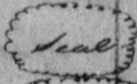
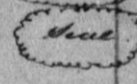


State of aforesaid, for and in consideration of the sum of Eight hundred and fifty dollars to me in hand paid by J. W. Hampton of the State of N. C. Rutherford County, hath granted bargained sold and Released and by these presents do grant, bargain sell and Release to the said J. W. Hampton all that tract or parcel of land being situated in the district and State of aforesaid on the wilde cat croke the waters of south tiger River Beginning in a Stake on Mrs. Cranes line thence West to a post set thence South to a Rock on the side of the hill thence South East to a Poplar in the branch thence up the meanders of the branch to the Spring then through the Spring a strait line till it intersect the branch thence up the same branch to the head thence a strait line to a black oak on the Widom Smith old line thence North East to the Beginning corner containing one hundred and twenty four acres more or less together with all and singular the Rights, members hereditaments and appurtenances there unto belonging to have and to hold all and singular the premises before mentioned unto the said J. W. Hampton his heirs and assigns and we do here by bond ourselves our heirs executors and administrators to warrant and fore ever defend all & singular the said premises to the said J. W. Hampton his heirs & assigns against ourselves heirs and assigns every other person or persons whatsoever claiming or to claim the same or any part thereof fore ever in witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seal this twenty first day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred & forty four in the Sixty Eighth year of Independence of the United States of America. Signed Sealed & delivered in the presence of

J. Few
J. Hampton, Jr.

J. A. Loftis. 
Elyza Loftis. 

South Carolina

Greenville District. I Personally came before me the subscribing Justice, J. Hampton, Jr. and made oath that he was present and saw P. M. Loftis and Elyza Loftis sign, seal and acknowledge the within Deed of conveyance to J. W. Hampton for the use and purposes in it mentioned and that J. Few was a subscribing witness with himself to the due execution of the same.

Done to and subscribed before me, this 19th day of April 1845.

Lewis H. Dickson M. J. D.

J. Hampton, Jr.

Recorded for 26th April, 1845, by R. M. May, c. k.
Original delivered to T. C. Prince.