

Maryland, Dorchester County, to wit: On the 6th day of March 1847 the above named Alexander Wilson appeared before me the subscriber one of the Justices of the Peace, in and for the County and State aforesaid, and acknowledged the above Manuscript to be his act and deed, and delivered the same for the uses and purposes therein mentioned. Witness my hand

Robert Bell J. P.

Gabriel P. Lake
Ex. from
George H. Wingate

Be it remembered that the following Post-
gap Bill of Sale was recorded on the 5th
day of March 1847, to wit:

Stamp
50 cts

I know all men by these presents that I
George H. Wingate of Dorchester County, for and in
consideration of the sum of hundred and fifteen dollars and
forty five cents, to me in hand paid by Gabriel P. Lake of
said County, have granted, bargained and sold, and by these presents
do grant, bargain and sell, unto the said Gabriel P. Lake,
his heirs, executors and Administrators or assigns, My Negro
Slaves called "Sarah", aged about twenty one years, Negro
Boy called "Robert", aged about eight years, and Negro Boy
"John", aged about seven months, all slaves for life - To
have and to hold the said Negro Slaves unto the said
Gabriel P. Lake, and his heirs and assigns forever. Whereas
the said George H. Wingate stands indebted to the said Gabriel
P. Lake in the sum of six hundred and fifteen dollars &
forty five cents, for which he has this day executed his obliga-
tion, payable in eighteen months from this date and has given
power to confess Judgment thereon at the next term of Dorchester
County Court, Now the Condition of this transfer of the above
specified property is such, that if the said George H. Wingate,
his ^{heirs} executors or Administrators, shall well and truly pay to the
said Gabriel P. Lake the said sum of Money with interest at
the time stipulated, to wit, Eighteen months from date, then this
transfer to be null and void, otherwise to be and remain in
full force and virtue in law. In Witness whereof I have here-
unto set my hand and seal this fifth day of March in the
year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty seven.
Jest Robert Bell.

George H. Wingate (Seal)

Maryland, Dorchester County to wit on this fifth day of
March Eighteen hundred and forty seven, personally appeared
before me the subscriber a Justice of the Peace of the said

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