





This Indenture made this 19<sup>th</sup> of August in the Year of our Lord (1817)  
 between Asa Jones & Mary Jones of Craven County & State of N. Carolina  
 of the one part & Lewis Morris of the other part of the County & State  
 afores. Witnesseth that we the s<sup>r</sup> Asa & Mary Jones for an in the  
 Consideration of the sum of five hundred <sup>& Fifty</sup> Dollars in hand paid  
 by the s<sup>r</sup> Lewis Morris before the sealing & delivery of these presents  
 we the s<sup>r</sup> Asa & Mary Jones have bargained sold conveyed & set over  
 to Lewis Morris a certain tract or parcel of land lying & being  
 in the County afores<sup>d</sup> on the S<sup>e</sup> Side near river & joining Coor Courtz  
 beginning at a Cypress in a pond the beginning of the Land that was  
 lotted of to s<sup>r</sup> Thomas Fonville that his brother Tho<sup>s</sup> Fonville died  
 possessed with and runs N<sup>o</sup> 76<sup>o</sup> W<sup>o</sup> 80 poles to a white oak then S<sup>o</sup> 84<sup>o</sup>  
 W<sup>o</sup> to the great branch then down the various courses of the branch to  
 Coor Courtz then down the various courses of s<sup>r</sup> Coor Courtz a south =  
 Course will strike the beginning containing two hundred acres which  
 Land Mr. Jones Willed to his sons Asa, Tho<sup>s</sup> & William Jones & We  
 Asa & Mary Jones have sold one hundred of the two hundred to have & to  
 hold all the above bargained premises unto the s<sup>r</sup> Lewis Morris his heirs  
 & assigns forever free & clear from all incumbrances & we the s<sup>r</sup> Asa  
 & Mary Jones for ourselves our heirs Exec<sup>r</sup> adm<sup>r</sup> covenant & agree to &  
 with the s<sup>r</sup> Lewis Morris his heirs Exec<sup>r</sup> adm<sup>r</sup> to warrant & forever defend  
 the above bargained premises unto the s<sup>r</sup> L. Morris his heirs & assigns  
 forever free & clear from all persons laying any claim thereto In Witness  
 whereof we have hereunto set our hands & seals the day & date above written

Signed Sealed & Delivered in presence of Asa <sup>his</sup> Jones   
 of Austin Prescott. & Mary <sup>his</sup> Jones   
 William Prescott. 

Craven County Court September Term AD 1817

Then was the Execution of the foregoing deed proved in open  
 Court & in due form of law by the oath of William Prescott one  
 of the Subscribing Witnesses thereto Ordained that said Deed be  
 registered  
 attest  J. Stanton C. C.