

S. Carolina

Memorandum that on this 20th day of June Anno Domini 1729 I personally came & received me Jacob Lund Esq. one of his Maj. Justices of the peace for Berkeley County James Wicks Sheriff & John Gair being three of the appraisers appointed and by the within Warrant of Appraisement sworn to the holy Evangelist of ability help to make a full & perfect inventory & appraisement of all such goods of Henry Gairish late died as should be shown to them by Jane Gairish Administratrix of all & singular the goods rights & effects of the said and to cause due return to be made of their

Charges before

27th July 1729 Recorded

Bond

J. M. Hest

Mortgage from George Douglas to Matthew Beard

To all people to whom these presents shall come by Douglas of Berkeley County in the Province of S. Carolina to wit the Executors Whereas the said George Douglas by certain Obligation under his hand & seal bearing even date with these presents stands held & firmly bound unto Matthew Beard of Berkeley County aforesaid Planter a sum or penalty of four hundred pounds of good & lawful money of S. Carolina with condition thereunto written for his true payment of the sum of one hundred & ninety four pounds Eighteen Shillings good & lawful money to be paid on or before the first day of January next ensuing in which be in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & twenty nine as by the said recited Obligation & Condition there

appears Now know ye that the said Geo. Douglas for the monies now paid of the said sum of one hundred & ninety four pounds Eighteen Shillings & interest to grow due to the same as also for the further consideration of five shillings for each pound of the said sum of one hundred & ninety four pounds of the Province to him in hand by the said Matthew Beard well & truly paid The Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged He the said Geo. Douglas hath Bargained & sold & by these presents doth bargain & sell according to due form of Law in plain open Market Silver unto the said Matthew Beard two Negroes named Dublin & Effora together with their issue & increase To have & to hold all & every of the aforesaid two Negroes Dublin & Effora together with their issue & increase unto the said Matthew Beard his Exors Adms & assigns to the only proper use & behoofe of the said Matthew Beard his Exors Adms & assigns as his & their own proper goods & chattels forever & he the said George Douglas his heirs Executors & assigns the aforesaid two Negroes Dublin & Effora together with their issue & increase unto the said Matthew Beard his Exors Adms & assigns against all & every person & persons whomsoever shall & will warrant & for ever defend by these presents.

Provided always nevertheless & upon condition that if the said Geo. Douglas his Exors Adms or assigns do & shall well & truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said Matthew Beard his Exors Adms or assigns the sum & just value of one hundred & ninety four pounds Eighteen Shillings with lawfull interest for the same from the date hereof on or before the first day of January next ensuing which will be in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & twenty nine according to the form & effect of the said recited Obligation & condition then this present Bill of Sale & every Clause Article & Sentence

Contained shall be determined & be utterly void
 none Office, any thing herein before contained to the
 thereof in any way notwithstanding In Witness
 whereof he the said Geo Douglas hath hereunto
 his hand & seal this fifteenth Day of July A
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The mark of
 Geo: Douglas

Leah delivered as also possession
 Delivered of one Negro man named Dablin
 in the name of the said of the whole in presence of

Law Ballister

John Russell

John Smith

Carolina

28 July 1729 Recorded

Geo: Douglas

Personally appeared before me the undersigned
 one of his Majesty's Justices for the County of Lowry
 Ballister who being duly sworn upon the Holy Evan-
 gels that he saw Geo Douglas deliver the within
 instrument as his Act & Deed for the use within written
 & that he John Powell were witnesses as Witness my
 this 26th of July 1729

Sweeda Somerville

Power of Attorney from Thomas Whitwade to John Arnold

To all To whom these presents shall come
 Thomas Whitwade of Liverpool in the Kingdom of
 Great Britain Master of the good Brigantine John
 Elizabeth now in the Province of South Carolina Ma-
 sends greeting Whereas by certain written
 or Letter of Instruction under the hands of the said
 of Liverpool Merchants bearing Date at Liverpool the
 the fifteenth day of July last Directed to me then
 Thos Whitwade and Directed to sell & Dispose of
 Several Goods thereunto Assigned in such manner

as therein & thereby is expressed & that rather than bring the
 said Effects home unsold I thought to leave them in South Carolina
 with John Clitherall in the said Letter named under the
 inspection of some honest person And Whereas some
 of the said Goods & Effects are now present be sold so that
 there is a necessity to place the same in the hands of the
 said John Clitherall pursuant to the Direction of the said
 Letter herein before recited Now know ye that
 I the said Thomas Whitwade for & in consideration of the
 trust & confidence I repose in the honesty & fidelity
 of John Arnold of Charleston in the Province of South Carolina
 & in performance & compliance with the Direction of
 the said Letter of Instruction I have made Ordained
 Constituted Authorized & appointed by these presents
 do make Ordaine constitute Authorize & appoint the said
 John Arnold to be my true & lawful Attorney from time to
 time & at all times to inspect the Act of the said John
 Clitherall relating to the sale & disposal of the said
 Several Goods now by me committed to his care belonging
 to the said Rufus Marsden & in case of his death or other
 Accident as may cause an inability in the said John
 Clitherall to act in the said trust reposed in him or in
 case of the Death of the said John Clitherall I do
 hereby further constitute Authorize & appoint the said
 John Arnold to be my true & lawful Attorney for me
 & in my place & stead but for the use of the said Rufus
 Marsden to ask Demand sue for & recover the use
 of from all & every or any person or persons who claim
 in this Province or elsewhere all such sums & values
 of money, Goods, slaves, Merchandise, Values Effects
 & Demands whatsoever as is or shall may be