

William Henry Camper } Be it remembered and it is hereby Certified that the following
 v From x^d 45 } Bill of Sale was received and recorded on the 9th day of May
 Henry Camper } 1855 to wit

Know all men by these presents, that S. Henry Camper of
 Dorchester County and State of Maryland of the first Part, for and in consideration of the
 sum of thirty dollars lawful money of the United States to me in hand paid at or before the
 enacting and delivery of these Presents by William Henry Camper my son, of the county and
 State aforesaid of the second Part the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have bargained
 sold, and by these Presents do grant and convey unto the said Party of the second Part
 his Executors Administrators and assigns one red work Steer, one red Cow, two red Heifers
 aged three years and two red yearlings. To Have and To Hold the Same unto the said Party
 of the second Part his Executors Administrators and assigns forever. And I do for myself
 my heirs Executors and administrators covenant and agree to and with the said Party of the
 second Part to warrant and defend the sale of said Property, goods and chattels hereby
 sold unto the said Party of the second Part his Executors Administrators and assigns against
 all and every person and persons whomsoever. In witness whereof, I have hereunto set
 my hand and seal this 9th day of May Eighteen hundred and fifty five
 Sealed and delivered in the presence of Henry Camper (seal)
 Charles Oakman

State of Maryland Dorchester County to wit.

Be it remembered and it is hereby certified, that on this ninth day of May, in the
 year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five, before the subscriber a Justice of
 the Peace, of the State of Maryland in and for Dorchester County, personally appeared
 Henry Camper and acknowledged the within Bill of Sale or Instrument of writing to be
 his Act and deed, and the property therein mentioned and thereby bargained and sold, to be the
 right, title and estate of William Henry Camper his heirs and assigns forever, according
 to the acts of Assembly in such Cases made and provided

Acknowledged before and Certified by
 Charles Oakman J. P.

Samuel Traverses } Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that the following Bond
 v To x^d 6 } of manumission was received and recorded on the 12th day of May
 Negroes, Mary, George } in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty
 Eliza & Mary Ann } five to wit:

To all whom it may concern be it known, that S. Samuel Traverses of
 Dorchester County, in the State of Maryland, for divers good causes and considerations, me
 thereunto moving, have released from Slavery, liberated, manumitted and set free, by these
 presents do hereby release from Slavery, liberate, manumit and set free, my negro woman Mary
 aged forty two years, & her three children viz: George aged six years, Eliza aged four
 years, & Mary Ann aged about one year, and able to work and gain a sufficient livelihood
 and maintenance, and her the said Mary and children, George, Eliza, Mary Ann
 I do hereby declare to be henceforth free, manumitted and discharged from all manner
 of service or servitude to me, my executors or administrators forever

In Witness whereof the said Samuel Traverses has hereunto set his hand and affixed
 his seal this Eleventh day of May Eighteen hundred and fifty five