

HOLSON And Whereas on treaty of the said Marriage it was agreed by and between the said Parties that the Estate both Real and Personal above mentioned with the Hereditaments & Appurtenances should be conveyed to the said Robert Howard his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns upon the trusts and to and for the several uses intents and purposes herein after mentioned, Now therefore this Indenture witnesseth that the said Elizabeth Holson in Pursuance of the said Intended Marriage Agreement and also for and in Consideration of the Sum of ten Shillings good and lawful Money of South Carolina aforesaid by the said Robert Howard to the said Elizabeth Holson in hand well and truly paid at and before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and by and with the Consent and Approbation of the said John Heath Testified by his becoming a party to and sealing and Delivery of these Presents She the said Elizabeth Holson hath granted bargained sold Alien Released Released Conveyed Assigned transferred and made over and by these Presents Doth Grant Bargain Sell Alien Remise Release Convey Assign Transfer and make over unto the said Robert Howard his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns All the aforesaid two Lots of Land Commonly called and known by the Numbers One hundred and Nineteen One hundred and twenty as above mentioned Also the said Negro Slaves Named Mary Phillis Peter Morgan and Norway with the future Issue and Increase of the said Female Slaves Also all and singular the said Household Furniture Plate and Kitchen Furniture And also all the Estate Right title Interest use Trust Possession property Profit Benefit Claim and Demand whatsoever of her the said Elizabeth Holson of in to or out of all and singular the aforesaid Premises with their and every of their Hereditaments Rights Members and Appurtenances To have and to hold all and singular the aforesaid Premises with their & every of their Hereditaments Rights Members and Appurtenances unto the said Robert Howard In trust to and for the several uses Intents and purposes herein after mentioned Comprised Expressed Declared Limited and Appointed that is to say that he the said Robert Howard shall and will permit and suffer the said Elizabeth Holson immediately after the solemnization of the said intended

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Immediately after the Death of the said John Heath if he shall
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Absolutely forever but in case she the said Elizabeth Holson
shall Die in the life time of the said John Heath then it shall
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as she shall think fit and proper without the least or
smallest Intermeddling or Controul of the said John Heath
her said intended Husband Notwithstanding her Coverture
In Witness whereof the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto
Interchangeably set their hands and seals the Day and Year
first above written
Sealed and Delivered in the presence of
James Guy Alex^r Forrester } John Heath
Elij. Holson
Robt. Howard
Received the Day of the Date of the within written Indenture of
the 10th day of July from the within named Robert Howard the sum of ten shillings currency
being in full of the Pecuniary Consideration money within mentioned
Witness James Guy Alex^r Forrester
Elij. Holson

South Carolina I Thomas Winstanley Esq being duly sworn
 Chas. Town District on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God
 Doth make oath and say that he well knows and for several
 years last past hath known Mr Alexander Forrester one of the
 Subscribing Witnesses to the Execution of the within Deed or
 Instrument that he hath frequently seen him subscribe his
 Name and that he verily believes the Name Alexander Forrester
 subscribed to the Execution of the said Deed to be the proper
 Name and Signature of the said Alexander Forrester, Sworn
 this 25th of November 1781 before Me, John Throup J. P.

This Indenture of three Parts

Made the seventh Day of April in the Year of our Lord One thou-
 sand seven hundred and Eighty five Between John Dupelaine
 of the Parish of St James Santee in the State of South Carolina
 Merchant of the first Part Elizabeth Sennens of the Parish and
 State aforesaid Spinster of the second Part, And John Buchanan
 of the Parish and State aforesaid Physician & Isaac Dupelaine of
 George Town and in the State aforesaid Gentleman of the third
 Part Whereas the said Elizabeth Sennens is seized in her own
 Right to her and her heirs and assigns forever of a considerable
 Estate And whereas Marriage is intended shortly to be had &
 solemnized between the said John Dupelaine and the said
 Elizabeth Sennens upon the Contract of which Marriage
 it is hereby concluded and agreed by and between them the
 said John Dupelaine and the said Elizabeth Sennens That if
 the said Intended Marriage shall take effect and be solemnized
 that the Estate of the said Elizabeth Sennens shall be settled
 and Vested in the said John Buchanan and Isaac Dupelaine
 and the Survivor of them in such manner and form and
 for such uses Intents and purposes as are herein after limited
 appointed and expressed and to and for no other use and
 intent or purpose whatsoever Now this Indenture Witnesseth
 that for making the said Agreement Effectual in Law and
 Also for and in Consideration of the sum of ten Shillings
 Lawful Money of the said State to the said Elizabeth Sennens
 in hand paid by the said John Buchanan and Isaac Dupelaine
 at or before the sealing and Delivery of this presents the Receipt
 of which is hereby Acknowledged the the said Elizabeth Sennens
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Doth Grant bargain sell and Deliver unto the said John Buchanan and Isaac Delapelline all and every part of my said Estate To have and to hold all my said Estate unto the said John Buchanan and Isaac Delapelline their Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever upon the several Trusts nevertheless and to and for the several uses intents and purposes herein after mentioned Limited and Declared of and Concerning the same That is to say In trust for the said Elizabeth Sennens until the said Intended marriage shall take effect and from and immediately after the Solemnization thereof then upon Trust that the same shall not in any wise be subject or liable to the Debts of the said John Delapelline her intended Husband But that the said Estate shall be Vest'd Entirely in the Possession of him the said John Delapelline During the Term Lives of him the said John Delapelline and his said intended Wife then upon further Trust that the said Estate shall be Valued Separated and Divided into two Equal parts and Divisions the one Moiety or half part whereof shall be Remain and enure to the Survivors of them the said John Delapelline and Elizabeth Sennens his or her Executors Adminors & Assigns for ever for ever And the other Moiety or half part of the said Estate shall be Remain and enure to the proper use benefit and behoof of such Child or Children being Issue of the body of the said Elizabeth Sennens to be begotten by the said John Delapelline as shall be living at the time of the Decease of the said John Delapelline or the said Elizabeth Sennens which shall first happen to him or her or their Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever And in Default of such Issue then to the Survivors or longest liver of them the said John Delapelline and Elizabeth Sennens his or her Executors Administrators & Assigns Absolutely for ever and to and for no other Intent or purpose whatsoever any thing herein before contained to the contrary thereof in any wise Notwithstanding In witness whereof the said Parties have hereunto Interchangeably set their hands and and seals Dated the Day and Year first above written.

Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of
Jacob Scanneret Junr
Samuel Warren, Daniel McGregor

John Delapelline ss
Elizabeth Sennens ss
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Isaac Delapelline ss

Said and Possession was made and Delivered by the within named Elizabeth Sennens of one Shilling to the within named John Buchanan and Isaac Delapelline in the Name and Surname of the whole bargained Premises within mentioned on the Day of the Date of the within Indenture in the presence of us
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Samuel Warren, Daniel McGregor } State of South Carolina
Washington County

Personally Appeared Captain Samuel Warren who being duly sworn maketh oath that he was present and saw John Delapelline and Elizabeth Tenness sign seal and as their Act and Deed Deliver the within Instrument of writing to and for the uses and purposes therein mentioned that he the Deponent did also see In^r Buchanan and Isaac Delapelline sign thereto as trustees And that Mr Jacob Scannet Jun^r and Mr Daniel McGregor the other two Subscribing witnesses signed with himself as and Evidence thereto, signed & sworn to before me this 16th April 1785 } Samuel Warren,
Charles Gaillard. J. P.

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This Indenture made the 1st V
Fifteenth Day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty four Between John Walker of Charleston in the State aforesaid Merchant of the one part and David Blaphant and Andrew Williamson of the same Place Esquires of the other Part Whereas a marriage is intended by the Permission of God shortly to be had and solemnized by and between the said John Walker and Mary Ann Williamson Spinster a minor Daughter of Andrew Williamson of the State aforesaid Esquire upon the Contract of which marriage the said John Walker hath agreed that if the same shall take effect that then notwithstanding the said Marriage he the said John Walker his Executors Administrators or Assigns shall not nor will intermeddle with or have any right title or interest either in Law or equity of in or to any Estate Real or Personal which the said Mary Ann Williamson is now Possessed of interested in or entitled to or may at any time hereafter be Possessed of interested in or entitled to but that the same and all the income Produce and Profits thereof shall Remain Continues and be to the said Mary Ann Williamson or to such uses as the said Mary Ann Williamson shall think fit and Appoint Now this Indenture Witnesseth that in Consideration of the said Marriage and for making the said agreement effectual in the Law and for the preserving all the Estate Real and Personal which the said Mary Ann Williamson is now or may hereafter may be possessed of interested in or entitled to and the income produce & profits thereof to and for the Separate use of the said Mary Ann Williamson and so that the same shall not be in the power or Disposal of the said John Walker he the said John Walker Doth for himself his Executors and Administrators and for every of them Covenant Promise and agree to and with the said David Blaphant and Andrew

Williamson and the survivors of them their and his Executors and Administrators by these Presents that notwithstanding the said intended Marriage shall take effect that all the Estate both Real and Personal which the said Mary Ann is now or may at any time hereafter During her said Coverture be possessed of interested in and intitled to and the rents income issues and Profits of the same shall be accounted reckoned and taken as a Separate and Distinct estate of and from the estate of him the said John Walker and be no ways liable or Subject to him or to the Payment of any of his Debts but be ordered Disposed and employed to such Person and Persons and to and for such uses intents and purposes and in such manner and form as is hereafter mentioned & Declared that is to say that the Ready Money arising or accruing out of the said Separate and Distinct Estate before mentioned shall from time to time be placed out at interest on such Securities as she the said Mary Ann Williamson shall think fit which Securities During the Coverture shall be taken and made in the names of the said David Cliphant and Andrew Williamson or the survivors of them or such other person or persons as she the said Mary Ann Williamson shall order and appoint in trust for her the said Mary Ann Williamson and that all the Separate and Distinct Estate before Declared and allotted for the said Mary Ann Williamson as aforesaid and the Income Increase & Produce & Profits thereof shall be had taken possessed and enjoyed by such person and Persons and for such uses as the said Mary Ann Williamson shall at any time or times hereafter During her life limit Devise order or Dispose of the same or any part thereof either by her last will & Testament in writing or by any other writing whatsoever signed with her hand in the Presence of two or more Credible witnesses and the said John Walker Doth for himself his Executors and Administrators Covenant Promise and agree to and with the said David Cliphant and Andrew Williamson and the survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such survivors by these Presents in manner following that is to say that if the said intended Marriage shall take effect that then the said John Walker shall & will Permit and Suffer the said Mary Ann Williamson to give grant and Dispose of her said Separate Estate as she shall think fit in her life time and to make such will or other writing as aforesaid and thereby to give order Devise limit and appoint her said Separate Estate to any person or persons for any trust use intent or purpose whatsoever and that he the said John Walker shall and will permit and suffer such Will hereafter to be made by the said Mary Ann Williamson to be Duly proved by the Executors in such will named and

Personally Appeared Captain Samuel Warren who being duly sworn maketh oath that he was present and saw John Deliepelme and Elizabeth Tonnens sign seal and as their Act and Deed Deliver the within Instrument of writing to and for the uses and purposes therein mentioned that he the Deponent did also see In^r Buchanan and Isaac Deliepelme sign thereto as trustees And that Mr Jacob Scanneret Jun^r and Mr Daniel McGregor the other two Subscribing Witnesses signed with himself as and Evidence thereto, signed & sworn to before me this 18th April 1785 } Samuel Warren,
Charles Gaillard. J. P.

South Carolina

This Indenture Made the

Fifteenth Day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty four Between John Walker of Charleston in the State aforesaid Merchant of the one part and David Phipps and Andrew Williamson of the same Place Esquires of the other Part Whereas a marriage is intended by the Permission of God shortly to be had and solemnized by and between the said John Walker and Mary Ann Williamson Spinster a minor Daughter of Andrew Williamson of the State aforesaid Esquire upon the Contract of which marriage the said John Walker hath agreed that if the same shall take effect that then notwithstanding the said Marriage be the said John Walker his Executors Administrators or Assigns shall not nor will intermeddle with or have any right title or interest either in Law or equity of in or to any Estate Real or Personal which the said Mary Ann Williamson is now Possessed of interested in or entitled to or may at any time hereafter be Possessed of interested in or entitled to but that the same and all the income Produce and Profits thereof shall Remain Continues and be to the said Mary Ann Williamson or to such uses as the said Mary Ann Williamson shall think fit and Appoint Now this Indenture Witnesseth that in Consideration of the said Marriage and for making the said agreement effectual in the Law and for the preserving all the Estate Real and Personal which the said Mary Ann Williamson is now or may hereafter may be Possessed of interested in or entitled to and the income produce & profits thereof to and for the Separate use of the said Mary Ann Williamson and so that the same shall not be in the power or Disposal of the said John Walker be the said John Walker doth for himself his Executors and Administrators and for every of them Covenant Promise and agree to and with the said David Phipps and Andrew

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 shall think fit which Securities During the Coverture shall be taken and
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 and Dispose of her said separate Estate as she shall think fit in her
 life time and to make such will or other writing as aforesaid and
 thereby to give order Devise limit and appoint her said separate Estate
 to any person or persons for any trust use intent or purpose whatever
 and that he the said John Walker shall and will permit and Suffer
 such Will hereafter to be made by the said Mary Ann Williamson
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Probable of such will to be had and taken as usual and that the Person
 or Persons to whom the said Mary Ann Williamson shall give and Dispose
 of any part of her Separate Estate by her will or any other writing that
 shall be signed sealed and Executed by her in the Presence of two or
 more Credible Witnesses as aforesaid shall and lawfully may Peaceably
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 to the true meaning of such Gift Devise or Appointment without
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 Williamson and the Survivors of them and the Executors and
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 After the said intended marriage shall take effect to Commence
 any Action or Suit in Law or equity in the name of the said John Walker
 and Mary Ann his intended wife against any persons for Recovery of
 any sums of money that may be Due to the said Mary Ann on her said
 Separate Estate as aforesaid and that the said John Walker shall not
 Release or Discharge any such Action or Suit nor Receive Release
 or Discharge any sums of money that may be Due or owing to the
 said Mary Ann from her Separate Estate as aforesaid without the
 Special Licence and Consent of the said David Elephant and the
 said or the survivor of them or the Executor
 or Administrators of such Survivors in that behalf first had and
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 maintain all lawful actions and suits that shall be so Commenced
 for Recovery of the Premises and that he the said John Walker shall and
 will as often as thereto Required by the said David Elephant and
 Andrew Williamson or the survivor of them join with the said
 Mary Ann his now intended wife in any Receipt Release Discharge
 or Assignment Necessary to be given on Receiving any monies
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 that he the said John Walker shall and will from time to time
 and at all times hereafter from and after the said intended
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Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

John Maitland, Richard Lord

Charleston

John Walker (S.S.)

David Oliphant (S.S.)

A. Wmson (S.S.)

District } Personally appeared Mr John Maitland who being duly Sworn made Oath that he was Present and saw John Walker David Oliphant and Andrew Williamson sign seal and as their Act and Deed Deliver this Indenture for the uses and purposes within mentioned and that Richard Lord with this Deponent subscribed their Names as Witness to the Due Execution thereof

Sworn this 22 Day of Sept 1785

Before

Peter Feneau J. A.

South Carolina (159)

Know all Men by these Presents
that I William Glen of Charlestown in the Province of South Carolina
Merchant am bound and firmly bound and liged unto Stephen Miller
of St. Thomas's Parish in the said Province Planter and Brian Cape of
Charlestown Merchant in the full and Just Sum of twenty eight thousand
Pounds Current Money of the said Province To be Paid to the said Stephen
Miller and Brian Cape or either of them their or either of their
Certain Attorney Executors Administrators or Assigns To which
Payment well and truly to be made and Done I bind Myself &
Each and every of my heirs Executors and Administrators firmly
by these Presents Sealed with my Seal and Dated the Seventh
Day of April in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred
and Seventy. Whereas a marriage is by Gods Permission shortly
intended to be had and solemnized between Martha the Daughter of
the said Stephen Miller and the above bound William Glen And
Whereas the said Stephen Miller in Consideration of the said
Marriage hath paid or secured to be paid to the said William
Glen the Sum of fourteen thousand Pounds Current money of
the said Province as a Marriage Portion with his said Daughter
And Whereas the said William Glen in Consideration thereof
And to the intent to secure and Provide a proper Provision and
Maintenance for the said Martha and her Issue in case he the
said William Glen at any time During the Joint Lives of them
the said William and Martha should be by Misfortune or Sickness
in Trade or otherwise Reduced in Circumstances Or in case the
said Martha shall Survive him And also to secure and Provide
for the Issue of the Body of the said Martha hath Consented And
Agreed to and with the said Stephen Miller and Brian Cape and
the Survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such
Survivors to pay or secure to the said Stephen Miller and
Brian Cape and the Survivors of them and the Executors and
Administrators of such Survivors the said Sum of Fourteen thousand
Pounds when ever (after the said Marriage shall take effect) he
shall be thereto Requested by the said Stephen Miller and Brian
Cape or the Survivors of them or the Executors or Administrators
of such Survivors to and for the use and purposes aforesaid that
is to say to and for the sole Separate and Distinct use of the
said Martha for and During the term of her Natural life
And after her Decease to and for the use and behoof of such
Child or Children of her Body to be begotten as shall be
living.

LIVING at the time of her Death. And hath also Consented and agreed, that his whole Estate shall all times after the said Marriage shall take effect be and Remain first Liable and Chargeable with the said Sum of fourteen thousand Pounds Current money to and for the uses and purposes aforesaid. Now the Condition of the foregoing Obligation is such that if the above bound William Glen do and Shall whenever after the said intended Marriage shall take effect and he shall be thereto requested by the said Stephen Miller and Brian Cape or the Survivor of them or the Executors or Administrators of Such Survivor pay or Secure the said Stephen Miller and Brian Cape or the Survivor of them or the Executors or Administrators of Such Survivor the said Sum of fourteen thousand Pounds to and for the uses and purposes aforesaid then the foregoing obligation to be Void and of no effect otherwise to be and Remain in full force and Virtue.

Signed Sealed and Delivered Will^m Glen, Junior
in the Presence of. W. Downs, John Glen

Charleston? Personally appeared John Glen Esquire who being duly Sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God made oath that he was present and saw William Glen Jun^r Sign seal and as his Act and Deed Deliver this Instrument of writing for the uses Intents and purposes within mentioned and that he the Deponent and Arthur Downs Subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the due Execution of the same. Sworn in the City of Charleston this 23^d Day of August 1783 before. Peter Feneau S. J.

State of S^c Carolina, This Indenture Tripartite made this twenty fifth first Day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty three Between Lesly Brighton of St Bartholomew's Parish in the State aforesaid of the first Part and Margaret Cunningham James Postell Junior Richard Singelton of the second Part and Thomas Gough of Jacksonburgh and State aforesaid Merchant of the third Part whereas there is a Marriage intended by Gods Permission shortly to be had and solemnized between the said Lesly Brighton and the said Thomas Gough and whereas the said Lesly Brighton now standeth Possessed in her own Right of in and unto the following Negro Slaves Vizt. Obedarah Marcia Sally Bella Betty Will Dick Tom Botsy Joan Nanny Jack Bep and Charles Which in Pursuance of an agreement made upon

The Contract of the said intended Marriage of the Parties herein
 above mentioned to be settled and agreed to and upon the said Lesly
 Brighton to and for the uses Intents and purposes herein after Declared
 Now this Indenture witnesseth that the said Lesly Brighton for &
 in consideration of the said intended marriage to to be had and
 solemnized between the said Thomas Gough and her the said Lesly
 Brighton and of the sum of ten Pounds Sterling to the said Lesly
 Brighton in hand paid by Margaret Cunningham James Postell
 Junior Richard Singleton and Andrew Cunningham the Receipt
 whereof by and with the consent and agreement of the said Thomas
 Gough Party to these Presents is hereby acknowledged the the said
 Lesly Brighton hath granted bargained sold and confirmed, and
 by these Presents doth bargain sell and Confirm unto the said
 Margaret Cunningham James Postell Junior Richard
 Singleton and Andrew Cunningham their Executors and
 Administrators all the aforesaid Negro Slaves named old
 Sarah Marcia Sally Sally Billa Betty Will Dick Tom
 Betty Joan Nanny Jack Bep Charles with their future Issue
 and Increase To have and to hold the said Negro Slaves named
 old Sarah Marcia Sally Billa Betty Will Dick Tom Betty
 Joan Nanny Jack Bep Charles above mentioned with their future
 Issue and Increase as aforesaid unto the said Margaret Cunnin-
 gham James Postell Junior Richard Singleton and Andrew
 Cunningham their Executors and Administrators to and for the
 several uses intents and Purposes hereinafter mentioned expressed
 and Declared (that is to say) to the use and behoof of the said Lesly
 Brighton and her heirs until the Marriage between him the
 said Thomas Gough and the said Lesly Brighton his intended Wife
 shall be had and solemnized and from and after the solemnization
 thereof to the use of the said Lesly Brighton Heirs and her
 assigns for ever and the said Thomas Gough for himself his
 Heirs Executors and Administrators and assigns doth Covenant
 and agree to and with the said Margaret Cunningham James
 Postell Junior Richard Singleton and Andrew Cunningham
 their Executors and Administrators that the said Negro Slaves
 above mentioned with their future Issue and Increase
 shall and may from thenceforth for ever hereafter be remain
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It shall and may be lawful to and for her the said Lady Brighton after the intended Marriage shall take effect During her life by any writing or writings under her hand and Seal duly Executed to Grant bargain sell or give and bequeath by her last Will and Testament duly made and Executed All and every of said herein above Mentioned Negroe Slaves with their future Issue and Increase to any person or persons whatsoever and also that he the said Thomas Gough and his Heirs and all and every other Person or Persons and his or their Heirs any thing having or Claiming or here after to have or Claim in Virtue of the said intended Marriage or other ways howsoever in the said above mentioned Negroe Slaves their Issue and Increase or any part thereof by from or under him them or any of them shall and will at all times hereafter upon the Reasonable Request of the said Margaret Cunningham James Postell Junior Richard Sengellton and Andrew Cunningham their Executors and Administrators make Do and Execute or Cause or Procure to be made Done and Executed All and every such further and other lawful Grants Acts and Assurances in the Law whatsoever for the further better and more perfect Granting and Appuring of all and every of the herein above Mentioned Negro Slaves with their future Issue and Increase to and for the several uses intents and purposes above Declared Expressed and Mentioned and according to the true intent and meaning of these Presents as by the said Margaret Cunningham James Postell Junior Richard Sengellton & Andrew Cunningham their Executors and Administrators or their or any of their Counsils Learned in the Law shall be Reasonably Divised or advised and Required in Witness whereof the Parties to these Presents have hereunto Indexchangeably set their hands and Seals the Day and Year above written,

Signed Sealed and Delivered
in the Presence of
Sarah Postell
Benjamin Postell

Leahy Brighton	LS
Mary Cunningham	LS
James Postell Junr	LS
R. Sengellton	LS
And ^r Cunningham	LS
Thos Gough	LS

South Carolina

This Indenture Made the thirty
 Day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred &
 seventy five Between Major Barnard Elliott of Charleston in the Province
 aforesaid of the one Part and Thomas Smith Jacob Motte and William
 Smith of the same Place Esquires of the other Part Whereas a marriage
 is intended to be had and solemnized between the said Barnard Elliott
 and Susanna Smith of Charleston Spinster one of the Daughters of the
 late Benjamin Smith Esq^r Deceased And whereas the said Susanna
 Smith is now Possessed in her own Right of a very Considerable Personal
 Estate amounting to about eighty four thousand Pound Lawful
 Current Money of the Province aforesaid which the said Barnard
 Elliott will be Intitled to have take and Receive on the solemnization
 of the said intended Marriage therefore in consideration of the said intended
 Marriage and of the love and affection that he beareth to the said Susanna
 Smith his intended wife and for settling securing and Raising the sum
 or sums of Money herein after limited out of the estate of the said
 Barnard Elliott (in lieu of Dower and third) to and for the several
 uses and purposes and in such way and manner and form as
 herein after is mentioned and Provided It is hereby mutually Agreed
 by and between the said parties to these Presents And the said Barnard
 Elliott for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators Doth
 Covenant Promise and agree to and with the said Thomas Smith
 Jacob Motte and William Smith and the Survivors and Survivor
 of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivors and
 Accordingly (in case the said intended Marriage shall take Effect)
 Doth hereby expressly Charge Subject and make liable his whole
 Estate as well Real as personal for payment of the several sums
 of Money hereafter mentioned unto the said Thomas Smith
 Jacob Motte and William Smith and the Survivors and
 Survivor of them and the Executors and Administrators of such
 Survivor upon the Special Trust and Confidence Nevertheless
 and to and for the several uses and purposes and at the time
 or times hereafter mentioned limited and appointed of for of
 Concerning the same and to and for no other Intent or purpose
 whatsoever that is to say in case she the said Susanna shall
 happen to survive the said Barnard Elliott having no Issue
 living by him then at the Decese of the said Barnard Elliott
 or within thirteen months thereafter the full and Just sum
 of Eighty four thousand Pound Lawful Money aforesaid
 shall

Shall be paid by his Executors or Administrators unto the hands of the said
 Thomas Smith Jacob Motte and William Smith and the Survivors or
 Survivors of them or the Executors or Administrators of such Survivor
 and by them or him forthwith be Paid over unto her the said Susanna
 for her sole and separate use and behoof and in lieu of all Dower or the
 which she may or can Claim out of the Estate of the said Barnard
 Elliott to be by her Disposed of at her own Will and Pleasure as she
 shall think Proper But if the said Susanna should Survive the said
 Barnard Elliott and have Issue living at the time of his Death
 then and in such Case only the Sum of Forty two thousand Pounds
 Lawful money aforesaid shall be paid over by the said Thomas
 Smith Jacob Motte and William Smith and the Survivors and
 Survivors of them and the Executors or Administrators of such Survivor
 unto the said Susanna to be at her own Disposal and the Remaining
 Sum of forty two thousand Pounds Lawful money aforesaid shall
 be and Remain for the use of such Issue to be Disposed of to &
 Divided amongst him her or them in such way and Manner as
 the said Barnard Elliott shall Direct Limit and Appoint but
 if he shall neglect or Decline so to do then to be paid him her or
 them respectively upon their arrival to the age of twenty one
 years in equal Shares and proportions And the said Barnard
 Elliott for himself his Executors and Administrators Doth
 Covenant Promise and agree to and with the said Thomas Smith
 Jacob Motte and William Smith and the Survivors and Survivors
 of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor that
 in Case she the said Susanna shall Depart this life before the said
 Barnard Elliott that it shall and may be lawful for her at any
 time During her Coverture with the said Barnard Elliott and
 notwithstanding the same to make and Execute her last Will
 and Testament in writing to take effect only in Case of the said
 Barnard Elliott her intended husband Surviving her and
 therein and thereby to give bequeath and Assign the said Sum
 of forty two thousand Pounds Lawful money aforesaid to such
 Person and Persons and for such use and uses as she the said
 Susanna shall think fit which Sum shall be forthwith
 Paid over by the said Barnard Elliott his Executors or
 Administrators unto the Person or Persons Entitled to Receive
 the same by such Will respectively in which Case also the
 Remaining Sum of forty two thousand Pounds shall be and
 Remain to and for the use and behoof of the said Barnard Elliott

Under the Specie of the said marriage if any in such way & manner as he shall Direct and Appoint Provided always never theless and it is hereby Declared to be the true intent and meaning of these Presents and of the parties thereto and every of them that in Case the said Susanna the intended wife of the said Barnard Elliott shall Depart this life before her said Husband without leaving Issue of her body who shall attain the Age of twenty One Years and without having made such last will and Testament in writing as above Specified then these Presents shall thenceforth cease and Determine and be utterly Void and of no further Effect so that the said Barnard Elliott his Executors administrators and assigns shall thenceforth have and enjoy the whole and every part and parcel of the said Sum of eighty four thousand Pounds to his and their own Proper use and behoof for ever absolutely freed and Discharged of and from the several uses and trusts herein before mentioned and of and from all other uses and trusts Charges Demands and Incumbrances whatsoever In Witness whereof the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto set their hands and Seals on the Day and in the year first within written

Signed and Delivered
in the presence of us
Roger Smith
Ralph Hazard Junr

Barnard Elliott

Susanna Smith

Jacob Motte

Tho^s Smith

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State of Carolina } Personally appeared Ralph Hazard Juniors who
Charleston District } being duly sworn made Oath that he was
Present and saw Barnard Elliott Susanna Smith Jacob Motte
and Thomas Smith severally sign Seal and as their Act and deed
Deliver this Instrument to and for the uses and purposes therein
mentioned and that he the Deponent and Roger Smith subscribed
their Names as witnesses to the Due Execution of the same
Sworn to the 19th Day of August 1785 before D. Hays J.P.

This Indenture Tripartite made the eighteenth Day of
December in the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred
and twenty seven Between Isaac Motte of Charlestown in
the State of South Carolina Esquire of the first part Mary
Broughton and Alexander Broughton Esq^r of the Same
Place and John Dens Esquire of Charlestown and State aforesaid
of the third Part Whereas a marriage is by Gods permission
shortly to be had and solemnized between the said Isaac Motte
and the said Mary Broughton and Whereas the said Mary
Broughton

of the Parish of St. John Parishes County in said State

Broughton at the time of executing these presents is and stands seized
 in fee simple of and in the Reversion of a moiety of a lot of land in Charles-
 Town after the Death of her Mother under and by Virtue of the Will of
 her Father Alexander Broughton Esq^r lately Deceased and is also entitled
 under the said Will to a Share of the Negroes and other Personal Estate of
 her said father which however cannot be herein more particularly
 Described and mentioned for want of a Division thereof And whereas
 upon the Treaty and previous to the said intended marriage it hath been
 and is agreed between the said Isaac Motte and Mary Broughton that
 she the said Mary Broughton should grant bargain Release convey
 Assign transfer and Set over all her Estate right Title and Interest
 as well of in and to the Reversion of a moiety of the said lot of land
 in Charlestown of the said Negroes and other Personal Estate unto the said
 Mary Broughton Alexander Broughton and John Deas their Heirs and Assigns
 in trust and to the Intent and purpose that the said Reversion of the said
 lot of land the said Negroes and other Personal Estate shall be settled
 and secured in such way and manner and to and for such uses Intents
 and purposes as are herein after mentioned Limited Expressed &
 Declared of and Concerning the same Now this Indenture Witnesseth
 that in pursuance and part of performance of the said Recited
 agreement and in Consideration of the said intended marriage and
 also for and in Consideration of the sum of five shillings current money
 to her the said Mary Broughton now paid by the said Mary Broughton
 Alexander Broughton and John Deas the Receipt whereof is hereby Ack-
 nowledged and for Divers other good and Valuable Causes & Considerations
 thereunto especially moving the said Mary Broughton (by and with
 the Knowledge privity Consent and Approbation of the said Isaac Motte
 her intended Husband testified by his being a party to and executing
 of these presents) hath granted bargained sold Alien released and
 confirmed and by these presents Doth grant bargain sell Alien
 Release and confirm unto them the said Mary Broughton Alexander
 Broughton and John Deas and their Heirs and Assigns All her Estate
 Right Title Interest and Inheritance as well of and in the Reversion of
 a moiety of a lot of land in Charlestown as of in and to a Share of the
 said Negroes and other Personal Estate to which she is entitled under the
 Will of her said Father To have and to hold the said moiety of the said
 lot of land and the Negroes and other Personal Estate unto them
 the said Mary Broughton Alexander Broughton and John Deas

their Heirs Executors Administration and assigns for ever Upon this
 special Trust and Confidence and to the Intent and purpose that the
 same shall be settled and secured to and for the several & Respective
 uses Intents and purposes herein after mentioned that is to say In
 Trust that the said Isaac Motte shall have the use possession
 and enjoyment of the said Land Negroes and other Personal Estate
 for and During the joint lives of them the said Isaac Motte and Mary
 Broughton and after the Decease of either of the said Party, the longest
 liver of them to have the like enjoyment of the same to and for his
 or her own use absolutely and forever and the said Isaac Motte for
 himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators Both Covenant and
 Promise to and with the said Mary Broughton Alexander Broughton &
 John Deas their Heirs and assigns that the said Isaac Motte his
 Heirs Executors and Administrators shall and will at any time hereafter
 upon the Reasonable Request of the said Mary Broughton Alexander
 Broughton and John Deas their Heirs Executors and Administrators
 make and execute or cause to be made and Executed all and every
 such further and other Lawful and Reasonable Acts things convey-
 ances and assurances in the Law whatsoever as well for the
 Corroborating and Strengthening of these Presents as also for the
 better Conveying assigning assuring and confirming the said moiety
 of the said Lot of Land Negroes and other Personal Estate as herein
 before mentioned unto the said Mary Broughton Alexander
 Broughton and John Deas their Heirs and assigns respectively
 (nevertheless to the several uses Trusts Intents and purposes herein
 and hereby respectively mentioned expressed and declared of and
 concerning the same) as by their or either of their Council learned
 in the Law shall in that behalf be Reasonably advised or required
 In Witness whereof the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto
 set their hands and Seals the Day and Year first above written,
 Signed and Delivered in the Presence of Isaac Motte (40)
 Rachel Saw. Ruff. Simons — } Mary Broughton (40)
 South Carolina (Heating Simons Esquire being duly sworn on the
 Charleston District Holy Evangelists of almighty God saith that he
 was present and did see the within named Isaac Motte and Mary
 Broughton sign Seal and as their act & deed Deliver this Instrument
 of Writing to and for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and that he

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At the Deposition and Rachel Law signed their names as witnesses to
the Due Execution thereof Sworn the 23 of August 1785 before me
Mr Simons J. P.

South Carolina

Know all Men by these Presents
that I West McCall of Charleston in the State aforesaid Attorney at Law amked
and firmly bound unto William Washington and John Splatt Cripps of
Charleston in the Penal Sum of three thousand Pounds Sterling Money to
be paid to the said William Washington and John Splatt Cripps their
Certain Attorney Executors Admors or Assigns, to which payment well
and truly to be made and Done I bind myself and each and every of my
Heirs Executors & Admors firmly by these Presents sealed with my seal
and Dated at Charleston this fifteenth Day of October In the Year of
our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty three.

Whereas a marriage is shortly intended to be had and solemnized between
the said West McCall and Miss Elizabeth Pickering of Charleston Spinster
one of the Daughters of Joseph Pickering Esquire Deceased and it is Contracted
and agreed upon by and between the said West McCall of the one part
the said Elizabeth Pickering of the other part and the aforesaid William
Washington and John Splatt Cripps as trustees of the third part that a
Settlement shall be made by him the said West McCall of the Estate
herein after particularly mentioned upon the Limitations and Trusts
and to and for the uses and purposes herein after mentioned & Declared
in pursuance of which and as well in Consideration of the said
intended Marriage, as on the further Consideration of the several
large Sums of money to be received by the said West McCall on his
said Marriage as a part of the portion or Estate of his said intended
wife the said West McCall Doth hereby Covenant promise Grant
and agree for himself his Heirs Executors Admors & Assigns to and with
the said William Washington and John Splatt Cripps their heirs
Executors Admors to make over transfer apure and convey unto them the
said William Washington and John Splatt Cripps All that a certain
Messuage or tenement Situate lying and being on the West Side of
Meeting Street in Charleston aforesaid known and Distinguished by the
Number Sixty eight (68) Cutting and bounding to the easton
the said Street to the North on land belonging of Robert Gibbs to
the West on land formerly of John Drayton and to the South

Land Now or late of William Ball also all the Lot whereon the said *Mepuag*
 is built building and bounding as aforesaid being in width forty four feet six
 Inches and in Depth one hundred and twelve feet six Inches Also all his
 the said *Heest McCall*s household and Kitchen Furniture in the said
 house and Kitchen now being or that may be in his possession at the time of
 the Decease of himself together with his household Linen and Plate now in
 the said house or that may be in his possession at the time of the Decease of
 himself To hold the said *Mepuag* and lots of Land aforesaid with the
 Rights members and Appurtenances thereunto belonging and the said house
 hold and Kitchen furniture Linen and Plate to them the said *William*
Washington and *John Platt Cripps* their heirs Executors Admors and
 Assigns for ever upon the special Confidence and in trust & to & for
 the use intents and purposes following that is to say in trust
 to and for the use Benefit and behoof of him the said *Heest McCall*
 and his said Intended wife During the life of the said *Elizabeth* his
 said Intended wife and after the Death of her the said *Elizabeth*
 in case she should Die leaving Issue In trust and to and for
 the use and behoof of such Issue his her or their Heirs Executors
 Admors and Assigns for ever and in case the said *Heest McCall*
 shall Die before the said *Elizabeth* Pickering without Issue
 then the said Lot of Land and *Mepuag* in Meeting Street
 Linen Plate and furniture shall belong to the said *E.*
Pickering to her and her heirs and Assigns for ever Provided
 nevertheless and upon the further Trust and Confidence that
 is to say that in case the said *Elizabeth* the intended wife
 of the said *Heest McCall* should Die without leaving
 Issue then and in such case to and for the use and behoof
 of him the said *Heest McCall* his Heirs Executors Admors and
 Assigns for ever And the said *Heest McCall* for and upon
 the Consideration aforesaid Doth hereby further for himself
 his Heirs Executors and Admors Covenant promise grant and
 agree to and with said *William Washington* and *John Platt*
Cripps their Heirs Executors Admors and Assigns to Convey
 make over and transfer unto them the said *William*
Washington and *John Platt Cripps* immediately after the
 aforesaid intended marriage shall take Effect or as
 soon their after as he shall be thereunto requested All his
 the said *Heest McCall*s right and property in and to the
 following Slaves that is to say *Rose* her son *Carolina* and
 her Daughter *Mary* with the Issue and Increase of the
 females

Females of the said Slaves And further that he the said Heest McCall will join with his said intended Wife in executing good and sufficient Deeds and Conveyances when Requested after the aforesaid Marriage for Conveying to the aforesaid William Washington and John Splatt Cripps whatever lands or tenements the said Elizabeth Pickering is now entitled unto To hold the aforesaid Slaves and the said Lands to them the aforesaid William Washington and John Splatt Cripps their heirs Executors Admons and assigns for ever In Trust to and for such uses Intents & purposes as the said Elizabeth Pickering shall after the aforesaid Marriage (notwithstanding Coverture) by any Deed or writing under her hand Declare Provided nevertheless any thing herein before to the contrary Notwithstanding his intended understood and agreed by the Parties hereto that if the said Heest McCall with the Consent of the trustees aforesaid shall in lieu of any Estate hereby intended to be settled, settle in like manner any other Equivocal Estate that such Estate herein mentioned in lieu of which such Settlement shall be made shall be transferred by such trustees Absolutely to the said Heest McCall his Heirs Executors Admons and assigns Now therefore the Condition of the foregoing Obligation is such that if the said Heest McCall his Heirs Executors or Admons Do and shall in all respects will and truly abide by perform and accomplish the Covenants and agreements entered into as aforesaid by him the said Heest McCall and shall Execute as aforesaid such Deeds and writing as may be necessary to carry the said Marriage Contract fully into Execution then the foregoing Obligation to be Void or else Remain in full force and Virtue

He. McCall (Seal)

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of The interlineation of the words John Mapes Charles Brown } or that may be in his possession at the time of the Decore of himself being first ^{put} ~~found~~ between the 27th and 28th Lines and between the 28th and 29th Lines on the second Page also the Addition in the Margin of the third Page which ought to have been between the 13th & 14th Lines Relative to Elizabeth Pickering being the Survivor

Charleston Personally appeared Mr Charles Brown who being duly Sworn made oath that he was present and saw Heest McCall Esquire sign Seal and as his Act and Deed Deliver this Instrument of Writing for the uses Intents and purposes within mentioned and that he and John Mapes Subscribed their Names Witnesses to the Due Execution thereof Sworn this 26th Day of August 1785. Before Peter Freeman C.P.

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South Carolina

This Indenture Tripartite made the
3^d Day of December in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred
and Eighty five Between Elizabeth Butler of Charleston in the State
of South Carolina Widow of the first part Duncan Hill now of
Charleston in the State aforesaid Mariner of the second part and
James Hamilton and Angus McLeod of the same Town Merchants
(Trustees in this behalf specially nominated and appointed) of the
third Part Whereas a marriage by God's permission is intended
shortly to be had and solemnized by and between the said Elizabeth
Butler and Duncan Hill and it is concluded settled and agreed by
between all the parties to these Presents that all and singular
the estate Real and Personal whatsoever and wheresoever of the
said Elizabeth Butler late Elizabeth Lyon and Particular that
part thereof which is herein after particularly mentioned and
Described shall be made over settled and secured in the hands
of the said Trustees and the survivors of them and the Heirs
Executors or Administrators of such Survivor in trust for the
use Intent and purpose herein after mentioned and to or for no
other use or purpose whatsoever And Whereas on the Day of
the Date of these presents the said Elizabeth Butler is well and
sufficiently seized in her Demesne as of fee or otherwise
intitled unto and possessed of (by Virtue of the Last Will and
Testament of John Lyon late of Charleston Deceased One fourth
part of a certain house plot of Land situated lying and
being on the east Side of Church Street in Charleston aforesaid
together with the out houses And also of and in one fourth
part of the following Slaves (Viz) Willowsby Amey and her
Child Kate Tim, Alex, Joe wife Dick Casar And also of and
in sundry good and Chattels of Plate household Furniture
money at Interest on bond two tracts of Land and other
things of Value as per Inventory taken after the Decease of her
Husband John Lyon and Recorded in the Secretarys office of
this State Now therefore this Indenture Witnesseth that
the said Elizabeth Butler for and in consideration of the intended
marriage and in pursuance of the said Agreement made
with the said Duncan Hill and her said Trustees for
selling and securing her Estate and interest to the use of
intent and purpose and under the Conditions and
limitations herein after mentioned And also for and
in the further Consideration of the Sum of five Pounds
Current

Current Money of the said State to her in hand paid by the said James Hamilton and Angus McLeod one of them the trustees aforesaid the Receipt whereof she doth hereby acknowledge and confess herself to be therewith well content fully satisfied and paid, Hath given granted bargained sold Aliened Remised Released Conveyed Assigned transferred and delivered and by these presents by and with the privity consent and good liking of the said Duncan Hill testified by his being a party to and signing and sealing of these presents Doth fully freely and Absolutely grant Bargain Sell Alien Remise Release Convey Assign Transfer and deliver unto the said Trustees and the Survivors of them (in their actual possession of the said fourth part of the said Town Lot of Land and premises Two Tracts of Land and Real Estate aforesaid now being by force and Virtue of a bargain and Sale of the same to them thereof made by the said Elizabeth Butler for one whole year by Indenture of lease bearing Date the Day next before the Day of the Date of these Presents and by force of the Statute for transferring uses into Possession and to the Heirs Executors and Administrators of such Survivors All that the aforesaid one fourth part of the said House and Lot of Land Charleston aforesaid Also the one fourth part of two tracts of Land And also all and singular the one fourth part of all and singular the said Slaves with their Issue and Increase of the Females and the said Goods and Chattles Plate Household furniture and Money at Interest on bond together with all and singular the Hereditaments Rights Members and Appurtenances to the said Real & Personal Estates and to each or any part or parcel of them belonging or in any wise appertaining and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders Rents Issues & Profits of the said said Real and personal Estate and also all the Estate Right title Interest use Trust property Possession Profit benefit Claim and Demand whatsoever either at Law or in equity of her the said Elizabeth Butler of in or to the said Real Estate or any part or parcel of either or any of each To have and to hold the said one fourth part of the said House and Lot of Land in Charleston aforesaid Also the one fourth part of the said two tracts of Land the one fourth Part of the Slaves with their Issue and Increase of the Females the one fourth part of the said goods and Chattles household Furniture Plate and other things of Value Money at Interest on bond and all and singular the estate Interest and property both Real and personal herein before particularly mentioned and Described and herein and hereby granted Released Conveyed

Transferred

Transferred Assigned and set over or meant mentioned or intended
 is to be with their and every of their Appurtenances unto the said
 James Hamilton and Angus McLeod the trustees Aforesaid &
 to the survivor of them and their Heirs Executors & Administrators
 of such Survivor for ever In Trust Nevertheless for the use Estate
 and purpose herein after mentioned and to and for no other use
 Intent or purpose whatsoever (that is to say) In Trust for
 the said Elizabeth Butler and her heirs Executors and
 Administrators and Assigns absolutely until the said intended
 Marriage take effect and be solemnized between the said
 Elizabeth Butler and Duncan Hill and from and immediately
 after the solemnization of the said marriage then also notwith-
 standing her Coverture In Trust for the sole separate & distinct
 use benefit and behoof of the said Elizabeth Butler her Heirs
 Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever to the intent
 that as well the Estate Real and personal and every part &
 Parcel thereof as the Rents Issues Increase and Profits thereof
 however arising or happening shall from time to time and at
 all times hereafter be held had taken possessed Occupied and
 enjoyed by the said Elizabeth Butler and her Heirs Executors
 Administrators or Assigns or by such Person or Persons and for
 such uses Intents and purposes as the said Elizabeth
 Butler notwithstanding her Coverture by any Deed or Deeds or
 Instruments of writing whatsoever or by her last will and
 Testament in writing duly executed shall give bequeath devise
 alien Release sell or Dispose of all or any part of the said Trust
 Real or Personal and that the same estate and interest Real
 and Personal and every part and parcel thereof and all the
 Issues and Profits thereof shall be and Remain to the said
 Elizabeth Butler her heirs Executors Administrators &
 Assigns for ever hereafter as her and their own proper estate
 without the Intervention Intermeddling or Controul of the
 said Duncan Hill her intended Husband or any of his Creditors
 or any other Person or persons whatsoever And the said
 Duncan Hill for himself his Heirs Executors and
 Administrators Doth hereby Covenant Grant Promise
 Conclude and agree to and with the said James Hamilton
 and Angus McLeod the Trustees Aforesaid and the Survivor
 of them and the Heirs Executors or Administrators of such
 Survivor that he and they shall and will from time and
 at all times hereafter peaceably and without molestation
 permit

Permit and suffer the said Elizabeth Butler has intended Wife and
 her Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns to have hold occupy
 Possess enjoy manage and Direct all and singular the said Estate
 Real and personal and the Issues Increase and profits thereof at her
 Will and Pleasure and also permit and suffer her the said Elizabeth
 Butler to give Grant Alien Release Sell or Dispose of at her Will of
 Pleasure all or any part of the said Trust Estate Real and personal
 or Profits thereof or to Devise Limit or Appoint the same or any
 Part thereof to any Person or Persons for any use Trust
 Intent or purpose whatsoever and the Will or Testament of the said
 Elizabeth Butler if any there should happen to be will permit and
 suffer without Opposition trouble or expence to be duly proved by
 the Executors or Executors named or to be made named therein before
 the Ordinary of the said State and Probate of the same to be had and
 taken as is usual in Cases of Wills and the person or persons to
 whom the said Elizabeth Butler shall give Sell Devise Limit
 Alien or Dispose of all or any part of the said Trust Estate Real
 or Personal by any Deed or Deeds or Instruments of writing what
 soever by Will or Testament aforesaid shall and may Lawfully
 Peaceably and quietly Hold possess and enjoy the same according
 to the true intent and meaning of such Gift Grant bargain
 Sale Devise bequest Limitation or appointment without the
 Molestation Hindrance Suit or Disturbance of the said Duncan
 Hill his Executors Administrator or Assigns or any of them
 or any of his Creditors or other Person or Persons whatsoever &
 Also that he the said Duncan Hill his Heirs Executors Admini-
 strators and Assigns shall and will from time to time and at
 all times hereafter at the Reasonable Request Proper Cost
 and Charges in the Law of the said Trustees or trustee aforesaid
 (to be paid out of the trust Estate) Make Do and execute or cause
 and procure to be made Done and executed all and every such
 further and other Reasonable and Lawful Act and Acts thing and
 things Devices Conveyances and Appurances in the Law whatsoever
 for the further better and more perfect granting Appuring settling
 and Vesting the said Trust estate Real and personal and every
 Part and Parcel thereof and of the Issues Increase and Profits
 thereof to the said James Hamatton and Angus McLeod the
 Trustees aforesaid and to the Survivor of them and the Heirs
 Executors

Executors and Administrators of such Survivor for ever in Trust for the use intent and purposes aforesaid in Suchway and Manner as they or either of the said Trustees and the Survivors of them and the their Executors or Administrators of such Survivor or their or any of their Council Learned in the Law shall be Reasonably Devised or Advised and Required In Witness whereof the parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and Seals the Day and year first above written, Eliza: Butler (Seal)
Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of } Duncan Hill (Seal)
Rafel Hernandez. Richard Davis }

South Carolina } Personally appeared Rafel Hernandez who being
Charleston District } duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty
God saith that he was present and did see the within named
Elizabeth Butler and Duncan Hill sign Seal and as their Act
and Deed Deliver this Instrument of writing to and for the uses and
Purposes therein mentioned and that he the Depoent together with
Richard Davis subscribed their names as witnesses to Due Execution
thereof in the Presence of each other, Sworn the 3^d December
1785 - Before Geo: Sheed C. P.

South Carolina

This Indenture made the
Eighteenth Day of June in the ninth year of the Independance of
the United States of America, And in the year of our Lord one
thousand seven hundred and eighty five, Between Andrew Postle
of Prince Williams Parish of the State aforesaid Planter, on
the one part and Sarah McPherson of the Parish and State
aforesaid Widow, Whereas the said Sarah McPherson is now
Possessed of and entitled unto in her own Right of household
Furniture, a Stock of Cattle, horses, hogs and Sheep, and
twenty seven Slaves whose names are as follow: viz 1st
Tom 2^d Bob 3^d Simon, 4th Jack, 5th Stepany, 6th Prince, 7th Tom Will,
8th Aaron, 9th Hannah 10th Nancy 11th ~~Patience~~ Eelia, 12th Lydia
13th Cuba, 14th Phyllis, 15th Ed, 16th Peggy, 17th George, 18th Prince,
19th Scipio, 20th Smart, 21st Harriet, 22nd Clarissa, 23rd Carlrove,
24th Billy, 25th Abram, 26th Isaac, & 27th Grick, And Whereas
a marriage is intended and shortly to be had and solemnized
between the said Andrew Postle and the said Sarah McPherson
upon the Contract of which marriage she the said Sarah
McPherson hath agreed that if the same shall take effect,
that

Executors and Administrators of such Survivor for ever in Trust for the use intent and purposes aforesaid in Suchway and Manner as they or either of the said Trustees and the Survivors of them and the their Executors or Administrators of such Survivor or their or any of their Council Learned in the Law shall be Reasonably Devised or Advised and Required In Witness whereof the parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and Seals the Day and year first above written, Eliza: Butler (Seal)
Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of } Duncan Hill (Seal)
Rafel Hernandez. Richard Davis }

South Carolina } Personally appeared Rafel Hernandez who being
Charleston District } duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty
God saith that he was present and did see the within named
Elizabeth Butler and Duncan Hill sign Seal and as their Act
and Deed Deliver this Instrument of writing to and for the uses and
Purposes therein mentioned and that he the Deponent together with
Richard Davis subscribed their names as witnesses to Due Execution
thereof in the Presence of each other, Sworn the 3^d December
1785 - Before Geo: Sheed C. P.

South Carolina

This Indenture made the
Eighteenth Day of June in the ninth year of the Independence of
the United States of America, And in the year of our Lord one
thousand seven hundred and eighty five, Between Andrew Postle
of Prince Williams Parish of the State aforesaid Planter, on
the one part and Sarah McPherson of the Parish and State
aforesaid Widow, Whereas the said Sarah McPherson is now
Possessed of and entitled unto in her own Right of household
Furniture, a Stock of Cattle, horses, hogs and Sheep, and
twenty seven Slaves whose names are as follow, Viz 1st
Tom 2^d Bob 3^d Simon, 4th Jack, 5th Stepany, 6th Prince, 7th Tom. Will,
8th Aaron, 9th Hannah 10th Nancy 11th ~~Patience~~ Eelia, 12th Lydia
13th Cuba, 14th Phyllis, 15th Ed, 16th Peggy, 17th George, 18th Prince,
19th Scipio, 20th Smart, 21st Harriet, 22nd Clarissa, 23rd Carlisle,
24th Billy, 25th Abram, 26th Isaac, & 27th Grick, And Whereas
a marriage is intended and shortly to be had and solemnized
between the said Andrew Postle and the said Sarah McPherson
upon the Contract of which Marriage she the said Sarah
McPherson hath agreed that if the same shall take effect,
that

that the said Andrew Postell shall have the free use of the said Slaves Furniture, Stock, above mentioned, During the life of the said Sarah McPherson, and no longer, But in case the said Sarah McPherson shall Depart this life, the said Andrew Postell surviving, then the said Andrew Postell Doth for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators hereby Covenant Promise and agree to and with Patrick Bower, and Job McPherson (Trustees Appointed to and for the said Sarah McPherson, that she the said Sarah McPherson, shall have full Power and Authority to will, and Dispose of her Estate, Consisting of the Slaves Furniture, and Stock, above mentioned, and of all her wearing-apparel whatsoever, without any Lett Denial, Hindrance, or interruption of or by the said Andrew Postell his Executors, Administrators or Assigns, or any of them, Now this Indenture Witnesseth that for the making the said agreement Effectual in the Law, and for securing to the said Sarah McPherson, her Estate above mentioned together with the Increase of the female Slaves, and of the Different kind of Stock, above mentioned, We the said Andrew Postell, Doth for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators or Assigns, and for every of them Covenant promise and agree to and with the said Patrick Bower, and Job McPherson, and the Survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor, by these Presents, in manner following, (that is to say) that if the said Intended marriage, shall take effect, that then he the said Andrew Postell shall and will permit and suffer the said Sarah McPherson to give grant and Dispose of her said Estate, with increase as before mentioned, as she shall think fit, and that the same shall be no ways liable or subject to him, or to the payment of any of his Debts, and to make such Will or other writing as aforesaid and thereby to give order and devise Limit and Appointed the said Estate and increase, to any person or persons for any Trust use Intent or purpose whatsoever, And that he the said Andrew Postell shall and will permit and suffer such Will hereafter to be made or other writing by the said Sarah McPherson to be Duly proved, by the Executors in such Will named or to be named, and Probate of such Will to be had and taken as is usual and that the Person or persons to whom the said Sarah McPherson shall give or Dispose any Part of her said estate by her Will or otherwise as aforesaid shall and lawfully may peaceably and quietly have hold

Occupy Possess and enjoy the same according to the true Intent and meaning of such Gift Deed or Appointment, without any Sea Denial, hindrance, or Interruption, of or by the said Andrew Postell his Executors or Administrators or Assigns, or any of them. In testimony whereof the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto set their hands and seals the Day and year first within written.

Andrew Postell (seal)
 sealed and Delivered in Presence of } Sarah McPherson (seal)
 Martha McPherson, Sarah Napey }

Mrs. Martha McPherson appeared before me and being duly sworn with that she saw the within named Andrew Postell sign seal and Deliver the within marriage Settlement to and for the uses Intents and Purposes therein mentioned and that the within named Sarah Napey was present with the Deponent and together subscribed their Names as witnesses to the within Instrument of writing. — Martha McPherson

Beaufort District, sworn to before me this fourteenth Septem
 ber 1785 Wm. Gordon J. L.

• with Carolina

This Indenture Made the sixteenth Day of July In the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy four, and in the fourteenth year of the Reign of his Majesty George the third King of Great Britain and so forth, Between Elizabeth Miles of Saint Bartholomews Parish in the Province of South Carolina Widow and Relict of Joseph Miles late of the same Place Planter Deceased, of the first Part, Thomas Ladson of the same Parish Gentleman the Brother of the said Elizabeth and Isaac McPherson of Saint Pauls Parish in the said Province Gentleman of the Second Part, and Richard Bohun Baker of Saint Georges Parish Dorchester in the same province Esquire of the third Part, Whereas the said Elizabeth Miles under and by Virtue of the Will of the said Joseph Miles Deceased bearing Date the sixth Day of October one thousand seven hundred and seventy, is Possessed of and Entitled unto a Negro Boy or fellow Called Quash and a Wench named Eloy, together with her Issue and Increase, And also Entitled to one fourth part of the Remainder of the Slaves & of the Issue and Increase of the Slaves and other Personal Estate that were of the said Joseph Miles at the time of his Death, and of the Increase Produce and Profits thereof After his

His Debt shall be paid, as by the said will of the said Joseph Duly proved
 and Remaining of Record in the Secretary's Office, of the said Province, may
 appear. And whereas a Marriage by Gods Permission is shortly
 Intended to be had and Solemnized Between the said Richard Bohun
 Baker and Elizabeth Miles in Prospect and Consideration of which
 Intended Marriage it hath been agreed by and Between the said
 Richard Bohun Baker and Elizabeth Miles that the Slaves and the
 Issue and Increase of the Slaves and all other the personal
 Estate to which the said Elizabeth is or shall become intitled under the
 said Will and the Increase produce and profits thereof should pertain
 to the said Intended Marriage be conveyed Assigned and Transferred
 unto the said Thomas Sadson and Isaac M^rTherson upon the
 Trusts and to and for the intents and purposes herein after mentioned
 expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same. Now this said
 done Witneeth that in Consideration of the said Intended Marriage
 and pursuance of the said Agreement and for and in Consideration
 of the sum of ten Shillings Current money to the said Elizabeth
 Miles in hand paid by the said Thomas Sadson and Isaac M^rTherson
 the Receipt whereof she doth hereby acknowledge, she the said Elizabeth
 Miles by and with the consent and Approbation of the said Richard
 Bohun Baker testified by his being a party to and Sealing and
 Delivering of these presents hath granted Bargained Sold Assigned
 Transferred and set over and by these presents doth grant Bargain
 Sell Assign Transfer and set over unto the said Thomas Sadson and
 Isaac M^rTherson their Executors Administrators and Assigns the said
 Negro Slaves named Quash and Olsey together with her Issue and
 Increase And also all and singular the other Slaves and Increase
 and Issue of Slaves and all other Estate profits and effects whatever
 which she the said Elizabeth now is or hereafter shall become intitled
 to under or by Virtue or in Consequence of the said Will or which
 she may hereafter become Intitled to as Next of kin of any person
 or persons whatsoever, To have and to hold the said Negro Slaves with
 their Issue and increase and other the premises before mentioned
 unto the said Thomas Sadson and Isaac M^rTherson their Executors
 Administrators and Assigns to such uses and upon such Trusts
 and to and for such intents and purposes and with and under
 such provisions Limitations and Agreements as are herein after
 mentioned expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same that
 is to say in Trust for the said Elizabeth Miles her Executors Ad-
 ministrators and Assigns until the solemnization of the said
 Intended Marriage and from and after the solemnization thereof

there to and for the sole separate and distinct use and behoof of the said
 Elizabeth without the intermeddling or controule of the said Richard
 Bohun Baker, and so as to permit and suffer the said Elizabeth in
 such way manner and form as she shall think fit without
 such intermeddling or controul to possess Manage and Direct
 the said Slaves and occupy the said Estate and effects and Receive
 and Apply the Increase Produce and profits thereof for her own
 sole and separate use for and During the Natural lives of
 them the said Richard Bohun Baker and Elizabeth his intended
 Wife, and from and after the Decease of the said Richard Bohun
 Baker in case the said Elizabeth shall survive him then in
 Trust and to and for the use benefit and behoof of the said —
 Elizabeth her Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever
 But in case the said Richard shall survive the said Elizabeth
 then from and after the Death of the said Elizabeth to and for the use
 and behoof of such person or persons and for such Estate and
 Estates and with and upon such Conditions Limitations and Provisions
 as the said Elizabeth shall by Deed or Will Execute in the Presence
 of two or more Audible Witnesses, notwithstanding her Coverture
 Direct Limit or Appoint the same, and for want of such
 Direction Limitation or Appointment then from and
 Immediately after the Death of the said Elizabeth in Trust &
 to and for the use benefit and behoof of all the then surviving
 Children of the said Elizabeth equally to be Divided amongst
 them Share and Share alike, and the said Richard Bohun
 Baker Doth hereby Covenant promise grant and agree
 to and with the said Thomas Sadson and Isaac M^rTherson
 and the Survivors of them and the Executors & Administrators
 of such Survivor that he the said Richard Bohun Baker
 shall and will at any time or times after the solemnization
 of the said intended Marriage upon the Reasonable Request
 of the said Thomas Sadson and Isaac M^rTherson or either
 of them their or either of their Executors or Administrators
 Make Do and execute or Cause to be made Done or executed
 all and every Lawful and Reasonable Acts Deeds and
 Things for the better Assigning Securing and settling
 the said Negroe Slaves and other the premises upon
 the trusts and to and for the intents and purposes and
 under and Subject to the uses provisions and agreements therein
 before mentioned Expressly and Declared of and Concerning
 the same and it is agreed by and between all the said

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Parties to these Presents that the said Trustees their Executors Administrators and Assigns shall or lawfully may in the first place Deduct & Detain out of the said Premises Transferred and Assigned as aforesaid or out of the Interest or Increase or Profits thereof all such Sum and Sums of money, Costs, Charges Expences and Damages which they or any of them shall pay expend & be lawfully to sustain suffer or be put to for or by Reason or means of this present Trust or any act matter or thing which shall or may be done or happen in about or Relating to the Execution thereof or touching or Concerning the same and that in case any loss shall happen to the premises hereby vested in Trust or any Part thereof, or of the Interest Increase Proceeds or Profits thereof, or any part thereof either by time reasonable use Inevitable accidents or otherwise without the Willful Default or Neglect of the said Thomas Laddson and Isaac McPherson, or either of them, or any of their Executors Administrators or Assigns, that they the said Trustees or any of them their Executors Administrators or Assigns shall not be charged or Chargeable with such loss or Damage to answer or make good the same or any part thereof to any Person whatsoever nor shall one of the said Trustees be answerable or Chargeable for or with the Act Delivery Receipt or Default of the other of them but each for himself and his own Act Receipt Delivery or Default only. In Witness whereof the said Parties to these Presents have Interchangeably set their hands and seals the Day and year first above written.

Sealed and Delivered
In the presence of
Eliza McPherson
Emily Laddson

T. Laddson (25)
Isaac McPherson (25)
Rich^d B. Baker (25)
Eliza Miles - (25)

Received on the Day of the Date of the within Deed, of and from the within Named Thomas Laddson and Isaac McPherson the sum of ten shillings Current money being the consideration within mentioned to be by them paid to me ————— Eliza Miles

Present. Eliza McPherson Emily Laddson

South Carolina } Emily Laddson of the Province aforesaid Spinster
Berkley County } maketh oath that she saw the within Named
Elizabeth Miles (now Elizabeth Baker) Thomas Laddson Isaac
McPherson and Richard Bohun Baker duly sign seal and execute
the within Indenture and that the name Emily Laddson thereto
subscribed as a witness is her the Deponents proper handwriting

Emily Laddson

Sworn before me the 20th May 1778

James Parsons J. S.

South Carolina

This Indenture Tripartite made

the Ninth Day of April in the Year of Lord One thousand Seven hundred and Seventy four and in the fourteenth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the third by the grace of God of Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the faith and so forth, Between John Hall of Charles Town in the Province aforesaid Gentleman of the first Part. Mary Ann Dodd of the Town and Province Widow of the second Part and Peter Hayppoux of the same Town and Province Physician of the third Part, Whereas there is a marriage by Gods Permission Intended shortly to be had and solemnized between the said John Hall and the said Mary Ann Dodd, And Whereas the said Mary Ann Dodd is in her own Right seized and possessed of five Negro Slaves Named Sylvia, Betty, Bob, Sue, and Sarah and also of sundry household furniture, And Whereas the said John Hall hath agreed notwithstanding the said Intended marriages taking effect that the said Negroes and household furniture and every part and parcel thereof shall be settled and secured unto her the said Mary Ann Dodd, as as the same may not shall not be anywise liable to or Subject to any Debts which he the said John Hall may have Contracted, or may hereafter Contract, but the same to be and remain to and for no other use and use, Intent Trust or purpose, but what is herein after Particularly Expressed and Declared, Now this Indenture Witnesseth that the said Mary Ann Dodd, for and in Consideration of the said Intended marriage, And also for and in Consideration of the sum of five Pounds Lawful Current Money of the Province aforesaid, to her in hand paid by the said Peter Hayppoux, the Receipt whereof she Doth hereby Acknowledge, And by and with the Knowledge, Privy Consent and Approbation of the said John Hall Testified by his being made a party to and signing and sealing of this Presents hath Granted, Bargained and sold and by these Presents Doth grant bargain sell and in open markett Deliver unto the said Peter Hayppoux all those aforesaid five Negro Slaves Named Sylvia, Betty, Bob, Sue and Sarah, together with the future Issue and Increase of the females and all and singular the Household Furniture above mentioned, and Intended to be hereby settled and made over and every part and parcel thereof To have and to hold the same and every part and

Parcel

Parcel thereof unto the said Peter Faggon, his heirs Executors and
 Administrators In Trust to and for the use interests and purposes here
 in after mentioned (that is to say) In Trust to and for the use and
 behoof of the said Peter Faggon his heirs Executors and Admini-
 strators until the said Intended Marriage shall take effect, and
 Immediately after In Trust to and for the use and behoof of the
 said John Hall and Mary Ann Dodd, for and During their Respec-
 tive Lives and Immediately after the Death of the Survivor
 of them In Trust to and for the use Benefit and behoof of Rody
 Dodd Daughter of her the said Mary Ann Dodd, and such other Issue of
 the body of the said Mary Ann Dodd, as shall survive her and also
 on this further Trust and Confidence, And it is the true intent &
 meaning of the said Parties And of these Presents that should the said
 John Hall survive the said Mary Ann Dodd, and she leave no Issue
 of her body lawfully begotten, that then and in such Case the said
 five Negro Slaves with the future Issue and Increase of the Female
 and also the House hold furniture, and all and singular the
 Premises above mentioned, shall be and Remain to and for the
 sole and Absolute use Benefit and behoof of him the said John
 Hall his heirs and assigns any thing herein before contained
 to the Contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding, And the said
 John Hall Doth for himself Covenant Promise and agree to and with
 the said Peter Faggon his heirs Executors and Administrators,
 that in Case the said Mary Ann Dodd his intended Wife should
 happen to Die before the aforesaid Rody Dodd, shall come of age
 and be settled in the world that he the said John Hall shall and
 will at his own proper Costs and Charges maintain and Educate her
 the said Rody Dodd in the same way and manner in all respects as
 he shall may or would do a Child of his own, if he should so
 happen, to have any by the said Intended Marriage And
 further that in Case he the said John Hall should Die leaving
 Issue behind him of the aforesaid marriage and shall leave him
 her or them a Fortune Equivalent to the aforesaid Trust, either
 by his Last Will and Testament or otherwise, that then and
 in such Case the said Negroes House hold Furniture and
 all and singular the aforesaid Premises and every part of
 Parcel thereof shall be and become the sole and Absolute Pro-
 perty of her the aforesaid Rody Dodd her heirs and assigns,
 any thing herein before contained to the Contrary in anywise
 notwithstanding

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Notwithstanding In witness whereof the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto Interchangeably set their hands and Seals the Day and Year first above written

Sealed and Delivered
in the Presence of }
Wm Rudhall

John Hall (21)

Mary Ann Dodd (21)

Peter Faggsoua (21)

City of } Personally appeared Mr Benjamin Legare who
Charleston } Made oath that he was well acquainted with
Wm Rudhall (who lived with the Depovent as a Clerk) and
with the manner and form of his writing his Name and
Solely believes the Name subscribed Wm Rudhall to this
Instrument of writing to be the proper hand writing him the
said Wm Rudhall, sworn this 21st Day of September 1785

Peter Tremean J. P.

South Carolina

This Indenture made the

Eleventh Day of May in the 4th year of our Lord one thousand
seven hundred and seventy one and in the Eleventh Year of the
Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the third by the Grace of God of
Great Britain France and Ireland King Defender of the faith
and so forth Between John Sanford Dart of Christ Church
Parish in the province aforesaid Planter of the one part &
Benjamin Dart and Jacob Motte of Charlestown in the said
Province Esquires of the other part Witnesseth that
the said John Sanford Dart for and in Consideration of
the sum of ten Shillings Lawful Current Money of the
Province aforesaid to him in hand paid by the said Benj^r
Dart and Jacob Motte or one of them at and before the
Sealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt
whereof is hereby acknowledged he the said John Sanford
Dart hath granted bargained and sold and by these
Presents doth grant bargain and sell unto the said
Benjamin Dart and Jacob Motte their Executors
Administrators and Assigns All that tract of Land
of him the said John Sanford Dart containing Two
hundred and Sixty four Acres Situate Lying and being
on the South Side of Wanchendaw Creek in Christ
Church Parish Aforesaid and was heretofore Butting
and bounding North Easternly on Land of William Elliot
Junior

SENIOR and Joseph saw South easterly on Shinton Creek since called
 Paris Creek North westerly on Washendaw Creek since called
 Quetches Creek and South westward on lands lately belonging to
 Colonel Alexander Paris Also all that other Tract of Land contain-
 ing two hundred and sixty acres more or less butting and bounding
 to the North Westward formerly on lands of Edward Atkinson
 to the North ^{East} on lands of John Metherringham and to the Eastward
 and South ward on lands of Richard Frioler Deceased and also all
 those two small pieces or parcels of Land the largest whereof con-
 tains three acres more or less and is bounded to the Northwest on
 part of the Lands above mentioned and on all other sides on Land
 now or lately belonging to the Estate of Nathaniel Polhill Deceased
 and the smallest piece or parcel thereof contains eight square
 chains and six Tenths of Land more or less ^{lying} within a mile South
 westward of the other piece or parcel of Land and is bounded to the
 North West by Marsh Land to South West on parts of the aforesaid
 Lands and on all other sides on Lands and Marsh now or lately
 belonging to the Estate of the said Nathaniel Polhill Deceased
 which said four several Tracts or parcels of Land ^{lying} contiguous
 or near to each other and being united form and compose one
 Plantation containing five hundred and twenty seven acres
 and eight Square Chains more or less commonly called Cork.
Thence as aforesaid together with all and singular the houses
 out houses edifices Buildings ways paths passages Woods under-
 woods Timber and Timber Trees ponds lakes fishings Pastures
 Fences waters water courses Commodities Advantages Emoluments
 Hereditaments Rights Members and Appurtenances whatsoever
 to or upon the said Plantation or tract of five hundred and
 twenty seven acres of Land and eight Square Chains more or less
 standing being belonging or in any wise incident or appertain-
 ing and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders
 yearly and other Rents Issues and Profits thereof and of every part
 and parcel thereof To have and to hold the aforesaid Plantation or
 Tract of five hundred and twenty seven acres of Land and eight
 Square Chains more or less and all and singular other the
 Premises herein before mentioned or meant or intended to be
 hereby granted Bargained and sold with their and every of
 their Rights Members and the Appurtenances with the said
 Benjamin Dart and Jacob Motte their Executors Administrators

Apigns from the Day next before the Day of the Date of these presents for and During and unto the full end and term of one whole Year from thence next ensuing fully to be completed and ended, Yielding and Paying therefore unto the said Benjamin Dart and Jacob Motte their Heirs ^{and} assigns the Rent of One pepper Corn only on the last Day of the said term if the same shall lawfully Demanded in the intent and purpose that by Virtue of these presents and of the Statute for Transporting of uses into possession made of force in this Province they the said Benjamin Dart and Jacob Motte may be in the actual Possession of all and singular the aforesaid Premises and thereby be enabled to accept and take a Grant and Release of the Reversion and Inheritance thereof to them the said Benjamin Dart and Jacob Motte of the other part and to bear Date the Day next after the Day of the Date of these Presents In Trust Nevertheless to and for the uses intents and purposes therein mentioned expressed and Declared of for and Concerning the same In Witness whereof the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto Interchangeably set their hands and Seals the Day and Year first above written,

sealed and Delivered

in the Presence of

John Hugor. George Adamson

South Carolina.

John Sanford Dart (seal)

To all to whom these Presents shall come I Edward Rutledge Do Certify that the Land within mentioned were by a Deed of Release conveyed to Benjamin Dart and Jacob Motte Esquires to the following uses and upon the following Trusts that is to say In Trust for John Dart Esquire and Martha his Wife During the Life of the longest Liver then to the use of the eldest Male Child of the said John and Martha in fee, but in Case of the Death of the said Male Child without Issue before the Age of Twenty one years to the next Issue Male of the name and in fee in Case of his Death without Issue and before the Age of twenty one then to the Daughter of the Marriage if more than one, if but one, to her in Fee, and in Default of any Issue then to the said John Dart with own Right

to WTS for ever. And I also further certify that the said Deed was for
 merely in my Reception and that I drew therefrom a Petition to the
 Honourable Court of Chancery for the said Lands and for securing the
 Proceeds of the sale to the uses in the said Deed mentioned and the Petition
 of which Petition was not regarded granted but the said Petition was
 filed as a Record of the said Court on the fifth Day of June 1778
 and is now in the Hands of the proper Officer And I do also certify
 that the consideration of the Deed of Settlement was a compensation
 to the said Martha for parting with her Right in certain
 Lands Devised to her by her Father Jacob Motte Esquire Witness
 my hand this 1st Day of December 1785

Witness. Wm Allen Deane,

Edward Rutledge

Charleston Personally appeared John Burger Esquire & who being
 District & duly sworn made oath that he was Present and saw
 John Sandford Deat sign Seal and as and for his Act and Deed to
 Deliver the within Instrument of writing to and for the uses
 and purposes therein mentioned and that he the Deponent
 together with George Adamson subscribed their names as
 witnesses to the Due Execution of the same, Sworn to this
 20th Day of June 1786 before

Peter Feneau J. R.

South Carolina

Know all Men by these Presents that I
 John Fostell the Younger of St Bartholomew Parish Colleton
 County of the State aforesaid Planter for and in consideration
 of the sum of ten Pounds lawful Current Money of the State
 aforesaid to me in hand paid By Benjamin Fostell and William
 Day as and before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt
 whereof is hereby acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and
 by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said Benjⁿ
 Fostell and William Day all these negro and other Slaves (Viz:)
 Ned Betty Cudjoe Sarah Hannah Plenty Hannah Quash Charles
 Jack Louisa Dianah Maurice Darry Peggy Jarvis Little
 Quash, hard Times and money Hagar Old Andrew Young
 Andrew Dimenty and Eve, Hannibal Affey Constant Cillak
 Old Frank Bella Cupid Stephon and Claripa Rubak
 Stephen Prince Old Sue Mingo, Botswain Tommy Tomfaro
 Big Jupiter Hester Tony Tlrah Marian Bent & Candice

To have and to hold the said ^{several} negro and other Slaves and the future Issue Offspring and Increase of the said female Slave unto the said Benjamin Postell and William Day their Executors Administrators and Assigns In Trust Nevertheless and to and for the several uses Intents and purposes herein after mentioned Expressed and Declared of and concerning the same (that is to say) In Trust to and for the use benefit and behoof of Mary Postell wife of me the said John Postell for and During the term of her natural Life and from and immediately after her Decease then In Trust to and for the use benefit and behoof of all and singular the children of me the said John Postell by my said wife Mary that shall be then living to be equally and impartially shared and Divided between and among them and their Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever as tenants in common and not as Joint Tenants If at the time of the Decease of the said Mary there shall be living more than one Child and in case there shall be living only one Child of me the said John Postell by my said wife Mary then In Trust to and for the use benefit and behoof of such only Child his or her Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever In witness whereof I the said John Postell have hereunto set my hand and Seal this twenty fifth Day of August in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy nine

Scaled and Delivered
in the Presence of

Ab: Bush Junr Wm Sec

John Postell (Seal)

South Carolina Charleston

Personally appeared before me John Postell son of John who being Duly Sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God saith that that he is acquainted with the hand writing of John Postell of the horse shoe and that he verily believes that the hand writing within subscribed to the Deed is the hand writing of John Postell at the Horse shoe Sworn to before me this 17th August 1785

R. Rushington

Know all Men by these Presents that

I William Bull of Charles Town in the State of South Carolina Esquire
 am held and firmly bound unto Stephen Bull and Mrs Judith Pringle
 of the same State (Trustees for and on behalf of Elizabeth Reid of
 Charlestown Spinster) in the full and just sum of three thousand
 Pound Sterling Money of Great Britain to be paid to the said Stephen
 Bull and Judith Pringle their certain Attorney Executors
 Administrators or 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 the
 twenty fifth Day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand
 seven hundred and seventy nine. Whereas a marriage is intended
 by Gods permission shortly to be had and solemnized by and between
 the above bound William Bull and Elizabeth Reid of Charlestown
 in the State aforesaid one of the Daughters of James Reid late of the
 same State Deceased Physician and whereas it is agreed between
 the said Parties and the said William Bull Doth hereby Declare
 and agree in consideration of the sum or Portion that he is to
 have and Receive with the said Elizabeth Reid his intended
 wife and of the Love and Affection which he bears to her &
 for some Provision for her maintenance that in Case the
 said Intended Marriage should take effect and the said
 Elizabeth Reid shall survive him that then she the said
 Elizabeth Reid shall have Receive and enjoy to and for her
 own use from and out of the Estate Real and Personal
 of the said William Bull the sum of three thousand Pound
 Sterling Money of Great Britain or the Value thereof in the
 current Money of this State according to the Rate of exchange
 between Great Britain and this State at the time of the Death
 of the said William Bull Now the Condition of the above Obliga-
 tion is such that if the intended Marriage shall take effect
 and be solemnized and the said Elizabeth Reid shall survive
 him the said William Bull then and in such Case if the Heirs
 Executors or Administrators of the said William Bull Do &
 shall within twelve months next after his Decese well
 and truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Elizabeth
 Reid her Executors Administrators or Assigns to and for
 her own proper use Benefit and Maintenance and the
 Issue of the said marriage the said sum three thousand
 Pound Sterling Money of Great Britain or the Value
 thereof

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thereof in the current money of this State at the Rate of Exchange
aforesaid out of the Real and Personal Estate which the said
William Bull or any other person or persons in Trust for
him shall be seized or possessed of or which shall belong to
him at his Decese according to the agreement of the Parties
and true Intent and meaning of these Presents then the
above obligation shall be void and of no effect or else shall
Remain in full force and Virtue

Stated and Delivered in

W^m Bull Jun^r (seal)

the Presence of us, the Words

and True of the said marriage Robert Pingle
being underlined before signing Elizabeth Pingle

South Carolina

This Indenture Separate made

the twentieth Day of September In the year of our Lord one thousand
seven hundred and Seventy Nine Between Mary Hamlin the Widow
of Samuel Hamlin late of Saint Georges Parish Dorchester in
the State aforesaid Planter Deceased of the first Part John Waring
of Charleston in the State aforesaid Esquire of the second
Part and Thomas Waring the brother of the said Mary
Hamlin and Benjamin Waring of Dorchester in the State
aforesaid Esquires of the third Part Whereas there is a Mar-
riage by Gods Permission Intended Shortly to be had and
Solemnized Between the said Mary Hamilton and the
said John Waring and the aforesaid Mary Hamlin being now
lawfully and Rightfully Possessed in her own Right of an
in certain Negro and other Slaves named as follows to wit
two wenches named Egan and Rose and a boy named
Toney And also of an in a certain ^{in hand} sum of money which
she the said Mary Hamlin is ~~concocted~~ ^{interested} unto and
Interested in Amounting to the sum of seven thousand
Pound lawful current money of the State aforesaid And
Whereas in Prospect and consideration of the said Intended
marriage

Marriage the said John Waring and the said Mary Hamlin have
 agreed that she the said Mary Hamlin shall Grant bargain sell
 assign Transfer and set over the said Negro and other Slaves with the
 future Issue and Increase of the said Female Slaves and also
 the aforesaid sum of money unto the said Thomas Waring and
 Benjamin Waring and the survivor of them their Executors Admini-
 strators and assigns In Trust Nevertheless and to and for the several
 and Respective uses intents and purposes therein after Named ex-
 pressed and Declared And whereas the aforesaid John Waring and
 the said Mary Hamlin have also further agreed that she the said Mary
 Hamlin ~~have also further agreed that she the said Mary Hamlin~~
 shall Grant bargain sell assign Transfer set over and Deliver
 the following Negro Slaves to wit one to wench named Jenny one
 fellow named Isaac and one Boy named Harry also the sum
 of seven thousand Pounds Lawful Current Money aforesaid
 unto the said Thomas Waring and Benjamin Waring and the
 survivor of them their Executors Administrators and assigns
 In Trust also to and for the sole use Benefit and behoof of
 Susannah the Daughter of the aforesaid Mary Hamlin her Heirs
 and assigns for ever Now this Indenture Witnesseth that in
 Pursuance of the said agreement and in Consideration of the sum of
 Ten Shillings said Intended Marriage and also for and in Consider-
 ation of the sum of ten Shillings Lawful Current Money of the State
 aforesaid to the said Mary Hamlin in hand well and truly paid
 by the said Thomas Waring and Benjamin Waring at and
 before the sealing and Delivery of these Presents the Receipt
 whereof is hereby Acknowledged and for settling and Apportioning
 all and singular the Premises to and for the uses intents and
 Purposes herein after mentioned expressed and set forth and for
 Divers other good Causes and Considerations the said Mary
 Hamlin hereunto moving she the said Mary Hamlin by and
 with the Approbation and Consent of the said John Waring
 Testified by his bang made a party to and signing and sealing
 of these Presents hath granted bargained sold assigned Transferred
 and set over unto the said Thomas Waring and Benjamin Waring
 and the survivor of them and the Executors & Administrators of
 such survivor all and singular the said several Negro and other
 Slaves before mentioned with the future Issue and Increase
 of the said Female Slaves likewise the said sum of money
 Together with the Interest which may be thereon Due or hereafter
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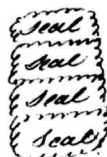
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 Issue and Increase of the said Female Slaves as also the aforesaid
 Sum of money with the Interest unto the aforesaid Thomas Waring
 and Benjamin Waring and the Survivor of them and the Executors
 and Administrators of Such Survivor for ever In Trust &
 Nevertheless and to and for the several and Respective Uses
 Intents and purposes hereafter mentioned and expressed
 (that is to say) In Trust to and for the use and to the profit of the said
 Mary Hamlin her Executors Administrators and Assigns until
 the Intended Marriage shall be solemnized and take effect
 and from and immediately after the solemnization thereof
 then upon this further Trust and Confidence that the said
 Thomas Waring and Benjamin Waring and the Survivor
 of them and the Executors and Administrators of Such Survivor
 and every of them Do and will well and truly permit &
 suffer the said John Waring to have the use and occupation
 of the said Negro and other Slaves and their future Issue
 and Increase and to have and to take and Receive all &
 Singular the Rents Issues and profits of their Labour to
 his own use and Benefit During the term of his Natural
 Life and also the Profits arising from the Aforesaid Sum
 of money and from and immediately after his Decease then
 In Trust to and for the use Benefit and behoof of the said
 Mary Hamlin her Executors Administrators and Assigns
 for ever And further it shall and may be lawful to and
 for the said John Waring his Heirs or Assigns to have
 and Receive take and enjoy all and Singular the Rents
 Issues and Profits of the Negroes and Sum of money before
 Mentioned and hereby granted and assigned transferred and
 set over unto the said Susannah Hamlin the Daughter of the
 Aforesaid Mary Hamlin for and During the Natural Lives
 of the said John Waring and the aforesaid Mary Hamlin
 the Intended wife of the said John Waring, But in case it
 shall so happen that the said John Waring shall survive
 the aforesaid Mary Hamlin then and in such case the
 Aforesaid Negroes the property of the said Mary Hamlin with
 the future Issue and Increase of the female Slaves and the
 Aforesaid Sum of money with Interest thereon Due shall

then

shall become the sole property of the said John Waring his heirs & assigns for ever and the aforesaid Trust and Assignment shall become void and of no effect to all intents and purposes whatsoever. In Witness whereof the said Parties to these presents have hereunto Interchangeably set their Hands and Seals the Day and Year first above written.

Sealed and Delivered in
the Presence of us
Edith Waring
Ann Waring

Mary Hamlin
John Waring
Thos Waring
B. Waring



Received the above contents on the 20 Day of September 1779

John Waring

Charleston } Person ally appeared Edith Waring who being duly sworn made Oath that she was personally present of Sam Mary Hamlin John Waring Thomas Waring of Benjamin Waring sign seal and as and for their act & deed delivered the foregoing Instrument for the use & purposes within mentioned as sworn to this 2^d day of August 1785 before Daniel Smith J. C. The Marriage Settlements recorded in this Book from the first Page to this Page were brought into the Secretarys office in consequence of an act of the Legislature passed the eighth day of March 1785 entitled 'an act to oblige Persons interested in Marriage deeds and Contracts to record the same in the Secretarys Office of this State on or before the first of September 1785 and were received within that time

South Carolina

This Indenture made the thirteenth Day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty two Between Ephraim Mitchell of the State of South Carolina Esquire of the one Part and Heir of the said State Gentleman of the other part Whereas there is a Marriage by Gods permission Intended to be shortly to be had and solemnized between the said Ephraim Mitchell and Rhoda Dodd of the said State Spinster And Whereas the Ephraim Mitchell hath agreed to make over and settle upon the said Rhoda Dodd his intended wife all those several Negro Slaves following to wit Goldstone Guy Judy Abigail and Phebe to and for the use Trust and Condition hereinafter mentioned Now this Indenture Witnesseth that the said Ephraim Mitchell for and in Consideration of the said Intended Marriage taking effect And also for and in Consideration of the sum of ten Shillings Lawful Current Money of the State aforesaid to him in hand paid by the said John Hall the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged he the said Ephraim Mitchell hath granted bargained and sold and by these presents Doth grant bargain and sell unto the said John Hall his Executors Administrators & assigns the said five Negro Slaves together with the future Issue & Increase of the females To have and to hold the said five Negro Slaves named Goldstone Guy Judy Abigail and Phebe together with the future

Yours

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I sell and Invease of the Females unto the said John Hall his Executors
Administrators and Assigns In Trust to and for the Use of the said Ephraim
Mitchell and Rhoda Dods for and ~~the~~ During their Natural Lives and to
and for the use Benefit and behoof of the Survivor of them and the
Heirs Executors and Administrators of such Survivor In Witness
whereof the said Parties to these presents have hereunto Interchange-
ably set their hands and Seals the Day and Year first above written.
Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of } Ephraim Mitchell - (28)
James Perry } John Hall - (28)

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This Indenture Made the third Day of December
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Seventy two
and in the thirteenth year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George
the third by the grace of god of Great Britain France and Ireland King
Defender of the faith and so forth Between John Wells of John's
Island in the Province aforesaid Surgeon of the one part and
Thomas Hainscome and John Holmes of the Province aforesaid
Planters of the other part. Whereas there is a marriage by God's
Permission intended shortly to be had and solemnized between the
said John Wells and a certain Mary Wintborn of the said
Province Spinster a Minor only Daughter of the late Thomas
Wintborn Deceased and the said John Wells in Prospect and Consideration
of the said Intended Marriage hath agreed with the said Thomas
Hainscome and John Holmes as Trustees for and in behalf of the
said Mary if the said Marriage shall take effect that then from
and Immediately after the solemnization thereof the following
Negro and other Slaves known and distinguished by the names of
Tom y Back (men) Moll Dige Creature and Maria (Woman)
Effic Elai Hannah and Mary (Girls) and Abram Peter Harry
Prince and Tomail (Boys) to which the said Mary is lawfully
entitled in her own Right and as her Separate Estate Goods and Chattles

(11111111) together with their future Issue and Increase shall be by the
 said John Wells made over and assured unto the said Thomas Hanscome
 and John Holmes and the Survivors and Survivor of them his Executors &
 Administrators In Trust Nevertheless unto and for such uses intents and
 Purposes as are herein after mentioned expressed and Declared of and Concern
 ing the same Now this Indenture Witnesseth that in Respect and Consideration
 of the said intended Marriage and in pursuance of the said Agreement and also
 for and in Consideration of the sum of ten Pounds Lawful Current money of the
 Province aforesaid to the said John Wells by the said Thomas Hanscome and John
 Holmes in hand well and truly paid at and before the sealing and Delivery of
 these presents the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged by the said John Wells
 for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators Doth hereby Covenant promise
 grant and agree to and with the said Thomas Hanscome and John Holmes and
 the Survivors and Survivor of them his Executors and Administrators all
 and Singular the said Negroe and other Slaves above mentioned Known and
 Distinguished by the Names of Tom and Jack (Men) Moll Dye Creature
 and Maria (Woman) Effie Elai Hannak and Mary (Girls) and Abram
 Peter Harry Prince and Ismaile (boys) with their future Issue and Increase
 In Trust Nevertheless unto and for such uses intents and purposes herein after
 mentioned expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same that is to say
 In Trust that they the said Thomas Hanscome and John Holmes and the
 Survivors and Survivor of them his Executors and Administrators Do and
 shall from and immediately after the solemnization of the said intended
 marriage and such Conveyance and Assurance well and truly perform
 and suffer the said John Wells During the joint lives of him the said John Wells
 and the said Mary his intended Wife to occupy possess and enjoy all and singular
 the said Negroe and other Slaves above mentioned and their future Issue and
 Increase and to have Receive and take the Rents produce and profits of their
 Labour and employment to his own proper use benefit and behoof without
 any Control Restraint or interruption of or by the said Thomas Hanscome or
 John Holmes or the Survivors or Survivor of them his Executors or Administra
 tors or either or any of them on any Account or pretence whatsoever And in
 Case the said Mary should happen to survive the said John and leave Issue
 of her body by him at the time of his Decease or all or any of the Issue of the said
 intended Marriage should be Dead leaving any Child or Children Lawfully
 begotten at that time Living then upon this further Trust and Confidence
 that ^{they} the said Thomas Hanscome and John Holmes or the Survivors or
 Survivor of them his Executors or Administrators Do and shall with
 all Convenient Speed fairly and impartially share and Divide all
 and Singular the said Negroe and other Slaves and their future Issue

And Increase into two equal Moieties or half parts and Render and Deliver over unto the said Mary one equal moiety or half part thereof to & for such uses for the benefit and behoof of such person or persons and in such way and manner and form as she the said Mary by any Deed under her hand and seal or by her last Will and Testament in writing Executed in the presence of two or more Credible Witnesses whether she be Sole or Covert shall give bequeath Limit or appoint the same & to and for no other use trust intent or purpose whatsoever And as for and Concerning the other equal Moiety or half part of the said Neg: or and other Slaves and their future Issue and Increase on the Contingencies of? In Trust that they the said Thomas Hanscome and John Holmes and the Survivors and Survivor of them his Executors and Administrators Do & shall stand And be possessed thereof to and for the use benefit and behoof of such Issue of the said John Wells on the body of the said Mary his intended Wife to be begotten and the said Child or Children of such Issue of of them the said John and Mary so happening to be Dead to be impartially Shared and Divided between and Amongst them as tenants in Common of like equality of Estate at the time of the Decease of the said John in the life time of the said Mary she shall have living more than one Child begotten by the said John or there shall be Issue then living of any Deceased Child or Children of them the said John and Mary but on such Division the Issue of any Deceased Child or Children of them the said John and Mary shall be entitled to have and Receive equally between them only a Childs Share or proportion in Right of him her or them they respectively represent and in Case there shall be then living only one Child of the said John Wells on the body of the said Mary begotten or lawful Issue of one Child so happening to be Dead then In Trust to and for the use benefit and behoof of such only Child or the Issue of such Child then Deceased his her or their Executors Administrators and Assigns as the Case may be for ever the latter to take as tenants in Common. But in Case this said Mary should happen to Die before the said John Wells leaving Issue of her body begotten by the said John or any Child or Children of such Issue who may then happen to be Dead then upon this further Trust and Confidence that they the said Thomas Hanscome and John Holmes and the Survivors and Survivor of them his Executors and Administrators Do and shall well and truly permit and suffer the said John Wells for and During the term of his Natural life and

No longer to occupy Possess and enjoy all and Singular the said Negroe and other
 Slaves above mentioned and their future Issue and Increase and to have Receive
 and take the Rents produce and profits of their Labour and employment to the
 only proper use benefit and behoof of him the said John Wells without any
 Restraint Controul or interruption of or by the said Thomas Hanscome
 and John Holmes or the Survivor or Survivors of them his Executors or Administra-
 tors or either or any of them on any Account or pretence whatsoever Provided
 always nevertheless and it is hereby expressly agreed by and between the said
 Parties to these presents that the said Negroe and other Slaves or their future
 Issue and increase shall not During the Joint lives of the said John Wells
 and Mary his Intended Wife or after her Death in Case he should happen
 to Survive her or in any other event or Contingency be Subject or liable
 to be charged or made Chargeable with or Seized Attainted or extended
 of for or by Reason or means of any Debt or engagement of the said
 John Wells already Contracted or entered into or to be by him Contracted
 or entered into at any time Subsequent to his intended Marriage,
 And from and Immediately after the Decease of the said John Wells in
 case he should happen to survive the said Mary his intended wife during
 Issue of her Body begotten by the said John or any Child or Children of such
 Issue who may then happen to be Dead then upon this further trust
 and Confidence that they the said Thomas Hanscome and John Holmes
 and the Survivors and Survivor of them his Executors and Administrators
 Do and shall stand and be possessed of all and Singular the said Negroe and
 other Slaves with their future Issue and Increase to and for the use
 benefit and behoof of the Child or Children of the said John on the body
 of the said Mary his intended Wife to be begotten and the Issue of any
 Child or Children of them the said John and Mary then happening to be
 Dead to be impartially shared and Divided between and among them as
 tenants in common of like equality of Estate if at the time of the
 Decease of the said John as above he the said John shall have living
 more than one Child begotten on the body of the said Mary or there
 shall be Issue then living of any Deceased Child or Children of them
 the said John and Mary, But on such Division the Issue of any Deceased
 Child or Children of them the said John and Mary shall be entitled to
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 in Right of him her or them they Respectively Represent and in Case
 there shall be then living only one Child of the said John Wells on the

Body of the said Mary begotten or lawful Issue of one Child so happening
 to be Dead then in Trust to and for the use benefit and behoof of such only
 Child or the Issue of such Child then Deceased his her or their Executors
 Administrators and Assigns as the Case may be for ever the latter
 to take as tenants in Common And in Default of Children or any
 Child of the said John or the Body of the said Mary or their or any of
 their Issue living at the time of the Decease of the Survivor of them the
 said John and Mary then upon this further Trust and Confidence that
 they the said Thomas Hanscome and John Holmes and the Survivors
 of them his Executors and Administrators Do and shall Stand and be
 Possessed of all and singular the said Negroe and other Slaves and their
 future Issue and Increase to and for the use benefit and behoof of
 the Executors Administrators and Assigns of the longest Liver of them
 the said John and Mary forever and Grant Reconvey and Assign the
 same to him her or them accordingly acquitted Released & Discharged
 of any further or other Trust Limitation or Appointment what
 soever any thing herein before Contained to the contrary thereof
 in any wise Notwithstanding And the said John Wells for
 himself his heirs Executors and Administrators Doth hereby further
 Covenant promise Grant and agree to and with the said Thomas
 Hanscome and John Holmes and the Survivor of them his Executors
 and Administrators that he the said John Wells his Executors
 or Administrators shall and will at any time after the solemn
 ization of the said Intended marriage make Do and Execute
 all and every such Deeds Conveyances and Assurances or other
 Acts matters or things as the Counsel Learned in the Law of the
 said Thomas Hanscome and John Holmes or the Survivor of
 them his Executors or Administrators shall Devise Advise or Direct
 for the better and more effectual Granting Conveying and Assuring
 all and singular the Negroe and other Slaves above mentioned
 and their future Issue and increase unto the said Thomas Hanscome
 and John Holmes and the Survivors of them his Executors and
 Administrators In Trust to and for the uses above mentioned accord
 ing to the Intent and meaning of these presents In witness whereof
 the said parties to these Presents have hereunto interchangeably set
 their hands and seals the Day and Year first above written
 Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of } John Wells (Seal)
 John Dyer John Todd

I Acknowledge to have Received from Messrs Thomas Hainscome and John Holmes within mentioned the sum of ten Pound Currency being the full of the within agreement.

John Wells.

Witness, John Freer.

Personally appeared before me Isaac Holmes of one of the Justices of the Quorum John Freer of John's Island who being Duly Sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God Declareth that he was present and saw Doctor John Wells sign and as his Act and Deed Deliver this Indenture for the uses intents and Purposes therein mentioned and that John Todd with himself signed their names as Witnesses to the Due Execution of the same. Sworn this 29th Day of December 1785. Isaac Holmes J. D.

Recorded January 7th 1786.

South Carolina

This Indenture Made the fifteenth Day of December

in the year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and eighty five and in the tenth year of American Independence Between William Cleland of the City of Charleston and State aforesaid and Esther Maybank of Christ Church Parish in the State aforesaid Whereas by the blessing of God a marriage is intended shortly to be between the said William Cleland and Esther Maybank and for the natural love and affection which the said William Cleland have and bear unto the said Esther Maybank as also for and in consideration of the sum of five Shillings Sterling money of the State aforesaid to me in hand paid at and before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof I do hereby Acknowledge have bargained and sold and by these presents Do give grant bargain sell and Deliver unto the said Esther Maybank a certain Negroe Girl named Bynah To have and to hold the said Negroe Girl Bynah with her future Issue and Increase unto the said Esther Maybank her heirs and assigns for ever Free from any Let hindrance or Molestation of me my heirs or assigns or any other person or persons whatsoever. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the Day and year first above written.

Wm Cleland (Seal)

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of

D. Ward. W. Doussaint.

Received of Miss Esther Maybank the sum of five Shillings Sterling it being the full Consideration money within mentioned.

December 15th 1785.

Witness D. Ward. W. Doussaint. William Cleland.

Charleston

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District } Personally appeared Mr Daniel Ward who made oath that
he was present and saw William Cleland sign seal and as his Act
and Deed Deliver this Instrument of writing for the uses and purposes
within mentioned. Sworn to this 21st Day of December 1780

before, Peter Freneau J. C.

This Indenture Tripartite Made the eighth
Day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and
Eighty five Between Thomas Kennedy of Edisto Island Saint John Parish
Colleton County in the State of South Carolina Physician of the first part
Ann Jeffords of the Parish County and State aforesaid Widow of the
second part and Ephraim Mikell of the same Parish and State of
the third Part. Whereas a marriage by Gods Permission is intended shortly
to be had and solemnized between the said Thomas Kennedy and the said Ann
Jeffords And whereas the said Ann Jeffords is now possessed in her own Right
of and in a considerable Personal Estate Consisting of thirteen Negro
Slaves named as follows vizt Phillis Renty Rose Charlotte Rudence
Reps Samson Hannah Tom bob Prince August and Jack which
the said Thomas Kennedy will be intitled to have take and Receive
on the solemnization of the said intended marriage And whereas
in consideration of the said Intended marriage and of its taking
Effect it is Covenanted and agreed to by and between the said Thomas
Kennedy and the said Ann Jeffords that the ^{said} personal Estate of
her the said Ann Jeffords in case the said Intended Marriage
shall take effect and be solemnized shall be settled in the manner
in these Indentures mentioned specified and Declared off &
concerning the same Now this Indenture Witnesseth that in
Prospect and in Consideration of the said intended Marriage
and in pursuance of the said Agreement and also in Consider-
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aforesaid to the said Thomas Kennedy by the said Ephraim
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and Administrators Doth hereby Covenant Promise Grant and agree
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 his use free from the Controul of the said Ephraim Mikell or any other
 Person or persons whatsoever And from and Immediately after the
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