

granted bargained and sold and by these presents do give grant bargain and sell unto the said R. H. Rawlings one negro woman named Susan and her five children named as follows Mary Thomas Richard Martha & Reasin to have and to hold the said negro woman Susan and her five children Mary Thomas Richard Martha & Reasin and their heirs forever which said negro Susan and her said children is now in the possession of the said R. H. Rawlings and which said negro woman Susan and her said children Mary Thomas Richard Martha & Reasin I do hereby warrant and defend to the said Richard H. Rawlings and his heirs forever against me and my heirs and against all manner of persons that now claiming or to claim by through or under me. Public witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1845.

Witness Lewis Puttows Sr . . . . . Gracy <sup>Thompson</sup> ~~Gray~~ <sup>mark</sup>

At the foot of the foregoing was this written to wit.

On this 22<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1845 (personally) appeared Gracy Thompson formerly Gracy Gray party bargained in the above bill of sale and acknowledged the above bill of sale or instrument of writing to be her act and deed and the property therein mentioned and thereby bargained and sold to her right hand and estate of the within named R. H. Rawlings party bargained also therein mentioned according to the purport, true intent and meaning thereof and the acts of assembly in such case made and provided

acknowledged before

Lewis Puttows Sr

56/465 Recorded the 20<sup>th</sup> day of June 1845.

Paid

Bill of sale from Cordelia C. Miller } know all men by these  
 to Eliza Miller of a negro man named } presents that I Cordelia  
 Lind dated the twentieth day of June } C. Miller for and in  
 eighteen hundred and forty five } consideration of the sum  
 of three hundred dollars current money to me in hand paid  
 by Eliza Miller as a before the sealing and delivery hereof the  
 receipt of which is hereby acknowledged and in pursuance of an  
 act of the General Assembly of Maryland passed at December  
 session eighteen hundred hundred and forty two Chapter two  
 hundred and ninety three entitled "an act to regulate conjugal  
 rights as they regard property" Any married woman may become  
 seized of any property real or of slaves by direct bequest devise  
 gift purchase or distribution in her own name and as of her own  
 property have granted bargained and sold and by these presents do