

against him the said John Simmons his heirs & assigns against and every other  
persons and persons whatsoever shall have warrant, & will prosecute by these  
presente In witness whereof the sd John Simmons & Lucy his wife hath hereunto  
set their hands & affix their seals the Day & Year above written

John Simmons *Seal*

At a court held for the County of C. ton on the 15<sup>th</sup> Day of May 1797 This indenture  
was acknowledge by John Simmons party thereto to be recorded

Jam Kells Esq

Nic'l Vick's wife  
to  
Barnes  
J. S. Barnes  
Nov 11 1798

This Indenture made this eleventh day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand  
seven hundred & ninety six Between Nic'l Vick & Elizabeth his wife of the County of C. ton & State of  
Virginia of the one part & James Barnes of s<sup>t</sup> County & State afores<sup>d</sup> of the other part Witnesseth  
that the said Nic'l Vick & Elizabeth his wife for the consideration of the sum of two hundred &  
eighty pounds lawful money of Virginia to them in hand paid before the sealing &  
Delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged to be fully  
satisfied and paid hath granted bargained & sold by these presents Grant bargained  
all & deliver unto the sd James Barnes a certain tract or parcel of land wherein the sd  
Nic'l Vick now lives lying & being in the County afores<sup>d</sup> situated on the South side  
of a swamp containing by estimation one hundred & forty acres & the same  
more or less bounded as follows (L. w. 9)

Beginning at the said branch a corner of Nic'l Vick's old line in a line belonging to  
Jacob Barnes Deed thence down the said branch on the j. Barnes's line to a black  
gum in the mouth of a small branch thence on a line of mark trees to a gum in the  
south of the Cypress swamp formerly call'd the three gums thence up the  
course of the said swamp to the said Nic'l Vick's line Formerly a line betwix  
Barrett Vick & the said James Barnes thence along the j. line to the e  
ring & so have & to hold the said land premises thereon or there  
with appurtenances unto the sd James Barnes his heirs & assigns for  
also the reversion or reversions remainder and remainders of all & singular  
the sd promises also all the right title interest property claims & demands  
of them the sd Nic'l Vick & Elizabeth his wife of in & to the same & their  
lck & Elizabeth his wife for themselves theirs heirs & with executors & agree  
& with the sd James Barnes that the sd James Barnes his heirs & c. shall