

three thousand weight of Tobacco, one Negro woman named Eliza about twenty one years old, one Negro woman named Jane aged seven years, one Negro boy named Daniel aged seven years two beds bedsteads and bedding, two Coopers, one Weaver, one dozen chairs, one Mahogany table, one Floured Kitchen Furniture all which property so as aforesaid described and above bargained and sold I do hereby warrant and defend by these presents and declare the same to be the right and Estate of the said William Proyer according to the purport true intent and meaning thereof In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this twentieth day of October 1863

Signed Sealed and delivered in presence of } Margaret Hall and }
W^m Glover }

At the foot of the aforesaid was thus written to wit

Henry and J^r Aultis were on the day of October personally appeared Margaret Hall freely granted above named before me the undersigned a Justice of the Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid and acknowledged to me to be her act and deed according to the purport true intent and meaning thereof and I do certify that the said Margaret Hall is the identical person signing the above instrument of writing

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Taken before and certified by W^m Glover
Recorded the 18 day of October 1863

Know all men by these presents that William R Thompson of Anne Arundel County and State of Maryland for and in consideration of the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars current money to me in hand paid by James Sylehart of the City of Annapolis and State aforesaid at and before the sealing and delivery hereof the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge have granted bargained and sold by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the said James Sylehart his Executors & administrators and assigns One Negro Boy named Charles aged about nineteen years a slave for life now in my possession to have and to hold the same described property above bargained and sold to the said James Sylehart his Executors administrators and assigns forever, to his and their only proper use and benefit and the said William R Thompson for myself my Executors and administrators shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents to the said James Sylehart his Executors administrators and assigns the said Negro Boy Charles against me my Executors and administrators and against all and every other person or persons whosoever claiming the same or any part thereof In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the twentieth day of October Eighteen hundred and sixty three

Signed