

State of South Carolina, (Release)
County of Greenville.
Pickens.

Whereas, Greenville Carolina Power Company, a corporation created under the laws of said State, did heretofore erect across Sa'luda River a dam thirty-nine (39) feet, more or less in height above low water; and Whereas said corporation proposes to raise said dam four (4) feet in height above the present dam as now maintained, which addition will cause the back water to cover a portion of the lands of the grantor, situate in the counties aforesaid: NOW, Therefore, I Mattie J. Earle, of the County and State aforesaid, for and in consideration of the sum of Five hundred dollars (\$500.) to me in hand paid by Greenville Carolina Power Company, (receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged) have granted, bargained, sold and released and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and release unto Greenville Carolina Power Company the right to erect and maintain the said addition to the said dam, provided, however that the same shall not exceed the height of four (4) feet above the dam as now erected and maintained by said corporation, and also the right to flood such portion of my lands as may be overflowed by said addition, in Greenville and Pickens Counties To have and to hold all and singular the said rights and premises before mentioned, unto Greenville Carolina Power Company, its successors and assigns.

And I do further release and discharge said Greenville Carolina Power Company from all damages which may accrue to me, or to any one claiming under me, by reason of the back water caused by said addition to said dam.

And I do hereby bind myself, my heirs, executors and administrators to warrant and forever defend all and singular the rights herein granted unto the Greenville Carolina Power Company, its successors and assigns, against me and my heirs and all persons lawfully claiming, or to claim the same or any part thereof.

Witness my hand and seal this 30th, day of December 1909.

Signed, sealed and delivered .

in the presence of:

T.W. Earle,

Mattie J. Earle (L.S.)

R.H. Earle,

State of South Carolina,
County of Greenville.

Personally appeared before me T.W. Earle who being duly sworn says that he saw Mattie J. Earle sign, seal and as her act and deed deliver the above written deed and that he with R.H. Earle witnessed the execution thereof.

Sworn to before me this 30th,
day of December 1909.

T.W. Earle



A. Henning, ~~Notary~~
Notary Public for S.C.

Recorded March 7th, 1910.