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At a court held for the County of Southampton the 15th Day of May 1797
This Indenture and the receipt thereon indorsed was acknowledged by
the said Jacob Darden junr a party hereto ordered to be recorded

Jam: Helle Esq

*Darden
to
Mitchell*
This Indenture made this Fifteenth Day of March in the
Year of our Lord, one Thousand seven hundred Ninety seven between Jacob
Darden Junr of Southampton County State of Virginia, as Attorney for John
Gardner, as will appear by a power of Attorney granted to him by John Gardner
bearing date the 17th Day of March 1796 of the one part & Abrahm Mitchell of the
State aforesaid of the other part Witnesseth that the said Jacob Darden as
Attorney &c for & in consideration of 110 pounds Current money of Virginia to him
in hand paid by the s^d Abrahm Mitchell before the sealing & delivery of
these presents the Receipt whereof the said Jacob Darden doth hereby acknow-
ledge & himself therewith fully satisfied & contented & said hath granted, bar-
sold, aliened, conveyed & confirmed & by these presents doth grant bargain
sell alien, convey & forever confirm unto him the said Abrahm Mitchell
his heirs & assigns forever one certain tract or parcel of land lying in the
lower end of Southampton County between Adlerscay & Black-water rivers
and on both side of the Cypress swamp containing by estimation 462
acres be the same more or less within the following Boundaries (to wit)
Beginning at a small pine Standing near & on the left hand of the road
leading to Jones's ferry, in Matthew Jones's line running thence near a
course along said Jones's line to a Holley near the run of the Cypress swamp
thence up said swamp to Abrahm Peels corner tree thence along said
Peels line to a pine a corner tree thence near a N^o West Course, along
a line of mark & trees to a Sweet Gum a corner tree, thence near an east
direction to a pine a corner tree for Jesse Carrs Land, thence along said Carrs
line to the run of the Cypress swamp, thence up the s^d run to Jordan
Williams line thence along s^d Williams line to a small post oak a cor-
ner tree