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

Anne Arundel County, Sct. Be it remembered, that on this 13th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two, before the subscriber a justice of the peace for the County aforesaid, personally appeared Benjamin Harwood of Richard, and acknowledges the annexed instrument of writing to be his act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned.

Acknowledged before Th G Waters.

Pd. Fr. 4 Recorded the 13th day of December 1832.

Know all men by these presents that I Ralph Basil of Anne Arundel County and State of Maryland for and in consideration of the sum of one hundred dollars current money to me in hand paid by Vachel Severe of the same County and State aforesaid, al and before the sealing and delivery hereof, the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge, have granted, bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain and sell unto the said Vachel Severe his Executors, administrators and assigns, one bay horse five years old, one horse heart, one black cow with a white face, and one heiffer two years old, all which property is now in my possession. To have and To hold the same described property above bargained and sold to the said Vachel Severe his Executors, administrators and assigns forever, to his and their only proper use and benefit. Provided always and it is the true intent and meaning of this Instrument that it executed for the purpose of securing the said Vachel Severe from any harm or injury to him in consequence of his having become security for the said Ralph Basil to the Executors of James Williamson. And I the said Ralph Basil for myself my Executors and administrators shall and will warrant and forever defend by these presents, to the said Vachel Severe his Executors, administrators and assigns, the said described property against me my Executors and administrators, and against all and every other person or persons whomsoever claiming the same or any part thereof.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal the twenty first day of December Eighteen hundred and thirty two.

Signed, Sealed & delivered in the presence of Gabriel H Duvall, James Hunter } Ralph Bazill (Seal)

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

Maryland, Anne Arundel County, to wit: On this day the 21st of December in the year Eighteen hundred and thirty two, before me one of the Justices of the peace for said County appears Ralph Basil and acknowledges the foregoing Instrument of writing to be his act and deed according to the true intent and meaning thereof, and the act of assembly in such case made and provided.

Pd. 3¾ Recorded the 4th day of January 1833. James Hunter

Know all men by these presents, that I George Barber of the City of Annapolis of Ann Arundell County and State of Maryland, that I the said George Barber as well