

appeared before me in our County apnial and being examined by my self and apart from her husband and having the said affidavit fully explained to her she the said Catharine Margaret acknowledged the same to be true & true and declare that she had willingly signed said deed and desired the same and that she wished not to retract or  
burn under an oaths and seals the 17<sup>th</sup> day of March 1823.

Lawrie Cooke Esq.  
A. T. Testo Esq.

Southampton County

In the Clerks office the 17<sup>th</sup> March 1823 This indenture was acknowledged by the Margaret and together with the certificate thereon endorsed certifying the acknowledgement and full examination of Catharine Margaret wife of said John Margaret parties thereto and admitted to record and at a Court held for the several County of Southampton on the 20<sup>th</sup> April 1823 This indenture and certificate as aforesaid were entered upon the records of the aforesaid County of Southampton on the 20<sup>th</sup> April 1823.

Date James Robtelle Esq.

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to  
Washington

This Indenture made and entered into this fourteenth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and forty three between John Murphy and Lydia his wife his wife of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia of the one part and Deborah Washington of the same County and State aforesaid of the other part witnesseth that in consideration of the sum of forty nine dollars & cents or money of this Commonwealth to them in hand paid by the said Deborah Washington aforesaid before the making and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged that they the said John Murphy and Lydia his wife have bargained and sold and by these presents with grant bargain and sell unto the said Deborah Washington his heirs and assigns forever one certain lot or parcel of land and premises lying and being in the Town of Elizabethtown in the County aforesaid Containing one half acre and appearing on the map of said Town as lot No 18 and lying on Elizabeth street the said lot and parcel of land to have and to have whole and every part and parcel thereof unto the said Deborah Washington his heirs and assigns forever free from all claim or claims of whom the said John Murphy and Lydia his wife or either of them or their heirs Execs administrators or assigns and from all and every other person or persons whatever shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents Intestacy whereby no heirs Persons & others are entitled thereto and to the best of my knowledge  
Signed dated and delivered  
in presence of

S. Murphy Esq.

Southampton County Town

Lodged & acknowledged

No James D. Chapman and Benjamin Griffin Testifiers of the facts for the County aforesaid and State of Virginia do hereby certify that Lydia Murphy the wife of John Murphy parties to the within Indenture bearing date the 17<sup>th</sup> day of March 1823 for the conveyance of real Estate to Deborah Washington heretofore appeared before me in our County aforesaid and being examined by myself and apart from her said Husband she the said Lydia Murphy acknowledged the same to be her act and deed and declare that she had willingly signed said deed and admitted the same and that she wished not to retract it Given under our hands at this 17<sup>th</sup> day of March 1823

James Chapman Esq.  
Benjamin Griffin Esq.

Southampton County

In the Clerks office the 17<sup>th</sup> March 1823 This indenture was acknowledged by John Murphy and together with the certificate thereon endorsed certifying the acknowledgement and full examination of Lydia Murphy wife of said John Murphy parties thereto and admitted to record and at a Court held for the aforesaid County of Southampton on the 20<sup>th</sup> April 1823 This indenture and certificate as aforesaid were entered upon the records of the aforesaid County of Southampton on the 20<sup>th</sup> April 1823.

Testo.

James Robtelle Esq.