

Now this Indenture witnesseth that for the making the said agreement effectual in the law, and for the preserving the rents issues and profits of the said Plantations or Tracts of Land above mentioned, and also of the profits and emoluments arising from the labor of the Negro Slaves aforesaid, to and for the sole separate and distinct use of the said Mary Allston and so that the same shall not be in the power or disposal of the said Benjamin Huger, nor in any wise subject to the payment of his debts he the said Benjamin Huger doth for himself his Executors and Administrators, and for every of them, covenant, promise and agree to and with the said Benjamin Allston and Joseph Blyth, and the survivor of them, and the Executors and Administrators of the survivor of them by these presents, — that notwithstanding the said intended Marriage shall take effect all the rents issues and profits of the said Plantations or Tracts of Land aforesaid, and the profits and emoluments arising from the labor of the said Negro Slaves above mentioned which shall become due and payable to her the said Mary Allston by virtue of the agreement aforesaid, and also the Reversion and Reversions of the said Plantations or Tracts of Land shall be accounted reckoned and taken as a separate and distinct Estate of and from the Estate of him the said Benjamin Huger, and be no wise liable or subject to him, or to the payment of any of his debts, but that the profits and increase that shall hereafter be gotten, gained, or made of the same, be ordered disposed and employed to such person and persons and to and for such uses intents and purposes, and in such manner and form as is herein after declared, that is to say, that the ready money arising or accruing out of the said separate and distinct Estate before mentioned, either by the rents issues and profits of the said Plantations or Tracts of Land, or the labor of the said Negro Slaves, shall be at the sole, separate and absolute disposal of the said Mary Allston notwithstanding her coverture, as fully and absolutely as if she were a feme sole and without the interruption, denial or control of him the said Benjamin Huger, or of any other person or persons whomsoever, and that all the said separate and distinct Estate before declared and allotted for the said Mary Allston as aforesaid shall be had taken held possessed and enjoyed by such person and persons and for such use and uses as the said Mary Allston shall at any time or times hereafter during her life, limit devise order or dispose of the same, or any part thereof, either by a Deed in writing signed sealed and executed by her in the presence of two or more credible witnesses, to which deed the approbation and consent of the said Benjamin Allston and Joseph Blyth or the survivor of them or the Executors and Administrators of such survivor, shall have been first obtained, or by her last Will and Testament duly executed. And the said Benjamin Huger doth for himself his Heirs Executors and

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Administrators, covenant promise and agree, to and with the said Benjamin Allston and Joseph Blyth, and the survivor of them, and the Executors and Administrators of such survivor, by these presents in manner following, - that is to say, that if the said intended Marriage shall take effect that then the said Benjamin Huger shall and will permit and suffer the said Mary Allston to give grant and dispose of her said separate Estate as she shall think fit in her lifetime, and to make such Deed in writing or last Will and Testament in writing as aforesaid, and thereby to give over devise limit and appoint her said separate Estate to any person or persons, for any trust use intent or purpose whatsoever, and that the said Benjamin Huger shall and will permit and suffer such will hereafter to be made by the said Mary Allston, to be duly proved by the Executors in such will named or to be named, and Probate of such Will to be had and taken as is usual, and that the person or persons to whom the said Mary Allston shall give or dispose of her said separate Estate, or any part thereof, by any Deed in writing that shall be signed sealed and executed by her in the presence of two or more credible Witnesses, to which Deed the permission approbation and consent of the said Benjamin Allston and Joseph Blyth or the survivor of them, or the Executors or Administrators of such survivor shall have been first obtained or by her last Will duly executed in writing as aforesaid, shall any may peaceably and quietly have hold occupy possess and enjoy the same, according to the true meaning of such deed gift devise or appointment without any let denial, hindrance or interruption of or by the said Benjamin Huger his Executors Administrators or Assigns or any of them, And also that it shall and may be lawful to and for the said Benjamin Allston and Joseph Blyth and the survivor of them, and the Executors and Administrators of the survivor of them, at any time from and after the said intended marriage shall take effect, to commence any action or suit in law or Equity in the name or names of the said Benjamin Huger and Mary Allston his intended wife, against any person or persons for the recovery of any sum or sums of money due or to grow due to the said Mary Allston on her said separate Estate as aforesaid, and that the said Benjamin Huger shall not nor will release or discharge any such action or suit, without the special licence or consent in that behalf obtained in writing under the hand of the said Mary Allston where such action or suit shall have been commenced for and on account of the profits and emoluments arising out of the said separate Estate, or without the special licence and consent of the said Benjamin Allston and Joseph Blyth or the survivor of them, or the Executors or Administrators of the survivor of them first had and obtained in writing under their, or some of their hands where such action or suit shall have been commenced

for and on account of the lands and negro slaves aforesaid, And further that he the said Benjamin Huger shall and will from time to time and at all times hereafter, and from and after the said intended marriage shall take effect, up on the reasonable request, and at the proper costs and charges of the said Benjamin Allston and Joseph Blyth or the survivor of them, or the Executors or Administrators of the survivor of them, make do and execute all and every such further act and acts, thing and things for the better settling recovering and receiving the monies goods and estates of the said Mary Allston allotted and declared for her separate use benefit and disposal as aforesaid, as by the said Benjamin Allston and Joseph Blyth or the survivor of them, or the Executors or Administrators of the survivor of them, or others or any of their counsel learned in the law shall be reasonably advised advised or required Provided always and it is declared concluded and agreed by and between all the said parties to these presents, and it is the true intent and meaning hereof, and of the said parties hereunto, that they the said Benjamin Allston and Joseph Blyth and the survivor of them, and the Executors and Administrators of the survivor of them, shall and may from time to time reimburse satisfy and pay him and 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 parties to these presents, or transacting anything pursuant thereto, and that neither of them the said Benjamin Allston, & Joseph Blyth shall be any ways accountable for the act of the other, or liable to make good any more of the said Estate than what shall really and bona fide come into his hands or custody. In Witness whereof the said parties have hereunto set their hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Sealed and delivered in the presence of the word { Mary Allston }  
 shall have been first obtained being first { Benj. Huger }  
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 Blyth for the fourth page hereof and the words to time for the eleventh  
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 Georgetown District p. Personally appeared William Cuttino before me  
 William Heriot one of the Justices affigned to keep the Peace for said Dis-  
 trict, who being duly sworn, says he saw Mary Allston and Benj. Huger  
 sign seal and as their act and Deed deliver the within Instrument of writing  
 for the purposes herein mentioned, and that he the said Deponent  
 with Alexander Collins signed their names as evidences thereto  
 sworn to before me this 28<sup>th</sup> April 1796 Will: Heriot. Recorded  
 12<sup>th</sup> May 1796

This Indenture of three parts made the twenty fourth  
 day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and  
 ninety five, Between William Lebre of the City of Charleston in the  
 State of South Carolina,

State of South Carolina the subscriber of the first part, Ann Miller of the same City  
and State Widow of the second part and Thomas Schrie and Jacob Martin both of  
the City of Charleston in the State aforesaid Gentlemen of the third part --  
Whereas the said Ann Miller is seized in her own right to her and her Heirs  
Asgns for ever in the following negro Slaves to wit, Adam, Quash, July  
Sampson, Smart, London, Jack, Balif, Ned, Johnny, Peter, Cesar, Jem-  
my Cyrus, January, Joe, Davy, George, Guy, March, Sam, Cuffy, Kate  
Rinah, Dinah, Sarah, Rose, Nancy, old Tenah, Young Tenah, Diana  
the older, Diana the younger, Hannah old Kate, old Bella, Young  
Bella, little Ned, Darcus, Bef, and Lucy, And whereas a Marriage  
is intended shortly to be had and solemnized between the said William  
Schrie and the said Ann Miller upon the Contract of which Marriage  
it is hereby concluded and agreed by and between them the said William  
Schrie and the said Ann Miller, that if the said intended Marriage shall  
take effect and be solemnized that the negro Slaves above mentioned,  
and all other property both Real and personal of which the said Ann  
Miller is seized in her own Right as aforesaid, shall be settled and  
vested in the said Thomas Schrie and Jacob Martin, and the survivor  
of them in such manner and form and for such uses intents and pur-  
poses as are herein limited appointed and expressed and to and for no  
other use intent or purpose whatsoever, Now This Indenture Witness-  
eth that for making this said Agreement effectual in the Law and  
also for and in consideration of the sum of ten Shillings Sterling Money  
to the said Ann Miller in hand paid by the said Thomas Schrie and  
Jacob Martin at or before the Sealing and Delivery of these presents  
the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged she the said Ann Miller  
hath granted bargained sold and Delivered, and by these presents  
Doth grant bargain sell and deliver unto the said Thomas Schrie and  
Jacob Martin All those the abovementioned Slaves, to wit Adam, Quash  
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Jemmy Cyrus, January, Joe, Davy, George, Guy, March, Sam, Cuffy +  
Kate Rinah, Dinah, Sarah, Rose, Nancy, old Tenah, Young Tenah, +  
Diana the older, Diana the younger, Hannah, old Kate, old Bella  
Young Bella, little Ned, Darcus, Bef, and Lucy, And also all other pro-  
perty both Real and Personal which she the said Ann Miller is seized of  
in her own Right, To have and to hold all and every the said negroes  
and other property herein before mentioned unto the said Thomas Schrie  
the said Jacob Martin their Executors Administrators and Asgns for ever  
upon the several trust, Nevertheless and to and for the several uses  
intents and purposes herein after mentioned limited and declared of  
and concerning the same, that is to say In Trust for the said Ann  
Miller until the said intended Marriage shall take effect, and  
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then upon further trust that the said Negroes and other property before  
mentioned shall be valued Separated and divided into two equal parts or  
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to the survivor of them the said William Lehrie and Ann Miller his or her  
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part of the said Negroes and other property shall be remain and ensue  
to the proper use benefit and behoef of such child or children being issue  
of the body of the said Ann Miller to be begotten by the said William Lehrie -  
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said Ann Miller which shall first happen to his or her or their Executors  
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or her Executors Administrators and Assigns absolutely forever, that is in case  
the said William Lehrie or the said Ann Miller should die intestate, but it  
is hereby understood and agreed upon by and between the said parties to  
these presents, that the said William Lehrie or the said Ann Miller at  
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moiety or half part of the negroes and other property herein above men-  
tioned, to which they by the foregoing clauses are respectively entitled, to  
whom and in what manner the said William Lehrie or the said Ann Mil-  
ler may think proper, and it is hereby further agreed upon and fully un-  
derstood by and between the said parties herein above mentioned that the  
said William Lehrie and the said Ann Miller by and with the advice &  
consent of both or either of the Trustees herein before named, at any time  
after their intermarriage, shall be and are hereby fully authorized &  
empowered to sell transfer exchange or dispose of in any manner they  
may deem proper any or all of the Negroes and other property herein be-  
fore mentioned and to make any purchases that may by the said Wil-  
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thing herein before contained to the contrary thereof in any wise not-  
withstanding. In witness whereof the said parties have hereon to  
interchangeably set their hands and seals dated the day and year first  
above written William Lehrie /s/ Ann Miller /s/ This day  
(s) Jacob Martin /s/ Wm. H. Keltz Andrew Morris Lawrence Ryan

South Carolina Personally appeared Mr. Andrew Ross who being duly sworn made oath that he was present and saw William Schregton Miller, Thomas Schrie and Jacob Martin severally sign seal and as their respective act and deed deliver the written instrument of writing to and for the uses and purposes herein set forth, and that he the Deponent with Lawrence Ryan signed their names as witnesses thereto, sworn to the 6<sup>th</sup> day of June 1798 before John Sandford Justice of the Peace Recorded 6<sup>th</sup> June 1798

South Carolina

This Indenture of the first made the thirtieth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six, Between Sarah Horry of Georgetown in the State aforesaid Widow, of the first part, and Peter Kautreux of the said State of the second part, and John Shackleford and Richard Shuckelford of the said State of the third part, Whereas the said Sarah Horry is seized to her and her Heirs for ever of a House and Lot of land situate in Georgetown in the State aforesaid, which said lot is known and distinguished in the Plan of the said Town by the number one hundred and sixteen 116 measuring in front on Queen Street two hundred and seventeen  $\frac{9}{10}$  feet, to the North East on High Market Street one hundred feet, to the North West on lot No 115, one hundred and seventeen  $\frac{9}{10}$  feet, and to the South West on lot No 112 one hundred feet, also a Plantation or Tract of Land situate on the South West side of Black River in Prince Georges Parish and State aforesaid, containing twenty acres of Rice swamp and about sixty acres of high land, Bounding and Bounding to the North West on land of Samuel Wragg, to the North East on the said River, and to the South East on land of Elizabeth Trapier, also of a Tract of Rice swamp obliquely opposite, & attached to the said Plantation situate on the North East side of the said River and containing one hundred acres Bounding and Bounding to the South West on the said River, to the North West on land of Ralph Ward and Joseph Wragg, to the North East on PeeDee River, and South East on land of the said Elizabeth Trapier, also of a Tract of Pine land near Peters Creek containing two hundred acres, and attached to the said Plantation as Timber land, and whereas the said Sarah Horry is possessed of and entitled unto sundry Negroes and other slaves, Bonds Judgments, Carriages, Stocks of Horses and Cattle and sundry articles of Household and Kitchen Furniture, which are named and expressed in a Schedule thereof and unto annexed and made a part of this deed, to a proportion of which said Negroes Slaves Bonds Judgments and Stock, Sarah Glover the Daughter of the said Sarah Horry, will be entitled at the death of the said Sarah Horry by virtue of the last Will and Testament of the late Col: Hugh Horry deceased, as reference being therunto had, will more fully appear and

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out whereas a marriage is intended shortly to be had and solemnized be-  
tween the said Hugh Harry and the said Peter Ventress, upon the contract  
of which marriage it is hereby concluded and agreed by and between them  
the said Sarah Harry and Peter Ventress, that if the said intended marri-  
age shall take effect, the said House and lot Plantation and Tracts of  
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in the premises, shall be settled and vested in the said John Shackelford and  
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ministrators of such survivor, in such manner, and form, and for such  
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pended, and to and for no other uses intents and purposes whatsoever, Now  
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Sarah Harry paid at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the  
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said John Shackelford and Richard Shackelford, All that House lot  
of land in Georgetown aforesaid, also all that Plantation or Tract of Land  
on the South West side of Black River aforesaid with the said Tract of Land  
on the North East side of the said River, and the said Tract of Land near Peter  
Creek aforesaid, also the Negroes and other Slaves, Bonds, Judgments Carria-  
ges, Stocks of Horses and Cattle, Household and Kitchen furniture aforesaid  
with the future issue and increase of the said Slaves, and all her Right and  
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mises before mentioned unto the said John Shackelford and Richard  
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said intended Marriage shall take effect, and from and immediately  
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emoluments thereof, nor the negro and other slaves aforesaid nor the profits and emoluments arising from the work and labor of the same, shall in anywise be subject to the payment of the debts now due, or to grow due, by the said Peter Hantreux her intended Husband, but that the Rents, dues and profits of the said House and lot, Plantation and Tracts of land and the labor income and profits of the said Negro Slaves and other slaves, and the use and emoluments of the said Bonds, Judgments, Carriages, Stocks of horses and cattle, after the payment of the debts due by the late Hugh Horry shall and may be had used and taken by the said Peter Hantreux for their joint use, maintenance benefit and behoof of the said Sarah Horry and Peter Hantreux during their joint lives and from and immediately after the decease of the said Hugh Horry, if the said Peter Hantreux shall happen to survive the said Sarah Horry, then one half part of the said Lot, including in the said half part, the buildings erected on the said lot, one half part of the said Plantation and Tracts of land, one half part of the said Negro and other slaves, Judgments, Bonds, Carriages, Stocks of horses and cattle as aforesaid, and all the Household and Kitchen Furniture aforesaid, to be and remain to the proper use benefit and behoof of the said Peter Hantreux for and during the term of his natural life, and from and immediately after his death, to the right Heirs of the said Sarah Horry and the other half part of the said Lot, Plantation, Tracts of land, Negro Slaves, Bonds, Judgments, Carriages and Stocks of cattle and horses, to be and remain to such person and persons to whom the said Sarah Horry may by her last Will and Testament made in her life time, and signed by two or more credible witnesses, shall give devise, limit and appoint the same, but if the said Sarah Horry shall happen to survive the said Peter Hantreux, then the whole of the said House and lot, Plantation, Tracts of land, Negro Slaves, Bonds, Judgments, Carriages, Stocks of horses and cattle and Household and Kitchen Furniture aforesaid to be and remain to the said Sarah Horry her Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns from And the said Peter Hantreux for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators doth covenant promise and agree to and with the said John Shackelford and Richard Shackelford and the survivor of them, and the Executors and Administrators of such survivor by these presents in manner following, & that is to say that if the said intended marriage shall take effect, that then the said Peter Hantreux will permit and suffer the said Sarah Horry to make such Will as aforesaid, and thereby to give order, limit and divide one half of the House and lot, Plantation and Tracts of land, Negro and other slaves, Bonds, Judgments, Carriages, Stocks of horses and cattle and Household and Kitchen Furniture aforesaid to any person or persons for any trust use intent or purpose whatsoever, In Witness whereof the said parties have hereunto set their hands and seals the day 4 year above written  
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Kinloch. Tho' Mitchell. A Schedule of the Personal Property of W<sup>t</sup> John  
Horry to be annexed to a Deed of Marriage Settlement. 52 Negroes named  
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Prince, Stock of Black Cattle, Stock of Horses, Phaeton, Chair, sundry arti-  
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Horry for twelve Hundred and fifty Pounds dated Sept. 1<sup>st</sup> 1790. Bond of  
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Sarah Horry /&/ P. Hawthorne /&/ Jn. Shackelford /&/ R. Shackelford /&/  
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Cleland Kinloch and himself subscribed their names as witnesses thereto  
Sworn before me this 13<sup>th</sup> May 1796 Will Heriot. Recorded 16<sup>th</sup>  
June 1796

State of South Carolina

This Indenture made the thirty first day of  
March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six  
and in the twentieth year of the sovereignty and independence of the  
United States of America, Between the Reverend Hugh Fraser of the  
first part, Elizabeth Clegg Porter only Daughter of Benjamin Porter  
late of Georgetown District in the said State Planter deceased of the se-  
cond part, and John Porter of Georgetown District aforesaid Planter and  
Anny his Wife of the third part, Whereas a marriage  
is agreed on and intended to be shortly had and solemnized between  
the said Hugh Fraser, and Elizabeth Clegg Porter, and whereas the said  
Elizabeth Clegg Porter is lawfully and rightfully seized in and possessed  
of a otherwise entitled to a considerable Estate both Real and Personal  
as the only Child of the said Benjamin Porter who died intestate,

And whereas in prospect and consideration of the said intended marriage it is agreed that the negro and other slaves hereinafter named being personal property aforesaid shall be made over and assigned unto the said John Porter and Anny his wife and the survivor of them in trust nevertheless and to and for the several and respective uses intents and purposes hereinafter mentioned expressed and declared of and concerning the same and it is also agreed that when and as soon as the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter shall come of age such a settlement shall be made of her Real Estate in manner hereinafter mentioned This Indenture also witnesseth that in consideration and contemplation of the said intended marriage in pursuance of the said agreement and in consideration of ten Milling Sterling she the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter by and with the consent and approbation of the said Hugh Fraser testified by his being a party to and joining in the execution of these presents hath granted bargained and sold transferred made over and assigned and by these presents Both grant bargain and sell transfer make over and assign unto the said John Porter and Anny his wife and the survivor of them and the executors and administrators of such survivor all and singular the negro and other slaves hereinafter named being sixty five in number that is to say - Mingo, Lucy Prince, Mingo, Kate, Nancy, Phobe, Sampson, Benkey, Patty, Jenny, Elay, Peter, Amy, Silvia, Betty, Peter, Jack, Tenah, Hester, Cretia, Lewey, Phobe, Nager Silvia, Polly, Tommy Marde, Rose, Leuria, Billy, Letty, Joe, Primus, Sanchez, Tyrah, Diana, Sce, Maggy, Hank, Judith, Anton, Ben Aquippa, Nanny, Sam, Nanny, Doll, Philander, Benkey, Venus, Kelly, Harry, Roger, George, Kate, Molly, Daphne, Sue, Toney, Bristol Martilla, Tom, Abraham, and Cudjoe To have and to hold the sixty five negro and other slaves above particularly named together with the future issue and increase of such of the said slaves as are females unto the said John Porter and Anny his wife and the survivor of them and the executors and administrators of such survivor In Trust for the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter until the said intended marriage shall be solemnized and take effect and immediately after the solemnization thereof In Trust for the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter and the said Hugh Fraser her intended husband during their joint lives but in confidence that they the said John Porter and Anny his wife and the survivor of them and the executors and administrators of such survivor do and shall during the joint lives of the said Hugh Fraser and Elizabeth Clegg Porter his intended wife well and truly permit and suffer the said Hugh Fraser to take all and singular the said slaves and the future issue and increase of such of them as are females into his possession and receive to the and be entitled to every emolument and advantage that shall or may now

and receive from thence any or either of their work and labour during that period to his own use benefit and behoof without any restraint controul or interruption of or by the said John Porter and his wife or the survivor of them or the Executors or Administrators of such survivor - on any account or pretence whatever, but in case the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter shall die in the life time of her intended Husband the said Hugh Fraser then In Trust for him the said Hugh Fraser during the term of his natural life, and immediately after the death of the said Hugh Fraser, In Trust for all and singular the children of the said marriage to be solemnized as aforesaid, and the lawful Issue of any such children as may happen to be dead equally and impartially to be divided between and among them to the only proper use benefit and behoof of such children their Executors Administrators and Assigns from thenceforth for ever as Tenants in common, but the Issue of any such deceased Child to take on the said division only a Childs part or share in right of the Child such Issue shall represent, but if there shall happen to be but one Child of the said Marriage alive when that contingency shall happen, or if such only Child shall be then dead, but shall have lawful Issue living at that time then In Trust for such only Child or the Issue of such only Child as the case shall happen to be his and their Executors Administrators and Assigns for ever, and in default of such Child or Children of the said Marriage to be solemnized as aforesaid then any or either of their Issue being alive at the time of the decease of the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter, in case she shall happen to die in the life time of the said Hugh Fraser her intended Husband or in default of such Child or Children of the said Marriage to be solemnized as aforesaid then any or either of their lawful Issue being alive when the said Hugh Fraser shall depart this life on the contingency of his having survived the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter his intended wife then In Trust for such person or persons as she the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter shall of her own free will and accord think proper to give devise and bequeath the same unto by any Deed or Deeds writing or writings to be by her signed sealed and delivered - in the presence of two or more credible Witnesses or by her last Will & Testament or any writing purporting to be her last Will and Testament to be duly executed and to take effect on the contingency of her dying in the life time of the said Hugh Fraser her intended Husband provided nevertheless that the life Estate which the said Hugh Fraser is at all events to have therein is not to be effected or prejudiced thereby, but in case the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter shall survive her intended Husband the said Hugh Fraser that then on such contingency it is the

true intent and meaning of the said Parties and of these Presents that all and singular the Trusts Conditions and Limitations herein mentioned and contained shall immediately after the decease of the said Hugh Fraser cease determine and be of no more effect and the said property both Real and Personal shall immediately become and be to all intents and purposes whatsoever, vested again in the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter to the only proper use benefit and behoof of her Heirs Elizabeth Clegg Porter the intended Wife of the said Hugh Fraser her Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns from thenceforth forever, and the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter doth hereby so far as in her lies declare and agree that so soon as she shall attain the age of twenty one years, and so from time to time as she shall be entitled by law to act therein she shall and will do perform consent to join in and execute, and the said Hugh Fraser doth hereby Covenant promise and agree to and with the said John Porter and Anny his Wife and the survivor of them and the Heirs Executors and Administrators of such Survivor that he will join with the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter his intended Wife in executing and doing all such Deeds acts, Assurance Matters and Things as shall be requisite and reasonable for granting settling and apuring, all the land which the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter now is or at the time of the solemnization of the said intended Marriage between the said Hugh Fraser and Elizabeth Clegg Porter shall be entitled to or interested in for any Estate of Freehold or Inheritance either in law or equity by descent or otherwise to and for the several uses Intents and purposes hereinbefore mentioned expressed limited and contained as to the Sixty five Negro and other Slaves above particularly settled made over and apured and on the same Conditions Limitations and Trusts to all intents and purposes whatever as above (<sup>as</sup>) the said Negro or other Slaves is mentioned and expressed, but as to the life Estate of the said Hugh Fraser in the said land as aforesaid that it is to be without impeachment of waste, and the said Hugh Fraser for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators doth also hereby Covenant promise and agree to and with the said John Porter and Anny his Wife and the survivor of them and the Heirs Executors and Administrators of such Survivor that it shall and may be lawful for the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter at any time after the solemnization of the said intended Marriage between them notwithstanding her Coverture to execute such Deed or Deeds or last Will and Testament as aforesaid at her Will and Pleasure, but not to take effect and go into operation as aforesaid until immediately after the death of the said Hugh Fraser in case she the said Elizabeth Clegg Porter shall die in the life time of the said Hugh Fraser her intended Husband. In Witness whereof the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto interchangably set their Hands and Seals the day and year first above written Hugh Fraser (ss)  
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duly sworn on the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God maketh oath that he was a witness to the within Deed and saw the Revd Hugh Fraser and Elizabeth Porter sign and seal the within Instrument and likewise saw Manafeth Michan sign his Name as a witness to the within Deed, Sworn before me this 30<sup>th</sup> May 1796 Jonathan Bostwick J.P. Recorded 17<sup>th</sup> June 1796

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This Indenture made the Tenth Day of February - in the year of our lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six Between Charlotte Whilden of Charleston in the State aforesaid widow, sole Executrix and residuary Legatee and devisee of Joseph Whilden deceased of the one part and James Muirhead of the same place of the other part, Witnesseth that for and in consideration of the sum of Five Shillings current Money of the said State, then in hand, well and truly paid by the said James Muirhead at and before the sealing and delivery hereof, the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath bargained and sold, and by these presents, doth bargain and sell unto the said James Muirhead his Executors Administrators and Assigns, a certain lot of land situate lying and being in the City of Charleston being part of a Piece of Land divided by the late John Vanderhorst into lots and is known in the said Division by the Number twenty three (23) fronting south on Magazine Street and contains forty feet of Aire on said street and two hundred and fourteen feet or thereabouts in Depth from Magazine street to the Rear of lot Number thirteen (13) in the said Division and is bounded on the South by Magazine Street to the West by lot Number twenty four on the North by the Rear of lot number thirteen and on the East by the Rear of lots Number one, two, three, four, five and six in the said Division, Reference being had to the Plat thereof will more fully appear, together with all and singular the Tenements Hereditaments and Appurtenances whatsoever to the said lot of Land belonging or in anywise appertaining, and the Reversion and Reversions, Remainder and Remainders thereof and every part and parcel thereof, To have and to hold the said lot of land and all and singular other the premises herein before mentioned and intended to be hereby bargained and sold, and every part and parcel thereof, with their and every of their Appurtenances unto the said James Muirhead his Executors Administrators and Assigns from the day next before the day of the date of these presents for and during the full time and unto the full end and term of one whole year, from thence next ensuing, and fully to be compleat and ended, Yielding and paying therefore unto the said Charlotte Whilden her Executors and Administrators the Rent of one Peppercorn on the last day of the said term, if therein shall be lawfully

demanded, to the intent and purpose that the said James Muirhead by virtue hereof, and by force of the Statutes for transferring of uses into perpetuity, may be in the actual possession of the premises herein before mentioned and intended to be hereby bargained and sold, and every part and parcel thereof with their and every of their Appurtenances, and may be hereby enabled to accept and take a Grant and Release of the Reversion and Inheritance of the same, to him and his Heirs for ever, In Witness whereof the said Party to these presents have hereunto interchangeably set their Hands and seals the day and year first above written James Muirhead (ss) signed sealed and Delivered in the presence of James Horne, Charles Wittich & South Carolina, Personally appeared Mr. James Horne who being duly sworn made oath that he was present and saw James Muirhead and Charlotte Whilden severally sign seal and as their respective act and deed deliver the within Instrument of writing to and for the uses and purposes therein set forth, and that he the Deponent with Charles Wittich signed their names as witnesses to the due Execution thereof, Sworn to the 30<sup>th</sup> day of June 1796 before Stephen Rawlins,

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This Indenture Tripartite made the Eleventh day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six, and in the twentieth Year of American Independence, Between Bayfield Waller of the City of Charleston in the State aforesaid Gentleman of the first part, Charlotte Whilden of the same place widow sole Executrix and residuary Legatee and Devisee of Joseph Whilden her late Husband deceased of the second part, and James Muirhead of the same place Gentleman a Trustee nominated and appointed for the purposes hereinafter mentioned of the third part. Whereas a Marriage is intended by good permission shortly to be had and solemnized between the said Bayfield Waller and the said Charlotte Whilden, and whereas the said Charlotte Whilden under and by virtue of the Will of the said Joseph Whilden deceased, at the time of the Execution hereof is and standeth seized and possessed in fee simple to her and her Heirs and Offspring forever, of all and to the hands of Tenements and Hereditaments hereinafter mentioned and intended to be hereby granted and Released for the purposes after mentioned, And whereas the said Charlotte Whilden is also at the time of the Execution hereof interested in, entitled to and lawfully possessed of the three following negro slaves that is to say, June a Male Slave and Jenny a Female Slave and her Child Claripa, And whereas upon the treaty of and previous to the said intended Marriage so to be had and solemnized between the said Bayfield Waller and Charlotte Whilden as aforesaid it hath been mutually agreed between them that the said lands Tenements and Hereditaments of her the said Charlotte Whilden should be by her granted and released

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Witnesseth that in pursuance and part performance of the above recited  
agreement of the said intended Marriage, and in consideration of the sum  
of Ten Shillings to her the said Charlotte Whildon in hand paid by the said  
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next before the day of the date of these presents for one whole year and by force of  
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aforeward and to his Heirs and Assigns, All that lot piece or parcel of land  
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and all and singular other the Premises hereinbefore mentioned and every part thereof with the Appurtenances unto the said James Muirhead his Heirs and Assigns, nevertheless upon such Trusts and to and for such intents and purposes and under and subject to such conditions restrictions and agreements as are hereinafter particularly mentioned expressed and declared of and concerning the same that is to say, upon Trust that he the said James Muirhead shall and do stand possessed thereof for the use benefit and behoof of her the said Charlotte Whildon and her Heirs until the solemnization of the said intended Marriage and from and immediately after the solemnization thereof then in Trust for the sole and separate use benefit and behoof of her the said Charlotte Whildon notwithstanding her intended or any future Coverture without Impeachment of or for any manner of waste other than voluntary waste in pulling down houses without rebuilding the same and upon this further Trust to permit and suffer the said Charlotte Whildon to take and receive to her own sole and separate use and without the let or hindrance or control of her said intended or any future Husband all the rents issues profits or emoluments arising or in any wise accruing from the said Premises and that the same and every part thereof shall remain continue and be at her own free will and pleasure notwithstanding her said intended Marriage, and whether she shall be sole or covert to give and dispose of the same by her last Will and Testament in writing duly executed and attested in the presence of three or more credible Witnesses attesting the same as the the said Charlotte Whildon shall or may think fit and proper, and in default thereof, then in Trust for the present Child or Children and the future issue of the said intended Marriage share and share alike as tenants in common and not as joint Tenants to them and their Heirs and Assigns for ever And This Indenture further witnesseth that for the Considerations herein before mentioned she the said Charlotte Whildon hath bargained and sold and by these presents doth bargain sell and deliver over unto him the said James Muirhead all and singular the Negro Slaves following to wit June, Jenny and Clarissa her Child and the future Issue and Increase of the Females, to have hold receive take and enjoy the same and all benefit and advantage thereupon arising and accruing unto the said James Muirhead his Executors Administrators and Assigns, nevertheless upon such Trusts and to and for such uses intents and purposes as are hereinafter mentioned expressed and declared of and concerning the same that is to say, In trust for the sole separate and distinct use benefit and behoof of the said Charlotte Whildon until the solemnization of the said intended Marriage, and from and immediately after the solemnization thereof to the only sole and separate use benefit and behoof of her the said Charlotte Whildon notwithstanding her said intended or any future Coverture and to permit and suffer her to remain continue to be in the possession of the said Negroes and every of them and their future issue and increase, and to receive and take all benefit Emolument and

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Charlotte Whilden, witness hereto James Horne, South Carolina  
Personally appeared Mr. James Horne who being duly sworn made oath  
that he was present and saw James Muirhead, Charlotte Whilden and  
Bayfield Waller severally sign seal and as their respective Act and Deed  
deliver the within Instrument of writing to and for the uses and purposes  
therein set forth, that he also saw the said Charlotte Whilden sign the  
Receipt hereon indorsed, and that he the Deponent with Charles Willich  
signed their names as witnesses to the due Execution thereof  
Sworn to the 30<sup>th</sup> day of June 1796 before Stephen Ravenel J<sup>r</sup>.  
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This Indenture made the Twenty ninth day of February in the  
year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six Between Roger  
Moore Smith of the City of Charleston in the State of South Carolina Esquire of the  
one part and the Reverend Thomas Frost and Thomas Rhett Smith of the same City  
and State Esquire of the other part, Witnesseth that the said Roger Smith in Consi-  
deration of the sum of Five Millings to him in hand by the said Thomas Frost  
and Thomas Rhett Smith at or 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 and sell unto the said Tho-  
mas Frost and Thomas Rhett their Executors Administrators and Assigns

All that undivided Money or half part of a certain Plantation or Tract of land  
 situated lying and being in Saint Paul's Parish called Green's Savannah con-  
 taining by a Survey made thereof in the Year of our Lord one thousand seven  
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 on lands of General Washington and John Champneys to the West on Con Con River  
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 lands of Martin which said Plantation or tract of land formerly belong-  
 ed to Richard Shubrick, Together with all and singular the Hereditaments  
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 belonging or in any wise incident or appertaining or which to or with the same  
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 and sold unto the said Thomas Frost and Thomas Rhett Smith their Executors Ad-  
 ministrators and Assigns from the day next before the day of the Date of these  
 presents for and during and until the full end and Term of one whole year &  
 from thence next ensuing and fully to be complete and ended, Yielding  
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 Grant and Release of the Reversion and Inheritance thereof to them their  
 Heirs and Assigns to the uses and upon the Trusts thereof to be declared by  
 another Indenture intended to bear date the day next after the day  
 of the Date hereof, In Witness whereof the said parties to these presents have  
 hereunto set their Hands and seals on the day and in the year first above  
 written Tho: Frost /& Tho: Rhett Smith /& Roger Moore Smith /& /

All Signed sealed and Delivered in the presence of Benj-  
 Smith, Keat Lewis Simons, State of South Carolina, Personally appeared  
 Mr Keating Lewis Simons who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of  
 Almighty God made oath that he was present and saw Thomas Frost, Tho:  
 Rhett Smith and Roger Moore Smith severally sign seal and as their  
 act and deed deliver the within Instrument of writing to and for the uses  
 and purposes therein mentioned and that he this Deponent with Benjamin  
 Smith subscribed their names as Witnesses to the due Execution of the same  
 Sworn to this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 1796 Before me Danl Smith J.P.

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March in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety one. Between Roger Moore Smith of the State of South Carolina Esquire of the first part Miss Ann Downes one of the Daughters and Coheires of Richard Downes Esquire deceased of the second part, and the Reverend Thomas Trost and Thomas Rhett Smith Esquire of the third part. Whereas a Marriage is intended to be shortly had and solemnized between the said Roger Moore Smith and the said Ann Downes whereby the said Roger Moore Smith will acquire a considerable Estate in consideration whereof he the said Roger Moore Smith hath agreed to settle and secure the sum of twenty thousand Mexican Dollars to the sole and absolute use of the said Ann Downes in case she shall survive him but in case he survives her then with full Power to give and bequeath the said sum or any part thereof to such person or persons and to such use and uses as she shall see fit by any Instrument or writing purporting to be her last Will and Testament and executed in the presence of two credible Witnesses. Now this Indenture witnesseth that for the purpose of securing and rendering more effectual the said agreement and in consideration of the Estate which he the said Roger Moore Smith will acquire by the said intended Marriage he the said Roger Moore Smith hath granted bargained sold aliened waived released and confirmed and by these presents doth grant bargain sell alien remise release and confirm unto the said Thomas Trost and Thomas Rhett Smith (in their actual possession now being by virtue of Bargain and Sale to them made for one whole year by Indenture bearing the day next before the day of the date of these presents and by force of the Statute for transferring Uses into possession) All that Plantation or Tract of Land known by the name of Green Savannah situate lying and being in the Parish of Saint Paul containing by a Survey made thereof in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and thirty four, two thousand and eighty acres more or less - Bounding and Bounding to the East on lands of General William Washington to the south on lands of General Washington and John Champneys to the West on Bon Bon River and to the North on lands of Pendarvis lands of Thomas Hubbrick and lands of Martin which said Plantation or Tract of Land formerly belonged to Richard Hubbrick and the Reversion and Reversions, Remainder and Remainders, Rents, Fines and Profits thereof. Together with all singular the Houses Edifices ways Waters Water Courses Rights Members & Appurtenances whatsoever, To have and to hold all and singular the said premises hereby intended to be granted unto the said Thomas Trost and Thomas Rhett Smith their Heirs and Assigns forever to for and subject to such Uses Trusts and Provisions as shall be hereafter agreed of and concerning the same. And this Indenture further witnesseth that in consideration of the premises the said Roger Moore Smith hath granted bargained and sold and by these presents doth grant bargain

sell and deliver unto the said Thomas Frost and Thomas Rhett Smith all and singular the following Negroes and other slaves/which said slaves were conveyed to him by the said Ann Downes by Deed bearing Date the twenty ninth day of February last to enable him the more effectually to execute the present settlement that is to say, Ben, Joe, Timbo, Tena, Violet, Sampson, Bob, March, Kendal, Binal, Toney, Hannah, Clarinda, Kate, Moses Bellah, Frank, Tom, Plymouth, Charlotte, Prince, Black, Jenny, Kate, Delia, Bep, Abigail, Molly, Robin, Abigail, Jemmy, London Pompey, Sabina, Susey, Nahny, Pompey, Daniel, Linda, Lucy, Sam, Nero, Mattie, Jenny, Sam Amy Billy To have and to hold all and singular the said slaves and the Issue and Increase of such as are Femelles unto the said Thomas Frost and Thomas Rhett Smith their Heirs and Administrators, provided always nevertheless that if the Heirs Executors or Administrators of the said Roger Moore Smith do and shall within six Months from and immediately after his death pay over to the said Ann Downes his intended Wife in case she shall survive him, the sum of twenty two thousand Mexican Dollars with Interest thereon at the Rate of seven per cent from the Day of his Death And Provided also that if the said Roger Moore Smith his Heirs Executors or Administrators do and shall well and truly pay the said sum of twenty two thousand Mexican Dollars to such person or persons as the the said Ann Downes may give and bequeath the same notwithstanding her Covernce by any Instrument in writing purporting to be her last Will and Testament and executed in the presence of two witnesses then these presents shall cease and be utterly void any thing therein contained to the contrary thereof notwithstanding And the said Roger Moore Smith for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators doth covenant promise grant and agree to and with the said Thomas Frost and Thomas Rhett Smith and the survivor of them and the Executors or Administrators of such survivor in the manner following that he the said Roger Moore Smith shall and will permit and suffer the said Ann Downes notwithstanding Covernce to make such Instrument or writing purporting to be her last Will and Testament and therein to give order and dispose of the said sum of Twenty two thousand Mexican Dollars or so much thereof as she shall think fit to any person or persons for any tract see or purpose whatsoever, and the said Ann Downes, Thomas Frost and Thomas Rhett Smith for themselves their Heirs Executors and Administrators do covenant grant and agree to and with the said Roger Moore Smith his Heirs Executors and Administrators that <sup>it</sup> shall and may be lawful for the said Roger Moore Smith to end with the consent of the said Thomas Frost, and Thomas Rhett Smith or the survivor of them or the Executors or Administrators of such survivor such Consent to be signified in writing /to sell and convey the said Plantation and all or any of the Negroes herein mentioned if he the said Roger Moore Smith see fit so to do, provided he the said

Mem. Secy. A. S. 1812. This sealment was made by a committee of the Society of Friends, & is deposited in the hands of Mr. B. M. Green, Esq., who is to take care of it, & to subscribe money from time to time to the support of the Friends' School.

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Roger Moore Smith shall settle and secure to the said Anne Downes the sum of twenty two thousand Mexican Dollars previous to such sale to the uses here-tofore mentioned by a Mortgage of good and sufficient Real and Personal Proper-  
ty equal in value to the property which he shall think fit to sell, and the said Roger Moore Smith for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators doth further covenant promise grant and agree to and with the said Thomas Frost and Thomas Rhett Smith and the survivor of them and the Administrator or Executor of such survivor, that he the said Roger Moore Smith and his Heirs and all and every other person or persons and his and their Heirs having or lawfully claiming any Estate Right Title or Interest in the premises hereby intended to be released and confirmed or any part thereof from and under him or them shall and will from time to time and at all times hereafter upon the reasonable Request and at the proper costs and charges in the law of the said Thomas Frost and Thomas Rhett Smith their Executors or Administrators make and execute or cause to be made & executed all such further and other lawful and reasonable Act and Acts Thing & Things, Device and Devices, Conveyance and Conveyances, Assurance and Assurances in the law whatsoever for further better and more perfect granting covey-  
ing releasing conforming and adapting all and singular the premises aforesaid with the Appurtenances unto the said Thomas Frost and Thomas Rhett Smith and the survivor of them and the Executor and Administrator of such survivor to the uses above mentioned as by the said Thomas Frost and Thomas Rhett Smith or the survivor of them or the Executor or Administrator of such survivor or his or their counsel learned in the law shall be reasonably advised desired or required. In Witness whereof the said Parties to these Presents have hereunto set their Hands and seals on the Day and in the Year first above written Thos Frost /sd/  
Tho Rhett Smith /sd/ Roger Moore Smith /sd/ Anne Downes /sd/  
Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of us Neal Lewis Simons  
Henry Smith, State of South Carolina, Personally appeared M. Seating De-  
witt Simons who being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God  
made oath that he was present and saw Thomas Frost, Thomas Rhett  
Smith, Roger Moore Smith and Anne Downes severally sign seal and  
as their Act and Deed deliver the within Instrument of writing to and for  
the uses and purposes therein mentioned, and that he this deponent with  
Benjamin Smith subscribed their Names as Witnesses to the due Execution  
of the same, sworn to this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 1796 Before me Carl Smith /sd/  
Recorded 19<sup>th</sup> July 1796 #

South Carolina

Know all Men by these presents that I James Carson of the City of Charleston Merchant am held and firmly bound unto Elizabeth Neyle of the same place Widow and William Neyle and Sampson Neyle both of the City of Savannah in the state of Georgia inquires in the full and just sum of three

Mon. Dec. 11. 1812. This Settlement is witnessed by a Notary Public in the County of Equity. Mrs. R. m. Dr. It was the hand of Dr. who often and holds both sides of the paper. *John D. Smith*

thousand Pounds good and lawful Money of the said State to be paid to the said  
 Elizabeth Neyle William Neyle and Sampson Neyle or the survivors of them  
 or the Executors Administrators and Assigns of such Survivor to which payment  
 well and truly to be made and done I bind myself my Heirs Executors and  
 Administrators firmly by these presents Sealed with my Seal and dated the seventh  
 day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six  
 and in the twentieth year of the Sovereignty and Independence of the United  
 States of America Whereas a Marriage is intended to be shortly had and  
 solemnized between the above bound James Carson and Elizabeth Neyle  
 Daughter of the aforesaid Elizabeth Neyle and whereas it is agreed between  
 the parties and the said James Carson doth hereby declare and agree in con-  
 sideration of the sum or portion which he is to have and receive with the said  
 Elizabeth Neyle his intended Wife and of the love and affection which he  
 bears to her that in case the said intended Marriage shall take effect  
 the said Elizabeth Neyle shall him survive that then she the said  
 Elizabeth Neyle shall have receive and enjoy to and for her own proper  
 use from and out of the Estate Real and Personal of the said James Carson  
 the sum of three thousand Pounds lawful Sterling Money of the State of South Carolina  
 aforesaid now the Condition of the above written Obligation is such that if  
 the said intended Marriage shall take Effect and be solemnized and that  
 he the said James Carson shall happen to depart this life leaving the said  
 Elizabeth Neyle his intended Wife him surviving then and in such case  
 if the Heirs Executors or Administrators of the said James Carson shall and  
 do within one year next after such his decease well and truly pay or cause  
 to be paid unto the said Elizabeth Neyle or unto the above named Elizabeth  
 Neyle (Her Mother) and William Neyle and Sampson Neyle or the survivor or  
 survivor of them or the Executors Administrators or Assigns of such Survivor  
 in Trust and to and for the use of her the said Elizabeth Neyle or shall and  
 do permit him her or them to have receive and Enjoy from and out of the  
 Real or Personal Estate which the said James Carson or any other person or per-  
 sons in trust for him shall be seized or possessed of or which shall belong  
 to him at his decease the said sum of three thousand Pounds Sterling Money  
 aforesaid for the only proper use of her the said Elizabeth Neyle his intended  
 Wife for ever without any let or interruption whatsoever according to the  
 Agreement of the said parties and the true intent and meaning of these presents  
 then the above obligation shall be void and of no Effect or else the same shall re-  
 main in full force and virtue James Carson <sup>has</sup> Sealed and Delivered  
 in the presence of John Tolle, State of South Carolina, Personally appear'd  
 Wm. John Tolle who being duly sworn made oath that he was present and  
 saw James Carson sign seal and as his Act and Deed deliver the foregoing  
 Instrument of writing to and for the uses and purposes therein set forth  
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This Indenture bipartite  
made the twenty eighth day of July in the year of our  
Lord one thousand seven hundred and Ninety six. Between  
Francis Joseph Richard a citizen of South Carolina (but  
late of St Domingo in the West Indies) of the one part &  
Genevieve Richard his Wife of the second part, Jacob De-  
veaux Junior and Peter Reigne of the State aforesaid of  
the other part. Whereas Genevieve Richard Wife  
of the said Francis Joseph was at the time of her  
Intemarriage lawfully Seised and possessed of a con-  
siderable Personal Estate AND whereas since her  
Intemarriage with the said Francis Joseph Rich-  
ard, she purchased with the profits of the Labor and  
proceeds of her Estate the following Negroes and other  
Property to wit Louis, Andre, Laurent, Bernard, Dominique  
Jean Batiste, Jean, Jaque, Gille, Pier, Louis, Petromille, Mag-  
dalaine, Agate, Henriette, <sup>Margaret</sup> Marie, Caterine, Francois, Saucy,  
Melaine, Victorie, Louise, Sabotte, likewise all the Stock  
of Cattle, Hogs, Horses, Sheep, Waggon, Boats and furniture more  
particularly set forth in the Schedule huts annexed, as  
will appear more fully by a Receipt taken in her name  
and recorded in the Secretary's Office of the State aforesaid  
and whereas it is the wish of the said Genevieve that <sup>her</sup> the  
property should be secured to her and her Children in a ma-  
nner than is at present by the aforesaid Receipt  
and whereas for and in consideration of the love and  
affection he hath for his said Wife Genevieve and for  
and in consideration of the sum of ten Shillings to him  
in hand paid by the said Jacob Devaux Joseph & Peter  
Reigne the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged hath  
granted bargained and sold and by these presents doth  
grant bargain and sell unto the said Peter Reigne  
and Jacob Devaux all and singular the following pro-  
perty to wit Louis, Andre, Laurent, Bernard, Dominique  
Jean batiste, Jean Jaque, Gille, Pier, Louis, Petromille, Magdalain  
Agate, Henriette, Margueritte, Marie, Caterine, Francaise  
Saucy, Melaine, Victorie, Louise, Sabotte likewise all  
the Stock of Horses Cattle, Furniture, Boats &c as are

hereafter particularly specified in a Schedule of the same  
 hereunto annexed to and for the several uses intents and pur-  
 poses hereinafter mentioned and set forth, and to and for no  
 other use intent and purpose whatsoever, That is to say  
 In trust to permit and suffer the said Genevieve Rich-  
 ard from time to time and at all times notwithstanding  
 her Coverture or whether she shall be sole or married  
 to have and possess all and Singular the said Negroes  
 with the future issue and increase of the females  
 as well as to have and possess all and Singular the  
 property intended to be thereby secured and contained  
 in the annexed Schedule and direct and manage them  
 in such way and manner as she shall think proper as  
 her separate Estate without the controul or intermed-  
 ling being in any manner subject or liable to the debts  
 or engagements of her Husband but only at her sole and  
 Separate disposal as fully in all respects as if he were  
 sole and unmarried. And upon this further trust  
 that they the said Jacob Deacons and Peter Reign  
 and the Survivor of them his Executors and Adminis-  
 trators shall and do assign and deliver and dispose of all  
 and Singular the said Negroes with their issue and  
 increase as well the Stock and Articles herein con-  
 tained by the annexed Schedule and the profits thereof  
 unto such Person or Persons and for such use and pur-  
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 as the the said Genevieve Richard from time to time  
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 or Married by any writings under her hand and seal at-  
 tested by two or more Credible Witnesses or by her last  
 Will and Testament to be by her signed and sealed in the  
 presence of the like number of Witnesses, shall di-  
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or her share In trust to the survivors of them to be equal-  
ly divided between them as and when they arrive to the  
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pen. AND in case all the said children but one should  
die before twenty one or Marriage then In trust for such  
only surviving at his or her said age or Marriage and the  
profits of their Labour in the mean time from and after  
the decease of the said Genevieve to go and be applied to the  
maintenance and education of the said <sup>child</sup> children or the in-  
crease of his her or their fortunes and Estates as the said trustees  
shall judge fit ~ In witness whereof the said Parties to  
these presents have hereunto set their hands & seals the  
day and year above written.

Joseph F. Richard <sup>has</sup>  
Sealed and delivered in the presence of Barnwell Deveaux  
Israel D. Deveaux. Recd the day of the date of the  
within written Indenture ten Shillings being in full  
for the consideration Money then in <sup>upper</sup> paid to Joseph F. Richard  
Wm. Barnwell Deveaux, Israel D. Deveaux. ~

Schedule of the Property of the within annexed Inden-  
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laine, Agate, Henriette, Margueritte, Marie, Catherine,  
Francaise, Saucy, Melaine, Victoire, Louise & Sabette  
twenty two in number, likewise fifty head of cattle  
six head of Horses, thirty of Sheep, twenty Hogs, two  
Wagons, 1 Chaise, 1 Sulky, 16 Chairs 3 Tables, 1 Large  
Boat. Received this 28<sup>th</sup> July 1796 the within Schedule  
of Property for the uses intents & purposes therein ex-  
plained & set forth. ~

Peter Reigne  
Wm. Barnwell Deveaux } Jacob Deveaux Junior  
Israel D. Deveaux }  
Charleston Personally appraised Mr. Barnwell Deveaux  
who being duly sworn made oath that he was present &  
saw Joseph Francis Richard sign seal and as his act  
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and did deliver the within Instrument of writing to  
and for the uses and purposes therein set forth, that he  
also saw the said Joseph Francis Richard sign the Re-  
ceipt for the Consideration Money, and that he the  
Deponent with Israel Daniel Devana signed their  
names as Witnesses thereto. The Deponent further saith  
that he was present and saw Peter Reignie and Jacob  
Devana Junior sign the above Receipt, and that he the  
Deponent with Israel Daniel Devana signed their  
names as Witnesses thereto. — Sworn to the 28<sup>th</sup> day  
of July 1796 before Stephen Ravenel. I.D. Recorded 28<sup>th</sup>  
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Know all men by these pre-  
sents that I George Carlton of Charleston district in  
the State of South Carolina Overseer, am held and firm-  
ly bound to Charles Chamberlain of the same district  
and State, and Trustee unto Sarah Sapler Sams, spin-  
ster in the sum of Six hundred Pounds Sterling Mo-  
ney of the said State to be paid to the said Charles  
Chamberlain or to his certain Attorney his Executors  
Administrators or assigns, for which payment well &  
truly to be made I bind myself my Heirs Executors  
and Administrators firmly by these presents, sealed  
with my Seal, dated this tenth day of May in  
the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred  
and Ninety six, and in the twentieth year of the  
Independence of the United States of America —  
WHEREAS a Marriage is intended to be shortly had  
solemnized God willing by and between the above named  
and bound George Carlton (Overseer) and Sarah Sapler  
Sams (Spinster) both of Charleston district in the State  
of South Carolina. AND whereas in consideration  
of the said intended Marriage, the said George Carlton  
did agree to enter into a Bond of the above mentioned  
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 her the said Sarah Lapiter Sams his intended Wife; then  
 if the Heirs Executors or Administrators of him the  
 said George Carlton do and shall well and truly pay or  
 cause to be paid into the hands of the above named  
 Charles Chamberlain (appointed Trustee of the said  
 Sarah Lapiter Sams for this special purpose) the  
 sum of Three Hundred Pounds Sterling Money of the  
 State of South Carolina, within six Kalender Months  
 next after the death of him the above bounden George -  
 Carlton without fraud, covin or delay, according to the true  
 intent and meaning hereof, for the particular use benefit  
 and behoof of her the said Sarah Lapiter Sams, the in-  
 tended Wife of the above bound George Carlton and to  
 no other use benefit and behoof whatever then this  
 present written obligation to be null and void, or  
 else to be and remain in full force and virtue -  
 Signed Sealed and delivered in <sup>the</sup> presence of us William Lawrence  
 Thomas Elliott. State of South Carolina Charleston  
 District, to wit, Be it remembered that on this <sup>sixth</sup> day of July  
 in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and nine-  
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 stices a signed to keep the Peace in Charleston district per-  
 sonally came and appeared William Lawrence who being  
 duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God  
 maketh oath and saith that he William Lawrence  
 the deponent was present and saw George Carlton sign  
 seal and as his act & deed deliver the foregoing Instru-  
 ment for the uses and purposes therein mentioned &  
 that he the Deponent and Thomas Elliott did sub-  
 scribe their names thereto as witnesses to the due  
 Execution of the same. William Lawrence  
 doth work to before me and subscribed by the deponent  
 day & year first above written Wm Day 1796 C.D.

Recorded 15<sup>th</sup> August 1796

This Indenture Tripartite made the second day of  
in the year of our lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety six, and in  
the twentieth year of American Independence Between Ann Milner of  
Charleston in the State aforesaid Mdlr of the first part, James Delaire of Charle-  
ston aforesaid Merchant of the second part, and Thomas Jones of the same place Ensign  
of the third part, Whereas a Marriage by Gods permission is shortly intended to be  
had and solemnized between the said Ann Milner and the said James Delaire  
And Whereas the said Ann Milner at the time of executing these presents is lawfully  
intitled to and possessed of a considerable personal Property and Estate consisting  
of the Negro and other Slaves herein after mentioned and named, and of the goods  
and Chattels in the list or Schedule hereto annexed particularly expressed  
and contained, And whereas upon the treaty of and previous to the intended  
Marriage aforesaid it hath been and is agreed by and between the said Ann  
Milner and the said James Delaire that the said Slaves Goods and Chattels of the said  
Ann Milner, and also all other Property which she may hereafter be entitled to,  
shall be by her granted released and assigned to and vested in him the said  
Thomas Jones his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns upon the special  
Trusts and Confidence: and to and for the several uses intents and purposes here-  
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Now this Indenture witnesseth that in pursuance of the said agreement and  
in consideration of the said intended Marriage and also of one Dollar to the said  
Ann Milner in hand paid the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, and for  
divers other good and sufficient causes and considerations her thereunto spe-  
cially moving the the said Ann Milner by and with the privity and consent of  
the said James Delaire her intended Husband testified by his being a party to  
and executing these presents, hath granted bargained and sold, and by these  
presents doth grant bargain sell and in plain open market deliver unto  
the said Thomas Jones the following Negro Slaves that is to say Binah, Flora,  
Coober, Sarah, Dennis, Rachal, and her Child Murphy, Cloe and children  
Tom, Charles Hammond, Peggy and children Jack, Beck, with the servitude  
of her son Mulatto Tom for ten years, and also the goods and Chattels, and also  
all other property which she may hereafter be entitled to, To have and  
to hold the said Negroes and other Slaves with the future issue and increase of the  
said Females and all and singular the goods Chattels and other Effects mentioned  
and contained in the list or Schedule hereto annexed and also all other Pro-  
perty which she may hereafter be entitled to, and which she doth hereby  
Assign transfer and set over unto him the said Thomas Jones his Executors  
Administrators and Assigns, upon the special Trusts and Confidence, Never  
to release and to and for the several uses intents and purposes herein and hereby  
intended to be made limited and declared of and concerning the same  
that is to say in Trust for herself Ann Milner and her Executors Adminis-  
trators and Assigns absolutely until the said intended Marriage shall  
take effect and be solemnized between the said Ann Milner and the  
said James Delaire, and from and immediately after the solemniza-  
tion of the said Marriage, then also notwithstanding her Covetous

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In Trust for the sole separate and distinct use benefit and behoof of the said John Milner his Executors Administrators and Assigns forever, to the intent that as well the said Estate and every part and parcel thereof, as the Rents, Issues Increase and Profits thereof, however arising or happening shall from time to time and at all times hereafter to be held, had, taken, enjoyed occupied and enjoyed by the said Ann Milner and his Executors Administrators or Assigns, or by such Person or Persons, and for such use or uses, Estate, Intents and Purposes as the said Ann Milner notwithstanding her Coverture by any Deed or Deeds or Instruments of writing whatsoever or by her last Will and Testament in Writing duly executed, shall give devise bequeath, limit, sell or dispose of all or any part of the said Trust Estate, and that the same Estate and Interest, and every part and parcel thereof, and all the Issues and Profits thereof shall be and remain to the said Ann Milner her Executors Administrators and Assigns forever, hereafter as her and their own proper Estate without the Intervention Intermeddling or control of the said James Delaire her intended Husband, or any of his Creditors or any other person or persons whatsoever, and the said James Delaire for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators doth hereby covenant grant, promise, conclude and agree to and with the said Thomas Jones the Trustee aforesaid, and his Executors and Administrators, that he and they shall and will from time to time and at all times hereafter peaceably and without suit or molestation permit and suffer the said Ann Milner his intended Wife and her Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns to have hold occupy possess enjoy, manage and direct all and singular the said Estate, and the Issues, Increase and Profits thereof at her Will and Pleasure, and also permit and suffer her the said Ann Milner to give, grant, sell or dispose of at her free Will and Pleasure all or any part of the said Trust Estate and Profits thereof, or to devise, limit or appoint the same or any part thereof, to any person or persons for any use trust intent or purpose whatsoever, and the Will and Testament of the said Ann Milner, if any there should happen to be, will permit and suffer without opposition, trouble or expence, to be duly proved by the Executors or Executrix named or to be named therein before the Ordinary or otherwise proved as may be deemed and held necessary, and Probate of the same to be had and taken as is usual in cases of Wills, and the Person or Persons to whom the said Ann Milner shall give, sell, devise, limit, alien or dispose of all or any part of the said Trust Estate, by any Deed or Deeds, or Instruments of writing whatsoever or by Will or Testament as aforesaid, shall by may lawfully, peaceably and quietly hold, possess and enjoy the same, according to the true intent and meaning of such gift, grant, bargain, sale, devise, bequest, limitation or appointment, without the molestation hindrance suit or disturbance of the said James Delaire his Executors Administrators or Assigns, or any of them, or any of his Creditors or other Person or persons whatsoever, and also that the said James Delaire his Heirs Executors Administrators and Assigns will from time to time and at all times hereafter

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at the reasonable request proper costs and charges in the Law of the said State  
 paid out of the said Trust Estate) make do and execute or cause and procure to be  
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 whatsoever, for the further better and more perfect granting, affuring, setting by  
 vesting the said Trust Estate; and every part and parcel thereof, and of the same in  
 executors and Propts thereof to the said Thomas Jones the Trustee aforesaid, and his Heirs  
 Executors and Administrators forever, In Trust for the use intent and purpose  
 aforesaid in such way and manner as he or they or his Heirs Executors or  
 Administrators or their or any of their Counsel learned in the law shall be reason-  
 ably desired or advised and required. In Witness whereof the parties to these pre-  
 sente have hereunto set their Signs and Seals the Day and year first above  
 written Ann Milner (ss) James Delaire (ss) Thos. Jones (ss) Sealed and  
 Delivered in the presence of Capt. Gauthier, Fronty, Received on the day  
 and year within mentioned of and from the within named Thomas Jones the  
 sum of one Dollar in full for the Consideration Money within mentioned -  
 Ann Milner, Witneses Ch. Carrere, Fronty. Charleston ss  
 Personally appeared Monsieur Fronty who being duly sworn made oath  
 that he was present and saw Ann Milner, James Delaire and Thomas Jones  
 severally sign seal and as their respective Act and Deed deliver the foregoing  
 Instrument of writing to and for the uses and purposes thereon set forth, and  
 that he the Deponent with Capt. Gauthier signed their Names as Witneses thereto  
 that he also saw the said Ann Milner sign the above Receipt and that he the  
 Deponent with Ch. Carrere signed their names as Witneses thereto, S. Fronty  
the 31 day of August 1796 before Stephen Rawney Jr. Recorded 31 Augt 1796

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This Indenture Tripartite made the fourteenth  
 day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and  
 ninetysix, Between Miss Rebecca Pinckney of the City of Charleston  
 in the State of South Carolina Spinster of the first part, and Charles Pinck-  
 ney and Thomas Odengell Elliott of the same City and State Esquires of  
 the second part, and Benjamin Hobb of St. Bartholomew's Parish in the State -  
 aforesaid Esquire of the third part, Whereas a marriage intended to be shortly  
 had and solemnized between the said Benjamin Hobb, and the said Rebecca +  
 Pinckney and it has been agreed by the said Benjamin and Rebecca  
 that the Real and Personal Property herein after mentioned shall be settled  
 in manner herein after specified. Now This Indenture Witnesseth that  
 for and in consideration of the said marriage to be had and solemnized and  
 also for the settling and conveying of the land and likewise the Negroes herein  
 after mentioned, and also for divers other good and valuable considerations  
 her the said Rebecca Pinckney thereunto growing, she the said Rebecca Pinckney  
 hath granted bargained sold aliened assigned demised set over and con-  
 firmed, and by these presents for herself and her Heirs, doth grant bargain  
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Executors Administrators and Heirs of such survivor. All that Piece or Par-  
cel of Land late the property of Charles Pinckney Esquire deceased in his life-  
time, and at the time of his death, and which at the division of his Estate was allotted  
to his Daughter the above named Rebecca Pinckney party hereto, and which  
was lately occupied by Peter Smith Esquire, and is now held by Mr. Har-  
rington Harry, and which was bequeathed to the said Charles Pinckney and his Heirs  
by the vestry and Church Wardens of the Parish of St. Philips Charleston for  
thirty years, and from that period renewable every thirty years for ever  
agreeably to the terms of the said lease, situate lying and being in Beaufain  
Street in the City of Charleston and State aforesaid, known in the Plat of the said  
Lease described by the number and containing in Front on the said Street  
feet and in depth feet more or less, and Butting and Bound-  
ing Northwardly on Wentworth Street, Eastwardly on Lands belonging to  
and on lands of the Miss Harrisons, Southwardly on the said  
Beaufain Street, and Westwardly on a House and Lot now in the occupa-  
tion of William Greenwood Esquire and sold by the said Charles Pinckney  
in his lifetime to Andrew Lord now deceased, Together with all Houses Outbuildings  
Edifices, Buildings Ways, Paths, Waters WaterCourses, Easements, Advantages  
Enrolments, Hereditaments and Appurtenances whatsoever to the said Lot of Land  
belonging or in any wise appertaining, or which to and with the same now  
are or at any times heretofore have been held, used occupied, accepted reputed,  
taken or known as part parcel or member thereof or of any part thereof, and  
the Revision and Reversions, Remainder and Remainders, Rents, Issues and  
Profits of all and singular the said premises, and every part and parcel thereof  
with the Appurtenances, and also the right of renewal of the said lease for-  
ever agreeably to the terms thereof, and all the estate Right Title Interest Pro-  
perty Claim or Demand whatsoever of her the said Miss Rebecca Pinckney of  
in and to the said premises and every part and parcel thereof, To have and  
to hold the said Lot of Land aforesaid and all and singular the premises  
hereby granted and confirmed, or mentioned or intended so to be, with  
their and every of their Appurtenances, and all the privileges, rights of  
renewal, and advantages appertaining to the said Lease, unto the said  
Thomas Odengill Elliott and Charles Pinckney and the survivor of them  
and the Executors Administrators and Heirs of such survivor, to for  
upon the several Trusts, Uses, Intents and purposes herein after mentioned  
expressed and declared and to and for no other use intent or purpose what-  
ever that is to say, to the use and behoof of the said Miss Rebecca Pinck-  
ney according to her Estate and Interest now therein until the said  
intended Marriage be had and solemnized, and from and after the solemn-  
ization thereof, then for the use and behoof of the said Benjamin and  
Rebecca during their joint lives without impeachment of or for  
any manner of waste, the said Benjamin to be entitled to take and accept

the only and profits of all and singular the premises and every part and parcel thereof with the Appurtenances during the said term of their said joint and natural lives but the land and premises aforesaid are however not to be subject to the payment of future debts or incumbrances of the said Benjamin Webb, and from and after the determination of that Estate then to the use of the said Charles Pinckney and a Thomas Odengell Elliott and the survivor of them, and the Executors and Administrators of such survivor during the joint lives of the said Benjamin and Rebecca upon Trust to support and preserve the Contingent uses and remainders herein after limited from being defeated or destroyed, and for that purpose to make entries or bring actions, but nevertheless to permit and suffer the said Benjamin Webb during the joint natural lives of them the said Benjamin and the said Rebecca to receive and take the rents and profits thereof as aforesaid, and from and immediately after his decease in case he should die before the said Rebecca, then to the use of the said Rebecca according to the respective Estate and Interest she now has in the premises discharged of all trusts whatsoever, but if the said Rebecca should depart this life before the said Benjamin the same shall be to the only use and behoof of such Child or Children of the said Benjamin on the body of the said Rebecca to be begotten, and the Heirs of the Body of such Child or Children, and for default of such issue, then to the only use and behoof of such person or persons and for such estate and estates as the the said Rebecca by any Deed or by her last Will and Testament or by any instrument of writing purporting to be her last Will and Testament duly executed under her hand in the presence of two or more credible witnesses shall appoint order or limit the same, and for default of such appointment then to such person or persons as shall be entitled to the same agreeably to the act for the abolition of the right of primogeniture. And This Indenture further witnesseth that the said Rebecca for the consideration herein before mentioned, Hath granted bargained sold and delivered, and by these presents doth grant bargain sell and deliver unto the said Charles Pinckney and Thomas Odengell Elliott, the survivor of them and the Executors Administrators and Assigns of such survivor all and singular the Negroes hereinaftermentioned and which were allotted to her as her proportion of the Negroes belonging to her said Fathers Estate, that is to say, Roger, Coomba, Late, Joseph, Phillis, Tom Pinder, Fanny, Mary, Will, Dina, Cupid, Aney, York, Jenny, Cyrus January, Sue, Fatima, Moira Lucy Daniel, Maggie, Paul Judy, + Sampson, Wally, July, Rilla, Aga, Betty, Graham, Duff, Cal, Ran ger, Jack, Jack Carpenter, Cuffy, Dick, Frank, Adam, Jeremy Will Ranger, Titus, Fortune, Sarah, Skipper, Moira, Chance, Deborah, Jeana Benjy, Ted, Lucy, Toby, Israel, Phoebe and Nicholas, together with the issue and increase of such of the said Negroes as are female, since the said allotment, and also their future issue and increase, To have

and to hold the said Negroes and the present and future issue and increase  
 of such as are female to her and upon the several uses Trusts Intents and  
 Purposes hereinafter mentioned and expressed that is to say, Upon Trust  
 and to the use and behoof of the said Miss Rebecca Pinckney until the  
 said intended marriage be had and solemnized according to her estate  
 and Interest now therein, and from and after the solemnization -  
 thereof then to the use and behoof of the said Benjamin and Rebecca during  
 their joint natural lives, the said Benjamin Webb to be entitled to take ac-  
 cept and receive the labour hire and profits of the said Negro Slaves and of  
 the present and future issue and increase of such of them as are female during  
 the joint natural lives of the said Benjamin and Rebecca, but the said  
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 such Child or Children of the said Benjamin on the Body of the said Rebecca  
 to be begotten, and the lawful heirs of such Child or Children forever -  
 but for default of such issue then to the only use and behoof of such person  
 or persons and for such Estate and Estates as she the said Rebecca by any  
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 presence of two or more credible Witnesses shall appoint order or limit the  
 same, and for default of such appointment then to such person or persons  
 as shall be entitled to the same agreeably to the Act for the Abolition of  
 the rights of primogeniture, And the said Charles Pinckney and Thomas  
 Odingsell Elliott for themselves their Heirs Executors and Administrators do  
 covenant promise and agree to and with the said Rebecca her Executors Ad-  
 ministrators and Assigns that they will in all things well and truly observe  
 and perform the said Trusts in the manner and in the parts to be  
 performed and observed according to the true intent and meaning of these  
 presents, And the said Benjamin Webb for himself his Heirs Executors and  
 Administrators doth further covenant promise and agree to and with the  
 said Charles Pinckney and Thomas Odingsell Elliott and the Survivor of  
 them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor, that it shall  
 and may be lawful to end for the said Rebecca at any time or times during  
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and the said Benjamin Webb for himself his Heirs Executors and Administrators doth further covenant promise and agree to and with the said Charles Pinckney and Thomas Odingsell Elliott and the Survivor of them and the Executors and Administrators of such Survivor, that it shall and may be lawful to end for the said Rebecca at any time or times during her Coverture, and at all times to make such Deed writing or will as

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apresed, and thereby give direct limit appoint and dispose of the said do-  
and premises and the negroes above mentioned to such person and persons and  
in such manner and form as she the said Rebecca may think fit notwithstanding  
standing her said Coverture) and that he the said Benjamin Webb his Successor  
-ators and Administrators and all and every other person and persons claim-  
ing or to claim by from or under him or them shall not question, controvert  
obstruct or hinder such disposition or appointment of how the said Rebecca  
and that all dispositions and appointments to be by her made as above  
mentioned shall at all times be as good and effectual in law as if the  
said Benjamin Webb had himself joined with the said Charles Pinckney  
and Thomas Odengell Elliott, or with her the said Rebecca, as if she  
were a Feme sole, and it is further declared to be the meaning of all the  
parties to these presents that should any of the said negroes or their increase  
prove refractory or ill disposed, it shall and may be lawful for the said  
Benjamin Webb with the consent of the said Charles Pinckney and Thomas  
Odengell Elliott or the survivor of them, or the Executors or Administrators  
of such survivor to sell and dispose of such refractory or ill disposed negroes  
conveying to the said Trustees on the Trusts aforesaid other negroes as valuable  
as those disposed of, In witness whereof the said parties to these presents  
have hereunto interchangeably set their hands and affixed their seals  
the day and year first above written, Rebecca Pinckney (sd) -  
Charles Pinckney (sd)      Sd Benjamin Webb (sd)  
Sealed and Delivered in the presence of Henrietta Warner, John  
Loveday, State of South Carolina, Personally appeared Mr. John Love-  
day who being duly sworn made oath that he was present and saw  
Rebecca Pinckney, Charles Pinckney and Benjamin Webb severally  
sign seal and as their respective Act and deed deliver the within In-  
strument of writing to and for the uses and purposes therein set forth  
and that he the Deponent with Henrietta Warner signed their  
Names as Witnesse thereto Sworn to the 16<sup>th</sup> day of September  
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Isaac De la Motte acknowledges his hand and seal  
to this Instrument of Writing in the presence of Dant.  
Ja. Ravenel.

*State of South Carolina*

Personally appeared W. Lyon

Levy who being duly sworn made oath that the foregoing is a true Record of a Marriage Contract

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536 between Isaac De la Motta & Sarah Cantor  
Sworn to this 22<sup>d</sup> day of September 1796 before  
Stephen Ravenel <sup>92</sup> ~ State of South Carolina  
Personally appeared At Daniel James Ravenel who  
being duly sworn made oath that he was present and  
he bid Isaac De la Motta acknowledge his hand  
and seal to the within Instrument of Writing  
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and purposes therein set forth, and that there  
Isaac De la Motta declared in the presence  
of the said Deponent that the said Instrument  
of Writing was a Marriage Contract between  
himself and Sarah Cantor - Daniel J. Ravenel  
Sworn to the 22<sup>d</sup> day of September 1796  
before Stephen Ravenel <sup>92</sup> ~

Translation of Marriage Contract

Upon the third day of the Week on the  
first day of the Month called \* Swan in the  
Year 5556 of the Creation of the World. ~

Isaac the son of Isaac De la Motta said to Sa-  
rah the Daughter of Jacob Cantor be thou my  
Wife according to the rites of Moses and Israel  
and with the help of God I will honor, Maintain,  
Bloath and feed thee according to the custom of  
other husbands of our Nation, who honour Main-  
tain, Bloath and feed their Wives as they ought  
to do, I also give thee for a portion of thy Virginity  
Five Hundred Pounds Sterling which are due to  
thee according to our law, besides which I engage  
myself to provide thee with Bloath and feed as  
also to discharge that conugal duty which is  
due to thee according to the custom of all Nations  
AND the said Sarah has consented to become  
his Wife, Moreover the said Isaac the Husband  
of the said Sarah, has promised by way of

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Augmentation of douny, that besides the principal sum, he will add and give to his said wife Sarah the sum of Five Hundred Pounds sterling, and also what his said wife has brought with her being the value and Estimated at the sum of one hundred Pounds sterling which the said Isaac husband of the said Sarah, acknowledges to have received & charged himself with, and further made in our presents the following declaration: I Isaac the husband of the said Sarah accept and receive under my care and keeping all that is above mentioned as well for douny as upon any other account for which I oblige myself my heirs executors or assigns under the security of All goods & chattels wether moveable or immoveable present or to come even to the Cloak or Coat, which I wear on my shoulders, to give a true just and faithful account to my said wife of all and singular the goods & chattels which she has brought as her douny or upon any other Act during my life time or at my death all which I promise to put into full Execution according to this form, and which is usual in all contracts of Marriages now in use among the children of Israel, and according to the rules laid down by our Rabbies of pious Memory.

In Testimony whereof we have hereunto signed our names and affixed our seals to these presents

Witness Isaac Desa Motta *[Signature]*  
Levi Shiffall } Minister  
Abm Delyon }  
Isaac Branks }  
State of South Carolina

Personally appeared M. Solomon Harby who being duly sworn made oath that the foregoing writing contains a just and true translation from the Hebrew language of a

Marriage Contract between Isaac Dela Motta and Sarah Carter, which was produced to the Deponent by the said Isaac Dela Motta and translated at his request, I sworn to the 23<sup>d</sup> day of September 1796 before Stephen Ravenel. Recorded 23<sup>d</sup> Septem<sup>r</sup> 1796.

This Indenture made the  
Twenty second day of August in the year of our  
Lord one thousand Seven hundred and Ninety six  
and in the twenty first year of the Sovereignty and  
Independence of the United States of America -  
Between Ann Buckle of the City of Charleston  
in the State of South Carolina Widow of the  
first part, Lewis Roux of the same place Mer-  
chant of the second part, and Thomas Baas also  
of the same place Pump Maker of the third part  
Whereas a Marriage by God permission is shortly  
intended to be had and solemnized between the said  
Ann Buckle and the said Lewis Roux. And  
whereas the said Ann Buckle at the time of  
executing these presents is possessed of considerable  
property and Estate consisting of a Life Estate of and  
in a House and Lot situate on the West side  
of East Bay Street in the City of Charleston and  
a Negro Wench a sum of Money in the Bank of  
discount and deposit and divers other Goods & Chattels  
in the List or Schedule hereunto annexed are par-  
ticularly expressed and mentioned. AND whereas  
upon the treaty and previous to the intended Marriage  
aforesaid it hath been and is agreed between the said  
Ann Buckle and Lewis Roux that the Estate and  
Effects of the said Ann Buckle <sup>shall</sup> be by her granted re-  
leased transferred apigned and set over to and vested  
in him the said Thomas Baas and his heirs and  
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National Bank and all and Singular other the good  
 Chattels and Effects in the list or Schedule hereunto  
 annexed mentioned contained and Expreped unto the said  
 Thomas Baas his Heirs Executors administrators &  
 Assigns to his and their only proper use benefit  
 behoof for ever In trust to and for the several  
 uses intents and purposes herein after mentioned  
 and declared of and concerning the same; and as for and  
 concerning the said several uses of trusts herein  
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 and for the use and behoof of the said Ann  
 Buckle for and during the term of her natural  
 life, but so as not to be subject or liable to the  
 intermedling or controul of the said Lewis Ross  
 her intended Husband or to be seized sold or ex-  
 tended to the payment of his Debts and from and  
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trust to and for the sole use benefit and behoof of the  
said Lewis Roux for and during the term of his na  
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cease of the ~~said~~ longest live of the said Ann  
Buckle and Lewis Roux then In trust to and  
for the sole use benefit and behoof of such Child  
or Children the issue of the said intended Marriage  
as shall or may be living at the time of the death  
of the longest live of the Ann Buckle and Lewis  
Roux to be divided between and amongst such Child  
or Children if more than one share and share alike  
and in default of such issue of the said intended  
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ture by any deed Writing or Writings duly execu  
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Witnesses or by her last Will and Testament to be  
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of three or more such Witnesses direct limit or  
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tation and appointment then In trust to and  
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the said Ann Buckle shall be intitled to the  
same under and by virtue of the Act of the Ge  
neral Assembly lately made for the more equal  
distribution of intestates Estates provided  
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542 agreed by and between all the said Parties  
to and the intent and meaning of these presents is  
that it shall and may be lawful to and for the  
said Thomas Baas his Heirs Executors Adminis-  
trators and Assigns at the request and by and  
with the consent and approbation of the said Ann  
Buckle such consent to be testified in writing  
under her hand and Seal and executed in the  
presence of two or more credible Witnesses at any  
time or times to sell dispose transfer and set  
over all or any part of the Estate goods Chattels  
effects and Monies herein before mentioned or ex-  
-pended and contained in these presents or the list or  
Schedule hereunto annexed or intended to be hereby  
granted transferred assigned and set over either  
at Public or private Sale either for Cash or on  
Credit for the most Money that can respectively  
be had for the same; and that the Monies arising  
by such Sale transfer or setting over of all or  
any part of the said premises together with the Monies  
now in hand and mentioned in the said list or Schedule  
be put out at Interest upon Bond with a proper  
Security to be approved by the said Ann Buckle  
or be vested by the said Thomas Baas his Heirs Execu-  
tors Administrators or Assigns in public Stock or  
Securities or in Stock of either of the Banks now  
estab<sup>t</sup> in this City or here after to be established or  
such other property real or personal as the said  
Ann Buckle shall at any time or times appoint  
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Lewis Roue for himself his heirs Executors Adminis  
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said Ann Buckle his intended wife notwithstanding  
her covetue to make any such Deed uniting or  
Will as is herein before mentioned or which may  
be necessary for the better completion or fulfilling  
all or any of the Trusts herein before mentioned  
AND also that the the said Lewis Roue his Heirs  
Executors and Administrators shall and will from time  
to time and at all times hereafter upon the reasonable request  
and at the proper costs and charges of the said Thomas  
Baas his Heirs Executors Administrators or Assigns ~  
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Thomas Baas his Heirs Executors Administrators  
and Assigns as by him or them or his or their coun  
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In witness whereof the said Parties to these pre  
sents have hereunto interchangeably set their hands  
and Seals on the day and year first above written ~  
Ann Buckle *[Seal]* Lewis Roue *[Seal]* Thos. Baas *[Seal]*  
Sealed & delivered in the presence of Thos Hill ~

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the Nineteenth day of July in the year of our  
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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  
Patrick Walder of Charles Town in the Province  
of South Carolina Gentleman of the one part and  
Isaac Colcock and Stephen Carter of St Georges Pa  
rish in the Province aforesaid Planters of the  
other part Whereas Thomas Porter late of Hollston  
County in the Province aforesaid Planter deceased  
was in his life time possessed of a considerable  
Personall Estate within this Province consist  
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Porter in and by his last Will and Testament in  
writing duly made and Executed and bearing  
date the Eleventh day of September which was  
in the year of our Lord one thousand seven  
hundred and fifty five did among other things  
give and bequeath unto his Daughter Mary  
Porter now of the Parish of St. George Dorchester  
in the said Province spinner one India Coven  
ter pain one Gold Chain and Locket one Gold  
Girdle Buckle two Stone Rings one Memento Ring  
one pair of Stone Drops set in Gold and two thou  
sand Pounds Current Money of this Province &  
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of all his Negroes not then before by him be  
queathed together with all his Beding and dinner  
when any one of his children should come of age.  
And did also further give and bequeath unto the  
said Mary Porter one Undivided fourth part of the  
rest residue and surplus of his Personal Estate  
whatsoever and wheresoever and of such his Will  
nominated and appointed his wife Elisabeth Porter  
Executive and Thomas Ladson and Hugh Douse Ex-  
ecutors of his said Will. AND the said Thomas  
Porter in some short time after his having so made  
and executed his said last Will and Testament did  
leaving such his said Will in full force as int  
by the said last will and Testament of the said  
Thomas Porter deceased duly recorded and remaining  
of record in the Secretary's Office of this Province  
reference being therunto had may more fully  
and at large appear. And whereas the said Mary  
Porter being now an Infant under the age of even  
ty one years hath not as yet received any part of  
the said Pecuniary or Specific Legacies and no di-  
vision hath heretofore been made of the rest re-  
sidue and surplus of the said Thomas Porter's  
Estate, so that it is impossible to particularize  
the part or share which she the said Mary  
is or may be intituled unto under her Father's  
Will as above doth or may consist of with  
any degree of certainty and exactness. AND  
whereas there is a Marriage by God's permission  
intended shortly to be had and solemnized be-  
tween the said Patrick Waldron and the said  
Mary Porter, and the said Patrick Waldron  
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and Stephen Carter if the said Marriage shall take effect, that then from and immediately after the Solemnization thereof they the said Isaac Colcock and Stephen Carter their Executors and Administrators shall stand and be lawfully and rightfully possessed of all and singular the separate and particular Estate to which the said Mary is intitled unto under the Will of her Father above recited together with the future issue and increase of such female Negro and other Slaves as do or shall compose a part thereof to and for such uses trusts intents and purposes as is or are herein mentioned expressed and declared of and concerning the same. Now this Indenture witnesseth that in prospect and consideration of the said intended Marriage and in pursuance of the said Agreement, and also for and in consideration of the sum of Two Pounds Lawful Current Money of the Province aforesaid to the said Patrick Walden by the said Isaac Colcock and Stephen Carter in hand well and truly paid at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, he the said Patrick Walden for himself his heirs Executors and Administrators doth hereby covenant promise grant and agree to and with the said Isaac Colcock and Stephen Carter their Executors and Administrators in case the said intended Marriage shall take effect that then from and immediately after the Solemnization thereof they the said Isaac Colcock and Stephen Carter their Executors and Administrators shall stand and be lawfully and rightfully possessed of all and singular the said separate and particular Estate to which the said Mary is intitled under the Will of her Father as above.

548 together with the future issue and increase of  
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thereof. In trust nevertheless and to and for such  
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she is intituted as aforesaid, and of the future  
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do or shall compose a part thereof to his own  
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and increase of the said Female Slaves as do or shall compose a part thereof to the proper use benefit and behoof of such Survivor without any restraint, control or Interruption of or by the said Isaac Colcock and Stephen later their Executars 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 later their Executars and administrators do and shall stand and be possessed of all and singular the said Separate and particular Estate of the said Mary together with the future issue and Increase of the said Female Slaves as do or shall compose a part thereof to and for the use benefit 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 and among 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 in default of Issue of the said Patrick Walden on the Body of the said Mary living at the time of 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 later and their Executars and administrators do and shall stand and be possessed of all and singular the said Separate and particular Estate of the said Mary together with the future issue and increase of the said Female Slaves as do or shall compose a part thereof to and for the use benefit and behoof of such Person or Persons for such Estate or Estates and in such parts and proportions manner and form as the Survivor of them the said Patrick Walden

550 *Waldren and Mary his intended wife shall by any writing or writings under his or her hand and seal attested by two or more credible witnesses or by his or her last will and testament in writing to be by him or her signed published and declared in the presence*  
*the like number of witnesses direct witness appoint*  
*and the said Patrick Waldren doth hereby for him*  
*self his heirs Executors and Administrators further*  
*covenant promise grant and agree to and with the*  
*said Isaac Colcock and Stephen Cator their Executors*  
*and Administrators that he the said Patrick Wal-*  
*dran his Executors and Administrators shall and will*  
*at any time after the solemnization of the said*  
*intended Marriage make do and execute all*  
*and every such Deeds Conveyances and Agreements*  
*or other acts, matters and things as the counsel*  
*learned in the law of the said Isaac Colcock and*  
*Stephen Cator their Executors or Administrators shall*  
*direct or advise for the better and more effectual*  
*conveying and Apuring all and singular the said*  
*separate and particular Estate of the said Mary to*  
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*the future issue and increase of the said female*  
*Slaves as do or shall compose a part thereof unto*  
*the said Isaac Colcock and Stephen Cator their*  
*Executors and Administrators In trust to and*  
*for the uses & purposes above mentioned accord-*  
*ing to the true intent and meaning of these pur-*  
*ents. In testimony whereof the said Parties to*  
*these presents have hereunto interchangably*  
*set their hands and seals the day and year first*  
*above written - Patrick *[Signature]* Waldren.*  
*Signed sealed and delivered in presence of us New-*  
*man Swallow, H. Sattes, Richd. Lutes ~*  
*Peter Bonnethaw Esq; being duly sworn maketh*  
*oath*

551 that he was well acquainted with Patrick Walden  
in the within Deed named and with the manner and  
form of his hand writing having often seen him write  
and that he verily believes the name "Patrick Walden"  
signed to the said Deed as the Party executing the  
same to be the proper Hand writing of the said Pat-  
rick Walden. Pet. Bournehead sworn to be  
before me 21<sup>st</sup> October 1796. John Edwards J.P.  
Recorded 21<sup>st</sup> October 1796. ~

State of South Carolina

Know all Men by these  
presents that I Jabez Withers Johnson of the City of  
Charleston in the State aforesaid Watch-Maker,  
am held and firmly bound unto Eleanor Cooke, as  
Trustee for and on behalf of Catherine Quacken-  
bush, also of the same City and State in the penal  
sum of five hundred Pounds Sterling Money to be  
paid to the said Eleanor Cooke as Trustee aforesaid  
her certaine Attorney Executrix Administratrix &  
Agents, to which payment well and truly to be  
made and done, I bind myself my heirs Executrix  
and Administratrix firmly by these presents, sealed  
with my Seal, and dated this tenth day of No-  
vember in the year of our Lord one thousand seven  
hundred and Ninety Six. Whereas a Marri-  
age by Gods permission is shortly to be had and solemn-  
ized, between the above bound Jabez Withers John-  
son, and the above named Catherine Quackenbush,  
And whereas the said Catherine Quackenbush is  
intituted to a certain legacy under the last will  
and Testament of Mr Jonathan Cooke late of  
Charleston aforesaid Gentleman deceased amount-  
ing to one hundred Pounds Sterling Money. ~  
Now the Condition of the above Obligation is  
such, that in case the said intended Marriage  
shall take effect, then if the said Jabez Withers  
Johnson do and shall from time to time and at  
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552 all times then after permit the said Catherine  
enbush his intended wife, peaceably and quietly to have  
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ner as she the said Catherine Enbush now or at any  
time before the Executing hereof hath or doth hold occu-  
py possep and enjoy as well the said Legacy so given  
and devised to her as aforesaid, as also all such proper-  
ty whether real or Personal, which may hereafter  
be devised to her by any of her Relations, and also if  
the said Jabez Withers Johnson do and shall at  
all times hereafter allow, permit and suffer the said  
Catherine Enbush to sell and dispose of all  
such Estates which she is or hereafter may be enti-  
tled unto under the will of any of her Relations  
by any Deed or Writing, or by her last Will and  
Testament in writing to any Person or Persons  
whomsoever notwithstanding her intended cover-  
stimes. And also if the said Jabez Withers Johnson  
shall not do or cause to be done any act Matter  
or thing whatsoever by means whereof the said  
Estate of her the said Catherine Enbush or  
any part thereof devised as aforesaid, or which  
she may hereafter be entitled unto by gift from  
her Relations, shall or may be any ways charged or  
incumbered in any manner howsoever, or whereby or by  
means whereof the said Catherine Enbush shall  
or may be in any wise hindered or molested in the  
quiet and peaceable possepion and enjoyment thereof  
or in the quiet rendering or disposing thereof by such  
her said Writing or will as aforesaid, then and in such  
case the above written obligation shall be void &  
of none effect or else to remain in full force & virtue  
Sealed delivered in the S: Jabez Withers Johnson  
presence of Thomas, Charles Withers ~ ~ ~  
Charleston S: Personally appeared Mr Oliver Con-  
well who being duly sworn made oath that he was  
present & said Jabez Withers Johnson sign sealed and

553 his act & did deliver the foregoing Instrument of  
writing to and for the uses and purposes therein set  
forth and that he the Deponent with Charles H. Smith  
Signed their names as witnesses thereto. Sworn to  
the 29<sup>th</sup> day of December 1796 before Daniel Smith.  
J.S. Recorded 29<sup>th</sup> December 1796

