

Hugh Guyon & others Trustees from L. J. Armon & Co Deed
 Whereas Elisha Banner in his lifetime executed a Deed to a lot in the Town
 of Mount Ayr in the State of North Carolina to Trustees for the use of the
 Methodist Episcopal Church South And Whereas said Deed was lost or
 destroyed And whereas Hugh Guyon and others Trustees filed their
 proceedings in the Superior Court of Lenoir County for the purpose of
 having the title to said lot or parcel of land executed to trustees as
 aforesaid And Whereas said Superior Court did at Fall Term 1868
 order a judgment and decree that the clerk of said Court should prepare
 execute and deliver to Hugh Guyon & others Trustees as aforesaid
 a good and sufficient Deed to said lot This indenture Therefore
 Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the premises and the further
 consideration of carrying into effect the orders of the Superior Court as
 aforesaid as well as in and for the consideration of one dollar to me in
 hand paid by the said Hugh Guyon & others Trustees as aforesaid the
 receipt whereof is hereby fully acknowledged I L. J. Armon clerk
 of the Superior Court so aforesaid have given, granted, bargained and
 sold and by those presents do give, grant, bargain and sell release
 confirm and convey unto them the said Hugh Guyon, J. F. Moore, Wm
 W. Banner, C. W. Lewis and J. M. Durham and their successors
 Trustees in trust for the uses and purposes hereinafter mentioned
 and declared all the estate right, title, interest, property claim
 and demand whatsoever which Elisha Banner had either in law
 or equity to a certain piece or parcel of land situate lying and
 being in the Town of Mount Ayr in the County and State aforesaid
 and bounded as follows being the lot in which the Methodist Epis-
 copal Church South edifice and graveyard stands adjoining
 the lots of John L. North, William Griffin, M. A. Esles, James Lowry
 and W. C. Fry containing four acres more or less together with all and
 singular the houses, roads, water ways, privileges and appurtenances
 thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining To have and to hold
 unto them the said Hugh Guyon, J. F. Moore, Wm W. Banner, C. W. Lewis
 and J. M. Durham and their successors in Office forever in trust
 for the uses of the members of the Methodist Episcopal Church South
 according to the rules and discipline which from time to time may
 be agreed upon and adopted by the members and preachers of
 the said Church at their General Conferences, and in further
 trust and confidence that they shall at all times forever
 hereafter permit such preachers & ministers belonging to the
 the said Church, as shall from time to time be duly by the General
 Conferences of the ministers and preachers of the said Methodist Epis-
 copal Church South, or by the Annual Conferences authorized
 by the said General Conference to preach and exhort

Hugh Guyon & others Trustees from L. J. Norman & Co Deed
 Whereas Elisha Banner in his lifetime executed a Deed to a lot in the Town
 of Mount Airy in the State of North Carolina to Trustees for the use of the
 Methodist Episcopal Church South And Whereas said Deed was lost or
 destroyed And whereas Hugh Guyon and others Trustees filed their
 proceedings in the Superior Court of Surry County for the purpose of
 having the title to said lot or parcel of land executed to trustees as
 aforesaid And Whereas said Superior Court did at Fall Term 1866
 order a judgment and decree that the clerk of said Court should prepare
 execute and deliver to Hugh Guyon & others Trustees as aforesaid
 a good and sufficient Deed to said lot This indenture Therefore
 Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the premises and the further
 consideration of carrying into effect the orders of the Superior Court as
 aforesaid as well as in and for the consideration of one dollar to me in
 hand paid by the said Hugh Guyon & others Trustees as aforesaid the
 receipt whereof is hereby fully acknowledged I L. J. Norman clerk
 of the Superior Court do aforesaid have given, granted, bargained and
 sold and by these presents do give, grant, bargain and sell release
 confirm and convey unto them the said Hugh Guyon, J. F. Moore, Wm
 W. Banner, C. W. Lewis and J. M. Durham and their successors
 Trustees in trust for the uses and purposes hereinafter mentioned
 and declared all the estate right, title, interest, property claim
 and demand whatsoever which Elisha Banner had either in law
 or equity to a certain piece or parcel of land situate lying and
 being in the Town of Mount Airy in the County of Surry State of North
 Carolina and bounded as follows being the lot on which the Methodist Epis-
 copal Church South edifice and graveyard stands adjoining
 the lots of John L. Worth, William Griffin, M. A. Esler, James Lewis
 and W. C. Fry containing four acres more or less together with all and
 singular the house and outhouses water ways, privileges and appurtenances
 thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining To have and to hold
 unto them the said Hugh Guyon, J. F. Moore, Wm W. Banner, C. W. Lewis
 and J. M. Durham and their successors in Office forever in trust
 for the uses of the members of the Methodist Episcopal Church South
 according to the rules and discipline which from time to time may
 be agreed upon and adopted by the members and preachers of
 the said church at their General Conferences, and in further
 trust and confidence that they shall at all times forever
 hereafter permit such preachers & ministers belonging to the
 the said church, as shall from time to time be duly by the General
 Conferences of the ministers and preachers of the said Methodist Epis-
 copal Church South, or by the Annual Conferences authorized
 by the said General Conference to preach and exhort