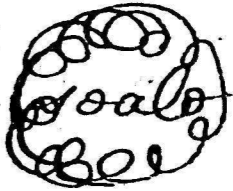


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To all Christian People to whom these Presents shall come. I Robert
 Mason of St. Marys County Sd. Greeting Knowye that the s^d. Rob^t.
 Mason for in Consideration of five Shillings to me in hand paid by Roswell
 Noale of St. Marys County Govt. & for Divers other good Considerations me
 thereunto moving have given granted & confirmed & by these Presents do give
 Grant & confirm unto the same Roswell Noale the five following Negroes
 as in my Possession viz^t. Kate, Polly, Moniapud Joe & Robin to have
 hold use & Dispose of w^{ch} & Enjoy the same Negroes & their future
 Increase to him the s^d. Roswell Noale his Ex^{rs}. Adm^{rs}. & Assignes from
 hence forth for ever to use of in trust for Susannah Mason wife of the
 s^d. Rob^t. Mason, to no other use Intent or purpose whatsoever
 Without any Manner of Claim Challenge or Demand whatsoever by any
 Person or Persons whatsoever, and the s^d. Rob^t. Mason all & singular
 the s^d. Negroes & their future Increase unto the s^d. Roswell Noale
 his Ex^{rs}. Adm^{rs}. & Assignes for the use in the trust afo^{re} against all
 Men shall & will warrant & for ever defend by these Presents
 Sealed with my Seal & Dated this 15th Day of May 1734

Sealed & Delivered
 In the Presence of us
 John Torber
 Tho: M. Williams

Rob^t. Mason 

On the Back of the foregoing
 Instrument is thus Indorsed viz^t:

Maryland St. Marys County

May 1734 I shou^{ld} have the w^{ch} in Name of Rob^t.
 Mason before me the Subscriber one of his s^d. Shipp Justices
 for the County afores^d. & Acknowledged the within Deed to be his
 Act & Deed According to Law.

Taken before & Certified by John Torber
 Recorded May 24th 1734

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