

Press and fixtures pertaining thereto

Witness my hand and seal this fourteenth day of September
Eighteen hundred and fifty seven.

Test

David H. S. Wray (Seal)

Wm Allen

State of Maryland. Howard County, to Wit.

I hereby certify that on this fourteenth day of September
Eighteen hundred and fifty seven personally appeared before
me the subscriber a Justice of the Peace for Howard County
aforesaid David H. S. Wray and acknowledged the foregoing
bill of sale to be his act and deed,

Wm Allen J. P.

For. valued Received I hereby release the within Bill
of Sale, Witness my hand and seal this second day of
January in the year Eighteen hundred and fifty eight

Test.

Tho. McCrea

State of Maryland. Howard County, to Wit.

I hereby certify that on this second day of Jan'y 1858.
personally appeared Thomas McCrea before me the subscri-
ber a justice of the peace of the said State and County
aforesaid and acknowledged the above release of Bill
of Sale to be his act and deed,

Acknowledged before

Wm A. Loder J. P.

Rec'd to be recorded on 2nd day of January 1858.
Same day Recorded & Examined per

W. W. Watkins clk.

Joel Plew.
Deed of Manumission
to
Negro Man Tho. Courtley

I Joel Plew of Howard County and State of
Maryland do hereby manumit and set free my
negro slave man Thomas Courtley aged about
29 years his freedom to commence from the date
of these presents. Witness my hand and seal

this first day of January 1858.

Test. Thomas D. Griffeth

William H. Griffeth

Joel Plew (Seal)

State of Maryland.

Howard County, to Wit.

I hereby certify that on this first day of January 1858. before me
the subscriber a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland in
and for Howard County aforesaid personally appeared Joel Plew
and acknowledged the foregoing deed to be his act.

Thomas J. White

Received to be recorded on the 4th day of January 1858. Same day
Recorded and Examined per.

W. W. Watkins clk.