

our heirs, executors and administrators to warrant and forever defend all and singular the said land and premises unto the said George Brynes, his heirs and assigns, against ourselves and our heirs, and against every person whomsoever lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part thereof. As Witness our hands and seals this twenty third day of September one thousand Eight hundred and fifteen, N.B. this deed is designed to secure the right & titles of all that land added to the above George Brynes by a deed given by the said William Austin bearing date the 8<sup>th</sup> of June 1799. to the above mentioned premises

In Presence of  
Wm Brynes, Wm Gilbert J.  
William W. Austin Seal  
Walter C. Austin Seal

South Carolina Greenville District, appeared personally before me William Brynes and being duly sworn on oath, sayeth that he was present & saw Wm & Walter Austin sign and deliver the within deed of conveyance to George Brynes for the use and purpose within mentioned and also saw William Gilbert sign the same as a concurring witness with himself. Sworn to & subscribed before me this 2<sup>d</sup> day of February 1816

Recorded the 5<sup>th</sup> day of February 1816

State of South Carolina Greenville District, This Indenture made this 8<sup>th</sup> day of March 1810, between Benjamin Merritt of the one part and Lazarus Jones of the County and State aforesaid of the other part Witness that the said Benjamin Merritt for an in consideration of the sum of four hundred dollars to him in hand paid by the said Lazarus Jones have this day bargained sold released and conveyed and confirmed, and by these presents doth bargain sell unto the said Lazarus Jones himself his heirs executors administrators and the said Benjamin Merritt doth for himself his heirs executors administrators doth sell two hundred acres of land lying and being in the County and district of Greenville and State aforesaid, on the waters of Mill Creek joining land of Benjamin Merritt where he now lives & Thomas Nightover land and land laid off to Joseph Goodwin Together with all and singular the premises herein mentioned to the said Lazarus Jones himself and his heirs forever, from and against all in & every person lawfully claiming or to claim the same two hundred acres of land or any part thereof. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this day & year above written  
In Presence of Layne Sam<sup>l</sup> & Payne  
Benja. Merritt Seal

State of South Carolina Greenville District, Personally appeared Joseph Payne before me & duly made oath that he saw the within mentioned Benjamin Merritt sign seal acknowledge & deliver the within deed of conveyance unto the within mentioned Lazarus Jones as his act & deed for all the purposes therein mentioned and that at the same time he saw Sam Payne together with himself sign his name a subscribing witness to the same, Given this 9<sup>th</sup> day of in the year of our Lord 1816. Before me Robert Cook J.D.  
Recorded the 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1816