

Copy certified,
by Henry Johnson

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10th November
1838

Know all men by these presents, that I Thomas J. Mulledy
of George Town District of Columbia, have bargained and sold, and by
these presents do bargain, sell and deliver unto Henry Johnson, of the Pa-
rish of St. James, State of Louisiana, Fifty six negroes, to wit; Betty
Dorsey 30 years of age, Bernard 15, Lucinda 13, Anne Jones 26, Arnold 9,
Louisa 6, Emilene Brown 13, Amanda 10, Elizabeth 8, Billy 6, Harriet
Eagline 6, Adeline Campbell 28, Maria 9 months of age, Martha 11, Gin-
ny 6, Catherine 50, Sally 60, Yo. Greenleaf 60, Easter 60, Greenfield 26,
Sylvester 22, Emeline 17, Milly 14, Mary 12, Lucinda 10, Ferdinand
Hill 21, Harriet 17, Biby Plowden 50, Charlotte 23, July Anne 23, Pe-
mus 18, Joseph 11, Elizabeth 8, Ritter 15, Nelly black cook 30, Nelly 17,
Lucrecia Hill 17, Susan Plowden 18, Priscilla 8, Kitty Hawkins 28,
Elias 1½, Austin 7, Isaac 4, John Brown 35, Frissie West 7, Harriet 21 5,
William 18, Thos. Riley 18, James Blair 14, Henry Johnson 10, Kate Harris 33,
Nancy Lee 50, Tom Dorsey 50, Nelly Garrison 50, John 6, & George Henry 2.—

And I do warrant the said Negroes to be slaves for life, and the right
and title thereof, I do guaranty unto him the said Henry Johnson, his
heirs and assigns for ever, free from the claim or claims of all persons whom-
soever.

This sale is made for and in consideration of the sum of twenty
seven thousand and fifty seven dollars, for which sum the said Henry
Johnson has given his five promisory notes, to wit:— Each note for the sum
of nine thousand dollars, payable at George Town College, District of Colum-
bia with six per cent per annum interest from the date thereof till paid,
the interest to be paid annually in the month of March at the said Col-
lege, and dated on the tenth of November, one thousand eight hundred and
thirty eight in favor of Jesse Bates and indorsed by him, payable as
follows: one in the month of March one thousand eight hundred and
forty five, indorsed, I do hereby bind myself as security for the payment
of the within note Jos. Johnson. One in all the month of March, one
thousand eight hundred and forty six, indorsed also by Jos. Johnson,
in like manner, as security. One in all the month of March, one
thousand eight hundred and forty seven, indorsed by Jos. Johnson, in
like manner as security; one in all the month of March one thousand
eight hundred and forty eight, indorsed by Jos. Johnson, in like manner

as security: and one in all the month of March one thousand eight hundred and forty nine, indorsed by H. Johnson in like manner, as security.

But it is understood that a deduction of three thousand five hundred and eighty eight dollars and sixty cents is to be made from each of the said notes, leaving a balance on each of five thousand four hundred and eleven dollars and forty cents, to be applied to the payment of the said slaves.

Now, therefore to secure the payment of the said notes, I Henry Johnson, do hereby mortgage and hypothecate the said fifty six negroes herein before named, together with their natural increase. And for the purpose of securing more effectually the payment of the said notes, I do also mortgage and hypothecate to the said Thomas J. Mulledy, a certain tract or parcel of lands situate and fronting on the west side of Bayou Marinquin, in the Parish of Iberville, State of Louisiana, containing twelve hundred and forty five superficial acres, more or less, being the same I purchased from A. M. Thibodaux, and adjoining the lands of Jesse Beatty below, and those of Perry above.

And it is distinctly agreed and understood, that this act is to be carried into effect according to the laws of Louisiana

In testimony whereof, the parties to these presents have hereunto subscribed their names, at the City of Washington, this tenth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & thirty eight in the presence of Wm. C. Sherry and George Fenwick subscribing witnesses.

Witnesses
Wm. C. Sherry
George Fenwick.

Thomas J. Mulledy
H. Johnson

The foregoing is a true copy of the original act, which I promise to cause to be recorded in the office of the Parish Judge of Iberville, and returned to T. H. Mulledy.

W. B. Thompson

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Sale of 56 Negroes
Nov. 10 1838

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Jesse Batey
Nov. 10 1839

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Know all men by these presents, that I Thomas F. Mulledy, of Georgetown, District of Columbia, have bargained and sold, and by these presents do bargain and sell and deliver unto Jesse Batey, of the Parish of Terre-bonne, State of Louisiana, sixty four negroes, to wit: - Nace Butler 50 years of age, Biby 45 & her infant, Caroline 16, Basil 14, Martha Anne 12, Anne 10, Gabe 9, Biby 8, Henry 7, Tom 5, Mary 3, John Lewis 18 months, Gustin 9, Rose 8⁺, Phil. Merrick 55, Nelly 53, Lewis 12, Nilly Barney 55, Kitty Walton 53, Eliza Butler 19, & her infant, Mary Ellen 17, Bennet 45, Clare 42, James 21, Christiana 18, Ellen or Eleanor 15, Alexius 13, Lucy Anne 11, Dina 8, Peg 6, Gerard 24, Rose Anne 24, Bill Hill 29, Peter 51, Betsy Hill 55, Len. Queen 50, Anny 51, Charles 1, Nance 8, Eliza 10, Mary Anne Digges 18, Sam Harris 25, Betsy 25, Sam (her son) 1, Ellen 4, Martha 2, Ned Harris 5, Patrick Hawking 35, Letty 30, Martha (her infant) 1, Cornelius 13, Frances 12, Susan 10, Gabriel 8, Peter 5, Jackson 3, Elizabeth 1, Bernard Butler 38, Augustine West 35, Adel 9, George Harris 65, Kitty 50, Sarah 10, and Oswald 5. - And I do warrant the said negroes to be slaves for life, and the right & title thereof, I do guaranty unto him the said Jesse Batey, his heirs and assigns for ever, free from the claim or claims of all persons whomsoever. -

This sale is made for & in consideration of the sum of twenty seven thousand & fifty ~~50~~ dollars, for which sum the said Jesse Batey has given his five promissory notes, to wit: - Each note for the sum of nine thousand dollars payable at Georgetown College, District of Columbia and with six per cent interest from the date hereof till

paid, the interest to be paid annually in the month of March, at the said College, and dated on the tenth of November one thousand eight hundred & thirty eight in favor of Henry Johnson & indorsed by him, payable as follows: - one in all the month of March one thousand eight hundred & forty five & thus indorsed, "I do hereby bind myself as security for the payment of the within note. H. M. Thibodaux." - One in all the month of March one thousand eight hundred & forty six, indorsed by Miles Taylor, in like manner, as security; one in all the month of March one thousand eight hundred & forty seven, indorsed by Henry B. Thibodaux, in like manner, as security; one in all the month of March one thousand, eight hundred & forty eight, indorsed by L. Baras, in like manner, as security; and the other in the month of ~~March~~ one thousand eight hundred & forty nine, indorsed by Lemuel Tanner, in like manner, as security: - But it is well understood, that a credit of three thousand five hundred & ~~Eighty~~ ^{Eight} dollars and ~~sixty~~ cents, is indorsed upon each of the said notes, leaving a balance thereon of five thousand four hundred & ~~Eleven~~ ^{Eight} dollars ~~Four~~ cents to be applied to the payment of the said slaves. - Now therefore to secure the payment of the said notes, I Henry Johnson, of the Parish of St James, State of Louisiana, do by virtue of a power of attorney, executed for that purpose by the said Jesse Batey on the twenty eighth day of September one thousand eight hundred & thirty eight before Lenfroy Baras, Judge of the Parish of Terre-bonne, a copy of which is hereto annexed, mortgage & hypothecate the said sixty four slaves hereinbefore named, together with their natural increase; and I do, also, by virtue of the said power of attorney, mortgage & hypothecate unto the said Thomas F. Mulledy, for the purpose of

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securing more effectually the payment of the said notes, a certain tract or parcel of lands, situate and fronting on each side of the Bayou Maringoin, in the Parish of Iberville, State of Louisiana, containing thirteen hundred and ninety superficial acres, more or less, adjoining the lands of Henry Johnson above. — And it is further agreed & understood that this act is to be carried into effect according to the Laws of the State of Louisiana.

In testimony whereof the parties to these presents have hereunto subscribed their names, at the city of Washington, this tenth day of November one thousand eight hundred & thirty eight in presence of William McSherry & George Fenwick subscribing witnesses. —

It is understood that the corrections made in the 16th line of the first page, by inserting the words "fifty seven" and in the 28th line the words "eighty eight", and in the 29th line of same page by inserting the words "Eleven & forty", were made before the signing of these presents. —

Witnesses -
Wm Mc Sherry -
George Fenwick

Thomas F. Mulledy
H. J. Johnson, agent for
Jeppe Matay. —

State of Louisiana
John DUNNOR, parson pose in and for the Parish of Terrebonne
do hereby certify that the foregoing instrument of writing our Mortgage
was on the fourth day of June in the year eighteen hundred and thirty
nine recorded and inscribed in my office in record book designated T
et 24 twenty four.

In testimony whereof I have here unto set my
hand & public seal the eighth day of June
A.D. 1839.

John Dunnor
Judge



copy certified
by Henry Johnson
29th November
1838.
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Know all men by these presents, that I Thomas F. Mulledy, of Georgetown, District of Columbia, have bargained & sold, & by these presents do bargain, sell & deliver unto Henry Johnson, of the Parish of St. James, State of Louisiana, the following negroes, now on different plantations, towit: - At St. Ingoes. - Henny, a negro woman 28 years of age, Regis, a man 28, Joseph 22, Harry 40, Gabe 28, Louisa 23, Regis 28, Peter 37, Michael 33, Ginny 19, Leke 32, Nathan 64, James 60, Alexius 36, Harry 75, and Ann 70. - At New-Town - Sarah 48, John 31, Abraham 27, Mary 23, Dick 27, Stephen 49, Mary 59 & Harry 65. - At St. Thomas'. - Charles 75, Ginny 65, Henny 30, Ginny 13, Matilda 30, Frances 10, Girl 6, Girl 4, Girl 18 months, (Children of Matilda) Mary 55, Mary 65, John Butler 35, Len Sweden 57, John Coyle 22, Margaret 26, her daughter 4, Celestia 30, Louisa 20, Cissa 32, Girl 10, Boy 8, Girl 4, Boy 18 months, (Children of Cissa) Stephen 60, (lame), Teresa 70, & Daniel 70. - At White Marsh. Isaac 65, Nelly 38, Henny 13, Cecilia 8, Ruthy 6, Sally 65, Billy 40, Joseph 40, Kitty 22, Mary 6, Sam 4, Elizabeth 1, Polly 60, Sally 50, Robert (Idiot) 12, Minty 26, Nancy 5, Mary 2, Charles or Jarris 60, James 50, Eliza 26, Reverdy 7, Noble 5, Edward 3, Richard 38, William (Idiot) 42, Margery 60, Maria 26, Len (sickly) 38, Maria 5, William 2, Henny 8, & Charles 40 & William 2 - making 84 in all: it being understood that the said slaves are now on the different plantations, as before stated and that the said H. Johnson agrees to receive them there, and considers them as actually delivered. It is understood, however, that the said negroes are to remain on the said plantations until it shall be convenient for the said H. Johnson to remove them, it being his intention to ship them to Louisiana within the course of a few months, & that every facility is to be afforded him by the Managers on the said places in accomplishing the object. - And I do warrant the said negroes to be slaves for life, and the right & title thereto, I do warrant & defend unto him the said Henry Johnson, his heirs & assigns forever, free from the claim or claims of all persons whomsoever. -

This sale is made for and in consideration of the sum of twenty nine thousand one hundred & sixty three dollars, for which sum the said H. Johnson has given his five promissory notes, towit: - Each note for the sum of two thousand two hundred and forty four dollars, and dated on the twenty-ninth of November, one thousand eight hundred & thirty eight, in favor of Thomas F. Mulledy, payable one in the month of March, one thousand eight hundred & forty five; one in the month of March one thousand eight hundred & forty six; one in the month of March one thousand eight hundred & forty seven; one in the month of March one thousand eight hundred & forty eight; and the

other in the month of March one thousand eight hundred & forty nine, at George Town College, District of Columbia, the said notes bearing six per cent interest from the date thereof till paid, which interest is to be paid annually, in the month of March, at the said College. But it is well understood, that the sum of seventeen thousand nine hundred & forty three dollars is included in five certain promissory notes drawn by Henry Johnson in favor of Jesse Batey, and indorsed by said Batey; and, also, by Jos. Johnson, as security, dated on the tenth of November one thousand eight hundred & thirty eight, for nine thousand dollars each, and payable at the times & place, as are the five notes hereinbefore described; and it is understood, that the sum of three thousand five hundred & eighty eight dollars, & sixty cents, was deducted from each of the said notes of nine thousand dollars, in conformity to an act passed between the parties to these presents, dated at the City of Washington November the tenth, one thousand eight hundred & thirty eight, and that in consequence of this act, the said notes of nine thousand dollars are to remain in full force for the whole amount expressed therein, without the least deduction therefrom.

Now, therefore, to secure the payment of the said five notes of two thousand two hundred and forty four dollars each, I Henry Johnson do mortgage & hypothecate the said eighty four negroes hereinbefore described. — And for the purpose of securing more effectually the payment of the said last-mentioned notes, as well as those of nine thousand dollars, I Henry Johnson, do, also, mortgage and hypothecate to the said Thomas F. Milledy, a certain tract or parcel of land, situate in the Parish of Point Coupee, State of Louisiana, on each side of the Bayou Jordache, being the same I purchased from H. M. Thibodaux, containing nine hundred and seventy nine superficial acres, (more or less.) —

It is further agreed & understood, that this act is to be carried into effect according to the laws of the State of Louisiana. —

In testimony whereof, the parties to these presents, have hereunto subscribed their names, at the City of Washington, this twenty ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred & thirty eight, in the presence of William McSherry & George Fenwick subscribing witnesses. —

Witnesses
Wm Mc Sherry
George Fenwick.

Thomas F. Milledy
H. Johnson

The foregoing is a true copy of the original which I promise to cause to be recorded in the Parochial Justice's office at Point Coupee, Louisiana, & returned to T. F. Milledy.

H. Johnson

Set of 84 Negatives
Nov 29 1888

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