

woods, waters, ways and privileges thereto belonging or in anywise appertaining to them the said James A. Eaton, Thomas Edenfield, Thomas Dorney, Edward Courney and John G. Earl and their successors in office forever in trust, that the said premises shall be used, kept, maintained and disposed of as a place of Divine Worship for the use of the ministry and membership of the Methodist Episcopal Church in the United States of America, subject to the discipline, usage and ministerial appointments of said Church as from time to time authorized and declared by the General Conference of said Church and the Annual Conference in whose bounds the said premises are situate, and in further trust and confidence that they shall at all times hereafter permit, such ministers and preachers belonging to the said Church as shall from time to time be duly authorized by the General Conference of the Ministry of the said Methodist Episcopal Church or by the Annual Conference authorized by the said General Conference to preach and expound God's holy word therein and to execute the discipline of the said Church and to administer the Sacraments, therein according to the true meaning and purport of our deed of settlement, and the said Noah H. Blunt and Martha Blunt his wife I do by these presents warrant and forever defend all and singular the lots, mentioned and described lot or piece of land with the appurtenances thereto belonging unto them the said James A. Eaton, Thomas Edenfield, Thomas Dorney, Edward Courney, and John G. Earl, and their successors, executors and appointees according to the rules and discipline of the said Methodist Episcopal Church from the claim or claims of him the said Noah H. Blunt and Martha A. Blunt their heirs and assigns, and from the claim or claims of all persons whatever. In testimony whereof, the said Noah H. Blunt and Martha A. Blunt his wife have hereunto set their hands and seals, the day and year aforesaid.

Witness our hands and seals in the presence of us
 Test. John A. Bryan
 Sarah C. Quail

Noah H. Blunt
 Martha A. Blunt

Recorded the day of the date of the above written indenture, in consideration therein mentioned to wit. One dollar in full
 Test. John A. Bryan
 Noah H. Blunt

Queen Anne's County, Md.

It is remembered that on the 27th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty eight (A.D. 1858) personally appeared before me one of the Justices of the Peace in and for Queen Anne's County and State of Maryland the within names, Noah H. Blunt and Martha A. Blunt his wife, the Grantor who acknowledged the within deed of trust to be their act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and declared, and also the said Martha Blunt wife of the said Noah H. Blunt being separate and apart from her said husband by me examined declared that she had made the said acknowledgment freely and with her own consent, without being induced thereto through fear or threats of her said husband. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written.

John A. W. Bryan J.P.

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