

of the said Indenture, that you distinctly and freely certify
 this of your own honor and seal returning to us at the
 Writ with the said Indenture. Witness our Writ the 30th day
 of the month of June, 1803 at his office the 30th day
 stands one thousand eight hundred and three only
 in the 2^d year of the Commonwealth

Sam^l Hild^d

In Obedience to a Commission of St. James Court to us directed
 and bearing date the 30th day of January 1803 and having
 James W. we have examined Susanna a slave wife of the
 said Wm. Hild^d in the commission mentioned who
 having examined privately and apart from her said husband
 acknowledges the same to be her hand and seal and that
 and that she did it freely and voluntarily without
 the persuasion or threats of her husband. What she was
 willing the same should be recorded in the County Court of St. James
 given under our hands and seals the 15th day of April 1803

James Wilkins Clerk

James Geo. Seal

At a Court held for the County of St. James the 19th day of April
 1803 The Indenture was before us signed by Wm. Hild^d Master
 the party then and with a commission for the examination
 of said Hild^d and certificate of its execution was returned
 and ordered to be recorded.

Sam^l Hild^d

Witnessed
 and signed
 to
 Coll.

This Indenture made this 5th day of January in the
 year of our Lord Christ two thousand eight hundred and three
 between William Woodson and Elizabeth his wife of the County
 of St. James and State of Virginia, of the one part and Lazarus
 Cobb of the County and State of Virginia of the other part
 Witnesseth, that the said William Woodson and Elizabeth his wife
 for and in consideration of the sum of of two hundred and forty
 seven pounds 10^s. Current money of the said State of Virginia
 to them in hand paid by the said Lazarus Cobb, the receipt
 which said sum is hereby acknowledged, they the said
 William Woodson and Elizabeth his wife have granted
 given, sold, aliened, conveyed, confirmed and by their
 heirs, doth hereby grant and