the receipt whereof we the said Samuel M. Collester, Henry W. Hicks and Martin M. Dean do hereby acknowledge, have granted, bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain & sell unto the said James Hutchinson, his Executors, administrators and assigns one Negro Woman named Julian Hardcastle, about twenty two years of age, a Slave for life— To have and to hold the said Negro Woman above bargained and sold, to the said James Hutchinson, his Executors, administrators and assigns forever: And we the said Samuel M. Collester, Henry W. Hicks and Martin M. Dean, for ourselves, our executors, administrators, the said Negro Woman unto the said James Hutchinson, his Executors, administrators and assigns, against us, the said Samuel M. Collester, Henry W. Hicks and Martin, our Executors, administrators, and against all and every other person or persons whatsoever, shall and will Warrant and defend by these presents the said Negro Woman. In Witness whereof, we the said Samuel M. Collester, Henry W. Hicks and Martin M. Dean, have this the twenty second day of November Anno Domini 1845.

Signed, sealed & delivered
in the presence of
Nimrod Newton

Samuel his X mark M. Collester (Seal)
H. W. Hicks (Seal)
Martin M. Dean (Seal)

Bill of Sale James Hutchinson Dorch. Co.

State of Maryland, Dorchester County Set. Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that on this twenty second day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty five, before the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for the said County, personally appears Samuel M. Collester, Henry W. Hicks and Martin M. Dean, and acknowledged the within Bill of Sale to be their act and deed, and the Negro Woman therein named to be the right and estate of James Hutchinson, according to the acts of Assembly in such case made & provided.
In testimony whereof I have unto subscribed my name on the day & year aforesaid.

Nimrod Newton

Paid Robert Burton from Ed. William Mullins

Be it remembered that the following Bill of Sale was recorded on the 15th day of December 1845, to wit: Know all men by these presents that I William Mullins, of Dorchester County State of Maryland, for and in consideration of the sum of One hundred & eighty dollars, to me in hand paid by Robert Burton of Lewey, of the County and State aforesaid, have granted, bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain & sell unto the aforesaid Robert Burton of Lewey, his heirs & assigns forever, one Horse, Three Steers, fifteen Hogs, one Ox Cart, one Plough,