

This Indenture made the 16th day of February one thousand eight hundred and Eighteen between Matthew Bryant of Southampton County of the one part & Polly Bryant of the other part, both of the same County, Witnesseth that the said Matthew Bryant for and in consideration of the sum of Five hundred and fifty Dollars to him in hand paid by the said Polly Bryant at or upon the delivery of these presents the receipt whereof the said Matthew Bryant doth hereby acknowledge, hath granted bargained sold and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain and sell unto the said Polly Bryant his heirs and assigns forever one certain tract or parcel of land lying in the County of Southampton **Containing** by estimation one hundred and more or less and bounded as followeth to wit beginning at a pine or corner in John Barretts line, thence along said Barretts line to a white oak a corner in Nicholas Bryant line, thence along said Bryants line in the run of the Stony branch, thence along said Barretts line to a white oak a corner in Nicholas Bryant line, thence along said Bryants line in the run of the Stony branch, then down the said branch to a lightwood post a corner in John Vicks line, then along said Vicks line to a corner a ~~barrel~~ in Drury Bryants line, then along said Bryants line to a corner post oak in said Bryants line, then along said Bryants line of marked trees to the beginning, with the right title to of in and to the said land & plantation off them the said Matthew Bryant and Polly his wife, to have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land and premises with its appurtenances unto the said Drury Bryant his heirs & assigns forever, to the only use and behoof of her the said Drury Bryant and the said Matthew Bryant and wife Polly for themselves their heirs & doth forever warrant and defend the title of the same and every part thereof against all and every person or persons whatsoever by mistake or error of the said Matthew Bryant and Polly his wife both hereto set ~~our~~ hands and affix our seals this day and year aforewritten Signed sealed & delivered in presence of

William Vicks

Richard Johnson

Mills & Story

Henry Atkinson

Law Cooks

Britten Pope

Barton Chittie

Gives her husband

stainly without

the persuasions

or threats of husband

and that she

wishes not to retract it

seals this 28th day of August 1819

Matthew & Bryant

Polly & Bryant

Virginia of Southampton County To wit We

do hereby certify that

Polly Bryant the wife of Matthew Bryant in person did

for legal estate to Drury Bryant bearing date the 16th of Dec

1818 this day personally appeared before us separate & apart

and acknowledged that she had signed the within deed free

and voluntarily without the persuasions or threats of husband and that she

wishes not to retract it Given under our hands and

Laurence Cooks

Clements Rockelle