in the year seventeen hundred & ninety four Personally appeared before me the
scribers two of the Justices of the Peace for said County Robert Slater Party to the
within Deed and did acknowledge the same deed and the land and Premises
therein Mentioned to be the right and Estate of the within named William
Slater his heirs and assigns for ever to his and their use and uses for ever a
cording to the true Intent and meaning thereof and we do further certify that
we did Examine Alice Slater wife of the said Robert Slater Privately and a
of the hearing of her said husband and she did relinquish all her right of Dow
to the within Described parcel of ~~Land~~ Ground and Premises and she declared
asserted that she made her Acknowledgement of the same willingly and
and without being Induced thereto by fear or threats of or ill usage by her
husband or for fear of his displeasure In Witness whereof we have here
set our hands the day & year aforesaid Geo Gould^th Presbury Geo Salmon
Received to be recorded the 11th day of June 1794 same day recorded & Examined
Jno W. Gilson Clk

Mordecai Ford
To
Barney Ford
Deed

This Indenture made this twenty
fifth day of February in the year of our Lo
one thousand seven hundred and ninety four

Between Mordecai Ford of the one Part and Barney Ford of the other part b
of Baltimore County and State of Maryland Witnesseth that the said Mord
Ford for and in Consideration of the sum of five Shillings Sterling Money to him
hand paid by the said Barney Ford the receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowled
and off and from every part and parcel thereof the said Barney Ford he doth
clearly and absolutely Exonerate release acquit and discharge Hath bargai
sold aliened enfeoffed released made over and Conveyed unto him the said Bar
Ford his heirs and assigns for ever and doth by these presents Bargain sell al
Enfeoff release make over and Convey unto him the said Barney Ford his he
and assigns for ever all that part or parcel of a Tract of Land Called Ford
Choice lying and being in Baltimore County Begining at the end of the fou
Seventy Eight degrees west thirty Perches line of the whole Tract and running
thence North forty four degrees west thirty four perches North Eighty degree
West Eleven perches North forty two degrees West twelve perches North Ninet
degrees west thirty perches north nine degrees west fifty two perches and hal
perch Untill it Intersects the seventh line of the whole tract thirty two perche
from the end of said line then running with and bounding on the out lines o
whole tract the seven following Courses North Seventy Six degrees west thi
two perches South ten degrees East Seventy four perches South Seventeen
grees West Eighty one perches South twelve perches west twenty six perche
South fourteen ~~perches~~ Degrees East fifty perches North Eighty Six degre
East one hundred and Seventeen perches and thence with a straight line to
first place of Beginning Containing Ninety one Acres more or Less To Ha
and To Hold the aforesaid Bargained and sold premises with the appu
enances unto him the said Barney Ford his heirs and assigns for ever an

said Mordecai Ford for himself his heirs Executors and Administrators doth bo
=nant and agree to and with the said Barney Ford his heirs and assigns that the
aforesaid Bargained and sold Premises to him the said Barney Ford his heirs and
assigns ~~that~~ the with the appurtenances he will for ever warrant and Defend
against all Manner of persons whatever In Witness whereof he hath hereunto
set his hand and seal the day and Year first above written

Mordecai his x mark Ford (Seal)

the word Ford was Interlined in the twenty second
line before Signing
Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of
Joshua Lemmon Mordecai Ford Junr

Received Feby 25th 1794 of
Barney Ford the sum of five
Shillings Sterling it being the
Consideration within mentioned in full.
Mordecai his x mark Ford

Test Joshua Lemmon } February the 25th 1794 Came before us the Subs
=cribers two of the Justices of the peace for Baltimore County the within named
Mordecai Ford and did Acknowledge the within Instrument of Writing to
be his Act and deed and the Land thereby Conveyed to be the right title Inte
=rest and Estate of the within named Barney Ford his heirs and assigns for
ever Acknowledged Before Joshua Lemmon Jere Johnson
Received to be recorded the 11th day of June 1794 same day recorded & Examined
Jno W. Gilson Clk

Philip Shields & others
To
John Battee
Deed

This Indenture made this Eleventh
day of June in the year of our Lord one thousan
Seven hundred and ninety four Between Philip
Shields Joseph Hodges and Elizabeth his wife Thomas Joice and Rebecca his
wife which said Philip Elizabeth and Rebecca are the heirs of Joshua Shields co
of Abraham Shields of Baltimore County deceased of the one part and John
Beattee of the same place of the other part Whereas Abraham Shields late
of Baltimore County deceased was in his life time seized in his demesne as of fee
in a tract or parcel of land called Shields Purchase Originally on the twenty
third of February Seventeen Hundred and Eighty four granted to him by the
State of Maryland And whereas the said Abraham Shields departed this life
Intestate leaving Joshua Shields his only son and heir at law And whereas the
said Joshua Hath also departed this life under Age and without Issue and the
tract of Land aforesaid hath descended to the said Philip Elizabeth and Rebecca
who are his heirs at Law and legally intitled thereto Now this Indenture Wit
=nesseth that the said Philip Shields Joseph Hodges and Elizabeth his wife Thomas
Joyce and Rebecca his wife for and in Consideration of the sum of twenty five
Pounds Current Money to them in hand paid by the said John Battee at and befo
the ensealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof they do hereby
acknowledge and themselves therewith to be fully Satisfied Contented and paid
Hath given granted bargained and sold aliened Enfeoffed Conveyed and Con
=firmed and by these presents Do give grant bargain and sell alien enfe
~~[illegible]~~ Confirm unto him the said John Battee his heirs and assigns fo
(ever)