

and agree to and wish the said John Backcom his Heirs
and assigns in manner hereinafter following that is to say that the said
John Backcom his heirs and assigns shall and may from time to time
and at all times forever hereafter have hold use occupy possess and
enjoy the above Bargained premises free and clear of and from all
manner of Incumbrances whatsoever had made or done by me the
said John Gaff and furthermore I the said John Gaff for me my heirs
Executors Administrators do warrant secure and defend against
the above Bargained premises against the lawful claim and demand
of any person or persons whatsoever

I in witness whereof I have hereunto
set my hand and affixed my seal the Twelfth day of May One
thousand seven hundred and ninety Eight 1798

Signed Sealed &
Delivered in the presence of

Jon Parker
John Maubert

} John Gaff
Mark

State of North Carolina
Sampson County November Court One thousand seven hundred and Ninety
Eight the Man the Justice and John Gaff to John Backcom was
proved in open Court and returned to the Court

State of North Carolina
Sampson County Registered this Twelfth day of November One
thousand seven hundred and ninety Eight 1798
H. Hobbs Clerk
O. Hobbs Regt

William Tucker to Elijah Rackley.
To all people to Whom these presents shall come greeting Know ye that
I William Tucker of the State of North Carolina in Sampson County
for and in consideration of the sum of thirty pounds Currency to me in hand
paid well and truly paid by Elijah Rackley of the County and State
aforesaid the Receipt Whereof I the said William Tucker do acknowledge
myself therein satisfied and paid unto of every part and parcel
thereof do acquit and discharge the said

Elijah Rackley His Heirs Executors
Administrators and assigns forever by these presents and hereinafter
granted Bargained and sold and set out unto him the said
Elijah Rackley One certain tract or parcel of land situate
lying and being in the County and State aforesaid on a branch called
Turkey Rock branch on the West side of the said Road Beginning
at a pine and White Oak on Thomas Carrs line thence along his
line to Turkey Rock branch thence up said branch to a fork called