

by Margaret Tindal (the Wife of Miles Tindal Jr) of the County & State  
 aforesaid, at or before the sealing & delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof  
 I, the said W. V. M. Edmondson, do hereby acknowledge, have granted, bargained  
 and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain & sell unto the said Mar-  
 garet Tindal, her executors, Administrators & assigns, a certain Negro  
 Woman named Susan, a slave until the twenty first of April Eighteen  
 hundred & seventy four - (She being the same which I, the said Edmondson  
 purchased from Anthony C. Thompson) Her issue if any hereafter to be  
 Slaves for life. To have and to hold the said Negro Woman Susan,  
 Slave for a term of years as aforesaid, above bargained & sold, or intended  
 so to be, to the said Margaret Tindal, her executors, Administrators &  
 assigns - And I, the said W. V. M. Edmondson, for myself, <sup>my</sup> executors,  
 Administrators, the said Negro Woman Susan, as a slave for a term of  
 years, unto the said Margaret Tindal, her executors, Administrators &  
 assigns, against one the said W. V. M. Edmondson, my executors and  
 Administrators, and against all and every other person or persons, claiming  
 under, or by, any authority, shall & will warrant & forever defend by these  
 presents. In testimony whereof we, the said W. V. M. Edmondson and  
 Margaret Tindal, have hereunto set our hands & seals this twenty  
 second day of September, <sup>in the year of our Lord</sup> Eighteen hundred & forty eight.

Test  
 W. V. M. Edmondson (Seal)  
 Margaret Tindal (Seal)

State of Maryland, Dorchester County ss.

Be it remembered that on this twenty second day of September in the year  
 of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred & forty eight, before me, the subscriber,  
 a Justice of the Peace in & for the County & State aforesaid, personally appeared  
 W. V. M. Edmondson, the grantor, and Margaret Tindal, the grantee, the  
 parties of and to and named in the within (Bill of sale & purchase) or instrument  
 of writing, and acknowledges the same to be their act & deed, and the Negro  
 Woman Susan therein sold & purchased to be now conveyed and accepted,  
 according to the true intent & meaning thereof, and the acts of Assembly in  
 such case made & provided. Taken & Certified the day & year above written,  
 before  
 John D. Stevens, J. P.

~~Edward Pritchett } Be it remembered that the following Assignment  
 from } of Mortgage was made April 11<sup>th</sup> 1849, to wit:  
 Peter Wheeler } This Indenture made this Eleventh day of April  
 in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred & forty nine,  
 between Peter Wheeler of Dorchester County & State of Maryland, of the one part,  
 and Edward Pritchett of Libanon of the same County & State aforesaid, of the  
 other part, Witness  
 See Land Records Liber W. J. No. 4.~~