

Delivered to Nathan Shipley Sept 27 1859

H. C. Smith } Know all men by these presents, I Francis C
 Bill Sale to } Smithe, now of Howard County Maryland, being as
 Mr. A. Webb (the date of these presents in debt unto William & A
 Webb of said County in the sum of Three hundred and
 one dollar and sixty five cents in consideration thereof do hereby bargain
 and sell unto the said William & Webb, the following named negro
 slaves for terms of years: Thomas Hall, being a slave until he shall
 attain the age of twenty five years, which will be about January 1863
 and George Hall, being a slave for a term of years, until he shall
 attain the age of twenty five years which will be in the year 1863.
 being the same negroes devised to me from Mrs Laura Smith, under
 her will, as will appear from the same, recorded in the office of the
 Register of Wills of Howard County, I being entitled to the service of
 the said negro slaves under said will until they attain the ages of twenty
 five years respectively. Provided that if I the said Francis C Smithe shall
 pay the said sum of Three hundred and one dollar and sixty five cents
 with Interest thereon within twelve months from this date then these pres-
 ents to be void Witness my hand and seal this 18th day of July 1859
 Witness
 David E Hopkins
 F. C. Smith
 W. A. Webb

State of Maryland Howard County, to wit:
 I hereby certify that on this eighteenth day of July: Eighteen
 hundred and fifty nine, before me the subscriber, a Justice
 of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Howard County
 aforesaid personally appeared Francis C Smithe, and William
 A. Webb and severally acknowledged the aforesaid deed
 or mortgage Bill of Sale to be their respective act
 David E Hopkins

Received to be recorded on the 2nd day of August 1859 at
 11th O'clock A.M. same day recorded & examined per
 W. W. Watkins C. C.

State of Maryland Howard County to wit. I hereby release the aforesaid Bill
 of Sale or mortgage Witness my hand and seal this 28th day of November 1859
 Signed Sealed and delivered
 in presence of James H. Simmons Wm A Webb
 Recd to be recorded on 29th day of November 1859 W W Watkins C. C.

Richard Bosley } This deed made this sixteenth day of
 Bill Sale to } July, Eighteen hundred and fifty nine
 Benjamin Underwood } by Richard Bosley, of Howard County
 Maryland, Witnesseth, that in con-
 sideration of two hundred and seventy dollars the said Richard
 Bosley doth grant unto Benjamin Underwood all those
 lots pieces or parcels