

act and deed, according to the purport, true intent and meaning of the same. At the same time personally appeared William Jackson, the within named grantee, and made oath on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that the consideration set forth in the within Bill of Sale, is true and bona fide as therein set forth.
Acknowledged and sworn before Charles Cochran

Ann E. A. Mues } Be it remembered that the following Bill of Sale
Et. from v 65. } was made on the 14th day of May 1857, to wit:
Joseph Flint } Stamp Know all men by these presents that I,
one Dol. } Joseph Flint, of Dorchester County in the
State of Maryland, for and in consideration of the sum of Four hundred
dollars, current money, to me in hand paid by Anne E. A. Mues, of the
same County and State aforesaid, at and before the sealing & delivery of
these presents, the receipt whereof I, the said Joseph Flint, do hereby
acknowledge, have granted, bargained & sold, and by these presents do
hereby grant, bargain & sell unto the said Anne E. A. Mues, her heirs,
executors, administrators and assigns, the following Negro Woman, that
is to say, a certain Negro Woman named Mary Jane aged about
seventeen years and a Slave for life. It is her will and she doth the
said Negro Woman above bargained and sold, and mentioned & intended
to be, to the said Anne E. A. Mues, her heirs, executors, administra-
tors and assigns, forever. In testimony whereof I have hereunto sub-
scribed my name and affixed my seal this the 14th day of May
in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred & fifty one.

Sealed, sealed & delivered in the presence of }
B. J. Jackson - David M. Cochran } Jos. Flint (Seal)

Bill of Sale Del. to Joseph E. Mues Dec. 14th 1857.

State of Maryland, Dorchester County, To-wit: On this the 14th day
of May Eighteen hundred & fifty one, personally appears before me the
subscriber, a Justice of the Peace, in and for Dorchester County and State of
Maryland, the above named Joseph Flint, party grantor in the above Bill
of Sale, and acknowledged the above Bill of Sale to be his act and deed;
and I hereby certify that I am satisfied, from my own personal knowledge,
that the said Joseph Flint, who professes to be the party grantor in the above
Bill of Sale, is the same person who executed and acknowledged the same before
me; and at the same time personally appears before me the aforesaid Anne
E. A. Mues, party grantee in the said Bill of Sale, and made oath on
the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that the consideration mentioned in the afo-
going Bill of Sale is true and bona fide as therein set forth, according
to the act of Assembly in such case made & provided.

Acknowledged before Charles Cochran.