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with these presents, and on demand the 1st February 1843 also the said Nathaniel Francis has
 become security for the said John W Reese in a bond to Thomas Petteas for the sum of Two
 Hundred & seventy five dollars dated and on demand the 19th December 1842, also security
 to a note to Benj C Pope for fifty dollar on demand 25th Decr 1840, & whereas the said
 Nathaniel Francis having a note of said John W Reese executed and on demand this
 day for the sum of eighty four dollar & forty seven cents, and the said John W Reese
 being justly indebted to John Druing in the sum of Four hundred and twenty seven dollar
 & 3/100 cents due by note dated and on demand this day, and whereas the aforesaid Henry
 Moore stands security for the said John W Reese to Peter Edwards guardian for Naunt
 Hams orphan of Secret Harris decd for the sum of Eleven hundred & thirteen dollars & 32/100
 cents dated and on demand the 1st Novr 1841, also the said Henry Moore stands bound
 as security for said J W Reese to a note due Peter Edwards Jr for John Briggs exors
 for the sum of Five hundred and twenty eight dollar & 84/100 cts, and be the said John W
 Reese being desirous and willing to secure the aforesaid debts and save harmless his securities
 as aforesaid from paying or being in any way injured by said security slips, hath this day for
 and in consideration of the premises, and for the further consideration of the sum of One dollar
 to him in hand paid by the said Mark T Pette at, and before the executing & delivery of
 these presents, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged by him the said John W Reese
 hath given granted, bargained and sold, and by these presents, doth give, grant, bargain
 and sell, unto the said Mark T Pette, to him and his representatives &c. the follow-
 ing property (to wit) one tract or parcel of land, on which he now resides & all im-
 provements thereto attached, containing by survey Four hundred & seventy nine acres
 be the same more or less, bounded by the lands of J^o Casner B A Shelton & John
 Newton, together with all and every improvement thereon - Dixten negro slaves by
 names as follows (to wit) Jimmy, Brock, Henry, Edith, John, Darcas, Winnifred, Rachel-
 le, Mary, Ann, Susan, Bridget, Tom, Richmond, Alfred & Jim, and if any mistake with
 the exception of two negroes (to wit) Lotty & Chery, the same is hereby conveyed by convey-
 ing all and every negro to him belonging with the above exception of Lotty & Chery, also
 Stock of hogs, Cattle, Sheep, Sown horses, plantation utensils, one brandy still, three carts
 and wheels, two gigs & harness, and all house hold & kitchen furniture crop of corn fodder
 and bacon now on hand, to him the said J^o Reese belonging to have and to hold the
 aforesaid property hereby conveyed, or intended to be conveyed to the only proper use
 of him the said Mark T Pette, and his representatives forever, and the said J^o W
 Reese for himself his heirs and assigns doth hereby covenant and agree to and with the
 said Mark T Pette that he will warrant and forever defend the right & title in & to
 the said land, negroes and all other property hereby conveyed unto him the said Mark
 T Pette and his representatives forever, against the claim and demands of him the said
 J^o W Reese his heirs and assigns & against the claim of all and every other person
 or persons whatsoever, Upon the following trust nevertheless, that the said Mark
 T Pette shall permit the said John W Reese to remain in peaceable & quiet possession
 of the property hereby conveyed, consisting of land, negroes & other property until he may
 be instructed by all or either of the parties to this deed, to sell the same and upon
 such instructions from either of the creditors hereby bound, that it shall be lawful
 for him the said Mark T Pette by giving twenty days notice at one or more public