

R R Sheppard
Clerk
S H Blake

To whom these presents shall come greeting.
Whereas at a Sale of Lands by W J Williams Collector of Revenue of the County of Santa Rosa at public outcry at the Court House in the Town of Wilton and in the County of Santa Rosa on the 3rd Day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and seventy nine for the year One thousand Eight hundred and seventy eight and which remained unpaid on the Day of such sale together with the Costs and Charges due thereon the following described piece or parcel of Land to wit: all of the tract known as the Antonio Garcia Grant in Section twenty (20) Township one (1) South of Range twenty seven (27) West containing four hundred and five acres in the County of Santa Rosa State of Florida was sold to S H Blake who was the best bidder therefore for the sum of fifteen Dollars and thirty Eight Cents which such sum was the whole amount of Taxes due and unpaid on said tract of Land for the year aforesaid together with the Interest and Costs due thereon and the Charge of such sale and has been paid by the said S H Blake to the said W J Williams Collector of Revenue aforesaid. Now therefore know all men by these presents that the State of Florida in Consideration of the sum of Money aforesaid and the premises and in Conformity with oath and oath hereby grant and Convey the tract of Land above described together with the appurtenances to the said S H Blake and to his heirs and assigns to their sole use and benefit forever

In testimony whereof R R Sheppard Clerk of the Circuit Court of Santa Rosa County have executed this deed pursuant to law and for and on behalf of said State and have hereto subscribed my name officially and affixed the seal of the Circuit Court of said County of Santa Rosa at the Clerk's office in the said County of Santa Rosa this 31st Day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand Eight hundred and eighty Done in presence of
C R Johnston }
H A C Benbow }
R R Sheppard
Clerk of the Circuit Court

Recorded this 12th day of April 20 1880
R R Sheppard
Clerk

Noah Hopkins
S H Blake
Henry Bay
to whom this
deed was
conveyed w
as by a
that the same
is settled as per
the July 25th 1880
Henry Bay
M H

one day after date I promise to pay S H Blake in order the sum of two hundred Dollars (\$200) value received. And for the better security of the payment of the sum I hereby give a lien on all logs I have and Cole put in water at Buffalo for Buffalo Mills also a lien on Thirteen head Cattle running on Escambia River above Buffalo Mills marked staple Fork in right Ear and Crop and split in left Ear four of said Cattle branded with the remainder nine head Cattle unbranded also a lien on Eleven head sheep marked staple Fork in right Ear and Crop & split in left Ear also one log Cart known as the J D Campbell Cart three yoke Oxen one of known as J D Campbell's one of known as Frank Penton's one of known as Malcom Campbell's of the remaining three Oxen marked staple Fork in right Ear and Crop and split in left Ear branded with the above Oxen and Cart are the ones I

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