

5 Sides Recorded the 19<sup>th</sup> day of April 1848

was made, John Sglehart the Grantee in the aforesaid instrument of writing and made oath on the Holy Evangelly of Almighty God that the consideration therein expressed is bona fide due and owing from the said James H. Sglehart to him — Sworn to before —

Queen M<sup>rs</sup> Saylor J. P.

Received Annapolis the 19<sup>th</sup> of April 1848. One dollar for Stamp duty under Act of Assembly 1846. Chapter 61 — Jos. A. Nicholson Clerk


Recorded the 19<sup>th</sup> day of April 1848

Bill of Sale from Rhetillah  
Burke  
To  
James W. Burke

Know all Men by these Presents, That I Rhetillah Burke of Anne Arundel County and State of Maryland, for and in consideration of the sum of One dollar lawful money of the United States in hand paid by James W. Burke 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 James W. Burke his Executors, Administrators and Assigns — One Negro Girl named Laura and said Laura's increase aged six years 15<sup>th</sup> November last to serve until she shall have arrived to the age of thirty five years and then to go free and her increase each at the age of thirty five years to go free the said described Negro Girl Laura and her increase to the said James W. Burke his Executors, Administrators and Assigns and I the said Rhetillah Burke for my self Heirs, Executors and Administrators, the said Negro Girl Laura and her increase unto the said James W. Burke his Executors, Administrators and Assigns, against me the said Rhetillah Burke my Executors and administrators and against all and every other person or persons whatsoever shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents —

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my Hand and seal this twelfth day of April Eighteen Hundred and forty eight

Signed Sealed and delivered  
in the presence of  
H. R. Robbins  
Rhetillah Bourke

James W. Bourke 

State of Maryland Baltimore City Ct.

Be it Remembered, That On this Twelfth day of April 1848, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace for said City appears Rhetillah Burke and acknowledges the above Instrument of writing to be her act and deed, according to duty