

South Carolina } Personally came James Bell of  
 Greenville District } Simson County & State of Kentucky  
 and made oath in due form of Law and saith  
 that a certain note of hand that this deponent had  
 in his possession on Messrs Bates formerly of the district  
 and state aforesaid for the sum of one hundred  
 dollars or thereabouts the exact amount I do not  
 recollect which note I have either lost or misplaced. Said  
 note so that I can not produce the same and that  
 the said note has never been paid or any part  
 thereof to the best of my knowledge, and that the  
 said note of hand was given in payment of a  
 piece of land which land I have sold to William  
 Bates and received payment for the same further  
 this deponent saith not sworn to before me this 27  
 day of September 1823.

J. H. Goodlett C. C. J. D. } James Bell -  
 # Recorded for the 27 September 1823 #

The State of South Carolina Greenville District <sup>115</sup>  
 Know all men by these presents that I James Bell of the  
 of the State of Kentucky and County of Simson for the  
 Consideration of one hundred and forty six dollars to  
 me in hand paid by William Bates of the District and State  
 aforesaid have granted sold and released and by these pres-  
 ents do grant bargain sell and release unto the said William Bates  
 a certain piece parcel or tract of land being and lying in the  
 District of Greenville and State aforesaid on the waters of Salu-  
 day River Beginning on a white oak corner of land laid out for  
 George Tubbs on a branch of Saluda River thence South  
 27 & three quarters of degrees west 35 ch. 50 links to a pine thence  
 South 59 degrees East ch. to a black gum thence No. 27 & three  
 quarters degrees E. to Bell and George Tubbs original line  
 thence with said line to the beginning containing by estima-  
 tion one hundred acres of Land more or less it being land  
 originally granted to John or James Tubbs. Together with  
 all and singular the rights members hereditaments and  
 appurtenances to the said premises belonging or in anywise  
 appertaining to have and to hold all and singular the  
 before mentioned premises belonging or in anywise in-  
 -cident or appertaining from me and my Executors