

John S. Ashmore,
South Carolina, Personally appeared John P.
Greenville County, Moon before me and made oath
that he saw John S. Ashmore sign seal and
affix his name to the within deed of conveyance to Lewis
R. Cox for purposes within mentioned also
W. A. Austin was a subscribing witness
to the same deed of conveyance, sworn to and
subscribed before me November the 28th 1874
W. A. Austin John P. Moon

Notary Public
South Carolina, I, W. A. Austin Notary Public
Greenville County, for said State and County do
hereby certify unto all to whom it may concern
Mary M. Ashmore the wife of the within named
John S. Ashmore did this day appear before
me twice being privately and separately
examined by me did declare that she does
freely and voluntarily and without any com-
pulsion stand or fear of any person or
persons whosoever renounce and forever
relinquish all claim of power of in and to
all and singular of the premises within
mentioned and released unto Lewis R. Cox his
heirs and assigns forever signed in my
presence and sealed with my seal this
November the 28th 1874

Seal W. A. Austin Mary M. Ashmore
Notary Public Entered in Auditors office
Recorded 23 December 1874

184 W. J. Shumate Assignee
The State of South Carolina
To Deed to all whom these presents
shall come or be made
known, or whom the same may in any wise
concern. I, W. J. Shumate Assignee of W. A. Towns
of Greenville in said State, Bankrupt send greeting;
whereas the said William Augustus Towns
was upon the 30th day of January A. D., 1874,
adjudged a Bankrupt, upon his petition, by
the District Court of the United States, for the
District of South Carolina; And whereas
the rest and residue of his Estate embracing the
lands hereinafter mentioned and contained
was by operation of Law vested in me the said
W. J. Shumate his duly appointed Assignee,
and whereas the said W. J. Shumate Assignee
as aforesaid in obedience to an order of sale to
me directed by the District Court of the United
States for the District of South Carolina did
upon the 6th day of April A. D. 1874 proceed

to sell at public auction the lands herein after mentioned
and conveyed, being a part of the estate of the said
W. A. Towns Bankrupt, which lands were duly
purchased by J. B. Elkin he being the highest bidder
at the said sale. Now therefore this indenture witnesseth,
that I, the said W. J. Shumate Assignee as
aforesaid, for and in consideration of the sum of
Three Hundred and Six Dollars to me in hand paid
the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have
granted has granted sold and released, and by
these presents do grant, bargain, sell and release
unto the said J. B. Elkin all and singular my right
title, interest and estate, of, in and to all that cer-
tain piece parcel and tract of land lying situate
and being in the County of Greenville and State
aforesaid containing thirty six Acres (more or
less) beginning on a Stone 3x in White Horse
Road and running thence N 72 1/4 E 22.50 to a stone
3x thence N 02 1/2 E 25.70 to a stone 3x thence S 44 1/4
W 17.1 to a Bend in the Casly Bridge Road thence
N 28 3/4 W 80.4 to a Bend in said Road thence S 8
W 18.96 to the beginning corner in White Horse Road
adjoining lands of G. H. Towns Lot No 10 W. L. Maul-
din and the Homestead tract and known in the
Survey made by W. D. Threlkeld Deputy Surveyor
as tract No 9. Together with all and singular the
rights, members, hereditaments and appurtenances
whatsoever, to the said Real estate belonging, or
in any wise incident or appertaining and the rever-
sions and remainders, rents, issues and profits
thereof, and also the estate, right, title, interest, do-
wer, possession, property, claim and demand
whatsoever, both at law and in equity, of the said
W. A. Towns and of all other persons rightfully
claiming or to claim the same or any part ther-
of, so far as Assignee I have the right to do.
To have and to hold the said tract of land with its
hereditaments, privileges and appurtenances
unto the said J. B. Elkin his heirs and assigns
and to his and their own proper use, benefit and
behalf forever. In witness whereof I the said
W. J. Shumate Assignee as aforesaid have here-
unto set my hand and seal this 6th day of April
in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred
and Seventy four and of the Sovereignty and indep-
endence of the United States the 98th. The erased
on first page 12th line was made before the exec-
ution of this Deed
Signed sealed and delivered
in the presence of W. J. Shumate
J. B. Elkin