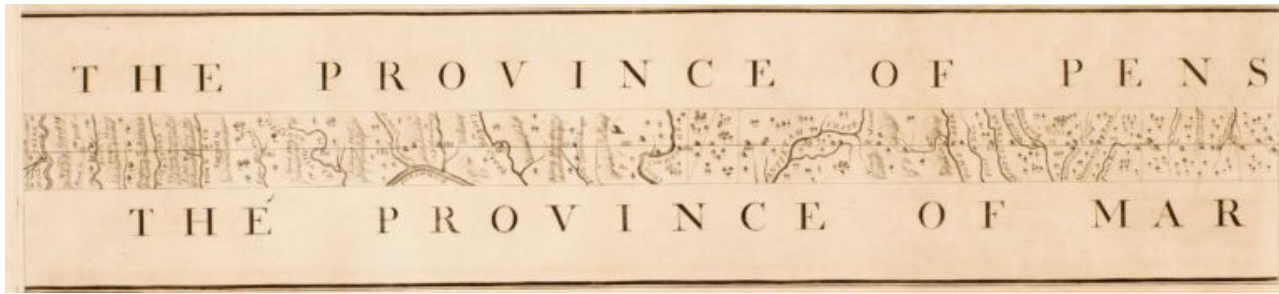


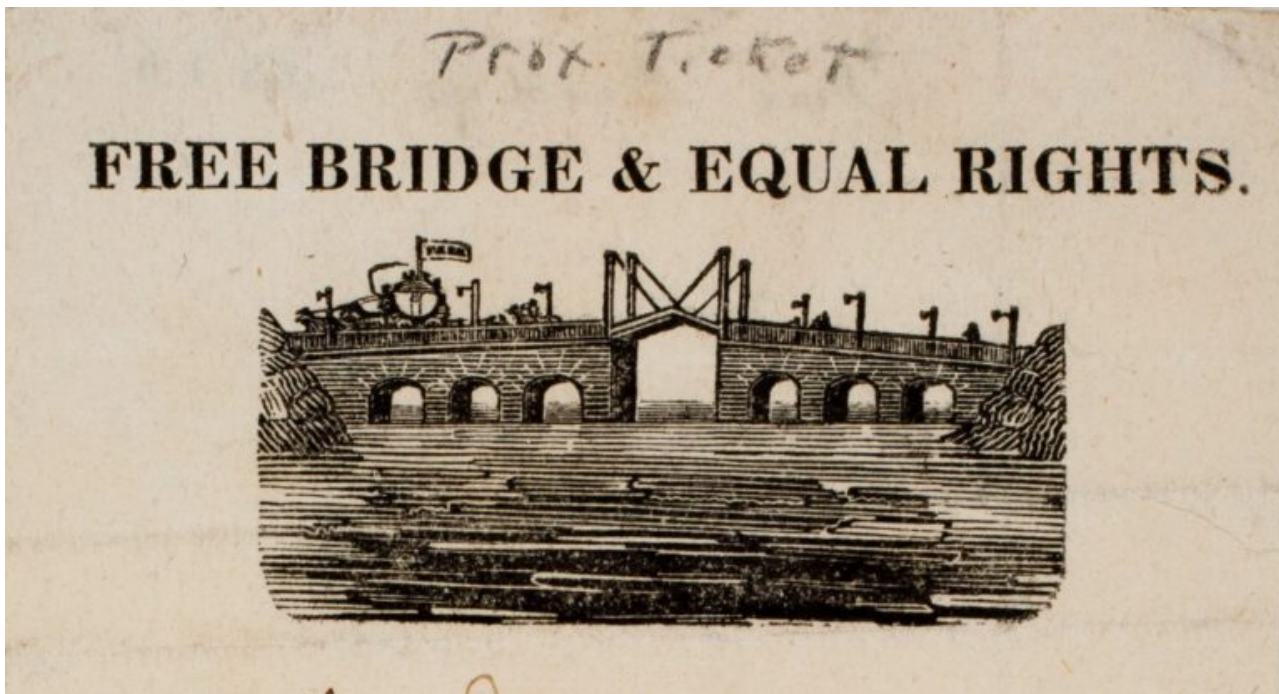
## Mason-Dixon Lines



The boundary lines preceding Mason and Dixon, everybody knows, were a sham. What's to follow, despite the weighty authority of astronomical science, will be no better.

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## Editor's Note – Submission Going Down, Down, Dragging me Down\*



Happy New Year!

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# Words to Weapons: A History of the Abolition Movement from Persuasion to Force

# FORCE AND FREEDOM



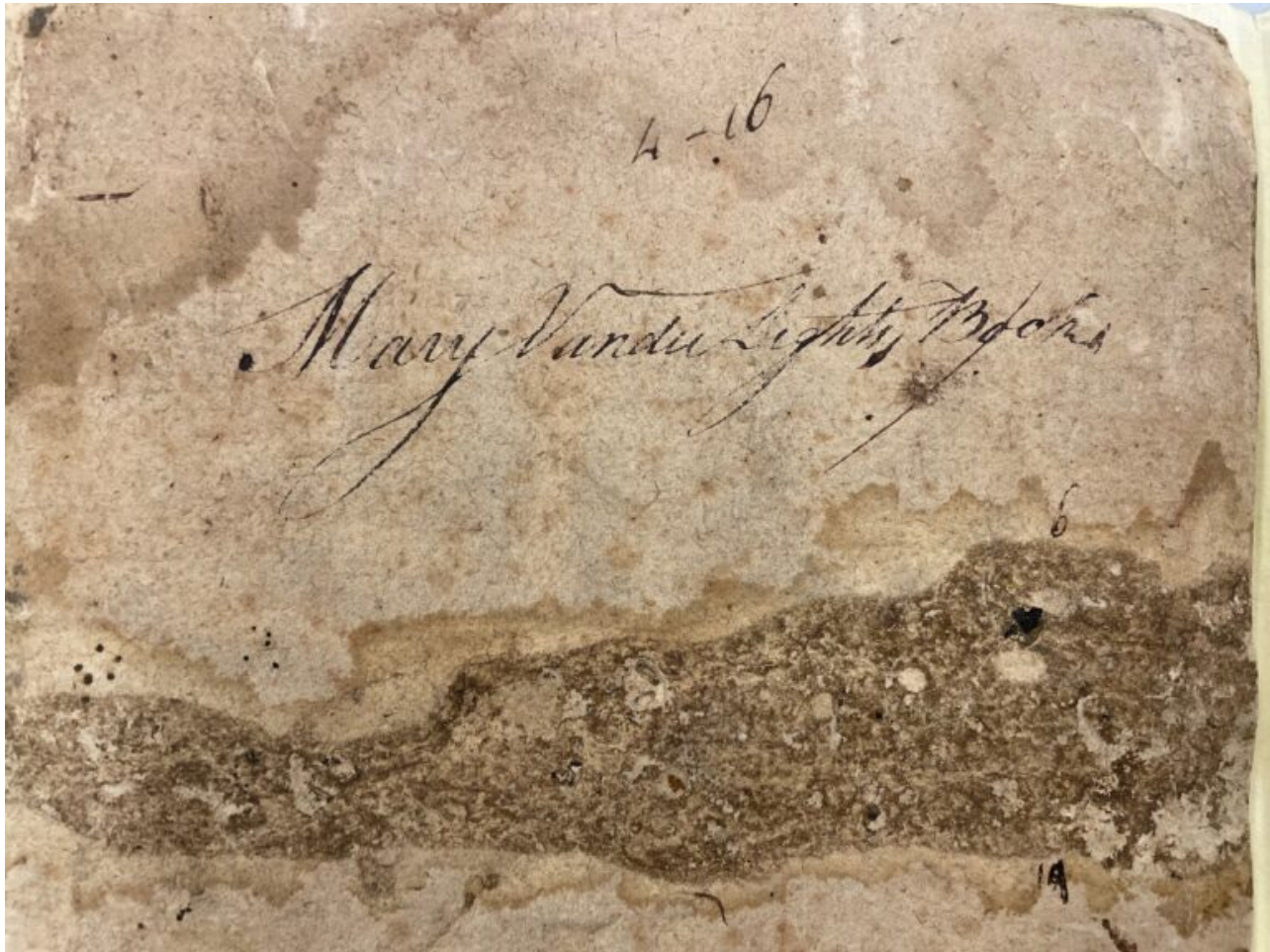
Black Abolitionists  
and the Politics  
of Violence

Kellie Carter Jackson

With Force and Freedom, Carter Jackson makes a stimulating and insightful debut which will have a major influence on abolition movement scholarship.

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## The Brown Brothers had a Sister



Women's work is often hidden or marginal within historical records that were meant to show men's economic and political lives.

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## How to Read a Book: The X-Ray Method for Achieving a Sustainable "Book-Life"



## Balance”



This is why you need a plan: to read attentively but efficiently, and sustainably, without surrendering your book-life balance.

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## Have You Seen Me?: Missing Works of Nineteenth-Century American Literature



Knowing what is missing is an important first step.

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## [A Bell's Journey through Texas History](#)



For those in later years, the bell's value lay not in its powerful sound, but in its visual representation.

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## **Fighting Words: The Pamphlets of a Democratic Revolution**





To judge from the Concord collection, the public forum of antebellum America was no model of democratic deliberation.

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## Tracing Material Culture Histories: A Miniature Mokuk within Networks of Indigenous Resistance





Even before the miniaturization of mokuks as souvenir items, these folded birchbark baskets served as trade items that also facilitated diplomacy between Native and colonial nations.

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## Teaching in Crisis with Absalom Jones and Richard Allen

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NARRATIVE  
OF THE  
PROCEEDINGS  
OF THE  
BLACK PEOPLE,  
DURING THE LATE  
Awful Calamity in Philadelphia,  
IN THE YEAR 1793:

For Jones and Allen, the problem was not a lack of information, but stubbornly partial accounts of that information.