

branch to a Cor. Elm. thence S 21 N W 1/4 to Black Oak. S 24 1/2 E 85 pole to a Cor. Poplar in the
 Racoon Swamp thence up the said swamp to Mr. Pettis line thence up said line which crosses
 the W. side of said swamp to a small dog wood. Cor. from thence a straight line running East to the
 beginning of poles containing one hundred and twenty one and 3/8 acres be the same more or less
 with all the appurtenances whatsoever to the said tract or parcel of Land the same being
 to hold the said tract or parcel of Land and premises above mentioned unto the said
 Wm. Johnson and assigns forever. And the said Joseph Brown and Martha Ann Brown
 for their joint libel covenant and debt to the title to the said Wm. Johnson
 assigns against all the lawful claims of any person or persons who shall hereafter
 impound by the name of the Joint under which the said land was sold to them
 In Witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals this day
 and date above written

Joseph Selks
 Geo. A. Pascham
 Elizabeth ^{for} _{mark} Clanton

Joseph Brown
 Martha A Brown

Southampton County Court

W. Alexander, J. Tate and Joseph

Clarend. Justices of the Peace in the County aforesaid State of Virginia do hereby certify that
 Martha Ann Brown the wife of Joseph Brown of said County parties to the within and
 bearing date the 25th September 1829. and hermits annexed personally appeared before us
 our County aforesaid and being examined by us privately and apart from her husband and having
 the Oath privately and apart from her husband and having the deed aforesaid fully explained
 to her she the said Martha A Brown acknowledged the same to be her act and deed and that
 that she had willingly signed sealed and delivered and that she wished not to retract it
 This in and under our hands and seals this 25th day of October 1830.

A. P. Tate J.P.
 Geo. T. Clend J.P.

Southampton County In the Clerk's office the 19th day of April 1830
 This Indenture was acknowledged by Joseph Brown and together with the Certificate thereon
 and one of its prior examination and relinquishment of some of Martha A Brown wife of the
 said Joseph Brown parties thereto admitted to record And at a court held for the County aforesaid
 the 17th day of May 1830 The said Indenture ^{and Certificate} was read when the proceedings of the same
 Teste James Rochelle Clk

Solomon Ruffe
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 Plaintiff
 Ex or default
 vs
 Jonathan Bryan
 Defendant
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This Indenture made and entered into this 11th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
 hundred and thirty between Schelor Johnson and Elizabeth his wife of the one part and Jonathan Bryan
 of the other part Witnesseth that the said Schelor Johnson and Elizabeth his wife for and in consideration
 of seven hundred and fifty dollars current money to them in hand paid by the said Jonathan Bryan in cash
 & Jonathan Bryan paid by these presents to each of them do bargain and sell unto the said Jonathan Bryan certain
 tract or parcel of Land containing by estimation one hundred and forty four acres more or less
 bounded as follows. Beginning at a pine corner tree for said parcel of land the N.W. corner
 tract and the land belonging to Jacob Rales Estate thence down the run of the said tract
 to a Black gum a corner for said Jonathan Bryan's Raley Bryan's Jacob Rales Estate
 and the aforesaid parcel of Land thence along a line of marked trees to a dog wood making one
 ellon to a pine corner tree thence along a line of marked trees to a Black gum a corner
 to a corner on Seymour's line thence up the run of a Branch to a white oak and along a line of
 trees to a knot on M. Williams Rales line and thence to the beginning with the reverse and
 reverse run thence and thence and sperry and other well places and crops and every part
 and parcel thereof except only the reversionary Interest in and to the said parcel of land
 tract of Land as was agreed to said Seymour's widow as her dower in said tract of Land
 and to hold said tract of Land with the tenements hereditaments and all and singular
 the the premises herein before bargained and sold with every of their rights and members