

Nathaniel Young } Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that the following  
Promt; } Mortgage Bill of Sale was received and recorded on the 2<sup>d</sup> day  
Robert Opher } of February 1860, to wit: -

I Robert Opher free Col<sup>d</sup>. Man of Dorchester County, Maryland being now indebted to Nathaniel Young free Coloured man of Dorchester County Maryland in the sum of thirty eight dollars and twenty six Cents on Judgment before William Rea dated the 26. January 1860 - With interest from said date, in Consideration thereof do hereby bargain and sell to the said Nathaniel Young the following property to wit; one ox Cart and yoke of Steers Bob & Charley with white faces and a Bull yearling.

Provided that if I the said Robert Opher shall pay to the said Nathaniel Young the sum of Thirty Eight dollars and twenty six Cents with the interest thereon on or before the 26. January Eighteen Hundred & sixty one; then these presents shall be void.

Witness my hand and seal this 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1860.

Just William Rea

Robert Opher 

Maryland Dorchester } Be it remembered and I hereby certify that on this 1<sup>st</sup> day of  
County to wit. } February in the year of our Lord 1860 there came before me the  
Subscriber a Justice of the peace of the State of Maryland in and for Dorchester County Robert  
Opher Col<sup>d</sup>. Man and acknowledged the foregoing Mortgage Bill of Sale to be his act and  
at the same time came Nathaniel Young and made oath in due form of law that the  
Consideration therein is true & Confide to the best of his knowledge and belief


William Rea J.P.

Certificate of Nicey } Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that the following  
Griffin's intention &c. } Intention was received and recorded on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of  
February 1860, to wit: -

I. Nicey Griffin a free mulatto woman at this time residing in Dorchester County in the State of Maryland, intending to remove from this State, (and take with me my infant child Elizabeth Griffin about six years of age.) and now about to leave temporarily the said County and State, in the service and employment of Doctor Thomas Williams a Citizen of the same County and State and a Surgeon in the United States Army, as a body servant, and in such service and employment to go with him wherever he may be ordered by the Government and to remain in said employment during my said absence, and when I leave his employment it is my purpose and intention to return and bring with me my said child, to my present residence in Dorchester County, Maryland.

Witness my hand and seal, this seventh day of February 1860.

Just J. A. Henry.

Nicey <sup>her</sup> Griffin   
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