

This Indenture made this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 1832 Between William Nicholson  
 and Melisa Francis his wife of the first part and George Williams of the other part Witness  
 the said Melisa Francis and in consideration of the sum of One  
 hundred and Eight dollars 58<sup>cts</sup>. to them in hand paid by the said George Williams at  
 the executing of these presents the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged have granted  
 gained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell to the said George Will-  
 iams a certain parcel of Land a part of the tract purchased of Joseph Bright by James Taylor  
 in the County of Southampton Co. and containing three hundred and forty seven and 2/3 acres  
 and bounded as follows Beginning at a Corner for James Taylor and Henry Pope  
 and running said Pope's line to Ed. Cure's line thence his line to where it crosses the main  
 path at the Gate thence a new made line at 15 N 20 E poles to a run of White Sands thence  
 down the Head of the Mill Pond to a large Spruce and up the stem of said Spruce thence  
 to its head and thence a line of marked trees to a maple tree on James Taylor's line and  
 thence along Taylor's line to the beginning The said George Williams to have and to  
 hold the said parcel of Land with all and singular the appurtenances thereto  
 belonging for or in any way appertaining free from the claim or claims of all the said  
 William Nicholson and wife or any other person or persons whatsoever And we  
 the said William Nicholson and wife on our part do warrant and defend to the  
 said George Williams his heirs or assigns forever a full and clear right and title to  
 said parcel of Land In Witness whereof we hereunto set our hands and seals this  
 day and date above written

Southern County Court

W. Nicholson (Sd)  
Melisa F. Nicholson (Sd)

We Benjamin Devaney and Alexander Myrick Justices of the Peace in the County  
 of Southampton aforesaid in the State of Virginia do hereby Certify that Melisa F. Nichol-  
 son the wife of W. Williams Nicholson parties to a certain deed bearing date on the 15<sup>th</sup>  
 day of December 1832 and hereunto annexed personally appeared before us in open Court  
 aforesaid and being examined by us privately and apart from her husband and having  
 the said deed aforesaid fully explained to her she the said Melisa F. Nicholson ac-  
 knowledged it to be her act and deed and declared that she has voluntarily  
 signed sealed and delivered the same and that she will not retract it Given  
 under our hands and seals this 15<sup>th</sup> day of December 1832 Benj. Devaney (Sd)  
 Alex. Myrick (Sd)

Southampton County In the Clerk's office the 21<sup>st</sup> day of January 1833  
 This Indenture was acknowledged by William Nicholson and together with the  
 legal title annexed of the same examined and relinquishment of Jones of  
 Melisa F. Nicholson wife of the said William Nicholson party thereto  
 admitted to record And at a Court held for the County aforesaid the 18<sup>th</sup> day of  
 February 1833 The said Indenture and legal title were entered upon the pro-  
 ceeds of the day

Teste Saml. Rochelle Clk