

County and State of Maryland for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred dollars lawful money of the United States in hand paid by Marianna Thompson of the City of Baltimore and State of Maryland at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said Marianna Thompson her Executors administrators and assigns and some more now being in Arundel County aforesaid in the possession of the said Henry J Thompson to have and to hold the said described land more to the said Marianna Thompson her Executors administrators and assigns forever and the said Henry J Thompson for myself my heirs Executors and administrators the said land more unto the said Marianna Thompson her Executors administrators and assigns against me the said Henry J Thompson my Executors and administrators and against all and every other person or persons whatsoever shall and will hereafter and forever defend by these presents in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the eighteenth day of October eighteenth hundred and forty two

Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of John W Peale

Henry J Thompson seal

At the foot of the foregoing was thus written to wit  
 State of Maryland City of Baltimore ss. Best remembered that on the eighteenth day of October 1842 before the subscriber a Justice of the Peace for said City appears Henry J Thompson and acknowledges the above instrument of writing to be his act and deed according to the true intent and meaning thereof Acknowledged before

John W Peale

State of Maryland Baltimore County ss. I hereby certify that John W Peale Gentleman before whom the within acknowledgment was made who has thereto signed his name was at the time of so doing a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland in and for the City of Baltimore duly commissioned and sworn in testimony whereof I have subscribed my name and affixed the seal of Baltimore County Court this 18 day of October 1842

John W Peale

4 Recorded the 20<sup>th</sup> day of October 1842

Know all men by these presents that William H Stewart of Anne Arundel County in the State of Maryland for and in consideration of the sum of five hundred dollars current money of the United States in hand paid by John L Nichols of the County and State aforesaid at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof the said William H Stewart do hereby acknowledge have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said John L Nichols his Executors administrators and assigns the following negroes to wit a negro woman named Betsey and her three children