

James
to
Thomas
This Indenture made this 26th day February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Seventeen Between John Newsum Charles Newsum of Southampton County of the one part and Henry Thomas of Southampton County of the other part: Witnesseth that the said John Newsum and Charlotte his wife for and in consideration of the sum of twenty dollars to him paid by the said Henry Thomas the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged to the said John Newsum and wife, hath granted, bargained and sold aliened, conveyed and by these presents doth grant bargain and sell alien convey release and confirm unto the said Henry Thomas his heirs and assigns forever One Certain tract or parcel of land containing by estimation five acres more or less situate lying and being in the County of said land and in the north side of John Thomas and bounded as follows: Beginning at a white oak in a small branch in John Thomas line thence along a line of marked trees in the old line between the said Newsum and Thomas nearly north to the great branch thence up the said Branch to a small branch up the said Branch to the beginning. To Have and to hold the said tract of land and premises and every part and parcel thereof unto the said Henry Thomas his heirs and assigns forever. Right, title interest claim and demand, whatsover of him the said Newsum and wife or any other person persons claiming under him of in and to the said premises all and singular the said land also mentioned unto the said Henry Thomas for himself and his heirs the said tract of land and every part thereof against himself and his heirs and against all and every other person and persons whatsoever to the said Henry Thomas his heirs and assigns shall and lawfully shall and forever defend by these presents. In Witness whereof the said John Newsum and Charlotte his wife have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals this day and year first above written

Signed Sealed and delivered

in presence of us

Amos
mark
Amos Shepperson
James Barritt Southampton County, Ge.

John
mark
John Newsum Jr. Dec.
Charles
mark
Charles Newsum Jr. Dec.

Harrison Royal. This day personally appeared before us at Court Charles Newsum the wife of the within named John Newsum, and after being examined privately and apart from her said husband before us acknowledged the within to be her own, taken, taken, and read that she is willing and desires the same should be recorded in the County Court of Southampton. Given under our hands and seals this 7th day of June 1817.

Geo. Gentry Dec.

Chas. Rockwell Dec.

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 21st day of January 1822. This Indenture was produced in Court and James Barritt a witness of the same being read Bolling H. Barritt being sworn each of us well acquainted with the same writing of the said James Barritt and verily believe that the name of the said James Barritt to be in his own proper hand writing. And the said Dec. having been before proved by the oath of the two deponents before us to be a true and correct copy of the said indenture and the privy examination and relinquishment of Henry of Charlotte Newsum the wife of Newsum party thereto ordered to be

Recorded

Test James Rockwell &c