

lands or tenements of the said Henry Bliss and to take the said mule Bed Bedding Plow Stock & plows chain & Kitchen furniture into his custody and possession, and the same to hold and detain to his own use and behoof as his own proper goods and chattels from henceforth and forever or the same to sell and to dispose of at will and pleasure, returning the overplus if any should happen to be after paying the said sum of Fifty dollars & Interest unto the said Clarinda McCullough her executors administrators and assigns.

In witness whereof we the said Henry Bliss and Laurens Lenhardt have hereunto set our hands and seals this 23rd day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand and eight hundred and sixty one and of the Sovereignty and Independence of the State of South Carolina the 85th

signed sealed and delivered in the presence of
 J S McDaniel Henry Bliss *Ex. D.*

The State of South Carolina *3* Personally appeared before Greenville District *3* me J S McDaniel and made oath that he saw the within named Henry Bliss & Laurens Lenhardt sign seal and as their act and deed deliver the within written Deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned. Sworn before me this 20th day of May 1861
 W A McDaniel C. C. P. O. J S McDaniel
 Recorded for the 25th May 1861 Deed to

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Joel Gibson To G H Townes	Mortgage Personal Property	State of South Carolina Greenville District
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In consideration of the sum of the sum of Money advanced to me by G H Townes & John A Townes now amounting to nineteen Dollars & the promise on their part to furnish me some additional amount I Joel Gibson do hereby sell assign & convey to the said G H Townes & John A Townes One dark Bay horse. One horse wagon One black Cow One Buggy Crop planter & all provender nevertheless that whereas the said Joel Gibson shall pay back to the said G H Townes & John A Townes the sum of money already advanced by them and the additional sums to be advanced hereafter from time to time between this & the first day of September next then the above conveyance to be void & cease otherwise the said G H Townes & John A Townes shall have the right to sell the said property & pay themselves & the surplus if any to be returned to ~~the~~, the Woods & crop planted by me instant before signing.

Witness my hand and seal this the 20th day of April 1861 Witness

James M Benson *3*

Joel Gibson *Ex. D.*