Heirs of the said Samuel Sewelling deceased and the only Heirs and Representatives of the said Samuel Sewelling dec'd) To have and to hold, the said Mesuage, Tenement or Tract of Land with its Appurtenances unto the said John Thoroughgood his Heirs and Assigns for ever; to the only proper Use and Behof of him the said John Thoroughgood and of his Heirs and Assigns for ever. In Witnes whereof the said Thomas Belworth and Sarah his Wife, John Rier and Mary his Wife, Edward Rier and Mary his Wife, John Macaul and Franky his Wife, and Mary Macaul have hereunto set their Hands and Seals the Day and Year first herein Written.

Signed, sealed & Delivered

James Nimmo
James Thoroughgood
Adam Thoroughgood
William Rierder
James Kempe,

Thomas Belworth

Sarah Belworth

John Rier

Mary Rier

John Macaul

Franky Macaul

Edward Rier

Mary Rier

Mary Macaul

Memorandum,

I, John Thoroughgood do hereby for myself, and my Heirs, agree that the Gray Yard or burying Ground of about thirty feet square, on the East and within mentioned, is reserved to the Church within named, for the Use and purpose of a burying place, and to and for no other Use, whatever.

John Thoroughgood,

At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 1. day of July 1799.
The aforesaid Indenture of Bargain and Sale, from Thomas
Behor, th and Sarah his wife, John Her and Mary his Wife,
John M'aul and Tristram his Wife, Edward Her and Mary his
Wife, and ^{many} others to John Thoroughgood was Acknowledged by the
Parties to the same, the Jemes Court being first privily examined
relinquished their right of Inheritance and Dower in the Land
mentioned in the said Indenture which is Ordered to be Recorded
and the Memorandum thereon Written was also Acknowledged by
the said John Thoroughgood and Ordered to be Recorded.

Teste,

E. R. Mosley Cth.

This Indenture made the Third Day
of December in the Year one Thousand Seven
Hundred and Ninety eight, Between Caleb
Boush as Administrator with the Will annexed of Charles
Williamson late of the County of Princess Anne, and Common
wealth of Virginia decast of the one Part, and Morris Knight
of the same County and Commonwealth aforesaid of
the other Part, Witnesseth, that the said Caleb Boush
as Administrator aforesaid, for and in Consideration of the
Sum of Fifty pounds one Shilling, by the said Morris Knight to
him in Hand paid, at and before the sealing, and delivery
of these presents, the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge
and thereof acquit, and discharge the said Morris Knight his
Heirs, Executors, and Administrators, hath granted, bargained, sold,
aliened, transferred, and confirmed, and by these Presents, doth
doth grant, bargain, sell, alien, transfer, and confirm, unto
the said Morris Knight, Forty five and an half Acres
of Land, situate, lying and being in the said County of

Princess Anne, being composed of two Pieces of Land which the
said Charles Williamson purchas'd, to wit, one piece of twenty
five Acres purchas'd of Samuel Griffith, and bounded as follows
to wit, Beginning at the Road and running South thirty
two degrees Westwardly, fifty four poles to the middle of the road
thence North seventy degrees Westwardly twenty poles, thence North
fifty four degrees West thirty six poles to a Maple, thence North
forty two degrees Westwardly twenty poles to an Ash, thence
North twenty two degrees Westwardly twenty poles to a hick
Persimmon, thence North, seventy five degrees Eastwardly, forty
five poles to the Road, thence binding on the said Road to
the first Station, it being apart of M' Cabe's tract of Land
adjoining M' Cabe's, the other of twenty and an half Acres
purchas'd of Jacob Valentine and bounded as follows, to wit,
Beginning at a stake in Peter M'Churatos line, by the Bridge
on the North Landing Road, a corner of William Black's Land
and running South sixty degrees West twenty two poles, thence
South forty three poles to a corner Ash,
in the Ash Swamp, South fifty one and an half degrees East
twenty poles, thence South forty seven, and an half degrees East
sixteen poles, thence South fifty six degrees East, eight poles, thence
South forty eight degrees East eighteen poles, thence South fifteen
degrees East, six and an half poles, to a corner Persimmon Tree, of
M' Cabe's Land, thence North twenty five degrees fourteen poles,
thence North seventy one degrees East eight poles, thence North
sixty three degrees East twenty two poles along M' Cabe's Line to
a corner Pine, thence North thirty degrees West sixty four poles
along the Road to the first Station. To have and to hold
the said forty five and an half Acres of Land, situate and
bounded as aforesaid, and all Houses, Buildings, Orchards
Ways, Waters, Water Courses, Profits, Commodities, Hereditaments
and Appurtenances, thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining
to him the said Morris Knight and his Heirs for ever, and
the said Caleb Boush doth hereby Warrant and defend the
title of the said Land, bargain and premises to the said Morris Knight.

Boush Adm. to Knight.

Knight, against the Heirs, and Representatives of the said Charles Williamson only. In Witness, whereof the said Caleb Boush as Administrator, aforesaid, hath hereunto set his Hand and seal, the Day, and Year first above Written.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered
In Presence of ...

John Shipp
Willis Butt
Charles Griggo

Caleb Boush
Administrator with the Will
Assigned of Charles Williamson dec.

At a Court Held for Prince Anne County the 1st day of July 1799.
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Caleb Boush Administrator with the Will assigned of Charles Williamson dec. to Morris Knight was proved by the Oath of John Shipp, Willis Butt, and Charles Griggo the three Witnesses to the same and Ordered to be Recorded.

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This Indenture, made the Fourth Day of February in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand seven Hundred and Ninety nine, Between Christopher Mosley son and Heir at Law of Burroughs Mosley deceased and Margaret his wife, Christopher Snale, Henry Snale, Francis Snale, Berrian Mosley, Anne Mosley, Frances Bushie, Mary Bushie and Elizabeth Langley, residing in the State of Virginia, in the Counties of Norfolk and Prince Anne of the one part, and Frederick Boush of the said State and County of Prince Anne of the other part Witnesseth, that for and in Consideration of the Sum of One hundred Pounds current Money of Virginia, to them the said Christopher Mosley, Christopher Snale, Henry Snale, Francis Snale, Berrian Mosley, Anne Mosley

Frances Bushie, Mary Bushie, and Elizabeth Langley in Hand paid by the said Frederick Boush at or before the sealing and delivery of these Presents, the receipt hereon written they do hereby acknowledge. Now granted, bargained sold, and aliened and confirmed and by these presents Do, grant, bargain, sell, alien and confirm unto the said Frederick Boush his Heirs and Assigns for ever, all that Tract, piece, or parcel of Land which descended to them the said Christopher Mosley, Christopher Snale, Henry Snale, Francis Snale, Berrian Mosley, Anne Mosley, Frances Bushie, Mary Bushie, and Elizabeth Langley, as Heirs at Law of William Mosley who lately died Intestate, and without Issue in his Minority, which said William Mosley was the son and Heir at Law of William Mosley dec. and the Grandson of Christopher Mosley near Mosson Creek in the County of Norfolk, containing by Estimation Thirty five Acres of Land more or less, lying and being in the County of Prince Anne, and is Bounded or Adjoins the Land held by William White Gent; in right of his Wife, formerly James Hinton's Land, the said Frederick Boush Manor Plantation and the main Road, leading from Newton to the Bayside and Church commonly called and known by the name of Highgate, to have and to hold the said Thirty five Acres of Land more or less with the Appurtenances thereunto belonging and Appertaining with the Reversion and Reversions, Remainder and Remainders, Rents, Issues Profits and benefits thereof to him the said Frederick Boush and his Heirs and Assigns for ever, to the only proper Use and behoof of him the said Frederick Boush his Heirs and Assigns for ever, free and clear of and from all Dowers, or any other Incumbrance whatever, and the said Christopher Mosley, Christopher

Snale, Henry Snale, Francis Snale, Berin Mosley,
Anne Mosley, Frances Bushie, Mary Bushie and
Elizabeth Langley, all and singular the premises hereby
bargained and sold unto the said Frederick Bouch his
Heirs and Assigns for ever, against them the said Christopher
Mosley, Christopher Snale, Henry Snale, Francis Snale,
Berin Mosley, Anne Mosley, Frances Bushie, Mary
Bushie and Elizabeth Langley and their Heirs, and all
and every other known and become whatsoever shall and will
harass and forever defend by these Presents, In
Witness whereof they have hereunto set their Hands, and
Affixed their Seals the Day and Year first within or above Written
Signed, Sealed & Delivered

In the Presence of

Christopher x Mosley
Christopher x Snale
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Frances Snale
Berin Mosley
Anne Mosley
Frances x Bushie
Mary x Bushie
Elizabeth x Langley

Received this 2^d day of February 1799, of Frederick Bouch
the sum One Hundred pounds being the Consideration Money
specified in this Deed of Bargain and Sale

That,

Geo. Vashan
Simon Hancock
Jonathan Hunter
Dennis Whitcomb

Christopher x Mosley
Christopher Snale
Henry Snale
Frances Snale
Berin Mosley
Anne Mosley
Frances x Bushie
Mary x Bushie
Elizabeth x Langley

At about Held for Brings (Brim County) the 1st day of April 1799.
The aforesaid Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Christopher
Mosley, Christopher Snale, Francis Snale, Berin Mosley,
Anne Mosley, Frances Bushie, Mary Bushie, Henry Snale,
and Elizabeth Langley, and the Receipt thereon to Frederick, Bouch
was this day proved by the Oath of George Vashan and Simon Hancock
two of the Witnesses to the same and Ordered to be lodged till fully proved.
And at a Court Held for the aforesaid County the 1st day of July 1799
The aforesaid Deed of Bargain and Sale and the Receipt thereon
was this day fully proved by the Oath of Dennis Whitcomb a third
Witness to the same, and Ordered to be Recorded

Teste,

E. H. Mosley Clerk

This Indenture, made the first day of July One
Thousand Seven Hundred and Ninety nine, Between John
Maudaniel of Brim County of Virginia Anne of the
one Part, and Nathan Milber of the same County and Com-
monwealth of Virginia of the other Part, Witnesseth that for
and in Consideration of the sum of Twelve Dollars, current
Money of Virginia, to the said John Maudaniel and Janette his
Wife in Hand paid by the said Nathan Milber at and before
the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof they do
hereby acknowledge, and thereof and of every part thereof, do
hereby acquit, exonerate and discharge the said Nathan Milber,
his Heirs and Assigns by these presents, they the said John Maudaniel
and Janette his Wife, have granted, bargained, sold, aliened, and confirmed
and by these presents doth grant, bargain, sell, aliene, and confirm,
unto the said Nathan Milber, his Heirs and Assigns One certain
Tract or parcel of Marsh Land, situate, lying and being in the
said County, and known by the name of Piney Island and bounded
by Adam Robinson on the North, by the Land on the East, by
Haleys Creek on the South, and by John and Joshua James on the

To Nathan Milber

West and contains Thirty three and a third Acres. To have and to hold the said bargained premises with all the Appurtenances thereto belonging to the said Nathan Miller his Heirs Executors or Administrators for ever. to his and their own proper use and behoof. and the said John Macdaniel and Janette his wife. do hereby promise and covenant that the said Marsh Land is free from every incumbrance whatsoever. had made committed or suffered by them. and the said John Macdaniel and Janette his wife for themselves their Heirs Executors and Administrators the said bargained premises unto the said Nathan Miller his Heirs Executors or Administrators for ever with Warrant. and defend against and every Person or Persons whatsoever. In Witnes whereof the said John Macdaniel and Janette his wife have hereunto set their Hands and Seals the Day and Year first above Written

signed Sealed & Delivered
In the presence of

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John McDonald



At a Court Held for Prince Anne County the 1st day of July 1799
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from John McDonald to Nathan Miller was Acknowledged by the said John McDonald and Ordered to be Recorded.

Teste,

E. H. Mosley Clk.

This Indenture made the First Day of January in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety nine. Between James Nimmo Guardian to Fegiah Reed an Infant Orphan of Charles Reed deceased of the one part. and Christopher Mosley of the County of Prince Anne of the other Part. Witnesseth that the said James Nimmo as Guardian aforesaid for and in Consideration of the yearly Rent and Covenants hereafter in and by these Presents reserved mentioned and contained on the part and behalf of the said Christopher Mosley his Executors Administrators and Assigns to be paid done and performed. He the said James Nimmo as Guardian aforesaid hath demised leased and to farm let. and by these presents doth demise lease and to farm let. unto the said Christopher Mosley All that Tract and Plantation of Land situate near Kemp's Ville in the County of Prince Anne commonly called from Anne Rice late of said County dec. to the said Fegiah Reed her Daughter. To have and to hold the said Tract and Plantation of Land with the Houses and other Appurtenances unto the said Christopher Mosley his Executors Administrators and Assigns from the Date hereof for and during and until the end and term of four Years fully to be complete and ended. yielding and paying therefore unto the said James Nimmo as Guardian aforesaid for the Use of his Ward the said Fegiah Reed the following Rent that is to say the sum of fifteen pounds on the first Day of January eighteen hundred and one. The sum of Twenty pounds on the first Day of January eighteen hundred and Two. and the sum of Thirty pounds on the first Day of January eighteen hundred and Three. And the said Christopher Mosley for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators and Assigns doth covenant promise and agree to and with the said James Nimmo as Guardian aforesaid. and to and with his Executors Administrators and

James Nimmo Guardian to Fegiah Reed

Assigns, that he the said Christopher Mosley his Executors Administrators or Assigns, shall and will pay or cause to be paid unto the said James Nimmo as Guardian aforesaid his Executors Administrators or Assigns the several sums of Money aforesaid, at or upon the periods herein before mentioned, and will also pay or cause to be paid unto the person or persons authorised to collect the same, the Taxes of every kind, which may be imposed or laid on the said Land Houses and other Appurtenances; and will put or cause to be put, a good and sufficient Fence around the whole of the cleared Land on said Plantation, as well as the Orchards, and will also make such Division fences as may be necessary; And will not cultivate the same field two years successively in Indian corn; And will permit and suffer a Negro Woman named Frank and her Children the property of the said Keziah Reed to be and remain in one of the Houses on the said plantation, and to use the same or claim whatsoever, for on accounts of their being and remaining there. And the said Christopher Mosley for himself his Heirs, Executors Administrators and Assigns doth further covenant and agree that he will at the expiration of the aforesaid Term of four Years deliver possession of the aforesaid Land with the Houses and other Appurtenances to the person or persons who may then have a right to demand it, under good, and sufficient fences as herein herein before described, In Witness whereof the said James Nimmo as Guardian aforesaid, and the said Christopher Mosley have hereunto set their Hands the Day and Year first herein mentioned. . . .

Signed, sealed & delivered
In Presence of . . .

W^m White
Elyse White
Ann Dudley

Ja^s Nimmo Guardian 
Christ^{ph} Mosley 

At about Field for Princess Anne County the 1st day of July 1799.
The aforesaid Lease for Years from James Nimmo Guardian of Keziah Reed, to Christopher Mosley was acknowledged by the said parties, and ordered to be Recorded.

Teste,
E. B. Mosley Clk.

This Indenture made this Tenth Day of July in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety nine. Between, Mary Moore of the County of Princess Anne of the one Part, and Francis Moore of the same County of the other Part. Witnesseth, that the said Mary Moore for and in Consideration of the sum of Twentyfive Pounds current Money of Virginia, to her in hand paid, by the said Francis Moore, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and thereof doth for ever exonerate, acquit, and discharge the said Francis Moore his executors and Administrators, hath granted, bargained, sold, aliened, infeoffed, and confirmed, and by these presents doth grant, bargain, sell, alien, infeoff and confirm, unto the said Francis Moore, and to his heirs and Assigns for ever, all that Tract of Land lying in the County aforesaid, which the said Mary Moore purchased of him the said Francis Moore, by Deed bearing date the sixth day of September in the Year of our Lord, one thousand seven hundred and Ninety, and containing by estimation two hundred Acres more or less, and which said Land descended to him the said Francis Moore from his father James Moore, deceased, and all Houses, Ways, Waters, Watercourses, Rights, Commodities, Reversions, and Appurtenances to the same belonging, the Rents and Issues thereof, and all the Right, Title, Title.

Interest, Claim or Demand of her the said Mary Moore, of in or to the same. To have and to hold the said Lands and Tenements, with the Appurtenances unto him the said Francis Moore, and to his heirs and Assigns forever. and the said Mary Moore for herself, and her heirs, doth hereby covenant and agree to and with the said Francis Moore, that he the said Francis Moore and his heirs and Assigns, shall and may at all times hereafter peaceably and quietly enter, have, hold, use, occupy, possess and enjoy, the premises, with the Appurtenances, against the lawful Claim or Demand of her the said Mary Moore or any other Person claiming by, through, from, or under her. In Witness whereof the said Mary Moore hath hereunto set her Hand and Affixed her Seal the Day and Year first above Written.

signed, sealed & delivered
in Presence of us

Thos. Lawson
Jm Moorely
Saml. Mathews

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Mary Moore.

(At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 2 day of September 1799)

The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Mary Moore to her son Francis Moore was acknowledged by the said Mary Moore and Ordered to be Recorded

Teste,

E. H. Moorely Clk.

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This Indenture, made the Thirty first day of August in the Year of our Lord One Thousand seven hundred and Ninety nine. Between John Whitehead and Ann his wife of the County of Prince Anne of the one Part, and Charles Williamson of the other Part. Witnesseth, that for and in Consideration of the sum of One hundred and forty three dollars to the said John Whitehead in hand paid by the said Charles Williamson at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof they do hereby acknowledge hath granted, bargained, sold and confirmed unto the said Charles Williamson and his heirs and Assigns, one certain tract or parcel of Land containing Ten Acres and three quarters, lying on the North side of Log Bridge Branch, binding on the Land of John Creek running to a new road, thence on the Land of John Whitehead to a corner Point, thence from the said Point Easterly as comes by a line of marked trees, to the head of said branch, thence down the said branch to a corner Post, standing on the edge of a old Road not far from the above said bridge, and thence running a Northwardly course to a Post, on the said Creek's line, it being a part of the tract of Land the said Whitehead bought of Charles James, with all Houses, Varchards, Ways, Waters, Water Courses, Profits and Appurtenances whatsoever, belonging or in any wise Appertaining and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders, Rents, Issues and Profits thereof, and all the Estate write and Title of him the said John Whitehead and Ann his wife, 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 Charles Williamson his heirs and Assigns forever.

Williamson,
Whitehead

free and clear of and from all Taxes and all other Incumbrances of whatsoever nature or kind. And Lastly, the said John Whitehead and his wife Anne all and singular the premises hereby bargained and sold, with the Appurtenances, unto the said Charles Williamson his Heirs, and all and every other Person or Persons shall and will, Warrant, and for ever defend by these Presents. In Witness whereof we have hereunto set our Hands and Affixed our Seals the Day and Year above Written.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered
In Presence of Us.

John Mathew
David Mathew
John X. Kinsey
James Williamson
Henry Smith

John Whitehead

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At a Court Held for Princess Anne County the 2 day of September 1799.
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from John Whitehead to Charles Williamson was Acknowledged, by the said John Whitehead and Ordered to be Recorded.

Teste.

E. F. B. Mosley Clk.

This Indenture, made the 22 Day of August, in the Year of Christ one Thousand seven hundred and Ninety nine, Between Anthony Walke and Anne his Wife of Princess Anne County of the one Part, and Mary Alexander, formerly Mary Keeling of the other Part, Witnesseth, that for and in Consideration of the Sum of fifteen Pounds, to the said Anthony Walke in Hand paid by the said Mary Alexander, the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge.

they the said Anthony Walke, and Anne his wife, have granted, sold, aliened, and confirmed, unto the said Mary Alexander, and her Heirs, one Quarter of an Acre, lying in Hampsville, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a Bush near the outward Limits of the Down, and running N 84 W.

one hundred Feet to a stone; thence S. 6 W. one hundred and eight Feet to a stone; thence S. 84 E. 100 Feet; thence N 6 E. 108 Feet to a stone to the first Station, with all the Appurtenances, and all Right, Title, and Interest in the same: To

have and to hold, the said Land, with the Appurtenances, hereby conveyed unto the said Mary Alexander;

her Heirs and Assigns for ever. Lastly, that they, the said Anthony Walke, and Anne his Wife, and their Heirs, the said Premises against all Persons claiming under them will for ever Warrant and defend. In

Witness whereof they have hereto set their Hands and Seals the Day and Year above Written.

Signed, Sealed, & Delivered
in Presence of

Jacob Keeling
Elizabeth Brunet
Margaret Ellgood

Anthony Walke

Anne Walke

At a Court Held for Princeps Anne County the 2 day of September 1799
The aforesaid Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Anthony
Walke and Anne his Wife to Henry Alexander was acknow-
ledged by the said Anthony and Anne Walke she being first
privily examined relinquished her Right of Dower and Ordered
to be Recorded,

Teste,

E. R. Moxley Clk.

Salmon's to Whitehead
This Indenture, made the second Day
of August in the Year of Lord One Thousand seven
hundred and ninety nine. Between Henry
Salmon of the County of Princeps Anne and State of
Virginia of the one part, and John Whitehead, Son of
Jonathan of the County and State of Virginia of the
part, Witnesseth, that for and in Consideration of
the Sum of Nine Pounds current Money of Virginia, in
Hand paid by the said John Whitehead to the said Henry
Salmon the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge
and therefore doth acquit and discharge the said John
and his heirs, and have granted, bargained and sold
and by these presents do grant, bargain and sell unto
the said John Whitehead and his Heirs, a certain tract
or parcel of Land containing three Acres more or less
lying in Bunge, and bounded as follows, Beginning at
an Oak aborner tree, standing at the main Bunge Road
in the line of the Land formerly belonging to Richard
Salmon's dec. and running Northwardly as the road runs
to Newman's Patent line, thence running Westwardly to
Mason's Patent line, thence running Southwardly as the
Patent line runs between Mason's and Newman's Patent

to the line of Richard Salmon's dec. thence running East-
wardly down the said line to the first Station, being all
the Land that Anthony Salmon's dec. formerly owned
to the Westward side of the main Bunge Road in New-
man's Patent. To have and to hold the said
tract or Parcel of Land to the said John Whitehead
his heirs and Assigns for ever, with all the Appurtenances
thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining to the
only proper use and behoof of him the said John Whitehead
and his heirs and Assigns for ever, and the said Henry
Salmon doth for himself and his heirs Warrant, and
for ever defend the said tract or parcel of Land unto the
said John Whitehead and his heirs and Assigns for ever, against
him the said Henry Salmon and his heirs and all Persons
whatsoever. In Witness whereof the said Henry Salmon hath
hereunto set his Hand and Seal the day and Year above Written. 19

In Presence of ...

John F. King
Martha F. King
Francis Aclips

Henry Salmon

At a Court Held for Princeps Anne County the 2 day of September 1799.
The above Indenture of Bargain and Sale from Henry
Salmon to John Whitehead Son of Jonathan was Acknowledged by
the said Henry Salmon and Ordered to be Recorded.

Teste,

E. R. Moxley Clk.

This Indenture, made the 23 Day of February 1797. Between Anthony Walke Executor of Anthony Walke dec. and John Hill Witnesseth that Whereas, Col. John Aches did some Years ago give a Mortgage for Lands and Slaves to secure a Debt to Anthony Walke (since dec.), and Whereas the said John Hill hath bought a Negro called Nanny, a child of State who was included in the said Mortgage for forty Pounds to be paid to Anthony Walke Executor as aforesaid, the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge. For the said Anthony Walke Executor of Anthony Walke dec. doth hereby release and confirm, to the said John Hill the said Negro Nanny, his the only proper Use and Abuse of him the said John Hill, his Heirs and Assigns for ever. In Witness whereof the said Anthony Walke hath hereto set his Hand and Seal at the City of Williamsburg the 23 Day of February 1797.

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above Written.

Sealed and Delivered

In Presence of
James Etheridge
Joseph Williamson

Anthony Walke Exr
of A. Walke dec. (S)

at a Court Held for Prince George County the 2 day of September, 1799.

The above Deed of Release from Anthony Walke to John Hill was acknowledged by the said Anthony Walke, and Ordered to be Recorded.

Teste,
E. H. Mosley Clk.

Know all Men by these Presents, that the said Valentine, John Thornwood and John Valentine all of the County of Prince George in the Commonwealth of Virginia, are held and firmly bound unto William Michael Esq. Sheriff of the said County, in the just and full sum of fifty Thousand Pounds good and lawful Money of Virginia, to be paid unto the said William Michael his certain Attorney, his Heirs, Executors, Administrators or Assigns. To which payment well and truly to be made, We bind ourselves, our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these Presents, sealed with our Seals and dated this ninth Day of May One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty two.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that Whereas the said William Michael is constituted and appointed, High Sheriff of the County of Prince George aforesaid, by Commission from his Excellency Benjamin Harrison Governor of the Commonwealth aforesaid, bearing date the fourth Day of December last past, and hath in consequence of such his Appointment and Commission, given Bond and Security as of Law directed by Law, for his faithful Performance of the said Office. And Whereas the said Jacob Valentine hath requested of the said William Michael to appoint him a Deputy Sheriff for the said County and the said William Michael hath thereupon transferred and Assigned over to the said Jacob Valentine, the whole, of the business within the said County as Sheriff. Now Know Ye, that if the above the said Jacob Valentine shall well and truly collect all Taxes, Fines and Forfeitures due to the Commonwealth or County aforesaid, or which may hereafter become due during his Continuance in said Office, and shall well and truly execute, and due return make of all Process and Process, and pay and satisfy all sums of Money, and Tobacco, as well as all other and every specific Article by him received by Virtue of any such Process, or by Virtue of his Office as aforesaid, to the Person or Persons to whom the same are or may be due, his, her, or their Executors, Administrators or Assigns, and in all other Things shall truly and faithfully execute and perform the said Office of a Deputy Sheriff for the said County during his continuance therein, and shall well and truly save harmless and indemnified, the said William Michael his Heirs, Executors and Administrators, and every of them, and his and their Lands and Tenements, Goods and Chattels of and from all

Suits, Actions, Claims, Costs, and Demands whatsoever, by reason or Means of his the said Jacob Valentine's duty as Deputy Sheriff, then the above Obligation to be void, or else to be and remain in full Force and Virtue:

Sealed and Delivered

In Presence of

Wm. Russell

Adam Fieeling

John Ghieslin

J^t. Valentine

John Thoroughgood

John Valentine

At a Court Held for Prince's Anne County the 2 day of September 1799.
The above Bond from Jacob Valentine, John Thoroughgood and John Valentine since deceased to William Nichols etc. was proved by the Oath of Adam Fieeling and John Ghieslin two of the Wm. Jore to the same, and Ordered to be Recorded.

S. B. The Original Bond from the above said Valentine to Wm. Nichols was taken out of the Office by J^r. Nichols on Jan 4 1800

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Wm. to Walke
This Deed Indenter maid this the Fifth Day of August, one Thousand seven hundred and Ninety nine Between Elizabeth Walke of Prince's Anne County and State of Virginia of the one part, and Elias Williams of the County of Currituck and State of North Carolina of the other part. Witnesseth, that I the said Elizabeth Walke for and Consideration of the sum of Seventy five dollars to me in Hand paid, the Receipt whereof I humbly acknowledge, myself therewith fully satisfied, contented and paid, and by these presents have sold, conveyed, and confirmed, unto the said Elias Williams his Heirs and Assigns, Seventy five Acres of Marshes and Land lying in the Neck Roads, to South and North of Cross Ridge as a Rainger rite, is being part of Thomas Walke's Land, given the

said Elizabeth Walke his wife by Will, lying and being in the County of Prince's Anne aforesaid, and bounded in the said Thomas Walke's Deed, with all Profits thereon. To have and to hold, the above granted premises and I the said Elizabeth Walke do bind myself to Warrant and defend the above granted premises during my Life, unto the said Elias Williams and his Heirs and Assigns, free and clear from all Persons lagging claims thereto. In Witness whereof I have set my Hand and Seal, in presence of:

Test,

James Norris

Ann King

Henry White

John Mitchell

Robert + Dudley

Elizabeth Walke

At a Court Held for Prince's Anne County the 2 day of September 1799
The above Bond from Elizabeth Walke and Sole from Elizabeth Walke to Elias Williams, was proved by the Oath of James Norris, John Mitchell and Robert Dudley three of the Witnesses to the same, and Ordered to be Recorded.

Test,

E. F. Moseley Etk.

Spate to Dudley
This Indenture, made this Fourteenth Day of November in the Year of our Lord, One Thousand seven hundred and Ninety seven, Between James Spratt of the County of Prince's Anne and State of Virginia, of the one Part, and Malachi Dudley of the County of Currituck and State of North Carolina of the other Part Witnesseth, that for and in Consideration of the sum of Twenty five dollars current money of Virginia to the said James Spratt in Hand paid by the said Malachi