

Benjamin W Stanton to Sarah Dilley

I know all men by these presence that  
this indenture made this eighteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred  
and thirty nine between Benjamin W Stanton of the one part and Sarah Dilley  
of the other part both of Wesley township Washington County and State of Ohio  
Witnesseth that the said Benjamin W Stanton for and in consideration of the sum  
of four hundred dollars well and truly paid by the said Sarah Dilley at and  
before the sealing and delivering hereof the receipt whereof I the said Benjamin  
W Stanton do hereby acknowledge and thereof account and forever discharge the  
said Sarah Dilley said four hundred dollars is the wages of the said Sarah Dilley  
who was my hired housekeeper for the term of twenty years said Sarah Dilley  
being a true and faithful servant during said term to me the said Benjamin  
W Stanton and for said wages at settlement justly due to the said Sarah Dilley  
I the said Benjamin W Stanton by these presence have granted bargained  
sold aliened enfeoffed released and confirmed and by these presents do grant  
bargain sell alien enfeoff release and confirm unto the said Sarah Dilley  
all that certain undivided parcel of land containing forty acres being part of

section number two in Township number seven and in Range eleven in the Ohio  
Company's purchase said forty acres to be taken in a square form in the north  
east corner of the north east quarter of said section number two and I the said  
Benjamin W Stanton do warrant and defend the above described forty acres of  
land with all its rights and privileges unto the said Sarah Dilley as a good  
and free estate of inheritance in fee simple forever to have and to hold said forty  
acres warranted and defended against myself and every other person or persons  
lawfully claiming thereto In witness whereof I the above named Benjamin W.  
Stanton do set my hand and seal to the year and day above written.

signed sealed and delivered in presence of } Benjamin W Stanton Seal  
Elias Re thers, Daniel C Fish  
In the County of Washington on this 16<sup>th</sup> day of March in the year 1839 given me