

in hand paid by Joseph and William Barton each of the
 State and district aforesaid, the receipt whereof is hereby
 acknowledged, HAVE granted bargain sold released
 and by these presents do grant bargain sell release con-
 firm and convey unto the said Joseph and William
 Barton all that Plantation tract or parcel of land contain-
 ing Fifteen acres more or less, Situate lying & being
 in the State and district aforesaid, on both sides of the
 Sink hole fork of Tiger River, beginning on a Post Oak
 Corner North of said tract or parcel of land, and running
 thence East nine chains fifty links, to a White Oak;
 Thence South ten degrees West Sixteen chains, to a
 dead Oak, thence South forty degrees West nine chains,
 to a Burnt, and from thence to the beginning Corner.
 It being the North West Corner of a certain tract of
 land granted to Edmund Bearden and conveyed from
 Bearden to Maj. John Gowen, and from Gowen bequeathed
 to his son Winn B Gowen. Together with all and
 singular the rights members hereditaments & appur-
 tenances to the said premises belonging or in any wise
 Incident or appertaining: To have and to hold all &
 singular the premises before mentioned, unto the
 said Joseph and William Barton their heirs & assigns
 forever. And I do hereby bind myself my heirs
 Executors and Administrators to Warrant & forever
 defend all and singular the said premises unto
 the said Joseph and William Barton their heirs &
 assigns against myself my heirs, and against every
 other person or persons whomsoever lawfully claiming
 or to claim the same or any part thereof - Witness
 my hand and Seal this fourth day of December in the
 Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & Sixteen.
 Signed Sealed & delivered in the presence of us.

John Goodlett John Gowen Winn B. Gowen

State of South Carolina Greenville District. Personally
 came before me the subscribing Justice John Gowen