

*Mortgage from Ebenezer Foord to John Moore*

To all People to whom these Presents shall come  
Ebenezer Foord of Berkly County Carpenter & Cordwainer Greeting  
Whereas John Moore & Samuel Morris of Charles Town Gen<sup>t</sup> & and  
Moses Plummer, James Bolan and Stephen Fawcett of Charles  
Town aforesaid Farmers and Carpenters at the special instance &  
requeste for the proper Debt of the said Ebenezer Foord to him  
Said Ebenezer Foord are in  $\mathcal{C}$  by one Obligation bearing even Date  
thereof held and firmly bound unto John Summers of Berkly  
County Gen<sup>t</sup> in the sume of Sixteen hundred pounds Law<sup>t</sup>  
Money of South Carolina Conditioned for the Payment of eight hundred  
Pounds like Current Money to the Said John Summers on or before the  
thirteenth day of November next Ensuing And Whereas the Said  
John Moore, Samuel Morris, Moses Plummer, James Bolan & Stephen  
Fawcett at the requeste for the proper Debt of the said Ebenezer  
Foord are in  $\mathcal{C}$  by one other Obligation bearing also even Date  
thereof held & firmly bound unto the said John Summers in  
penal sume of seven hundred pounds like Law<sup>t</sup>. Money Credit  
for the sume of three hundred & Fifty pounds to the Said John  
Summers on or before the first day of March next Ensuing as in  
by the Said two several Obligations & Conditions relation being  
hereto had may more fully appear Now Know ye that the said  
Ebenezer Foord as well for indemnifying & saving harmless the  
John Moore, Samuel Morris, Moses Plummer, James Bolan &  
Stephen Fawcett from all Costs troubles Expenses & Demands he  
shall or may happen for or by reason of the Said recited Obliga-  
tions & in consideration of the sume of five Shillings Law<sup>t</sup>. now  
him in hand & on before the sealing & delivery of these present  
& truly paid by the said John Moore, Samuel Morris, Moses Plu-  
mmer, James Bolan & Stephen Fawcett the receipt whereof is here-  
acknowledged both bargained sold & delivered and by these  
pents aforesd bargain sell & deliver unto the said John Moore,  
Samuel Morris, Moses Plummer, James Bolan and Stephen  
Fawcett all those his Seven Negro Men named Carolina, Pa-  
loc, Apie, Mingo & Frank, so have and to hold the  
Bargained Premises unto the said John Moore, Samuel Mo-  
riss, Moses Plummer, James Bolan & Stephen Fawcett their  
heirs & assigns to the only proper use & behoofe of the said  
John Moore, Samuel Morris, Moses Plummer, James Bolan &  
Stephen Fawcett their heirs & assigns for ever.

And the said Ebenezer Foord the said Bargained Premises unto the John  
Moore, Samuel Morris, Moses Plummer, James Bolan & Stephen Fawcett  
their heirs & assigns against all persons persons whomsoever  
for ever to have & to hold the same in full force & effect by these presents PROVIDED always  
that the said Ebenezer Foord his heirs & assigns on any of  
them do & shall well & truly pay or cause to be paid unto the said  
John Summers his heirs & assigns or assigns on any of them the full &  
just sume of eight hundred pounds Law<sup>t</sup>. money of South Carolina  
on or before the thirteenth day of November next ensuing and also the  
further sume of three hundred & Fifty pounds like Law<sup>t</sup>. money  
on or before the first day of March now next Ensuing And that in  
full discharge & satisfaction of the said Two recited Obligations  
then there presents & Lierry clause Article & Sentence herein  
contained shall cease determine & be utterly void & of none effect to  
all intents & purposes any thing herein before contained to the  
contrary thereof in any wise Notwithstanding In witness whereof the  
said Ebenezer Foord hath hereunto set his hand & seal this Thirteenth  
day of August Anno Domini One thousand Seven hundred & Sixty five

Sealed & Delivered  
In the presence of

*Bill Pitt*

*Pet. Coulliette*

*Ebenezer Foord*

Memorandum that Lierry & Seize was given of the within named  
Slaves by the Delivery of a pair of Silver Buckles for & in the Name of the  
Slaves within mentioned in the presence of us.

*Bill Pitt*

*Pet. Coulliette*

Memorandum On the 17<sup>th</sup> day of Aug<sup>st</sup> An<sup>t</sup> Dom<sup>i</sup> 1725 personally appeared before me  
Lawrence Coulliette One of the Evidences to the within Deed of Mortgage who being  
 duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God saith that he was personally  
present & did see Ebenezer Foord sign & seal as his act and deed deliver the  
within Deed of Mortgage & that he did见证 the other witness  
Subscribed