

able to gather with all and singular the rights man-
 -ber hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises
 belonging or in anywise incident or appertaining, to
 have and to hold all and singular the premises before
 mentioned unto the said Otis P Mills his heirs and
 assigns forever. And I the said J. W. Rumbough, do
 hereby bind myself my heirs, Executors and admin-
 -istrators and Executors to warrant and defend all
 and singular the said premises unto the said Otis P
 Mills his heirs and assigns against me and my
 heirs and against every other person whomsoever claim-
 -ing or to claim the same or any part thereof. In
 witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal
 this fifth day of March in the year of our Lord and thousand
 eight hundred and sixty nine and in the ninth
 year of the Sovereignty and Independance of the United
 States of America signed sealed and delivered in the pres-
 -ence of

J. W. Rumbough
 Alexander Hill { Revises Stamp \$1.00

The State of South Carolina
 To J. S. Megginson and W. A. Blair of Madison
 County in the State of North Carolina. Know
 ye that in consideration of your integrity and skill full
 power is hereby given to you or any two or more of you
 to take probate of the execution of the deed hereunto an-
 -nexed from J. W. Rumbough to Otis P. Mills. For this
 purpose you shall cause one of the subscribing witnesses
 of the deed aforesaid, to appear before you and have
 my administrators to him (as you are hereby fully au-
 -thorized to do) an oath or solemn affirmation accord-
 -ing to the form of his religious persuasion that his aff-
 -idavit is true. you shall take under his hands an affi-
 -davit that he was personally present, and saw J. W. Rum-
 -bough sign seal and deliver the deed aforesaid
 for the uses and interests therein expressed and that
 he and the other subscribing witnesses signed their
 names thereto as witnesses of its due execution which
 affidavit authenticated under your hands and seal
 you shall annex to this writ. And also to take the com-
 -mission of Mrs. C. S. Rumbough the wife of J. W. Rumbough
 of Madison County in the State of North Carolina of her dower in
 the premises described in the deed hereunto annexed. For this purpose
 you will cause the said Mrs. C. S. Rumbough to appear before you
 and you will examine her privately and separately apart from all
 persons and if upon such examination she shall freely declare that
 she does freely voluntarily and without any compulsion dread or fear
 of any person or persons whomsoever renounce and forever
 relinquish to Otis P. Mills his heirs and assigns all her interest

and estate, and also all her right and claim of Dower of in and to
 all and singular the premises described and conveyed in the deed aforesaid then
 you shall take under the hand a certificate of her renunciation as aforesaid
 in the form of a declaration upon private examination as aforesaid which
 certificate authenticated under your hands and seals, you shall annex to
 this writ. And having certified under your hands and seals, the due exam-
 -ination of this writ, and perused the same by the oath of one of your
 before some justice of the Peace who is authorized by the laws of your
 State to administer an oath, and whose official signature may be prop-
 -erly authenticated, you shall carefully return this writ together
 with your proceedings thereon to the Clerk of the Court of Common
 Pleas and General Sessions for Greenville County in the State first
 aforesaid, to be duly recorded. Herin failed that

Witness William A. Blair Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas and
 General Sessions for Greenville County at Greenville Court House the 24
 day of February A.D. 1869 W. A. Blair (S)

The State of North Carolina J. F. Gorncuff one of the Subscribing
 Madison County Witnesses to the annexed deed from J. W.
 Rumbough to Otis P. Mills do solemnly swear that I was present
 and saw J. W. Rumbough sign seal and as his act and deed deliver
 the annexed deed to and for the use and purposes therein expressed
 and that Alexander Hill and myself subscribed our names thereto as witnesses
 of its due execution
 I F. Gorncuff
 sworn to and subscribed this fifth day of March A.D. 1869 before me
 Commissioner appointed by virtue of the annexed writ of dedimus potestatem

The State of North Carolina
 Madison County J. C. S. Rumbough the wife of J. W.
 Rumbough upon private and separate examination before J. S. Meggin-
 -son and W. A. Blair Commissioners appointed by virtue of the annexed
 writ of Dedimus Potestatem from the State of South Carolina freely
 declare that I do freely voluntarily and without any compulsion dread
 or fear of any person or persons whomsoever renounce release and forever
 relinquish unto Otis P. Mills his heirs and assigns all my interest and estate
 and also all my right and claim of Dower of in or to all and singular the
 premises described and conveyed in the deed hereunto annexed
 Witness my hand signed by my own hand Carrie S. Rumbough

We J. S. Megginson and W. A. Blair Commissioners appointed by the an-
 -nexed writ of Dedimus Potestatem from the State of South Carolina
 under the seal of the Court for Greenville County do hereby certify that
 Mrs. C. S. Rumbough the wife of J. W. Rumbough did this day appear
 before us having been by us privately and separately examined by us
 apart from all other persons did freely declare as appears above under
 her hands and did in our presence subscribe the foregoing declaration and
 renunciation in manner and form therein stated.
 Given under our hands and seals at the Warren Springs this fifth (5)
 day of March 1869 J. S. Megginson (S)
 W. A. Blair (S)