party grantors in the aforegoing Bill of Sale & acknowledged the same to be their act & Deed and at the same time personally appears James A. Stewart, party grantee in the said Bill of Sale and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that the Consideration mentioned in the said Bill of Sale is true & bona fide as therein set forth to the best of his Knowledge & belief — Acknowledged & sworn before me Charles Corkran J. P.

Delivered to Benjamin Ross October 21th 1833

Benjamin Ross paid from Xr. Eliza Brodess

Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that the following Bill of Sale was received and recorded on the 11th day of June in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and fifty five to wit:

Know all men by these presents, that I Eliza Brodess of Dorchester County, and state of Maryland, for and in consideration of the sum of Twenty dollars current money to me in hand paid by Benjamin Ross, (old man), of Dorchester county and state of Maryland have granted, bargained and sold, and by these presents do grant, bargain and sell unto the said Benjamin Ross (old man) his heirs and assigns, the following negro woman named Ritty aged about fifty five years slave for life and sound in body and mind, To Have and to Hold the said negro woman Ritty aged about fifty five years as above bargained and sold unto the said Benjamin Ross his heirs, Executors, administrators and assigns, against me the said Eliza Brodess my heirs, executors and administrators, and against all and every other person or persons whatsoever, shall and will warrant and forever defend.

In Testimony Whereof, I Eliza Brodess have hereto set my hand and affixed seal this 11th day of June eighteen hundred and fifty five

signed, sealed and Delivered in the presence of — Eliza A. Brodess (seal)

Whitefield Woolford, Charles Corkran

State of Maryland, Dorchester County, to wit:

On the 11th: day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five personally appeared before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for said county, the within named Eliza Brodess and acknowledged the within bill of sale to be her act and deed, according to the purport, true intent and meaning of the same,

Acknowledged Before — Whitefield Woolford J. P.

Charles Corkran J. P.

On account of the above or within Bill of Sale being neglected to be filed Mrs Eliza Brodess came before me and acknowledged the same to be her act & deed this 11 day June 1833 — Charles Corkran J. P.

Reuben S. Tall from Benjamin G. Tubman

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Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that the following Bill of Sale was received and recorded on the 21st: day of June in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred and Fifty Five to wit:

Know all men by these presents, that I, Benjamin G. Tubman, of Dorchester County, in the State of Maryland, for and in consideration of the sum of fifteen hundred and fifty dollars, current money, to me in hand paid by Reuben S. Tall, of the County and State aforesaid, at and before the sealing and delivery of these