


163.) This Indenture made this 4th day of Dec. in the year of our Lord 1817. between Benjamin Wesley of Craven County State of North Carolina of one part and Thomas Morris of the other part of the State & county afores. Witnesseth that I Benjamin Wesley have bargained sold & conveyed unto Tho. Morris his heirs & assigns forever a certain tract or parcel of land in Craven County on the South side of new river and on Coor Creek for fifteen hundred dollars current money of this State in hand paid by Tho. Morris before the sealing & delivery of these presents which lands butts & bounds as following beginning at a stake near Austin Prescotts corner in the old Patent line & runs with that to the North side of the glade then with the glade to the head then with the line to a light wood stump then with the line to Wates corner then with the line to the fork branch then with the branch to the main branch then with the main branch to the creek then up the various courses of the creek to the beginning conty two hundred acres be the same more or less To have & to hold the s^d. Tho. Morris his heirs & assigns forever with all the appertinances & improvements thereto belonging and I Tho. Wesley for myself my heirs exec. adm^r. do covenant & agree to & with the s^d. T. Morris his heirs exec. adm^r. to warrant and forever defend the s^d. bargained premises free & clear from all persons whatsoever laying any claim thereunto In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal the day & date first above written

William Prescott. Benjamin Wesley 
 Austin Prescott.

Craven County Court Dec. Term AD 1817. Then was the execution of the foregoing Deed proved in open Court & in due form of Law by the oath of Wm. Prescott one of the Subscribing Witnesses thereto Ordered that said Deed be Registered.

attest. J. G. Lantry c.

This Indenture made this 23rd day of May in the year of our Lord (1808.) between Levi Gaskins & Polly his wife of State of N^c Carolina and County of Craven of the one part & James Tolar of the County & State afores. of the other part Witnesseth that we Levi Gaskins & Polly his wife for an inconsideration of the sum of one hundred dollars to us in hand paid by James Tolar afores;