

S A Lowmes C.E.D. Deed The State of South Carolina
 To For Greenville District
 H Lee Houston Lots This indenture made the fifth
 day of September in the year
 of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty three
 between Samuel A Lowmes Esquire Commissioner of the
 honorable court of Equity for Greenville District at Greenville
 Court House in the said State of the one part and Henry
 L Houston of the other part, Whereas George W Earle by
 his ^{next} friend George W Green did on or about the twenty sixth day
 of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
 dred and fifty three exhibit his bill of complaint in the
 court of Equity at Greenville Court House in the said State
 against Susan H Earle Elizabeth Earle Mary Earle Baylis
 Earle Drayton Earle Thomas Earle Joseph Earle and C W
 Stone Administrator & praying a partition of the real Estate
 of Elias Drayton Earle deceased, and the cause being
 at issue before the honorable court came on to be heard
 at July Term in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
 hundred and fifty three when the said court after full hearing
 thereof, and mature deliberation in the premises did order ad-
 judge and decree that the real estate of and belonging to the said
 Elias Drayton Earle deceased during his life time should be
 sold at public Auction by the Commissioners of the said Court
 on the terms and for the purposes mentioned in their decretal
 order, as by reference thereto in the registry of the said court
 will appear, and the said Samuel A Lowmes as Commissioner
 of the said Court after having duly advertised the said ~~Real~~
 Estate for sale, by public outcry on the fifth day of September
 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
 fifty three did then openly and publicly and according to the
 custom of Auctions sell and dispose of the said Tract Lot or parcel
 of Land below described unto the said Henry L Houston for
 the sum of Nine Hundred and fifteen Dollars he being at
 that price the highest bidder for the same. Now therefore this
 indenture witnesseth, that the said Samuel A Lowmes as Comm-
 issioner of the said Court under and by virtue of the said decree
 and in consideration of the sum of Nine Hundred and fifteen
 Dollars paid him by the said Henry L Houston to said Samuel
 A Lowmes C.E.D. as aforesaid the receipt whereof is hereby acknow-
 nledged hath granted bargained sold and released, and by these
 presents doth grant bargain sell and release unto the said
 Henry L Houston his heirs and assigns all those tracts, Lots or
 parcels of Land lying and being situate in the State and District
 aforesaid near the town of Greenville on the East Side of what
 is known as the Buncombe Road numbered on the plat of said
 Land made by order of the court of Equity for said District and
 filed with said Bill and other papers and proceedings
 having reference to the sale of said Real Estate as Lots Nos 8 & 10
 the said Lot No 8 having a front of 242 feet on the East Side
 of the said Buncombe Road and containing one acre and three