

was a subscribing witness with himself. Sworn to before me this 6th April 1843.

Wm C. Lee J.D.

J. D. Verner

Recorded the 8th day of April 1843 and examined by Col. S. Keel C.C.S.R.M.C.

John Verner

To

David D. Verner & others Heirs

South Carolina, I John Verner of the State and District aforesaid Pickens District, being feeble and weak in body through age and infirmity, have seen fit to dispose of my passable property in the manner and form following; that is to say, to my son David D. Verner I give my Negro man Nelson and his Clara, and to my Daughter Rebecca Verner I give my Negro woman Maria her two Children Rhoda & Martha and my Negro boy Tom - And to my son Samuel J. Verner I give my Negro woman Delsa and her last child Rose - And to my son Samuel H. Verner I give my Negro boy Frank and Negro girl Phoeby - And to my son Ebenezer P. Verner I give my Negro boy Jo, and also all my interest or claim to the Store that is situated on the lot of land that I give him the said E. P. Verner - And to my Daughter Anna Maria Verner I give my Negro woman Mary and her boy child Sam. which is hereby intended to be exclusively her own, and if she should die without issue the said property is to be divided amongst her Brothers and Sisters, Reserving to myself and my wife Rebecca, three Negroes (to wit) Jack, Nancy and Leah - and if my wife should survive me she is hereby authorised to dispose of the girl Leah as she may think best. And further in regard of my stock of all kinds, Plantation tools, and carriages, Household and kitchen furniture excepting one bed and a furniture and a few other articles, that might be useful also two or three cows & calves - I do hereby give to my unmarried children to be divided amongst them with that liberality and discretion that has heretofore been exercised amongst them. In witness hereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 19th day of January in the year of our Lord 1843. and in the 67th of the Independence of America.

John Verner *Seal*

Martin Garrison, John O'Green

South Carolina, This day personally appeared before me Martin Garrison and Pickens District made oath that he saw John Verner sign seal and deliver the within deed of gift for the use and purpose therein mentioned and that John O'Green was a subscribing witness with himself. Sworn to before me this 19th day of January 1843.

Wm C. Lee J.D.

Martin Garrison

Recorded the 6th day of April 1843 and examined by Col. S. Keel C.C.S.R.M.C.

Nathaniel Merrill

To

Temperance Lee Maden

South Carolina, I know all men by these presents that I, Nathaniel Merrill of the State and District aforesaid for and in consideration of the natural good will love and affection I have and do bear towards my beloved Daughter Temperance Lee Maden of the same State and District aforesaid and for other causes now moving thereunto, have given and granted and by these presents do give grant and release unto the said Temperance Lee Maden and her bodily Heirs all that piece parcel or tract of land containing Seventy five, and a half Acre, situate in Pickens District and State aforesaid, on the branch of Twelve miles River it being part of a tract of land originally granted to Robert Anderson 1st of January 1787. It being the same land I purchased from Simon Martin, reference being had to the deed will now fully shew the boundaries of said land. Together with all and singular the rights, members hereditaments, and appurtenances to the said premises, belonging or in any wise appertaining. To have and to hold all and singular the