Smart B. Le Compte Esq. from Sarah Rawleigh

Be it remembered that the following Mortgage Bill of Sale was recorded October 15th 1845.

Know all men by these presents that I Sarah Rawleigh of Dorchester County, for and in consideration of Two hundred and thirty dollars & $\frac{16}{100}$, current money of the United States to me in hand paid by Smart B. Le Compte of the County aforesaid, at and before the sealing and delivering of these presents, the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge, and hereby grant, bargain, sell and deliver, and by these presents have granted, bargained, sold and delivered unto the said Smart B. Le Compte, the following property, to wit; consisting of Six Negroes, Viz, one Negro Woman Rebecca, aged thirty six years, one Negro Woman Julia Ann, aged eighteen years, one Negro Girl Mary Elizabeth, aged seven years, one Negro Girl Margaret, aged five years, one Negro Man Glasgow aged fifteen years, and one Negro Boy Jacob, aged one year, all of which property is now in my possession, and which I have put said Le Compte in possession of. To have and to hold the said above described property unto the said Smart B. Le Compte, his heirs and assigns forever, against me and my heirs, and against all persons whatsoever claiming the same or any part thereof to the only proper use and behoof of the said Smart B. Le Compte, and for no other use, intent or purpose whatsoever: Provided Nevertheless, and it is the true intent and meaning of these presents, & of the said parties hereto, that if the said Sarah Rawleigh shall pay and satisfy unto the said Smart B. Le Compte, the full amount above specified, which is Two hundred and thirty dollars and $\frac{16}{100}$ of a dollar, with lawful interest from the date of these presents, on or before the twenty seventh day of September Eighteen hundred and forty six, then and in such case these presents, and every matter and thing herein contained shall cease and be utterly null and void, any thing herein contained to the contrary notwithstanding, it being the true intent and meaning of these presents, and of the said parties hereunto the the aforesaid described property is mortgaged by the said Sarah Rawleigh to the said Smart B. Le Compte to secure the debt aforesaid, and for no other purpose whatsoever. In testimony whereof the said Sarah Rawleigh has hereunto subscribed her name and affixed her seal this 30th day of September Eighteen hundred and forty five.

Signed sealed in presence of. The interlining in the aforegoing instrument were made before the execution thereof

Test Brannock Moore.

Sarah Rawleigh (Seal)