

Examined by
Deputy to
Elisha Butler
16th of Decr
1788

This Indenture

made this 22nd day of August 1788
between and among John Pickett late of Virginia
Christian for our Sarah Pickett Mordecai Pickett for our Pickett
Peter Pickett Elisha Pickett for our M. Balham John Pickett for our
Lemuel Pickett of the one part and Elisha Butler of the other part
witnesseth that the said Mordecai Pickett Pickett Pickett
John Pickett Pickett Mordecai Pickett Pickett Pickett Pickett
Elisha Pickett Pickett M. Balham John Pickett Pickett Peter Pickett
for and in consideration of the sum of two thousand two hundred
dollars ^{at four shillings each} and forty shillings current money of Virginia to them
in hand paid for otherwise secured to be paid the selling &
delivery of these presents the receipt whereof they are hereby acknowledged
have granted bargained and sold and by these presents grant
Bargain sell release and confirm unto Elisha Butler of and
to his heirs and assigns to their proper use and behoof
forever one certain parcel or pieces of lands lying and being in the
county of Southampton aforesaid and being the tract of land
whereon Benjamin Whitfield dec'd and county formerly his
and devised to them the undersigned two persons in the full
point of this Indenture by the last will of the said Benjamin
Whitfield marked and bounded as follows (to wit) the same
dores will here include also the part of said lands belonging
to said Butler in right of his wife Lucinda who is one of
the legatees with the before named two in the aforesaid
will. Beginning at the Road leading to Point Orange then
N 25 W 56 Pole is a cypress tree at a corner of Pickett
Hargason and Mary Edwards thence S 61 W 69 1/4 Pole to
a Purple Hickory at corner of Pickett Hargason in his line
thence due North 12 P to a Bay tree a corner of said Hargason in
the new path Branch thence along that said Branch S 1/2 E 6 P
to the Path thence due East 33 P N. 1/2 E. on the path
thence at 41 E. 10 Pole is a Poplar at corner in the new Path
Branch thence at 65 E. 22 P opposite a green pine thence
at 65 E. 30 P to the road opposite Hargason House thence at 80 1/2
P to a dead pine a corner of Pickett Hargason and former
Parrit standing in a Branch thence up said Branch to the
main river thence of southwardly 26 Pole is a corner in said
Parrits line thence along Parrits line of marked
trees S. 36 W. 80 P. is the Path going to James Leach's

E. B.