

forever and in case the said William Bohun Baker shall not have
 attained such age at the time of the Death of the said Elizabeth then
 the Estate hereby meant and intended for him shall in the meantime
 from and after the Death of the said Elizabeth go and be applied
 for and towards the maintenance and Education of him the said
 William Bohun Baker or for the increase of his fortune and Estate
 as the said trustees or the survivors or survivor of them his or their
 Executors or Administrators shall think fit but if it shall so
 happen that the said William Bohun Baker shall die before he
 attains the age of twenty one years then upon trust that they the
 said Emily Ladson Thomas Ladson and William Fraser & the survivors
 and survivor of them his or their Executors or Administrators will
 transfer and assign all and singular the personal Estate hereby
 intended to be conveyed and transferred to the said William Bohun
 Baker including the negro Stephen (Provided the said Elizabeth
 shall survive her said intended husband as aforesaid) in & amongst
 the sister & surviving children of her the said Elizabeth equally
 to be divided among them share and share alike and the said
 William Husham doth hereby covenant promise and agree to &
 with the said Emily Ladson Thomas Ladson & William Fraser
 and the survivor and survivor of them his and their Executors &
 Administrators that he the said William Husham shall and will
 at any time after the solemnization of the said intended Marriage
 upon the Reasonable Request of the said Emily Ladson Thomas Ladson
 and William Fraser or either of them their or either of their Executors
 or Administrators make do and Execute or Cause to be made
 Done and Executed all and every Lawful and Reasonable Acts
 matters and things for the better assigning securing and settling
 all and singular the premises mentioned in the annexed Schedule
 upon the trusts and to & for the intents and purposes & unto and
 Subject to the uses provisions & agreements hereinbefore mentioned
 expressed & declared of & Concerning the same and it is agreed by
 and between the said Parties & their presents that the said Trustees
 their Executors Administrators and assigns shall or may
 Lawfully in the first place deduct & Detain out of the
 premises transferred and assigned as aforesaid all such sum
 and sums of money Cash & charges Expences and Damages
 which they or any of them shall pay expend lay out suffer or
 be put to by means of this present Trust or any 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 ~~made~~^{made} in trust or any part thereof or to the Estate increase Proceeds or profits thereof or of any part thereof either by time reasonable ^{use} inevitable accident or otherwise without the ~~use~~^{use} fault or neglect of the said Emily Ladson Thomas Ladson and William Fraser or any of their Executors Administrators and Assigns that they the said Trustees nor any of them their nor either of their Executors Administrators or Assigns shall not be charged or chargeable with such Loss or liable to answer or make good the same or any part thereof to any Person whatsoever nor shall either of the said Trustees be answerable or chargeable for or with the act Delivery Receipt or Default of the others or of either of them but each for himself and his own act Delivery Receipt or Default only In witness whereof the said parties to these presents have hereto set their hand and seals the Day and year first above written. The Schedule or inventory of the Estate Negroes monies Bonds notes vouchers or Documents for money belonging to the within named Elizabeth Baker mentioned in the within Indenture to be Transferred Assigned & set over by the said Elizabeth by and with the consent of the within named William Huskham to the within named Emily Ladson Thomas Ladson and William Fraser in trust for the uses intents and purposes herein mentioned. Jack Castellan Quash March Tom Castellan Junr Charles Justice Quash Junr. Premus acquilla maria Phillis Phaba Mary Peggy Sarah nursing and my part of and Right to a bond from Nicholas Enceleigh Esquire. To Thomas Phelps for four hundred and twenty thousand Pounds Currency Conditioned for payment two hundred and ten thousand Dates of fifth Day December one thousand seven hundred and seventy nine and by him indorsed to Richard Bohun Baker Esquire, Eliza Baker ^{EL} Amelia Ladson ^{EL} Tho Ladson ^{EL} William Fraser ^{EL} Wm Huskham ^{EL} sealed and delivered in the presence of us. Jacob Dilgar. Mary Dilgar. sealed and delivered by William Fraser in presence of Th^o Courtney. Jacob Dilgar Received the Day and year of the within Indenture of the within ^{named} William Fraser the sum of ten Shillings being the consideration money within mentioned. Eliza Baker. Charleston District personally appeared Mr Jacob Dilgar who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God made oath that he was present and saw Eliza Baker Amelia Ladson Thomas Ladson and William Huskham sign seal and as their act and deed deliver this indenture for the uses intents and purposes within mentioned and that he the Deponent and Mary Dilgar signed their names as witnesses to the due Execution of the same. Sworn to in the City of Charleston this 10th Day August 1783 before Peter Smeaton S. R. Charleston

District personally appeared Humphrey Courtney who being duly sworn made oath that he was present and heard William Fraser Esq^r acknowledge that the Name signed William Fraser was of the proper hand writing of him the said William Fraser Sworn this 10th of August 1785 before Peter Foreman J. P.

South Carolina. Know all Men by these Presents that I Abraham Mendez Sexias late of the City of New York but now of Charleston in the State of South Carolina Merchant and Holder and firmly bound and Obligated to Philip Minis and Mordecai Sheftall of the State of Georgia in the full and just sum of sixteen thousand Eight hundred Pound good and Lawful Money of the State of South Carolina to be paid to the said Philip Minis and Mordecai Sheftall their Executors Administrators and Assigns to which payment well and truly to be made bind myself my heirs Executors and Administrators firmly by these presents sealed with my seal and Dated at Charleston this Eleventh Day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Seventy seven. Whereas a marriage is intended to be shortly had and solemnized between the above bound Abraham Mendez Sexias and Rileey Hart Daughter of Joshua Hart of Charleston. Merchant and Whereas the said Joshua Hart in Consideration thereof hath agreed to pay to the said Abraham Mendez Sexias the sum of three thousand and five hundred Pound Current money of the State of South Carolina on the Day of the said marriage and to give and Grant to the said Abraham Mendez Sexias two negroes by Name Juliet and Lucy and also several Articles of Plate and house hold furniture as a marriage Portion with his said Daughter and Whereas in Consideration of the said marriage and Portion covenants Provide a competent Maintenance for the said Rileey and for the Issue of the said marriage in Case of Losses in trade or other Misfortunes and in Case the said Rileey should survive the said Abraham Mendez Sexias and be not by him at his Decease better provided for and that she should not nor should the Issue of the intended marriage be destitute of a necessary Subsistence in any such Cases Be the said Abraham Mendez Sexias hath agreed to stand to the said Rileey Hart notwithstanding such Coverture and to the Issue of the said marriage the sum of eight thousand and four hundred Pound Current money the said two negroes Juliet and Lucy and the Plate and household furniture above mentioned and for that purpose to vest pay and Deliver over into the hands of the said Philip Minis & Mordecai Sheftall in trust for her and the

said Issue and by no means to be subject to his Debts or engagements the said sum of eight thousand and four hundred Pounds the said Negroes and the Plate and Furniture above mentioned to the use and upon the trust herein after mentioned that is to say in trust that the said Philip Minis and Mordecai Sheftale shall in case of the failure or Death of the said Abraham Mendez Sacias pay over to the said Ritey During the term of her Natural Life notwithstanding Coverture the Annual Interest of the said sum of eight thousand and four hundred Pounds to arise and grow Due thereon and to permit and suffer her to have hold use occupy and possess the Yforesaid Negroes with their future Issue and increase and the Plate and furniture above mentioned free from the Debts or engagements of the said Abraham Mendez Sacias and from and after her Decease upon trust that the said Philip Minis and Mordecai Sheftale shall pay over to the said Abraham Mendez Sacias the Annual Interest to arise and grow Due on the said sum of eight thousand and four hundred Pounds and permit him to have hold and enjoy the said Slaves with their future Issue and increase and the Plate and furniture aforesaid During the term of his Natural Life and from and after Decease upon trust that they the said Philip Minis and Mordecai Sheftale shall pay to such of the Issue of the said marriage as the said Abraham Mendez Sacias shall by Will Direct the said sum of eight thousand and four hundred Pounds and Deliver over to such Issue the said Negroes with their Issue and increase and the said Plate and furniture to hold to him her or them and his her or their Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever and in case the said Abraham Mendez Sacias shall make no will then upon trust that they shall Devide the said Money and Distribute the said Negroes and their increase and the Plate and Furniture above mentioned to and amongst the Issue of the said marriage in equal Parts and proportions but in case there should be no Issue of the said marriage Living at the Death of the said Ritey then in trust that the said Philip Minis and Mordecai Sheftale shall pay over the said money and Deliver over the said Negroes and their increase and the furniture and Plate above mentioned to the said Abraham Mendez Sacias his Executors Administrators and Assigns to his and their absolute use and behoof. Now therefore the condition of the above obligation is such that if the said marriage shall take Effect and the said Abraham Mendez Sacias his heirs Executors or Administrators shall and do well and truly pay or cause to be paid to the said Philip Minis and Mordecai Sheftale or the survivor of them his Executors or Administrators the said sum of eight thousand & four hundred Pounds & shall Deliver over to them or him the said Negroes Sallet and Lucy and the said Plate and furniture above mentioned on the Day next after the said marriage shall be Consummated to for and upon the uses above mentioned

notwithstanding

notwithstanding the Coverture of the said Riley then the above Obligation shall be void or else remain in full force & Virtue Abraham Mendez Sacias (L.B.) Sealed & Delivered in the presence of Levi Sheftall Isaac Joseph South Carolina Charleston District Personally appeared Mr. Searel Joseph who being duly Sworn made oath that he was present and saw Abraham Mendez Sacias sign seal and assent for his Act and Deed Deliver the within Instrument of writing to and for the uses intents and purposes therein mentioned And he the Deponent together with Levi Sheftall subscribed their names as Witnesses to the Due Execution of the same. Sworn this 2^d Day of September 1785 before

Peter Threnauer S. C.

State of South Carolina. This Indenture made the Tenth Day of December in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy nine Between William Day of St. Bartholomews Parish Colleton County and State of South Carolina Planter of the One part and Philip Smith and James Hobbs both of the same Place Planters of the other part Whereas James Postell late of St Georges parish Berkeley County in the State of South Carolina Esquire Deceased By his Last Will and Testament in writing Duly made and Published Did give and Bequeath unto his Daughter Elizabeth Postle and her heirs forever a Childs Share or part of all his Negroes Slaves and other Personal Estate which he was worth and possessed of at the time of his Decease And Whereas by a marriage heretofore had by and between the said William Day and the said Elizabeth Postle the said William Day now is and stands Lawfully & Rightfully Possessed of and in the said Negro Slaves and other Personal Estate so given and Bequeathed by the said James Postle to his Daughter Elizabeth wife of the said William Day and his Heirs forever Now this indenture witnesseth that for and in Consideration of the said marriage heretofore had between the said William Day and Elizabeth Day his wife and of the Good Will and Affection which he the said William Day beareth unto his said wife and of the true performance of such promises and agreements had and made by the said William Day upon the marriage between the said William Day and his said wife before the said marriage was had and solemnized and for settling of all the Estate as the said Elizabeth Day had or was any ways entitled of in and unto by the Last Will and Testament of her said Father James Postle or otherwise howsoever to the uses ends intents and purposes herein after mentioned expressed and Declared and for Divers other good Causes and Valuable

Considerations him therunto moving he the said William Day for himself
 his Heirs Executors and Administrators and for every of them Doth Covenant Condition
 Grant Conclude and agree to and with the said Philip Smith and James Hobbs
 Hobbs their Executors and Administrators by these presents in manner and form fol-
 lowing that is to say that they the said Philip Smith and James Hobbs their Executors
 and Administrators shall stand seized and possessed of and in the said Negroes Slave
 named Gwinn Paul Dublin Harry Tom Tim Isaac, Cyrus James, Carpenter
 16 Alley, George, Mark, Men, and Nanny Sarah Tenah, Bep, Molly Kinah Sally,
 Clarissa, Lucretia, Lydia, Doll Lucy, Amy, women together with their present
 and future Issue and increase for ever hereafter to the use and uses end in-
 tents and purposes herein after mentioned expressed and Declared to wit
 To the use and to behoof of the said Elizabeth Day for and During and unto the
 full End Term and Continuance of her Natural life and from and after her
 Decease then to the use and behoof of the Heirs of the Body of the said Elizabeth
 Day Lawfully begotten or to be begotten, and for want of such Heirs then to the
 Heirs of the said William Day for ever and to and for no other use intent or purpose
 whatsoever And the said William Day hereby for himself his Heirs Executors and
 Adminors Doth Covenant promise grant and agree to and with the said Philip Smith
 and James Hobbs their Executors and Adminors and to and with every of them by these
 presents in manner and form following (that is to say) that the said William
 Day at the time of the enscaling and Delivery thereof is the true and Lawful
 proprietor and owner of the said Negro Slaves herein above mentioned and hath
 in himself good Right full power and Lawful Authority to settle and Apure
 the same and every part and parcel thereof with their Issue and increase to and
 for the uses end intents and purposes aforesaid According to the true intent and
 meaning of these presents and that the same Negroes and their Issue and
 increase shall and Lawfully may forever hereafter be held and enjoyed According
 to the Limitations aforesaid And lastly that the said William Day his Heirs &
 assigns and all other person and persons whatsoever that now have or hath
 or hereafter that shall or may have or claim any Right Title or interest in or
 unto the said Negro Slaves with their Issue and increase herein before Limit-
 ed and recited or part thereof from thence forth shall and will from time to
 time and at all times for ever hereafter at the proper Cost and Charges in the Law
 of the said Philip Smith and James Hobbs their Executors and Adminors make Do Acknowledge
 Suffer and execute or Chuse and permit to be made Done acknowledged Suffered and
 Executed all and every such further and other Lawful and Reasonable Act and
 Acts thing and things Devises Conveyances and Apurances in the Law what-
 soever for the better further and more perfect and Absolute Conveying
 Settling and Apuring all the aforesaid Negro Slaves with their Issue and
 increase unto and for the uses end and purposes aforesaid as by them the said
 Philip Smith and James Hobbs their Executors and Adminors or them and their
 Council Learned in the Law shall be Reasonably devised or advised & Required

The Witnesses whereof the parties to these presents have herunto Interchange-
 bly set their hands and Seals the Day and year first above written. *Wm Day* *Philip Smith* *James Stobo* Signed
 Sealed and Delivered (the Enacement of parts of the twenty first and twenty
 second lines from the top being first made) in presence of James
 Postell of James Oliver. *Wm James Postell Junr* Appeared before
 me and made oath that he was present and Did see William Day
 Philip Smith and James Stobo execute the within Instrument
 of writing for the use ~~in~~ intent and purpose therein mentioned
 and that he and James Oliver signed their names as evidences
 thereto. James Postell Jr Signed and sworn before me the 28th of
 August 1785 John Logan.

This Indenture Made the twenty fifth Day of May in the year
 of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Eighty five and in the
 Ninth Year of the Independence of the United States of America BETWEEN
 Sarah Stewart of Fairy Hill in Cherokee District in the State of
 South Carolina Widow and Adlict of Charles Esqr Augustus
 Stewart of the District and State aforesaid Esquire Deceased of the
 one part and Thomas Gaddden of the City of Charleston in the
 State aforesaid Esquire and Philip Gaddden of the same Place
 Gentleman of the other Part Witnesseth that the said Sarah Stewart
 for and in consideration of the sum of five Shillings Sterling to her in
 hand paid by the said Thomas Gaddden and Philip Gaddden at or
 before the enrolling and Delivery of these presents the Receipt
 whereof is hereby acknowledged hath granted bargained and
 sold and by these presents Doth grant bargain and sell unto the said
 Thomas Gaddden and Philip Gaddden their Executors Administrators
 and Assigns All and Singular the Plantations Parcels tracts and
 Lots of Land Tenements and Hereditaments whatsoever of her the said
 Sarah Stewart situate lying and being in this State of South
 Carolina and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remain-
 ders Rents Issues and Profits of all and singular the said Premises
 and every part and parcel thereof with their and every of their
 appurtenances To have and to hold all and singular the Premises
 herein before mentioned or intended to be hereby bargained or sold
 with their and every of their Rights Members & appurtenances
 unto the said Thomas Gaddden and Philip Gaddden their Executors
 Administrators and Assigns from the Day next before the Day of the
 Date of these Presents for and During the term of one whole Year
 from thence next ensuing and fully to be completed and ended
 yielding and paying therefore unto the said Sarah Stewart
 her Heirs and Assigns the Rent of one pepper Corn only on the

Last Day of the said term if the same shall be Demanded To the Intent & purpose that by Virtue of these Presents and by force of the Statutes for transferring use into possession they the said Thomas Gadsden and Philip Gadsden may be in the actual Possession of all singular the said hereby Bargained Premises with their and every of their and every of their Appurtenances and may thereby be enabled to accept and take a grant or Release of the Reversion and Inheritance thereof to them and their Heirs in such manner and for such uses intents and purposes as the said Sarah Stewart doth intend to grant or Release the same by indenture bearing Date the Day next after the Day of the Date of these presents In Witness whereof the parties to these presents have herunto interchangeably set their hands ^{and seals} the Day and Year first above written. Sarah Stewart  Sealed and Delivered in the presence of John Chesnut, Christopher Gadsden,

State of South Carolina Charleston District Personally Appeared Christopher Gadsden Esq^r who being Duly Sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God maketh oath that he was present and saw Sarah Stewart sign seal and as her Act and Deed Deliver this Lease for a Year to and for the use and purposes therein mentioned and that he the Deponent & John Chesnut subscribed their names as Witnesses to the Due Execution of the same Sworn to the 9th Day of August 1785 Before me De Mayorck J. R. State of South Carolina This Indenture Dispartible Made the twenty sixth Day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty five and in the ninth year of the Independence of the United States of America Between Duncan M'Ra of the Cheraw District in the State of South Carolina Merchant of the first Part and Sarah Stewart of Fairy Hill in the State aforesaid Widow & Relict of Charles Augustus Stewart late of the District and State aforesaid Esquire Deceased of the second Part and Thomas Gadsden of the City of Charleston in the State aforesaid Esquire and Philip Gadsden of the same Place Gentleman of the third Part Whereas a marriage by God's Permission is shortly intended to be had and solemnized between the said Duncan M'Ra and the said Sarah Stewart And whereas the said Sarah Stewart at the time of Executing of these Presents is and stands seized of and in Divers Land Tenements and Hereditaments in this State of South Carolina and also is possessed of a Number of Negroe and other Slaves and Bonds notes and other personal Estate &c And whereas upon the treaty previous to the said intended Marriage it hath been and is agreed between the said Duncan M'Ra and the said Sarah Stewart that the said Land Tenements Hereditaments and Negroe and other Slaves Bonds notes and all and singular the Real and personal Estate which the said Sarah Stewart is in any manner seized & possessed of interested in and entitled unto should be transferred Assigned Conveyed Granted & Released unto the said Thomas Gadsden and Philip Gadsden and their Heirs

Heirs to for and upon the several Uses and Subject to the trusts Intent
 and purposes in such manner as herein after is mentioned Limited
 Expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same, Now this In-
 denture Witnesseth that in pursuance of the said recited Agreement
 and in Consideration of the said intended Marriage and also for
 and in Consideration of the sum of ten Pound Sterling money to her
 the said Sarah Stewart paid by the said Thomas Gadsden & Philip
 Gadsden the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and for Divers
 other Good Causes & valuable Considerations her hereunto Specially
 moving the said Sarah Stewart (by and with the knowledge Privy
 Consent and approbation of the said Duncan. Now her intended
 Husband testified by his being a party hereto and executing of these
 presents hath Granted Bargained sold Assigned transferred Conveyed
 Alienated Released and Confirmed and by these presents Doth grant
 bargain sell Assign transfer Convey Alien Release and Confirm
 unto the said Thomas Gadsden and Philip Gadsden (in the Actual
 Possession now being by virtue of a bargain and sale to them
 made by the said Sarah Stewart for one whole year by Indenture
 bearing Date the Day next before the Day of the Date of these Presents
 and made between the said Sarah Stewart of the one part and
 the said Thomas Gadsden and Philip Gadsden of the other Part
 and executed before the Execution hereof and by force of the Statute
 for transferring uses into possession and to the survivors of them
 and the Heirs Executors and Administrators of such Survivor
 All and singular the Plantations Parcels tracts and Lots of
 Land tenements and Hereditaments whatsoever of her the said Sarah
 Stewart situate lying and being in this State of South Carolina
 And also all the Negro and other Slaves which the said Sarah
 Stewart is in any manner possessed of or entitled unto with
 the future Issue and increase of such of them as are female
 And also all the Real and personal Estate of her the said Sarah
 Stewart and all the Right title Interest use Possession Property
 Benefit Trust Estate and Demand whatsoever Both in Law and
 Equity which the said Sarah Stewart or any other Person
 or persons in trust for her hath or have or is in or are interested in
 or entitled unto of in or out of any Real or personal Estate in
 this State in any wise howsoever and all the Advantages Emoluments
 and Hereditaments whatsoever to the same Belonging or in any
 wise Appertaining and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder
 and Remainders Rents Issues and Profits full and singular the said
 Premises and every Part and Parcel thereof with their and every
 of their appurtenances To have and to hold all and singular the said

Plantations Parcels tracks & lots of land Tenements & Hereditaments & also all the said negro & other slaves with the future issue and increase of such of them as are female and also the said real and personal Estate and all and singular the Premises abovementioned and every part and parcel thereof with their and every of their Appurtenances unto the said Thomas Gaddsen & Philip Gaddsen and the survivor of them the Heirs Executors & Administrators of such survivor for ever to for and upon the several uses Trusts Intent and purposes and with and under the several Restrictions Limitations Provisoes Conditions & agreements herein after mentioned Limited and Declared of for and Concerning the same, & to & for no other use Trust Intent or purpose whatsoever, that is to say, To the use and behoof of the said Sarah Stewart, and her Heirs until after the solemnization of the said intended marriage & from & immediately after the solemnization thereof To the use and behoof of the said Duncan McKa for and During the term of the joint Lives of the said Duncan and Sarah without Impeachment of or for any manner of waste and from and immediately after the Determination of that Estate to the said Thomas Gaddsen & Philip Gaddsen and the survivor of them and to the Heirs Executors and Administrators of such survivor for and During the joint Lives of the said Duncan & Sarah Upon Trust to preserve the Contingent Remainders herein after Limited from being Defeated or Destroyed and for that purpose to make entries and bring actions as occasion shall require, But never the less in Trust to permit and suffer the said Duncan During the joint Lives of the said Duncan & Sarah to Receive and take the Rents Issues and profits of the said Premises and to and for his use and Benefit and from and immediately after the Decease of either the said Duncan or Sarah then to for and upon the several uses Trusts Intent & purposes and with and under the several Restrictions Limitations Provisoes Conditions and agreements herein after mentioned Limited & Declared of for and Concerning the same that is to say in Case the said Sarah Should Die before the said Duncan then to the use and behoof of such Person or Persons & Subject to such Limitations and Provisoes as she the said Sarah notwithstanding her Coverture shall by any Deed or writing or Last will or writing purporting to be her Last Will (which Deed writing or Will she the said Sarah is hereby and by the said Duncan her intended Husband enabled and impowered to make) shall give Limit or Appoint the same and if the said Sarah should not make such Deed Will Gift Devise or Appointment and should Depart the Life before the said ~~Sarah~~ is ready Duncan Leaving Issue of the said marriage living at her Death then to the use and behoof of Margaret Stewart Daughter of the said Sarah by her late Husband Charles Augustus Stewart and such Issue of the said intended marriage equally to be Divided amongst

Amongst them his her or their Heirs Executors Administrators & Assigns
 for ever But in Case the said Sarah should Die before the said
 Duncan without having made any such Deed will Gift Devise
 or Appointment and should Leave no Issue of the said Intended
 Marriage Living at her Death or if Leaving Issue then Living such
 Issue should Die under Age unmarried then to the use and
 behoof of the said Duncan and the said Margaret her present
 Daughter equally to be Divided amongst them Share and Share
 alike their Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever
 But if the said Sarah should Die before the said Duncan without
 having made any such Deed will Gift Devise or Appointment with
 out any Issue whatsoever Living at her Death or if Leaving Issue
 then Living such Issue should Die under Age unmarried then
 to the use and behoof of the said Duncan his Heirs Executors Ad-
 ministrators and Assigns for ever But in Case the said Duncan
 should Die before the said Sarah with or without Issue Living
 at his Death then to the use and behoof of the said Sarah her
 Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever And the
 said Duncan Moved in Considerations of the said intended Marriage
 and of the Estate and Interest herein before Granted limited &
 Reserved to him and also for Divers other good Causes and Valuable
 Considerations him hereunto moving Both for himself his Heirs
 Executors and Administrators Covenant promise grant Conclude
 and agree to and with the said Thomas Gaddes and Philip Gaddes
 and the survivors of them and the Heirs Executors & Administrators
 of such survivors in manner and form following that is to say
 that for and notwithstanding any Act matter or thing what-
 soever by him the said Duncan to be had made Done committed
 Executed Suffered or assented to it shall and may be lawful
 for the said Sarah his intended Wife at any time or times
 During her Coverture and at all times to make such Deed
 Writing or Will or Appointment as aforesaid and by such
 Deed Writing Will or Appointment give Devise Appoint or Dispose
 of all and Singular or any Part and parcel of the said Premises
 above mentioned to such Person and Persons and to and for such Uses
 Trusts Intents and purposes and in such manner and form as she
 the said Sarah Notwithstanding her Coverture shall think fit
 and that he the said Duncan his Heirs Executors & Administrators
 and all and every other Person or Persons whatsoever Claiming
 or to Claim by from or under him or them shall not Question
 Controvert Obstruct or hinder such Disposition of her the
 said Sarah of and in the said Premises so to be by her

given and disposed of as aforesaid And also that all and all manner of such
 gifts Donations Disposition or Appointments as aforesaid to be by her the said
 Sarah so made and Done shall be at all times as good and Effectual in
 the Law as if he the said Duncan McKa had himself joined in the same with
 her the said Sarah or as if she had continued a feme sole And further that
 the said Thomas Gaddden and Philip Gaddden and the survivors of them and the
 Heirs Executors and Administrators of such Survivor shall and may at all
 times hereafter peaceably and lawfully have hold and enjoy all and singular
 the Premises herein before mentioned (nevertheless upon the several
 Uses and Trusts and Subject to the several Provisions and agreements
 herein and hereby expressly limited mentioned and Declared of and Concern-
 ing the same) without any let Disturbance or interruption of the said
 Duncan or any other person or persons claiming or to claim by form or
 under him the said Duncan McKa his Heirs Executors Administrators
 and Assigns or by or through their means Privy or Procurement And
 moreover that he the said Duncan McKa his Heirs Executors & Adminis-
 trators shall and will from time to time and at all times hereafter upon the
 Reasonable Request and at the proper Costs and Charges of the said Thomas
 Gaddden and Philip Gaddden and the Survivor of them and the Heirs
 Executors and Administrators of such Survivor make Do and Execute
 or cause to be made Done and Executed all and every such further and
 other Lawful and Reasonable Acts and Acts thing and things Conveyances
 Assignments and Assurances in the Law whatsoever as well for the
 Corroborating and Strengthening of these presents as also for the better
 Ascertaining Conveying Assigning Assuring & Confirming of all &
 singular the Premises herein before mentioned and intended to be lawfully
 granted Assigned and Released unto the said Thomas Gaddden & Philip
 Gaddden and the Survivor of them and the Heirs Executors and Administra-
 tion of such Survivor (nevertheless to the several uses and upon the
 several Intents Trusts and purposes and Subject to the several provisions
 Conditions and agreements herein and hereby respectively mentioned
 expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same) as by their or
 any of their Counsel Learned in the Law shall in that Behalf be
 Reasonably advised or Required And it is hereby also provided that neither
 the said Trustees nor the Heirs Executors or Administrators of either of them
 shall be answerable for the Acts Receipts Payments or Defaults of the other
 and that each and every of them shall be answerable for what he or
 they shall respectively and actually Receive and no more and shall not
 be answerable for any Loss or Detriment that may happen to the Premises
 without their wilful Neglect or Default and shall be Reimbursed out of the
 Trusts Estates all such Costs Charges and Expences which they shall sustain

Expound or be put unto in the Execution or management of their said
Trusts In testimony whereof the said parties to these presents have hereunto
interchangeably set their hands and seals the Day and year first above
written. Duncan McKa ^{LS} Sarah Stewart ^{LS}
Thomas Gaddden ^{LS} Philip Gaddden ^{LS} Sealed and
Delivered in the presence of Christopher Gaddden John Chesnut
Thomas Gaddden one of the Trustees being out of Town will Sign in
his Place when he comes to Town. Sealed and Delivered by Tho^s
Gaddden in the presence of Charles Cotesworth Pinckney John Ward,
Attorn of South Carolina Charleston District f^t. Personally appeared
Christopher Gaddden Esq^r who being duly sworn on the Holy
Evangelists of Almighty God maketh oath that he was present and
saw Duncan McKa Sarah Stewart and Philip Gaddden severally
Sign seal and as their act and Deed Deliver this marriage
Settlement to and for the uses and purposes therein mentioned and that
he the Deponent and John Chesnut subscribed their Names as
Witnesses to the Due Execution of the same Sworn to the 9th
Day of August 1785 Before me D^d Mazyck J. R.

State of South Carolina Charleston District f^t Personally appeared
John Ward who being duly sworn maketh oath that he was
present and saw Thomas Gaddden sign seal and as his act and
Deed Deliver this Instrument of writing to and for the uses and
purposes therein mentioned and that he the Deponent and Charles
Cotesworth Pinckney subscribed their names as witnesses to the
same Sworn to the 9th Day of August 1785 Before me D^d Mazyck J. R.

South Carolina. This Indenture made the ninth Day
of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy
six Between Ann Wragg of Charles Town in the Province aforesaid,
Spinster of the one part and Gabriel Manigault and John Peary both
of Charles Town in the Province aforesaid Coheirs of the other part
Witnesseth that the said Ann Wragg for and in Consideration
of the sum of ten Shillings Current Money of the Province
aforesaid to her in hand paid by the said Gabriel Manigault
and John Peary at and before the Sealing and Delivery of these
presents the Receipt whereof is hereby Acknowledged hath
Granted bargained and sold and by these presents doth Grant
Bargain & sell unto the said Gabriel Manigault and John
Peary their Executors Administrators and assigns All that
Piece or parcel of two town lots of Land Situate lying and being
in Charles Town aforesaid known and Distinguished in the

Plan of the said Town by the Numbers Two hundred and nineteen Eighteen and
 one hundred and ninety nine and bounding to the Westward on
 Church Street to the Eastward on Land of Mr Scott and the Estate of Joseph Wragg
 Esquire Deceased to the Southward on Land of Henry Middleton John Cart and
 the Estates of James Kirklock and the said Joseph Wragg and to the Northward
 on Land of Mr Nash and Land Claimed by Joseph Bee Also all that other piece
 or parcel of a Town Lot of a Land situate lying and being in Charlestown
 aforesaid whereon are now standing two brick houses or Stores containing in
 front to the Southward on a Lane left by Consent fifty nine feet to the Eastward
 on an Alley left by consent Ninety four feet or thereabouts to the North on Land
 belonging to Mr Charleston but now proposed by Jonathan Scott sixty one
 feet or thereabouts and to the west Ninety feet And also all that undivided
 moiety or equal half part of all that Plantation or tract of Land containing
 two thousand Eight hundred and thirty ^{eight} Acres called and known by the Name
 of Docton Bunting and bounding to the north on Mulberry Tract to the
 Eastward on Land belonging to the Estate of Benjamin Singleton Deceased
 and Metshaw Tract to the Southward on Land of William Norman and Spring
 Grove Land and to the Westward on Land of Richard Singleton together
 with all and singular the Houses but houses Edifices Buildings Sheds
 fences Wells ways Paths Papages woods underwoods timber and timber
 trees Pond Lakes fishings Waters water Courses Lights Casements Commo-
 dities Advantages Emoluments Privileges Hereditaments Rights Members
 and Appurtenances whatsoever to or upon the said two several pieces
 or parcels of the said two town lots of Land and the said undivided moiety
 or equal half part of the said Plantation or tract of two thousand eight
 hundred and thirty eight Acres of Land standing being belonging or in
 anywise incident or appertaining or accepted reputed taken or known
 used held occupied proposed or enjoyed as part parcel or member of the
 same and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder & Remainders
 yearly and other Rents Issues and Profits thereof and of every part and
 Parcel thereof To have and to hold the said ^{two} several pieces and parcels
 of the said two Town lots of Land and the said undivided moiety or
 equal half part of the said Plantation or tract of two thousand Eight hundred
 and thirty eight Acres of Land 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 Appurtenances unto
 the said Gabriel Manigault and John Raug their Executors Administrators &
 Assigns 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 and fully to be completed and ended yielding and paying therefor
 unto the said Ann Wragg her Heirs or Assigns the Rent of one pepper Corn

Only on the Last Day of the said Term if Lawfully Demanded to the intent
 and purpose that by virtue of these presents and of the Statute for trans-
 ferring uses into possession (made of force in this Province) they the said
 Gabriel Manigault and John Prang 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 & Inheritance
 thereof to them their Heirs and Assigns for ever by indenture Tripartite
 intended to be made by & between the said Ann Wragg of the first part
 Colonel Christopher Gadsden of Charlestown aforesaid of the second
 part and the said Gabriel Manigault and John Prang of the third
 part and to bear date the Day next after the Day of the Date of these
 Presents Subject Nevertheless to such uses Fruits intents & purposes
 as are mentioned expressed and Declared in the said Indentured
 Tripartite In Witness whereof the said Parties to these Presents
 have hereunto interchangeably set their hands and seals the
 Day and Year first above written ~ Ann Wragg ^(seal)
 sealed and Delivered in the presence of us. W^m Burrows W^m Print,
 South Carolina. This Indenture Tripartite made
 the tenth Day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven
 hundred and seventy Six Between Ann Wragg of Charlestown
 in the province aforesaid Spinster one of the Daughters & Devisees
 Legatees of the Honourable Joseph Wragg late of the same
 Place Esquire deceased and under his wife also deceased of the
 first part Colonel Christopher Gadsden of the same Town of
 the second part and Gabriel Manigault and John Prang both
 of Charlestown in the province aforesaid Esquires of the third part
 whereas a marriage is intended to be shortly had and solemnized
 by and between the said Christopher Gadsden and the said Ann
 Wragg And whereas the said Ann Wragg under and by virtue
 of the last Will and Testament of her Father the said Joseph
 Wragg is seized absolutely in fee and possessed of a considerable
 Real Estate and also possessed of interested and intitled ^{unto} to a
 considerable Personal Estate And whereas in consideration
 of the said intended marriage it is consented and agreed
 by and between the said Christopher Gadsden and the said
 Ann Wragg that all the Real Estate herein after particularly
 mentioned and described and also that all the personal
 Estate specified and contained in an Inventory or Schedule
 hereunto annexed and made part of this indenture be settled,
 limited and conveyed unto the manner and upon the trusts
 herein after specified and declared of and concerning the same
 Now this indenture witnessed that the said Ann Wragg for

Annear To have and to hold Receive take and enjoy the said negro and other slave
 (and the future Issue and increase of the female slaves) good Chattles monies
 and other effects Specified and Contained in the aforesaid Schedule unto the
 said Gabriel Manigault and John Prang and the survivors of them his
 Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever with full power Licence and
 Authority to Demand sue for Recover and Receive the same upon the Special
 Trust and Confidence nevertheless and to and for such uses intents and purposes
 hereinafter mentioned expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same
 and none other (that is to say) as to the whole of the said Estate both Real
 and personal and the Rents Issues and profits thereof which said personal
 Estate is particularly mentioned and expressed in the said Schedule hereunto
 Annexed In Trust and to and for the use Benefit and behoof of the said Ann Wragg
 her Heirs Executors and Administrators ^{until} the said marriage shall take ^{effect} and
 from and after the solemnization thereof in Trust for the sole use Benefit
 and behoof of the said Ann Wragg her Heirs Executors Administrators and
 Assigns and to and for such use or uses Estate or Estates and such Person or
 Persons as the said Ann Wragg notwithstanding her Coverture or whether
 she be sole or Covert by any Deed or writing under her hand and Seal Attested
 by two or more Credible Witnesses or by her last Will and Testament in
 writing or any Writing purporting to be her last Will and Testament signed
 by her and Sealed Published and Declared in the presence of three or more
 Credible Witnesses shall Direct Limit or appoint In witness whereof
 the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto interchangeably set their
 hands and Seals the Day and Year first above written, Ann Wragg
 Christopher Gadsden Esq Gabriel Manigault Esq John Prang Esq
 Received on the Day of the Date of the within written indenture of and from the
 within named Gabriel Manigault and John Prang the sum of ten shillings
 Currency in full for the Consideration Money within mentioned Ann Wragg
 £10⁰⁰ Witness Wm Burrows Wm Print, Sealed and Delivered in the
 presence of us Wm Burrows Wm Print, An Inventory or Schedule of the
 Negro and other Slave Good Chattles Monies and other Effects belonging to
 Ann Wragg to which the foregoing Deed refers Negroes in Town and at
 the Quarter house Viz: Dinah Kagar Dinah Sonny Clarinda Betty
 Keat Clarinda Dinah Jeffrey Peter Myra Peggy Ebe Peter Isaac Jack
 Quash Catharine, Negroes at Dockton Plantation Viz: Moll Marlborough
 Ephraim Pender Espee Samr Gilbert Sue Sackey Peter Casar Peter Molly
 John Dolly Limbrick Lucy Emanuel Colly Souse Peter Dymah Suba Sam
 Gibby Phillis tum Tom Sandy Julia Belle 31. A list of Bonds Belonging
 to the said Ann Wragg: John Izard for £1000 John Ross for £2000 Wm
 Gibbs for £2000 George Flagg and John Fullerton for £2000 William Ross
 and John Trevers for £1000. Samuel & Paul Porters for £1000. William Hunt

and William Gibbs for £1000 Elias Toudon and Charles Brown for
£2000 Charles Brown's Bond and Note for £1700. Total Amount £21700,
Half of the Stock of Cattle horses hogs sheep Poultry &c. with half
of the Plantation tools and other movables on Docton Plantation
aforesaid. Ann Wragg Christopher Gadsden Charleston
District ^{for} Personally appeared Daniel Mazzyck Esquire who
made oath that he was acquainted with William Burrows and
William Print Esq^r Deceased and with the manner and form
of their writing their names and he verily believes the names signed
W^m Burrows & W^m Print as witnesses to the Execution of this
Indenture to be the proper hand writing of the said W^m Burrows
& W^m Print Sworn to this 23^d of Augt 1785 Peter Trenewall J.P.

Charleston South Carolina This Indenture made
the twelfth six Day of February in the Year of our Lord 1784 and in the
Eight year of the Independence of the United States of America Between
Thomas Swtill of the City of Charleston in the State of South Carolina
Gentleman of the first part and Martha Stokes Widow of the Second
part and William Cunningham Merchant of the third Part Both of the
said City Whereas William Stokes of the City of Charleston Merchant
was in his life time lawfully and Rightfully Possessed of a Considerable
Real and Personal Estate in the State of South Carolina aforesaid
and in Great Britain and Whereas the said William Stokes Died
Intestate and without a will whereby the said Martha Stokes became
Entitled unto one third part of the Real Estate which the said
William Stokes Died Possessed of as and for her Dower or third by
the Common Law of England for her Natural Life and also to
one third part of the Personal Estate which the said William Stokes
Died Possessed of absolutely for ever and whereas no Division hath
been hitherto of the Estate and Effects of the said William Stokes
Deceased so that it is impossible to particularize what part
thereof may be allotted to her the said Martha Stokes with any
Degree of Exactness or precision and Whereas a marriage is
intended shortly to be and solemnized between the said Thomas
Swtill and the said Martha Stokes upon the Contract of
which Marriage the said Thomas Swtill hath agreed that
if the same shall take Effect that thence notwithstanding
the said Marriage be the said Thomas Swtill his Executor
Administrators or Assigns shall not nor will not intermeddle
with or have any Right Title or interest either in Law or Equity
in or to any part and the said Thomas Swtill in Consideration of the said
intended Marriage hath agreed with the said William Cunningham

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as (Truste) of the said Martha Stukes as aforesaid if the said Marriage shall
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said (Truste) shall stand and be as a (Trustee) and the said Thomas Switell has
further agreed that he has no Right or title to any of the Rents Issues and Profits
thereof but the same shall remain continue and be to the said Martha Stukes or
to such person or persons as the said Martha Stukes shall think fit and
Appoint now this indenture Witnesseth that for making the said agreement
Effectual in the Law and for preserving the separate and particular Estate to
which the said Martha Stukes is intitled unto as aforesaid and of the Rents
Issues and Profits thereof to and for the separate use benefit and behoof of the said Martha
Stukes so that the same shall not be in the Power or Disposal of the said Thomas
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Doth hereby Covenant Promise Grant and agree to and with the said Martha Stukes
and to the survivor of them & and the Executors & Administrators of the survivor
that notwithstanding the said intended Marriage shall take Effect the said
separate and particular Estate of the said Martha Stukes and the Rents
Issues and Profits thereof shall be accounted reckoned and taken as a separate
and distinct Estate of and from the said Estate of the said Thomas Switell
and be no ways liable or subject to him or the payment of any of his Debts
but the same be ordered Disposed and employed to such Person or persons
and to and for such use and uses intents and purposes herein after mentioned
and Declared of for a bond or Mortgage the same to and for no other intent or
purpose hereafter mentioned that is to say to the only sole proper distinct
use benefit and behoof of the said Martha Stukes for during the term
of her natural Life to intent that she may set and hire take and receive
to her own distinct use the Rents incomes Issues and Profits of the said
separate and distinct Estate of the said Martha Stukes Notwithstanding
her Coverture or whether she be married or sole and no ways liable or
chargeable for any Debts or Contracts of the said Thomas Switell which
now Doth or may hereafter owe or stand indebted for and that all and
singular the said separate distinct particular Estate of the said Martha
Stukes and the Rents Issues and Profits Produce and increase thereof shall
be had taken held possessed and enjoyed by such person and persons and for
such use or uses Estate and Estates and in such part and Portions
manner and form as the said Martha Stukes notwithstanding her Coverture
time or whether she be sole or married shall by any Deed or Deeds under
her hand and seal Reported by two or more Credible Witnesses or by her last
Will and Testament signed by her and sealed Published and Declared in the
Presence of the like number of Witnesses given Given Directly or indirectly by
point order or Disposal of the same to and for no other use Interest
intents or purposes whatsoever In Witness whereof we have hereunto
signed our Names the Day and Year above written. Thomas Switell
Martha Stukes (S) Witnesses William Print Ann Wagner, South
Carolina Ann Wagner one of the subscribing Witnesses present at the Execution
of a certain Deed of Trust made and Executed between Martha

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 Here previous to a marriage then intended and ^{since} solemnized
 between the said Thomas and Martha being duly sworn maketh
 oath and faith that the within writing contained on this and the
 annexed sheet of paper is a true copy of the said Deed of trust
 or marriage settlement and that she the said Ann Wagner
 and William Print the other subscribed witnesses were present
 and subscribed their names as witnesses to the said Deed
 sworn before me this 01st March 1765 W^m Mason J. P.

South Carolina. This Indenture made the Twenty ninth
 day of April in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred
 and seventy five and in the fifteenth year of the Reign of our sovereign
 Lord George the third by the Grace of God of Great Britain France &
 Ireland King Defender of the faith and so forth; Between Edward
 Legg of the Parish of St Andrews in the Province of South Carolina
 Gentleman of the one part and Elizabeth Porter of Saint George's
 Parish in the province aforesaid Spinster of the other Part, Whereas
 by an indenture bearing Date the nineteenth Day of July which
 was in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty
 four Between Patrick Waldren and Isaac Colcock and Stephen Cator
 the said Patrick Waldren did in Consideration of a marriage then intend-
 ed between him and Mary Porter Daughter of Thomas Porter Late of
 Colleton County in the Province aforesaid to the said Patrick
 Waldren Planter and also for and in Consideration of the sum
 of five Pounds Lawful Current Money of the Province aforesaid
 to the said Patrick Waldren in hand well and truly paid at and
 before the onsealing and Delivery of the said indenture by the said
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 and Administrators Covenant promise grant and agree to and with
 the said Isaac Colcock and Stephen Cator their Executors and
 Administrators in Case the said intended marriage should take
 Effect that then from and immediately after the solemnization thereof
 they the said Isaac Colcock and Stephen Cator their Executors
 and Administrators should stand and be lawfully and
 Rightfully Possessed of all and singular the separate and particu-
 lar Estate to which the said Mary was intitled under the
 Will of her said Father together with the future Issue and increase
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In Trust that they the said Isaac Colcock and Stephen Cator and their Executors &
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 During the Joint lives of him the said Patrick Walden and the said Mary his intended
 wife to Receive and take the Rents Issues interest and profits of the said separate and
 Particular Estate of the said Mary as aforesaid to his own use and behoof without
 any Restraint Controul or interruption of or by the said Isaac Colcock and
 Stephen Cator their Executors or Administrators or either of them And upon
 the Death of either of them the said Patrick Walden or Mary his ^{intended} wife then upon
 this further trust and Confidence that they the said Isaac Colcock and Stephen
 Cator their Executors and Administrators should and would well and truly
 Permit the Survivor of them the said Patrick Walden and the said
 Mary his Intended wife for and during the Natural Life of such Survivor
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 and particular Estate of the said Mary to the proper Use and behoof of such
 Survivor without any Restraint Controul or Interruption of or by the said
 Isaac Colcock and Stephen Cator their Executors or Administrators or either of
 them And from and immediately after the decease of the Survivor of
 them the said Patrick Walden and Mary his Intended wife then upon
 this further Trust and Confidence that they the said Isaac Colcock and
 Stephen Cator their Executors and Administrators do and shall stand and
 be possessed of all and singular the said separate and particular Estate
 of the said Mary to and for the use and behoof of such child or children
 of the said Patrick Walden on the Body of the said Mary his Intended
 wife to be begotten to be impartially Shared and divided between them as
 Tenants in Common of like equality of Estate if at the time of the decease
 of the Survivor of them the said Patrick Walden and Mary his intended
 wife the said Patrick Walden shall have living more than one child
 begotten on the Body of the said Mary And Whereas the said Intended
 marriage between the said Patrick Walden and the said Mary Porter
 took effect and the said Patrick Walden died leaving Issue Elizabeth
 Walden an Infant under the age of Twenty one Years, begotten on the
 body of the said Mary his wife And Whereas a Marriage is intended
 by Gods permission shortly to be had and solemnized Between the
 said Edward Legge and the said Mary Walden Now this Indenture
 Witnesseth that in prospect and Consideration of the said intended mar-
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 Legge by the said Elizabeth Porter in hand well and truly paid at and
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 hereby Acknowledged by the said Edward Legge for himself his Heirs

Executors and Administrators doth hereby Covenant promise Grant and
 agree to and with the said Elizabeth Porter her Executors and Adminis-
 trators in Case the said Intended Marriage shall take Effect that then
 soon and Immediately after the Solemnization thereof the said Elizabeth
 Porter her Executors and Administrators shall stand and be Lawfully and
 Rightfully possessed of Twelve Negroes and two Thousand pounds with
 the Interest and profits thereof together with the Future Issue and
 Increase of such female Slaves as do or shall compose a part thereof
 which Negroes and the sum of Two thousand pounds fall to the Lot of the
 aforesaid Mary by Virtue of a Bequest to the said Mary Contained in
 her father's the late Thomas Porter's Will In Trust Nevertheless
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 and truly permit and suffer the said Edward Legge to have take and
 Receive the Rents Issues Interest and profits of the said twelve
 negroes and the said sum of Two thousand pounds and of the future
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 a part thereof Until the period of the Marriage of the aforesaid
 Elizabeth Walden which Contingency should it happen then upon
 this Further Trust that she the said Elizabeth Porter her Executors
 and Administrators do and shall stand and be possessed of the
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 Issue and Increase of such female Slaves as do or shall compose
 a part thereof for the sole Use Benefit and behoof of the said Elizabeth
 Walden and her Heirs Provided nevertheless that if the said
 Elizabeth Walden shall or do hereafter Marry contrary to the advice
 or Consent of her said Mother Mary Walden or Elizabeth Porter her
 Aunt then the Trusts created by these presents for her benefit
 and Use to be Void and of none effect any thing herebefore Con-
 tained to the Contrary in any wise notwithstanding And if the
 said Elizabeth Walden shall happen to die before the Contingency
 of her Marriage shall take Effect then upon this Further Trust
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a part thereof, for the Use benefit and behoof of such Issue as may be begotten by the said Edward Legge on the Body of the said Mary his intended wife and in default of such Issue then upon, This further Trust and Confidence, That she the said Elizabeth Porter her Executors and Administrators do and shall stand and be possessed of the said twelve Negroes and the said Sum of Two thousand pounds the Rents Issues Interest and Profits thereof together with the Issue and Increase of such female Slaves as do or shall compose a part thereof To the Use of the said Edward Legge and his Heirs, And the said Edward Legge doth hereby for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators further covenant promise grant and agree, to and with the said Elizabeth Porter her Executors and Administrators, that he the said Edward Legge his Executors and Administrators, shall and will after the solemnization of the said intended Marriage make do and execute, All and every such Deeds, Conveyances Assurances, Acts or other matters as the Counsel learned in the Law of the said Elizabeth Porter her Executors and Administrators, shall direct, or advise, for the better and more effectual Conveying, and Assuring, the said twelve Negroes and the said Sum of Two thousand pounds, the Rents Issues, Interest and Profits thereof together with the future Issue and Increase of such female Slaves as do, or shall compose a part thereof, unto the said Elizabeth Porter her Executors and Administrators, In Trust to and for the Use and purposes above mentioned according to the true Intent and meaning of these presents. In Witness whereof the said parties have hereunto Interchangeably set their Hands and seals the day and date first above written. Be it Remembered that the said Edward Legge doth further for the special Reasons and Considerations of the said intended marriage, him thereunto moving and also for and in Consideration of the further Sum of Five Shillings well and truly in hand paid at and before the Executing and Delivery of these presents doth further grant promise covenant and agree for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators to and with the said Elizabeth Porter her Executors and Administrators that she the said Elizabeth Porter her Executors and Administrators, shall stand and be Lawfully and Rightfully possessed of the said twelve Negroes and the said Sum of Two thousand pounds with the Rents Issues Interest and Profits thereof together with the future Issue, and Increase of such female Slaves as do or shall compose a part thereof, together with one fair and equitable division of a plantation known by the name of Beech Hill as also of one undivided moiety

moiety of Twenty ~~two~~ negroes, which are on the said plantation together with the future Issue and Increase of such Female Slaves as do or shall compose a part thereof; on this Further Trust and Confidence for the sole Use Benefit and behoof of the Survivor of them the said Edward Legge and the said Mary his intended wife Provided such Survivor hath no Issue begotten by the said intended marriage and in such case then for the sole Use Benefit and behoof of such Issue In Witness whereof the said parties have hereunto interchangeably set their hands and seals the day and Year first above written.

Edward Legge. *E.L.* Signed Sealed and Delivered in Presence of us. Maurice Lee. Mary Hally.

Mary Taggart late Mary Hally doth make oath and say that she saw Edward Legge sign Seal and as and for his Act and deed deliver the within deeds or Instrument of writing to and for the several Uses Intents and purposes within mentioned and that she the said Deponent together with Maurice Lee did subscribe their names as witnesses thereto. Sworn this 26th March 1744. before John Troup. J.P.

South Carolina: This Indenture Tripartite made the twenty seventh Day of January in the year of our 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 Esther Mathews of Prince Georges Parish in the Province of South Carolina Widow of the first Part Elias Friggin of the said Province Planter of the second part and Lewis Bochet and Thomas Ballou of the Province aforesaid of the third part Whereas a marriage is by Gods permission Intended shortly to be had and solemnized by and between the said Esther Mathews and Elias Friggin And whereas the said Esther Mathews is amongst other things in her own Right possessed of Sundry in and well and sufficiently intitled unto the Sum of Seven thousand pound Lawful Current Money of this Province Consisting of and in Ready Monies Bonds and other Securities And whereas the said Esther Mathews is also possessed of interested in and well and sufficiently intitled unto a certain negro girl slave named Daphne And also of Sundry goods and Chattels And whereas in consideration of the Premises

It is Consented as Mathews that the Province or the negro Slaves Goods of and intitled unto solemnized the manner that the Executors Admin or have any Reg sum of seven but the same or to such use same NOW in consideration sum of ten she hand well and at and before the Doth Hally doth hereunto moving Express agreement being a party ^{made} gained sold and To the Grant of Bochet and Tho. Administrator pound Current and also the to hold the said Slave Goods unto the said the Executor as and Confidence after mention to and for no for the sole as Administrators take effect as Intended man Ballou shall to Receive tax

moiety of Twenty two negroes, which are on the said plantation together with the future Issue and Increase of such female Slaves as do or shall compose a part thereof: On this Further Trust and Confidence for the sole Use Benefit and behoof of the Survivor of them the said Edward Legge and the said Mary his intended wife Provided such Survivor hath no Issue begotten by the said intended marriage and in such case then for the sole Use Benefit and behoof of such Issue In Witness whereof the said parties have hereunto interchangeably set their hands and seals the day and Year first above written.

Edward Legge. *ESQ.* Signed Sealed and Delivered in presence of us. Maurice Lee. Mary Halcy.

Mary Taggart late Mary Halcy doth make oath and say that she saw Edward Legge sign Seal and as and for his Act and deed deliver the within deeds or Instrument of writing is and for the several uses Intents and purposes within mentioned and that she the said Depoent together with Maurice Lee did subscribe their names as witnesses thereto. Sworn this 26th March 1744. before John Troup. J.P.

South Carolina. This Indenture Tripartite made the twenty seventh Day of January in the year of our 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 Esther Matthews of Prince Georges Parish in the Province of South Carolina Widow of the first Part Elias Frispen of the said Province Planter of the second part and Lewis Bochet and Thomas Ballou of the Province aforesaid of the third part Whereas a marriage is by Gods permission Intended shortly to be had and solemnized by and between the said Esther. Matthews and Elias Frispen And whereas the said Esther Matthews is amongst other things in her own Right possessed of Entitled in and well and sufficiently intitled unto the Sum of Seven thousand pounds Lawful Current Money of this Province Consisting of and in Ready Monies Bonds and other Securities And whereas the said Esther. Matthews is also possessed of interested in and well and sufficiently intitled unto a certain Negro Girl Slave named Daphne And also of sundry Goods and Chattels And whereas in Consideration of the Premises

It is Consented. Mathews that Province or the negro Slaves Goods and intitled solemnized manner that Executors Admin or have any Sum of Seven but the same or to such use same NOW in Consideration Sum of ten so hand well as at and before. Doth hereby do hereunto move Express agree being a party gained sold a Deth Grant Bochet and Thomas Administrators pounds Current and also the to hold the said Slave Goods unto the said the Executors and Confidens after months to and for no for the sole. Administra take effect. Intended Mr. Ballou shall to Receive it.

It is Consented and agreed by and between the said Elias Forjain and the said Esther Mathews that the said sum of seven thousand pounds current money of the said Province or the Bonds and other securities for the same as aforesaid and also the said Negro Slave Goods and Chattles aforesaid which the said Esther Mathews is possessed of and intitled unto in case the said intended Marriage shall take Effect and be solemnized shall be settled and secured to the said Esther Mathews in such manner that notwithstanding the said marriage be the said Elias Forjain her Executors Administrators or Assigns shall not nor will intermeddle with or have any Right title or interest either in Law or equity in or to the said sum of seven thousand pounds Negro Slave Goods and Chattles aforesaid but the same shall Remain Continue and be to the said Esther Mathews or to such uses as she shall think fit and appoint of and concerning the same NOW this Indenture Witnesseth that the said Esther Mathews for & in consideration of the said intended Marriage taking Effect and of the sum of ten shillings Lawful money of the province aforesaid to her in hand well and truly paid by the aforesaid Lewis Rochet and Thomas Ballou at and before the sealing and Delivery of these presents the Receipt whereof she both heily acknowledged and for Divers other good causes and considerations hereunto moving she the said Esther Mathews by and with the knowledge consent Express Agreement and approbation of the said Elias Forjain testified by his being ^{made} a party to and signing and sealing these presents. ~~He~~ ^{He} granted bargained sold and Delivered Assigned Transferred and set over and by these presents ~~He~~ ^{He} Grant Bargain and sell Assign Transfer and set over unto the said Lewis Rochet and Thomas Ballou and the survivor of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor All that the aforesaid sum of seven thousand pounds current money aforesaid with the Bonds and other securities for the same and also the said Negro Slave Goods and Chattles aforesaid To have and to hold the said monies Bonds and other securities and also the said Negro Slave Goods and Chattles, and premises aforesaid and every part thereof unto the said Lewis Rochet and Thomas Ballou and the survivor of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor for ever, upon special Trust and confidence Nevertheless and to and for the uses Intents and purposes herein after mentioned Limited and Express of for and concerning the same by to and for no other use intent or purpose whatsoever (that is to say) to and for the sole and separate use of her the said Esther Mathews her Executors Administrators and Assigns untill the said intended marriage shall take effect and from and immediately after the solemnization of the said intended marriage upon Trust that the said Lewis Rochet and Thomas Ballou shall and will permit and suffer her the said Esther Mathews to receive take and enjoy the yearly income or interest of the said Negro

Seven thousand pounds Currency and to make use of Employ and Works the
the said Negro Slave and her future Issue and increase and Receive and take
all the profits that shall or may be gotten gained or made of or from the said
Premises and the same or any part thereof to Dispose of in such manner
as she shall see fit without the controul or interruption of her said intended
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and its taking Effect Voth for himself his heirs Executors and Administrators
and for every of them Covenant Promise Declare and agree to and with the
said Lewis Bochet and Thomas Ballou and the survivors of them and the
Executors and Administrators of such survivors by these presents that
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she the said Esther Mathews shall at any time or times hereafter see
fit and the same to Limit Devise Direct order or Dispose of or any part
hereof either by her last will and Testament in writing or by any other
writing whatsoever signed with her hand in the presence of two or more
Credible Witnesses, And also that it shall and may be lawful to and for
the said Lewis Bochet and Thomas Ballou and the survivors of them and
the Executors and Administrators of the survivors of them at any time
after the said intended Marriage shall take Effect to Commence
any Action or suit in Law Equity in the name or names of the said
Elias Toppin and Esther Mathews his intended wife against any person
or persons for Recovery of any sum or sums Due or to grow Due to
the said Esther Mathews on her said separate Estate as aforesaid and
that he the said Elias Toppin shall not nor will Release or Discharge
any such Action or suit nor Receive Release or Discharge any such
sum or sums of money now Due or hereafter to grow Due to the said
Esther Mathews on account of her separate Estate above mentioned
And Further that he the said Elias Toppin shall and will from
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 Administrators of the survivor of them or their or any of their Counsel learned
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 to these presents and it is the true Intent and meaning hereof and of
 the said Parties hereunto That they the said Lewis Bochet and Thomas Ballou
 and the survivor of them and the Executors and Administration of the survivor
 of them shall and may from time to time Reimburse satisfy and pay
 themselves out of the said Estate all such necessary and Reasonable
 Charges as they shall sustain or be put unto by Reason of their being made
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 the said Parties to these presents that the Elias Forjain his Executors and Admin-
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 and saved harmless out of the separate Estate of the said Esther Mathews
 from all manner of Costs Charges Damages or trouble that he shall or may
 sustain or be put unto for or by Reason or means of his the said Elias
 Forjain joining or being made a party in any action or suit for Recovering
 any part of the separate Estate of the said Esther Mathews or joining or being
 made a party any Receipt Release or Assignment to be made and given upon
 Receiving any part of the separate Estate of her the said Esther Mathews
 as aforesaid or any other Account whatsoever Relating to the said separate
 and distinct Estate In Witness whereof the said Parties to these presents
 have hereunto Interchangeably set their hands and seals the Day and
 Year first above written. Elias Forjain *ES* Esther Mathews *ES* Lewis
 Bochet *ES* Tho Ballou *ES* Sealed and Delivered in the presence of
 Jacob Bonhote Joseph Sullivan, State of South Carolina. Before me
 Paul Chapin one of the Justices of the Quorum Assigned in the said state per-
 sonally appeared Joseph Sullivan one of the subscribing witnesses to the
 above Instrument of writing who being duly sworn on the Holy
 Evangelists Declared that he was present and did see the above named
 Elias Forjain Esther Mathews Lewis Bochet and Tho Ballou severally
 sign seal and as their act and Deed Deliver the said Instrument of
 writing for the uses and purposes therein set forth and expressed and
 that he the Deponent and Jacob Bonhote signed their names as
 Evidences thereto sworn before me the 23^d April 1785 Paul Chapin *JD*

South Carolina

This Indenture Tripartite made the First Day of January in the
 Year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and sixty three Between Charles
 Wragg of Charlestown Spinster of the first part John Peang of the same
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and persons * or any of them or any part or parcel thereof To have and to hold the said House Tenement Turf lots and premises

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in Depth Situate Lying and being on the Bay of Charlestown in Berkeley
County in the province aforesaid and is Butting and Bounding to Eastward
on the said Bay to the southward on Lands of Mrs Sarah Blakeway to the
Westward on Lands of Mr John Simmons and to the Northward on Lands
of the said Joseph Wragg Deceased, which said Part of a Town Lot was
sold and Conveyed to the said Joseph Wragg in his life time by certain
Deeds of Lease and Release bearing Date the seventh and Eighth Days of October
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and forty two, and also
all that piece of Land and wooden house and Tenement thereon on the
Bay in Charlestown Containing in front fifty six feet on the Bay Boun-
ding to the Westward sixty eight feet on a Street Left by Consent to the
South butting on the last mentioned Land and Land formerly be-
longing to Mr Scott three hundred and nine feet or thereabouts and to
the North on Lands Distinguished in the Plat (N^o 4) annexed to the
said Deed of Partition by the Letters C and R three hundred and eight feet or there-
abouts with the appurtenances and all out houses Stables Dove houses, Orchards
gardens and all other Hereditaments whatsoever to the said house Tenement
Town Lots and Premises herein before mentioned or intended to be hereby
granted and Released are now in the Actual possession of the said Benjamin
Smith and Peter Manigault Parties hereto by Virtue of a bargain and sale
to them thereof made by the said Charlotte Wragg for the Term of one whole
Year commencing from the Day next before the Day of the Date hereof in Consider-
ation of Five Shillings to her paid by the said Benjamin Smith and Peter
Manigault Party's hereto and made and mentioned to be made between
the said Charlotte Wragg of the one part and the said Benjamin Smith
and Peter Manigault Parties hereto of the other part and by force of the
Statute for transferring uses into Possession made and Provided and
the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders yearly &
other Rents Issues and Profits of the said house Tenement Town Lots
and Premises mentioned or intended to be hereby conveyed and of every of
them and of every Part and Parcel thereof and all the Estate right title &
Interest trust property claim and Demand whatsoever both at Law &
Equity of her the said Charlotte Wragg of in to or out of the said house
Tenement Town Lots and Premises and also all and singular other the
Premises mentioned or intended to be hereby granted and Released with
their and every of their Appurtenances unto the said Benjamin Smith and
Peter Manigault Parties hereto their Heirs and Assigns to such Uses upon
such Trusts and to and for such intents and Purposes and under and
Subject to such Provisoes Limitations and Agreements as are herein after
mentioned expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same that is to say
to the use and behoof of the said Charlotte Wragg and her Heirs untill
the solemnization of the said intended marriage and from and after

the solemnization thereof then to the use and behoof of the said John
 Praug and Charlotte his intended wife for and during the term of
 their Natural lives and the Life of the longer Liver of them without
 Impediment of or for any manner of waste and from and after
 the Determination of that Estate then to the use of the said Benjamin
 Smith and Peter Manigault Parties hereto and their Heirs during
 the lives of the said John Praug and Charlotte his intended wife
 and the Life of the longer Liver of them upon trust to support and
 Preserve the contingent uses and Estates herein after Limited
 from being Defeated or Destroyed and for that purpose to make
 entries or bring Actions as the Case shall require but nevertheless
 to permit and suffer the said John Praug and Charlotte his in-
 tended wife and the survivor of them during their lives and the
 Life of the longer Liver of them to possess have hold and enjoy
 the said premises and to receive and take the Rents and profits thereof
 and of every part thereof to and for their own use and benefit &
 from and after the several Deceases of them the said John
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 survivor of them then to the use and behoof of the Issue and
 Children of the said John to be begotten on the Body of the said
 Charlotte in such Shares proportions Moieties and Divisions
 as the survivor of them the said John and Charlotte shall by
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 Redemption as she the said Charlotte Wragg notwithstanding
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 to time direct Limit or appoint and in Default of such Directions
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 when so soon as the Estates or interests thereby Limited shall
 Respectively end and Determine then to the use and behoof of
 the surviving Brothers and Sisters of the said Charlotte and
 the Heirs of such Brothers and Sisters of the said Charlotte as
 shall upon such Contingency be Dead To have and to hold

the same houses Lots and Premises to such surviving Brothers and Sisters and the Representatives of such of them as shall die before and forgoing and be Dead and their respective heirs for ever as Tenants in Common and not as Joint Tenants Provided always and it is hereby Declared and agreed by and between all the said Parties to these presents That it shall and may be lawful to and for the said John Beaz at any time or times during his Life and after his Decease and for the said Charlotte Wragg his intended wife at any time or times during her life and after her by Indenture under their respective hands and seals to demise or lease the said Houses Towns Lots and Premises mentioned or intended to be hereby conveyed to any person or persons for any term or Number of years not exceeding five years in possession and not in Reversion Remainder or Executory so as upon every such lease there be reserved and made payable during the Continuance thereof the most and best improved yearly Rent that can be Reasonably had or obtained for the same without making any sum or sums of money or other thing by way of fine or income for or in respect of such lease or leases and so no none of the said leases be made Disputable of waste by any express word therein and so in every of the said leases there be contained a Clause of Reentry for non payment of the Rent or Rents to be thereby respectively reserved and so as the same or Leases to whom to whom such lease or Leases shall be made seal and Deliver Counter parts of such lease and Leases any thing herein contained to the contrary thereof in any wise notwithstanding and the said Charlotte Wragg doth hereby for herself her heirs Executors and Administrators Covenant promise and agree to and with the said Benjamin Smith and Peter Manigault party hereto their heirs Executors and Administrators that she the said Charlotte Wragg hath not at any time heretofore done committed or wittingly or willingly suffered any ill matter or thing whatsoever whereby or by means whereof of the Premises mentioned or intended to be hereby conveyed or any of them or any part thereof is or shall or may be impeached charged or incumbered in title Charge Estate or otherwise howsoever and it is hereby further Declared and agreed by and between all the said Parties to these presents That the said Benjamin Smith and Peter Manigault party's hereto their heirs Executors or Administrators shall not be charged or Chargeable with or accountable for more monies than they shall respectively shall annually Receive by Virtue of the trusts aforesaid nor the one of them for the other of them or for the Acts Deeds Receipts or Disbursements and also that it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Benjamin Smith and Peter Manigault party's hereto and the survivors of them and the heirs Executors and Administrators of such survivor in the first Place by and out of the Rents and Profits of the premises to Deduct and Remburse themselves all such Loss Costs Charges Damages and Expences as they or any of them shall be put unto or sustain for or by Reason of the trusts hereby in them reposed or the management or execution thereof

that of is any other thing in any wise Relating therunto In Witness
whereof the said parties to these Presents have hereunto interchange-
ably set their hands and seals the Day and Year first before written.
Charlotte Wragg, John Prang, B: Smith, Peter
Manigault Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of
Robert Smith Alex^r Rantoul, Received the Day and Year
first within written of the within Named Benjamin Smith and
Peter Manigault the within mentioned Sum of ten Shillings.
Current money being the Consideration money within specified
Charlotte Wragg, John Prang, Present Robert Smith
Alex^r Rantoul, Charleston District Personally Appeared
the Rev^d Robert Smith who made oath on the Holy Evangelists
of Almighty God that he was present and saw Charlotte
Wragg, John Prang, B: Smith, and Peter Manigault severally
and Respectively sign seal and as and for their Act and Deed
Deliver the within Instrument of writing to and for the uses
intents and purposes therein contained and that he also
saw Charlotte Wragg & John Prang sign the Receipt for
the Consideration within mentioned and he the Deponent
and Alex^r Rantoul Subscribed their names as Witnesses
thereof, Sworn this 31st of August 1785 Before Peter Freeman J. P.

South Carolina This Indenture Tripartite made the
third Day of October In the year of our Lord one thousand seven
hundred and seventy one Between John Prang of Charleston
in the Province aforesaid Esq^r of the first part The Honourable
Peter Manigault Esq^r & John Wragg Esq^r both of the same
Place of the second part And Jacob Mott William Logan
John Huger Alexander Michie Benjamin Huger and Alex-
ander Rose Trustees for the Creditors of John Torrans of Charleston
Merchant and the said John Prang his Copartner of the third
part Whereas the said John Prang being indebted to several Persons
in his own private Account and also jointly with John Torrans
of Charleston aforesaid Merchant his Copartner in Trade
in order to satisfy his Creditors as far as in his Power Did not
only join with the said John Torrans by Deed bearing Date
the seventeenth Day of September last past in Conveying &
Assigning all their joint Estate Goods Chattels and Stock in
Action But also conveyed and Assigned all his the said John
Prang's separate personal Estate of what Nature or Kind
soever he Trust to be sold for and towards the payment of
the joint Debts of the said John Torrans and John Prang
jointly and also of the Private Debts of the said John Prang
as is mentioned in the said Deed And Whereas the said
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and Lot on the South side of Trade Street in Charlestown and a House and Lot
at a Place called the Village of Greenwich in Christ Church Parish And also
intituled During his Life in Right of his wife Charlotte to the premises
hereby intended to be bargained sold conveyed and assigned and there
being on the sixteenth Day of September last antecedent to the Execution
to the Execution of the said Assignment at the house of William Holliday in
Charlestown A Meeting of the Creditors of the said John Torrans & John Prang
It was then and there amongst other things agreed that the said Charlotte the
wife of the said John Prang and her Children and the Survivors and Survivor
of them in Consideration of her joining with him the said John Prang in a
Conveyance of the said Premises of which he was seized in fee & Releasing
her contingent Right of Dower therein And to a Tract of Land Site house and
Premises whereof the said John Torrans and John Prang were equally interested
to the said Jacob Mott William Logan John Huger Alexander Michie
Benjamin Huger and Alexander Rose to the Intent that the same
Premises should be sold by them as trustees for the Creditors of the said
John Torrans and John Prang Exonerated of the said Charlottes Dower
And the amount Sales paid to the said Creditors should have and Enjoy
During the life of the said John Prang to and for her and their own sole sepe-
rate and distinct use and that and that the said John should assign &
Convey to Trustees in Trust And to and for the use and behoof of the said
Charlotte and her Children All this the said John Prang's Right Title
and Interest of in and to the Premises herein after mentioned And
whereas the said Charlotte hath accordingly in pursuance of the
said agreement joined with the said John Prang in conveying And
Released all her Right to the said Premises of which he the said John
Prang was seized in his own separate Right and Jointly with the
said John Torrans. Now this Indenture Witnesseth that the said John
Prang in pursuance of the said agreement for the Consideration aforesaid
and also for and in Consideration of the sum of ten Shillings lawful
Current money to him in hand paid by the said Peter Manigault & John Wragg
the Receipt whereof he doth hereby acknowledge And thereof and of and from
every part and parcel thereof Doth clearly and absolutely acquit exonerate
and Discharge the said Peter Manigault and John Wragg their Executors
and Administrators for ever by these presents he the said John Prang by
Signed and with the Consent and Approbation of the said Jacob
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John Torrans and John Prang Signified by their Signing and
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Wragg all that part of a Town Lot containing twenty eight feet three
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and being on the Bay of Charlestown Butting and bounding To the
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Eastward on the Bay Street To the Southward on Land now or formerly of Sarah Blakeway To the Westward on Land now or formerly of John Simmons And to the Northward on the other Land hereafter mentioned formerly belonging to the Honourable Joseph Bragg Doucett Well also all that piece of Land and wooden house thereon fronting to the Eastward on the said Bay Street containing in front fifty six feet bounding to the westward sixty eight feet on a Street Left by Consent To the South on the last mentioned Land and Land formerly belonging to Mr. Scott three hundred and nine feet or thereabouts and to the North on other Land of the said Joseph Bragg Esq^r deceased three hundred and eight feet or thereabouts with the appurtenances And all out Houses Stables Out houses Orchards Gardens and all other Hereditaments whatsoever to the said Town Lots houses Tenements and premises in any wise belonging, or appertaining or to or with the same now or at any time heretofore used Letten occupied and enjoyed and the Reversion and Reversions Remainder and Remainders yearly and other Rents Issues and Profits of the said Town Lots houses Tenements and premises and of every part and parcel thereof and all the Estate Right Title Interest Trust property claim and Demand whatsoever of him the said John Bragg of in to or out of the said Town Lots Houses Tenements and premises mentioned and intended to be hereby conveyed and of every of them and of every Part and parcel thereof To have and to hold to the said Town Lots Tenements and premises intended to be hereby granted & Released with their and every of their appurtenances unto the said Peter Manigault and John Bragg their Heirs and Assigns for and During the Natural Life of the said John Bragg To the several uses intents and purposes and Subject to the provisos Limitations and agreements herein after mentioned Declared and Expressed That is to say to the use intent and purpose that the said Charlotte the wife of the said John Bragg shall and may as she shall think fit without the Contrivous Intermeddling or interruption of the said John Bragg people Demise Let or grant the said premises During the joint Lives of them the said John Bragg and Charlotte his wife and shall and may During such their joint Lives Have Receive and take to her own sole separate and Distinct use without being subject or liable to or Chargeable with the Debts Charges or Incumbrances of the said John Bragg All and every the Rents Issues and Profits of the said Premises and of every Part and Parcel thereof And also in Trust that they the said Peter Manigault and John Bragg or the Survivors of them or the Heirs and Assigns of such Survivors shall after the Death of the said Charlotte in case the said John Bragg shall survive her for and During the Life of the said John Bragg and after the Death of the said Charlotte Receive and take the Rents and Profits of the said Premises and pay and apply the same to and for the uses of such Person and persons and in such manner as the said Charlotte shall by Deed or Will notwithstanding her Coverture Direct Limit or Appoint but so as the same shall not in any way be Subject or liable to or Chargeable with the Debts Charges or Incumbrances of the said John Bragg and for want of such Direction Limitation or Appointment

as aforesaid. There in Trust that they the said Peter Manigault and John Prang and the survivor of them and the Heirs and assigns of such Survivor shall after the death of the said Charlotte and During the life of the said John Prang, Receive and take the Rents and Profits of the said premises and pay and apply the same to the said John Prang During his life for the support maintenance and Education of his Children or Child begotten of the Body of the said Charlotte and towards his own support & maintenance but so as not to be subject or liable to his Debt Charges or incumbrances and to and for no other use intent or purpose whatsoever In witness whereof the said parties to these presents their hands and seals have hereunto interchangeably set the Day and year first ^{above} written, John Prang ^{ESQ} Will^m Logan ^{ESQ} Alexander Michie ^{ESQ} Jacob Motte ^{ESQ} John Buger ^{ESQ} Alex^r Rose ^{ESQ} Sealed and Delivered in the presence of John Moore John Prioleau, Received on the Day of the Date of the within named written Deed of and from the within named Peter Manigault and John Prang the sum of ten Shillings Lawful Current Money being the Consideration within mentioned to be by them paid to me, John Prang. Present John Moore John Prioleau Lth M^{ty}

MEMORANDUM on the Day of In the year of our Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Seventy one Full properion and Seisin was had and taken of the Mesuages Tenements and premises within granted by the within mentioned John Prang and by him Delivered over unto the within named Peter Manigault and John Prang to hold to them their Heirs and assigns according to the contents and true meaning and to the uses intents and purposes of the within written indenture in the presence of Charleston District Personally appeared Mr John Prioleau who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God made oath that he was present and saw John Prang Jacob Motte William Logan John Buger Alexander Michie and Alexander Rose sign seal and us and for their act and Deed Deliver this Indenture for the uses intents and purposes within mentioned and that he also saw John Prang sign the Receipt hereon wrote for the Consideration Money within mentioned and that he this Deponent and John Moore subscribed their names as witnesses to the Due Execution thereof Sworn this 28th October 1785 before Peter Freeman D^y

This Indenture Tripartite made the fifteenth day of April in the 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 &c &c forth

BETWEEN Isaac Chanler of Charlestown in the province of South Carolina Practitioner in Physick of the first part Sarah White of the same place Spinster of the second part and Blake Leary White and Joseph Vorce of the Town and province aforesaid Carpenters of the third part Whereas the said Sarah White is intitled unto and Interested in a considerable Personal Estate consisting of Ready Monies or Securities and Rouchers for the same and of Divers Negro and other Slaves mentioned in the list or Schedule hereunto annexed and made part of these presents And Whereas a Marriage by Gods permission is intended shortly to be had and solemnized between them the said Isaac Chanler and Sarah White in Consideration and the said Sarah White in Consideration thereof and of its taking effect by and with the Advice Knowledge Privy Consent & agreement of the

of the said Isaac Chandler the intended husband Testified by his being made a party to and signing and sealing of these presents) hath and by these presents doth Covenant and agree to and with the said Blake Lay White and Joseph Vorce and the survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor of the said intended marriage shall take effect that them from and immediately after the solemnization thereof the said Blake Lay White and Joseph Vorce and the survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor shall stand and be lawfully and rightfully possessed of the said Monies or of the Vouchers and Securities for the same and of every part thereof and of the said Negro and other Slaves mentioned in the List or Schedule hereunto annexed together with the future Issue and increase of the said Female Slaves to and for such uses Trusts intents and purposes as is or are herein after mentioned Expressed and Declared of for and concerning the same Now this Indenture Witnesseth that in pursuance of the said agreement and for and in consideration of the sum of Five Pounds Current money of the province aforesaid to the said Sarah White by the said Blake Lay White and Joseph Vorce or one of them in hand well and truly paid the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged and for the settling and apportioning the said Monies or such Vouchers or Securities as have or may be taken for the same and also of the several Negro and other Slaves mentioned in the List or Schedule hereunto annexed together with the future Issue of the said Female Slaves to and for the several uses intents and purposes herein after limited Expressed and Declared and upon and under the several Trusts Provisions and agreements under such way and manner as is and are herein after by these presents mentioned limited Expressed and Declared of and concerning the same and for divers other good causes and considerations her hereunto moving she the said Sarah White by and with the advice privily knowledge consent and agreement of the said Isaac Chandler the intended husband Testified by his being made a Party to and signing and sealing of these presents) hath Granted Bargained Sold and Delivered and by these presents doth in Plain and open Market according to the due form of law Grant Bargain Sell and Deliver unto the said Blake Lay White & Joseph Vorce and their survivors of them and the Executors & Administrators of such Survivor all those several Negro and other Slaves mentioned in the List or Schedule hereunto Annexed Together with the future Issue of the said Female Slaves and all her Estate Right Title and Interest of in and to the same and in consideration aforesaid she the said Sarah White hath Assigned Transferred and set over and by these presents doth Assign Transfer and set over unto the said Blake Lay White and Joseph Vorce and their survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor all such Ready Monies or the Vouchers or Securities for the same To have and to hold the said Negro and other Slaves together with the future Issue of the said Female Slaves and also the said Monies or such Vouchers and Securities as may have been taken for the same unto the said Blake Lay White and Joseph Vorce and the

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 said Sarah White the intended wife or of the said Isaac Chandler the intended hus-
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 and appointed and also upon this further Trust that if at any time hereafter
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UNCL may from time to time and at all times hereafter Peaceably & quietly have hold and Enjoy the said Sum of money and the said Negro and other Slaves together with the future Issue of the said Female Slaves and every part thereof nevertheless upon the several Trusts Intents and purposes and subject to the Provisoes herein before mentioned Expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same without any set Disturbance or Interruption of the said Isaac Chanler or any Person or Persons Claiming or to Claim by from or under him or by or through his means Consent Privilege or Procurement And Lastly that he the said Isaac Chanler his heirs Executors and Administrators shall and will from time to time and at all times hereafter upon the Reasonable Request and at the Costs and Charges of the said Blake Leay White and Joseph Vorce and the survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such survivors or any or either of them make do and execute or Cause or Procure to be made Done and Executed all and every such further and other Lawful and Reasonable Act and Acts thing and things Conveyances Assignments and Appearances in the Law whatsoever as well for the corroborating and strengthening of these presents as also for the further and better Appuring and Confirming of all and singular the herein before mentioned Premises and every part thereof unto the said Blake Leay White and Joseph Vorce and the survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such survivors (nevertheless to the several uses and upon the several Trusts Intents and purposes & Conditions and subject to the several Provisoes and agreements herein and hereby respectively mentioned Expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same) as by them or either of them their or either of their Counsell Learned in the Law shall be Reasonably Desired Advised or Required, We Witnesses whereof the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto Interchangeably set their hands and Seals the Day and year first above written,

Isaiah David Delivered (the Obliteration)	Isaac White	LS
in the Proviso in the third Sheet of Paper	Isaac Chanler	LS
being first made in the Presence of	Blake Leay White	LS
James Mortimer Harris	Joseph Vorce	LS
Charles Harris. William Morgan		

A List or Schedule of the Negro and other Slaves Referred to by the Annexed Deed Vizt:

Paul a man Valued at.....	2500	Adam a man Valued at	2300
March a man.....	600	Frank a Boy.....	250
Ansor a man.....	600	Mori a Woman.....	250
Andrew a man.....	500	Samaya Woman.....	350
Charles a Man.....	400	Minder a Girl.....	200
Susy a Girl (say a Child).....	100		

Monies already at or hereafter to be paid at Interest - £3000 Currency
 At This Day 10th December 1772 the fellow Adam above mentioned was sold to Mr William Knisbame and at the same time was replaced by a Wenck named Daphne

Charleston) Personally appeared Mr. Job Colcock who being duly sworn District made oath that he was personally well acquainted with William Morgan one of the subscribing witnesses to this Indenture and with the manner and form of his writing his name and verily believes the name wrote person to be the proper hand writing of him the said William Morgan Sworn in the City of Charleston this 26th Day of Augt 1783 before Peter Innocent Notary

This Indenture Tripartite made the Eighteenth Day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and Eighty five and in the sixth year of the Independence of the United States of America Between Joseph Edmanson of Saint Georges Parish Dorchester in the State of South Carolina Taylor of the first Part and Ann Dunning of the same Place widow of the Second Part and Elijah Bell of Saint Pauls Parish Planter of the third Part Whereas the said Ann Dunning is entitled unto and Interested in a Considerable Personal Estate Consisting of a Stock of Cattle about twenty eight head marked with two smooth crops and an under half Penny Branded mostly thus **WD** and a small Stock of horses and Mares Branded mostly **F^a D** together with thirteen negro and other Slaves mentioned and contained in the List or Schedule hereunto annexed and made part of these Presents And Whereas a marriage by Gods Permission is intended shortly to be had and solemnized between them the said Joseph Edmanson and Ann Dunning: and the said Ann Dunning in Consideration of the said marriage and its taking effect by and with the advice knowledge Privy Consent and agreement of the said Joseph Edmanson her intended husband testified by his being made a Party to and signing and sealing of these Presents) hath and by these presents Doth covenant and agree to and with the said Elijah Bell his Executors and administrators If the said Intended marriage shall take effect that then from and immediately after the solemnization thereof the said Elijah Bell his Executor and administrator shall stand and be lawfully and rightfully possessed of the said Stock of Cattle horses and mares together with their future Increase and of the said negro and other Slaves mentioned in the List or Schedule hereunto annexed together with the future Issue and Increase of the said Female Slaves to and for such uses Trusts Intents and purposes as is or are herein after mentioned expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same Now this Indenture witnesseth that in pursuance of the said agreement and for and in Consideration of the sum of five Shillings Sterling money to the said Ann Dunning by the said Elijah Bell in hand well and truly Paid the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged for the settling & refining of the said Stock of Cattle horses and Mares with their future Increase & also of the several negro and other Slaves mentioned in the List or Schedule hereunto annexed together with the future Issue of the said female Slaves to and for the several uses Intents and purposes herein after limited expressed and Declared and upon and under the several Trusts provisions and agreements and in such way and manner as is and are herein after by these Presents mentioned limited expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same and for divers other good causes & Considerations her hereunto moving she the said Ann Dunning (by and with the advice Knowledge Privy Consent and agreement of the said Joseph Edmanson her Intended husband testified by his being made a Party to and signing

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Always nevertheless and it is the true and Intent and meaning of the said Parties and of these Presents that no part of the said Stock of Battle horses and mares and their future Increase or the said Negro or other Slaves or the future Issue of the said female Slaves shall on any account or Pretence whatsoever be made subject or liable in anywise howsoever for the Payment of any of the Debts of the said Joseph Edmanson her Intended husband but that the same and every Part thereof shall at all times hereafter be and Remain free clear, acquitted and discharged therefrom AND the said Joseph Edmanson for himself his heirs Executors and Administrators Doth covenant Promise Grant and agree to and with the said Elijah Bell his Executors & Administrators in manner and form following that is to say that the said Elijah Bell his Executors Administrators and assigns shall and may from time to time and at all times hereafter Peaceable and quietly have hold and enjoy the said Stock of Battle horses and mares together with their future Increase and also the said Negro and other Slaves together with the future Issue of the said female Slaves and every Part thereof nevertheless upon the several Trusts intents and Purposes herein before mentioned expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same without any let Disturbance or interruption of the said Joseph Edmanson or of any other Person or Persons claiming or to claim by from or under him the said Joseph Edmanson his Executors administrator or assigns or by his or their means Consent Privily or Procurement And further that he the said Joseph Edmanson his heirs Executors and Administrators shall and will from time to time and at all times hereafter upon the Reasonable Request and at the Costs and Charges of the said Elijah Bell his Executors or Administrators make do and execute or cause to be made done and executed all and every such further and other lawful and Reasonable Act and Acts thing and things Conveyances Assignments and Apurances in the Law whatsoever as well for the corroborating & strengthening of these Presents as also for the further and better assuring and confirming of all and singular the herein before mentioned Premises and every Part thereof unto the said Elijah Bell his Executors and Administrators (nevertheless to the several Uses and upon the several Trusts intents and purposes Conditions and agreements herein and hereby Respectively mentioned expressed and Declared of and Concerning the same) as by him or them or his or their Council Learned in the Law shall be Reasonable Devised advised or Required in that behalf 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
 Martha Ward
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Joseph Edmanson L.S.
 Ann Danning L.S.
 Elijah Bell L.S.

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Charleston) Personally appeared John Ward who made oath on the Holy
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Evangelists of Almighty God that he was present and saw St. Edmanson Ann Dunning and Elijah Bell severally and Respectively Sign Seal and as and for their acts and Deeds Deliver the within Instrument of writing to and for the several uses intents and purposes therein mentioned and he the Deponent and Martha Ward subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the Execution of the same. Sworn this Day of 1786

This Marriage Settlement was arrived
to be recorded on the 25th August 1785, before the Court of the said Court -

This Indenture Tripartite Made the fifteenth Day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty four and in the ninth year of the Independence of the United States of America Between Ann Turquand of Orangeburgh District in the State of South Carolina Daughter of the Reverend Mr Paul Turquand of the first Part the Honourable John Lewis Gervais of the City of Charleston in the State of South Carolina Esquire and the Reverend Paul Turquand late of the said State but at present at New Orleans on the River Mississippi of the second Part and Felix Warley of the City of Charleston in the State of South Carolina aforesaid Esquire, Mayor in the Late Army of the United States of America of the third Part Whereas Ann Breneau late of Saint Mathews Parish Orangeburgh District in the State of South Carolina Deceased did in her Lifetime by her Last Will and Testament duly executed in writing and bearing Date on or about the fifth Day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty three give and bequeath unto her Grand Daughter Ann Turquand twenty two Negroes named as follows, Old Guppy, young Guppy, Chloe, Pompey, Temah, Carolina, Frank, Bella, Kate, John, Mary, Bluff, young Bella, Ellice, Jade, Ned, Maryann, Diana, Jenny, Thunder, Sue, and Hardy, (who is now absent with Mr Paul Turquand) and likewise all the moveable Property of what kind soever that she might be possessed of to her and her heirs and assigns and left the said Will unrevoked at her Death. AND Whereas a marriage is about to be had and solemnized between the said Mayor Felix Warley and the said Ann Turquand and it hath been agreed by and between all the Parties to this Indenture that the said Negroes and other Property bequeathed as aforesaid shall be conveyed and assigned to the said John Lewis Gervais and Paul Turquand and the Survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivors In Trust to permit the said Ann the intended wife of the said Felix Peaceably and quietly to have hold possess and enjoy the said Negroes and the present and future Issue and Increase of the Female ones & all of singular the other property as aforesaid bequeathed to her by the said Ann Breneau and all gains that shall be made thereby to and for the only separate use and behoof of the said Ann the intended wife of the said Felix During the said Coverture without any let Suit Trouble Claim or Demand of or by him the said Felix and without being subject to his Dots or Incumbrances and in case the said Ann should survive the said Felix then to the said Ann her Executors

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and all and singular the other Property bequeathed to her as aforesaid to them the said John Lewis Gervais and Paul Turquand
and the Survivor of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor for ever

Administrators and Assigns but the same to be in Bar and full Satisfaction
of all Dower and thirds which she may have or claim to any part of the Estate
of the said Felix and in case the said Felix should survive the said Ann then entire
for the said Felix his Executors Administrators and Assigns forever. Now this
Indenture Witnesseth that in Consideration of the said marriage so to be had
and solemnized and for and in Consideration of four Shillings Sterling money
by the said John Lewis Gervais Paul Turquand to the said Ann in hand paid
at and before the sealing and Delivery of these Presents the Receipt whereof
is hereby acknowledged & for Divers other good Causes and Considerations
her hereunto moving she the said Ann Turquand with the Privy and Consent
of the said Felix hereby her said Intended husband witnessed by his being
a Party to these Presents hath granted Bargained sold conveyed and
Delivered and by these presents Doth grant Bargain sell convey and
Deliver all and singular the above mentioned Negroes with the future
Issue and Increase of such of them as are female and all and singular the
other Property bequeathed to her as aforesaid by the said Ann Bureau to
the said John Lewis Gervais and Paul Turquand and the Survivor of them
and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor. In Trust nevertheless
To and for such Uses and Trusts as are herein after particularly
Limited and Declared and to and for no other use Trust or intent whatsoever
(that is to say) to the use and behoof of the said Ann Turquand her Executors
Administrators and Assigns until the solemnization of the said intended
marriage and from and immediately after the solemnization of the said
Intended marriage to them the said John Lewis Gervais & Paul Turquand
and the Survivor of them and the Executors and Administrators of such
Survivor In Trust to permitt the said Ann the intended Wife of the said
Felix Peaceably and Quietly to have hold possess and enjoy of the said Negroes and
the Present and future Issue and Increase of the female ones and all and
singular the other Property as aforesaid bequeathed to her by the said
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only separate use and behoof of the said Ann the intended Wife of the
said Felix During the said Coverture without any Let Suit Trouble
Claim or Demand of or by him the said Felix and without being subject
to his Debts or Incumbrances and in case the said Ann should survive
the said Felix then to the use and behoof of the said Ann her Executors
Administrators and Assigns forever but the same to be in Bar and
full Satisfaction of all Dower and thirds which she may have or Claim
to any part of the Estate of the said Felix and in case the said Felix
should survive the said Ann then to the use and behoof of the said Felix
his Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever. And the said Felix
hereby for himself his Executors and Administrators Doth covenant
promise and agree to and with the said John Lewis Gervais and Paul
Turquand and the survivor of them and the Executors & Administrators
of such Survivor by these presents that notwithstanding this said
intended marriage shall take effect that the said Negroes and the
present & future Issue and Increase of the Female ones and all and
singular the other property as aforesaid bequeathed to her by the said
Ann Bureau shall be and remain upon such Trust and Trusts and

And for such use and uses Intents and purposes and in such manner and form as is herein before mentioned and Declared of and concerning the same And the said Ann Turquand for herself her Executors and Administrators both Covenant promise and agree to and with the said John Lewis Gervais and Paul Turquand and the survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such survivors that Notwithstanding the said intended marriage shall take effect that she the said Ann Turquand her Executor and Administrators shall and will and by these Presents in consideration of the settlement of her own Fortune as aforesaid made she both hereby Covenant Promise and agree to and with the said John Lewis Gervais and Paul Turquand and the survivors of them and the Executors and Administrators of such survivors that Notwithstanding the said intended marriage shall take effect that she the said Ann Turquand her Executor or Administrators shall not nor will Claim Demand or sue for any Dower third or Distributive share of in or out of any Real or personal Estate whereof the said Folia Warley shall be seized or possessed of or interested in at any time during the said Intended Coverture but of and in any Legal or equitable Interest in or to the same which may accrue to her from the said intended marriage she both hereby Bar and Preclude herself her Executors and Administrators for ever 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 by	Ann Turquand	L.S.
John Lewis Gervais in the	John Lewis Gervais	L.S.
Presence of John Owen	Folia Warley	L.S.
William Caldwell		

Sealed and Delivered by Paul Turquand in the Presence of
Sealed and Delivered by Ann Turquand & Folia Warley in
the Presence of Paul Warley Sam^l Beckman

South Carolina } Be it remembered that on the twenty
Charleston District } fifth Day of August in the year of our Lord
one thousand seven hundred and eighty five Before me
Personally came and appeared Samuel Beckman who being
Duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God made
oath and said that he was present and did see the within named
Ann Turquand & Folia Warley severally sign seal and as their
Act and Deed Deliver the within Instrument of writing to and
for the uses intents and purposes therein mentioned and that
he together with Paul Warley subscribed their names as
Witnesses thereto. At the same time John Owen being Duly
sworn made oath and said that he was personally present
and did see the within named John Lewis Gervais sign seal and
as his Act and Deed Deliver the within Instrument of writing
to and for the uses intents and purposes therein mentioned and
that he together with William Caldwell subscribed their names as
Witnesses thereto. Sworn to before me the Day and year above written
John Peter Freeman J.P.

This Indenture Tripartite made the eleventh day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and eighty three and in the Eighth year of the Independence of the United States between John McCullough of Saint Johns Parish in the State aforesaid of the First Part Mary Hooker of the same place Parish in the said State of the Second part and Zachariah Villeponteux of St Johns Parish Clerk of the County in the said State of the third part Whereas the said Mary Hooker at the Time of the sealing and Delivery of these Presents is and stands Lawfully and Rightfully possessed in her own Right of and in the following Personal Estate consisting of five Negroe Slaves named as follows that is to say Belinda Bob Sabella Daphne and Melipa And whereas a Marriage is by God's Permission intended shortly to be had and solemnized between the said John McCullough and Mary Hooker upon the solemnization of which the said John McCullough would be entitled to have take and Receive the said Negroe Slaves or Personal Estate and whereas in Consideration of the said intended Marriage and of its taking it is consented to and Covenanted and agreed by and between the said John McCullough and the said Mary Hooker that the said Personal Estate or Negroe Slaves of the said Mary Hooker 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 of for and Concerning the same Now this Indenture Witnesseth that for and in Consideration of the said intended Marriage and in pursuance of the said Agreements and also for and in Consideration of the sum of Ten Shillings Sterling money to the said John McCullough by the said Zachariah Villeponteux Trustee nominated and appointed 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 McCullough for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators Doth hereby Covenant grant promise and agree to and with the said Zachariah Villeponteux his Executors and Administrators that in Case the said intended Marriage shall take effect that from and immediately after the solemnization thereof he the said Zachariah Villeponteux his Executors and Administrators shall stand seized and be Lawfully and Rightfully possessed of and in all and singular the said five negroe Slaves or separate and particular Estate to which the said Mary Hooker is entitled unto as above said together with all and singular the future Issue Offspring and Increase of the said Female Slaves In Trust Nevertheless and to and for such uses intents and purposes as is or are herein after mentioned expressed and or Declared of for upon or Concerning the same that is to say In Trust for the said Mary Hooker her Executors Administrators and assigns untill the solemnization of the said intended Marriage and from and immediately after the solemnization thereof then upon this further Trust that he the said Zachariah Villeponteux his Executors and Administrators do and shall from and immediately after the solemnization of the said intended Marriage well and truly permit and suffer the said John McCullough During the term of the Natural Life of the said Mary Hooker and no longer to have take and Receive the Issues Profits and Benefits arising from the Work Labour and Services

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 the said Zachariah Villepontoux or his Executors or Administra-
 tors and from and immediately after her Decease then upon this
 Further Trust that he the said Zachariah Villepontoux his
 Executors Administrators and Assigns shall and do pay apply
 Deliver and Dispose of the said five negro Slaves and the future
 Issue and Increase of the said Female Slaves or separate and
 particular Estate of the said Mary Stocker unto and among such
 Child or Children or to such other persons or persons in such parts
 Shares and proportions and upon such Conditions manner
 and form as the said Mary Stocker notwithstanding her in-
 tended Coverture or whether Covert or Discover by any Deed or
 Writing or by her last will and Testament in writing to be by her
 duly executed in the Presence of two or more Credible Witnesses
 shall give direct Limit or appoint the same which Deed writing
 or will she the said Mary Stocker is hereby and by the said John
 McCallough her intended husband enabled and empowered to
 make and for want of such gift Disposition Direction limitation
 or Appointment then the same to go and be equally Divided
 amongst such Child or Children of the said Mary Stocker share
 and Share alike and to be Delivered over unto him her or them
 at his her or their Respective Age or Ages of twenty one years
 or Days of marriage which shall first happen and upon this
 Further Trust that in case there should be no such Child or Children
 living at the time of the Death of the said Mary Stocker (in case
 he the said John McCallough should survive her the said Mary
 Stocker his intended wife) or if such Child or Children be living
 and they shall happen to die before their Respective Ages of
 twenty one years or Days of marriage as aforesaid then
 that he the said Zachariah Villepontoux his Executors Administra-
 tors and Assigns shall and do transfer and Assign all and
 singular the aforesaid negro Slaves or separate and particular
 Estate of the said Mary Stocker together with the future
 Issue offspring and increase of the said Female Slaves to
 such Person and Persons and to and for such uses Trusts
 intents and purposes and under such Conditions as she
 the said Mary Stocker notwithstanding her intended Coverture
 and as if she were a feme sole shall by such her Deed in writing
 or last will and Testament in writing to be by her so executed in
 manner as aforesaid give direct Limit or appoint
 the same PROVIDED always nevertheless and it is the true
 intent and meaning of the said Parties and of these presents that
 in case he the said Mary Stocker shall happen to survive
 the said John McCallough that then it shall and may be law-
 ful to and for the said Mary Stocker from and immediately
 upon the Death of the said John McCallough to have hold take and
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 Person or Persons whomsoever by or through their Act means Privity or
 Procurement and that every Article Clause matter and thing herein contained
 shall cease determine and become Void and of none effect And the said John
 McCullough for himself his heirs Executors and Administrators and for
 every of them both Covenant Promise grant and agree to and with the said
 Zachariah Villepontoux his Executors Administrators or assigns and the
 with every of them by these presents in manner following that is to say
 that for or notwithstanding any Act matter or thing whatsoever by him
 the said John McCullough to be had made committed executed suffered
 or appointed to it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Mary Stocker
 his intended wife at any time or times during her Coverture and at all times
 to make such Deed in writing or Will in manner as aforesaid and thereby
 give Direct Limit appoint and Dispose of the aforesaid Negro Slaves or
 separate Estate and Interest of her the said Mary Stocker together with
 all and singular the future Issue offspring and increase of the said
 Female Slaves and of every part thereof to such Person and Persons
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 fit and that he the said John McCullough his Executors and Administra
 tors and all and every other Person and persons whomsoever claiming
 by from or under him or them shall not question Controvert obstruct
 or hinder such Disposition of the said Mary Stocker his intended wife
 of and in the said respective Premises so to be by her the said Mary +
 Stocker given and Disposed of as aforesaid And further that all
 manner of such gifts and Dispositions whatsoever to be by her the said
 Mary Stocker so made and Done of the said herein before mentioned five
 Negroes or separate Estate and interest of her the said Mary Stocker
 together also with all and singular the future Issue and increase
 of the said Female Slaves and of every part thereof shall be at all times
 as good and effectual in the Law as if the said John McCullough had
 himself joined in the same with the said Zachariah Villepontoux or
 with her the said Mary Stocker or as if she were a feme sole and that
 the said Zachariah Villepontoux his Executors Administrators and assigns
 shall and may from time and at all times hereafter Peaceably and
 quietly have hold occupy possess and enjoy all and singular the said five
 Negroes and the future Issue and increase of the said Female Slaves
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 his Executors Administrators or assigns or by his or their Consent
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 McCullough his Executors Administrators and assigns shall and will
 at any time or times after the solemnization of the said intended
 marriage make and execute all and every such Deeds Conveyances
 and assurances or other Acts matters or things as the Council deemed