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Stephen, Clerk, March. Sudy. Hercules Binah Paul, Justice of  
Cambridge and July. and also to a certain interest or share in that Lot  
of Land situate in the Town of forgettown, and known in the Plan of  
the said Town by the N<sup>o</sup> 27 Number twenty seven with the privilege  
ground thereto belonging, And whereas it has been agreed between the  
parties to these presents that the said Negro and other Slaves, and the  
interest of the said Hannah Wilson in or to the aforesaid Lot of Land  
shall be granted, bargained, sold, released and let over unto the said  
Stephen Ford, In Trust to and for the uses and purposes hereinafter  
expressed of and concerning the same: It is therefore witnessed by this  
Indenture that in pursuance of the foregoing agreement in consid-  
eration of the said intended marriage, And also in consideration of  
Five dollars to the said Hannah Wilson by the said Stephen Ford  
in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged by the said  
Hannah Wilson; she the said Hannah Wilson hath granted, bargained,  
sold and released, and by these presents doth grant bargain sell  
and release; and in due form of Law deliver unto the said Stephen  
Ford his Executors and Administrators for ever the aforesaid Negro  
and other Slaves with the future issue and increase of such of  
them as are females and also all the interest in or title of the said  
Hannah Wilson to the aforesaid Lot of Land together with all and  
singular the rights tenements, Acciditaments, thereto belonging or in any  
wise appertaining. In Trust Nevertheless for the use and benefit  
of the said Hannah Wilson until the said marriage shall be solemnized  
and from and immediately thereafter In trust for the use benefit and advantage  
of the said Stephen C Ford and Hannah Wilson during their joint lives.  
the said Stephen C Ford taking and receiving to his own use the profits  
product interest rent and hire, and from and immediately after the death  
of either the said Stephen C Ford or the said Hannah Wilson, then In trust  
for the survivor during his or her natural life, and from and immediately  
after the death of such survivor In trust for such children of the marriage  
as shall then be living and the issue of such child or children of the marriage  
as may be dead at the time of the decease of such survivor or dead and shall  
alike, such issue taking only as much as his her or their Father or Mother  
would have taken if surviving. But in case it should occur that at the  
time of the decease of such survivor there are living no issue of the  
marriage then the trust and confidence hereby expressed in the said  
Stephen Ford shall cease and all and singular the premises shall

go to and be divided amongst the proper Heirs of the said Hannah Wilson to be the property of them and their Heirs Executors Administrators and assigns forever And further it is hereby agreed by and between all the said parties to these presents that in case the said Stephen C Ford and Hannah Wilson or the survivors of them shall be disposed to sell and alienate the whole or any part of the premises aforesaid they or such survivor shall have the power so to do, to and with the consent of the said Stephen Ford his Executors or Administrators and to make good and sufficient titles therefor it being however the agreement and understanding of all of the parties aforesaid that the proceeds of any such Sale or Sales shall be invested in other property which property shall be received in the same manner and made Subject to the same Trusts and Limitations as aforesaid hereinbefore appointed and directed of and concerning the premises already described with a like power in the same manner to again sell and convey the same and reinvest the proceeds as often as may be In Witness whereof the parties to these presents have hereunto set their Hands and Seals the day and year first aforesaid -

Stephen Ford Es.  
 Hannah Wilson Es.  
 Stephen Ford Es.

Samuel D. Cuttino

South Carolina } Lybrand of Walker being duly sworn made oath that  
 he was present and saw Stephen C Ford, Hannah  
 Wilson and Stephen Ford, sign seal and deliver the foregoing  
 Instrument of writing for the purposes therein mentioned and that he  
 together with Samuel D. Cuttino witnessed the same - Lybrand & Walker  
 sworn to before on the 24<sup>th</sup> February 1826. Isaac Cain D. W. & N. P.

- Recorded 27<sup>th</sup> February 1826 -

State of South Carolina Whereas Henry W. Seronmeau of Charleston in  
 said State, hath paid to me the sum of Eleven hundred and fifty four  
 dollars and sixty six cents the receipt whereof I hereby acknowledge as the  
 purchase money for one undivided sixth part of all my share of certain  
 plantation or tract of Land situated on the Island of St Helena in  
 the said State, and late the property of the trust estate of my late Mother  
 Mary Coffin which said share I became entitled to as one of the Heirs  
 of my said Mother the same being one undivided seventh part of  
 the whole of the said Plantation, and whereas it is the wish of the said  
 of the said Henry W. Seronmeau to settle the said sixth part of my

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said Share to for and upon the same uses trusts intents and purposes  
as are expressed and contained in and by a certain Mortgage Bond  
given by the said Henry W. Peonneau to me the said Thomas A. Coffin  
dated the fifth day of March One thousand Eight hundred and twenty  
and recorded in the Office of the Secretary of the said State in Book of  
Miscellaneous Records 0000 page 385 and also in the Office of  
the Register of Messrs Conveyance for Charleston District of said State  
in Book 2 No 8 page 309. And whereas the necessary papers to effect  
the intents of the said Henry W. Peonneau are not yet draughted and paper  
to be executed. Now therefore know all men that I Thomas Astor  
Coffin of St Helena Island of aforesaid Planters do hereby covenant  
promise grant and agree to and with the said Henry W. Peonneau his  
Heirs and assigns that I the said Thomas Astor Coffin and my Heirs  
and assigns for and in consideration of the premises shall and shall  
at any time hereafter upon the reasonable request and at the  
proper cost and charges of the said Henry W. Peonneau his Heirs  
and assigns make do and create or cause to be made done and  
executed all such acts deeds and conveyances as may be necessary  
to carry the above recited intentions fully into effect, and to convey the  
said Property to such person or persons his Heir or their Heirs and  
assigns forever. In trust to and for the uses and purposes aforesaid  
as the said Henry W. Peonneau his Heirs or assigns may appoint to act as  
Trustee for the same. It being understood by and between the parties to  
this agreement that as the said sum of money paid by the said Henry  
W. Peonneau as aforesaid was a surplus of the profits of a trust property  
devoted to the maintenance of the family of the said Henry W. Peonneau  
but not liable to his debts or contracts so the said property for which the  
said sum is to be considered as the purchased money its incomes profits  
are not to be liable to his debts or contracts. And I the said Thomas  
Astor Coffin for myself my Heirs and assigns do further covenant to  
and with the said Henry W. Peonneau his Heirs and assigns that  
until the final disposition of the said Property is made according  
to the above recited intentions of the said Parties. I the said Thomas  
Astor Coffin my Heirs and assigns will stand seized and possess of the  
said Property to for and upon the several uses trusts intents and  
purposes above recited. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my  
hand and Seal this first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand  
and Eight hundred and twenty six - Thomas Astor Coffin

Sealed and delivered in the presence of - E. Laffan - G. D. Thornholms -  
 State of South Carolina } Personally appeared before me G. D. Thornholms  
 - Charleston District and made Oath that he saw Thomas & Coffin  
 sign, seal and as his act and deed deliver this instrument of writing to and  
 for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that he with E. Laffan  
 witness the execution thereof. Subscribed before me this 1<sup>st</sup> of March  
 1828. My Comm. No. 126 - Recorded 1<sup>st</sup> March 1828 -

The State of South Carolina } This Indenture Tripartite made on  
 the 28<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
 hundred and twenty six. Between the Reverend Edward Thomas  
 of the first part, Miss Jane M. Gaillard of the second part and  
 Thomas Hunt and John Gaillard Junr. all of Charleston in the  
 said State of the third part. Whereas a Marriage is intended to be  
 solemnly had and solemnized between the said Rev<sup>d</sup> Edward Thomas  
 and Miss Jane M. Gaillard. And whereas the said Jane M.  
 Gaillard is possessed in her own Right of the property hereinafter  
 particularized consisting of Negro Slaves, and Shares in the Fire  
 and Marine Insurance Company. And upon the treaty of the said  
 intended Marriage it was agreed that the said property should  
 be settled upon the trusts and to and for the intents and purposes  
 hereinafter mentioned expressed and declared of and concerning the  
 said Jane M. Gaillard. And in consideration of the  
 said intended Marriage and to the intent that the said Negro Slaves  
 and Stock may be secured, and the wages and dividends of the  
 same applied upon the trusts and to and for the uses intents and  
 purposes hereinafter mentioned and expressed, and in consideration  
 of one dollar the said Jane M. Gaillard, in Hand paid by the said  
 Thomas Hunt and John Gaillard Junr. Esquires at and before  
 the sealing and delivery of the said presents the best receipt  
 whereof is hereby acknowledged the the said Jane M. Gaillard  
 hath granted, conveyed, sold confirmed assigned and transferred  
 And by these presents doth Grant, convey sell confirm assign  
 transfer and deliver unto the said Thomas Hunt and John Gaillard  
 Junr. the following Negro Slaves viz Harriet, her children Nancy, Betty  
 Mary, Sharon, Bess and Richard, and the two children of Nancy named Katey  
 and an Infant. Also fourteen Shares in the Capital Stock of the Fire Marine  
 Insurance Company in Charleston aforesaid, the Certificate whereof is in the  
 name of the said Jane M. Gaillard To Have and To hold all and

singular the said Slaves, together with the future issue and Increase  
of the females of them and also the said fourteen Shares in the said  
Insurance Company unto the said Thomas Hunt and John Gaillard Junr.  
and the survivor of them his Executors, Administrators and Assigns Substitutes  
for the said Jane M Gaillard her Executors, Administrators and Assigns  
until the solemnization of the said intended Marriage and from and  
immediately the solemnization thereof Then In Trust to permit & suffer  
the said Reverend Edward Thomas and Sand M Gaillard during the  
term of their joint lives, to have receive and take to their own proper  
use and behoof all the wages dividends interest and other profits  
which shall accrue arise or be made by or from the said Slaves and Stock  
and from and after the decease of the said Sand M Gaillard should  
she die first then in Trust for such person or persons and to such uses  
and purposes, and in such manner as the said Jane M. by her last  
Will and Testament in writing which she is hereby fully authorized  
and empowered to make notwithstanding her coverture in as ample a  
manner manner as if she were a feme sole shall limit direct or appoint  
the same and in default of such limitation direction and appointment  
then In Trust and to and for the sole use benefit and behoof of the  
said Reverend Edward Thomas surviving her for and during the  
Term of his natural life and from and after his death then in Trust  
for such relations and Next of Kin of the said Sand M Gaillard as  
should by Law be entitled to inherit from her but should the said  
Sand M Gaillard survive the said Edward Thomas then in Trust  
to and for her sole and separate use. And in further Trust to convey  
the same property to her, her heirs Executors, Administrators and  
assigns; Provided always and it is agreed and declared by and  
between all the said Parties to these presents, that in case the said  
Sand M Gaillard shall be minded or desirous to have the said Slaves  
and Stock or any part thereof sold and the proceeds arising by  
sale thereof invested in any other property Real or Personal or both  
and shall signify her mind or desire by writing under hand to the said  
Thomas Hunt and John Gaillard Junr. the said Trustees, or to either  
of them that then the said Trustees or either of them shall accordingly  
sell & dispose of the same or any part thereof and invest  
pay out or dispose of the money or proceeds arising by sale  
thereof in such other property Real or Personal or both as the  
said Jane M. may by writing under hand from time to time direct

and appoint, which said other property shall be conveyed, settled and assured, and be held by the said Justices so and in such manner as that the same with the income, interest, dividends, wages, rents and profits thereof may remain, continue and be applied, and be disposed of, to for and upon the said trusts, uses, intents and purposes as the slaves and stock and the wages and dividends of the same are hereinbefore directed, limited or appointed, to go, be applied and disposed of, and that in all respects according to the true intent and meaning of these presents  
 In Witness whereof the said Parties have hereunto set their hands and seals, the day and year first above written —

Edward Thomas (S) James M. Gaillard (S) —

Thomas Hunt (S) John Gaillard Junr (S)

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of Jane Marshall & William Lane —

I do personally appeared before me William Vance who being duly sworn, saith that he was present and saw Edward Thomas, James M. Gaillard, Thomas Hunt, and John Gaillard Jr. severally sign, seal, and as their act and deed,

deliver the foregoing instrument of writing for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that he, together with Jane Marshall subscribed their names as witnesses to the due execution of the same  
 Given to before me this 11<sup>th</sup> March 1836 W. Vance Not Pub —

— Recorded 11<sup>th</sup> March 1836 —

The State of South Carolina, This Indenture of four parts made this twenty fifth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six (Between Margaret Harleston Corbett of the first part, Frederick Laurens of the second part, Thomas Corbett (the father of the said Margaret) of the third part, and William Read, and John Ball Laurens of the fourth part) Witnesses Whereas Margaret Harleston Corbett as the daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth Corbett who was the daughter of John and Elizabeth Harleston, is entitled under the respective Wills of her Grand Father the late John Harleston and her Grandmother the late Elizabeth Harleston And also under a Deed of Marriage Settlement duly made and executed between the said Thomas and Elizabeth Corbett to a certain undivided part or portions of Real or Personal property in common with the other children or issue of the said Elizabeth

corbett as by reference to the said Wills and Marriage Settlement  
will more fully appear all which Real and Personal Estate is  
particularly described and set forth in compliance with the  
directions of the act of Assembly in the Schedule hereunto annexed  
as part of this present Deed. And Whereas a Marriage is intended  
by Gods permission to be shortly had and solemnized Between the  
said Margaret Harleston Corbett with the approbation consent  
of the said Thomas Corbett her Father Testified by his being a  
party to and sealing and delivering these presents and the said  
Frederick Laurens, and upon the Treaty of the said intended  
marriage it was agreed that the part or portion, parts or portions  
of the Real and Personal Estates derived as aforesaid, and in the  
annexed Schedule set forth should be conveyed and assigned  
to the said William Read and John Ball Laurens the parties of  
the fourth part. In trust for the uses and purposes hereinafter  
more particularly expressed in relation thereto. Now therefore for  
effectuating the above agreement, and in consideration of the said  
intended Marriage, and also for and in consideration of the sum  
of one Dollar to the said Margaret Harleston Corbett by the said  
William Read and John Ball Laurens the parties of the fourth  
part well and truly paid, the said Margaret Harleston Corbett  
by and with the approbation of the said Thomas Corbett testified  
by his being a party to and sealing and delivering these presents  
hath granted bargained sold and released and by these presents  
doth grant bargain sell and release unto the said William Read  
and John Ball Laurens the parties of the fourth part all her  
undivided part or parts, Shares or shares in the Real and Personal  
Estate set forth in the annexed Schedule to which she shall  
or may be entitled under the respective Wills of the said John and  
Elizabeth Harleston, and all her right, Title Interest and Estate therein. To  
have and to hold all and singular the premises, part or parts of  
Real Property together with all and singular the rights member Accre-  
tments and appurtenances thereunto belonging unto the said William Read  
and John Ball Laurens their heirs and assigns forever and also to have and  
to hold all her part in the Negroes and the future issue and increase of  
females and in all other Personal Property unto the aforesaid William  
Read and John Ball Laurens their Executors Administrators and assigns  
for ever. In trust always nevertheless to and for the uses intents and

purposes, and subject to the provisos, trusts & limitations following,  
 That is to say, In trust to and for the sole benefit and behoof  
 behoof of the said Margaret Harleston Corbett until the solemnization  
 of the said intended Marriage and from and immediately after  
 the solemnization of the said intended Marriage then in trust to and  
 for the joint use benefit and behoof of the said Margaret Harleston  
 Corbett and the said Frederick Laurens for and during their  
 natural lives so that they may receive the rents issues profits and  
 income of the said estate to and for their joint use freely and without  
 restraint and from and immediately after the death of either the  
 said Margaret or the said Frederick, in trust to deliver up all  
 and singular the premises read and Personed to the survivor, his  
 or his heirs Executors Administrators and assigns forever, free from  
 all further trust proviso or limitation, and it is hereby fully agreed  
 on and understood by and between the parties to these presents  
 that in case the said Frederick and Margaret shall wish to  
 change the property which shall be received in Right of the said  
 Margaret that they the said William Read and John Ball  
 Laurens Trustees as aforesaid (upon having such will expressed  
 in writing by the said Frederick and Margaret) execute all  
 necessary papers for the conveyance and transfer of the same  
 and upon the receipt of the proceeds of such sale shall vest  
 the same in such other property, as they the said Frederick  
 and Margaret shall direct and appoint, always holding such  
 substituted property for the uses and purposes already expressed  
 in relation to the Estates to which these presents at present apply  
 And the said Frederick Laurens for himself his heirs, Executors  
 and Administrators, doth covenant promise and agree to and  
 with the said Thomas Corbett, William Read, and John Ball  
 Laurens Trustees as aforesaid his and their heirs Executors and  
 Administrators that they the said William Read and John Ball  
 Laurens Trustees as aforesaid shall hold and possess all the estate  
 right title and interest of the said Margaret Harleston Corbett in  
 and to the property read and Personed already referred to, specified  
 in the annexed Schedule, without the let, suit hindrance or interrup-  
 tion of him the said Frederick Laurens his heirs, Executors or  
 Administrators, subject always nevertheless to the uses intents and  
 purposes already expressed. And further that he the said

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Fredrick Laurens his heirs, Executors, Administrators or assigns shall and lawfully may from time to time and at all times hereafter at the reasonable request of the said William Read and John Ball Laurens Trustees as aforesaid their heirs, Executors or Administrators make, do, execute or cause to be made done and executed all such further and other lawful and reasonable act and acts, deed conveyance & assurance in the Law whatsoever for the better and more perfect conveying settling and assuring of the aforesaid Real and Personal Property and Premises to and for the uses and purposes already declared of and concerning the same, so as to give the fullest effect to these Presents as by the said William Read and John Ball Laurens Trustees aforesaid their heirs, Executors or Administrators or their or any of their Counsel learned in the Law shall be reasonably advised, devised, or required. In Witness Whereof the parties to these Presents have hereunto set their Hands and Seals on the day and in the year first above written. Margaret Harleston Corbett  
 Fredrick Laurens  
 Tho. Corbett  
 Wm Read  
 John Ball Laurens  
 signed sealed and delivered in the presence of Joshua Doomer  
 Robt W Roper

Schedule of the Property Real and Personal to which Margaret Harleston Corbett is entitled in Common with the other Children of Thomas and Elizabeth Corbett and which is intended to be settled by the within Deed of Marriage Settlement—

All that Plantation or Tract of Land on the Eastern Branch of Cooper River in the Parish of St Johns Bulley called Safford containing six hundred and thirty three acres and a quarter adjoining Richmond and Boss' Plantations whereon Thomas & Elizabeth Corbett now reside—

Two Lots of Land in Charleston in the City of Charleston adjoining each other with the buildings erected thereon by Thomas Corbett bounded by Lynch Street on the East, by Montague Street on the South, by Bull Street on the North and by Land of Mr Part on the West being the Town Residence of Thomas and Elizabeth Corbett.

The following Negroes derived from Capt John Harleston and Mr Elizabeth Harleston. Viz:— Pompey Johnny, Hector, Piraro, Ned Caesar, Sochsey, Rome Hunter, John, old Pompey, Paul Nero, Annibal Duacoo, Tom Carpenter, Adam Smart, Ben, Cato, Charles, Aaron, Sampson, Jeffrey, little Paul, Sophy, Judy, Sue, little Amelia, Sary, Jenab, Sary Betty, Hester, Sylvia Mithuphy, Caha, Amelia, Lucy, Unity, Flora, Betty, James, Grace, Dolly, Daphne

Linah, Mariel, Betty Tubby, Bide, Kanny, Grace House servant, Moly, <sup>her house servant</sup> Mary Ann house servant, Singlet, <sup>her house servant</sup> Pops house servant, Deborah house servant  
 house servant, Old Amelio house servant, and the following Negro Children  
 Viz: Sammy, Nancy, Sam, Rod, Paris, Cain, Joe, Hector, Olivia -  
 Binah, Daphne, Nager, Betsey, William, Mandy, & Velly, Youbof,  
 Friday, Jency, & Aro, & Mary, in all <sup>77</sup> Seventy Seven Slaves —  
 Margaret Shelton Cobett (S) Frederick Laurens (S) —  
 Thomas Cobett (S) William Read (S) John B Laurens (S)  
 Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of Joshua W Toomer -  
 Robt W Sloper —

I do personally appeared before me, Joshua W Toomer who being duly  
 sworn said that that he was present and saw Margaret Shelton Cobett  
 Frederick Laurens Thomas Cobett, William Read and John B Laurens  
 severally sign seal, and as their act and deed deliver the foregoing  
 Deed of selling & settlement to and for the uses intents and purposes  
 therein mentioned, and that he together with Robt W Sloper, subscribed  
 their names as witnesses to the said execution of the same: Given to  
 before me this 15<sup>th</sup> March 1825 Manual No 212 - Recorded 17<sup>th</sup> March 1825

The State of South Carolina, Articles of agreement of three parts made  
 and executed this twenty first day of December Anno Domini one thousand  
 Eight Hundred and twenty five: Between John Leguery of the District  
 of Williamsburgh in the State aforesaid of the first part, Magdalen  
 Sutton, daughter of Robert Sutton of the same District and State aforesaid  
 of the second part, and the said Robert Sutton of the third part —  
 as follows: Whereas the said Magdalen Sutton is said and professes to  
 be her and her heirs of certain Negro Slaves namely, Lilly, Billy, Gallow  
 Dinah, Peter, Cornelius, Binkley, Stephen, Abby, Fanner and Davy  
 And whereas a marriage is shortly intended to be had and solemnized  
 between the said John Leguery and Margaret Sutton, His therefore  
 covenanted and agreed by and between the parties to these presents, in  
 manner and form following, that is to say the said John Leguery for  
 himself his heirs, executors and administrators to and with the  
 said Margaret Sutton and Robert Sutton their heirs and assigns  
 that they the said John Leguery and Margaret his intended wife  
 in case the said marriage shall be had and solemnized by some  
 good and sufficient conveyance or conveyances in Law shall settle  
 and assure the said Negro Slaves together with their future increase and  
 issue to the said John Leguery during his natural life and from  
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behoof of the said Robert Sutton his heirs and assigns during the natural life of the said John Leguere. In trust to preserve and support the remainder hereafter limited and from and after the decease of the said John Leguere then to the said use and behoof of the said Magdalen Sutton his said intended wife for and during the term of her natural life and from and after her decease then to the use and behoof of the heirs of the body of the said Magdalen Sutton lawfully to be begotten for ever, and to and for no other use intent or purpose whatsoever. In Witness whereof the parties hereto have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written - John Leguere (L.S.) Magdalen Sutton (L.S.) signed sealed and delivered in the presence of Samuel Guitt - Francis W Penitt; Elizabeth Gueny -

State of South Carolina, Personally appeared before me Francis W Williamsburgh District Penitt who being duly sworn deposed and said that he was present and did see John Leguere and Magdalen Sutton sign seal, and as their act and deed read deliver the within Instrument of writing for the use and purposes therein mentioned and that Samuel Guitt and Elizabeth Gueny signed their names as Witnesses with himself to the said execution thereof.

Francis W Penitt - Sworn to before me this 14<sup>th</sup> day of March 1826  
 R. J. Powell D. W. of office. - Recorded 15<sup>th</sup> March 1826

State of South Carolina, This Indenture made this twenty eighth day of George Town District of Jamaica in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six and of the sovereignty and independence of the United States of America the eighth year. Between William Miller, Widower of the Town of George Town and District and State aforesaid of the one part and John L. Wilson of the District and State aforesaid of the second part, and William Hall late of Canada but now of the District and State aforesaid of the third part. Witnesseth, namely Whereas a Marriage is intended shortly to be had and solemnized by and between the aforesaid Mrs Anna Miller of the first part, and the said William Hall of the third part, and Whereas the said Anna is interested in certain Estate Real and Personal with her Infant Daughter Maria which said Estate belonged in his lifetime to Thomas Miller the Husband of the said Anna and the Father of the Infant Maria aforesaid and have descended to the said Anna and her Daughter Maria by virtue of the act of Assembly abolishing the right of Primogeniture and giving a more equitable

distribution of the Estate of Intestate, See the said Thomas Miller -  
 Having departed this life Intestate, and Whereas the debts of the Estate  
 of the said Thomas Miller are not fully paid and satisfied, in  
 consequence of which there has been no partition of the Intestate  
 Estates, to which Estates the said Anna is entitled to one third part  
 and the said Maria to two parts out of three which said Estates in  
 the whole are the House and Lot whereon the said Anna now resides  
 in fease Town and known in the Plan of the said Town by the number  
 two hundred and forty (244) and the following Negroes namely  
 Ralph, Bob, Frank, and Nancy, and a reversionary interest of  
 one half of Dilsey and Caesar after the death of Mrs. Stubbs the widow  
 of the said Thomas Miller deceased. And Whereas the said Anna  
 will be equally entitled with her sister at the death of her mother  
 to the following Negroes namely, Priscilla, Sue and Phina and their  
 increase, and whereas it is agreed by the parties to participate to the  
 Book of Indenture to settle and secure the aforesaid Estates to the  
 proper use and behoof of the said Anna as will be hereafter more  
 fully and clearly expressed. Now I know all men by these presents  
 that I the said Anna for and in consideration of one Dollar to me  
 in hand paid by the aforesaid John L. Wilson at and before the  
 signing sealing and delivery of this Indenture the receipt whereof  
 is hereby acknowledged by the said Anna, that the said Anna  
 has bargained and sold, and by these presents do bargain and  
 sell unto the said John L. all her right, title, interest, and Estate  
 in and to the aforesaid House and Lot (244) two hundred and forty and  
 the aforesaid Negroes Ralph, Bob, Frank & Nancy, Dilsey and Caesar  
 all which was the property of her late husband Thomas Miller as-  
 about set forth as well as her right title and interest, to the Slaves -  
 Priscilla, Sue, and Phiny to one equal share or moiety of which she  
 is entitled after the death of her mother, To have and to hold the  
 said bargained premises, Estates, and interests to him the said John  
 L. Wilson his heirs, executors Administrators and assigns for ever -  
 upon this trust and confidence that she the said Anna may  
 hold use and occupy all and singular the above bargained  
 premises to her sole and separate use and behoof until the aforesaid  
 contemplated marriage is solemnized, and upon and after that event upon  
 this further trust and confidence that her the said John L. Wilson  
 shall permit the aforesaid Anna and William to hold use and

occupy the aforesaid bargained Estates rights and interests and profits so that the same shall accrue to the immediate benefit of the said Anna during the term of her natural life and upon her death to be divided equally between such her children as may then be alive including therein if alive at that time her present Infant Daughter Maria above mentioned. And upon this further trust and confidence that the aforesaid bargained Estates Real and Personal as well as the interest of aforesaid contingent and reversionary are in no wise to be subject to any debt contracting engagement forfeiture or penalty of the said William now existing or which hereafter may arise nor shall it be in the power of the said William in any way to hypothecate or pledge or dispose of the same to deprive the said Anna of the immediate benefit of the same in a simple and good manner as if she were a joint sole and natural as the said Anna is the immediate heir of the Estates Real and Personal of her Infant Daughter Maria, and as the life of all is uncertain and the parties tripartite to this Deed of Indenture being minded to settle any and every such Estate and interests as may accrue to the said Anna by the death of the said Maria, to the use and proper behoof and benefit of the said Anna, it is warranted and agreed by the aforesaid Parties Tripartite to this Deed of Indenture that all and singular such Estates Real and Personal as may come by Law to the said Anna by the said Maria's dying without leaving lawful issue shall be held by the aforesaid John T. Wilson upon the same trust and confidence as is before expressed of the Estates Real and Personal and rights and interests of the said Anna. In Testimony whereof the parties tripartite to these Presents have hereunto affixed their proper signatures and seals the day and year above written.

Anna Miller (LS)  
 Witnesses - William H. Fleming ————— John T. Wilson (LS)  
 E. Campbell ————— Wm. Hall (LS)

State of South Carolina  
 George Town District } Personally appeared William H. Fleming, who being duly sworn saith that he saw Anna Miller John T. Wilson and William Hall sign seal and as their act and deed execute this Indenture, and that Eliza Betty Campbell and himself signed their names as witnesses thereto - Wm. H. Fleming  
 Sworn to before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of Feb. E. Matheux J. W.

The State of South Carolina; I know all well by these  
 Presents that I William Vance of the City of Charleston & State  
 aforesaid am held and firmly bound unto Charles Dewit of the  
 same place, in trust for Susan Mary Dart in the full and just  
 sum of twenty thousand Dollars to be paid to the said Charles  
 Dewit his certain Attorney, Executors, Administrators and assigns to  
 which payment well and truly, to be made I bind myself my Heirs  
 Executors and Administrators firmly by these presents sealed with my  
 Seal and dated at Charleston this thirtieth day of March in the year  
 of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six and in the  
 Fifth year of American Independence. Whereas a Marriage  
 by Gods permission is shortly to be had and solemnized between the  
 above bound William Vance and the above named Susan Mary Dart  
 And whereas the said Susan Mary Dart is entitled to certain Real  
 and Personal Estate. The Real Estate consisting of Lands lying in  
 Orange and Beaufort Districts, and the same devised by her Grand  
 Father in the manner set forth in his last Will, the  
 Personal consisting of certain Negroes conveyed by a deed of trust  
 from the late Hugh Wilson Senr. in remainder after the death of her  
 Grand Mother. And whereas the said William Vance on condition  
 and in consideration of the said Marriage taking effect hath  
 contracted and agreed, and doth hereby contract and agree to  
 settle and assure unto the said Charles Dewit or other as the case  
 may be all the property to which the said Susan Mary Dart may  
 be entitled as aforesaid. In trust, to for and upon the several Uses  
 trusts following. That is to say In trust to permit and suffer him  
 the said William Vance to receive take and enjoy the income and  
 profit of the said trust estate and apply the same to the joint use  
 and benefit of him and the said Susan Mary Dart during their joint  
 lives and upon the death of either of them the said William or Susan  
 In trust to permit the survivor to receive the income or profits of the said  
 trust Estate to his or her sole use for and during the full term  
 of his or her Natural life. And on the death of the said survivor, then  
 in trust to pay and deliver over the said property to the issue of  
 the body of the said Susan Mary living at the time of the death of  
 either the said William or Susan or the Children of such as may have  
 died. To take by representation of their respective ancestors. But should  
 there be no issue of the body of the said Mary, then In trust

upon the death of either the parties aforesaid to pay any and all  
 all and singular the property aforesaid to the survivor free from all  
 further trusts limitation or reversion for himself or herself his or her heirs  
 executors, Administrators or assigns forever, and also during the con-  
 tinuance of the period for which the property aforesaid shall be subject  
 to the trusts aforesaid, to sell alien and convey with the approbation  
 and consent of the said William and Susan aforesaid in writing  
 whatever property may arise as aforesaid and become vested in  
 the said Trustee and to apply the proceeds of the said in other  
 property to be held subject to the uses and trusts already  
 expressed and the said Estate hereby intended to be conveyed  
 and all the charges and alterations to be kept free and clear of  
 the present or future debts of the said William Vance. Now the  
 condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound  
 William Vance shall within five years after the said contemplated  
 Marriage shall take effect or whenever thereto required by the said  
 Trustee in behalf of the said Susan Mary, Well truly & sufficiently  
 do and perform all and singular the matters and things above  
 recited so as to render the intended Settlement sufficient firm and  
 effectual in Law, and to carry into effect the intention of the parties  
 concerned, then this obligation shall be null and void, or else shall  
 remain in full force and Virtue - W Vance LL

Signed and Sealed in the presence of Henry Nichol - Chas. H. Lesene  
 Personally appeared before me, Charles H. Lesene who being duly  
 sworn said that he was present and saw William Vance sign, seal,  
 and as his act and deed deliver the foregoing Instrument of writing for  
 the uses and purposes therein mentioned and that he together with  
 Henry Nichol subscribed their names as witnesses thereto - Given to  
 before me this 31<sup>st</sup> March 1836 W Vance Ms. P. 207 Recorded 31<sup>st</sup> March 1836

State of South Carolina; This Indenture made the twenty fifth day of  
 March in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred and twenty  
 six Between Henrietta Ann Rouse of the City of Charleston in the  
 State aforesaid Spinster of the one part Ephraim Harrison of  
 Nassau County in East Florida of the second part Lewis Rouse  
 of the City of Charleston of the third part Robert Harrison of Nassau  
 County in East Florida of the fourth part and Albert Francis Rouse  
 of same place of the fifth and last part Whereas there is standing  
 to be shortly had and solemnized between the said Ephraim Harrison

and the said Henrietta Ann Rouse. And Whereas the said  
 Henrietta Ann Rouse is possessed of a certain sum of money  
 bequeathed unto her by her late Uncle Francis Rouse deceased  
 amounting to two thousand five hundred \$2500 dollars and also on  
 the decease of her Parents Lewis Rouse and Ann his Wife now residing  
 in the City of Charleston. She will be entitled to receive her propor-  
 -tion of the Real and Personal Estate which they may leave  
 which said sum of money and said proportion of property by  
 act of Law Will become the property and proper goods and chattels  
 of him the said Ephraim Harrison upon the consideration of  
 the said intended Marriage and Whereas it is agreed between  
 the said Ephraim Harrison and the said Henrietta Ann Rouse  
 that the said Henrietta Ann Rouse shall dispose of the said sum  
 of money and the said proportion of Real and Personal which  
 she may inherit on the decease of her said Parents to the said Lewis  
 Rouse Robert Harrison and Albert Frederic Rouse their Executors  
 Administrators and assigns upon such trusts and for such uses  
 as are hereinafter declared Now this Indenture Witnesseth that  
 in pursuance of the said agreement and in consideration of the sum  
 of five dollars to her the said Henrietta Ann Rouse in hand paid by  
 the said Lewis Rouse, Robert Harrison, and Albert Frederic Rouse  
 by the hands of Lewis Rouse at and before the sealing and delivery  
 of these presents. She receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and  
 for good and other causes and considerations hereunto moving, the  
 said Henrietta Ann Rouse hath, and with the purity and consent  
 and agreement of him the said Ephraim Harrison testified by his  
 being made a party hereto. Granted, bargained sold and by  
 these presents doth grant bargain sell and deliver unto the  
 said Lewis Rouse Robert Harrison and Albert Frederic Rouse  
 their Executors Administrators and assigns the said sum of two  
 thousand five hundred Dollars and also all that part or proportion  
 of property Real and Personal which may come unto her by right  
 of inheritance or otherwise from the Estate of her said Parents  
 after their decease to them the said Lewis Rouse Robert Harrison  
 and Albert Frederic Rouse and the Survivor of them their and his  
 Executors Administrators and assigns for ever upon trust Nevertheless  
 and to the uses intents and purposes hereinafter limited and  
 declared That is to say In trust for and to the use and behoof



of the said Henrietta Ann Rouse their Executors Administrators  
 and assigns until the solemnization of the said intended marriage  
 and after the said marriage shall be had and solemnized then  
 in trust to the use and behoof of the said Ephraim Henson and  
 the said Henrietta Ann Rouse for and during the natural lives  
 and the natural life of the survivor of them. But so as not to be  
 subject, seized, liable, sold or extended to the payment of the debts  
 of the said Ephraim Henson her intended Husband, and soon  
 and immediately after the decease of the longest liver of the said Henrietta  
 Ann Rouse and Ephraim Henson then in trust to and for the sole  
 use, benefit and behoof of such child or children the issue of the  
 said intended marriage as shall or may be living at the time of the  
 death of the longest liver of the said Henrietta Ann Rouse and the said  
 Ephraim Henson. to be divided between and among such child  
 or children if more than one, share and share alike but in default  
 of such issue at the decease of the longest liver of the said Henrietta  
 Ann Rouse and Ephraim Henson then in trust to and for the  
 uses of such person and persons, and in such parts and proportions  
 manner and form as she the said Henrietta Ann Rouse shall from  
 time to time notwithstanding coverture by any Deed, writing or writings duly  
 executed by her in the presence of two or more credible witnesses, or by her last  
 will and Testament to be by her signed, published and declared in the  
 presence of three or more such witnesses direct or appoint. And in default of  
 such directions, limitations and appointments, then in trust to and for the use  
 and behoof of such person or persons who as next of kin to the said Henrietta  
 Ann Rouse shall be entitled to the same under and by virtue of the Act of Assembly  
 lately made in this State for the more equal distribution of Intestates Estates  
 Provided always and it is <sup>hereby</sup> expressly declared and agreed by and between all  
 the said Parties hereto that it shall and may be lawful for the said David  
 Rouse, Robert Henson and Albert P. Rouse their Executors Administrators  
 and assigns at the request and with the consent of the said Henrietta Ann  
 Rouse to be testified in writing under her hand and seal and executed in  
 the presence of one or more witnesses to purchase with said money, rents  
 and inheritance herein before mentioned and invest the same in either Real  
 or Personal Property to be approved by the said Henrietta Ann Rouse  
 which said Real or Personal Property shall be subject to the terms  
 limitations trusts and purposes herein before mentioned or such  
 trusts, terms, limitations, uses intents and purposes as the said Henrietta

That or may by and with the consent of the said Ephraim Harrison  
 by any such deed or last Will and Testament made as aforesaid direct  
 limit and appoint and the said Ephraim Harrison for himself his Heirs  
 Executors Administrators and assigns doth hereby covenant promise  
 grant and agree to and with the said Lewis Rouse Robert Harrison  
 and Albert Rouse or the survivors of them their or his Executors, Adm-  
 inistrators and assigns That ~~intending~~ it shall and maybe lawful  
 to and for the said Henrietta Ann Rouse his intended Wife notwithstanding  
 any her Coverture to make any such Deed writing or Will as is hereinafore  
 mentioned or which may be necessary for the better completion or fulfilling  
 all or any of the trusts hereinbefore mentioned. And also that he the  
 said Ephraim Harrison his Heirs Executors and Administrators  
 shall and Will from time to time and at all times hereafter upon the  
 reasonable Request and at the proper Costs and Charges of the said  
 Lewis Rouse Robert Harrison and Albert Rouse their Heirs  
 Executors and Administrators or assigns make do execute or cause or  
 procure to be made done and all and every such further and other  
 Lawful and reasonable act and acts things conveyances assignments  
 and assurances in the Law whatsoever necessary for the corroborating  
 and strengthening these presents In Witness whereof the said parties  
 to these presents have hereunto interchangably set their hands and  
 seals at the City of Charleston in State aforesaid on the day and  
 year first above written - Henrietta Ann Rouse. ES -  
 Ephraim Harrison ES Lewis Rouse ES - - -  
 signed sealed and delivered in the presence of Whipple Aldrich -  
 Matthew Soutwell - South Carolina Charleston District Personally appeared  
 before me Matthew Soutwell, who being duly sworn, saith that he was present and  
 saw Henrietta Ann Rouse, Ephraim Harrison, and Lewis Rouse sign seal  
 and as their act and deed deliver the foregoing Instrument of Writing to and  
 for the uses intents and purposes therein mentioned and that he together  
 with Whipple Aldrich subscribed their names as Witnesses to the due  
 execution of the same - Done before me this 1<sup>st</sup> April 1868 A.D. 20  
 - Recorded 7<sup>th</sup> April 1868 -

The State of South Carolina  
 This Indenture is published in made and  
 executed this twenty, eighth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand  
 eight hundred and twenty, six, and of the Sovereignty and Independence  
 of the United States of America the fifth; Between

Robert Douthett Esquire of the City of Charleston in the said State of South Carolina  
 part. I do hereby certify that the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 and the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 of the said State of South Carolina. I do hereby certify that the said Robert Douthett Esquire  
 between the said Robert Douthett Esquire and the said Robert Douthett Esquire  
 and the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 and the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 advised and consented to the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 conveyance and the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 this instrument in full that he and the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 intended conveyance and also of the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 of the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 release of the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 grant of the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 the said Robert Douthett Esquire of the said State of South Carolina  
 share of and in that piece of land or lot of land situate being and  
 being on the North side of Boundary Street in the Parish of St. James near  
 Charleston aforesaid measuring and containing in width from East  
 to West one hundred and fifty feet more or less. And in depth  
 North to South three hundred feet. Bounding and bounding South on  
 Boundary Street aforesaid. East on lands and estate of - Robert Douthett  
 North on - Robert Douthett Esquire aforesaid and West on lands of -  
 Also all the undivided one third of and in the Bond dated on the  
 Eleventh day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
 hundred and twenty six. executed by Benjamin S. Drumm of Charleston  
 Esquire to William C. Doughty of the same place Esquire and by him  
 assigned to the said Robert Douthett Esquire for his three daughters in the  
 special sum of one thousand Dollars, conditioned for the payment  
 of one thousand Dollars and secured by a mortgage of a Plantation on  
 Black River called the Camp. Also all her undivided one third part or  
 share of and in the thirty two Negro Slaves following to wit: Ben, Sally,  
 York, Marian, Priscilla, Bob, Will, Marian, Fody, Billy, Bob.

Now shall or may by and with the consent of the said Ephraim Harrison  
 by any such bond or last Will and Testament made as aforesaid direct  
 limit and appoint and the said Ephraim Harrison for himself his Heirs  
 Executors Administrators and assigns doth hereby covenant promise  
 grant and agree to and with the said Lewis Rouse Robert Harrison  
 and Albert S Rouse or the Survivors of them their or his Executors, Adm-  
 inistrators and assigns, That intending it shall and maybe lawful  
 to and for the said Henrietta Ann Rouse his intended Wife notwithstanding  
 any her Coverture to make any such Bond writing or Will as is hereinbefore  
 mentioned or which may be necessary for the better completion or fulfilling  
 all or any of the trusts hereinbefore mentioned. And also that he the  
 said Ephraim Harrison his Heirs Executors and Administrators  
 shall and will from time to time and at all times hereafter upon the  
 reasonable Request and at the proper Costs and Charges of the said  
 Lewis Rouse Robert Harrison and Albert S Rouse their Heirs  
 Executors and Administrators or assigns make do execute or cause or  
 procure to be made done and all and every such further and other  
 Lawful and reasonable act and acts things conveyances assignments  
 and assurances in the Law whatsoever necessary for the corroborating  
 and strengthening these presents. In Witness whereof the said parties  
 to these presents have hereunto interchangedly set their hands and  
 seals at the City of Charleston in State aforesaid on the day and  
 year first above written - Henrietta Ann Rouse. (S) —  
 Ephraim Harrison (S) Lewis Rouse (S) — — —  
 signed sealed and delivered in the presence of Whipple Aldrich —  
 Matthew Southwick — South Carolina Charleston District Personally appeared  
 before me Matthew Southwick, who being duly sworn, saith that he was present and  
 saw Henrietta Ann Rouse, Ephraim Harrison, and Lewis Rouse sign seal  
 and as their act and deed deliver the foregoing Instrument of Writing to and  
 for the uses intents and purposes therein mentioned and that he together  
 with Whipple Aldrich subscribed their names as Witnesses to the due  
 execution of the same - Given to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> April 1826 A.D. 1826.

- Recorded 1<sup>st</sup> April 1826 -

The State of South Carolina

County of Charleston

This Indenture Superfluous is made and  
 executed this twenty sixth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand  
 eight hundred and twenty six and of the Sovereignty and Independence  
 of the United States of America the fiftieth: Between

Robert Duck Lindey of the City of Charleston in the said State of South Carolina  
part: Martha Selina Gaillard of the same place of the second part  
and Bartholomew Gaillard the father of the said Martha Selina Gaillard  
of the third part. Whereas a Marriage is intended to be had and solemnized  
between the said Robert L. Lindey and the said Martha Gaillard,  
and the said Martha Gaillard is proposed under our light of the Real  
and Personal Property, hereinafter described, and in consideration of  
the said intended Marriage the said Martha Gaillard stand with the  
advice and consent of her said intended Husband has determined to  
convey unto and assign the said Property, Real and Personal unto her  
said Father as Trustee, specially chosen and appointed to and for  
the use and purposes hereinafter fully set forth. Now therefore the  
This Indenture Witnesseth that and with the grace and consent of the  
said Robert L. Lindey and her and in consideration of the said  
intended Marriage and also of five dollars to her so hand paid by the  
said Bartholomew Gaillard at and before the sealing and delivery  
of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged by the  
said Martha Gaillard. That Granted, bargained, sold, conveyed  
released assigned, set over and confirmed, and Wit by these presents  
grant, bargain, sell, convey, release assign, set over and confirm unto  
the said Bartholomew Gaillard, all her undivided one third part or  
share of and in that price, price or lot of land situate lying and  
being on the North side of Boundary Street in Cannonborough near  
Charleston aforesaid measuring and containing in width from East  
to West one hundred and fifty five feet more or less. And in depth from  
North to South three hundred feet, better and bounding South on  
Boundary Street aforesaid, East on lands now or late of - Most deceased  
Arthur - Street in Cannonborough aforesaid and West on lands of -  
- all her undivided one third of and in the Bond dated on the  
Eleventh day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and twenty six, executed by Benjamin S. Dumbelin of Charleston  
Esquire to William S. Broughton of the same place Esquire and by him  
assigned to the said B. Gaillard in trust for his three Daughters in the  
total sum of seven thousand Dollars, conditioned for the payment  
of five thousand Dollars and secured by a Mortgage of a Plantation on  
Black River called the Camp. Also all her undivided one third part or  
share of and in the thirty two Negro Slaves following, to wit: Bon, Sally,  
York, Marian, Priscilla, Bon, Will, Marian Pody, Billy, Bob.



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Exampte Robert L Pinckney  
17th March 1764  
Henry D Walker

...conferences and a firmness in the said...  
...perfect and...  
...said Robert L Pinckney and...  
...the said Bartholomew...  
...or Administrators and a...  
...of their counsel learned...  
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...And further that they...  
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...and after the determination of that estate...  
...the use of the said Bartholomew...

his heirs, Executors, Administrators, and assigns according to the nature  
of the Estate, during the Joint lives of the said Robert L Pinckney and  
Martha S Gaillard, upon trust to support and preserve the contingent  
uses and Estates hereinafter mentioned from being defeated or  
destroyed and for that purpose to make outlets and being access  
as occasion may require, but nevertheless to suffer and permit the  
said Martha S Gaillard to have, take, receive, and enjoy the rents  
issues, services, income, and profits thereof, and of every part thereof  
to and for her <sup>own</sup> ~~use~~ sole and separate use and benefit during the  
Joint lives of the said Robert L Pinckney and Martha S Gaillard  
as aforesaid without being in any manner, Subject to the debts  
contracts or engagements of the said Robert L Pinckney. And should  
the said Martha Selina Gaillard survive the said Robert L  
Pinckney and have issue then living, then from and immediately  
after the death of the said Robert L Pinckney, in trust  
to and for the sole use benefit and behoof of the said Martha S  
Gaillard for and during her natural life, without impeachment  
of waste, and from and immediately after the death of the  
said Martha S Gaillard, so as aforesaid surviving the said  
Robert L Pinckney and having issue then living, then in  
trust to and for the sole use benefit and behoof of the issue  
of the said Martha S Gaillard if one then to that one his or her  
heirs, Executors, Administrators, and assigns according to the nature  
of the Estate, and if more than one then to be equally divided between  
them, share and share alike, to them their heirs Executors  
Administrators and assigns for ever according to the nature of the  
Estate freed and discharged from all further and other trusts  
Provided always that in case any or either of the children of the said  
Martha S Gaillard had had married and died leaving lawfully  
begotten issue living at the death of the said Martha S Gaillard  
surviving as aforesaid the said Robert L Pinckney then said issue  
shall represent his, her, or their, Parent or Parents and have, take  
and receive the same share or shares in the said Promised Real and  
Personal as the Parent or Parents would if alive have had taken  
and received, and should the said Robert L Pinckney survive the  
said Martha S Gaillard and have issue of the said Martha S Gaillard  
living at her death then in trust to and for the use benefit & behoof  
of the said Robert L Pinckney and his issue by the said Martha

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of said land, without being in any manner subject to the double charge  
 engagements of the said Robert & Pinckney, until the said four  
 more than one respectively reach the full age of twenty one years, and  
 to be equally divided among the said issue, to them their heirs  
 Administrators and assigns their and their like according to the nature  
 of the Estate, each of the said issue taking and receiving his or her  
 or portions as he or she reaches the full age of twenty one years, full  
 and discharged from all further and other trusts, and should the said  
 Robert & Pinckney survive the said Martha & Gaillard having  
 only one child who shall live to reach the full age of twenty one years  
 by her the said Martha & Gaillard then in trust that as to say the said  
 Premises Real and Personal to and for such child of the said  
 & Gaillard on attaining the full age of twenty one years, to him or  
 her his or her heirs, Executors, Administrators or assigns according to the  
 nature of the Estate freed and discharged from all further and  
 other trusts. And Provided also that in case any or either of the children  
 of the said Robert & Pinckney by the said Martha & Gaillard shall  
 have married and died leaving lawfully begotten issue living at the time  
 that the Parent or Parents would if alive have reached the full age of  
 twenty one years, the said Robert & Pinckney still living and surviving  
 the said Martha & Gaillard, then such issue shall represent his  
 her or their Parent or Parents, and shall take and receive the same  
 share or shares in the said Premises Real and Personal as the Parent  
 or Parents if alive and reaching the full age of twenty one years would  
 have taken and received freed and discharged from all further and  
 other trusts, And further that if on the death of either the said Robert  
 & Pinckney or the said Martha & Gaillard which ever shall first  
 happen no lawfully begotten child or children of the said Martha  
 & Gaillard or lawfully begotten issue of such child or children shall  
 be then living, or if such child or children or the lawfully begotten  
 issue of such child or children shall be then living, but afterwards  
 and during the life of the survivor of them the said Robert & Pinckney  
 and Martha & Gaillard, such child or children and the lawfully  
 begotten issue of such child or children should die having no lawfully  
 begotten issue or legal descendant living at the time of his her  
 or their death to survive the survivor of them the said Robert & Pinckney  
 and Martha & Gaillard then the said Premises Real and Personal  
 and every part and parcel thereof in trust for the said

234 } benefit and behoof of the said survivors of them, The said Robert I.  
Pinckney and Martha S Gaillard, His or Her Heirs, Executors, Administra-  
tors and assigns according to the nature of the Estate. Good discharge  
from all further and other trusts and further in trust that from time  
to time and at all times hereafter, it shall and may be lawful to and  
for the said Bartholomew Gaillard, Trustee as aforesaid His Successors  
Heirs, Executors, Administrators and assigns by and with the advice and  
consent of the said Robert I Pinckney and Martha S  
Gaillard or the survivors of them, their Heirs, Executors and assigns  
the said Remises, Rents and Personals and any and every part  
thereof, to sell and dispose of at Public or at Private Sale and the  
proceeds thereof to reinvest, and such reinvestment again to sell  
and dispose of, and the same again to invest when and as often  
as may be thought most beneficial and advantageous. Subject  
always nevertheless to and for the same uses intents and purposes  
hereinbefore expressed and declared, of and concerning the same  
And Lastly In trust that it shall and may be lawful to and  
for the said Robert I Pinckney and Martha S Gaillard or the  
survivors of them, by and with the advice and consent of the said  
Bartholomew Gaillard, <sup>his</sup> Heirs, Executors, or Administrators in and  
by their His or Her Deed or deeds in the presence of two Witnesses  
when and as often as may be thought proper to constitute, nominate  
and appoint another Trustee or Trustees in the place and stead of  
the said Bartholomew Gaillard, His Heirs, Executors or Administrators  
or of his or their Successor or Successors, and the successor or successors  
as Trustee or Trustees as aforesaid last constituted nominated and  
appointed shall and will possess and enjoy all and singular the  
rights, powers, Privileges and authorities, and be subject to all the  
duties, responsibilities and liabilities of the said Bartholomew  
Gaillard as Trustee as aforesaid, and the former Trustee, Trustees  
in whose place and stead such new Trustee or Trustees may be  
appointed shall be forthwith forever discharged and  
discharged. In Witness whereof the said Parties to these presents  
have hereunto interchangeably set their respective Hands and Seals  
the day and year in that behalf first above written —  
Signed, Sealed, and delivered in  
the presence of — A. T. Gaillard  
Henry Goudine —

Robert I Pinckney Esq  
Martha S Gaillard Esq  
B. Gaillard Esq

I being <sup>present</sup> personally appeared before me <sup>and</sup> <sup>my</sup> <sup>dear</sup> <sup>friend</sup> <sup>and</sup> <sup>attorney</sup> <sup>at</sup> <sup>law</sup> <sup>and</sup> <sup>in</sup> <sup>the</sup> <sup>presence</sup> <sup>of</sup> <sup>the</sup> <sup>undersigned</sup> <sup>Witnesses</sup> to the foregoing Instrument, who being duly sworn, said that he was present and saw Robert Pinchney, Matthew Gaillard and B Gaillard, Signe LeD and as their act and deed deliberate and free for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that he together with Henry Landine, subscribed their names as witness to the said Instrument <sup>of</sup> <sup>the</sup> <sup>said</sup> <sup>parties</sup>. Sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> April 1826 at New Orleans.

— Recorded 7<sup>th</sup> April 1826 —

The State of South Carolina

Know all Men by these presents that I Nathaniel B Maxwell of the City of Charleston in the State aforesaid, am held and firmly bound unto Bartholomew Gaillard of the same place Planter and Father of his Daughter Susan Doughty Gaillard in the full and just sum of Thirty two thousand dollars to be paid to the said Bartholomew Gaillard or his Successors, certain Attorney, Executors, Administrators or Assigns to which payment well and truly to be made and done I bind myself and each and every of my heirs, Executors and Administrators firmly by these presents Sealed with my Seal, and dated this twenty eighth day of March in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and twenty six And of the Sovereignty and Independence of the United States of America the Eighth.

Whereas the above named Susan Doughty Gaillard, Daughter of the said Bartholomew Gaillard is entitled in her own right to all and singular the property, Real and Personal hereinafter described, to wit: One undivided third (part or share) of and in that piece (parcel) or Lot of Land situate lying and being on the North side of Boundary Street in Cannonsborough near Charleston aforesaid measuring and containing in Width from East to West one hundred and fifty five feet more or less and in depth from North to South three hundred feet, butting and bounding South on Boundary Street aforesaid, East on lands now or lately of — North on — Street in Cannonsborough aforesaid, and West on lands of —

Also all the undivided one third of and in the Bond dated on the Eleventh day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six executed by Benjamin & Dunkin of Charleston Esquire to William B Doughty of the same place Esquire and by him assigned to the said B Gaillard in trust for his three Daughters in the Total sum of Twelve thousand Dollars conditioned for the payment of six thousand dollars, and secured by a Mortgage of a Plantation on Black River called the Camp. Also all the

one third part or share of and in the thirty two negroes following to wit  
 Ben. Sally, York, Maria, Priscilla, Ben, Will Maria, Paddy, Billy,  
 Bob, Samby, Stephen, Flora, Ben, Nancy, Hannah George, John, May,  
 Peter, Patty, baby, Maunda, Lucette, Nancy, Sarah, Quilly, Abram, Dick,  
 Penelope, Pompey. Also all and singular the thirty shares in the stock  
 of the Bank of the United States in two certificates one for twenty shares  
 number (653) six hundred and fifty three dated on the sixteenth day of February  
 eighteen hundred and twenty six and the other for ten shares number  
 (657) six hundred and fifty seven dated on the twentieth day of February  
 eighteen hundred and twenty six. Together with all and singular the  
 rights, members, privileges, Tenements, Hereditaments and appurtenances  
 to the said premises real and personal, and every part and parcel  
 thereof belonging or in any wise incident or appertaining. And whereas  
 a marriage is intended shortly to be had and solemnized between the son  
 of the said Nathaniel B. Mayes & Henry Broughton Mayes &  
 and the said Susan D. Gaillard, and it is the wish and desire as well  
 of the said Henry B. Mayes as of the said Susan D. Gaillard that  
 all the property, real and personal above mentioned and described belonging  
 to the said Susan D. Gaillard together with that hereafter to accrue to her  
 should in the manner and to and for the several uses intents and purposes  
 hereinafter expressed and declared of and concerning the said be settled on  
 the said Bartholomew Gaillard, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns  
 according to the nature of the Estates as Trustee or Trustees. And whereas the  
 said Susan D. Gaillard and Henry B. Mayes being yet infants under  
 the age of twenty one years and by reason thereof generally incapable of  
 conveying their Estates. And in order to effect the desire and intention  
 of the parties and for and in consideration of the said intended marriage  
 and of Ten Dollars by the said Bartholomew Gaillard to the said  
 Nathaniel B. Mayes above bound in hand well and truly paid at  
 and before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof  
 is hereby acknowledged, he the said Nathaniel B. Mayes for himself  
 his executors & administrators hath promised and agreed and doth  
 hereby promise and agree to and with the said Bartholomew Gaillard  
 Trustee as aforesaid, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns  
 in manner and form following, that is to say that in the event of the said  
 intended marriage taking place when and so soon after thereafter as  
 they the said, Henry B. Mayes and Susan D. Gaillard shall have  
 attained the full age of twenty one years, they the said Henry B.

Maryet and Susan D Gaillard's share and will remain in  
 sealing executing and returning or causing and procuring to be signed  
 sealed executed and delivered unto the said Bartholomew Gaillard as  
 Trustee as aforesaid his heirs Executors Administrators and assigns all  
 and every such lawful act and act thing and things as well as assents  
 and conveyances in the Law whatsoever with ornaments of such parcels  
 possession further assurance and releases of inheritance in the Law  
 whatsoever according to the nature of the Estate to release convey confirm  
 and assure unto the said Bartholomew Gaillard as Trustee as aforesaid  
 his heirs Executors Administrators and assigns all and singular the  
 property Real and Personal above mentioned and set forth and  
 every part and parcel thereof together with all the part proportion and  
 share of her the said Susan D Gaillard or which may hereafter accrue  
 to her of and in the Plantation or tract of land situate lying and being  
 in the Parish of St Johns Barbadoes in the said State on the East side of  
 the Western Branch of Cropper River containing one thousand two  
 hundred and ninety eight acres more or less known by the name of  
 Umbrell and now in the occupation of the said Bartholomew Gaillard  
 under a conveyance from Theodore Gaillard Junior dated on the first  
 day of August eighteen hundred and Sixty and also of and in all and  
 every other Estates and Estates real or Personal which may hereafter  
 happen fall or come to her the said Susan D Gaillard in her own right  
 or to him the said Henry B Maryet in her right by inheritance purchase  
 or otherwise and that she the said Susan D Gaillard shall and will release  
 renounce and acquit her inheritance according to Law unto the said Bartholomew  
 Gaillard as Trustee as aforesaid of and in all and singular the said Real  
 Estate and unto his heirs and assigns In Trust Nevertheless and to and for  
 the several uses intents and purposes hereinafter expressed and declared of and  
 concerning the same that is to say In Trust to and for the sole use benefit  
 and behoof of her the said Susan D Gaillard until the solemnization of the  
 said intended marriage and from and after the solemnization of the said  
 intended marriage then in trust to and for the sole use benefit and behoof  
 of the said Susan D Gaillard for and during the joint lives of the said  
 Henry B Maryet and Susan D Gaillard but without being in any  
 manner liable to the debts contracts or engagements of the said Henry  
 B Maryet and from and after the determination of that Estate to  
 the use of the said Bartholomew Gaillard Trustee as aforesaid his  
 heirs Executors Administrators and assigns according to the nature

of the estate during the joint lives of the said Henry B. Maryet  
 and Susan D. Gaillard upon trust to support and <sup>person</sup> ~~provide~~ the contingent  
 remainders uses and estates hereinafter mentioned from being defeated  
 and destroyed and for that purpose to make entries and bring actions  
 as occasion may require, but nevertheless to suffer and permit the said  
 Susan D. Gaillard to have take receive and enjoy the rents issues services  
 income and profits thereof and of every part thereof to and for her own  
 sole and separate use and benefit during the joint lives of the said  
 Henry B. Maryet and Susan D. Gaillard as aforesaid without being  
 in any manner subject to the debts contracts or engagements of the said  
 Henry B. Maryet. And should the said Susan D. Gaillard survive  
 the said Henry B. Maryet and have issue then living then from and  
 immediately after the death of the said Henry B. Maryet in trust to and  
 for the sole use benefit and behoof of the said Susan D. Gaillard for and during  
 her natural life without impeachment of waste and from and immediately  
 after the death of the said Susan D. Gaillard so as aforesaid surviving the  
 said Henry B. Maryet and having issue then living then in trust to and for  
 the sole use benefit and behoof of the issue of the said Susan D. Gaillard  
 if one then to that one his or her heirs Executors Administrators and assigns  
 according to the nature of the estate; and if more than one then to be equally  
 divided between them share and share alike to them their heirs Executors  
 Administrators and assigns for ever according to the nature of the estate -  
 freed and discharged from all further and other trusts; Provided always  
 that in case any or either of the children of the said Susan D. Gaillard shall  
 have married and died leaving lawfully begotten issue living at the death  
 of the said Susan D. Gaillard surviving as aforesaid the said Henry B.  
 Maryet then such issue shall represent his her or their Parent or Parents  
 and have take and receive the same share or shares in the said premises  
 Real & Personal as the Parent or Parents would if alive have had taken  
 and received. And should the said Henry B. Maryet survive the said  
 Susan D. Gaillard and have issue of the said Susan D. Gaillard living  
 at her death then in trust to and for the use benefit and behoof of the  
 said Henry B. Maryet and <sup>the</sup> issue by the said Susan D. Gaillard -  
 without being in any manner subject to the debts contracts or engagements  
 of the said Henry B. Maryet until the said issue if more than one -  
 respectively reach the full age of twenty one years and then to be equally  
 divided among the said issue to them their heirs Executors Administrators  
 and assigns share and share alike according to the nature of the estate

such of the said issue taking taking and receiving his or her share  
 proportions as he or she reaches the full age of twenty one years from  
 and discharged from all further and other trusts. And should  
 said Henry B. Mayes survive the said Susan D. Gaillard  
 leaving only one child who shall live to reach the full age of twenty  
 one years by her the said Susan D. Gaillard then the said Premises Real and Personal  
 in trust to and for such child of the said Susan D. Gaillard on attaining the full  
 age of twenty one years to him or her, his or her heirs, Executors, Administrators or  
 assigns according to the nature of the Estate freed and discharged from all further  
 and other trusts. And Provided also that in case any or either of the children  
 of the said Susan D. Gaillard by the said Henry B. Mayes shall have married  
 and die leaving lawfully begotten children issue living at the time that the  
 Parent or Parents would if alive have reached the full age of twenty one years  
 the said Henry B. Mayes still living and surviving the said Susan D.  
 Gaillard then such issue shall represent his her or their Parent or Parents  
 and have take, and receive, then the same share or shares in the said  
 Premises Real and Personal as the Parent or Parents if alive and  
 reaching the full age of twenty one years would have taken and received  
 freed and discharged from all further and other trusts. And further  
 that if on the death of either the said Henry B. Mayes or the said  
 Susan D. Gaillard whichsoever shall first happen no lawfully begotten  
 child or children of the said Susan D. Gaillard or lawfully begotten issue  
 of such child or children shall be then living, or if such child or children  
 or the lawfully begotten issue of such child or children shall be then  
 living, but afterwards and during the life of the survivor of them the said  
 Henry B. Mayes and Susan D. Gaillard such child or children and the  
 lawfully begotten issue of such child or children should die leaving no lawfully  
 begotten issue or lineal descendant living at the time of his her or their  
 death to survive the survivor of them the said Henry B. Mayes and  
 Susan D. Gaillard, then the said Premises Real and Personal and every  
 part and ~~Personal~~ <sup>In trust</sup> parcel thereof to and for the sole use benefit and  
 behoof of the said survivor of them the said Henry B. Mayes and  
 Susan D. Gaillard his or her heirs Executors Administrators or assigns  
 according to the nature of the Estate freed and discharged from all further  
 and other trusts. And further in trust that from time to time and at all  
 times hereafter it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Particular  
 Gaillard Trustee as aforesaid his Successors, heirs, Executors, Administrators  
 and assigns by and with the advice and consent of the said Henry B. Mayes

200. and Susan O'Gaillard or of the survivor of them the said Premises Real and Personal and any and every part thereof to sell and dispose of at Publick or at Private Sale and the proceeds thereof to invest and the investment again to sell and dispose of and the same to reinvest when and as often as may be thought most beneficial and advantageous; Subject always notwithstanding to and for the same uses, intents, and purposes hereinbefore expressed and declared of and concerning the same. And Lastly be it sheweth that it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Henry Bellamy and Susan O'Gaillard or the survivor of them ~~to~~ by and with the advice and consent of the said Bartholomew Gaillard his heirs, Executors or Administrators in and by their, his or her deed executed in the presence of two Witnesses when and as often as may be thought proper to constitute nominate and appoint another Trustee or other Trustees in the place and stead of the said Bartholomew Gaillard, his heirs, Executors or Administrators or of his or their Successor or Successors; And the Successor or Successors as Trustee or Trustees as aforesaid, last constituted, nominated, appointed shall and will possess and enjoy all and singular the rights powers privileges and Authorities, and be subject to all the duties, Responsibilities and liabilities of the said Bartholomew Gaillard as Trustee; and the former Trustee or Trustees in other place and stead such new Trustee or Trustees may be appointed, shall be forthwith forever herefrom exonerated and discharged. NOW the Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above named Henry Bellamy and Susan O'Gaillard shall in all things well and truly stand by, perform, fulfill and keep the agreement aforesaid, and every clause, article, matter and thing therein contained then this obligation to be void and of no effect, or else to remain in full force and virtue. — N. B. MARYER — (Sd) —

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of — Affirmed — Henry Gaudine —  
Personally appeared before me Affirmed, who being duly sworn saith that he was present and saw each of the said Signers seal and as his act and deed deliver the foregoing Bond or Instrument of writing for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that he together with Henry Gaudine subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the same. — Sworn to before me this first day of April 1826 W. H. V. Pub. — Recorded 1<sup>st</sup> April 1826 —

The State of South Carolina

These articles of agreement were made and executed at Charleston in the State aforesaid this twenty eighth day of March



year of our Lord and the said eight hundred and twenty  
the sovereignty and independence of the United States of America of the  
between and among Henry Boughton Massey of the first part  
Nathaniel B. Massey his father of the second part Susan D. Gaillard  
of the third part and Bartholomew Gaillard her father of the fourth  
part / the said Henry B. Massey and Susan D. Gaillard being infants under  
twenty one years of age and in law incapable generally of entering into contracts  
obligatory on them, do make parties hereto only as witnessing their consent to the  
matter herein contained; Whereas a marriage is intended shortly to be had  
and solemnized between the said Henry B. Massey and the said Susan  
D. Gaillard, and also the said Susan D. Gaillard being entitled to certain  
property in her own right it has been understood and agreed between the  
parties to these presents, that the said Property Real and Personal of the  
said Susan D. Gaillard, together with all and every the property Real  
and Personal which may hereafter fall or come to the said Susan D.  
Gaillard during the said intended Coverture, should be settled in the  
manner and to and for the several uses, intents and purposes, specially  
set forth and recited in a Bond or obligation bearing even date with these  
presents from the said Nathaniel B. Massey unto the said Bar-  
tholomew Gaillard as the Trustee of the said Susan Doughty Gaillard  
in the penal sum of thirty two thousand Dollars, conditional for the true  
and faithful performance of all and singular the several provisions and  
agreements in the recital thereof in the said Bond set forth, which said Bond  
and recital which said Bond is hereby specially referred to and made part  
of these presents. Now these Articles of Agreement Witness that the  
said Bond or obligation and the agreements in the recital thereof set  
forth and every matter clause and thing therein contained according  
to the wish intention and desire of the said Susan D. Gaillard  
and of him the said Henry B. Massey, and they have promised  
and agreed, and do hereby so far as they can now bind themselves  
promise and agree, to do and perform all things necessary and requisite  
to carry the same into full and complete effect. And that the said  
Bartholomew Gaillard hath accepted the said Trust and will  
on his part do and perform all things to be by him done and performed  
in and about the said. And that the said Nathaniel B. Massey  
ratifies and confirms the said Bond or obligation and the recital and  
condition thereof and every clause and thing therein respectively  
contained. In Witness whereof the said Parties to these presents

have hereunto interchangeably set their hands and seals the day and year in that behalf first above written - N. B. MARYER ESQ  
 signed sealed and delivered in the presence of - A. B. MARYER ESQ  
 A. B. MARYER ESQ - Susan D. Gaillard ESQ  
 Henry Gourdin - B. Gaillard ESQ  
 Personally appeared before me A. B. Gaillard who being being duly sworn, deposes that he was present and saw N. B. MARYER ESQ Susan D. Gaillard and B. Gaillard sign read and deliver the within instrument of writing for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and that he together with Henry Gourdin subscribed their names as witnesses thereto - Sworn to before me this 1<sup>st</sup> April 1835 - A. B. Gaillard Not. Pub.  
 - Recorded 1<sup>st</sup> April 1835 -

South Carolina

This Indenture Tripartite made the nineteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six Between James S. Pucell of the Parish of St. James Goose Creek in the State aforesaid Physician of the first part, Catherine Solar of the Parish of St. Pauls in the State aforesaid Spinster of the second part, and Ellen W. Ryan of the State aforesaid of the third part Whereas a marriage is intended by Gods permission to be shortly had and solemnized between the said James S. Pucell and the said Catherine Solar And Whereas the said Catherine Solar at the time of executing these presents is possessed of a personal estate consisting of thirty five shares of the Union Bank of Charleston Six per cent City Stock of the City of Charleston to the amount of three thousand six hundred and ninety five dollars and sixty two cents and six per cent stock of the Branch Bank of the United States at Charleston to the amount of four thousand six hundred and twenty seven Dollars and sixty seven Cents. Also two slaves a Woman named Lurette and her child Richard And Whereas upon the treaty and promises to the said intended marriage it hath been and is agreed between the said James S. Pucell and Catherine Solar that as well the estate of which she is now possessed interested in or intitled unto as all such estate which may hereafter come to her, or she may acquire in any manner whatsoever, either by Legacy or from the proceeds of the said Bank, City, and United States Stock together with the issue and increase of her said Female Slave aforesaid named shall be settled and secured to her separate use and she and remain at her own sole and absolute disposal -

Now Therefore this Indenture Witnesseth that in pursuance  
 the said agreement and in consideration of and unto the sum  
 of \$1000 (one dollar) to the said Catharine Solar by the said Ellen  
 M Ryan well and truly paid, the receipt whereof is hereunto  
 attached the the said Catharine Solar by and with knowledge  
 privacy, and consent of the said James S Purcell her intended husband  
 testified by his being a party to, and executing these presents, hath  
 granted, bargained, sold, obligated, transferred and set over, and by  
 these presents doth grant, bargain, sell and transfer unto the said  
 Ellen M Ryan the said Bond, City, and United States six percent  
 Stock, and the several Shares, together with the future growth & increase  
 of the same, So Read and to Hold all and singular the said  
 Given and hereby granted, bargained, sold transferred and set over  
 or more mentioned, or intended to be, and every part thereof  
 unto the said Ellen M Ryan her Executors, Administrators and assigns  
 In trust to and for the sole and separate use of the said Catharine  
 Solar for and during the term of her Natural Life, without being  
 subject or liable to the debts, Incumbrances, Charges, or costs of  
 the said James S Purcell her intended husband, that the said  
 Catharine shall permit and suffer him the said James Purcell  
 to receive the interest, produce and profits of the said Estate during  
 his life for his and her use and benefit, and to permit her the said  
 Catharine to lay out, invest, dispose of alter and change the same  
 in such way and manner and when and as often as she shall think  
 proper either by any deed or writing or any other way which would be  
 legally adequate thereto if she were a feme sole and from and after  
 the decease of the said Catharine then in trust for such children  
 the issue of such marriage as shall be living and to be delivered up  
 to such Child or Children when they are of age, but in case of the said  
 Catharine without issue then to the said James S Purcell his heirs  
 Executors Administrators and assigns for ever. All Witnessed by  
 the said Parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands  
 and seals the day and year first before written of my former part  
 James S Purcell (S) Catharine Solar (S) Ellen M Ryan (S)  
 signed Seals delivered in the presence of Charles Boyle, John H. Brisbane  
 Personally appeared before me Charles Boyle who being duly sworn said  
 that he was present and saw James S Purcell Catharine Solar and Ellen  
 M Ryan sign Seal and deliver the foregoing instrument of writing

The uses and purposes therein mentioned and that he together with John  
 W. Brisbane subscribed their names as witnesses thereto. Given to  
 before me 4<sup>th</sup> April 1836 at Naval St. Pub. - Recorded 12<sup>th</sup> April 1836 -

This Indenture made this ninth day of February in the year of our  
 Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six and seventh year  
 of the Independence of the United States of America Between  
 Christopher H. Somerset of St. Bartholomew's Parish Colleton District  
 and State of South Carolina Shop Keeper of the first Part, Mary H.  
 Patterson Widow of the said Parish of the second Part, and Dr. Sampson  
 W. Leith and William Harrell of the said District of the Third Part -  
 Witnesseth that Whereas a Marriage by Gods Permission is shortly  
 to be had and solemnized by & between the said Christopher H. Somerset  
 and said Mary H. Patterson, and Whereas the said Mary H. Patterson  
 in her own right is possessed of a considerable personal property  
 consisting of nine Negro Slaves called and known by the name of  
 Big Sarah and child Sunny & Fatimore & Sarah with three children  
 Malia, Diana & Daphney, Sylvia & Ned which said Negroes the  
 said Christopher H. Somerset will be entitled to take, have and  
 receive on the solemnization of said Marriage & of its taking effect  
 it is therefore consented, covenanted and agreed to by and between  
 the said parties that all the <sup>said</sup> personal estate of her the said Mary H.  
 Patterson in case the said Marriage doth take effect and be solemnized  
 shall be settled and secured as specified and declared in three  
 indentures hereafter following. Now this Indenture Witnesseth that  
 for and in consideration of said intended Marriage and in pursuance  
 of said agreement, and also in consideration of the sum of five shillings  
 Sterling in specie unto her the said Mary H. Patterson in hand at and  
 before the sealing and delivery of these presents by the aforesaid Christopher  
 H. Somerset well and truly paid the full receipt whereof hereby is  
 acknowledged she the said Mary H. Patterson by and with the  
 privity and consent of the said Christopher H. Somerset testified  
 by his being a party to and signing and sealing of these presents  
 hath granted, sold, transferred, and set over, and by these  
 presents doth grant, sell transfer and set over unto them the  
 said Dr. Sampson W. Leith, & William Harrell their Executors  
 and Administrators all these the above named nine Negro Slaves  
 together with the issue and increase of the female Slaves unto the  
 said Dr. Sampson W. Leith and William Harrell their Executors -

and Administrators for ever upon the several trusts therein expressed  
 the uses and purposes hereinafter mentioned touching and concerning the  
 that is to say in trust for the said Mary & Patterson until said intended  
 marriage) shall take effect and from and immediately after the solemniza-  
 tion thereof in trust for the sole separate and distinct use of the said  
 Mary & Patterson during the term of her natural life without hindrance  
 or interruption of the said Christopher & Somerset or any other person or  
 persons whatsoever by force or under him but the profits and earnings  
 that may arise from the labour and industry of said Negro Slaves is to  
 be employed in support of the family at the discretion of the said D. Sampson  
 W. Litch and William Hassell without their being accountable for the exercise of  
 that discretion to any person or persons whatsoever, also that the said Negro  
 Negroes shall not nor any of them nor any of their issue or increase be sold, mortgaged  
 or made away with by the said Christopher & Somerset or any person or persons  
 by whom or under him nor that the said Negro Slaves nor any of them nor the increase  
 thereof nor issue shall ever be liable to pay any debts of the said Christopher &  
 Somerset which now are or may be contracted hereafter but the aforesaid Negroes  
 with the issue and increase of the females be and remain the sole separate and  
 distinct property of the said Mary & during her natural life, and from and  
 immediately after her decease to the child or children if any by said marriage  
 equally & share alike. It is also consented and agreed by and between the said parties  
 that the said Mary & shall always have it in her power lawfully to devise the  
 aforesaid Negroes to any person or persons she may think fit and her husband  
 and her last Will and Testament be good in Law but if she may neglect or  
 omit to have a Will at the time of her death and leave no issue then and in  
 that case the whole of the aforesaid premises to devolve on and become the property  
 of the said Christopher & Somerset during his natural life and no longer. In witness  
 whereof the said Parties to these presents have hereunto interchangedly set their  
 hands and seals on the day and year first above written. Mrs. M. Patterson &  
 signed sealed and delivered with the giving and receiving of five Shillings in full of said premises  
 in the presence of us  
 Received of the within said D. Sampson W. Litch and William Hassell on the day and  
 year first above written the sum of five shillings in specie being the full amount  
 within mentioned - the word "during her natural life and no longer" interlined on the  
 page before mentioned - Mary & Patterson - Witness present  
 William Bains = Eliza of Poychar -  
 S. C. Colleton District. Personally appeared before me N. H. Collins one of the Justices

Mary & Patterson Esq  
 Sampson W. Litch Esq  
 William Hassell Esq

signed to help the said Mr. Jones who deposed and said he was present and saw the within Parties sign and deliver the within and that plain & plain clear together with Sunday signed it as a witness thereto for the within purposes mentioned. William Jones

bound to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> July 1826 - W. H. Collins J. C. Recorder of the

State of South Carolina. This indenture made the fourteenth day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six and in the sixteenth year of the sovereignty and Independence of the United States of America Between Elizabeth Bearfield of St. Bartholomews Parish in the State aforesaid Widow of the first part. Sampson W. Smith Doctor of Medicine of the same place of the second part Whereas the said Eliza B. Bearfield is now absolutely possessed of the following Negroes named Parilla and her three children Affy. Dick, Rose, Hannah & her child named William. And Whereas a Marriage is by gods firm intention to be shortly had and solemnized between the said Eliza B. Bearfield and the said Caleb Poor. And Whereas in prospect and consideration of the said intended Marriage it hath been agreed by and between the said Caleb Poor and Eliza B. Bearfield that all and singular the said above mentioned Negroes with their future issue and increase shall be settled conveyed and disposed of to such uses upon such trusts and to and for such intents and purposes as are hereinafter mentioned agreed and declared of and concerning the same. Now this Indenture Witnesseth that in pursuance of the said agreement in consideration of the said intended Marriage and for and in consideration of the sum of five Dollars to the said Caleb Poor and to said Eliza B. Bearfield well and truly paid by the said Sampson W. Smith the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged the the said Eliza B. Bearfield by and with the firmity and consent of the said Caleb Poor her intended husband (Satisfied by his being a party to & signing and sealing of these presents. Hath granted bargained sold assigned transferred and set over and by these presents. Hath granted bargained sold assigned transferred and set over unto the said Sampson W. Smith and the survivors of him the Executors Administrators and assigns of each survivor all and singular the aforesaid Negroes and their issue in unrevoked names Parilla her three children Affy. Dick, Rose, Hannah and her son William together with their future issue and increase unto the said Sampson W. Smith and the survivors of him the Executors Administrators and assigns of each survivor for ever. Whereof the said Parilla her three children and her son William together with their future issue and increase

as and hereafter appointed and declared of and concerning the same  
that is to say the Trust for the said Eliza B. Bearfield her Executors  
Administrators and assigns until the determination of the said intended  
Marriage and from and immediately after the determination thereof then  
the Trust that the said Sampson N. Litch and the survivors of him the Execu-  
tors Administrators and assigns of such survivors do and shall permit  
and suffer the said Eliza B. Bearfield and her assigns to receive and  
take the wages, Labour personal services profits emoluments and advantages  
of the Negroes and their future issue and increase for her use, support, use  
and benefit for and during the term of her natural life. To the intent that  
the same may not be at the disposal of or subject or liable to the control  
debts or engagements of the said Caleb Pool her intended Husband and  
from and immediately after the decease of the said Eliza B. Bearfield then  
in trust to hold the aforesaid Negroes with their future issue and increase  
for the use of the said Caleb Pool her intended husband for and during the  
Term of his natural life and from and immediately after his decease then  
in trust for all and singular the child and children of my Brother James  
Buchanan (James Buchanan his son) Thomas Reading Buchanan and Mary  
Ann Buchanan the children of William Buchanan my Brother their  
and share alike as Tenants in common and not as Joint Tenants their heirs and  
assigns forever. But in case any of the above named children  
(James Buchanan Thomas Reading Buchanan and Mary Ann Buchanan)  
should depart this life without leaving issue at the time of his or her death  
then in trust for all and singular the lawful issue of James Buchanan  
and William Buchanan my Brothers equally between them share and share  
alike as Tenants in common and not as Joint Tenants and in case that  
the said James Buchanan Thomas Reading Buchanan Mary Ann  
Buchanan should depart this life without leaving issue then in  
Trust that the said Sampson N. Litch his Executors Administrators and  
assigns do grant convey assign and transfer all and singular the said  
Negroes with their future issue and increase unto and among the lawful  
issue of the Brothers of said Eliza B. Bearfield share and share  
alike as Tenants in common not as Joint Tenants their heirs and  
assigns forever. And to for no other purpose use or intent whatsoever  
I do Witness whereof the parties aforesaid to these presents have hereunto  
set their hands and seals dated the day and year first above written  
Caleb Pool (S) Eliza B. Bearfield (S) Sampson N. Litch (S)  
Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of: witnesses = William Thomas

State South Carolina, Personally appeared before me Michael  
 Colleton District, D. Maher who being duly sworn on the Holy  
 Evangelists oath that he was present and did see the within named  
 Cabb Poor, Elizabeth C. Parfield and Doctor Sampson M. Litch sign  
 see and Cabb Poor Elizabeth C. Parfield as their act and deed  
 deliver unto the within named D. W. Litch the within instrument of  
 writing for the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that said  
 Deponent together with William Thomas subscribed their names as  
 witnesses thereto - all D. Maher - Sworn to before me this  
 sixth day of February 1826 Benja Williams J. P.  
 Recorded 15 April 1826

This indenture made on the sixth day of April in the year of our  
 Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six Between William  
 Robert Sheadwell of the first part, Susan Jane Leguery of the second part  
 and Maurice Fleury Cooper and Benjamin Leguery of the third part  
 Witnesseth that Whereas a marriage is intended to be shortly had  
 and solemnized between the said William R. Sheadwell and the said  
 Susan Jane Leguery of the first and second parts. And Whereas the  
 said Susan Jane Leguery is possessed of a considerable personal estate  
 consisting of the five negro slaves namely, Dabak, and her two children  
 baby and Belia, also Miller and Phillis, Now therefore with the view of  
 securing the said Negro Slaves and their future increase as hereinafter  
 directed, and in consideration of the sum of five dollars to the said Susan  
 Jane Leguery in hand paid by the said Maurice R. Cooper and Benjamin  
 Leguery the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, she the said Susan  
 Leguery by and with the privity and consent of the said William Robert  
 Sheadwell testified by his being a party to these presents, hath granted  
 bargained, sold, and doth hereby grant bargain, sell and assign unto  
 the said Maurice Fleury Cooper and Benjamin Leguery their Executors  
 Administrators and assigns all the negro slaves above named with their  
 future natural increase, so hereunto to hold the said Slaves unto the  
 said Maurice Fleury Cooper and Benjamin Leguery their Executors  
 Administrators and assigns, in trust, in whole life and under such provisions  
 and agreements as are hereafter mentioned. That is to say In trust for  
 herself the said Susan Jane Leguery and her assigns until the solemnization  
 of the said intended marriage and afterwards in trust that they the said  
 Maurice Fleury Cooper and Benjamin Leguery their Executors Adm-  
 inistrators and assigns shall and do permit the said William Robert



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 deceased during the joint lives of the said William Richard Leguey  
 and the said Susan Lane Leguey to have receive take and enjoy all the interest  
 and profits of the said property to and for the joint uses of himself and of  
 the said Susan Lane Leguey and after the death of either the said William  
 Richard Leguey or of the said intended wife should there be no issue then  
 living. In trust that they the said Trustees shall assign and transfer to  
 survivor of them all the said slaves with their intermediate increase  
 and should the said Susan Lane Leguey happen to survive having  
 issue of this intended marriage, or should the said William Richard  
 Leguey survive having issue of this intended marriage living. In trust for  
 the said survivor during his or her natural life and afterwards  
 that the said Trustees or the survivor of them his Executors Adminis-  
 trators or assigns, shall then assign all the said property over to the use  
 of the marriage then living share and share alike. In witness whereof  
 we the said Parties have hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year  
 aforesaid and in the fifteenth year of the Independence of the United States of  
 America - William Richard Leguey (S) Susan Lane Leguey (S) Peter Leguey (S) William  
 Mitchell names - Peter P. Layton - Samuel Foxworth -  
 South Carolina - 3 Personally appeared before me Philip S. Procher Esquire  
 Charleston District Samuel Foxworth who being duly sworn maketh oath that  
 he was present and saw William R. Leguey Susan Lane Leguey Benjamin  
 Leguey and Samuel H. Cooper sign seal and as their act and deed deliver the  
 within instrument of writing for the purposes therein mentioned and that  
 the Deponent together with Peter P. Layton subscribed their names as witnesses  
 Samuel Foxworth - sworn to before me this 7<sup>th</sup> day of April in the year  
 of our Lord 1826 30<sup>th</sup> of American Independence. P. S. Procher, J. M. -  
 - Recorded 14<sup>th</sup> April 1826 -

The State of South Carolina - This Indenture is made this  
 Eighth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred  
 and twenty six. Between John R. Townsend of Saint Paul Parish  
 Planter of the first part. Mary S. Clark of Wadswell Island Parish  
 of the second part, and William McCourt and Benjamin M. Kelly  
 of the third part. Whereas a marriage is agreed upon and intended  
 to be shortly had and solemnized by and between the said John R. Townsend  
 and the said Mary S. Clark, and whereas upon the Treaty of the said  
 intended Marriage it was agreed upon by and between the said John R. Townsend  
 and the said Mary S. Clark that the Negroes and other Personal Property  
 hereinafter particularly named which the said Mary S. Clark owns in the

own right should be raised and applied to the uses and Trusts  
 hereinafter set forth. Now this Indenture Witnesseth that in  
 consideration of the said intended Marriage and in Personance and  
 performance of the saids, hereinafter mentioned, agreement and in  
 consideration of the sum of Five dollars to the said Mary & Clark  
 in hand paid by the said William Mescoat and Benjamin Whaley  
 at or before the sealing and delivering these presents the receipt  
 whereof is hereby acknowledged, and for divers other good causes and  
 considerations hereunto moving, the said Mary & Clark with  
 the consent and approbation of the said John R Townsend  
 testified by his being a party to and sealing and delivering these  
 presents, hath granted Bargained, Sold, assigned, transferred  
 and set over and by these presents do bargain sell assign  
 transfer and set over unto the said William Mescoat and  
 Benjamin Whaley all and singular the following Negroes with  
 the future issue and increase of the females that is to say  
 Billy, Anthony, Kate, Amos, Frank, Billy, Molly and  
 her two children Dennis and Charlotte, White, Anthony, David,  
 Thomas, Rose, Judas or one Phill, Mister, Nat, Esther & their  
 children, Sampson, <sup>son</sup> Annette, <sup>son</sup> Sancho, Ellenor,  
 Molly and Phill, Clay, Maurice and Hercules, Also all and  
 singular the Household and Kitchen Furniture, Stock of Cattle,  
 Horses, Hog and Boat belonging to the said Mary & Clark  
 & to hold, and to hold the said Negroes and their increase and  
 the other above enumerated articles unto the said William Mescoat  
 and Benjamin Whaley their heirs, Executors, Administrators and  
 assigns for ever; But notwithstanding upon the Trust and for the  
 intents and purposes hereinafter expressed and declared of  
 and concerning the same, that is to say In Trust to permit  
 and suffer the said John R Townsend, and the said Mary  
 & Clark to have, use, take, and enjoy the said Negroes and  
 the profits of their Labour, and the other articles above conveyed  
 for and during the term of their Joint lives free from the debts  
 contracts, or engagements of the said John R Townsend and  
 from and after the death of the said John R Townsend should  
 he die first, then in trust for the said Mary & Clark during  
 the term of her Natural life, and from and after her death then  
 in trust for such child or children as she may leave absolutely

and for ever. Part of the said estate shall be conveyed  
said John R. Townsend during his life, from and  
after his death, in trust for such child or children as  
they may have absolutely and for ever. Part of the said  
estate shall be conveyed such child or children in  
trust for the said John R. Townsend absolutely and  
for ever free and discharged from all further and other  
Trusts whatsoever. And it is a good bond between the  
parties to these presents that it shall and may be lawful  
to and for the said John R. Townsend and the said Mary  
I. Black or either of them by one with the advice and consent  
of the said Trustees or the survivors of them to and for the use  
and behoof of any one or more of them to sell and convey in writing  
that the proceeds of said sale be invested in other property and  
upon the like uses and trusts of this Deed: The Witness whereof the  
parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and seals this  
and year first above written; John R. Townsend, Mary I. Black, William Mescoat

dated and delivered in presence of Rich<sup>d</sup> J. Laroche Joseph B. Bennett  
Presumably appeared before me Joseph B. Bennett who being duly sworn  
that he was present and saw John R. Townsend, Mary I. Black and William  
Mescoat sign and deliver the within Instrument of writing for the  
uses and purposes therein mentioned and that he together with Rich<sup>d</sup>  
J. Laroche subscribed their names as witnesses thereto - Done & signed  
on this 25<sup>th</sup> April 1826 - W. Laroche Not. Pub. - (Recorded 25<sup>th</sup> April 1826)

South Carolina); This indenture made the first day of February  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty six  
between William S. Thomson of the District of Williamsburg and Elizabeth  
of the first part; Elizabeth Gentry of the same District and State of the  
second part, and Isaac C. Singletary of the same Dist of the third part  
Whereas a marriage is intended to be shortly had and solemnized  
between the said William S. Thomson and the said Elizabeth Gentry  
and whereas the said Elizabeth is in her own right entitled to the  
following Negro and other slaves to wit, Maria, Hannah, (daughter  
Maria, Sam, Geo, Philander and Rose. And whereas it has been agreed  
between the parties to these presents that the above named Negroes shall  
be bargained, sold released and set over unto the said Isaac Singletary  
his heirs, and to and for the uses and purposes hereinafter expressed  
of and concerning the same It is therefore stipulated by these presents

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in pursuance of the foregoing agreement and in consideration of  
the said intended marriage, and also in consideration of five acres  
to the said Elizabeth Gentry by the said Isaac Singletary in Cash  
paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged by the said Elizabeth  
Gentry, and the said Elizabeth Gentry hath bargained sold  
and delivered, and by these presents both bargained sold and  
in due form of Law delivered unto the said Isaac Singletary his  
Heirs, Executors and Administrators for ever the above named  
Negro and other Slaves, To have and to hold all and singular  
the aforesaid Negro and other Slaves, with the increase or issue  
of such of them as are females unto the said Isaac Singletary  
his Heirs, Executors and Administrators forever. Nevertheless  
in Trust for the uses and benefit of the said Elizabeth Gentry  
until the said Marriage shall be solemnized, and from and  
immediately thereafter, In trust for the benefit and advantage of  
the said William Thomson and Elizabeth Gentry during  
their joint lives, he the said William Thomson tending to his  
own use the profits, product interest and due of the said Slaves.  
But so that the said Slaves shall not be liable to any contract-  
engagement or alienation of him the said William Thomson  
and from and immediately after the death of either, the said  
William Thomson or the said Elizabeth Gentry, then In Trust  
for the survivor for and during his or her natural life and from  
and immediately after the death of such survivor In trust for such  
child or children of the present marriage, and such child or  
children of the said William Thomson by his former marriage  
with Lydia Lane Gentry as may be living, and the issue of  
such child or children of either marriage as may be dead at the  
time of the decease of such survivor, Share and Share alike  
such issue taking only as much as his or her or their Father or  
Mother would have taken if living In Witness whereof the parties  
aforesaid have hereunto set their hands and seals on the day  
and year first aforesaid = William Thomson (S)  
Elizabeth Gentry (S) Isaac S Singletary (S)  
Signed sealed and delivered in presence of Alex<sup>r</sup> Anderson  
John A Anderson = State of South Carolina  
George Town District? Personally appeared before me Alex<sup>r</sup>  
J Anderson who being duly sworn made oath and said

that he was present and saw the foregoing named William  
Elizabeth being and being single, sign, seal and deliver the  
within instrument of writing for the uses and purposes therein  
mentioned, and that he together with Peter A. Anderson subscribed  
their names as witnesses thereto. My A. Anderson - do sworn to  
before me at February 1835 Thomas G. Rogers J. P.  
- Recorded 28 April 1836 -

State of South Carolina? It now all seen by this present  
Whereas Henry William Perceman of the latter in the state  
aforesaid on and immediately before his intermarriage with Mary  
Sarah Coffin of the same state executed and delivered a Marriage  
Bond to Thomas Astor Coffin in trust for his sister the said  
Mary Sarah Coffin in the penal sum of Fifty thousand Dollars  
date the fifth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and eighteen, and conditional for the conveying, trans-  
ferring and draining the (property Real and Personal therein  
mentioned and described; and to which the said Mary Sarah  
Coffin was entitled in the manner therein stated, as soon as she  
should have attained the age of twenty one year, under a division of  
the said property, Real and Personal could be made unto the said  
Thomas Astor Coffin his heirs Executors Administrators and assigns  
according to the nature of the property. Now Justly nevertheless for the  
uses intents, and purposes mentioned and contained in the con-  
dition of the said bond, as in and by the said bond duly recorded  
in the office of the Secretary of the said state at Charleston on the eigh-  
teenth day of May in the year aforesaid in Book of Miscellaneous  
Records C. C. C. page 385, and also in the office of the Register of Deeds  
Conveyance for Charleston District in Book E. N. 8 Number Eighty four  
referred being thereto had well and fully appeared. And whereas  
the said Mary Sarah Coffin now Mary Sarah Perceman had  
sometime since attained the age of twenty one year, and the heirs  
named in the said bond and their issue had been divided, and  
her share of them designated, and given and with the proceeds of  
her share of the Legacy in said bond mentioned a family of Negro  
have been purchased by the said Thomas Astor Coffin for and  
upon the same uses and trusts as in said bond contained, but it has  
been deemed best for the interest of those concerned that the Land  
in said bond mentioned should not at present be divided, and

Whereas the said income of the best Estate of <sup>the said</sup> Mary  
 Coffin the Mother of the said Mary Sarah Peronneau was  
 appropriated for the purchase of an Island called Harbor Islands  
 and also of certain Household furniture, Plate, and necessary  
 Plantations implements, Stock of Cattle, and other Personal property  
 a Schedule of which is hereunto annexed, which Islands and  
 Personal Property had not yet been divided. And Whereas  
 the said Henry William Peronneau hath purchased from  
 the said Thomas Aston Coffin one full and undivided sixth  
 part of the said Thomas Aston Coffin's undivided seventh  
 part of the said Plantations or tract of Land in said bond—  
 mentioned which he inherited as one of the Co Heirs of his  
 Mother for and upon the same uses and trusts as those mentioned  
 in said bond; And Whereas it has been agreed by and between  
 the said Henry William Peronneau, Mary Sarah Peronneau  
 and Thomas Aston Coffin that the trusts in the said bond,  
 contained should be truly so added to and prolonged as to  
 provide a Maintenance and support for the wife and Children  
 of the said Henry William Peronneau should he die before his  
 said Wife, not subject to the debts and contracts of the said  
 Mary Sarah Peronneau should she survive her said Husband  
 and free from and not subject to the debts or contracts  
 of any future Husband of the said Mary Sarah Peronneau  
 should she again marry. Now Therefore I know all Men by  
 these presents that I the said Henry William Peronneau for and in  
 consideration of the Premises and of the love and affection I bear unto  
 my said Wife and to my Children and for the better livelihood and support  
 of my said Wife and Children, and in performance of the condition of  
 the said bond, and also in consideration of the sum of one dollar to me  
 paid by the said Thomas Aston Coffin of St. Helena Island in the  
 said State Planters at and before the making and delivery of these presents  
 the receipt whereof I truly acknowledge have together with my said Wife  
 Mary Sarah Peronneau granted, bargained, sold, released, transferred and  
 assigned, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell, release, transfer  
 and assign unto the said Thomas Aston Coffin all the property real  
 and Personal aforesaid that is to <sup>say</sup> a full and equal undivided seventh  
 part of all that Plantations or tract of Land situate lying and being  
 in St. Helena Island in the said State, Butting and Bounding to

244 The said Henry William Pennance and Mary Sarah Pennance to the south West and North West  
of Clifton the Printer use of William Buffin to the North West 1/2 of the  
said to the south East on Harbor Island (since measuring and containing  
Eleven hundred and eighty one and an half acres more or less being the  
part or share to which the said Mary Sarah Pennance was entitled  
as one of the Coheirs of her Mother; Also a full and equal undivided  
sixth part of another full and equal undivided seventh part of the  
said Plantation purchased from the said Thomas Astor Buffin by the  
said Henry William Pennance as aforesaid. Also a full and equal undivided  
seventh part of all that small Island contiguous to the said Plantation  
called Harbor Island, the said Island being estimated to contain  
Marsh and high ground four hundred and two more or less Also the  
following slaves to wit: Will, Rachel, Shaper, Dorah, Patra, Priota  
Butcher, Kate, Robert, Phillis, Dany, Remy, Goll, Felix, Bolla, Tom  
Leon, Mary, Sandy, Deborah, Tommy, Sully, Clarinda, Isabella, Mary  
Judy and Sam. and the following family of slaves purchased with the  
proceeds of the legacy aforesaid to wit: Eliza, Ann the Daughter and Robin  
Eliza and Fanny her children. Also an undivided seventh part of the  
Furniture, Plate, stock of cattle and so forth a schedule of which is here-  
unto annexed Together with all and singular the right, moneys, hereditaments  
and appurtenances to the said Premises belonging in any wise incident or  
appertaining; And the Reversions and reversions, Remainders and Remainders, and  
issues, profits, of all and singular the said Premises and of every part thereof  
And also all the Estate, Right, title, interest, use, trust, claim, demand in-  
heritance and property whatsoever both at Law and in Equity, of us  
the said Henry William Pennance and Mary Sarah Pennance in and  
out of the said Premises To Have and to Hold all and singular the  
premises before mentioned and the said slaves and other personal  
property with the future issue and increase of the funds of the  
said slaves unto the said Thomas Astor Buffin his heirs, Executors  
Administrators and assigns for ever according to the nature of the said  
Trust. Nevertheless to and for the following uses and purposes  
That into day, Intendeth that the said Thomas Astor Buffin during the  
Joint lives of the said Henry William Pennance and Mary Sarah Pennance  
Will authorize, and permit, and suffer the said Henry William Pennance to  
take, and enjoy the rents, issues and profits of the same and of every part thereof for the  
purpose of maintaining the said Mary Sarah Pennance and her children but  
not to be liable to the debts, contracts and engagements of the said Henry William

115. Peronneau, and from and after the death of either of them the said Henry,  
William Peronneau, and Mary Sarah Peronneau, having any child or  
children grand child or grand children living at his or her death -  
Then in trust that the said Thomas Astor Coffin his heirs Executors  
and Administrators shall and will permit and suffer the survivor of  
them the said Henry William Peronneau and Mary Sarah Peronneau  
during the term of his or her natural life to receive take and enjoy the rents  
issues and profits of the same and of every part thereof for the purpose  
of maintaining and educating such child or children, grand child or grand  
children in such manner as such survivor shall in his or her discretion  
see fit without being accountable to them or any one for the same, but not to  
be liable or subject to the debts, contracts or engagements of such survivor  
And should the said Mary Sarah Peronneau survive her said then and  
not to be liable or subject to the control, debts, contracts, or engagements of any  
future husband of the said Mary Sarah Peronneau should she again  
marry and from and after the death of such survivor Then in trust to  
and for the use and behoof of such child or children grand child or grand  
children his her and their heirs Executors Administrators and assigns if  
more than one as tenants in common such grand children standing  
in their Parents stead and taking between them only their Parents share  
But in case either of them the said Henry William Peronneau and  
Mary Sarah Peronneau should die leaving no child or children grand  
child or grand children living at his or her death, or in case he or she  
should have such child or children grand child or grand children  
living at his or her death and they should all die in the life time of the  
survivor of them the said Henry William Peronneau and Mary Sarah  
Peronneau unmarried and without issue Then in trust to and for the  
use and behoof of such survivor his or her heirs Executors Administrators  
and assigns: Provided always nevertheless that in case it should appear  
hereafter to the said Henry William Peronneau and Thomas Astor Coffin  
during the joint lives of the said Henry William Peronneau and  
Mary Sarah Peronneau to be most for the advantage of the said Mary  
Sarah Peronneau and her children and grand children that the whole or  
any part of the said property real and personal should be sold or disposed  
of and the proceeds thereof vested in other property Real or personal or  
both or in case the same thing should appear to the survivor of them the  
said Henry William Peronneau and Mary Sarah Peronneau and to  
the said Thomas Astor Coffin as to such children and grand children



246 Then in witness whereof and in such case it shall and may be lawful for and for  
 the said Henry William Peonneau and Thomas Aston Coffin during their  
 lives of the said Henry William Peonneau and Mary Sarah Peonneau or such  
 survivor and the said Thomas Aston Coffin of their dead or deads respectively  
 executed in the presence of two or more credible witnesses to revoke and make void  
 all and every the use and uses hereinbefore limited of or concerning the said  
 property or any part thereof and to limit and declare any new use or uses  
 of or concerning the same, so as upon and at the time of making such  
 revocation and limiting any new use or uses of or concerning the said property  
 or as soon thereafter as can conveniently be done, the moneys or proceeds  
 arising from the sale thereof be voted by the said parties in the purchase  
 of any other property Real or personal or both and the same well  
 and sufficiently conveyed and transferred to the said Thomas Aston  
 Coffin his heirs, Executors Administrators and assigns the said  
 Henry William Peonneau during the Joint lives of himself and his said  
 Wife or the survivor of them the said Henry William Peonneau and his  
 said Wife, signing the deeds conveying and transferring the same & thereby  
 signifying his or her consent thereto. No trust nevertheless to and for the  
 same uses and purposes as those already expressed which said Deed  
 and Deeds conveyance and conveyances the the said Mary Sarah Peonneau  
 should she survive her said husband is hereby imposed to make and  
 sign as aforesaid Notwithstanding any future coverture should she again  
 marry Provided also Nevertheless that the same forever subject to the  
 same condition is hereby given to the same parties from time to time  
 as often as they may think fit it advantageous to revoke the use and uses  
 of the whole or any part of any property acquired by the sale or dis-  
 -posal of the aforesaid property or any part thereof either immediately  
 or remotely, and to appoint any new use or uses thereof. Witness  
 my hand seal and the hand and seal of my said Wife, and the hand  
 and seal of the said Thomas Aston Coffin as an acknowledgment of  
 his being willing to assume the discharge of the duties of Trustee under  
 this deed and his assent to the prolongation of the trusts as hereinbefore  
 made this fifteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand  
 Eight Hundred and twenty six and in the fiftieth year of the Independence  
 of the United States of America: — Henry W Peonneau Esq  
 sealed and delivered in the presence of William Hoach }  
 John P Finley } — Mary S Peonneau Esq  
 Thomas Aston Coffin Esq

247 Schedule of household furniture and so forth late the property of  
of the estate of Mrs. Mary Coffin, at present in use on the Plantation  
within described, and referred to in the within deed, to wit: Sitting  
Chairs, Cellar, Carpet, Card Table, Knife Cases, Undisons Glass and  
Crockery, Silver Plate, dining Tables, Piano, Picture, Chimney  
Ornaments, Bedsteads and Bedding Chests of Drawers, Wardrobe  
Table and other Linen, Boats, Mules, Carts, Blackettle Plantain  
implements — — — Henry W. Pooneau — — —

Witness Mr. P. Dinley. William Roach — — —  
Personally appeared before me, Miller P. Dinley who being duly sworn  
made oath that he was present and saw Henry W. Pooneau and Mary  
Sarah Pooneau, sign seal and set as their act and deed deliver the  
foregoing instrument of writing for the uses and purposes <sup>therein mentioned</sup> also that he saw  
Thomas Aston Coffin sign and seal the same for the purposes and  
ends to the intents therein expressed, and that he with William  
Roach subscribed their names as Witnesses thereto — Sworn to before  
me this 6<sup>th</sup> May 1826. No. 1 Pub. =

The State of South Carolina, } I John W. Mitchell one of the  
Charleston District } Justices of the Quorum, do hereby  
certify unto all whom it may concern that Mary Sarah Pooneau  
the wife of the within named Henry William Pooneau did this day  
appear before me and upon being severally and separately examined by me  
did declare that she did at least seven days before this her examination  
actually leave her husband in executing the within Release, and did then  
and at this time of her examination still does freely and voluntarily and  
without any manner of compulsion deed, or fear of any person or persons  
whomsoever, knowen, unknowen, and for ever quit, relinquish all her Estate  
interest and inheritance; and also all her Right and claim of Dower  
of in or to all and singular the premises within mentioned, and  
released that the within named Thomas Aston Coffin his  
heirs and assigns, In Trust nevertheless to and for the uses intents  
and purposes and subject to the Provisions and conditions within  
mentioned and that the within Release was positively and bona  
fide executed at least seven days before this her examination —  
Given Under my hand and Seal this 6<sup>th</sup> day of May Anno Domini  
1826 thousand eight hundred and twenty six } Mary S. Pooneau (L)  
John W. Mitchell. J. W. No. Pub. (L)

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with her said husband in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six between Peter W. Treadwell of the District of Maryland on the one part and State of the first part Mary Allston Tawley of the same State and State of the second part and Le Grand G. Walker and Joseph P. Latruice of the same District and State of the first part whereas a marriage is intended to be had and solemnized between the said Peter W. Treadwell and the said Mary Allston Tawley and whereas the said Mary Allston Tawley is in her own right legally seized possessed of and entitled unto the following negroes and other chattels to wit  
 Leominwell, Coll. Hard times, Senah, Coogan, Washington, Colaninja, Singh, Sam, Simon, Hannah, Sally, Mary, Sue, Mary, Molly, Abigail, Satica, Rose, Tom, Lizy, Ben, Mindantanne, Ed, Phyllis, Rose, Lucia, Syc, a girl, Spandy, Horator, Ben, Jenny, Ellen, Phillis, Benjamin, George, Big, Mary, Sinder, Colayfa, Sarah, Abilda, Sophie, Mary, Anthony, Adam, Peggy, Amelia child, Sylvia, Edgar, March, Diana, Phoebe, Cesar, Aggy, Cance, Abby, Julia, Joe, Dick, Mary, Betty, Sam, Simon & Child, Thomas, Frank, Anne, James, George, Katarina, Colay, Jacob, Ned, Ned, Edley, being twenty three in number and also to a certain plantation or tract of land situated on Waccamaw and known by the name of town plus originally granted to Col. George Tawley and devised by his heirs and son the said Tawley to the daughter of the latter the said Mary Allston Tawley and whereas it has been agreed by and between the parties to these presents that the said Negroes and Land shall be granted, bargained, sold, released and set over to the said Le Grand G. Walker and Joseph P. Latruice in Trust and to and for the uses and purposes hereinafter expressed of and concerning the same it is therefore well implied by this indenture that in pursuance of the foregoing agreement in consideration of Five dollars the said intended marriage and also in consideration of Five dollars to the said Mary Allston Tawley by the said Le Grand G. Walker and Joseph P. Latruice in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged by the said Mary Allston Tawley she the said Mary Allston Tawley hath granted bargained sold released and set over and by these presents doth

249 bargain, sell release and set me into the said Le Brand  
H. Walker and Joseph P. La Bruce, the survivor of them  
the heirs, executors and administrators of such survivor  
forever the aforesaid negro and other slaves, and the said  
plantation or tracts of land together with all and singular  
what the increase in future of such of the said negro  
and other slaves as are females, and all and singular  
the right, tenements and hereditaments to the said  
plantation or tracts of land belonging or in any wise  
appertaining, is have and to hold all and singular  
the premises unto the said Le Brand H. Walker and  
Joseph P. La Bruce, the survivor of them the heirs, executors  
and administrators of them such survivor forever. Nevertheless in trust  
for the use and benefit of the said Mary Allston Pawley,  
until the said marriage shall be solemnized, and  
from and immediately thereafter in trust for the use  
benefit and advantage of the said Peter M. Innes and  
Mary Allston Pawley during their joint lives, he the said  
Peter M. Innes taking and receiving to his own use the  
profits, products, interests, rents and hire thereof and  
from and immediately after the death of either the  
said Peter M. Innes or the said Mary Allston Pawley then  
in trust for the survivor during his or natural life and  
from and immediately after the death of such survivor  
in trust for such child or children of the marriage as  
shall then be living and the issue of such child or  
children of the marriage as may be dead at the decease  
of such survivor share and share alike such issue  
taking only as much as his her or their father or mother  
would have taken if surviving, but in case it should  
occur that at the time of the decease of <sup>such</sup> survivor there are  
living no issue of the marriage then the trust and confidence  
hereby reposed in the said Le Brand H. Walker and Joseph  
P. La Bruce shall cease, and all and singular the  
premises shall go to and be divided among the proper  
heirs of such survivor, or among such persons as such  
survivor by deed or otherwise, duly executed shall ap-  
point and designate to be the property of them and their

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and Seal on the day and year first above said. I the said  
Mary Allston Parley, J. G. S. and G. Walker, J. P. La. R. use  
La. R. use signed sealed and delivered in the presence  
of David W. Dowell, Daniel V. Benton, M. D. Southwell  
George Town District. Personally appeared before me David  
W. Dowell who being duly sworn sayeth that he was present  
and did see Peter H. Fraser, Mary Allston Parley, G. Walker  
G. Walker and Joseph P. La. R. use sign seal and execute  
the preceding preceding marriage. Both parties declared  
that Daniel V. Benton and this defendant signed their names  
as witnesses in the presence of the parties and each other and  
W. Dowell sworn to before me this 12 April 1826. G. Watson  
J. W. Recorded 15 May 1826.

State of South Carolina District of Charleston This Indenture  
in partite made this ninth day of May One thousand  
eight hundred and twenty six between Daniel K. Edwards  
of the first part, Mary Elizabeth Ashe, Widow and executrix of  
Samuel Ashe, Sec<sup>y</sup> and daughter of Robert Pinckney de  
of the second part, and Paul Weston, Trustee nominated  
and appointed to effectuate the trust and to maintain  
maintain the Settlement hereinafter mentioned of the  
third part. Whereas a marriage is intended to be shortly  
had and solemnized between the aforesaid Daniel K. Edwards  
and Mary Elizabeth Ashe. And whereas the said Mary Elizabeth  
is seized and possessed of considerable real and personal  
Estate, to wit a plantation or tract of land known and  
distinguished by the name of Cypress Pond formerly the  
residence of the said Robert Pinckney and of land adja-  
cent thereto as far as the saw way in a place called Mann  
old Field, and of a quantity of pine land, all situate in  
St. Thomas Parish in the State aforesaid, as also of a number  
of Negroes to wit as follows Priscilla, Tenang, Albert, Ham-  
mah, Di, Hagar, Jack, Charles, Model, Mary, Mall, Dick,  
Hammond, Isaac, Anthony, Ben, Daniel, Diana, Sam-  
Shel, Harriet, Minos, Maria, Betty, Virah, Cornelia, Ma-  
mah, Dinah, Henry, Dick and Robert and Phina, all