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J. A. Jones to E. J. L.	C. J.	The State of South Carolina
to W. Rhodes 423	S. J.	Greenwell District
	S. J.	This Indenture made the sixth

day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five between Samuel A. Jones Esquire Commissioner of the Honorable Court of Equity for the State of South Carolina in the said State of the one part and David V. Rhodes of the other part Whereas the said D. V. Rhodes on or about the 30th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five exhibited his Bill of complaint in the Court of Equity at Greenwell District in the said State against Carl's Heirs Wm. Hodge's Massena Taylor and others praying among other matters that the Commissioner of the said Court should execute good and sufficient title to a certain tract of land hereinafter to be described in behalf of the heirs at law of John W. Hodge deceased &c. 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 five when the said Court after full hearing thereof and mature deliberation in the premises did order Adjudge and decree that the said Commissioner should execute said title to the said David V. Rhodes.

Now Sheweth This Indenture Witnesseth that Samuel A. Jones as Commissioner of the said Court and by virtue of the said Decree and in consideration of the sum of five dollars paid him by the said David V. Rhodes the receipt whereof is truly acknowledged hath granted bargained sold and Released and by this presents doth Grant bargain sell and Release unto the said David V. Rhodes his heirs and assigns all that Tract or parcel of land known and described as follows by a survey of the same made by W. C. Harkin D. S. 27th August 1854 to wit Beginning upon a Branch thence with conditional line to Lewis tree on Branch