Maryland, Dorchester County ss. Be it remembered and it is here
certified that on this 17th day of January in the year of Our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and forty four before the Subscriber, one
of the Justices of the Peace of the said State in and for Dorchester
County, personally appeared Thomas K. Smith, party Grantor to the afore
going Indenture or assignment and acknowledged the same to be his
act and deed for the purpose therein mentioned

William Newton

Manumission
Sundry Negroes
from Ex.d
Michael Mitchell

Be it remembered that the following Manumission
was recorded on the 13th day of January 1844 To wit
This Indenture Witnesseth that I Michael Mitchell
of Dorchester County in the State of Maryland for and
in consideration of the sum of one cent to me in hand
paid at and before the ensealing and delivery of these presents the receipt
whereof is hereby acknowledged, have released from Slavery manumitted and
set free, and by these presents do release from Slavery manumit and set
free all my Negroes when they shall become thirty years old Jacob to
be free the tenth day of December Eighteen hundred and fifty eight.
Jane to be free the twenty eighth day of August Eighteen hundred and
sixty six and the issues of her body to be free at thirty years old and
Mary to be free the twenty third day of November Eighteen hundred and Sixty
eight and the issue of her body to be free at thirty years old and Charles
to be free the twentieth day of March eighteen hundred and seventy and
Thomas James to be free the twentieth day of February Eighteen hundred
and seventy three In testimony whereof I have set my hand and affixed
my seal this thirteenth day of January in the year of our Lord A. D.
Eighteen hundred and forty four.

Test Charles Corkran
Robert Wallace

Michael Mitchell (Seal)

State of Maryland, Dorchester County to Wit:

Be it remembered that on this 13th day of January in the year of
our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty four personally appeared Michael
Mitchell party to the within instrument of Writing before me the Subscri
ber one of the Justices of the Peace of the State aforesaid for the said
County and acknowledged the same to be his act and deed for the pur
poses therein mentioned Taken and acknowledged before

Charles Corkran

Martin L. Wright
from Ex.d
Levin Wall of Sam.l

Be it remembered that the following Bill of Sale
was recorded on the 17th day of January 1844. To wit:
Know all men by these presents that I Levin Wall