

the library of the said John N. Steel, all the said negroes and books having come to the possession of the said John C. Henry and Daniel M. Henry by virtue of the deed of trust aforesaid To Have and To Hold, all the said negroes and books above bargained and sold, or mentioned and intended so to be, to the said James Steel, as administrator of the said John N. Steel as aforesaid; of all and singular which said negroes and books, the said John C. Henry and Daniel M. Henry, have put the said James Steel in full possession by delivering to him one book at the sealing and delivery of these presents, in the name of the whole property, hereby bargained and sold, or mentioned and intended so to be, unto him, the said James Steel, administrator as aforesaid

In testimony whereof, the said John C. Henry and Daniel M. Henry, have hereunto set their hands and seals this 27th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty four  
 Signed, sealed and delivered  
 in the presence of  
 Wm. A. Barrow

John C. Henry  
 Daniel M. Henry

State of Maryland, Dorchester County Court:

Be it remembered and it is hereby Certified that on this Twenty seventh day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, before the subscribers, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland in and for Dorchester County aforesaid, personally appeared John C. Henry and Daniel M. Henry they being personally known to me to be the persons who are named and described as and professing to be the parties to the foregoing bill of sale, and severally acknowledged the same to be their respective act and deed, and at the same time and place also appeared before me, James Steel, the grantee named in the said bill of sale and made oath that the consideration set forth in the said bill of sale, is true and lawful as therein set forth, In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name on the day and year aforesaid  
 Wm. A. Barrow  
 1854 December 27th Received of James Steel one dollar in lieu of a stamp on this Bill of Sale  
 J. S. Henry, Clerk

John D. Farguharson  
 From  
 Levin M. Lewis

Be it remembered and it is hereby Certified that the following Bill of Sale was received and recorded on the 30th day of December 1854 Court:

Know all men by these presents, that I Levin M. Lewis of Dorchester County in the State of Maryland for and in consideration of the sum of Eight Hundred Dollars Current money of Maryland, to me in hand paid, by John D. Farguharson of the same County and State aforesaid, at and before the sealing and delivering of these presents, the receipt whereof I, the said Levin M. Lewis do hereby acknowledge, have granted, bargained, and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain, and sell, unto the said John D. Farguharson his heirs Executors, administrators, and assigns, the following negroes to wit: One negro man named William Dolly aged thirty four years, a slave for life, and one negro woman named Mary Dolly aged thirty five years, a slave for life. To Have and To Hold the said negroes William Dolly and Mary Dolly as above bargained and sold, or mentioned and intended so to be, to the said John D. Farguharson, his heirs, Executors, administrators, and assigns

Bill to John D. Farguharson the 31st Aug 1858