

The State of South Carolina J. L. Donaldson Magistrate do  
 Greenville District I hereby certify unto all whom it may  
 concern that Mrs Eliza G Howard the wife of the within named  
 Walter Howard 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 Thomas M Cox  
 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 29<sup>th</sup> day of August 1863

J. L. Donaldson M. G. J.

Eliza G Howard

Recorded 2<sup>d</sup> Sept 1863

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 To  
 Wm M Thomas  
 E N Coleman

Deed	For	The State of South Carolina
Land		This indenture made the fourth

day of May in the year of our  
 Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty three between  
 William M Thomas Esquire Commissioner of the honorable  
 Court of Equity for Greenville District at Greenville Court  
 House in the said State of the one part, and Elisha Coleman  
 of the other part, Whereas Georgia Surpin on or about  
 the Twenty third day of March in the year of our Lord  
 one thousand eight hundred and sixty three exhibited her  
 bill of complaint in the Court of Equity at Greenville Court  
 House in the said State against Anna M Surpin and  
 others for the partition of the lands of J. M. A Surpin  
 deceased, and the cause being at issue before the Honorable  
 Court came on to be heard at Chambers in the year of our  
 Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty three when the  
 said Court after full hearing thereof and mature deliberation  
 in the premises did order adjudge and decree that said Land  
 should be sold at Public Auction by the Commissioner 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 William M Thomas as Commissioner of the  
 said Court after having duly advertised the said Land for sale  
 by public outcry on the fourth day of May in the year of our  
 Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty three did then openly  
 & publicly and according to the custom of auctions sell and dispose of the said  
 Land below described unto the said Elisha Coleman for Thirteen  
 hundred and thirty five dollars being at that price the highest  
 bidder for the same. Now therefore this Indenture witnesseth  
 that the said William M Thomas as Commissioner of the said Court  
 under and by virtue of the said Decree and in consideration of the  
 sum of Three Dollars paid him by the said Elisha Coleman the  
 receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath granted  
 bargain sold and released and by these presents doth  
 grant bargain sell and release unto the said Elisha Coleman