Now This Indenture Witnesseth that the said William T. Wright for and in consideration of the premises, and of the sum of Seventeen hundred and twenty five pounds current money to him in hand paid by the said Sefe Reed at & before the sealing & delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged Hath granted, bargained, sold aliened, released, enfeoffed and confirmed, and by these presents Doth grant, bargain sell, alien, release, infeoff, & confirm unto the said Sefe Reed his Heirs and assigns for and during the natural life of the said Cornelia Sotheron all the afs.d tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County aforesaid called Willsons Adventure, containing two hundred Eighty ames more or less with the appurtenances which was conveyed by the said Samuel Tributo Wright to him the said William T. Wright as aforesaid. Together with all the houses, buildings, ways, waters, advantages and emoluments to the said land belonging, or in any wise appertaining and all the estate, right, title, interest, use, trust, property, claim & demand whatsoever of him the said William T. Wright of, in, to or out of the aforesaid bargained and sold premises and every part thereof: To Have and To Hold the said tract of land and premises with the appurtenances unto the said Sefe Reed his heirs and assigns for and during the natural life of the said Cornelia Sotheron to the only proper use and behoof of the said Sefe Reed for and during the time aforesaid. In Witness whereof the said William T. Wright hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal the day & year first above written —

signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of
Wm. Clayton Ed. Clayton — W.T. Wright (Seal)

Received the day & the date of the within Indenture of the within named Sefe Reed the sum of Seventeen hundred and twenty five pounds current money being the consideration money within mentioned — W.T. Wright — Test Wm. Clayton Ed. Clayton

Queen Ann's County to wit. Be it remembered that on the twenty third day of December in the year Eighteen hundred and five personally appeared before us two of the Justices of the Peace for the County aforesaid the within named William T. Wright, and acknowledged the within Instrument of writing to be his act & deed and the tract of land within mentioned to be the right and estate of the within named Sefe Reed his heirs and assigns for and during the natural life of Cornelia Sotheron Wife of John Sotheron in the said Deed named. In Witness whereof — have hereunto set our hands the day and year above mentioned —

Wm. Clayton Ed. Clayton

The said William T. Wright left William T. Wright his heir at law.

The plaintiff then produced and read in evidence to the Jury a Fi. fa. issued on the before mentioned Judgment State use of John Duhamell adm.r of Nathan Wilkinson against Samuel T. Wright and the return thereon to October Term 1801.

On the Records and proceedings of Queen Ann's County Court among other things is contained the following to wit — State of Maryland Queen Ann's County to wit — At a County Court held for Queen Ann's County at Centreville in said County on the fourth Monday of October being the twenty sixth day of the same month in the year Eighteen hundred and one, — By the Commissioners and Officers appointed and empowered to hold the same Court — of whom were Present. The Hon.ble James Tilghman, Esquire Chief Justice

William Rengold & Jonathan Meredy — Esquires Ass.t Justices

James Roe Frazier Esquire Sheriff.

Samuel T. Wright Clk.

On the record of proceedings of the said Court, amongst others were the following to wit — State of Maryland, use of John Duhamell, adm.r of Nathan Wilkinson vs. Samuel T. Wright — Be it remembered that heretofore to wit on the eighth day of October in the year Eighteen hundred and one, the said State of Maryland by John Scott her Attorney prosecuted and sued forth out of the Court here of and upon a Judgment in the said Court pendent a Writ of Fieri facias to the Sheriff of Queen Ann's County directed in the words & figures & the words following to wit —

Queen Ann's County to wit. The State of Maryland. To the Sheriff of Queen Ann's County Greeting. (Seal of Queen Ann's County Court) You are hereby Commanded that of the goods and chattels lands and Tenements of Samuel T. Wright late of Queen Ann's County being in your Bailiwick you cause to be made and levied as well the sum of Ten thousand pounds current money a certain debt which The State of Maryland recovered against him before the Judges of our County Court, on the twenty day of May anno domini Eighteen hundred and one as the quantity of Three hundred and ninety three pounds of Tobacco, which was then and there adjudged unto the said State for her Costs & charges by her about her suit in that behalf laid out and expended, and have you those Pounds before the Judges of our County Court to be held at Centreville in the County afs.d on the fourth Monday in October next to render unto the said State the debt, damages and costs of suit aforesaid, whereof he the said Samuel T. Wright is convict as it appeareth of record. Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this Writ. Witness the Honorable James Tilghman Esq. Chief Judge of our said Court the 4th day of May anno domini Eighteen hundred and one. Issued the 8th day of October Eighteen hundred and one. Test. Sam.l T. Wright Clk.

And now here at this day, to wit, the fourth Monday of October being the twenty sixth day of the same month in the year Eighteen hundred and one, and the return day of the foregoing Writ comes into Court here the said State of Maryland by her attorney aforesaid and the Sheriff of Queen Ann's County aforesaid to whom the said Writ was in form afs.d directed makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed to wit. Queen Ann's County, to wit. I hereby Certify to the Honble the Judges of Queen Ann's County Court within mentioned that by virtue of the within Writ to me directed I did on the fifth day of November in the year Eighteen hundred and one, cause to be laid of the lands and tenements of the within named Samuel T. Wright to the value of Three hundred pounds current money appraised by four good and lawful men of my Bailiwick duly Summoned & sworn for that purpose, as by the Schedule hereunto annexed will appear to render unto the within named State of Maryland in part satisfaction of the debt, damages Costs and charges aforesaid, but that the same lands and Tenements yet remain in my hands unsold for want of buyers, as by the within Writ I am Commanded. So answers Ed. R. Frazier Sheriff. We the Subscribers being duly Summoned & sworn by John W. Hackett one of the Deputy Sheriffs for Queen Ann's County well and truly to appraise the lands and Tenements of Samuel T. Wright taken by virtue of a Writ of Fieri facias at the suit of the State of Maryland, use of John Duhamell adm.r of Nathan Wilkinson — Do value 50 acres of land part of a tract called Salem Hope at £6 0 0 per acre. Given under our hands & seals this 6th day of November 1801.

James Wright (Seal) Daniel Richardson (Seal) Thos. Seth (Seal) Robert Ruth (Seal)

Test J. W. Hackett. Sam.l T. Wright Clk.

Maryland Queen Ann's County to wit. I do hereby Certify that the within and aforegoing is truly taken & copied from the records and proceedings of Queen Ann's County Court

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of Queen Ann's County Court the thirteenth day of May in the year Eighteen hundred & fifteen.

(Seal of Queen Ann's County Court) W.m Murphey Clk. of Queen Ann's County Court

And the Docket entry by which it appeared that the said Fi. fa. and return had been quashed.

On the Records of Queen Ann's County among other things is contained the following to wit — State of Maryland Queen Ann's County to wit. At a County Court held for Queen Ann's County at Centreville in said County on the fourth Monday of October being the twenty sixth day of the same month in the year Eighteen hundred and one By the Commissioners and Officers appointed and empowered to hold the said Court, of whom were present

The Honble James Tilghman Esquire Chief Justice

William Rengold & Jonathan Meredy Esq.rs associate Justices

James Roe Frazier Esquire Sheriff

Samuel T. Wright Clk.

In the record of proceedings of the said Court amongst others were the following to wit State use of John Duhamell adm.r Nathan Wilkinson vs. Samuel Tributo Wright — Fi. fa. Debt 300 Co. £93 ad Co. 50. Quashed by order of Court