

Book 68 page 357; Dec. 24 1881, William A. Smith & wife Elizabeth, John A. Smith & wife Julia, John F. Postian & wife Elizabeth, John Martin & wife Bina C., David Rickert & wife Margaret, Monroe Smith & wife Carolina & Mary Ann Smith let G. or S.M. Sloop--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 62 acres on Hills Creek next John W. Leazer, Richard Smith, Thomas F. Smith on a branch; also the adjoining 3 1/2 acres on the road--in all 65 1/2 acres--for \$210.00, witnessed by J. Finson & Columbus M. Sloop & acknowledged on Dec. 24 1881 & May 6 1882.

Gasper Smith (Jr?) (Abbotts Creek).

Book 22 page 800 or 900 (numbered twice): Oct. 20 1813, George Smith of Bedford Co. Tenn.--no wife signs--lets Gasper Smith of Rowan Co. N.C., have 225 acres on Abbotts Creek, beginning on the corner of Gasper Smith Sr. at a white oak, going east with the line of the same 154 poles to a hickory on its corner, south 32 poles to a B O, east 55 degrees east 80 poles to a hickory, north 10 degrees west 160 poles to a B O, south 80 degrees west 194 poles to a W O on the creek bank, then with the meanders of the creek to the beginning, for \$600.00, witnessed by Anderson Ellis & John Ellis & proved by the latter in Nov. court of 1813.

John Smith (The Hill place).

Davie Co. N.C. book 1 A page 174: March 2 1869, John Smith--no wife signs-- lets William F. Anderson & Charles Anderson--all of Davie Co. N.C., have 7 1/2 of 30 1/2 acres, "Known as the Hill" beginning on the line of J. Anderson at a stone & going east 13.62 links to a stone on the corner of said Anderson, south 20 chs. to a stone near the road on the corner of said Anderson, south 32 degrees east 1 chain & 65 links to a black oak, south 9 chains to a stone in the Salahan Mountain tract, north 39 degrees west 5 chains & 50 links to a black gum, up the mill pond on the west bank at high water mark to the beginning, with said John Smith's interest in the machinery, for \$1550.00, witnessed by John Anderson & acknowledged by said John Smith Sept. 5 1869.

George Smith (Cedar Creek) & Princess Ann Co. Va.,

Book 22 page 565: Aug. 18 1810, Wilson Russum of Rowan Co. N.C.--no wife signs--lets John McClennen of Princess Ann Co. Va., have 140 acres on Cedar Creek next George Smith, Nathaniel Chaffin, Michael Wilson, Peter Eaton & Nathan Douge, for \$770.00, witnessed by Chas. Hunt & George Smith & proved by the latter in Aug. 1812. It begins on the corner of George Smith & the line of Nathan Chaffin & goes east 74 1/5 poles to a Spanish oak, north 21 degrees east 41 poles to a rock, north 8 degrees east 140 poles to a poplar on the line of Michael Wilson, --- with his line-fence to the corner of Peter Eaton & said Michael Wilson, & with the road, binding the said Peter Eaton, Nathan Douge & Nathan Chaffin's lands, to the beginning.

Book 22 page 583: June 3 1809, Wilson Rusham of Rowan Co. N.C.--no wife signs--lets Geo. Smith of Norfolk, Va., have 19 1/2 acres on Cedar Creek next the said Rusham, Nathaniel Chaffin & Michael Wilson, for \$458.00, witnessed by Batley Bryan, Ebenezer Jones & Nathan

John Smith. (The Gray place on the waters of Hunting Creek).
Davie Co., N.C., book 1 A page 175: March 4 1869, Charles Anderson--no wife signs--
lets Lydia Jane Smith (both of Davie Co., N.C.), have the following tract of 230 acres
known as the Gray place next Dr. Rutledge on the south, L.P. Rutledge on the east,
Daniel J. & L.P. Rutledge on the north & the waters of Hunting Creek on the west, for
2000.00, witnessed by James Willson & acknowledged Sept. 8 1869.

Book 1 A page 160: March 3 1869, John Smith--no wife signs--lets Charles Anderson
(both of Davie Co., N.C.), have 230 acres known as the Gray place as above, for 2000.
00, witnessed by John Anderson & acknowledged by the grantor Sept. 8 1869.

Casper Smith (Jr?) (Abbotts Creek).

George Smith. (Cedar Creek)

Book 31 page 505: Oct. 16 1815, Giles Hunt--no wife signs--lets William
Hudson (both of Rowan Co., N.C.) have 118 acres on the bank of Cedar Creek
next John Ryan, Nathan Chaffin & Stanley Chaffin, for \$400.00, witnessed
by Benjamin Williams, R. Hunt, Benjamin Chapman & William Fulford & proved
by the last named in Feb. 1832.

Book 31 page 504: May 23 1817, William Hudson--no wife signs--lets George
Smith (both of Rowan Co., N.C.) have 118 acres on the bank of Cedar Creek
next John Ryan, Nathan Chaffin & Stanley Chaffin, for 200.00, witnessed
by Henry Brickhouse & Nathan Doudge & proved by Enoch Brock in Feb. 1832.

Book 31 page 501: Sept. 13 1826, David Smyth & Wright Smith--no wives sign--
let Reuben Smith have 118 acres on the bank of Cedar Creek next John Ryan,
Stanley Chaffin & free from all encumbrances except the life-
interest of Elizabeth Smith, (widow of George Smith), who is the mother of
all three, for \$500.00, witnessed by Alexander Cuthrell & E. Brock & proved
by the latter in Feb. 1832.

Book 31 page 494: Nov. 3 1831, Reuben Smith--no wife signs--lets John Mc-
Lanan (both of Rowan Co., N.C.) have 118 acres on the bank of Cedar Creek
next John Ryan, Nathan Chaffin & Stanley Chaffin, free of all encumbrances
for \$325.00, witnessed by Smith McLanen & E. Brock & proved by the latter
in Feb. 1832.

The will of George Smith--no date given, probated in Aug. 1818 (Book G page
518). Wife Elizabeth. Three sons: Wright & Reuben (they get the homeplace)
& David (gets the land bought of William Hudson). Daughters: Prudence,
Keziah Grant & Elizabeth Houge. Exr: wife. Witnesses: Joseph Athon & David
Spence.

John Smith

Book 26 page 518: May 31 1821, John Smith--no wife signs--lets Henry Smith (both of Row-
an Co., N.C.) have two lots in the North square of Salisbury, being #7 & #15, for \$400.00,
witnessed by Alexander Frohock & Henry Allemong & proved by the latter in Aug. 1821. (Said
John Smith bought these of George Miller).

Book 21 page 423: Sept. 21 1808, George Miller (Peggy also) let John Smith--all of Salisbury
N.C., have parts (or possibly all as I didn't take time to follow entirely through the deed
of lot #7 on south east corner of said lot in the north square of the town next said lot
& lot #15 on Corbin St. & 1/8 of lot #15 or 162 sq. poles, also etc., for 300 pounds,
(Conveyed to said Miller on June 28 1796 by Martin Basinger) also 3/4 of lot #15

Book 13 page 916:

Book 12 page 709: Sept. 25 1788, James Craige--no wife signs--lets Martin Basinger

Book : April 23 1768 Hugh Foster
have lots 6-7-8-14 & 16 in north square

lets James Craige

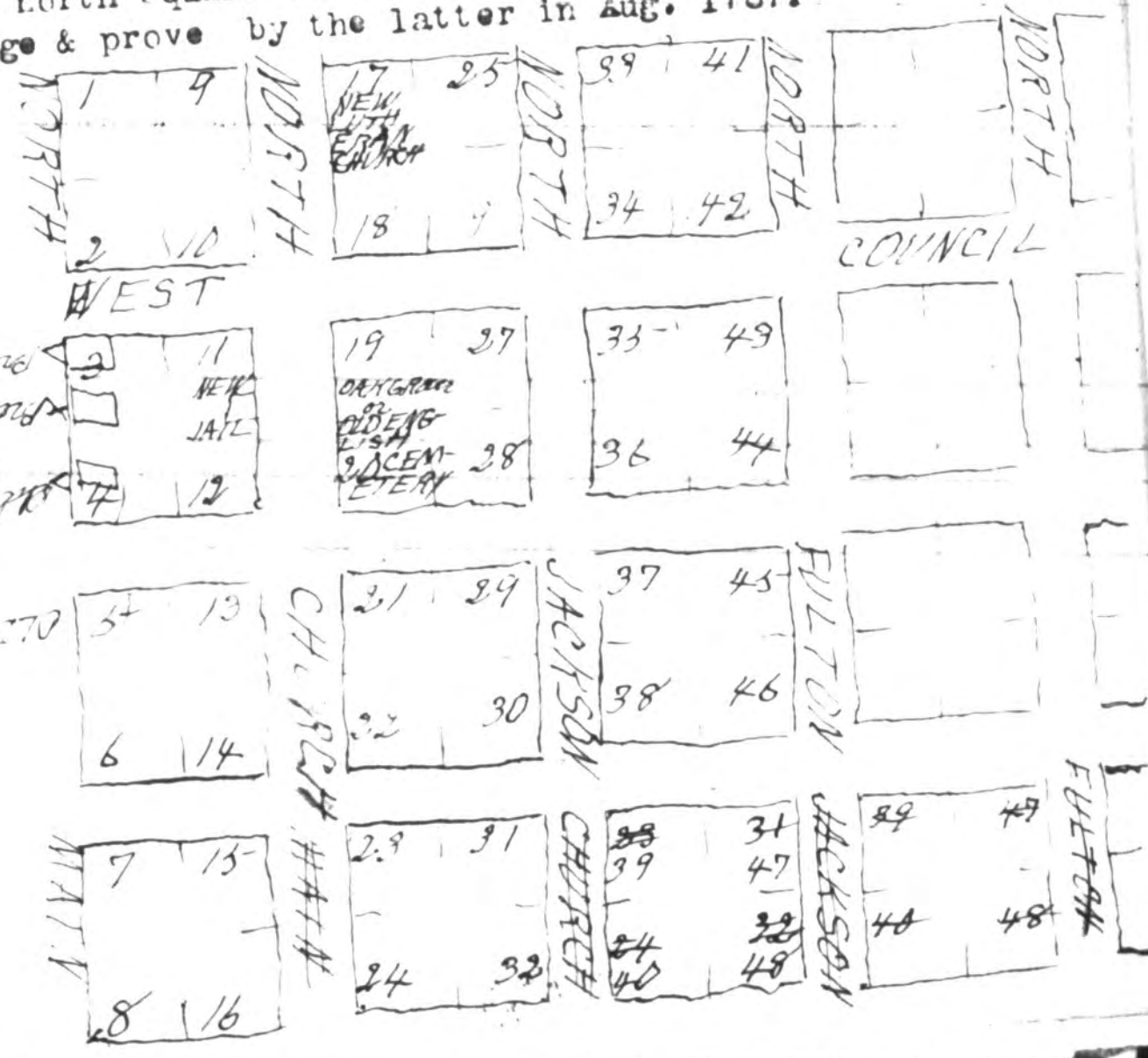
George W. Smith (Coddle Creek & north side of Beatie's Ford road)

Book 36 page 38: Oct. 20 1836, George Smith (a German & no wife signs), lets George W.
Smith (both of Rowan Co., N.C.), have 165 acres on the waters of Coddle Creek on the
north side of Beatie's Ford Road, beginning at a stake on the line of ---Rumple & the
corner of John Smith, going west with his line 80 degrees east 21 poles to a stake,
north 1 degree east 78 poles to an ash at a branch, south 80 degrees east 21 poles
to a stake, south 80 degrees east 26 poles to a hickory stump, north 10 degrees east
23 poles, south 70 degrees east 82 poles to a stake on the line of John Walcher,
north with his line 18 degrees west 70 poles to a black Jack, north 25 degrees west
83 poles to a hickory, the same course 66 poles to a poplar, northwest with the line
of Daniel Smith 53 poles to a stone, west 30 poles to a black oak, south 20 poles,
east 78 poles to a stake, north 47 1/2 (or 7 1/2) poles to a stake, south 68 degrees west
26 poles to a stake, south 25 degrees west 26 poles to a white oak, south 59 degrees
west 42 poles, south 18 degrees west 12 poles to a hickory, north 81 degrees east 46
poles to a post oak on the corner of ---Williford, then with the line of ---Rumple
south 2 degrees west 146 poles to the beginning, for \$500.00, witnessed by Elizabeth
Smith, witnessed & John Barnhart & acknowledged in May Court of 1842.

Book 37 page 526: Nov. 19 1845, Jacob Smith of Cabarrus Co., N.C.--no wife signs--lets George
W. Smith Jr. of Rowan Co., N.C., have 165 acres on Coddle Creek on the north side of Beatie's
Ford road next ---Rumple, John Smith, near a branch, John Walker, Daniel Smith & ---Willi-
ford, for \$478.00, witnessed by Simson Best & Asa Best & acknowledged in Feb. 1846.

John Smith (Hatter)
 Book 20 page 223: May 13 1811, John Little Sr. of Rowan Co. N.C.---no wife signs--lets John Smith, a hatter, of N.C., have four lots in the north square of the town (31, 32, 23 #24), for \$30.00, 2witnessed by John Little Jr. & Lewis Utzman & acknowledged in May 1811.

Book 11 page 37: May 18 1787, James Brandon (as the executor of deceased John Howard) lets John Little of --- have four lots in the north square of Salisbury (31-32-23-24) for 100 pounds, witnessed by J. McEwen & James Cragg & prove by the latter in Aug. 1787.



Casper Smith (Jr?) (Abbotts Creek)
 Daniel Smith (Coddle Creek)

Book 34 page 221: March 8 1849, Daniel Smith--no wife signs--lets Alexander Rumble (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 101 acres on Coddle Creek next George Smith, S.M. Walcher, Alexander Rumble, ---Crosby & ---Brown, for \$230.00, witnessed by George W. Smith & George Smith & proved by the latter in Aug. 1839.

Book 34 page 222: March 8 1839, Daniel Smith--no wife signs--lets ^{Alex} Daniel Rumble (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 225 acres on Coddle Creek, beginning next William Wilford, Wm. H. Kerr, Wm. McLane, ---Crosby & G. Smith, for \$1000.00, witnessed by George W. Smith & George Smith & proved by the latter in Aug. 1839.

John Smith. (Waters of Coddle Creek & Baties' Ford road).
 Book 33 page 190: July 27 1833, John M. Walcher---no wife signs--lets John Smith (both of Rowan Co. N.C.) have 100 acres on the waters of Coddle Creek & on both sides of Baties Ford Road, beginning on the corner of John M. Walcher & George Smith at a dead black oak, going west 35 poles to a small hickory on the corner of George Smith, south 2 degrees east 232 poles to a stake on the corner of George Smith & William Jamison, east 85 poles to a large post on the corner of Jamison & --- Beaver, north 56 --- to a small post on the corner of John M. Walcher, then north with the division line 18 degrees west 184 poles to the beginning, for \$325.00, witnessed by ? , John Barnhart & George Smith & proved by the last named in Nov. court of 1836.

George Smith (Northeast bank of Yadkin River)

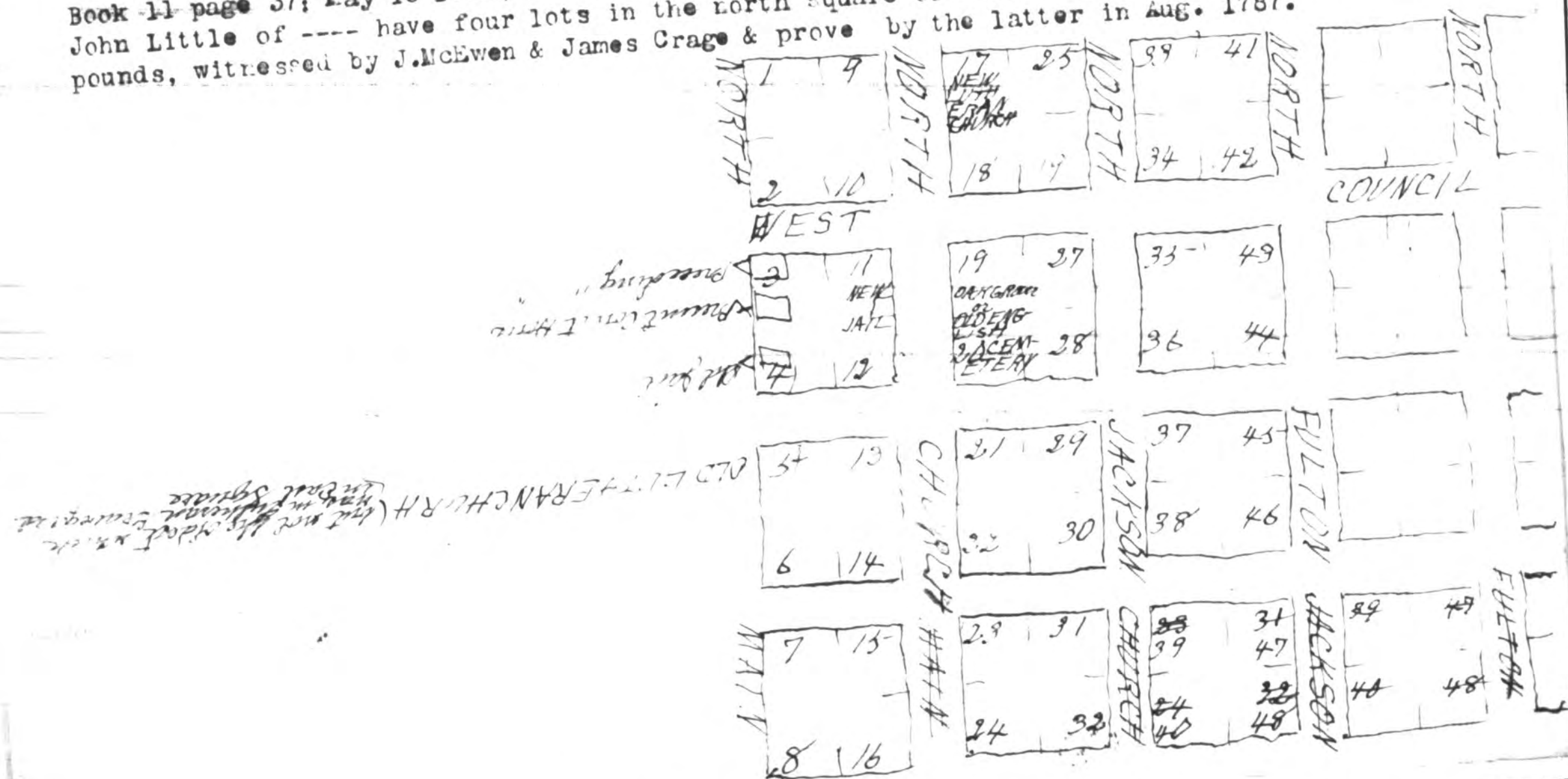
Book 12 page 685: Nov. 10 1784, The State grants (#2202 for 524 pounds) to James Scrivner 265 acres on the northeast side of the Yadkin River, beginning on its bank next lot #54, at a post oak, going east 11 chains to a black oak, south 5 chains to a maple, east 6 chains to a pine, north 55 degrees east 50 1/2 chains to a post oak, south 35 degrees east 15 chains & 25 links to a black oak, south 17 degrees east 17 chains to a black oak, south 6 degrees west 10 1/2 chains to a post oak, south 50 degrees east 26 chains to a white oak, west 70 chains to a hickory on the river bank, then up its various courses to the beginning

Book 17 page 204: Sept. 3 1799, James Scrivener--no wife signs--lets Frederick Fisher (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 265 acres on the northeast bank of the Yadkin River.

Book 17 page 303: Feb. 1 1800, Frederic Fisher (a German & no wife signs) lets George Fisher--both of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 265 acres on the northeast side of the Yadkin River, beginning on its bank on the corner of lot #54, at a post oak, going east 11 chains to a black oak, south 50 chains to a maple, east 6 chains to a pine, north 55 degrees east 50 1/2 chains to a post oak, south 35 degrees east 15 chains to a black oak, south 17 degrees east 17 chains to a black oak, south 6 degrees west 10 1/2 chains to a post oak, south 50 degrees east 26 chains to a white oak, west 70 chains to a hickory on the river bank, then up its meanders to the beginning, for 550 pounds N.C. money, witnessed by a German (? Geo. Bollon?) & acknowledged by the said Frederick Fisher in May court of 1800. (over).

John Smith (Hatter)
 Book 20 page 223: May 13 1811, John Little Sr. of Rowan Co. N.C.--no wife signs--lets John Smith, a hatter, of N.C., have four lots in the north square of the town (31, 32, 23 #24), for \$30.00, 21witnessed by John Little Jr. & Lewis Utzman & acknowledged in May 1811.

Book 11 page 37: May 18 1787, James Brandon (as the executor of deceased John Howard) lets John Little of --- have four lots in the north square of Salisbury (31-32-23-24) for 100 pounds, witnessed by J. McEwen & James Cragg & prove by the latter in Aug. 1787.



George (son of Casper Smith). (Northeast bank of the Yadkin River)

Book 17 page 301: May 7 1800, George Fisher--no wife signs--lets George Smith (the son of Casper Smith)--both of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 265 acres on the north east side of the Yadkin River, beginning on its bank, on the corner of #54, at a post oak, going east 11 chains to a black oak, south 5 chains to a maple, east 6 chains to a pine, north 55 degrees east 50 1/2 chains to a post oak, south 55 degrees east 15 chains & 25 links to a black oak, south 17 degrees east 17 chains to a black oak, south 6 degrees west 10 1/2 chains to a post oak, south 50 degrees east 26 chains to a white oak, west 70 chains to a hickory on the river bank, then up its meanders to the beginning, for \$1275.00, witnessed by J. Fisher & Isaac Shemwell & acknowledged in May court of 1800.

John Smith. (Waters of Goddle Creek & Baties' Ford road).
 Book 33 page 190: July 27 1833, John M. Walcher--no wife signs--lets John Smith (both of Rowan Co. N.C.). have 100 acres on the waters of Goddle Creek & on both sides of Baties Ford Road, beginning on the corner of John M. Walcher & George Smith at a dead black oak, going west 35 poles to a small hickory on the corner of George Smith, south 2 degrees east 232 poles to a stake on the corner of George Smith & William Jamison, east 85 poles to a large post on the corner of Jamison & --- Beaver, north 56 ---- to a small post on the corner of John M. Walcher, then north with the division line 18 degrees west 184 poles to the beginning, for \$325.00, witnessed by ? , John Barnhart & George Smith & proved by the last named in Nov. court of 1836.

Smith.

Lexington, Davidson Co. N.C., book 1 page 453: The will of George Smith Sr. made Jan. 3 1844 & probated in Nov. 1844. Wife Sarah (1/2 of the home place of 350 acres, slaves: Ben, Elie, Mary, Evaline). Daughters: Barbara (she is married to John McKie & has children--John M. Smith is appointed trustee for her) & Anna (wife of John M. Smith--she also has children). Sons: "David Now living in the Western Country" & Obadiah M. who is deceased but left children. Some land is to be sold to make money for present use of family. Exr: son-in-law John M. Smith. Witnesses: James Wiseman & A. F. Smith. (I assume this to be Major George Smith born . . . died Oct. 1 1844 aged 71 yrs. 5 mos. & 25 days, buried in Jersey Settlement meeting House yard beside his wife, Sarah, who died Feb. 1 1844 aged 73 yrs. 5 mos. & 21 days. Obadiah M. Smith who died Dec. 26 1843 aged 45 yrs. 7 mos. & 20 days is also buried here).

The will of Obadiah Smith (book 1 page 202) made Dec. 20 1843 & probated in Feb. 1844. Wife: Joyce. Children. Exrs: wife & my brother-in-law, Pleasant Redwine. Witnesses: H. C. Jones & John C. Benson.

Marriage bonds:

Pleasant Redwine to Mary Ann Barringer Dec. 10 1835 signed by W. Tokes?

Book 37 page 214: Nov. 26 1844, the executors of deceased Obadiah M. Smith (who are Joyce Smith & Pleasant Redwine) let Solomon Peeler have 202 acres on the South Fork of Crane Creek next the mill on Mill Creek (the mill being now owned by Pleasant Redwine & David Barringer), John Ketchey, David Brown & John Fraley, for . . . witnessed & proved by David Barringer in Aug. 1844. (This is lot #2 in the estate of deceased Jacob Fraley having been conveyed by Henry Fraley to the heirs of deceased Abraham Redwine).

Book 33 page 207: Feb. 20 1837, Pleasant Redwine--no wife signs--lets Obadian M. Smith

Jasper Smith (West side of Adams Creek)

Book 26 page 38: Nov. 26 1817, Benjamin Scrivener--no wife signs--lets Jasper Smith (both of Rowan Co., N.C.), have 300 acres on the west side of Adams Creek, beginning on the line of David Smith at a stake (about three chains from said creek), going north 50 degrees west 4 chains to a pine, north 55 chains, east 34 chains to a red oak, south 20 degrees east 15 chains to a small pine, south 16 degrees east 44 chains & 50 links to a heap of stones, south 40 degrees west 32 chains to a post oak, south 4 chains to a stake, then west to the beginning, for \$500.00, witnessed & proved by John Billings in Aug. 1820. (This is party of a State Grant).

Book 13 page 100: Jan. 15 1793, Thomas Scrivner of Wilkes Co., Ga.,--no wife signs--lets Benjamin Scrivner of Rowan Co., N.C., have 300 acres on both sides of Adams Creek, beginning on its west side on the line of David Smith (about three chains from the said creek), at a stake, going north 50 degrees west 4 chains to a pine, north 54 chains to a pine, east 34 chains to a red oak, south 20 degrees east 15 chains to a small pine, south 76 degrees east 44 chains & 50 links to a heap of stones, south 40 degrees west 32 chains & 50 links to a post oak, south 4 chains to a stake, then west to the beginning, for 50 pounds N.C. money, witnessed by Francis Floyd & William Moore & proved by the latter on Feb. 9 1793.

Book 12 page 200: May 18 1789, The State grants (#1896 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to Thomas Scrivener 300 acres on both sides of Adams Creek, beginning on its west side on the line of David Smith (about 3 chains from the same) at a stake, going north 50 degrees west 4 chains to a pine, north 55 chains to a pine, east 34 chains to a red oak, south 20 degrees east 15 chains to a small pine, south 76 degrees east 44 chains & 50 links to a ~~heap~~ heap of stones, south 40 degrees west 32 chains & 50 links to a post oak, south 44 chains to a stone, then west to the beginning.

George (son of Casper Smith) Smith.

Lexington, Davidson Co., N.C., book 4 page 230: the will of Charles Smith, probated in 1894

Rowan Co., N.C., book 25 page 476: Aug. 26 1818, David Smith of Monroe County, Alabama Territory, appoints George Smith of ----, his attorney to act as executor of deceased John Smith, collect & settle &c. witnessed & proved in Lexington, N.C. in Nov. court 1819.

John Smith (Third Fork of Abbotts Creek)

Book 10 page 122: Nov. 19 1784, The State grants (#673 at 50 shillings the 100 acres) to John Smith 364 acres on the Third Fork of Abbotts Creek next ---Willson & crossing said fork twice.

Book 10 page 170: Feb. 18 1785, John Smith, a blacksmith of Washington Co., Pa.,--no wife signs--lets Perry Ross, a planter of Guilford Co., N.C., have 364 acres on both sides of the Third Fork of Abbotts Creek next --- Willson, & crossing said fork , for 100 pounds, witnessed by Thomas Anderson & Andrew Bay & proved by the latter in May 1785. (The Secretary of The State granted this to said Smith on Nov. 19 1784).

May 8 1785: Deed from John Smith to Perry Ross for 364 acres Feb. 18 1785 proved by Andrew Bay.

Book 11 page 652: March 16 1789, Perry Ross--no wife signs--lets Enoch Harlan (both of Guilford Co., N.C.) have 364 acres on the Third Fork of Abbotts Creek next ---Willson & crossing said fork , for 200 pounds, witnessed by John Lendenhall & Nathan Harlan & acknowledged in May 1789. (The State granted this to John Smith on Nov. 19 1784 who made it over to the said Ross in Feb. 1785).

David Smith. (Horse Shoe Neck on East Side of Yadkin River)

Book 11 page 615: Feb. 5 1789, Martin Wallox (he signs as Martin Walk), a planter-- --lets Esq. Richmond Pearson (both of Rowan Co., N.C.), have the upper half of 158 acres, (79 acres), on the East side of the Yadkin River "known & Called by the Name of a Horse Shoe Neck which was by the last will & Testament of Martin Wallox deceased divided & bequeathed to the Said Martin Wallox the Same being the upper half of tract or parcel of land conveyed to the said Martin Wallox Now, Deceased from Michael Myers & Mary his Wife by Deed bearing date the 15th day of July in the year of our lord 1768", beginning on the east bank of the Yadkin River (which was agreed by the parties, to be the "Middle of the whole Horse Shoe Neck", at a white oak, going south 15 degrees east 100 poles to a bounded red oak, south 40 degrees east to the line of the whole original tract, west with the said line to the said river, then up its meanders to the beginning, for 120 pounds,

Book 26 page 482: March 23 1820, Eliza, Jesse A., Joseph, Richmond & Sarah Pearson (as heirs-at-law of the late deceased Richmond Pearson, who died in Aug. of 1819, owning all of this land but that bought of John Picklar in the Horse Shoe Neck & that bought of of John Banket Pickler in the Boon's Ford Tract) let William Langhorn of Bedford Co., Va., have (since the said deceased agreed on April 18 1818 to sell the said Langhorn seven tracts;

); one it the Horseshoe Neck land he bought of Martin Walk, David Smith & John Pickler, also the entry of David Woodson; another "The tract called Boons Ford tract comprehending the lands purchased of John Blanket Pickler heirs and David Woodsons Entry and the tract Called Benjamin Buckners Entry at the Mouth of Pelers Creek and running a straight line to the back line then pursuing the said Buckners lines to the beginning all of which lands lying and adjoining the Yadkin in Rowan County aforesaid. the boundaries of which are as follows, to wit, N^o 1 being the land purchased of Martin Walk part of the Horseshoe Neck beginning at an iron wood on the river bank at Jonathan Walk

John Smith of Territory
Book 25 page 476; Aug. 26 1818, David Smith of Monroe Co., Alabama appoints his friend
George Smith of ---, his attorney to collect & settle the estate of deceased
John Smith as executor, witnessed & proved by Obadiah M. Smith, witnessed &
proved in Lexington, N.C. in Nov. 1819.

"River" John Smith (Waters of Swearing Creek).
Book 14 page 342 or 442 (numbered twice); March 1 1796, James Owin, a planter--
no wife signs--lets Josiah Owin (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 78 acres on the
waters of Swearing Creek, beginning on the corner of #9 at a black oak, going
with the line of #9 east to a black oak on the corner of #9, east with the
line of #9 & passing the corner, 51 chains to a dogwood on the line of #13,
passing the corner, 51 chains to a dogwood in line of #13, north 19 chains ?
west 20 chains to a stake on the corner of Alfred Osen, south with his line 5
degrees west 31 chains to a hickory saylin on his other corner, north with his
line again 72 degrees west 20 chains to a red --- on the other corner of Alfred
Owen, near a stake in the old line of --- Moires & the field of Michal Hole-
houser, then with his line to the beginning, for 75 pounds N.C. money, witnessed
by Joseph Hannah & Peter Owen & acknowledged by James Owin in May court of 1796.
(This is parts of tracts #13 & 14 of Henry Eustace McCulloch, which by act of As-
sembly was confiscated & sold by Charles Bruce, as Commissioner of Confiscated
estates, to John Armstrong, who deeded them Nov. 5 1787 & Feb. 18 1790).

Book 18 page 916; Nov. 25 1802, Esq. William R. Allen of Montgomery Co. N.C. & wife
Polly, let the planter, Josiah Owen, of Rowan Co. N.C., have 47 1/2 acres on the wa-
ters of Swearing Creek, beginning on the second corner of the original survey, at
a black oak, going with the original line 24 chains & 50 links to a stake on the
corner of #5, south with the line of #5 20 chains & 37 links to a stake on an
other corner of lot #5 & line of #2, west with the lines of #2 & #3, 24 chains &
50 links to a stake on the original line, then north with the original line 20
chains & 37 links to the beginning, for \$200.00

(This is part of the 237 acres
sold by The State, Nov. 10 1784, to now deceased Humphrey Brooks

(over)

George (son of George Smith)

corner (as P^r the division of the lower half of the Horseshoe by William Moore)
running two and a half degrees East 43 chains and 25 links to a Stake at Jona-
than Walks corner North 16 degrees West 29 chains and 50 links to a White Oak
on the River bank and down the Meanders of the river to the beginning con-
taining seventy one and a half Acres N^o 2 the land purchased of David Smith
and Susan his wife beginning at a forked Locust, said Smiths corner in the
Horseshoe below the Mouth of a branch running South 23^o West 40 and a half
chains to a Hicory in Jonathan Walks line North 40^o West 13 chains to a bound-
ed Red Oak North 16^o West 41 chains to a White Oak on the River bank, then
up the river to the Locust containing one hundred and four Acres N^o 3 The
part purchased of John Pickler and the rest of the heirs of John Blanket Pick-
ler in the Horseshoe beginning at the forked Locust David and Susan Smiths
corner on the river along their line South 23^o West 40 chains & a half to a
Hicory their(?) corner in Jonathan Walks line South 40^o East 13 chains to
a Red oak his corner in the line of the Whole Horse Shoe Along it East 34
chains to an Elm on the River bank down it as it Meanders to the Locust
containing one hundred and six acres N^o 5 The tract called Benjamin Buckners
Entry on the South side of the Yadkin beginning at the Mouth of Peelers Creek
a Persimmon West 29 chains to a Hicory in Picklers line called the back
line along it South 65^o West two chains & 30 links to a Hicory Picklers cor-
ner South 41 chains and 30 links to a White Oak Picklers corner East 22
chains to a Red Oak John Banks's corner North 50^o East six & a half chains
to a White Oak North 16 chains & 50 links to a Horn Bean North 58 degrees
East three chains and Ninety links to a White Oak on the River bank up the
River to the beginning containing one hundred and fifty seven Acres N^o 4,
The tract called David Woodsons Entry in the Horseshoe Neck beginning at a
Lyn on the River bank West along the line of the Horse Shoe 44 & a half
chains to a White Oak Jonathan Walks corner on the River bank, thence down the
river as it meanders to a Small Black Oak standing on the River bank Martin
Wallor's corner thence with his line 20 chains to his corner a White Oak

David Smith Sr.
Buried at Jersey Settlement Baptist Church; David Smith, born Aug. 15 1767 died
April 7 1844, aged 56 yrs. 7 mos. & 23 days

"State of North Carolina
Davidson County
Know all Men by these presents that whereas
we A F Smith & H M Smith Adms of David Smith sen dec'd, having Made it ap-
pear to the Satisfaction of the Court of Pleas and quarter Sessions of the Said
County of Davidson, at Nov. Term 1844, that a Sale was Necessary for the purpose
of paying the debts of the Estate of said dec'd, and having obtained from Said
Court, an order for that purpose, after giving due Notice of the time and place
of Sale according to law, on the 26th day of Dec^r 1844. at the late residence
of Said dec'd, proceeded to Sell at public sale Sundry Slaves belonging to the
estate; among the number was one Named Harry a boy of Twelve Years old or there-
abouts-- When and where David M^cMaskins became the last and highest bidder at
the price of Four Hundred and Nine dollars, & Fifty Cents, on a credit of Nine
Months; and the Said David M^cMaskins having Complied With the Conditions of Sale
by giving bond and security for the purchase Money-- Now therefore Know ye,
that for and in consideration of the premises we the said Adm^s of David Smith
sen dec'd, as aforesaid, have bargained and Sold, and by these presents do
bargain, Sell and convey to the Said David M^cMaskins, his heirs, executors,
adm^s and assigns forever, the Said Slave Henry, to have and to hold to him
the Said David M^cMaskins his heirs, executors, adm^s and assigns forever, and
we the said adm^s of David Smith dec'd, aforesaid have covenanted, and by
these presents do covenant to and with the Said David M^cMaskins his heirs
executors, adm^s and assigns, to Warrant and defend forever the title hereby
Conveyed--from the lawful claim or claims of any and all persons whatsoever, So
far forth as our office and duty as adms Require and no further--" (over)

"River" John Smith. (Waters of Swearing Creek)
 Book 32 page 94: April 1 1811, Josiah Owen--no wife signs--lets John Smith "(River)"
 --both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 123 acres, composed of two tracts: (one of 78 acres
 which my father, James Owen conveyed in 1796 & other of 47 1/2 acres which William R.
 Allen & wife Polly conveyed in 1603), beginning on the south side of Saw-mill Branch,
 on the line of Joseph Haden, crossing the branch below the mill, 18 poles to the
 line of said Owen, east 22 poles to a stake on the line of Peter Owen, north with
 his line 1 degree west 25 1/2 chains to a stake on the corner of Lifford Owen, south
 with his line 55 degrees west 31 chains to a hickory saplin on his other corner,
 north with his line again 72 degrees west 20 chains to a red oak on the other cor-
 ner of said Owen, the field of ---Holtshouser & the old line of ---Hires, east with
 the said line 24 1/2 chains to a stake on the line of said Haden, north 20 chains &
 37 links to the corner of said Haden & said Owen, east crossing the branch to the
 beginning, for \$738.00, witnessed by J. W. Owen & L. P. Winders & acknowledged in
 May court of 1811.

John Smith

Iredell Co. N.C., book B page 725: Aug. 15 1797, William Teague Jr.--no wife signs--lets
 Will Teague Sr. (both of Iredell Co. N.C.) have 40 acres next John Edger, for 10 pounds,
 witnessed by Joshua Teague, George Barns & William Smith & proved by the last named in
 Aug. 1797. (This is part of 300 acres granted by The State to John Smith on Sept. 11 1779,
 who let William Gibson have on May 1 1791, who let the said Wm. Teague Jr. have on Feb.
 1796).

George (son of George ...)

"In testimony whereof we have hereunto
 Set our hands and seals, this the 8th
 day of Jan'y 1845,

A. F. Smith (Seal)

Admrs

H. M. Smith (Seal)"

"A bill of Sale of Slave Harry
 To David M. Mackins"

James Smith. (North bank of Fourth Creek Rutherford's Creek & Mill)

Feb. 1811: Deed from Edward Chambers to James Smith for 661 acres Feb. 6 1811
 is acknowledged.
 Book 22 page 206: Feb. 6 1811, Esq. Edward Chambers as High Sheriff of Rowan Co.
 N.C. (on execution against Samuel Hughey for 214 pounds & 5 shillings, with the
 cost of 5 pounds 17 shillings & 19 pence, recovered by George Rrwin of said Hughey,
 with orders to sell Aug. 6 1807, for 275 pounds to the highest bidder, James Smith
 of Rowan County), now delivers to said James Smith, an undivided third part in the
 land of Henry Hughey, whose will is dated Nov. 8 1802 (see dimensions below), wit-
 nessed by John Beard & A. Davis & proved in Feb. court of 1811.

Feb. 1811: Deed from James Smith to Joseph Chambers for 661 acres Feb.-- 1811
 is acknowledged.
 Book 22 page 203: Feb. -- 1811, James Smith--no wife signs--lets Joseph Chambers
 (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have a third portion of the land devised by
 Samuel Hughey Sr. to Samuel Hughey Nov. 15 1789, the third devised to Henry Hughey
 & the third which Henry Hughey willed on Nov. 8 1802, being the 661 acres on
 beginning on the north bank of Fourth Creek, beginning on the corner of ---Cowan
 at an elm & black oak, going with his line north to a small hickory to a small
 hickory on the division corner, at 211 poles--in all 471 poles to a fallen black
 oak & a small hickory on the line of Jean Hughey, east 139 poles to a hickory,
 south 81 poles to a post oak & corner between Samuel Hughey & Andrew Hughey,
 east 48 poles to a post oak, south 43 poles to a hickory, east 108 poles to a
 post oak pine & post oak, north 62 poles to a post oak, east 46 poles to a hick-
 ory in the lowgrounds of Rutherford's Creek on the line of George Niblack, south
 with his & the line of John Brandon 202 poles to a hickory on the corner of John
 Brandon, west with his line 160 poles to a post oak on his corner, south 40 poles
 to the mill-pond of Griffeth, then with the meanders of the pond & creek, includ-
 ing 11 acres of the pond, for 275 pounds, witnessed by John T. Travis & proved in
 Feb. court of 1811.

Aug. 11 1804: John Smith is Deputy Sheriff (page 274).

May 10 1810: John Smith received 30 votes; Alexander Frohock 15 & Ransom Powell 4; so John Smith gives bond of 5000 pounds as High Sheriff on May 11 1810 with Peter Brown, George Fisher, John Larch, Jacob Fisher, Obadiah Smith & Daniel Wood as security.
Nov. 1810: John Smith High-sheriff of Rowan; John Giles is again Clerk of Court

Oct. 14 1814: J.J. Smith = sheriff (see Rutherford-Todd).

John Smith. (Waters of Swearing Creek).
Book 22 page 643 or 743 (numbered twice): May 9 1812, John Smith--no wife signs-- lets Peter Lopp (s)--both of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 167 acres on the waters of Swearing Creek, beginning on the east side of Swearing Creek at a branch & an elm, going south 50 1/2 chains to a black oak on the line of David Smith, east with his line 32 1/2 chains to a black Jack by a branch, --- 51 1/2 chains to a black oak on the line of Samuel Herrell, west 32 1/2 chains to the beginning, for 550 pounds, witnessed by George Smith & Alexander Caldwell & proved by the latter in May court of 1813.

Book 22 page 644 or 744 (numbered twice): May 9 1812, John Smith lets Peter Lopp (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 5 1/2 acres, beginning on the east side of Swearing Creek, on the line of Samuel Herrell at a hickory, going south 45 rods to a post oak, west to a white oak, then to a hickory 45 rods with the line of Samuel Herrell, then to the beginning, for 5 pounds, witnessed by George Smith & Alexander Caldwell & proved by the latter in May court of 1813. (This had been willed to the said John Smith out of the old tract which George Smith willed his son).

McLean--Smith

Iredell Co. N.C., book 1 page 403: The will of John McLean made March 31 1817. Wife Sons: Henry L. (is executor & gets all lands), John & Joseph (each 10 shillings), Daughters Sarah Smith (10 shillings), Elsa Smith (10 shillings), Elizabeth Patterson, Mary Campbell & Susanna Shoemaker. Witnesses: Henry L. McLean & James Thompson.

Eleazer Smith

Book 19 page 824; Feb. 10 1801, Jacob Wirick--no wife signs--lets Eleazer Smith (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 37 8/10 acres, beginning at a black oak on the northeast corner of the said lot, (which is the northeast end of the lot which the said Jacob Wirick bought of Jacob & John Lotsinger), going west 9 chains to a black oak on the corner of Michael Idol, south with the line of said Idol's 42 acre to the corner of said Idol, east 9 chains to the line of Henry Davis, then north with his line to the beginning, for \$37.00, witnessed by Enoch Rice & John Monroe & proved by the latter in Aug. court of 1806.

Aug. 8 1800: Jacob Fisher gave his bond of 2000 pounds as Sheriff of the county with Alexander Long, Lewis Beard, George Fisher & John Randleman as security.

Aug. 9 1800: Esq. Adlai Osborn renewed his bond as Clerk of Court being 2000 pounds with Richard Pearson & Esq. William L. Alexander; Esq. Hugh Horah renewed his bond of 2000 pounds as Entry Taker

John Smith (Waters of Muddy Run & Yadkin River)

Book 23 page 648: Jan. 11 1816, John Smith--no wife signs--lets Billy D. Haden (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 260 acres beginning on the west bank of the Yadkin River at the upper corner of said Smith's land at a hickory, going west 8 chains to a pine, south 68 degrees west 42 chains to a post oak on the line of ---Dedmon, south 53 chains & 50 links to a small post oak, east 5 chains to a heap of stones on the former corner of John Poyne, south with his line 4 chs. to a stake in Redy Run, down its meanders to a maple on the bank of the creek north 25 degrees east 55 chains to a poplar on the spring-branch of the said John Smith, down its meanders to its junction with the river, then up its meanders to the beginning, for \$2450.00, witnessed by John Glick & Richard Barnes & acknowledged in Feb. court of 1816.

Book 19 page 811: Sept. 3 1806, Obadiah Smith--no wife signs--lets John Smith (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 260 acres on the Yadkin River, beginning on its west bank on the upper corner of the land of the said Obadiah Smith at a hickory, going west 8 chains to a pine, south 68 degrees west 42 chains to a post oak on the line of ---Deadman, south 53 chains & 50 links to a small post oak, east 5 chains to a heap of stones on the corner of John Poyan, south with his line 4 chains to a stake on Reedy Run, down its meanders to a maple on the same, north 25 degrees east 55 chains to a poplar on a branch, down its meanders to its junction with the Yadkin River, then with the same & its meanders to the beginning, for \$300.00, witnessed by Andrew Kerr & Peter Brown & proved by the latter in Nov. court of 1806.

Book 17 page 662: March 30 1801, Casper Smith (a German & no wife signs) lets Samuel Barclay (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 33 acres on the waters of Muddy Run, beginning on the line of the said Barclay & Casper Smith at a hickory (5 chains & 20 links from a hickory on their corner), & going north 45 degrees west 16.5 chains to a red oak, north 70 degrees west 7.19 chains to a stake on the --- of Peter Smith, south 23 degrees west 10 chains to a dogwood on the line of Able Hunt, south 55 degrees east 5 chains to a hickory on his corner, south 30 degrees west 22.5 to a post oak, south 3 chains to a post oak, then with the original line to the beginning, for 33 pounds. (This is part of 222 acres of the said Casper Smith).

Josiah Smith. (Waters of Rich Fork of Abbotts Creek).

Book 13 page 841: Oct. 8 1794, Thomas Tharp--no wife signs--lets Josiah Smith (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 34 1/2 acres on the waters of Rich Fork of Abbotts Creek, bounded on the north by other land of the said Tharp, on the south by the old line of ---Wilson & on the north by the old line of the said Smith, beginning on the old line of said Smith at a post oak, going south 14 chains & 30 links to a stake on the line of ---Wilson, east with the said line 24 chains to the southeast corner of the lot, north 14 chains & 30 links to the old line of said Smith, then west with the said line to the beginning, for 5 pounds N.C. money, witnessed by John Tharpe & Thomas Tharpe Jr. & proved by the latter in Feb. court of 1795.

Aug. 8 1800: Jacob Fisher gave his bond of 2000 pounds as Sheriff of the county with Alexander Long, Lewis Beard, George Fisher & John Randleman as security.

Aug. 9 1800: Esq. Adlai Osborn renewed his bond as Clerk of Court being 1000 pounds with Richard Pearson & Esq. William L. Alexander; Esq. Hugh Horah renewed his bond of 2000 pounds as Entry Taker

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Solomon Smith

Census of School District #15 Oct. 17 1850: Solomon Smith age 47 yrs. born in N.C., a shoemaker.
Margaret " " 48? " " "
Cynthia C. " " 18 " " "
Sarah A.M. " " 16 " " "
Clarissa E. " " 11 " " "
Amanda K. " " 8 " " "

Josiah Smith. (Waters of Rich Fork of Abbotts Creek).

Book 13 page 229: Nov. 17 1791, The State grants (#2127 at 10 pounds the 100 acres) to Josiah Smith 25 acres on the waters of Rich Fork of Abbotts Creek, beginning on the east corner of said Smith, on the line of Christian Wilson, & going with the said line south 31 degrees east 9 chains & 35 links to a stake, south 5 chains & 60 links to a small black oak on the line of Joseph Wilson, west with the said line 19 chains & 25 links to the corner of Thomas Tharp's survey, north 14 chains & 30 links to the old line of the said Smith, then east with the line of said Smith to the beginning.

Gasper Smith. (Trading road & waters of Muddy Run).

Book 13 page 451: --- 17 1792, The State grants (#2149 at 10 pounds the 100 acres) to Gasper Smith 77 acres on the waters of Muddy Run, beginning on the corner of the deeded land of the said Gasper Smith, going north 63 chains to a black oak on the trading-road, --- with it 13 chains & 50 links to a black oak on the line of James Scrivner, south 66 chains & 50 links to a stake on the corner of the said Gasper Smith, then west 12 chains to the beginning.

David Smith (Muddy Run & Trading Path)

Book 4 page 211; Nov. 14 of the 33d year of King George II. of Great Britain, Esq. Henry McCulloh of Turnham Green, Great Britain, lets John Hunt of Rowan Co. N.C., have 250 acres on the south side of the Trading Path & crossing Muddy Run, for 18 pounds & 15 shillings, witnessed by John Gano & Even Pugh & proved by the Rev. John Gano in Jan. 1760. (Marked delivered to his brother Collo. Hunt).

Book 8 page 137: Aug. 13 1773, Peter Madrick, a farmer & wife Margaret let David Smith--all of Rowan Co. N.C.--have 250 acres on the south side of the Trading Path, crossing Muddy Run, for 130 pounds, witnessed by Garsham Hunt & John Blalock & proved by the latter in May 1774. (John Hunt through his attorney, Jonathan Hunt, let said Madrick have this on June 1 1773). It begins on the south side of the Trading Path at a post oak & goes south 50 chains to a hickory, east, crossing Muddy Run 42 chains to a black oak, north 7 chains & 50 links to a hickory, east 5 chains to a hickory, north 51 chains to a hickory on the south side of the Trading Path, then a straight line, crossing Muddy Run to the beginning.

Josiah, Thomas & Zadock Smith (Rich Fork of Abbotts Creek).

Book 15 page 304: Nov. 3 1797, William Dills--no wife signs--lets Josiah Smith (both of Rowan Co. N.C.), have 297 acres on both sides of Rich Fork of Abbotts Creek, beginning at a white oak & going north with the line of William Pierson 40 chains to a black oak on the line of --- Billingsley, west 40 chains to a hickory grub, south 35 chains to a post oak on the line of --- Ross, east 3 chains & 50 links to a hickory, south with the line of Ross 45 chains to a stake, then east 32 chains & 50 links to the beginning, for 172 pounds N.C. money, witnessed by James Hopkins & William Pierson & proved by the latter in Nov. court of 1797.

Book 23 page 833: Sept. 10 1815, Thomas Smith & Zadock Smith of Montgomery Co. Ohio--no wives sign--let Jacob Brummel of Rowan Co. N.C., have 304 acres on both sides of Rich Fork of Abbotts Creek (which their father, Josiah Smith, dc. bought of William Dills & it fell to them as sons of said deceased) beginning on the southwest corner of William Pierson at a heap of stones & going north 80 chains, crossing Rich Fork at 20---, to a black oak saplin, west 40 chains to a hickory grub, south 35 chains to a post oak saplin on the line of James Ross, east 3½ chains to a hickory grub, south 47 chains to a stake, then east to the beginning, for 600.00, witnessed by John Callaway & John Pierson & proved by the latter in Aug. court of 1816.

Smith

Tuesday Nov. 15 1814: Administration on the estate of deceased James Smith is granted to Adam Trotter as the widow relinquished, who gave bond of 50 pounds with William Williams as security.