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aforsaid do send greeting wheras I the said W. J. Dacus by
Nathaniel Dacus sud. Joining with me in a note as security
in the sum of nine hundred & ninety five dollars payable the
27th of May next and if the sd. W. J. Dacus shall fail in paying
the above sum of nine hundred & ninety five dollars in order
to secure my property in the hands of S. N. Dacus sud. to pay the
above mentioned sum of nine hundred & ninety five dollars
Now know ye that I the sd. W. J. Dacus for the better securing
the payment of the said sum of nine hundred & ninety five dollars
to the S. N. Dacus sud. as above mentioned; have bargained &
sold & by these presents do bargain & sell and in plain & open
market deliver to the said S. Dacus sud. the following property
(to wit). One negro boy named canton on gray stud colt. To have
to hold all and singular the aforesaid property unto the S. N. Dacus
sud. his heirs, Exec^{rs}. Adm^{rs}. or assigns from provided nevertheless
that if the said W. J. Dacus his heirs, executors, or adm^{rs}. shall &
do well and truly pay or cause to be paid the above mentioned
sum of nine hundred & ninety five dollars then on according to the
true intent & meaning of the above sum of nine hundred and
ninety five dollars aforesaid of these presents then this deed of bargain
and sale & every clause article & thing therein contained cease
determine and be utterly void & of none effect any thing herein before
contained to the contrary thereof in any way notwithstanding and
is hereby declared by & between the said parties, and the S. N. D.
Dacus for himself Exec^{rs}. Adm^{rs}. and assigns doth covenant promise
and agree to and with the S. N. Dacus sud. his exec^{rs}. Adm^{rs}. or assigns
by these presents that if default should happen to be made or
in payment of the sd. sum of nine hundred & ninety five dollars
then as aforesaid according to the true intent and meaning of said
sum of nine hundred & ninety five dollars and these presents that
then and in such case it shall and may be lawful for the said
S. Dacus sud. his certain attorney his heirs, exec^{rs}. Adm^{rs}. or assigns or
agents from time to time and at all times hereafter peaceably and
quiet to enter into his or their possession and them to hold & detain
to his own proper use & behoof as his own proper goods & chattels from
thence forth & forever or the same to sell & dispose of at his will & pleasure
returning the surplus if any shall happen to remain after paying
the said sum of nine hundred & ninety five dollars aforesaid together
with the cost and charges attending the same to said W. J. Dacus his
certain attorney his heirs, exec^{rs}. Adm^{rs}. or assigns. In witness whereof I
have hereunto set my hand & seal this 19 day of November in the year
of our Lord 1819. and in the 43^d year of the Independence of America.
Signed sealed & delivered in presence of

Wm. J. Dacus
Matthew McBray Andrew McBray
South Carolina Greenville district, personally came Matthew
before me and made oath in due form of law and saith that he
J. Dacus sign & as his real act & deed deliver the within deed of