

Arthur Whitehead
to
Stephenson

This Indenture made this twentieth day of May in the year of our Lord and
 thousand eight hundred and twenty two Between Arthur Whitehead and Polly his wife of
 the Parish of Stelling and County of Southampton of the one part and John Stephenson of the
 same parish and County of the other part Witnesseth that the said Arthur Whitehead and
 wife Polly for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars good and
 lawful money of this Kingdom to them in hand paid by the said John Stephenson the receipt
 whereof they both hereby acknowledge themselves fully and amply satisfied and paid both grants
 bargainable sold advised sold and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain
 sell alien release and confirm unto the said John Stephenson his heirs and assigns forever all that
 lands and plantation and premises with the appurtenances now in the tenor and occupation
 of the said John Stephenson situate lying and being in the aforesaid Parish and County containing
 by estimation forty acres to the same more or less and bounded as follows to wit Beginning at a
 lightwood post standing at the seat in the line of Willie Cooks thence a marked lot of said line
 to a maple standing in the Darn lands a corner on the line of Simpson Whitehead thence up to
 said lands to a Hacktrap a corner in the line of Benjamin Foster thence a marked lot to the
 road thence down the road to the beginning in the north side of the Spring Ridge road and all
 houses one house Cisterns buildings yards gardens Orchard two ways water courses perfect her estate and
 appurtenances to the said tract of Land belonging or in anywise appurtenant ought to be which
 more trust Expressly properly claim or demands whatsoever of them the said Arthur Whitehead &
 Polly his wife of in and to the same and every part thereof to the only proper use and behoof of the said
 John Stephenson his heirs and assigns forever and the said Arthur Whitehead and Polly his wife for
 themselves their heirs Executors and assigns doth hereby Covenant promise and grant to and with the
 said John Stephenson his heirs and assigns forever by these presents In witness whereof the said
 Arthur Whitehead with Polly his wife both hereunto set their hands and affixes their seals this day
 and date first above written

signed sealed and delivered in

presence of
 Wm Hammond
 James P. Mosher
 John J. Johnson

Arthur Whitehead
 no
 Polly Whitehead
 1790.12

Witness
 Seal

Southampton County trust

We James Clayton and Benjamin Giffin Justices of the peace and for the County aforesaid and State
 of Virginia do hereby certify that Polly Whitehead the wife of Arthur parties to the within Indenture for the
 conveyance of real Estate to John Stephenson bearing date the 20th day of May 1822 Personally appeared before
 us her own County aforesaid and being examined by us privately and apart from her said husband and
 having the dock fully explained to her she the said Polly Whitehead acknowledges the same to be her
 act and deed and declares that she has willingly signed sealed and delivered the same and that she
 wished not to retract it Given under our hands and seals this 29th day of June 1822

James Clayton Just
 Benjamin Giffin Just

Southampton County

In the clerk's office the 28th August 1822

This Indenture was acknowledged by Arthur Whitehead and together with the certificate
 thereon endorsed certifying the acknowledgment and private examination of Polly Whitehead
 the wife of Arthur Whitehead parties hereto and admitted to record And also
 Court held for the aforesaid County of Southampton on the 1st of November 1822
 This Indenture and Certificate as aforesaid were entered upon the proceedings of
 the day...

Teste James Rochee c.