

to a Hickory 3+ thence S28 $\frac{1}{2}$ E31.50 to a Small Post oak 3+ thence N41 $\frac{3}{4}$ E.60 links to a Large black oak 3+3+3+ thence N67 $\frac{1}{4}$ E26.80 to a Stone 3+ thence N23 $\frac{1}{2}$ W78.06 to a Hickory 3+ thence N7830.06 to a Stone 3+ thence N20 E1.20 to a Stone 3+ thence N67 W3.50 to a Spanish oak 3+ thence N7 $\frac{1}{2}$ E2.20 to a Stone 3+ thence S83 $\frac{3}{4}$ W7.00 to a Stone 3+ thence N20 $\frac{1}{4}$ W2.25 to a Post oak 3+ thence N64 $\frac{1}{4}$ W8.90 to a chestnut 3+ dead, thence S72 W2.10 to the beginning Post oak containing Two hundred and Seventy one and one fourth acres more or less which is more fully represented by a plat of the same herunto annexed Together with all and singular the rights, members, hereditaments and appurtenances to the said premises belonging. To have and to hold all and singular the premises before mentioned unto the said William Bates his heirs and assigns forever, and I do hereby bind myself my heirs executors and administrators to warrant and forever defend, all and singular the said premises unto the said William Bates his heirs and assigns against me and my heirs and against every other person or persons whomsoever lawfully claiming or to claim the same or any part thereof = " Witness my hand and seal this day of in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Sixty three and in the eighty eighth year of the Independence of the State of South Carolina = Signed sealed & delivered in the presence of
 of W^d Threlkeld C of Elford Alexander Norton C^o

State of South Carolina } Personally appeared before me W^d Threlkeld
 Greenville District } and made oath that he saw Alexander Norton
 sign seal and deliver the within deed for the uses and purposes
 therein mentioned, and that C of Elford together with himself
 in the presence of each other witnessed the due execution thereof
 sworn to before me this the 7th day of Decr 1863

W^d A McAnair C of P W^d Threlkeld

The State of South Carolina } I W^d Threlkeld Notary Public Ex
 Greenville District } officio Magt for the State and
 District aforesaid do hereby certify unto all whom it may
 concern that Mrs Charlotta Norton the wife of the within named
 Alexander Norton did this day appear before me and upon
 being privately and seperately examined by me did declare that
 she does freely voluntarily and without any compulsion dread or
 fear of any person or persons whomsoever renounce release and
 forever relinquish unto the within named William Bates his
 heirs and assigns, all her interest and estate and also all
 her right and claim of dower of in or to all and singular
 the premises within mentioned and released
 Given under my hand and seal this 7th day of Decem ber 1863
 Charlotta Norton

W^d Threlkeld Notary Public
 Ex officio Mag

Recorded 28th January 1864