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Francis Davis <sup>4, 3.</sup> I do now present that we Francis  
Wilson Barnett <sup>3</sup> Davis and Mary Davis  
wife of the said Francis

Davis of the County of Belmont Ohio in consideration  
of the sum of Six Hundred dollars in hand paid by  
Wilson Barnett of Dalton County Ohio have bargained  
and sold and the heirs grant and convey unto the  
said Wilson Barnett his heirs and assigns forever the following  
premises situated in the County of Madison, Ohio  
and in the Post Dis Morris land, one tract among others  
as follows being the east half of the south west quarter and  
the south east quarter of the north west quarter, sealed No 2  
in Township No 74 N of Range No 39 W containing one  
hundred and thirty acres more or less to your said  
Heirs said premises with the appurtenances unto the said  
Wilson Barnett his heirs and assigns forever and the said  
Francis Davis for himself and heirs with ready  
concern with said Wilson Barnett his heirs and assigns  
that he is lawfully seized of the premises aforesaid that  
the premises are free and clear from all incumbrances  
whatsoever and that he will forever warrant and defend  
the same with the appurtenances unto the said Wilson  
Barnett his heirs and assigns against the lawful claims  
of all persons whatsoever.

In testimony whereof the said Francis Davis and  
Mary Davis have hereunto set their hands and seals this  
fifth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand  
Eight hundred and fifty six - Francis Davis <sup>Seal</sup>  
Signed sealed and acknowledged Francis Davis <sup>Seal</sup>  
in the presence of Mary Davis <sup>Seal</sup>  
E. B. Bethea  
John Beaman

The State of Ohio 3<sup>88</sup> Before me Samuel Benson  
Belmont County, 3<sup>88</sup> a Justice of the peace on and for  
said County personally examined  
the within named persons Davis and Mary Davis her wife  
and acknowledged the signature and sealing of the within instrument  
to be their voluntary act and deed and that said Mary Davis being  
at the same time examined by me separately and apart from her  
husband and the contents expressed in said instrument  
made known to her by me she then declared that she did  
voluntarily sign said deed and acknowledge the same to be that  
she is still satisfied therewith this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July 1838  
Samuel Benson

(Witness of the Deed)

The State of Ohio 3<sup>88</sup>  
Belmont County

P. D. Adams Clerk of the Court  
of Common Pleas of said County  
do hereby certify that Samuel Benson is before me when  
the foregoing Deed of ~~Lease~~ was acknowledged was at the  
time & place herein above mentioned a Justice of the Peace in  
said County and elected Commissioner and  
Qualifying witness & signature his is genuine  
Nothing done and seal of said County  
at St. Clairsville Aug 23<sup>rd</sup> 1838  
P. D. Adams Clerk

File No 19<sup>th</sup> article and in Ab. 1838

In Office Recorder