

of the
Claiming
called J. H. Shumate
Begins
et cetera

On
the
said

State of South Carolina
Granville District

Witness all men by these presents that
I the Shumate of the State and District aforesaid in consideration of
more on the sum of six hundred dollars to me in hand paid by B. Estes and
A. Kirby of the same place. Have Granted. Bargained sold and
conveyed and by these presents do grant. Bargain, sell and release unto
to whom B. Estes & A. Kirby aforesaid that plantation or tract of land cont
200 acres Two hundred and fifty acres (more or less) situate and lying
in the District and State aforesaid on the waters of Horse Creek
beginning on a Red oak 3x and running Thence N 27° W 14° 25'
branch N White oak 3x Thence N 53° 6.450 to a Stake 3x Thence N 75°
E 34 to a Post oak 3x Thence S 17° E 13.70 to a Stake 3x Thence
S 73° E 35 to a Red oak 3x bounded by J. C. Sullivan, Thence
N 9° W 9.45 to a Pine stump 3x Thence S 18° E 9.90 to a Hickory 3x
Thence S 41° E 26 to a Red oak 3x bounded by A. B. Smith, Thence N 76°
E 15.50 to the beginning bounded by Robert Scott

And together with all and singular the rights, number,
and appurtenances to the same belonging or in
anywise incident or appertaining

To have and to hold all and singular
the said premises unto the said B. Estes & A. Kirby their heirs
and assigns forever. And I do hereby bind myself my heirs
and executors and administrators to warrant and forever defend all
and singular the said premises unto the said B. Estes and A.
Kirby their heirs and assigns against myself and my heirs and
against every other person whatsoever lawfully claiming or to claim
the same or any part thereof.

Witness my hand and seal this the first day of
September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
and fifty four
Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of R. E. Gaines & W. J. Shumate

Sworn to and subscribed before me W. J. Shumate
W. J. Shumate
This 1st September 1854 Harry Smith, W. J. Shumate

State of South Carolina I, Harry Smith, the wife of the magistrate
of Granville District do certify unto all whom
it may concern That Mary Shumate the wife of the aforesaid W. J. Shumate
did this day appear before me and upon being privately and
separately examined by me did declare that she does freely voluntarily