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Porter
To
Blunt

This Indenture made this 20th day of December in the year one thousand eight hundred and seven between Thomas Porter of Hampshire County one of the County of South Carolina of the first part, Samuel Francis and Henry Porter of the County of Southampton & State of Virginia of the second part, and Benj^a Blunt of the County & State last mentioned of the third part - Whereas the said Thomas Porter hath put into the possession of John Whitehead a negro man by the name of Britton for the purpose of securing to him the fee simple value in a certain tract of land sold by the said Porter which was bought in or on as the consideration money for the purchase is unpaid to Henry Porter to whom he bought it and whereas the said Thomas Porter is desirous of releasing the said negro Britton by giving other security - and whereas the said Samuel & Henry have become his security and whereas also the said Thomas Porter has a reversionary interest in several negroes, after the death of his mother (twitt), Pellow, George, Jim, Hank, Mary & Bongett - now this indenture witnesseth that the said Thomas Porter hath in consideration of the premises, and also for the further sum of five shillings the payment whereof is hereby acknowledged, sold and conveyed and by these presents do sell & convey unto the said Benjamin Blunt the aforesaid seven negroes and their future increases - To have and to hold the said seven negroes with their future increases unto the said Benj^a Blunt his heirs and assigns forever - Upon Special trusts and confidences, nevertheless, that whenever an execution shall issue in favour of the aforesaid Henry Porter against the said Thomas Porter, the said Benjamin Blunt, giving fifteen days notice of such sale, sell, for ready money the aforesaid negroes and increase, and after paying the Debt Due to the said Henry Porter the overplus of any pay to the said Thomas Porter or his over - In Witness whereof the parties have hereunto set their hands & affixed their seals, respectively the day & year above written -

Sealed & Delivered in presence of
Ephraim Gee, asto Benj^a Blunt
Nathl. Wilkinson asto P. Blunt
Joseph ^{his} Simmons
Rebecca Powell

Thomas Porter — 
Benj^a Blunt — 
Henry Porter — 
Saml Francis — 

At a Court held for the County of Southampton on the 10th day of May 1809 - This Indenture was proved by the oath of Ephraim Gee asto Benj^a Blunt, and is ordered to be recorded -