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South Carolina. To all to whom these presents shall come I David  
Henning Sheriff of Greenville District and State aforesaid send Greeting  
Whereas by virtue of sundry writs of fieri facias issued out of the  
Court of Common Pleas held for the Greenville District tested the ninth  
day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
and forty at the suit of Jehis Gibson and Co and others to me directed  
commanding me that of the goods and chattels lands and tenements  
of Joseph Powell to levy the sum of Five thousand six hundred dollars  
damages and costs I have seized and taken of the lands and tenements  
of the said Joseph Powell all that certain piece parcel and tract of  
land containing eight acres, situate and being in the District of  
Greenville, at the head Waters of Reddy River Beginning a black  
gum running thence to an ash thence to a sassafras thence to a chestnut  
thence to the Beginning corner being the same lands conveyed by S.  
Roberts to J. J. Gilbert and from Gilbert to the said Powell on Parris  
Mountain adjoining lands of S. Roberts, W. Rainey, and M. Roberts

And Whereas the said premises with their appurtenances since  
the seizure by me made by virtue of the said writs of fieri facias before  
mentioned have been exposed to sale at public vendue and purchased  
by Anderson W. Roberts of the district and State aforesaid for the sum of  
seventeen dollars being the highest sum that was bidden therefor

Now know ye that I David Henning Sheriff aforesaid by virtue  
of said writs of Fieri Facias aforesaid to me directed and delivered  
as aforesaid and by virtue of the Statute in such case made and  
provided and for and in consideration of the said sum of seventeen  
dollars to me in hand paid or secured to be paid by the said Anderson  
W. Roberts the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge have granted  
bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain  
and sell unto the said Anderson W. Roberts his heirs and assign-  
-ees for ever the said tract piece and parcel of land with its appurte-  
-nances and all the estate right title and interest which the  
said Joseph Powell of right had of in and to the same

To have and to hold the said piece parcel and tract of land with  
its appurtenances unto the said Anderson W. Roberts his heirs  
and assigns for ever as fully and absolutely as I the said David  
Henning shff. might could or ought to grant bargain and sell  
the same by virtue of the Statute aforesaid and the said writ of  
fieri facias or otherwise. In Witness whereof I the said David  
Henning have hereunto set my hand and seal the eighth day of  
January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
and forty signed sealed and delivered  
in the presence of

Elias J. Holcombe  
J. A. Collins

D. Henning Seal  
S. J. D.