

6 His Indenture

**HIS INVENTURE** Made the twentye day of June in the sixth yeare of the reigne of our souaigne lord Charles by the grace of God kyng of England Scotland Ierusalem & Irelond, defendor of the fayth er **BETWENE** Walter Yonge Esquier Robert Gaswode gentleman John Pede Hugh Newton & Simon Dye  
Itemen fforfett of the xij lands of Coliton in the County of Devon of thone yere, and Laurent Browne of Houghton in the said County of Devon member of thosse yere. **WITNESSETH**  
That the said Walter Yonge Robert Gaswode John Pede Hugh Newton & Simon Dye fforfett aforesaid w<sup>t</sup> the consent & assent of Willm Drake Esquier John Dedding Robert  
Faucon gentilman ffrauncis Bagwode Rich<sup>r</sup> Trap Edward Holwill Walter Meare John Weston of Tuckpaine Thomas Edward & Willm Stokton of Watercombe yemyn  
Twentye men of his fough and wife of Coliton a syde for e in consideration of the summe of Six poundes & ten shillinges of lawfull money of England unto he fforfett before named by  
the said Laurent Browne before ffrauncis Bagwode Rich<sup>r</sup> Trap well & hould contented & paid. The record whiche they the said fforfett doth hereby acknowledge. It also for-  
that the said Laurent Browne hath surrendered & yielded vpp unto the said fforfett all such estate tyme & interce ad set the said Laurent his executors & assignes or any  
of them had o might or ought to haue had, or e in the deme or dwelling house curtilage & garden heeraffen mentioned wh<sup>t</sup> was for many yeres yet enduringe &  
determinable vpon the death of himselfe the said Laurent Browne & Richard Browne his sonne **DAVE** Deinys graunted & to ffrauncis lett. and by hisse p<sup>t</sup> p<sup>t</sup> de demise  
graunt & to ffrauncis lett unto the said Laurent Browne his executors & assignes. All that one tenement or dwelling house and the curtilage lyngyn & gardyn thereto unto  
adjoyning & appertaining with heire appurtenance, containing by estimation a quarter of a leuour or arre of land bee it more or less situate lyngyn & being within the p<sup>t</sup> of Bousdough of Houghton  
aforesaid in the said County of Devon. Betwene other land of the said fforfett late in the tenement of our Humphry Glare decased in the past, in Barklant thre on the south, the land some tyms of Sir  
George Smith knyght decased on the west, and the Lunge heire waye or street thereto on the north, and nowe in the use & occupation of the said Laurent Browne (except and alwayes retayned  
out of this deme & graunt unto the said fforfett their heires and assignes full libertie of incresse & decrease att any tyme & tymes into vppon & from the p<sup>t</sup> for  
the diewing & subsyding of the same and any ge threof) **To haue and to holde** all the said tenement dwelling house curtilage lyngyn & gardyn with his appurtenance  
(except be fore excepted) unto the said Laurent Browne his executors & assignes from the daye of the Date of these p<sup>t</sup>s unto the ende and terme bindynge during the full tyme  
and termynge of ffrauncis fforfett & nochtynge yet to be compleat reported & ended vppon the said Laurent Browne, Marie Browne his daughter and Daniell Browne his sonne  
or either or any one of them shall happen so longe to live. **REEDINGE** and payinge therfore yeriche during the said tyme unto the said fforfett their heires & assignes the  
yeriche vnt of twelue shillinges of lawfull money of England, att his fforfett most vsualle p<sup>t</sup> in the yere, that is to saye the feaste of the nativite of St John the Baptyst St Michael  
Thurzayng, the Birth of our Lord Chrest, and the communione of the blessed Virgin Mary by equale thre portions. And also yelding and payinge unto the said fforfett their  
heires & assignes after the deale alienation surrendyr forfetture or other lawfull determinacion of his tyme and interest of the said Laurent Browne & of every his executors & assigne or  
assignes of e in the p<sup>t</sup> being tenant or tenante in possession thereto by vertut of these p<sup>t</sup>s, the summe of thre shillinges & fourty pence of lawfull money of England in the name of a  
haukyn or fauliffe. And also shall dor suitt to all the thours of sundry of his said fforfett their heires & assignes vppon th<sup>e</sup> halfe holdyn within his p<sup>t</sup> of Coliton aforesaid vppon  
reasonable warming tiden. **DID** the said Laurent Browne for himselfe his executors & administrators dolde and Q<sup>r</sup>yd & agreed to & with his said fforfett their heires and  
assignes by these p<sup>t</sup>s, That he his said Laurent Browne his executors administrators and assignes & tenuant of him beynge tenant or tenante in possession of the p<sup>t</sup> by force  
hetrefore, shall & will att his & his sonnes coste & charges make sufficiente repayment vppon sustaine & mayntayne all & singler his said demised p<sup>t</sup> & tenuant thereto, as well in  
house as by lymburyng & roving, as in hedged ditches & fens & all other nedful & necessarie reparacion wher and as often as neede shall require during the said tyme. And the  
same p<sup>t</sup> or euy gote tenuant so wad & suffisently vpholdyn suffaynd & mayntayne in all thinges as aforesaid in synde of his said tenuant shall & will abyde vpp unto the said  
fforfett or his successour or succyndor of them threis fforfett or assignes. And also hat he his said Laurent Browne his executors admird or assignes or any of them haue not willingly  
comitt or dor nor consent to bee comittid or done any wast p<sup>t</sup> or distrucon in to or vpon the p<sup>t</sup> or any ge threof: **And if** it shall happen the said yeriche vnt of twelue shillinges to bee  
behind & unpaid in ge thre or in all by the space of one quarter of a yere next after any of the fforfetid p<sup>t</sup>s in wh<sup>t</sup> ab aforesaid, it shal to bee paid, the same beynge lawfullie demandid & then not  
paid, and not sufficiente distred in or vpon the p<sup>t</sup> in the meane tyme ran or may bee found for the leyding of the same vnt so beynge behid, with th<sup>e</sup> amercias thereto (if any shall happen to  
bee) and also of such hauncyng as by force hetrefore shall exone due or payable: **Or if** his said Laurent Browne his executors admird or assignes or any of them shall willingly dor or be  
hit or hym assent or agreement suffer to bee done any art or arte hynge on thynys wh<sup>t</sup> shal or may tend or bee to the p<sup>t</sup> or disinheritance of the said fforfett their heires  
or assignes of the said fforfett or any ge threof: **Or if** the said Laurent Browne his executors admird or assignes or any of them shall comitt or dor or consent to bee comittid or done any  
voluntarie or wilfull wast spoile or distrucon in or vpon the p<sup>t</sup> or any ge threof to the value of ffe shillinge or vppwards, and shall not make double satisfaction for the same vnto the said fforfett  
ketyn hitnes or assignes within fourte daies next after nobir ge thre of eyren: **Or if** the said Laurent Browne his executors admird or assignes or any of them dor or haue omitt or suffer the  
p<sup>t</sup> or any ge thre of to bee raygoud or in decay to the value of twentie shillinges or vppwards, and shall not sufficiente repayment & amercia the same within one halfe yere next after warninge  
thereto to him hem or one of them (v<sup>t</sup> th<sup>e</sup> halfe th<sup>e</sup> tenuant to the p<sup>t</sup>) given or to bee given by the said fforfett their heires or assignes on one of them: **Or if** the said Laurent Browne  
his executors admird or assignes or any of them shall assygn or sett obte th<sup>e</sup> said fforfett or any ge thre of thereto to any yeson or yson whatsoeuer, other then to the said Marie & Daniell Browne or  
one of them or any other heire child or chylde of the said Laurent Browne, or to hym or any of theire, or to the w<sup>t</sup> of the said Laurent Browne,  
without the consent of the said fforfett their heires or assignes and of the said twentie men or their successours or the most yere of them threynb<sup>t</sup> first had or obleyved in remyng vnder the said  
tyme for eney or any of the tyme aforesaid it shall & may bee lawfull to & for the said fforfett their heires or assignes & tenuant of them into all e singler the said p<sup>t</sup> with hauncyng  
to recerte, and the same to haue againe imposed & tyme ab in thym first or fourmyt tyme, this Inventur or any thyme therin contained to the contrarye in any wise notwithstandinge. **And**  
the said Walter Yonge Robert Gaswode John Pede Hugh Newton & Simon Dye fforfett aforesaid and their heires all the fforfetid p<sup>t</sup>s before in thosse p<sup>t</sup>s mentioned to bee herby  
demised and tenuant ge thre & p<sup>t</sup> thereto with th<sup>e</sup> amercias (except before ge thre) vnto the said Laurent Browne his executors & assignes in manner & forme aforesaid, and under the rent rollyn  
tyme condicoun & agreements about restured & expressed, as well againte the chiffe couers of the p<sup>t</sup> for all ge thre vnto them to bee due or payable for the same. It also  
againte themselves the said fforfett and their heires and assignes shall & will warrant acqute & defend by these p<sup>t</sup>s during the said tyme. Provided alwayes that these p<sup>t</sup>s nor any  
thinge therin contayned shall exde or bee exde to bind or chargt the said Walter Yonge Robert Gaswode John Pede Hugh Newton & Simon Dye or th<sup>e</sup> heires now any of them  
with any farrer or other graunt or warranty then only each of them hymselfe & his own heire & all e eyg<sup>r</sup> p<sup>t</sup> clavynge vndir hym and not otherwyse. **In mynes**  
wh<sup>t</sup> tyme the p<sup>t</sup>s abovesaid haue to this Indenture interchaungables putt their hande staled the daye & yere first above written: 1630.

*Symon Samsonov  
Buzanev.*

Scalid & deliv'd to Peter Bagwell  
so longe as he no bin named proffit  
in ye tyme set.  
Peter Bagwell

Peter Bugnall

28: mth 21 1832 Jan 22nd /

A large, ornate monogram consisting of two letters, 'E' and 'G'. The letter 'E' is on the right, featuring vertical stripes and a decorative scroll at the bottom. The letter 'G' is on the left, also with vertical stripes and a decorative scroll at the bottom. The monogram is rendered in a dark brown ink on aged paper.

20th Day of June 15<sup>th</sup>  
was at the 22<sup>nd</sup> in  
Sing Charley's Island  
from Worcester, Mass.  
to the Harbor of the  
District Islands of Cyo  
Nora Henry  
Cant. 1620

Lawnwood and Mary /  
Bromont and Deane /

Longton  
Dr. Day Esq. M.D.