dollars, current money, for the same. Now the Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden John Reid shall faithfully and diligently keep the said Ferry over the North West forks of Nanticoke River commonly called the Brothers Ferry from day light to day light from the first of November to the first of March, and from an hour before to an hour after light for the residue of the year, commencing on the first day of May 1846, and ending twelve months thereafter, and shall keep constantly, and in good order, a Scow that will safely carry six passengers and their Horses at one trip, with an able bodied and skilful hand to attend the Ferry aforesaid, and shall not charge or receive any greater prices for ferriage than what is allowed by law, then the above Obligation to be void, otherwise of force.

John his X mark Reid (Seal)
I. E. Douglass (Seal)
Wm. L. Drewer (Seal)
Jacob Wilson (Seal)

Signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of
Algernon Thomas
Jno. Newton

Approved by the Commissioners, April 20. 1846
Test William Rea Clk C. D. C.

Richardson Gambrill
Ex. from
Matthew Harding

Rec. Feb. 24 1846 Dec. 1st to Son of Richd Gambrill

Be it remembered that the following Bill of Sale was recorded on the 7th day of May 1846, To wit: Know all men by these presents that I Matthew Harding, of Dorchester County and State of Maryland, for and in consideration of the sum of Two hundred dollars, current money of the State of Maryland, to me in hand paid by Richardson Gambrill, the receipt whereof I have hereby granted bargained and sold and delivered to the said Richardson Gambrill the following property to wit three Cows & Calves three yearlings one yoke of Steers one Brown Horse one sorrel Horse one Ox Cart one horse Cart two Beds Bedsteads & furniture one Sow and six shoats two ploughs and three Harrows which said property I will warrant & forever defend to the said Richardson Gambrill his heirs and assigns forever against me my heirs executors and administrators or any person whatsoever claiming through or under me or any person else. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this fourth day of May 1846.

Test Thomas H. Ruark.

Matthew Harding (Seal)

Dorchester County, To Wit: On this fourth day of May 1846, Came Matthew Harding before me, the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace, for the County aforesaid and acknowledged the above