To the Hon. Judge of the County Court
Of Southampton County Virginia.

At the request of Samuel H. Smith I surveyed certain parcels of land situate for the said County known as a portion of Sarah Williamson's land, belonging to Mrs Polly Smith and others (Comm. H. Shields) heirs of the said Sarah Williamson, embracing two separate areas, one of which is situated on the County road from Newsoms to Drewry's Store and bounded as follows, Commencing on said road thence on the West along W. G. G. Smith's line to dead ash, Co. on Samuel H. Smith's line; thence on North along said Samuel Smith's line, to Pogue branch, thence on East along Pogue and Stallings road, thence along chopped line to County road, thence on East along said road to Commencement, containing 115 A. 1 R. 24 P. more or less, which was by Act of Assembly 1849 conveyed by the said Mrs Polly Smith with the aid of W. G. G. Smith, of his undivided interest in the said Sarah Williamson's lands. The other area is situate in said County and bounded as follows. Commencing at confluence of Sharrock and Barlow swamps, thence up said Barlow swamp along Dr Pope's line on the branch to the Pudge Road County road from Drewry's to Drewry's Store, thence continuing up said swamp on the East along Robert Ewell's line to the intersection with Cary Road, thence along said road and on Ash and along Smith's line to Cor. near R. Road, Continuing along Cary road to Pine Thicket Cor. on Mrs Taylor's line, thence on the north along said Taylor's line to Pine Cor. on Mrs Polly Parrish's line to a large black gum (Common Cor.) on Sassafras branch along said Parrish's line to Willis oak Cor., thence along said line to Maine corner of Sharrock swamp, thence down said swamp along Drummond's line on Hill to Sharrock Bridge along to confluence of Sharrock and Barlow swamps containing 183 acres more or less.

The area has been subdivided as follows, Commencing at the large black gum (Common) on Sassafras branch, thence W. N. along Hill's fence, thence to main corner of Sharrock swamp, thence up said corner to Mrs Willis Parrish's Cor., thence along Mrs Pope's line to said large black gum, containing 77 acres more or less. Conveyed by deed made 25th day of January 1859 by Benjamin H. Shields, Guardian to Mary and Sarah Smith to S. H. Smith.

Commencing at said large black gum, thence along Chopped line to Williams oak Cor. on Sassafras branch, thence along said branch to its confluence with Barlow swamp, thence along said swamp line herein described along Smith's line. Taylor's line and Parrish's line to Commencement at the said large black gum, containing 192 acres more or less which is also divided by a line Commencing at said Williams oak on Sassafras branch N. 26 W. to Cary road, thence Northerly over a Containing 54 acres known as North tract conveyed by deed made 5th Sept. 1856 by Mrs Polly Smith to W. G. G. Smith, the Southern area known as Shields tract containing 138 acres conveyed by deed made 1st Oct. 1856 from Benjamin H. Shields to W. G. G. Smith.

The remaining portion of the said lands, known as Mrs Polly Smith and Others (Comm. H. Shields) containing 115 A. 1 R. more or less, together with all the area herein described amount charged to Mrs Polly Smith and others (Comm. H. Shields) sold for taxes and purchased by said Sarah H. Smith.

Respectfully submitted.

Surveyed by W. H. Hart.

Approved and Respectfully Submitted
D. C. Hill County Surveyor

At a County Court held for the County of Southampton at the Court House thereof, on Monday the 15th day of May A.D. 1876

Present C. Hill, Surveyor of that County, that day made a report specifying the metes and bounds of a certain tract of land, through on the Assessors Book to Polly Smith and others, sold on the 15th of December 1873 for the non-payment of taxes