

At a court held for Amherst County the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 1805.  
This Deed was proven by the oaths of Hudson Martin jun, Robert  
Shields, & Nathan Barnett, subscribing witnesses thereto, & ordered to  
be Recorded. — Teste

This Indenture made this 16<sup>th</sup> day of July 1804. between David S.  
Garland of the County of Amherst of the one part & Wm Knight of the said  
County of the other part, Witnesseth that the said David S. Garland  
by M<sup>r</sup> Knight for & in consideration of twenty four pounds to him in hand paid by  
the said Knight, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have bargained,  
sold & delivered unto the said Knight, one lot in the town of New Glasgow  
lying on the East side of the new street & is N. 5. Beginning at a peg  
on the street corner to N. 4. & running with the said street N 3/4 E. 35  
yards in front to an Alley of twelve feet, & extended back with the said  
alley 70 yards to a peg, then S. 5/4 N. 35 yards to a peg, & the same course  
of the alley continue to the first station. To have & to hold the s<sup>d</sup> lot of  
land with its appurtenances to the said W<sup>m</sup> Knight his heirs & assigns  
against the legal claims of all & every person whatsoever, the s<sup>d</sup> David S.  
Garland for himself his heirs execs or admors will warrant & forever de-  
pend. In witness whereof the said David S. Garland hath set his hand  
& fixed his seal the day & year aforesaid. —

Sig<sup>d</sup> sealed & del<sup>d</sup> }  
in presence of }  
Jas Garland  
Wm L Peniston  
H. M. Garland  
David S. Garland (seal)

At a court held for Amherst County the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 1805,  
This Deed was proven by the oaths of James Garland, Wm L. Peniston,  
& Hudson M. Garland, subscribing witnesses thereto, & ordered to be  
Recorded. — Teste

1806  
April 9<sup>th</sup> del<sup>d</sup>  
to Geo. W. Harris  
for 2500 of Geo  
Bethell's Deed.  
This Indenture made this twentieth day of November, one thousand  
eight hundred & four, between Benjamin Harris & Mary his wife, of the  
County of Albemarle of the one part, & John Bethell of the County of Amherst  
of the other part, Witnesseth, that the said Benjamin Harris & Mary his  
wife, for & in consideration of the sum of one thousand & thirty two  
pounds ten shillings current money of Virginia to them in hand  
paid by the said John Bethell, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged

hath bargained and sold, & by these presents, do grant, bargain & sell unto the s<sup>d</sup>  
John Bethell & his heirs & assigns forever, one certain tract or parcel of land lying  
& being in the County of Amherst, on the Eastern waters of Rockfish river, & on  
the waters of Taylors creek, containing by a late survey, three hundred & forty  
seven acres, one rood & thirty four poles & is bounded as followeth, to wit, Be-  
ginning a hickory corner with W<sup>m</sup> Smith & running thence South twenty four  
degrees West one hundred & twenty one poles to painters corner with Tho<sup>s</sup> Robertson  
thence South forty six & one third degree East two hundred & forty six poles to pain-  
ters corner with W<sup>m</sup> Harris jun, thence S. 85 1/2 degrees East one hundred poles to  
painters corner with John Mc Lure thence North nine & one third degree East  
two hundred & five & one half poles to painters corner with W<sup>m</sup> Smith thence  
North sixty nine & one half degrees West one hundred & seventy six poles to the  
first station; together with all & singular the appurtenances thereunto belonging.  
To have & to hold the said tract or parcel of land & premises with all & singular  
the appurtenances, with all & singular the appurtenances thereunto belong-  
ing, unto the said John Bethell & to his heirs & assigns forever, & the said Ben-  
jamin Harris & Mary his wife, for themselves their heirs, executors & administra-  
tors, doth hereby covenant & agree to & with the said John Bethell his heirs, execs  
admors, & assigns, that they the said Benjamin Harris & Mary his wife, the  
before mentioned tract of land & premises with all & singular the appurtenances  
thereunto belonging, unto the said John Bethell, & to his heirs & assigns for ever, a-  
gainst the claim of all persons whatsoever shall & will warrant & by these pre-  
sents forever defend. In witness whereof the said Benjamin Harris & Mary his  
wife hath hereunto set their hands & affixed their seals, the day & year first above  
written. —

Signed, sealed & delivered, in presence of  
Thomas Morrison  
Nicholas Leason  
John Digges  
Mary W. Harris  
Ben Harris (seal)  
Mary Harris (seal)

At a court held for Amherst County the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 1805.  
This Deed was acknowledged in open court by Benjamin Harris, a party,  
Examined thereto, & ordered to be Recorded. — Teste — W. Braunford. ss.