

State of Tennessee

Madison County

I J M Johnson Behavours and providing Justice of the Peace in and for the County aforesaid & for the County Court of said County, as being a Clerk of record, do certify that M B Stewart whose name appears to the foregoing Certificate as Clerk is now and was Clerk of our said County Court at the time the same was signed, and that said Certificate is in due form of Law - Given under my hand and seal as Office in Jackson on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of November A.D. 1836 and the 61<sup>st</sup> year of American Independence -

J M Johnson J M Chapman Seal

At a Court held for Southampton County on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of June 1837 -

This Power of Attorney and the Certificate thereto annexed was this day returned and ordered to be recorded

Teste J R Edwards Clk

This Indenture made and entered into this first day of June one thousand eight hundred and thirty six between Jephtha Darden and Martha his wife of the first part and Calvin Harris of the second part all of the County of Southampton and State of Virginia, Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred dollars in hand paid by the said Harris the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, the said Jephtha Darden and Martha his Wife have granted, bargained and sold and by these do grant, bargain and sell to the said Calvin Harris and certain tract or parcel of Land (lying & being) in the County and State aforesaid containing one hundred acres be the same more or less, situate on the South side of Blunt's Swamp and bounded as follows on the North by the said Swamp, and on the other boundaries by the lands of Newton Harris and James Powell being all the same on that side of the Swamp which said Darden derives by his Wife from the Estate of his father John Whitehead dec'd. To have and to hold to the said Harris, the above tract of Land with the premises improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging: And the said Jephtha Darden and Martha his wife do hereby warrant and forever defend the title of the said Land to the said Calvin Harris to him and his heirs forever against the claim or claims of any and every individual whatever. In testimony whereof we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals the day and date first above written.

Signed sealed and acknowledged

in presence of

Ro. T. Musgrove

Jo. T. Claude

Lewis Thorpe

Jephtha Darden Seal

Martha Darden Seal

Southampton Co to wit - We the undersigned Joseph T. Claude and Robert T. Musgrove, Two of the Justices of the Peace for the County aforesaid do hereby certify that Martha Darden Wife of Jephtha Darden, and one of the parties to a certain and bearing date with this presents and hereunto annexed, personally appeared before us in our County aforesaid and being examined by us jointly and apart from her husband and having the deed aforesaid fully explained to her, acknowledged the same to be her act and deed and declared that she had willingly and without constraint signed sealed and delivered the same and that she wished not to retract it Given under our hands and seals this 1st June 1836.

Jo. T. Claude J P Seal

Ro. T. Musgrove J P Seal

Southampton County. In the Clerk's office the 19<sup>th</sup> day of June 1837.

This Indenture was proved by the oath of each the Witnesses thereto as to Jephtha Darden and together with the Certificate annexed of the foregoing examination and acknowledgment of Martha his Wife committed to record. And at a Court held for the County aforesaid the 17<sup>th</sup> day of July 1837 the said indenture was returned upon the proceedings of the day.

Teste J R Edwards Clk

This Indenture made this 15<sup>th</sup> day of June in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred & thirty seven between Williams Hays and Eliza his wife of the one part and Zachariah Doyal of the other part, all of the County of Southampton, Parish of Botetown and State of Virginia, Witnesseth that the said Williams Harris and Eliza his Wife, for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred & sixty dollars of lawful money of this Commonwealth, to them in hand paid or secured to be paid, at or before the entering and delivery of these presents by the