

State of South Carolina To the Honourable the Members of the Senate
District of Newberry of the State aforesaid

The humble petition of John Markert Patrick Martin Alexander
Martin and John Martin of the District and State aforesaid

Sheweth that they by their petition did on the third day of November instant to the
Honourable the Court of Common Pleas for the District aforesaid pray
the said Court to admit them the said John Markert Patrick Martin
Alexander Martin and John Martin to become Citizens of the United
States of America. And that upon the said Court being satisfied as to their
admissibility they were declared to be duly admitted Citizens aforesaid
And your petitioners further shew to your Honour that they were at the
time of their being admitted Citizens as aforesaid, and still are possessed
of a quantity of Land lying and being in the District aforesaid

viz. the said John Markert One Hundred Acre, Conveyed to him by James
Schellum. Sixty three and a half Acre, Conveyed to him by John Hayworth
Fifty Acre, Conveyed to him by Frederick Birtz. Thirty Acre, Conveyed to him
by Nathaniel Hayworth. One Hundred Acre, also Conveyed to him by Joshua
Inman. all of which have been duly recorded in the Register office for
Newberry District reference being thereunto had may more fully appear

and the said Alexander Martin One Hundred and twenty and a half Acre
more or less, Conveyed to him by Benjamin Johnston which has been duly
recorded in the Register office for the District aforesaid, reference being
had may more fully appear And the said Patrick Martin One Hundred
and twenty Acre of Land bequeathed to his wife by her father George Straight
previous to marriage. Fifty Acre of Land Conveyed by Thomas Bauskil to him

One Hundred and four Acre, Conveyed to him by Edward Fink all duly record-
ed in the Register office for Newberry District also twenty eight Acre, granted to him
by his Excellency Paul Hamilton the 17th day of October 1754 also thirty Acre, Conveyed
to him by James Caldwell And the said John Martin two Hundred Acre, also
Conveyed to him by Edward Fink & duly recorded in the Register office for New-
berry District reference being had may more fully appear

And your
petitioners pray that as they were absent at the time of Conveying the said Land
to them that your Honourable House will take their Case into Consideration
and pass an Act confirming their several Title to the above Land in them
and your petitioners will ever pray And so forth

John Markert
Patrick Martin
Alexander Martin
John Martin