in hand paid by Achsah Ann Worthington of the County and State aforesaid, at or before the Ensealing and delivering of these presents, the receipt whereof I the said John G Worthington do hereby acknowledge, have granted, bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain and sell unto the said Achsah Ann Worthington, her Executors, administrators and assigns, one negro man named Robert aged about twenty eight years, one negro woman named Riney aged about forty five years, one negro woman named Henrietta aged about sixteen years, one negro boy named William aged about fifteen years, one negro girl named Eliza aged about Eleven years, one negro girl named Susan aged about nine years, one negro boy named Richard aged about seven years, one negro girl named Jane aged about five years, one negro girl named Belinda aged about one year, and one negro boy named Nicholas aged about two months, all of which said negroes are slaves for life, and now in my possession. To have and To hold the said negroes Robert, Riney, Henrietta, William, Eliza, Susan, Richard Jane, Belinda and Nicholas to the said Achsah Ann Worthington her Executors, administrators and assigns, for ever; and I the said John G Worthington for myself, my heirs, executors and administrators the aforesaid negroes Robert, Riney, Henrietta, William, Eliza Susan, Richard, Jane, Belinda and Nicholas, to the said Achsah Ann Worthington her Executors, administrators and assigns, against me the said John G Worthington my Executors and administrators and against all and every person and persons whomsoever, shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents. Provided nevertheless that in case I the said John G Worthington shall pay and satisfy to the said Achsah Ann Worthington, or to her Executors, administrators or assigns, the sum of one thousand two hundred and fifty nine dollars and ten cents, current money with legal Interest for the same, on or before the twentieth day of January next Ensuing, (for the payment of which sum of one thousand dollars two hundred and fifty nine dollars and ten cents, with interest on or before the twentieth day of January next ensuing, I have this day executed my promissory note in favour of the said Achsah Ann Worthington her heirs or assigns,) then this Bill of Sale and every matter and thing therein contained and expressed shall be void and of none effect, it being the true intent and meaning thereof that the said negroes Robert, Riney, Henrietta, William, Eliza, Susan, Richard, Jane, Belinda and Nicholas slaves for Life, is mortgaged by me the said John G Worthington to secure to the said Achsah Ann Worthington the payment of the amount of the promissory note, with interest as aforesaid. In witness whereof, I the said John G Worthington have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my seal the twentieth day of July, one thousand Eight hundred and thirty two.

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of Joel Blew, William H Worthington } John G Worthington (seal)

On the back of the aforegoing was thus written, to wit:

State of Maryland, Anne Arundel County, to wit: On this twentieth day