

Isaac H. Wright
From
L. W. Stewart & Uriah Maguire
admins. of Henry Maguire

Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that the following Bill of Sale was received and recorded on the 2 day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, to wit:

Know all men by these presents, that we, Lerrin W. Stewart and Uriah Maguire admins. of Henry Maguire late of Dorchester County deceased, in the State of Maryland, for and in consideration of the sum of Fourteen Hundred and Ninety Three Dollars, current money to us in hand paid, by Isaac H. Wright of same County and State of Maryland, at the sealing and delivery of these presents, have granted, bargained and sold and by these presents do grant, bargain and sell unto the said Isaac H. Wright his Exors, admors, & assigns, one negro woman called "Sarah" aged thirty one years, and to serve, until she is forty five years old, having then to serve fourteen years, from this date when she is entitled to her freedom, according to the last will & testament of the said Henry Maguire, and to serve, until he is forty five years of age, having then to serve thirty four years, & some months when he will be entitled to his freedom by the same authority as the said Sarah also negro boy Dale aged four years some months, & to serve, until he is forty five years of age having then to serve forty years & eleven months when he will be entitled to his freedom by like authority, as the said Sarah the said boy Dale being also a son of the said Sarah - also negro girl Harriett aged seven years, five months, being the daughter of the said Sarah and a slave for life and as such sold - To Have and To Hold the said negro slaves for the terms aforesaid & the last one as a slave for life, unto him the said Isaac H. Wright, his Executors, administrators and assigns - In witness whereof the said Lerrin W. Stewart & Uriah Maguire administrators of the said Henry Maguire and the said Isaac H. Wright the parties selling & the party buying, have to these presents set their hands and seals this 29th. of September in the year Eighteen Hundred and Fifty Four

L. W. Stewart
Uriah Maguire
Isaac H. Wright

State of Maryland, Dorchester County, to wit:

On this 29th. of September 1854, personally appeared before me the subscriber W. H. Tall as Justice of the peace, in & for the said County & State, Lerrin W. Stewart and Uriah Maguire, personally known to me to be the party grantors in the foregoing Bill of Sale and did severally acknowledge the same to be their act & deed - at the same time, the said Isaac H. Wright the party purchaser did before me make oath on the holy Evangel of Almighty God, that the consideration mentioned in the said Bill of Sale is true & bona fide, to the best of his knowledge and belief

W. H. Tall

Received the 2 day of October 1854 of Isaac H. Wright, the sum of one dollar, in lieu of a stamp on this Bill of Sale
Francis J. Henry Clerk

Alward Johnson
From
Ann E. Hooper
Sarah Hooper & others

Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that the following Bill of Sale was received and recorded on the 2 day of October in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty four to wit:

Know all men by these presents, that we Ann E. Hooper (widow of the late Dr. John H. Hooper) Sarah Hooper, Anna Hooper, Thomas H. Williams and Eliza Williams his wife, of Dorchester County in the State of Maryland, for and in consideration of the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars Current money to us in hand paid by Alward Johnson of the same County and State aforesaid, at or before the sealing and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof we the said Ann E. Hooper, Sarah Hooper, Anna Hooper, Thomas H. Williams and Eliza his wife do hereby acknowledge, have granted, bargained, sold and delivered, and by these presents do grant, bargain, sell and deliver unto the said Alward Johnson his heirs, executors administrators and assigns, one negro boy called Davy Kennard, a slave for life, now about nineteen years of age, To Have and To Hold the said negro boy Davy Kennard as above bargained and sold, or mentioned or intended to be, to the said Alward Johnson his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, forever; and we the said Ann E. Hooper, Sarah Hooper

Delivered November 30th 1854 to Isaac H. Wright
Delivered the 17th day of April 1855 to Thomas H. Williams