

State of Maryland Anne Arundel County to wit  
 On this first day of May 1846 personally appeared before me the  
 Subscriber a justice of the peace of the said State in and for said County  
 Quirus Shenaker and acknowledge the aforesaid instrument of writing  
 to be his act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned

Signed sealed and delivered

in the presents of

Edward C Stewart (seal)

Recorded the 9<sup>th</sup> day of May 1846

Bill of sale from Pulick Ann Lyles  
 to George D Lyles dated the eleventh  
 day of May eighteen hundred and  
 forty six

Know all men by these  
 presents that I Pulick  
 Ann Lyles of Anne Arundel  
 County and State of  
 Maryland in the village

of Friendship of said County for and in consideration of the sum  
 of six hundred dollars of current money received to be paid to me  
 within a specified time or times within five years from this date  
 by George D Lyles of Friendship in the County and State as afo-  
 said at a before the making and delivering of this presents  
 the receipts whereof I the said Pulick Ann Lyles do hereby acknowledge  
 have granted bought and sold and by these presents do grant  
 buy and sell unto the said George D Lyles his executors admin-  
 istrators and assigns one negro man called William or Bill Blake  
 aged about fifty years old but healthy and sound and one negro  
 man called Charles Pratt aged about fifty six years and his wife  
 Ann Pratt about thirty six years of age. These three negro Slaves  
 are all believed to be of sound healthy State of body and mind and are now  
 in my possession To Have and To Hold the said three Negro Slaves  
 to the said George D Lyles his Executors administrators and assigns  
 forever and I the said Pulick Ann Lyles for myself my heirs  
 executors and administrators the aforesaid Slaves to the said George  
 D Lyles his Executors administrators and assigns against me the said  
 Pulick Ann Lyles my executors and administrators and against  
 all and every person and persons whomsoever shall and will  
 warrant and forebear defend by these presents, Provided never-  
 theless that in case I the said Pulick Ann Lyles shall pay and satisfy  
 to the said George D Lyles or to his Executors administrators and assigns  
 the sum of six hundred dollars current money with interest for  
 the same or what parts in any way hath been paid upon  
 the value of these negroes now and here and their annual hires or valuation  
 for their services within the five years aforesaid ensuing the date of these