

State South Carolina Greenville District. Know all men by these presents that I Larkin Thompson of the State of Tennessee and Carter County do bargain and sell unto Jacob Belw of Greenville District and State aforesaid and by these presents do bargain and sell a certain tract or parcel of Land in State and district aforesaid unto the said Jacob Belw for and in consideration of six hundred dollars to me in hand paid by the said Jacob Belw the Receipt whereof is fully acknowledged and I the said Larkin Thompson have granted, bargained and sold unto the said Jacob Belw part of three surveys granted to Absalom Thompson and conveyed from him to me and my Brother Seth Thompson which I now sell by giving a bond to the said Belw against the said Seth Thompson for the said performance done by me this day the said Land conveyed by me to the said Belw is on both sides of Tryon River called the Middle Tryon, Beginning on a Chestnut Oak near a large Rock on the little Mountain running thence S 0 48 N. 36. to a Hickory thence E 25 ch. to a Hickory thence S 2 4 N. to a light wood knot thence S 0 35 ch. across the Branch to a white Oak thence S 0 58 E. 24 ch. to a red oak thence N 30 E 22 ch. to a red oak thence N 20 E 18 chain to a rock near the Creek opposite to mouth of a Branch known by the name middle branch branch thence up the various meanders of said branch and with its directions to the beginning by Estimation to contain two hundred and fifty acres or the same more or less it being part of three surveys granted to Absalom Thompson and from him but claim to his two ~~children~~ Nephews, Larkin and Seth Thompson for sundry good offices and good will and now from the said Larkin Thompson to the Jacob Belw for the above consideration to him his heirs and assigns forever To Have and to Hold the before mentioned premises and all and singular the Rights titles members Hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging or in any wise appertaining to the same I do hereby bind myself my heirs Executors Admrs and every of them firmly by these presents do warrant and forever defend and the same unto the said Jacob Belw to him and his heirs and assigns against myself my heirs and against every person or persons claiming any part or parcel thereof Lawfully in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & Seal this twenty fifth day of February one thousand eight hundred and twenty three signed sealed