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Edmunds & wife
to Westbrook

This Indenture made this day of December

1796 Between William Edmunds & Martha his wife of the County of Southampton of the one part & John Westbrook of the aforesaid County of the other part, witnesseth that the said William Edmunds & Martha his wife for and in consideration of the sum of Two hundred & forty five pounds ten shillings current money of Virginia to them in hand paid by the said John Westbrook the receipt whereof they the said William Edmunds & Martha his wife doth hereby acknowledge have granted bargained sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said John Westbrook his heirs & assigns one certain tract or parcel of land situated lying & being in the County of Southampton and containing by estimation Two hundred and forty three acres be the same more or less and is bounded as follows (viz) Beginning at a juncture in Coxes Swamp a corner of Edmund Turners land then along the said line South Eighty five degrees West fifty six poles to a white Oak tree South forty eight degrees West twenty two poles to a white Oak formerly a corner of Thomas Francis Land thence along the land mark dividing a piece of land I purchased of Willie Francis and the land belonging to the estate of John Coggins then along the said Coggins line to a small branch leading into the pole branch to a corner tree in the said Branch then up the said Branch to a pine a corner in Willie Francis line then along a line of marked trees an east course to Jacob Turners line then along the said Turners line north to a small Branch to a marked pine then down the various courses of the said Branch to an old line that divided Sisters & Francis Land thence south on Jacob Turner to James Hill pond thence into the main run of Coxes swamp to a Cypress then up the various swales of the said swamp to the beginning together with all houses orchards wood lands ways waters & privileges whatever to the said land Belong, or in any wise appertaining the Reversion & Diversions Remainder & Remainders together with every part & parcel thereof To Have and to hold the said grant Land & premises to him the said John Westbrook his Heirs & assigns forever and the said William Edmunds & Martha his wife for them their heirs & children covenant and agree to and with the said Westbrook that he and his heirs and assigns shall at all times forever hereafter peaceably and quietly have hold use occupy & enjoy the above mentioned land & premises free from all Encumbrances of any nature or kind whatsoever for witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands & sealed the day & year first above written —