

unto the said Tho: Edwards his Heirs & assigns forever one certain Tract or Parcel of Land  
 situate lying & being in the County of Southampton afores: containing by Estimation one  
 hundred Acres be same more or less and bounded as followeth Beginning at a black  
 oak then by a line of marked Trees to a pine in a meadow then N: Seventy five Degrees West one  
 hundred & twenty five Poles to a white oak then South W. by S: one hundred & two Poles to a black  
 oak then South twenty Degrees East one hundred & twenty five Poles to a Maple in the side of the  
 Beavertown Swamp then by a line of marked Trees to a pine by the side of a small Branch  
 then down the various Courses of the Run of the s: Branch to the Beginning with all Trees  
 Woods Underwoods Common Commons of Pastures Profits Commodities Advantages Emble-  
 ments & Hereditaments whatsoever to the said Plantation or Tract of Land belonging or in  
 any wise appertaining or upon the same growing happening or arising & also the Reversion  
 Reversion's Remainder & Remainder's Rents Services of the Premises and every Part thereof  
 and also all the Estate Right Title Interest Claim and Demand whatsoever of him the said  
 Geo: Gurley of in or to the said Premises and every Part thereof To have and to hold  
 all and singular the said Premises above mentioned and every Part thereof with the appur-  
 tenances unto the said Thomas Edwards his Heirs & assigns to the only proper Use & Benefit of  
 the said Tho: Edwards his Heirs and assigns forever And the said Geo: Gurley for himself  
 & his Heirs the said Plantation and Premises of every part thereof against him & his Heirs  
 & against all and every other Person or Persons whatsoever unto the said Tho: Edwards his Heirs  
 and assigns shall and will Warrant and forever defend by these Presents in Witnes whereof  
 the said Geo: Gurley hath hereunto set his Hand and affixed the Day and year above written  
 Signed Sealed & Delivered  
 in the Presence of us  
 Rich: Vick Junr:  
 George Gurley Junr:

George C. Gurley Esq:  
 Mark

Memorandum that on the 10<sup>th</sup> Day of October one thousand seven hundred & fifty four  
 quiet and peaceable Possession and Seison of the Lands within mentioned was given and  
 delivered by the within named George Gurley unto the within named Thomas Edwards to hold  
 to him & his Heirs & assigns according to the true Intent & Meaning of the within written  
 Deed

George C. Gurley  
 Mark

At a Court held for the County of Southampton on Thursday the 12<sup>th</sup> Day of December 1754  
 this Indenture & Memorandum of Livery of Seisin endorsed were acknowledged by the  
 within named George Gurley & Ordered to be Recorded

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 J. Wells Esq:  
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Scott  
 to  
 Clifton

To all to whom these presents shall come greeting know ye that I John Scott of  
 Southampton County of my own Accord and free good will do make over and settle as  
 a Jointure unto Sarah Clifton Junior Daughter to Thomas Clifton of Southampton County  
 aforesaid three Negroes Viz Jenny, Jim & Pompey for divers good causes and Considerations  
 but more especially in Consideration of Marriage to me To have and to hold the said  
 Negroes during her Natural Life without any manner of Challenge Claim or demand of  
 me the said John Scott or any other Person or Persons for me in my Name by my Cause  
 Means Consent or Procurement And further know ye that I the said John Scott have  
 put the said Sarah Clifton in full Possession of the aforesaid three Negroes Viz Jenny Jim  
 & Pompey as Witness my Hand and Seal this thirtieth Day of January one thousand  
 seven hundred & fifty five & in the Presence of  
 John Mark

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 Johnson  
 to  
 Reace

A. J.  
 T. J.  
 etc.