

the date of the Contract of purchase and with the
 knowledge and consent of said John Watson with
 his hand, and with the knowledge and consent of said
 Wm J Ross administrator since the death of said John
 Watson acted and assumed all the family and right
 of administration. Now know all men that Matthew
 J Ross administrator as aforesaid in pursuance of the
 above recited Contract, and of the foregoing promises do
 hereby warrant and warrant to the said David Fox a
 colored man now aged about forty years and his
 three children born since the date of the Contract aforesaid
 and to as such administrator relinquish and release
 all claim against said David Fox and his said three
 children. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
 hand and seal this fifth day of January Eighteen
 hundred and forty one

Sealed Public Seal } Wm J Ross ad^{or}
 with presence of } John Watson } (seal)
 Wm J Ross
 Wm J Ross

with the back of the foregoing was this aforesaid
 State of Maryland and in and for the County of

and this fifth day of January Eighteen hundred
 and forty one before the undersigned one of the Justices of
 the peace of the State of Maryland did in aforesaid County
 County personally appeared William J Ross administrator
 of John Watson and acknowledged that this and
 foregoing Instrument of writing is his act and deed
 for the purposes therein expressed

Exam^d
 hand
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Attest and signed before Wm J Ross
 Recorded this 5th day of January 1841.

Know all men by these presents that I Richard
 A. Snowden of and in and for the County of the State
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