

Know all Men by these Presents, That I Marie Louise Imbert now of the City of Charleston and State aforesaid

for and in consideration of the sum of three hundred Dollars

to me in hand paid, at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents, By Burnette Martin of Charleston the wife of Louis Martin of Charleston Barber the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge, to have bargained and sold, and by these presents do bargain, sell and deliver to the said Burnette Martin for her sole use & benefit, my Negro Wench named Gracie of the Congo Nation about seventeen years of age with her future issue & increase

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD the said Negro Wench Gracie with her future issue & increase

unto the said Burnette Martin for her sole & separate use & benefit her

executors, administrators and assigns, to her and their own proper use and behoof forever. And I the said Marie Louise Imbert for myself my heirs

executors and administrators, the said bargained premises, unto the said Burnette Martin for her sole & separate use & benefit her heirs

executors, administrators and assigns, from and against all persons shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents.

IN WITNESS whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal. Dated in Charleston this first day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & eighty nine and of the Independence of United States of America, the Twenty third - Imbert

SIGNED, SEALED AND DELIVERED IN THE PRESENCE OF

John Stutchell do. acknowledged in the presence of David Sal Ravenel & Charles Ravenel personally app. and Samuel James Ravenel who made oath he was present & heard Marie Louise Imbert acknowledge her hand seal to the within Bill of Sale to & for the uses & purposes therein mentioned & that he signed his name as a witness to the same. Isaac Mott July 1799