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ma in that behalf, should sell at public auction, in the premises, after advertising the same at the front
door of the Court House of Southampton County and other public places in said County, for at least
three weeks before the day of sale, the moiety of lands in a former report in the said suit mentioned lands
being by an order of survey made in said suit four hundred and sixty nine acres, it being the moiety wh-
en the mansion house is situated, and that the said Robert Ridley should convey the lands so sold
to the purchaser in fee, and whereas the said Ro Ridley did on the 9th day of November 1838
expose to sale in the premises, the aforesaid lands, notice having been given in conformity with the
direction of R. decree, and whereas at R. sale John W Reese became the purchaser of R. land, being the
highest bidder therefor at the following price, to wit three dollars & twenty five cents per acre, being fifty
ten hundred & twenty eight dollars & ninety four cents and whereas the R. Reese hath requested the said
Ro Ridley to execute to him, a deed for the before mentioned lands, so as aforesaid purchased by him
This Indenture therefore witnesseth that the said Ro Ridley for and in consideration of the said sum
of \$128.94 to him in hand paid by the said John W Reese before the sealing and delivery of these presents
the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath granted bargained & sold and by these presents doth grant
bargain sell and convey unto the S. J. Reese his heirs and assigns, the tract of land herein before described
(and which was sold by the said Ro Ridley as Commissioner at public auction as aforesaid) together with
the appurtenances thereto belonging. To have and to hold the said tract of land with the appurten-
ances, to the S. John W Reese, his heirs and assigns forever, and the S. Ro Ridley for himself his heirs
will forever warrant and defend the same, against the claims of themselves and those claim-
ing under them only. In Witness whereof the S. Ro Ridley hath hereunto set his hand and aff-
ixed his seal the day and year above written.

Signed Sealed & delivered
in the presence of

Francis T. Redley
Richard Porter

Sathaniel Francis

Southampton County, On the Clerk's office the 19th day of November 1838

This Indenture was acknowledged by Robert Ridley party thereto to be his act and deed and
admitted to Records

Teste L. B. Edwards Clk

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Harrison
to
Dowry
Committed by
John W. Dowry
This Indenture made this 6th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and thirty eight between Ruffin Carpenter Mary Carpenter Martha M Harrison Matilda L
Harrison & Priscilla & Harrison John D Harrison & S Harrison of the County of Giles and
State of Virginia of the one part and James Dowry of the County of Southampton and of the
aforesaid State of the other part Witnesseth that the said Ruffin Carpenter Mary Carpenter
Martha M Harrison Matilda L Harrison Priscilla & Harrison & John D Harrison & wife Lucy S Harrison for
and in consideration of the sum of twenty five dollars to them in hand paid by the said James Dowry
before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath grant-
ed bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said James Dowry
his heirs and assigns forever all their rights titles interest and demand in a certain tract or parcel
of land with all and singular the appurtenances situate lying and being in the County of South-
ampton containing thirty five acres be the same more or less and bounded as follows to wit, on the
North by the lands of M^r Humphrey Dowry of Sh. East by the lands of Edward Harrison
on the South by the lands of Joseph S Island and on the West by the lands belonging to M^r
Humphrey Dowry, in which land the said Ruffin Carpenter Mary & Carpenter, Martha
M Harrison, Matilda L Harrison, Priscilla Harrison John D Harrison & wife Lucy S Harrison do
will forever warrant and defend the right title interest &c unto the said James Dowry his heirs
& assigns forever against the claim of every person or persons what soever In Witness where-
of the said parties have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals the day and year
first above written.