

Dorchester County State of Maryland, On this 13th day of Nov. 1849 personally appeared Grant, M. Birds and acknowledged the within Bill of Sale or Instrument of Writing to be his act and deed for true intent and meaning thereof.

Acknowledged before

At the same time personally appeared William Bell party Grantee in the within Bill of Sale and makes oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that the Consideration set forth in this Bill of Sale is true and Conspicuous as therein set forth.
Charles Corbran.

State of Maryland }
E. from } 75.
John Richardson & others

Be it remembered that the following Bond was recorded on the 12th day of November 1849, to wit:
Stamp Know all men by these presents that
Six dol. us, John Richardson, John Dorsey,

James Hooks, James Vickers, Joseph Bradshaw, James A. Byers, of Dorchester County in the State of Maryland, are held & firmly bound unto the State of Maryland in the full & just sum of twenty six thousand six hundred and sixty six dollars sixty six & two third Cents, current money, to be paid to the said State or its certain Attorney, to the which payment well & truly to be made & done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators jointly and severally, firm by these presents. Sealed with our seals & dated this twelfth day of November in the year of Our Lord eighteen hundred & forty nine.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bounden John Richardson, as Sheriff of Dorchester County, do & shall well & faithfully execute the same Office in all things appertaining thereto, and shall also render to the several Officers within this State a just & true account of all fees paid in his hands for collection within the times limited by law, and shall also well & truly pay all sums of Money received by him, and also collect & pay all public dues, fines & forfeitures which are due or belonging to the State, and shall also well & faithfully execute & return all writs, process and Warrants to him directed & delivered, and shall also pay and deliver to the person or persons entitled to receive the same all sums or sums of Money, Tobacco, goods, chattels or property, by him levied, seized or taken agreeably to the directions of the writs, process or Warrant under which the same shall have been levied, seized or taken, and shall also keep & detain in safe custody all & every person or persons committed to his custody, or by him taken in execution, or who shall be committed for^{the} want of bail, without suffering them or any of them to escape or depart from his custody, and shall also satisfy & pay all Judgments which shall or may be rendered against him as Sheriff, and shall also well & truly execute and perform the several duties required of, or imposed upon