

to the clerk of the Circuit Court for Greenville County, in the State first aforesaid, to be duly recorded, heerein fails not. Witness W A McDaniel clerk of the Circuit Court for Greenville County, at Greenville, on the 6th day of Oct 1879
W A McDaniel
c c P

The State of Virginia } ss
Norfolk County City } I Ella H Thomas the wife of William D Thomas, upon private and separate examination before Charles Sharp and W G Elliott, Commissioners appointed by virtue of the annexed writ of Sedition 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 to Franklin Cox his heirs and assigns, all my interest and estate, and also all of my right and claim of dower, of in and to all and singular the premises described and conveyed in the deed aforesaid. Witness my name signed by my own hand, Oct 11th 1879
Ella H Thomas

We, Charles Sharp and W G Elliott, Commissioners appointed by the annexed writ of Sedition Potestatem from the State of South Carolina under the seal of the Court for Greenville County in the said State, do hereby certify that Ella H Thomas the wife William D Thomas, of Norfolk in the State of Virginia, did this day appear before us, and having been by us separately and privately examined, apart from all other persons, did freely declare, as appears above under her hand, and did, in our presence subscribe the foregoing declaration and relinquishment in manner and form therein stated.

Given under our hands and seals, at Norfolk this 11th day of Oct A.D. 1879
Charles Sharp
W G Elliott

The State of Virginia } ss
Norfolk County City } I A M Vaughan one of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed deed from William D Thomas to Franklin Cox, do solemnly swear, that I was present and saw the within named William D Thomas sign seal and as his act and deed, deliver the within deed, to and for the use and purposes therein expressed, and that John W Firrell and myself subscribed our names thereto as witnesses of its due execution
Charles Sharp } Commrs
W G Elliott } A M Vaughan

The State of Virginia } The execution of the within writ to Norfolk County, Va. is hereby certified to appear by the certificate

herewith appended, under our hands and seals

Charles Sharp
W G Elliott
Commrs

The State of Virginia }
Norfolk County City } I W G Elliott one of the Commissioners appointed by virtue of the annexed writ swear, that the commission contained in the said writ was duly executed, and that the execution appears in the annexed certificate, under the hands and seals of the Commissioners.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 15th day of Oct 1879
W E Foster
A Justice of the Peace for Norfolk City } W G Elliott
Commr

State of Virginia } ss
City of Norfolk } I W H Hunter clerk of the Corporation Court of the said City of Norfolk and State of Virginia, the same being a Court of Record, do hereby certify that W E Foster whose name is subscribed to the certificate of proof or acknowledgment of the annexed instrument, and thereon written, was at the time of taking such proof or acknowledgment a Justice of the Peace in and for said City of Norfolk, dwelling in said City, duly commissioned and qualified, and authorized under the laws of this Commonwealth to take the same, and I further certify that I am well acquainted with the handwriting of said W E Foster and verily believe the signature to said certificate is genuine.
In testimony whereof, I have herewith set my hand and affixed the seal of said Court, at my office this 15th day of October A.D. 1879, in the 104th year of the Commonwealth of Virginia
W H Hunter Clerk

The State of South Carolina
Know all men by these presents, that I William D Thomas of Norfolk County Virginia formerly of Greenville County in the State aforesaid, in consideration of the sum of Four thousand Five hundred Dollars to me in hand paid at and before the sealing of these presents, by Franklin Cox formerly of Greenville County in the State aforesaid (the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) have granted, bargained, sold and released, and by these presents do grant bargain, sell and release unto the said Franklin Cox all that piece parcel and lot of land, situate lying and being within the corporate limits of the City of Greenville in the County of Greenville and State aforesaid and bounded by North Street on the South, by Richardson Street on the West, by College Street on the North and by Laurens Street on the East being the same lot of land which was sold and conveyed to Mrs Hannah E Mauldin by R F Mauldin Executor of said