

Thomas Steen do hereby certify the sum of two hundred and twenty nine dollars damages and costs of J. L. Southern, a former Sheriff of Greenville County of the State aforesaid, did seize and take of the lands and tenements of the said Thomas Steen, all that certain piece, parcel and tract of land containing forty acres more or less situate and being in the County of Greenville in the State aforesaid adjoining lands of W. C. Hudson, S. S. Crutchen and others and whereas the said premises with their appurtenances seized by the said J. L. Southern Sheriff by virtue of the said Execution were exposed to sale at public vendue and purchased by Francis Murphy of the County of Charleston in the State of South Carolina for the sum of three hundred and eighty dollars being the highest sum that was bid therefor. Now know ye that I Perry D. Gilreath, Sheriff aforesaid, by virtue of said Execution, devised and delivered as aforesaid, and by virtue of the Statute in such cases made and provided, and for and in consideration of the said sum of three hundred and eighty dollars paid to the said J. L. Southern Sheriff by the said Francis Murphy the receipt and payment whereof I do hereby acknowledge have granted bargained and sold, and by these presents do bargain, grant and sell unto the said Francis Murphy his heirs and assigns forever the said tract piece and parcel of land, with its appurtenances and all the estate, right title and interest which the said Thomas Steen of right had of, in and to the same; to have and to hold the said piece, parcel and tract of land, with its appurtenances unto the said Francis Murphy his heirs and assigns forever as fully and absolutely, as I the said Perry D. Gilreath could or ought to grant bargain and sell the same, by of the Statute aforesaid, and the said execution or otherwise.

In witness whereof I, the said Perry D. Gilreath, have hereunto set my hand and seal the twenty ninth day of November in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy eight.

Signed, sealed and delivered  
in the presence of  
J. D. Gilreath  
J. H. Taylor  
M. F. Ausel

Perry D. Gilreath  
S. G. K.

State of South Carolina }  
County of Greenville } Personally before me, S. J. Doulthit, Judge of Probate, came J. H. Taylor and made oath that he saw the within named Perry D. Gilreath, Sheriff of Greenville County sign seal and as his act and deed, deliver the within deed, and that he with J. D. Gilreath and M. F. Ausel witnessed the execution thereof.

Sworn to before me this 30<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. A.D. 1878.  
S. J. Doulthit  
P. J. C. J. H. Taylor  
Entered in Auditor's Office  
Recorded 4 Decr 1878

S. J. Doulthit P. J. C.  
Henrietta Shockley Deed

The State of South Carolina  
To all to whom these presents shall come or be made known, or whom the same may in anywise concern, I, S. J. Doulthit

Judge of Probate for the County of Greenville in the said State, send greeting; whereas John W. Richardson, on or about the fourth day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy eight did exhibit his Petition in the Court of Probate at Greenville Court House in the County of Greenville and State aforesaid against Mary Richardson, Andrew J. Richardson and others and the cause being at issue before the Honorable Court aforesaid, came on to be heard on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of July One thousand eight hundred and seventy eight when the said Court, after full hearing thereof and mature deliberation in the premises, did order, adjudge and decree, that the tract of land belonging to the Estate of John Richardson deceased hereinafter mentioned and described, should be sold at public auction, by the Probate Judge of Greenville County, on the terms, and for the purposes mentioned in the said decretal order, as by reference thereto, in the Registry of the said Court, will appear; and the said S. J. Doulthit Probate Judge of Greenville County, after having duly advertised the said tract of land for twenty one days for sale by public outcry, on the second day of December, in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and seventy eight did then openly and publicly, and according to the custom of auction, sell dispose of the said tract of land below described, unto Henrietta Shockley for fourteen hundred and fifty dollars she being at that price, the highest bidder for the same.

Now know all men, that I, the said S. J. Doulthit Judge of Probate of Greenville County, in consideration of the premises, and also in consideration of the sum of fourteen hundred and fifty dollars paid me by the said Henrietta Shockley the receipt whereof I hereby acknowledge have granted bargained sold and released and by these presents do grant bargain sell and release unto the said Henrietta Shockley and her heirs and assigns, all that tract of land situate lying and being in the County of Greenville and State aforesaid adjoining lands of J. J. Harrison Thomas Bennett and others, and containing two hundred and thirteen acres more or less known as tract No 1 Together with all and singular the rights members hereditaments and appurtenances whatsoever, to the said tract of land belonging, or in anywise appertaining, and the reversions and remainders rents issues and profits thereof; and also all the estate right title interest down possession property benefit claim and demand whatsoever, both at law and in equity, of the said John W. Richardson and of all the parties to the said suit, and of all other persons rightfully claiming, or to claim the same or any part thereof, by, from, or under them, or either of them, to have and to hold the said tract of land with its hereditaments, privileges and appurtenances unto the said Henrietta Shockley her heirs and assigns forever.

In witness whereof I, the said S. J. Doulthit Probate Judge of Greenville County, under and by virtue of the said Decree