

to Merit Robertson Drake and his heirs or assigns for ever the said 40 acres of
Land be the same more or less that is now held by Benjamin Merton and bound
by the Land of Jesse Hight. James Clerk John Drake & Matthew Drake is
Drake hath given, granted, bargained and sold and as give grant bargain and sell
unto the said Matthew Drake the same with all houses out houses edifices buildings
and of Land unto the said Matthew Drake his heirs or assigns for ever, and
the said Merit Robertson Drake his heirs executors and assigns the said tract or
parcels of Land with all and every of the appurtenances thereto belonging, unto the said
Matthew Drake his heirs and assigns shall and well warrant and forever defend by
his hand and seal the day hereof the said Merit Robertson Drake hereunto set

Southampton County. In the Clerk's office the 18th day of May 1806. Merit R. Drake (seal)

This Indenture was acknowledged by Merit R. Drake a party thereto and ac-
cording to record. And at a Court held for said County the 20th day of June 1806 the
said Indenture was entered upon the proceedings of the day.

Note. L.R. Cawsons 66.

This Indenture made this 20th day of May one thousand eight hundred and
twenty six between William T. Blow of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia of
the first part and James D. Boyant of the same County and State of the second part and
Lewis Norrell of the same County and State of the third part. Whereas the said William T.
Blow stands justly indebted unto the said Lewis Norrell by bond bearing even date with
this Indenture for the sum of Two hundred and fifty dollars and he the said William T. Blow
being willing and desirous to secure the payment thereof and the interest thereon according to
the Indenture Witnesseth that the said William T. Blow for and in consideration of the sum of
one dollar to him in hand paid by the said James D. Boyant trustee at or before the executing
and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath granted bargain and
sold and by these presents doth grant bargain and sell unto him the said James D. Boyant
trustee his heirs and assigns forever, one sorrel horse one bay horse, one dark bay mare,
one grey mare and yearling, eight heads of cattle 20 shoats including 1 bear and one sow, six
sows and thirteen pigs, one four wheel carriage and harness one cart and two pair of horse
shoes two barbed carts three New shear Suggen, three ploughs three pea trawls, 11 firelocks four
bulletins one pair of Iron wedges & working bar, 4 Crab hors 4 cutting axes one Prina stone.
all my proportion of crop of corn fodder bottom pens and potatoes the present year one sorrel horse
with three feather beds and furniture one Secretary one Mahogany table one pine table one block,
6 Windsor chairs
5 black-bottom Chairs two trunks one pine chest, looking glass one set of three
each ones two flying pans, the bottles, one foot rack and one Loom and gear two spinning
shells two pair of tin shovels, one bar, one pair of flat irons one saddle and bridle one lead
one two organs 3 whistles, parcel of brockware 4 pair of Iron hoes 3 stone jars, 3 Jags, 3
pitchers 1 tin Meters and six shovels. To have and to hold the above described prop-
erty unto him the said James D. Boyant his heirs and assigns forever and the said William
T. Blow for himself, his heirs, assigns and assigns doth hereby warrant and agree to and with