

We, William J. Vane, Sophia E. Vane, Josiah Carrall, Ann J. S. Carrall and Samuel T. Roberson, of Dorchester County and State of Maryland, do hereby manumit and set free, our negro slave, a negro man named Charles Camper, he being Party four years of age, about five feet six inches high, of a dark Chestnut color, with a scar over the right eye, his freedom to commence from the date of these presents. Witness our hands and seals, this third day of April, one thousand eight hundred and fifty eight. —

William J. Vane {Seal}

Sophia E. Vane {Seal}

Josiah Carrall {Seal}

Ann J. S. Carrall {Seal}

Samuel T. Roberson {Seal}

State of Maryland, Dorchester County, to wit: I hereby Certify, that on this third day of April, in the year of eighteen hundred and fifty eight, before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace of the said State, in and for Dorchester County, personally appeared William J. Vane, Sophia E. Vane, Josiah Carrall, Ann J. S. Carrall, and Samuel T. Roberson, and severally acknowledged the aforesaid Deed to be their respective act. —

Acknowledged before —

Edw. M. Wrightson J.P.

Anthony C. Thompson & Lewis Adkins Be it remembered and it is hereby Certified, that the following Mortgage Bill of Sale, was received and recorded on the 12th day of April 1858 to wit: I, Lewis Adkins, of Dorchester County, in the State of Maryland, being now indebted to Anthony C. Thompson, Senr. of said County and State aforesaid, in the sum of Twenty three dollars, a Judgment rendered by William Rea, on the 9th inst, with interest from said date, and Costs sixty three and a third cents costs, in consideration thereof, do hereby bargain and sell to the said Anthony C. Thompson, one yoke of steers & yoke purchased of him and for which said Judgment was rendered, together with one cart, also purchased of him. Provided, that if the said Lewis Adkins, shall pay to the said Anthony C. Thompson, the sum of Twenty three dollars and sixty three & a third cents with the interest thereon, on or before the Tenth day of October next, then these presents shall be void. Witness my hand and seal, this tenth day of April, in the year of our Lord Eighteen hundred & fifty eight. —

Test,

William Rea, J.P.

Lewis Adkins his mark {Seal}

State of Maryland, Dorchester County, to wit: I hereby Certify, that on this tenth day of April, in the year of our Lord, Eighteen hundred & fifty eight, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the said State, in and for the County aforesaid, personally appeared Lewis Adkins, and acknowledged the aforesaid Mortgage to be his act; and at the same time before me also appeared Anthony C. Thompson Senr. and made oath in due form of law that the consideration in the said Mortgage is true and lawful as therein set forth. —

William Rea, J.P.