

was acknowledged by said Plaintiff and admitted to record.

Subd. S.R. Edwards Esq.

This In the County of March and admitted into this 25th day of February 1858 between Benjamin J. Barrett and Sarah his wife of the one party and Thomas Newson of the other party all of the County of Southampton in the State of Virginia, Defendants that the said Benjamin J. Barrett and Sarah E. his wife for and in consideration of the sum of Six hundred & twenty five 25/40 Dollars items in hand paid by the said Thomas Newson the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath granted to him and sold and by their present date grant, bargain and sell unto him the said Thomas Newson one certain tract or parcel of land situate lying and being in the County of Southampton Containing by estimation two hundred and forty seven acres by the name more or less and bounded as follows to wit Beginning at a small branch running N 15 E 93 poles to a Maple standing at the head of a small branch known by the various course of said branch to the great branch thence along the great branch to Tuckahatchie swamp thence along the various course of the said swamp to another small branch in front thereof 331 D 38 poles to a post oak at corner of said Tuckahatchie swamp 331 D 39 poles to a black Oak at corner of said Tuckahatchie swamp and Thomas Newson having the said tract taken 7 1/4 8 9/4 per cent in the head of a small branch thence along that branch 9 1/2 poles to a fence stakes being the same tract of land which the said Benjamin J. Barrett purchased of Amos Chapman which will more fully appear by reference to said deed bearing date the 21st day of December 1855 and recorded in the Clerk's Office of Southampton County on the same day. It has and to hold the above described tract or parcel of land together with all and singular the premises and appurtenances thereunto belonging unto him the said Thomas Newson his heirs and assigns forever. And the said Benjamin J. Barrett and Sarah E. his wife for themselves their heirs & assigns forever to and with the said Thomas Newson his heirs and assigns that they the said Benjamin J. Barrett and Sarah E. his wife will by these presents forever warrant and defend the right and title to the said tract of land and premises unto him the said Thomas Newson his heirs and assigns free from the claim or claims of all and every person or persons whomsoever. And witness whereof the said Benjamin J. Barrett and Sarah E. his wife have set their hands and sealed the day and year first above written.

Signed sealed and delivered
In presence of

Same Mapl
for me witness

Richard S. Dallent

Southampton County, to wit 25th Same Month and Year before witness of the place we and for the County aforesaid do hereby certify that Sarah E. Barrett wife of Benj'n J. Barrett parties to the foregoing deed personally appeared before us in our County afforsed and being examined of her privy and against her husband and having the deed aforesaid fully explained to her she said Sarah E. Barrett acknowledged the same to be her act and deed and declared that she ever willingly signed sealed and delivered the same and that she wished not to

Benj'n J. Barrett *[initials]*
Sarah E. Barrett. *[initials]*