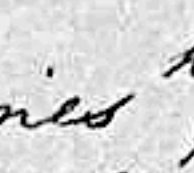


and will warrant and for ever defend by these presents defend
In Witness whereof the said Richard Skines hath hereunto set
his hands and affixed his seal the day and year first above
written

Signed Sealed
and delivered in
presence of us

Richard Skines + 
Mark

Received this 14th day of December 1775 of the within named
John Skines the sum of one hundred pounds Currant money of
Virginia it being the consideration money within mentioned

Richard Skines ^{his} 
Mark

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 14th December
1775 This Indenture and the receipt thereon endor'd were
acknowledg'd by the said Richard Skines the party thereto and ord
er'd to be recorded.

Sam. Kellogg

This Indenture made this eighth day of May in the
year of our Lord Christ one Thousand seven hundred and seventy
six Between William Bryant senior of the one part and Jonas
Bryant of the other Witnesseth that the said William Bryant
senior for and in consideration of the sum of Fifty pounds Currant
money of Virginia to the said William Bryant sen. in hand paid
by the said Jonas Bryant at or before the en sealing and delivery
of these presents the receipt whereof the said William Bryant
senior doth hereby acknowledge hath granted bargained
sold aliened enfeoffed and confirm'd and by these presents doth
Grant bargain sell alien enfeoff and confirm unto the said
Jonas Bryant and to his heirs and assigns for ever all that
tract of parcel of land whereon the said Jonas Bryant now live
with the premises and appurtenances situate lying and being
in the County of Southampton on the Northside of Meherrin and
on the Southside the sweat house swamp in the County afore-
said containing by estimation Two hundred and twenty three
acres be the same more or less and bounded as followeth
Beginning at the mouth of the long Branch then up the va
rious courses of the said Branch to three marked fums from
thence a long a line of marked trees to a lightwood stake thence
along a line of marked pines from thence to a pine a corner ha
of Simon Vicks land and from thence to a white oak on the
south side of the sweat house swamp from thence down the va
rious courses of the said swamp to the mouth of the long branch
and all houses outhouses Edifices Buildings Yards Gardens
woods trees ways water water courses profits Commodities
Hereditaments and Appurtenances to the said tract or parcel of
land and premises with the appurtenances belonging on in any
wise appertaining and the reversion and Reversions remain
der and Remainders Rents Issues and profits thereof and of
every part and parcel thereof and all the estate right title
interest property claim and demand what soever of them the
said

Bryant
to
Bryant