

of Sale for Negro man Joe to be their act and deed for the purposes intents and meanings therein mentioned and expressed according to their tenor thereof. And the aforesaid Wm G. Corsey being duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God depose and sayeth that the transactions described, in the within Bill of Sale was and is a bonafide Sale and purchase and that the amount of the purchase Money was truly paid for and in consideration of the purchase of Negro man Joe therein named. I acknowledged and sworn to before the Subscriber on the day and Year just above written.

Received January 29. 1849 of Wm G. Corsey one Dollar in lieu of a Stamp on this Bill of Sale. Geo. A. E. Smith Wm Jackson Clerk.

William Collison vs 55. Rego Israel Coleman. Be it remembered that the following Deed of Manumission was recorded on the 29th day of January 1849 Part. Maryland Dorchester County Court.

To all whom it may concern Be it known that I William Collison of Dorchester County, in the State of Maryland, for divers good causes and considerations, me therunto moving as also in further Consideration of the sum of one Dollar current Money to me in hand paid have released from Slavery liberated, manumitted and set free, and by these presents do hereby release from Slavery liberate Manumit and set free my Negro man Israel Coleman being of the age of thirty three years, and able to work and gain a sufficient livelihood and Maintenance and him the said Negro man named Israel Coleman I do declare to be free from and after the expiration of the year Eighteen Hundred and fifty one that is on the first day of January eighteen hundred & fifty two and from thenceforth manumitted, and discharged from all manner of servitude or Service to me my executors or administrators for ever. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 29th day of January in the Year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and forty nine.

Signed Sealed and Delivered in the presence of us. William Collison. Seal John W. Parvise William W. ...

State of Maryland Dorchester County Court. Be it remembered that on the 29th day of January in the Year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and forty nine personally appeared before the undersigned a Justice of the peace in and for said County William Collison within named and acknowledged the within deed of Manumission to be his act and deed according to the purpose true intent and meaning of the same and the acts of assembly in such Case made & provided. I acknowledged before John W. Parvise.

Thomas C. Jones vs 135. Alexander W. Jones. Be it remembered that the following Bill of Sale was recorded on the 29th day of January 1849 Part. Know all men by these presents that I Alexander W. Jones of Dorchester County in the State of Maryland for and in consideration of the sum of Four hundred and five Dollars current Money to me in hand paid by Thomas C. Jones of Dorchester County in the State of Maryland at and before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof the said Alexander W. Jones do hereby acknowledge have granted,

1116 Anne C. Jones Sept 24. 1849.