

In testimony whereof I have hereunto signed my name  
and affixed my seal this 14<sup>th</sup> day of January 1863  
Signed Sealed & delivered in the presence of  
Waddy Thompson  
W.A. McDaniel  
Alex M Bee

South Carolina Appeared before me W.A. McDaniel  
Greenville District and makes oath that he saw  
Waddy Thompson, sign seal and acknowledge the within  
deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and  
that Alex M Bee together with himself in the presence  
of each other witnessed the due execution thereof  
Sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> January 1863

Robert McKay

W.A. McDaniel

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Recorded 16<sup>th</sup> Jan 1863

W. Mc Thomas & Co. Deed  
So For The State of South Carolina  
Ethel Holtzclaw Land This Indenture made the first day  
of September in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty two between  
William Mc Thomas Esquire Commissioner of the Honorable Court of  
Equity for Greenville District at Greenville Court House in the said  
State, of the One part and Ethel Holtzclaw of the other part, Minors  
Elizabeth Gibson on or about the twenty seventh day of March  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty one  
exhibited her Bill of Complaint in the Court of Equity at Greenville  
Court House in the said State against William J Gibson et als  
for the sale of certain lands and negroes in which she had a  
life estate under the will of Samuel Gibson deceased, and the  
cause being at issue before the Honorable Court came on to be heard  
at July Term in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
and sixty one when the said Court after full hearing thereof and mature  
deliberation in the premises did order adjudge and decree that the  
said land should be sold at Public Auction by the Commissioner of  
the said Court on the terms and for the purposes mentioned in their  
Decretal order as by reference thereto in the registry of the said Court  
will appear, and the said William Mc Thomas as Commissioner of the  
said Court after having duly advertised the said land for sale, by  
public outcry on the first of September in the year of our Lord  
one thousand eight hundred and sixty two did then openly and  
publicly, and according to the custom of Auctioneers sell and dispose  
of the said Land below described unto the said Ethel Holtzclaw  
for one thousand and fifteen dollars being, at that price the  
highest bidder for the same. Now therefore this Indenture  
witnesseth that the said William Mc Thomas as Commissioner of  
the said Court under and by virtue of, the said Decree and in  
consideration of the sum of Three Dollars paid him by the said Ethel  
Holtzclaw the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledge hath granted  
bargained sold and released and by these presents doth grant  
bargain sell and release unto the said Ethel Holtzclaw  
and his heirs and assigns all that tract or parcel of Land

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