

I, William W. LeCompte do hereby certify <sup>according</sup> to the Act of Assembly relating to Married Womans, passed December Session Eighteen hundred and forty two, Chapter 293 Section 7, that the following is a true and correct List of Negroes owned by my wife, Sarah A. LeCompte, as conveyed to her by William Rea as per Bill sale recorded in the Clerks Office,

*Wife* Wm. Negro Woman Rebena aged fifty years - Woman Harriet aged forty five years - Woman Mahala aged thirty years - Woman Elizabeth aged sixteen years - Boy Noah aged fourteen years - Euclid aged thirteen years - Girl Maria aged fourteen years - Alexander aged six years - Ellen aged five years - Louisa aged four years - Murray aged three years - And Child Harriet aged two months. Witness my hand & seal March 18. 1851.

Witness

Thomas Cook.

Wm W. LeCompte (Seal)

Sarah A. LeCompte } Do it remembered that the following Bill of  
 Code from V 70 } Sale was recorded on the 18th day of March 1851.  
 William Rea } I know all men by their parents that I, William

Rea, of Dorchester County and State of Maryland, for and in consideration of the sum of five dollars, current money, to me in hand paid by Sarah A. LeCompte, wife of William W. LeCompte, of Dorchester County & State of Maryland, have granted, bargained & sold, and by their parents do grant, bargain & sell, unto the said Sarah A. LeCompte, wife of William W. LeCompte, her heirs and assigns, the following Negroes, Woman Rebena aged fifty years - Harriet aged forty five years - Mahala aged thirty years - Elizabeth aged sixteen years - Boy Noah aged fourteen years - Euclid aged thirteen years - Maria aged fourteen years - Alexander aged six years - Ellen aged five years - Louisa aged four years - Murray aged three years, and Child Harriet aged two months, Slaves for life, and found in body & mind. To have and to hold the said Negroes Rebena, Harriet, Mahala, Elizabeth, Noah, Euclid, Maria, Alexander, Ellen, Louisa, Murray and Harriet, being the same Negroes and their increase which I purchased at Shiffs sale in the year eighteen hundred & forty three as the property of William W. LeCompte, Husband of the said Sarah A. LeCompte, as above bargained & sold unto the said Sarah A. LeCompte, her heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, against me the said William Rea, my heirs, executors and administrators, and against all & every other person or persons whatsoever, claiming by, from or under them, shall & well warrant and forever defend. In testimony whereof I, William Rea have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Eighteenth day of March Eighteen hundred & fifty one.

Signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of Charles Cochran }

Wm Rea (Seal)