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To all & c. Know ye & c. Do give & Grant to **JOHN STANSELL** a tract of land containing 388 acres lying on ye No. side of Morattock River in Chowan precinct:

Beginning at a Pine, **EDWARD SMITHWICK**'s corner tree running due No. 25 poles to ye centre of a Pine & Spanish Oak & Red Oak in **TARENCE BARNES** line, ye along his line N 86 E 180 poles ye S 85 W 60 poles to a Hickory ye S 56 W 41 poles to a Poplar ye S 20 W 40 poles to a White Oak ye S 10 W 80 pole to a Gum in Charleton's Creek ye down ye meanders of ye said creek S 83 E 48 pole ye S 51 E 34 pole ye S 66 E 35 pole, S 27 E 50 poles to a White Oak standing by ye mouth of ye Polay Branch ye S 82 E 74 poles to a Beech ye N 60 E 48 to ye first station.

To have & to hold & c. March ye 1<sup>st</sup> 1719

Witness & c. **CHARLES EDEN, THOMAS POLLACK, FREDERICK JONES, RICHARD SANDERSON, JOHN HECKLEFIED.**

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