

of the Middle Fork of Saluda River then bounding and Butting in  
 Beginning on a white Oak thence with the original line to Thomas  
 Walkers corner thence with said Thomas line to a stake being Mary Wa-  
 lker, Corner thence with said Mary line to a stake on the original line  
 thence with the original line to the beginning. Together with all and singu-  
 lar the rights, number hereditaments & appurtenances to the said Premises  
 belonging or in any wise incident or appertaining to have and to  
 hold all & singular the Premises before mentioned unto the said  
 John Bates his heirs & assigns for ever and I do hereby bind myself  
 my heirs Executors administrators & assigns as also the heirs Executors  
 administrators & assigns of the said Benjamin Johnson whose  
 lawful attorney I am to warrant & for ever defend all and  
 singular the Premises before mentioned unto the said John Bates,  
 his heirs & assigns against myself & my heirs as also the heirs of the  
 said Benjamin Johnson & against every other person or  
 persons, Lawfully Claiming or to Claim the same or any part  
 thereof Given Under my hand and seal the 6<sup>th</sup> day of  
 December 1828. Signed sealed & delivered in presence of  
 W. D. Wallace, Joseph McJunkin, Aaron Johnson (Deaf)  
 State of South Carolina } Personally appeared before me one of the  
 Greenville District } subscribing Justice, Joseph McJunkin and  
 duly made oath that he saw Aaron Johnson sign and seal  
 & acknowledge the within to be his acting deed and that  
 Daniel Wallace was a subscribing witness with him given  
 Under my hand and seal this 9 day of March 1829.  
 Robert Cox J. D. } Joseph McJunkin  
 Recorded for the 17<sup>th</sup> March 1829. II

State of South Carolina } Know all men by these presents, that  
 Greenville District } We Thomas Stanford, Nimrod Stanford  
 & Jesse Stanford of the same district have granted, bargained and  
 sold unto Mr. Hillman of the State a here mentioned certain tract  
 of land containing by Estimation one hundred and ten acres more  
 or less beginning at a black Oak on the Ridge Road joining land  
 of Street Thurston's thence so to a postion in the old field near  
 Jesse Stanford's thence to the dividing line between Swift & Clayton  
 from thence so. W. to E. Dills line then running with said Dills line to  
 a stake corner on J. Roper's line at the head of the hollow thence with  
 said Roper's line to a black Oak over the beaver dam creek thence  
 forward to a black Oak Sapling on the ridge road thence  
 down said road with Thurston's line to the beginning it being  
 a part of a tract of land conveyed by Thomas Maxwell to us by