

South Carolina : Know all men by these presents, that I, James Hunter of the District and state aforesaid for and in considera-
Laurens District : tion of the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars to me paid, by a certain negro man called Dublin, about
: twenty two years of age, black complexion, and about five feet two inches high, have emancipated and set
: free, and by these presents do manumit, emancipate and set free the said negro Dublin to all intents and pur-
: poses and I request every person to treat him according and I do bind myself, my heirs, Executors, or adminis-
: trators to warrant and forever defend his freedom to the said negro Dublin from myself, my heirs and assigns
: and every other person whomsoever. In witness thereof I have herewith set my hand and seal this 4th day of
: January in the year of our Lord, One thousand eight hundred and nineteen signed sealed and acknowledged in
: presence of
: Jas. Hunter

Sophia Lewens :
S.B. Lewens : We hereby certify, upon the examination of James Hunter (on oath) the owner of a certain slave named
: Dublin, in the above deed described satisfactory proof has been given to us that the said slave is not of bad
: character and is capable of gaining a livelihood by honest means. Jan 4th, 1819

South Carolina : Before me personally appeared Samuel B. Lewens who being sworn saith that he
Laurens District : was present and did see the within named James Hunter sign seal and heard him
: acknowledge the within as his act and deed for the purpose therein mentioned
: and that Sophia Laurens with himself were witnesses to the due execution of the
: said. Sworn to and subscribed before me on the 10th January 1819.

S.B. Lewens

January 1819
John Garlington

Free holders
: Chas. Allen P-----
: Collyar Barksdale
: his
: Thomas X Hearis
: mark
: M Smith
: Edward Hise
: S.B. Lewens

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