

At the foot of the foregoing was thus written to wit
State of Maryland A. A. C. T. to wit

On this 10th of March 1846 before me the Subscriber one of the
justices of the peace in and for the State and County of our said
appeared William Wood and acknowledge the within instrument
of writing to be his act and deed and the within Negro Boy James
with the right and property of the said Dr. Hammond Stewart the
56/400 condition herein declared and thereby understood.

Recorded the 23rd day of March 1846 Lewis Sutton Jr

Bill of sale between John G. Nichols
and William Prout dated the seventh
day of April eighteen hundred and forty six

} Know all men by
these presents that
William Prout
for and in consideration

of the trust and confidence which I have in John G. Nichols of the
said County and State and of the sum of ten dollars current money
to me in hand paid by the said John G. Nichols have granted bargained
and sold and by these presents do grant bargain and sell unto the
said John G. Nichols a negro girl named Mary Barron who was
conveyed to me by a certain Thomas P. Whetstone by deed bearing
date the fourteenth day of January eighteen hundred and thirty
six and recorded in Liber W. G. C. No. 1 folios 443 one of the
personal deed Record Books of Anne Arundel County
reference being there to had well more fully appeared which
said negro was to serve the said Prout under said deed until
she attained the age of thirty five years. To Have and To Hold the
said Negro to the said John G. Nichols his executors administrators
and assigns. Provided nevertheless that whenever the said
William Prout shall tender to the said John G. Nichols the
sum of ten dollars the consideration above expressed to be paid
to him by the said John G. Nichols that in that case these presents
shall cease and be utterly void

Signed sealed and delivered

in presence of Saml Edward Edward C. Stewart

} John G. Nichols (seal)
Wm Prout (seal)
mark

At the foot of the foregoing was thus written to wit
State of Maryland

Anne Arundel County Jct.

On this seventh day of April eighteen hundred and forty six
personally appeared before me the Subscriber a justice of the
peace in and for said County William Prout and John G. Nichols
the parties to the foregoing instrument of writing and