

as follows to Wit, Beginning at a sweet gum a new Corner made in the dividing
line on the side of the deep branch, thence along the deep branch to the corner of the
mill pond, thence along the run of the mill pond to a sweet gum a corner of the
Marble line, thence along the edge of the land to the Mory branch, thence along the
edge branch to a black gum a corner of John Thompson's line thence along the
Marble line to a pine a new Corner in the dividing line thence along the dividing
line to the ~~spring~~ station. To have and to hold the said tract or parcel of land
and premises with every of its appurtenances unto him the said Richard Porter his
heirs and assigns forever, And the said Sept. J. Porter hereby Covenants to and with
the said Richard Porter his heirs and assigns that he the said Sept. J. Porter his
heirs and assigns & administrators will everant and forever defend the title to the afove
said tract of land and premises unto him the said Richard Porter his heirs and
assigns, against the claim or demand of himself the said Sept. J. Porter and all and
every other person or persons whatsoever. In Witness whereof the said Sept. J. Porter
hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day and year first written.
Signed sealed & delivered
Sept. J. Porter

In presence of

Southampton County In the Clerk's Office the 20th day of November
This Indenture was acknowledged by Sept. J. Porter party thereto and attorn
to to record And at a Court held for the County aforesaid the 18th day of February 1782
The said Indenture was entered upon the proceedings of the day
Witness James Rockwell Secy.

Sharden & Wife: This Indenture made the 20th day of November in the year of our Lord God then
the
Lawrence
some eight hundred and thirty four. Between Septima Sharden and Patsy his Wife
of the one part and Willis W. Lawrence of the other part, all of the County of South
ampton in the State of Virginia. Witnesseth that the said Septima Sharden
and Patsy his Wife for and in Consideration of the sum of Eight hundred dollars
to them in hand paid by the said Willis W. Lawrence at once before the
making and delivery of these presents (the receipt whereof is hereby acknow
ledged) they the said Septima Sharden and Patsy his Wife have granted, sold
given and sold, and by these presents do and each of them doth grant, bargain
sell unto the said Willis W. Lawrence his heirs and assigns a Certain
tract or parcel of land lying and being in the aforesaid County of Southampton
on the West side of Black Water river, and on the east side of the Great swamp
Containing by estimation Three hundred and thirty eight acres be the same more
or less and bounded as follows to Wit, Beginning at a small cypress in the run of
the Cedar Swamp, on the side of the path at the crossing place, near the corner
of the late Jacob Sharden dec? running from thence eastwardly to a pine near
the pond or place thence a south by East to a pine standing on the east side of
small pond, thence a straight line eastwardly to a small brook on the bank of
Black Water river, thence down the river to the mouth of the Cedar swamp, thence
up the various Courses of the said river, ending on a large oak tree
running South and the late Jacob Sharden lands to the first station
joining the line which the late Jacob Sharden bought from John M. Bledsoe