

Record of Deeds @ November 1843

This article of agreement made and entered into the fourth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty three between Anneth Parish, of the County of Jackson and State of Missouri of the first part and Thomas Pitches John Stewart and William Parish of the County and State aforesaid of the second part Witnesseth, that the said Anneth Parish, being the widow and relict of William Parish deceased is entitled to dower in the land and slaves of said William Parish deceased and in consideration that the said Thomas Pitches John Stewart and William Parish, will support the said Anneth Parish during life she hereby relinquishes releases sells & conveys forever to the said Thomas Pitches John Stewart and William Parish all the right title and interest which she has in and to the slaves belonging to said Estate and also relinquishes her dower right to the Real estate belonging to said deceased and the said Thomas Pitches John Stewart and William Parish in consideration ^{slaves are in consideration of such sales of} of such relinquishment of dower as aforesaid hereby bind themselves their heirs and assigns jointly and severally to support and maintain the said Anneth Parish during her natural life and to furnish her with such necessaries as her condition from time to time may require It is further understood however that the said Anneth Parish is always to live with one or the other of the parties aforesaid or her inclination may dictate

In testimony whereof the said Anneth Parish and the said Thomas Pitches John Stewart and William Parish, have hereunto set their hands and seals this day and year first above written

Attest
J G Smart

Anneth Parish *(Signature)*
Thomas Pitches *(Signature)*
John + Stewart *(Signature)*
Wm Parish *(Signature)*

State of Missouri

County of Jackson This day personally appeared before the undersigned a Justice of the peace within and for the County of Jackson and State of Missouri Anneth Parish, whose name appears to the foregoing instrument of writing and acknowledged the same to be her act and deed for the uses and purposes therein mentioned

Given under my hand this fourth day of November A.D. 1843
J G Smart J.P.

State of Missouri

County of Jackson I Samuel J Lucas clerk of the Circuit Court and Ex-officio Recorder within and for the County aforesaid do certify that the foregoing article of agreement from Anneth Parish, to Thomas Pitches John Stewart and William Parish, was deposited and duly recorded in office on the 4th day of November A.D. 1843 in Book I page 235 and following

In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand affix the seal of said Court at office in Independence this 4th day of November A.D. 1843