

defend by these presents In Witness whereof he said John Taylor hath hereunto  
set his hand and affixed his Seal the day and Year first above written

Signid Seals & delivered  
In Presents of  
Shovel Briggs  
Boaz Green Sumnerell  
Rich Pond

John Taylor

Memorandum that on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of July 1773 Quiet Possession & delivery  
of Slaves was given by the within named John Taylor to the within named  
Moses Wood In Witness whereof the said John Taylor hath hereunto set  
his hand & Seal the day and Year first above written

Shovel Briggs  
Boaz Green Sumnerell  
Rich Pond

John Taylor

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 11<sup>th</sup> day of July 1773  
This Indenture of the above named were acknowledged by the within named  
John Taylor party thereto & ordered to be recorded.

R. Keller

This Indenture made this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July in the year of our Sovereign Lord  
George the third by the Grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland  
King defender of the faith &c and in the Year of our Lord God One Thousand  
Seven Hundred and Seventy three Between John Taylor of the County of  
Southampton of the one part and Joshua Wood of the same County of the  
Other part Witnesseth that the said John Taylor for and in Consideration of the  
Sum of Twenty Pounds Current Money of Virginia to him in hand paid  
by the said Joshua Wood the receipt whereof the said John Taylor hereby doth  
Acknowledge hath granted bargained sold alien and confirmed & by these  
presents doth grant bargain sell alien and confirm unto the said Joshua Wood  
his heirs and assigns forever One certain Tract or parcel of land lying being  
in the parish of Willoway and County of Southampton aforesaid being part  
of a tract of land granted to William Harding by patent bearing date the  
second of November 1734 and by him conveyed to the related Taylor by Virtue of  
a deed bearing date the 13<sup>th</sup> of January 1755 and by him given to his son John  
Taylor the Present Proprietor Containing by estimation One Hundred & thirty  
eight Acres more or less and bounded as followeth Beginning at three Trees  
a corner of Job Davis land on the old Indians line thence South thirty two  
degrees East One Hundred and eight poles to Brown Road thence down the  
various Courses of the said Road to a Turkey Oak on the West side of the said  
Road thence South Sixty degrees West Ninety two poles to a Red Oak a corner  
Newly made in Job Davis line thence along the said Job Davis line  
South thirty degrees West One Hundred & seventy seven Poles to the Begin-  
ning also all Trees Woods underwoods Profits Commodities Advantages  
Herdaments ways water & Appurtenances whatsoever to the said

Taylor  
To  
Wood  
Examined  
and added  
to this Indenture  
the 30<sup>th</sup> of  
Nov. 1774  
A.M.