

of her said husband and the said Richard & Sarah both both acknowledge  
the same to be their act & deed to the within named W<sup>m</sup> asquith  
In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands the 23<sup>rd</sup> Day  
off February No<sup>o</sup> D<sup>o</sup> 1686

Henry Parnall

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This Indenture made the first Day off March in the year off our Lord  
one thousand six hundred eighty and six Betwene W<sup>m</sup> asquith of  
s<sup>t</sup> Maryes County in the province off Maryland Gent<sup>l</sup> off the one part and  
Richard Bentham of the same County Bricklayer off the other part  
Whereas W<sup>m</sup> Lawe Late off s<sup>t</sup> Ieromes in the said County planter Deed by  
his last Will and Testament in Writing bearing Date the first Day off October  
in the year off our Lord one thousand six hundred seventij and five did  
give and bequeath to Sarah his wife now the wife off of the said Richard  
Bentham all that tract off Land lying at the head off Sassafras River  
called by the Name off Paylyes Depo and to her heires and Whereas the said  
Richard Bentham and the said Sarah his wife by their Deed Indented bearing  
Date the fifteenth Day off Novemb<sup>r</sup> Last past for and in Consideracon off  
the sum off five shillings off Law full money off England to them in  
hand paid by the said W<sup>m</sup> asquith the receipt whereoff they did there by  
acknowledge and for and in Consideracon off the Love and affection they  
bear toward John Cole Nicholas Cole and Mary Gwyther wife off Thomas  
Cole Late off the said County Planter her first husband Decd: and for the  
Chausing off Tobacco for their better advancem<sup>t</sup> and lively hood did give  
grant alien sell Enfeaffe and confirme unto the said W<sup>m</sup> asquith his heires  
and assignes for ever all the aforesaid tract off Land called Paylyes Depo  
in the said Deed ~~set forth~~ particularly set forth bounded and bounded Contey-  
ning and formerly Land out for five hundred acres more or less together  
with all Rights proffitt and Commodities to the same belonging (Royal Myne  
excepted) and all patents Deeds and writings Touching the same and  
and all their the said Richard Bentham and Sarah his wife right with  
interest Clayme and demand in and the same to have and to hold  
the said tract off Land to him the said asquith his heires and assignes for  
ever as by the said Indenture remaining up in record in the secretaries  
offis off this province relation being thereunto had may more fully and  
at Large appear Now this Indenture Witnesseth that the said  
asquith for and in Consideracon off the like sum off five shillings  
off Law full money off England to him the said W<sup>m</sup> asquith in hand  
paid att and before the Enfealing and deliverij off these presents by the  
said Richard Bentham the receipt whereoff the said W<sup>m</sup> asquith doth  
hereby acknowledge and also for and in Consideracon off the sum