

Anne Arundel County in the State of Maryland of the one part
 and John Hellman and Joseph Can of the same County and State
 of the other part, whereas the said John Hellman and Joseph Can have
 become sureties on a replevin Bond with the said Benjamin Watkins
 of Ben to a certain Harriett C. Knighton in the penalty of five hundred
 dollars bearing date with these presents and the said Benjamin
 Watkins of Ben being willing and desirous to indemnify the said
 John Hellman and Joseph Can from all loss on account of their
 being sureties as aforesaid has agreed to execute these presents, Now there-
 fore the Undertaker Witnesseth that the said Benjamin Watkins
 of Ben for and in consideration of the premises and of the sum of
 five hundred current money to him in hand paid by the said John H.
 Hellman and Joseph Can at and before the making and delivery hereof
 the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged has granted bargained and
 sold and by these presents does grant bargain and sell unto the
 said John Hellman and Joseph Can all the crops of corn and tobacco
 now owned by him being on the farm of the said Harriett C. Knighton
 and every one of them one bay mare one row eleven shoals To Have
 and To Hold the same unto the said John Hellman and Joseph Can
 their executors administrators and assigns to them and their only proper
 use and behoof and to and for no other use intended in purpose whatsoever
 Provided always and these presents are executed upon that condition
 that if the said Benjamin Watkins of Ben his Executors or admin-
 istrators shall well and truly indemnify and save harmless the
 said John Hellman and Joseph Can in and out of the said surety ship
 aforesaid then and in that case these presents and every matter
 and thing therein contained shall cease determine and be utterly void

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed my
 seal the day and year aforesaid
 Signed Sealed and delivered B. Watkins of Ben
 in the presence of S. H. Donett

At the foot of the foregoing was thus written to wit
 State of Maryland

Anne Arundel County Se

Be it remembered that on this twenty first day of November
 eighteen hundred and forty six personally appeared before me
 the Subscriber a justice of the peace of the said State in an of said County
 Benjamin Watkins who is known to me to be the person whose name
 costs and described and professing to be the party grantor therein named
 75cts & acknowledged the same to be his act and deed

Recorded the 23rd day of Nov^r 1846 S. H. Donett