

Signed, sealed & delivered
in the presence of
James Higgins
Mr. L. Willis
Jas. Hammarly.

John Richardson Seal
John Tubman Seal
Samuel R. Durnoick Seal

Approved by the Commissioners for
Dorchester County, June 18. 1857.

Wm. Rea clk C. D. C.

States of Maryland
V from 50 C.
Wm. Crighton & others

Be it remembered that the following Bond was
recorded on the 18th day of June 1857, To wit:
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Know all men by these presents that
we William Crighton, William
Rea, John R. Crighton and Jeremiah C. Wright of Dorchester County
in the State of Maryland, are held and firmly bound unto the State of
Maryland in the full and just sum of Fifteen thousand dollars, current
money of the United States, to be paid to the State of Maryland, which
payments well and truly to be made & done, we bind ourselves and
any of us, our and any of our heirs, executors and Administrators,
in the whole and for the whole jointly & severally by these presents.

Sealed with our seals and dated the 9th day of June in the year of
Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty one.

The conditions of the above Obligations are such that if the
above bounden William Crighton shall well and truly discharge
the duties of Treasurer of Primary Schools of Dorchester County
according to law, then the above Obligation shall be void,
otherwise it is to be and remain in full force & virtue in law.

Signed in the presence of
Josiah Jump

William Crighton Seal
Wm. Rea Seal
John R. Crighton Seal
J. C. Wright Seal

Approved of by the Commissioners for Dorchester County June 17. 1857.
By order Wm. Rea clk C. D. C.

Thomas A. Hicks
Ed. from V 80
James Nichols

Be it remembered that the following Bill of
Sale was recorded on the 7th day of July 1857, To wit:
This Indenture made this seventh day of July

in the year of Our Lord Eighteen hundred and
fifty one, between James Nichols, of Dorchester County & State of
Maryland, of the one part, and Thomas A. Hicks, of Dorchester County
and State aforesaid, of the other part. Whereas the said James
Nichols owes and stands justly indebted to the said Thomas A.
Hicks in the sum of two hundred & fifty dollars, current money,
and to secure the payment thereof is willing to create there

Returned to Thomas A. Hicks Dec 25-1857