

and made oath that he was present and did see Absalom Hyde sign seal and as his act and deed deliver the within deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and E. M. Keith with himself witnessed the same sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th Sept. 1844.

Before W. L. Keith C.C.

W. J. Gantt.

State of South Carolina } I W. L. Keith Clerk of the Court of the District aforesaid
Pickens District } do hereby certify unto all whom it may concern that
Mary Hyde the wife of the within named Absalom Hyde did this day appear before me and upon being by me privately and separately examined did declare that she does freely voluntarily and without any compulsion dread or fear of any person or persons whomsoever renounce release and forever relinquish unto the within named John Calhoun his heirs and assigns forever all her interest and Estate & also all her right and claim of Dower of in or to all and singular the premises within mentioned and released

Mary Hyde Seal

Given under my hand and seal this twenty sixth day of September Anno Domini 1844

W. L. Keith Seal C.C. & Co. Secy

William McDow

Deed of Gift of Negro Girl

To

State of South Carolina

Matilda McDow

Pickens District.

Know all men by these presents that I William McDow of the State and District aforesaid for and in consideration of the natural love and affection which I bear to Matilda McDow my Daughter, have given and granted, and by these presents do give and grant unto the said Matilda McDow her Executors Administrators and assigns a Negro Girl called Jinny to have and to hold the said Girl unto her the said Matilda McDow her Executors Administrators and assigns forever and I the said William McDow for myself my heirs Executors and Administrators, do warrant the said Girl unto the said Matilda McDow her Executors Administrators and assigns against the claim of me the said William McDow my Executors and Administrators and of every other person whomsoever lawfully claiming the same. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this second day of Sept. 1844.

William McDow Seal

Signed Sealed and delivered in presence of

P. Alexander W. M. Morton

South Carolina } Before me personally appeared P. Alexander and made oath
Pickens District } that he was present and did see W. McDow sign seal and deliver the within deed of Gift for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and W. M. Morton with himself witnessed the same, Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27th Sept 1844

P. Alexander

W. L. Keith C.C.

Recorded the 27th day of September 1844 and examined by

W. L. Keith C.C. & R.M.C.

Pickens District

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William Hunt

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W. L. Keith C.C.
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