

WASHINGTON

Journal of J. R. ...
1836-1839

from 8th March 1836
to
21st of June 1839

^A Arnold negro - - - - -	free by	^A Peter Heflich	15.
Able Daniel	Isabella Hughes & others	32

^B Bul Negro		free by J. T. Mason	1
Buchanan Benjamin	free by	William Sabby	57
Barnes John	" by	Richard Barnes	65
Barnes Joseph M	" by	John Barnes	66
Barnes Caroline N	" by	John Barnes	66

Crawford Maria			
Clem Negro	free by	Valentine Motter	58.9
Cole Samuel	"	Geo Brumbaugh	60.

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Caroline negro	Free by	Sam. Bruce	14
Casper Perry			24
Collins Noah	Free'd by	Wm J Brown	25
Crawford Maria	Free'd by	Hannah McCauley	27
Craig Harry	" "	Peter Malott	33
Curtis William	" "	Peter Schuebley	119

A. T.

		D	L	E	
David Negro	Free by	Jacob Rowland			1
Derham Frank	" "	J. Mason			2
David Negro	" "	Mr S. Waulegar			6
Dorcas Negro	" "	Sam. Buhman			43
David Negro	" "	Jno Ask			111
Dixon James	" "	Peter Schuebley			57

Fanner Hannah Negro free by William Gabby

52

George Negro free by John Gillbaron
Gibson Jane " " Horatio & Thos. Blagett
" " " " Ino. J. Mason

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Jones Fanny Negro free by William Brown

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HC & J.
Harry Negro free by John Dawson

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Hawkins James by W. Lewis

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Hawkins Harrietta " Same

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Hawkins Elmira " Same

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Hawkins Susanna " Same

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Henry Negro " Charles McCauley

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Howard Mapa " Lewis Howard

34

Howard Washington " Same

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Howard Samuel " Same

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Howard Nancy " Same

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Henry Negro " Milcha Synch

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Hawken Samuel Serousick Gabriel Swain

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Sack Negro free by John J. Mason

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Sonathan " " " Nick Stoops

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Juan " " " Sur. Allen

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Jos " " " Stephen Bartton

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Joseph " " " Valentine Motter

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Kiss Harry ^{K L S} by Deed of Jacob Hammond

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Luke
Lewis

negro free by Sur. Allen
" " George Bowers

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Murry Lewis ^{M & N} Thru'd by J. Hall

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Sailor Lewis negro free by John T. Mason
Nancy " wife of " John Proffman
Nance Negro free by Will of Jacob Rowland
Nancy Tyler " " By Geo. Oakle

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Patterson	negro	free by	Mar: Suyden	4
Saul	"	"	Sus: Alter	9
Perry	Charles	"	George Smith	19

Q. S. R.

Rideout	Sarah	free by	D: Samuel Young	35
Rideout	Caroline	"	"	36
Rideout	Rachael	"	"	37
Rideout	Mary	"	"	38
Rideout	Charles	"	"	39
Rideout	George	"	"	id
Rossa	Jacob	"	Deed of Geo: A. Adams	46
Wife			Will Peter Schuchler	48

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Sarah negro	free by	Sur: Alter	11
Pomeroy	"	Tho: Mearns	17
St. Clair Abra.	"	David Gallu	18
Snyder Betzy	"	Richard Barnes	30
Shorter Athalia			31
Samuel	"	Geo: Braumbaugh	42.60
Samuel	"	Benj: Malott	43
Gyer's William	"	Jacob Rowland	47
Stewart Mary	"	Peter Schuebly	50
Smith Joseph	"	Wm Gabby	61
Snowden Patience	"	Margaret Snyder	4

T L W. R

Warney Joseph	free by	Stephen Sartten	53
Tyler Nancy	"	J. Each	64

Van negro	free by	Milcha Lynch	48.
"	"	"	id

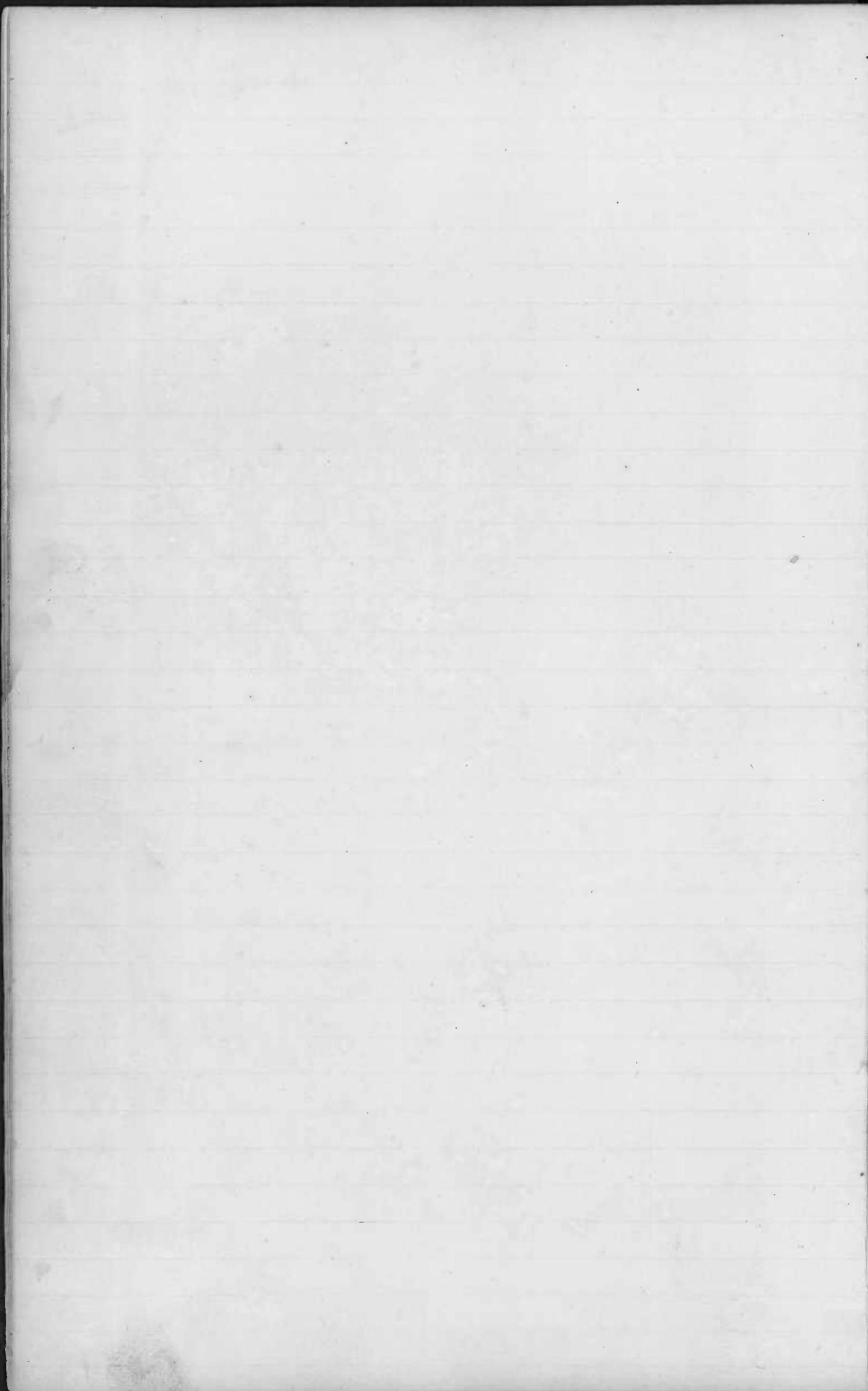
Abraham White
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free by Ina. B. Lincaster
" " Same

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State of Maryland, Washington County, To wit:

I hereby certify that it appears from the records of my office that the bearer hereof Negro Bette, was manumitted and set free by John T. Mason Executor of the testament and last will of Richard Barnes deceased on the third day of November 1807 to be free when she should attain the age of eighteen years which would happen on the 1st day of January 1812. The said Bette is at this time about thirty three years of age, about five feet two inches high, dark complexion, has no distinguishable mark except the decay and loss of two or three of her front teeth, she has resided ever since her manumission and still resides in the county aforesaid

Given under my hand and the seal of my office this 18th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty seven

Dan Schnelly, Reg. Wiler
Wash. County, Md.

State of Maryland, Washington County To wit:

I hereby certify that it appears from the records of my office that the bearer hereof Negro David was manumitted and set free by the will of Jacob Rowland late of said county, dec. in the following words to-wit, "I will and order that my negro David shall be free at the end of seven years" and it also appears that the will of said Rowland was regularly proven on the 18th January 1821. The said David is at this time about twenty nine years of age, about five feet eight inches high, dark complexion, has a scar on the left side of his nose, no other distinguishable mark - David has resided since his manumission and still resides in the county aforesaid.

Given under my hand and the seal of my office this 8th day of March one thousand eight hundred and twenty eight

Daniel Schnelly, Reg.
of Wiler Wash County, Md.

State of Maryland, Washington County, Court:

I hereby certify that it appears from the records of my Office, that the bearer hereof Negro Frank Dehann was manumitted and set free by John T. Mason Executor of the last will and testament of Richard Barnes deceased on the third day of November 1807 to be free when he should attain the age of twenty two years, which would happen on the 1st day of January 1826 - The said Frank is at this time about twenty six years of age about five feet four inches high, dark complexion, has a scar on the inside of the little finger on the left hand, and a scar on the left thigh occasioned by a burn, he has resided ever since his manumission and still resides in this county, -

Given under my hand and the seal of my office this tenth day of March in the year of our Lord 1828

Dan^l Schneckly, Reg.
Wills Wash. Cty, Md

State of Maryland,
Washington County, Court:

I hereby certify that it doth appear from the records of my office that the bearer hereof Negro Lewis Neiter was manumitted and set free by John T. Mason Executor of the last will and testament of Richard Barnes deceased on the third day of November 1807 to be free when he should attain the age of twenty two year which would happen on the first day of January 1827 - The said Lewis is at this time about twenty three years of age about five feet six inches high, dark complexion, has a small scar on the back of his left neck and one on the left cheek, he has ever since his manumission and still doth reside in this county, -

Given under my hand and the seal of my office this tenth day of March in the year of our Lord 1828

Dan^l Schneckly, Reg.
Wills Wash Cty, Md

Maryland, Washington County, To wit:

I do hereby certify, that it appears from the records of my office, that the bearer hereof Negro Jack was manumitted and set free by John T. Mason Executor of the last will and testament of Richard Barnes deceased, on the third day of November 1807. to be free when he should attain the age of twenty two years, which would happen on the 1st day of January 1812 = The said John is at this time about thirty eight years of age, about five feet five and a half inches high, dark complexion, has a large scar on the left side of his face and a scar on his left thumb. he is at this time a resident of the State of Pennsylvania

Given under my hand and the seal of my office this
ninth day of July in the year of our Lord 1828

Dan Schnobly Rog^r
Wills of Wash. Cty. Md.

Maryland Washington County To wit

I do hereby certify that it appears from the records of my office that the bearer hereof Negro George was manumitted and set free by John T. Mason Executor of the last will and testament of Richard Barnes deceased on the 30th day of November 1807 to be free when he should attain the age of twenty two years which would happen on the first of January 1819 The said George is at this time about thirty two years of age about five feet nine inches and a half high dark coloured, small eyes has a scar on the back of his right hand between the middle and fore fingers and his right wrist having the appearance of being out of joint. He is at this time a resident of the State of Pennsylv^a

Given under my hand and the seal
of my Office sixteenth day of July in
the year of our Lord 1828.

Dan Schnobly Rog^r Wills
Md. Md.

Maryland Washington County Court

I do hereby certify that it appears from the records of my office that the bearer hereof Negro Patience was manumitted and set free by the will of Margaret Snyder late of said County deceased which will was regularly proved in the Orphans Court of said County on the 14th day of November 1808. The said Patience is at this time about twenty three years of age about five feet three inches high her colour not so dark as Negroes in general, a large mouth thick lips a scar on the back of her left hand near the wrist and a large black mole on the breast she is at this time a resident of the state of Maryland

Given under my hand and the seal of my office this twenty third day of August in the year one thousand eight hundred & twenty eight

Daniel Schnebly Register
Wells W. C. M.

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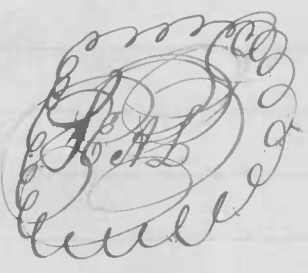
THE STATE OF MARYLAND,

Washington County, to wit:

I hereby certify, to all to whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination of the records and papers in the office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of John Probyman late of the County aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the twenty ninth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four was proved and recorded in the said Office on the eleventh day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four. in Liber B. Folios 72 & 73. and that the said John Probyman by his said Will among other things did devise and direct that a Molatto Girl by the name of Nancy with her offspring should serve his wife Mary during her life and at the death of said wife the said Molatto Girl Nancy should be free and discharged from servitude.

And I do further certify, that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the ~~DEAR~~ hereof, negro Nancy whose height is about five feet; whose age is about forty one; whose complexion is a light Molatto, and who has a small scar on the right side of her upper lip, and who, as appears, became free on the day of _____ in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty one is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid, and that the said negro Nancy was raised in and is at this time a resident of the County aforesaid.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this 12th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty nine


Dan Schenckly, Reg^r
Wills Washington County, Md.

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THE CASE OF MARYLAND

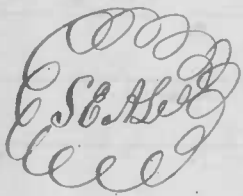
Washington County, to wit:

I hereby certify, to all to whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last will and Testament of Matthew Lewis Van Lear late of the County aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the twenty sixth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen was proved and recorded in the said office on the eighth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixteen in Liber B folios 542. 543 and 544 and that the said Matthew Lewis Van Lear by his said Will among other things did devise and direct that his negro boy, David should be fully and completely manumitted and free at the end of eleven years from day of his death —

And, I do further certify, that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, the BEARER hereof, negro David whose height is about five feet, two inches; whose age is about thirty six whose complexion is very dark and whose only prominent marks are two small scars one in each eyebrow and a small double black mark under the left eye and who, as appears by said Will and Testament, became free in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty seven in the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid, and that the said Negro David was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of said County —

In testimony whereof, I have hereto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this seventh day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty nine

Dan Schuchly Reg^r
Wills Washington County, Md.



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The State of Maryland
Washington County, To wit:

I hereby certify to all to whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills of Washington County, it appears that the last will and Testament of Nicholas Stoops late of the County aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the Sixteenth day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four in Lib. B. folios 99 and 100 and that the said Nicholas Stoops by his said Will among other things did devise and direct that his negro boy named Jonathan should serve until he arrived to the age of thirty years and then to be free

And I do further certify, That it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the Bearer hereof, vizt Jonathan whose height is about five feet seven inches; whose age is about thirty years whose complexion is light molatto and who has a mole near the right corner of his mouth and who, as appears by said will and Testament, became free on or about the first day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid; and that the said negro Jonathan was raised in and is at this time a resident of Washington County.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the Seal of my office this Seventh day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one

Dan. Schneckly Reg^r
Wills Washington County, Md.

The State of Maryland,
Washington County, to wit:

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination of the Records and papers in the office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of John Newsom late of ^{the} said County aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the 22^d day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventeen was proved and recorded in the said office on the 10th day of March 1818 in Liber C 41-42-43-44 and 45 and that the said John Newsom by his said Will among other things did devise and direct that his negro boy named Harry should serve untill he arrived to the age of twenty eight years and then to be free.

And, I do further certify, that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the Bearer hereof, negro Harry whose height is about 5 feet 7¹/₂ inches; whose age is about thirty six whose complexion is dark and who has a scar on the little finger of his left hand between the first + second joint and who as appears by the said Will and Testament, became free on the 22^d day of April Eighteen hundred and twenty three is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid, and that the said negro Harry was raised in and is at this time a resident of Washington County.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this 17th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one.

David Schnellly Reg
Wills Washington County Md

Seal

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The State of Maryland
Washington County To wit:

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills, for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of Susan Alter late of the County aforesaid, deceased bearing date the twenty first day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one in Liber 6 Folios 560 & 561 and that the said Susan Alter by her said Will among other things did devise and direct that the said man (Paul commonly called Sack) should be completely manumitted and free immediately after her death.

And I do further certify, that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the Bearer hereof, negro (Paul commonly called Sack) whose height is about five feet four and a half inches; whose age is about thirty one or two years whose complexion is rather dark and whose only prominent mark is a scar about a half an inch in length upon his right eye, directly below the brow, and who as appears by said Will and Testament, became free on or about the twelfth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one, is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid, and that the said negro Paul commonly called Sack, was raised in Washington and is at this time a resident of said County.



In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my Office this 22nd day of March in the year of Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two

Dan Schuebley Reg^r
Wills Washington County

The State of Maryland
Washington County, to Wit:

I hereby Certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of Susanna Alter late of the County aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the twenty first day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty was proved and recorded in the said Office on the twelfth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one in Libe 6 folio 360 & 361 and that the said Susanna Alter by her said Will among other things did devise and direct that her negro slave Jude shall have her freedom immediately after her decease.

And, I do further testify, that it hath been proved by such testimony, as is satisfactory to me, that the Bearer hereof, negro Jude whose height is about five feet three inches, whose age is about forty four years whose complexion is Black, thick lips, pleasant countenance the fore finger of her right hand enlarged, accompanied by Whitlow or Fellow, and who as appears by said Will and Testament, became free on the first day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid, and that the said negro Jude was raised in Washington County Md and is at this time resident of Hagers Town in said County.

The testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this thirteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two.

David Schuelly Reg^r of Wills
Washington County Md

Seal

The State of Maryland
Washington County, to wit:

I hereby Certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of Susanna Altus late of the County aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the Twenty first day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty was proved and recorded in the said Office on the Twelfth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one in Liber C folios 360 & 361 and that the said Susanna Altus by her said Will among other things did devise and direct that her negro Slave Sarah shall have her freedom immediately after her decease.

And, I do further Certify that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that to me, that the Bearer hereof, negro Sarah whose height is about five feet three and a half inches, whose age is about twenty six years whose complexion is Black rather a small ear pleasant countenance no perceivable marks and who, as appears by said Will and Testament, became free on the first day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid, and that the said negro Sarah was raised in Washington County Md and is at this time a resident of Hagerstown in said County.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the Seal of my Office this third day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two.



Sam^l Lehnelly Reg. of Wills
Washington County

The State of Maryland
Washington County, to Wit:

I hereby Certify
to all whom it doth or may concern; that on an
examination of the Records and papers in the Office
of Register of Wills for Washington County, it
appears that the last Will and Testament of
Susanna Alter late of the County aforesaid,
deceased, bearing date the Twenty first day of
October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and thirty was proved and recorded in
the said Office on the twelfth day of November
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hun-
dred and thirty one in Liber C folios 360 & 361
and that the said Susanna Alter by her said
Will among other things did devise and direct
that her negro slave Joseph shall have his
freedom immediately after her decease.

And, I do further testify, that it hath been
proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me,
that the Blacker hereof, Negro Joseph whose height
is about five feet seven and a half inches; whose age is
about twenty years whose complexion is Black, red
thick lips and lame in his left leg and who
appears by said Will and Testament, become free
on the first day of November in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and thirty one is
the identical person who was manumitted or freed as
aforesaid, and that the said negro Joseph was raised
in Washington County Md and is at this time a resident
of Hagerstown in said County

Seal

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto sub-
scribed my name and affixed the seal of
my Office this third day of May in the
year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and thirty two

Done Specially Leg. J. W. de
W. M. de

J. Mason Esq.

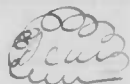
Will Mr Hanson, at his leisure, examine
his records, to see if there is any thing to shew
if Mr Zacharias, freed a Negro Man, by the
Name of Ben Moody. And if so, can he give
a proper instrument to shew the fact. I ask
this at the request of a friend for Business
The transaction must have taken place, I judge
between 1830 & 40.

Chas D
15 Feb

The State of Maryland.
Washington County. To wit:

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern; that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills, for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of Susan Alter late of the County aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the the twenty first day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred, and thirty was proved and recorded in the said office, on the twelfth day of November in the year of our Lord, one thousand, eight hundred and thirty one, in Liber 6 folios, 360. 361. and that the said Susan Alter by her said Will among other things, did devise and direct that her negro slave Luke, shall have his freedom immediately after her decease.

And, I do further testify, that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the Bearer hereof, negro Luke whose height is about five, feet, seven inches; whose age is about forty eight, or nine years, whose complexion is rather dark, and the only prominent marks are a scar on the left side of his upper lip, his little finger of his left hand crooked, from a cut he received when young and a scar on left hand, just below nuckles, occasioned from a burn, and who appears by said Will, and Testament, become free on the 12^a day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred, and thirty one, is the identical person who was manumitted, or freed as aforesaid, and that the said negro Luke was raised in Washington County m^d. and is at this time a resident of said County.



In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name, and affixed the seal of my office this 26th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two.

Done Testably Reg^r of Wills for W. C. m^d.

By Washington County Orphans Court June 5th 1832

Upon the application of Negro Grace a free Woman of colour manumitted by her late masters Horatio Blagett & Thomas Blagett on the 30th day of May last, and the Court having been satisfied by respectable testimony that the said Grace is of extraordinary good character, and conduct. It is therefore ordered by the Court, in pursuance of an act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831 that the said Negro Grace be and she is hereby permitted to remain in Washington County Maryland as a free Woman of colour from the 5th day of June 1832 until the 5th day of June 1833

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my Office this sixth day of June 1832

Sam^l Schenebly R. W. N. C.

The State of Maryland, Washington County Court.
I hereby certify to all whom it shall concern that in examination of the records and papers in the office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last will and testament of Susanna Biscue late of the County aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the 14th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twelve was proved and recorded in the said Office on the 29th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventeen in Liber C folios 124 & 125 and the said Susanna Biscue by her said Will among other things did devise and direct that at the expiration of four years after her death her negro slave Caroline should have her freedom. And I do further certify, that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the bearer hereof, Negro Caroline whose height is about 5 feet 6 inches; whose age is about whose complexion is

dark and whose only perceivable mark is a black spot on the right arm occasioned by a burn and who, as appears by said Will and testament became free on the 29th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid, and that the said negro Caroline was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of the same.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this 25th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two.

D and T. S. Deely
 Register of Wills
 for Washington County

The State of Maryland, Washington County, Lewis
 I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination on the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last will and testament of Peter Slepleigh late of the said County aforesaid, dated bearing date the twenty eighth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty five was proved and recorded in the said Office on the third day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty seven in Lib^{er} folios 374. 75 & 376 and that the said Peter Slepleigh by his said Will among other things did devise and direct that his negro man Arnold be emancipated on the first day of May one thousand eight hundred and twenty eight And I do further certify, that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the bearer hereof, Negro Arnold whose height is about five feet seven & 1/2 inches; whose age is about thirty years whose

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 left elbow and a large scar on the breast occa-
 sioned by a scald or burn and who is as appears
 by said Will and Testament, became free on the first
 day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand
 eight hundred and twenty eight is the identical
 person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid
 and, that the said negro Arnold was raised in
 Washington county and is at this time a resident
 of the same

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereto subscribed
 my name and affixed the seal of my office this
 nineteenth day of February in the year of our
 Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty three
 Geo. Schuylly Esq.

Wm. Wash. City Md

By Washington County Orphans Court Oct: 30th 1838
 On application It is ordered by the Court that
 the above Negro Arnold be permitted to remain in the State of
 Maryland for one year from this date

Permit granted accordingly

Test

Geo. Schuylly Esq.

By Washington County Orphans Court on the 21st day
of November 1832

On application of Tomaset a man of Colour aged
about forty years and manumitted by Thomas McCurtell of
Washington County in the State of Maryland, his late Master
by a deed of manumission now of Record in the Clerks Office
of Washington County bearing date the 23rd day of August 1832

It is ordered by the Court in consequence of the extraordinary
good ~~conduct~~ of said Tomaset and his unexceptionable
Character as represented to the Court by respectable testimony
that the Register of Wills issue to the said Tomaset a License
permitting him to remain in Washington County for one
year from this date agreeable to the provisions of the act of
assembly passed at Fre^{es} Session 1831 Chapter 281 section
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Clerk Dan Schuchell Ryz

Washington County Orphans Court Dec^r 24th 1833

On application It is ordered by the Court that
the above license be continued for one year from the 21st day
of November 1833

Clerk

Dan Schuchell Ryz

Washington County Orphans Court June 2nd 1835

On application It is ordered by the Court
that the above license be continued for one year from the 21st
of Nov^r 1834

Clerk

Dan Schuchell Ryz

Washington County Orphans Court Sept^r 27th 1836

On application It is ordered by the
Court that the above license be continued to 21st Nov^r 1835

Renewed Sept 27. 1837. D. 1838. Clerk Dan Schuchell Ryz

D. 1839 D. 1840
D. 1841 D. 1842
D. 1843

By Washington County Orphans Court May 2nd 1841

On application Abraham J. Clair

a man of colour aged about Forty years and emancipated by David Zeller of Washington County in the State of Maryland his late Master by a deed of manumission of Record in the Clerks Office of said County bearing date in April 1837.

It is ordered by the Court, that in consequence the extraordinary good conduct of said Abraham J. Clair and his unexceptionable character as represented to the Court by his late Master the Register Issue to the said Abraham J. Clair a Special permission how to remain in Washington County for one year from this date especially to the provisions of the act passed at Dec^r Session 1831 Chapter 281 Section 5

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
 affixed the public seal of my office this 3rd day of
 May 1841

Test I am Truly Yrs

By Washington County Orphans Court June 2nd 1841

On application It is ordered by the Court that the above license be continued for one year from the 3rd day of May last

Test I am Truly Yrs

By Wm. O. Court June 1st 1841

On application of Abraham J. Clair, It is ordered by the Court that the above license be continued for one year from this date Test I am Truly Yrs

By Washington County Orphans Court 28th of Feb^y 1843

On application of Abraham J. Clair. It is ordered that the above license be renewed for one year from this date
 Test I am Truly Yrs

By Washington County Orphans Court 30th April 1844

On application of Abraham J. Clair. It is ordered that the above license be renewed for one year from this date
 Test James Watson, Reg

By Washington Cyprianus Court June 10th 1834

On application of Charles Perry a man of colour who by the last will and Testament of George Smith late of Washington County Dec^d (duly proved and entered of Probate in the Cyprianus Court aforesaid on the 3rd day of April 1834) was ordered to be manumitted and set free by his Executor three months after the Decree of said Testator Charles is represented as being about 38 years of age 5 feet 4 inches in height slender made and of a dark brown colour a scar on the left side of his forehead & a mole in the palm of his left hand It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Charles and his unexceptionable character as represented to the Court by the Executor of said George Smith Dec^d the Register open to the said Charles Perry a License permitting him to remain in Washington County for one year from the 10th day of June 1834 agreeable to the provisions of the act of Assembly passed at December session 1831 Chapter 281 Section 5

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of office this 10th day of June 1834

Test

David H. H. Cyprianus

By Washington County Cyprianus Court June 9th 1834

On application It is ordered by the Court that the above license be continued for one year from the 10th June 1835

Test

David H. H. Cyprianus

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec^r: 16th 1834

On application of James Haulberg a man of color aged 30 years the 1st of Dec^r: 1834 - 5 feet 7 inches high a light mulatto hair rather straight brown eyes and well made
 recommended by A. Swann on the 11th day of Dec^r: 1834 by order of manumission of Record in the Clerk's office of said County that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said James Haulberg as recommended to the Court by A. Swann and J. S. Keyser
 It is ordered by the Court that the Register Issue to the said James Haulberg a License permitting to remain in Washington County for one year from this date agreeably to the provisions of the act of assembly passed at Dec^r: session 1831 Chap^r: 281 Section 5

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In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office this 16th day of Dec^r: 1834

Test Dan Schaubly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec^r: 29th 1835
 On application It is ordered by the Court that the above license be renewed for one year from the 16th day of Dec^r: 1835

Test Dan Schaubly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec^r: 13th 1836 On application the above license is renewed for one year from the 16th Dec^r: 1836

Test Dan Schaubly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec^r: 12th 1837
 On application the above license is renewed one year from the 16th Dec^r: 1837

Test Dan Schaubly Reg

Renew 18th Dec^r: 1838.

Renewed 17th Dec^r: 1839

Test Dan Schaubly Reg

Renewed 15th Dec^r: 1840

ditto - 11th Dec^r: 1841.

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec^r: 17. 1844: On application the above license is renewed for one year
 (See new Book) Test James Varon Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec. 16th 1834

On application of Henrietta Hankins a woman of colour aged 39 years in March next about 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high light mulatto hair rather straight handsome and well made manumitted by A. Linn by a deed of manumission of Record in the Clerk's office of said County bearing date the 11th day of Dec. 1834 It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Henrietta and her very respectable character as represented to the Court by A. Linn and S. A. Guy the Register Issue to the said Henrietta Hankins a License permitting her to remain in Washington County for one year from this date according to the act of Assembly passed at Dec. Session 1831 Chap. 281 section 5

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office this 16th day of Dec. 1834

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Test

Dan Schuett, Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec. 27th 1835

On application It is ordered by the Court that the above license be continued for one year from the 16th of Dec. 1835

Test Dan Schuett, Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec. 13th 1836 on application

It is ordered that the above license be renewed for one year from the 16th of Dec. 1836

Test. Jas. Schuett, Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec. 12th 1837

On application It is ordered by the Court that the above license be renewed for one year from the 16th Dec. 1837.

Renewed 18th Dec. 1838

Renewed 17th Dec. 1839

Renewed 15th Dec. 1840

Letto 11th Dec. 1841

(See New Book)

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec. 17th 1844: On application the above license is renewed for one year

Teste James Madison Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec^r 16th 1834

On application of Elmina Wauking a woman of Colour aged 25 years in Dec^r 1834 by J. M. Morrow Colours handsome & well made hair rather straight uncurled by J. Sumner by deed of manumission bearing date 11th day of Dec^r 1834 of Record in the Clerks office of Washington County It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good character of said Elmina Wauking and her unexceptionable character as represented to us by J. Sumner & J. S. Gregory the Register Issue to said Elmina Wauking a Licence to remain in Washington County for one year from the date hereof agreeable to the act of assembly passed Dec^r Session 1831 Chap 281 sections

In test whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office
 Dec^r 16th day of Dec^r 1834

Test
 Dan Schuettly Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec^r 16th 1835 on application

It is ordered by the Court that the above licence be continued for one year from the 16th Dec^r 1835
 Test Dan Schuettly Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec^r 13th 1836 on application
 the above licence is renewed for one year from 16th Dec^r 1836
 Test Dan Schuettly Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court 12th Dec^r 1837
 on application the above licence be renewed for one year from the 16th Dec^r 1837

Teste Dan Schuettly Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court 18th Dec^r 1838
 on application the above licence be renewed for one year from the 16th Dec^r 1838
 Teste Dan Schuettly Reg.

Renewed 17th Dec^r 1839

Renewed 15th Dec^r 1840

Teste 14th Dec^r 1841.

By Washington County Orphan Court Dec^r 16th 1834
 On application of Susanna Humber aged
 20 years in Dec^r 1834 light mulatto's color hair rather straight
 hands and feet well made manumitted by W^m Swan by deed of
 manumission of Record in the Clerk's office of Washington County
 bearing date the 11th day of Dec^r 1831 It is ordered by the Court
 that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said
 Susanna Humber and her unexceptionable good character
 as represented to us by W^m Swan and J^s A. Guyon the
 Register I give to the said Susanna Humber a License
 permitting her to remain in this state for one year from this date
 equally to the act passed at dec^r session 1831 Chap 281 section 5

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and affixed the public seal of my office this 16th
 day of Dec^r 1834
 Dec^r 18th 1838
 Re Dec^r 18th 1831
 Renewed 29th Dec^r 1835
 Dec^r 1839
 Dec^r 1840
 Jan^y 13th 1836
 Test Dan Schueble Reg^r
 Test Dan Schueble Reg^r

By Washington County Orphan Court January 13th 1835
 On application of Jeremiah Mason Anthony Snyder
 & others, Anthony Porter of a dark complexion five feet nine & a half
 inches high, a slight scar on his left cheek, and rather a down look
 when spoken to about thirty five years of age, The said Negro man
 named Anthony Porter was manumitted and set free by Jeremiah
 Mason of the County & State aforesaid, on the twenty second
 day of December eighteen hundred and thirty four as appears from
 a Deed of manumission recorded in the Clerk's office of Wash-
 ington County. It is ordered by the court that in consequence
 of the extraordinary good conduct of said An^{tho}. Anthony Porter
 and his unexceptionable good character as represented to us by Antho-
 ny Snyder Jeremiah Mason & others the Register I give to the said Antho-
 ny Porter a License permitting him to remain in this state for one year
 from the 13th day of January 1835 agreeably to the act of assembly passed at
 Dec^r session 1831 Chap 281 Section 5

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
 seal of office this 13th day of Jan^y 1835
 See New Book
 Test Dan Schueble Reg^r

By Washington County Exchans Court May 19th 1835

On application of Perry Cooper aged 53 years dark complexion has a little grey about five feet five inches high & well made manumitted by William Shelby by deed of manumission bearing date the 15th day of April 1835 It is ordered by the Court (that in consequence of the extraordinary good character of said Perry and his unexceptionable conduct as represented to us by R. M. Edball Esqr) the Register Issue a license to the said Perry Cooper permitting to remain in this state for one year from this date agreeable to the act of assembly passed at Dec^r session 1831 Chapter 281 section 5

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 19th day of May 1835

Leet Dan Dehnbly R

By Washington County Orphans Court June 23^d 1835

An application of Noah Collins a free man of Color manumitted by W^m H. Brown, 5 feet 9 inches high stout & well made a bright copper Coloured Matatto a bluish in his right eye a small worm upon the upper joint of the right fore finger a large scar on the upper part of the head no other visible marks about 33 years of age It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary conduct of said Noah and his unbecomingly character as represented to us by Daniel Ueal & Dr. W. Kennedy the Register Issue to said Noah a license permitting him to remain in this state for one year from this date agreeable to the act of Assembly passed at December session 1831 Chapter 281 section 5

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 23^d day of June 1835
Test
Dan Schuebley Reg

By Washington Orphans Court June 22^d 1836
The above certificate is renewed.

Teste Dan Schuebley Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court August 16th 1842
On application It is ordered that the above certificate be renewed for one year from this date.

Teste Dan Schuebley Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court 8th Augst 1843
It is ordered that the above certificate be renewed for one year from this date

Teste Dan Schuebley Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court 3^d Sept 1844.
It is ordered by the court that the above certificate be renewed for one year from this date

Teste James Mason Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court 22^d September 1846
It is ordered by the court that the above certificate be renewed for one year from this date
Teste James Mason, Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court August 18th 1833 -

On application of James Murry a man of colour aged 40 years on the 25th of Dec^r last 5 feet 7 inches high bright mattato Colour lame in the left leg scar on the left arm near the elbow & Crooked manumitted by John Wall by deed of manumission now of Record in the Clerks office of said County bearing date the sixth day of May 1835. It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said James Murry and his very excellent good character as represented to the Court by Messrs. Mill Thomas Keller and Dan Schmebly the Register Issue to the said James a licence permitting him to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date according to the act of assembly passed at dec^r session 1831 Chap 281 act 5

In testimony whereof Charles Knumb set my hand
 (Seal) and affixed my official seal this 18th August 1835
 Jas Dan Schmebly Esq

By Washington County Orphans Court August 23rd 1836

The above Certificate is renewed
 Test Dan Schmebly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court 15 Aug 1837
 The above Certificate is renewed for one year from this date
 Teste Dan Schmebly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court 7 Aug 1838
 It is ordered by the Court that the above certificate be renewed for one year from this date
 Teste Dan Schmebly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court Aug 20th 1839
 It is ordered by the Court that the above certificate be renewed for one year from this date
 Teste Dan Schmebly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court 18 Aug 1840
 It is ordered by the Court that the above certificate be renewed for one year from this date
 Teste Dan Schmebly Reg

Renewed 17th Aug 1841 Teste Dan Schmebly Reg
 Renewed 30th Aug 1842 Teste Dan Schmebly Reg

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By Washington County Orphans Court Augt
25 1835.

On application of Maria Crawford a
bright Mulatto Girl aged about 23 years hair rather
straight five feet four inches in height manumitted
ed by the Will of Hannah McCauley late of Was-
hington County Deceased which will is now of Record
in the Registers office of Washington County & State of
Maryland bearing date in the year 1832 which
will appear from said Record.

It is therefore ordered by the Court in conse-
quence of the Extraordinary good conduct of said
Negro Maria Crawford and her unexceptionable
good character as represented by Samuel McCauley
that the register issue to the said Maria
a Licence permitting her to remain in the State
of Maryland for one year from this date agree-
ably to the act of Assembly passed at Dec.
Session 1831 Chap 281 Sec 5.

Seal.

In testimony whereof
I have hereunto set my
hand and the official
seal of office the 25 Augt
1835. Test

Sam Schuebley Esq

By Washington County Orphans Court Sept 13 1836
The above certificate is served

Test Sam Schuebley Esq

The State of Maryland Washington County Collet
 I hereby Certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on
 an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of
 Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will
 and Testament of Charles McCaulley Sen^r late of the County
 aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the ~~4th~~^{11th} day of April 1835
 was proved and recorded in the said Office on the 7th day of
 May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred eight
 hundred seventeen in Liber C folios 22, 23, 24, 25 and that
 the said Charles McCaulley by his said Will among other
 things did devise and direct that his negro woman called Henny
 (after the death of his wife) should be manumitted and set free
 And I do further Certify that it hath been proved by such
 testimony as is satisfactory to me the Deaver Henry negro
 Henny whose height is about 5 feet inches; whose age
 is about years whose complexion is black and who
 as appears by said Will and Testament became free on the
 day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
 hundred and thirty five is the identical person who was man-
 umitted or freed as aforesaid and that said negro Henny was raised
 in Washington County and is at this time a resident of said County.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my
 name and affixed the seal of my Office this 11th day
 of September in the year of our Lord one thousand
 eight hundred and thirty five



Dan Lehnertly Register
 of Wills Washington County
 Md.

By Washington County Orphans Court October 11th 1836

On application of Abraham White and Saline White his wife people of colour Abraham White aged forty years and Saline White aged thirty six years this day manumitted by a deed of manumission executed by John O Swearingen & of record in Washington County Court Abraham is a small stature man five feet seven inches high stout made and inclined to be phthisic, right thumb displaced Saline a bright mulatto woman five feet six inches high stout made, a mole on the left side of her nose.

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of extraordinary good character as represented to the Court by John O Swearingen the Register issue a License to said Abraham and Saline permitting them to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date agreeably to the Act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chapter 281 Section 5



In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal this 11th day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six.

Vesto

Daniel Schuelly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court Oct. 10th 1837

It is ordered by the Court that the above License be renewed for one year from this date

Test Daniel Schuelly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court Oct. 8th 1838

on application it is ordered by the Court that the above Negroes Abraham & Saline White be permitted to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date

Permit issued accordingly

Renewed 1839 8 Oct. 1839

Renewed 1840 13 Oct. 1841 12 Oct.

Teste Dan Schuelly Reg
Teste Dan Schuelly Reg

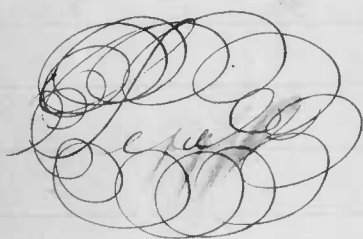
The State of Maryland, Washington County to wit:

I hereby Certify to all whom it doth concern that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of Richard Barnes late of St Mary County, deceased, bearing date the 16th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four in Lib. W. folios 50. 51. 52. 53. 54 to 57 and that the said Richard Barnes by his Will among other things did devise and direct that Betsey Snider be set free three years after his death.

And I further Certify, that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the Person known as Negro Betsey Snider whose height is about 5 feet two inches, whose age is about forty two years of age whose complexion is a dark mulatto and who as appears by the said Will and Testament, became free in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seven is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid, and that the said negro Betsey Snider was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of said County.

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this 8th day of Nov^r in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six.

David Schenckly, Reg^r
Wills Washington County Md



By Washington County Cyprian Court June 31st 1837

On application of Athalina Shorter a free woman of Colour aged about 19 years 5 feet three inches high rather dark complexion of free born. It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Athalina and her unexceptionable Character as represented to us by W^m Sully the Register Issue to said Athalina a License permitting her to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date agreeably to the act of assembly passed at December session 1831 Chapter 281 section 5.

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In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of my office this 21st day of June 1837

Teste Samuel Schuchler C^l

By Washington County

By Washington County Orphans Court April 4th 1837
 On application of Daniel Able a free
 man of colour aged 37 years 5 feet seven inches high
 dark complexion with a scar on his left hand
 a scar on the left side of the head recommended by
 Susan Beahm Rebecca Statton & M Country Hughes
 by deed of manumission bearing date the 4th day of
 April 1837 It is ordered by the Court that in consequence
 of the extraordinary good Character of said Daniel and his
 unexceptionable Character as represented to us by M
 Country Hughes) the Register be and to said Daniel
 as License permitting him to remain in the State for
 one year from this date agreeably to the act of Assembly
 passed at December Session 1831 Chap 28th Section 5th

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
 and affixed the seal of my office this 4th
 day of April 1837

Dan Schuebley J

By Washington County Orphans Court April 5th 1838
 It is ordered by the Court that the above License be renewed for
 one year from the 4th day of April 1838

Joste Dan Schuebley Reg^r

Washington County State of Maryland

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the Records and papers in the office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of Peter Malott late of the County aforesaid deceased bearing date the 7th day of January 1804 was proved and recorded in the said office on the 23rd day of May in the year of our Lord 1806 in Liber B3 Folios 180^o 181 and that the said Peter Malott by his said Will among other things did devise and direct that the whole of his Negro Slaves shall be free the male kind when they arrive to the age of 36 or the female kind to Free when they arrive to the age of thirty years.

And I do further certify that I have been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me that the Bearer hereof Negro Harry Craig whose height is about five Feet 10 inches whose age is about thirty eight whose complexion is Black and who as appears by said last will and Testament became free on the eighteenth day of February 1834 is the identical person who was so admitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro Harry Craig was raised in Washington County Md and is at this time a resident of the same.

(Signature)

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this eleventh day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight

David Schuebley Reg.
Wills W.C. Md.

By Washington County Orphans Court Aug 21st 1838

On application of Massa Howard a free woman of colour aged about forty four years five feet five inches high not very black with a white scar on her left leg about midway between the knee and ankle and her three children Washington aged seventeen years the 10th day of September next a Dark mulattoe and Nancy aged fourteen years in June last and Samuel aged 8 years the 12th day of October next a Dark mulattoe which said people of colour were manumitted and set free by Lewis Howard as will more fully appear from the Freedom papers of the aforesaid parties now of record in the books of Washington County

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Massa Washington - Samuel and Nancy Howard and the unexceptionable good character as represented to the satisfaction of the Court the Register Issue a Licence to said Massa Washington Samuel and Nancy Howard permitting them to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date agreeable to the act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chapter 281 Sect. 5

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office this 21st day of Aug 1838

Dan Schuebley Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court 20th Aug 1839

On application It is ordered by the Court that the above Negroes Massa Washington Samuel & Nancy Howard be permitted to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date Permit issued accordingly

Jeste Dan Schuebley

Renewed by Court 11th Aug 1840 for one year

Jeste Dan Schuebley Reg

Renewed by Court 3rd Aug 1841 for one year

Jeste Dan Schuebley Reg

Renewed by Court 23rd of August 1842 Jeste Dan Schuebley Reg

Renewed for one year, September 1st 1846.
Renewed for one year Aug 26th 1844
Renewed for one year Aug 29th 1845
Renewed for one year Aug 23rd 1842
Renewed for one year Aug 11th 1840

The State of Maryland
Washington County Soil

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the Records and Papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of Samuel Young late of the County aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the Tenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Twenty Three was proved and recorded in the said Office on the seventh day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight in Liber & Folios 339. 40. 1 & 2 and that the said Samuel Young by his said Last Will and Testament among other things did advise & Direct that "all his Negroes should be entitled to their freedom in the course of Three months after my decease or sooner at the discretion of will of my Executors

And I do further certify, that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me that the bearer hereof Moana Sarah Rideout whose height is about five feet six inches whose age is about forty three whose complexion is a Mulatto with a small scar on her left wrist a little above her wrist and who as appears by said Will and Testament became free on the fourteenth day of August 1838 is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro Sarah Rideout was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of Hagers Town Washington County Md.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this eleventh day of Sept in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight

David Schmebly Reg.
Wills Washington County

By Washington County Orphans Court 11th Sept 1838

On application It is ordered by the Court that the above Negro Sarah Rideout be permitted to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date. Permit issued accordingly

Test
David Schmebly Reg.

The State of Maryland
Washington County Court:

Thereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination of the Records and Papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington it appears that the last Will and Testament of Samuel Young late of the County aforesaid Deceased bearing date the tenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and twenty three was proved and recorded in the said Office on the seventh day of August in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight in Liber D Folios 339. 110. 41 & 342 and that the said Samuel Young by his Will among other things did devise and direct "that all his Negroes should be entitled to their Freedom in the course of Three Months after my Decease or sooner at the discretion of my Executors"

And I do further certify that it hath been proven by such — Testimony as is satisfactory to me that the bearer hereof Negro Caroline — whose height is about Five Feet seven and a half inches whose age is about Twenty Four whose complexion is a bright a bright Mollatto with a small ~~scar~~ round scar on the left hand above the middle finger and who as appears by said Will and Testament became free on the fourteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro — Caroline was raised in Washington County Md: and is at this time a resident of Hagers Town.



In Testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the Seal of my Office this Seventh day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight

Sam Schuchley Reg^r
Wills Wash^g Co Md

By Washington County Orphans Court Sept 11th 1838

On application It is ordered by the Court that the above Negro Caroline, be permitted to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date

Permit issued accordingly

Teste Sam Schuchley Reg^r

The State of Maryland
Washington County Md:

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that in view of a view of the deeds and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last Will and Testament of Samuel Young late of the County aforesaid deceased bearing date the — fourth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty three was proved and recorded in the said office on the seventh day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight in Liber D folios 339, 40, 41 & 342 and that the said Samuel Young by his said Will among other things did devise and direct that all his Negroes should be entitled to their freedom in the course of three months after my decease or sooner at the discretion of my Executors

And I do further certify that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me that the Bearer here of Negro Rachael whose height is about five feet four and a half inches whose age is about twenty seven whose complexion is a bright Mulatta without any perceivable marks or scars and who res appears by said Will and Testament, became free on the fourteenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid, and that the said Negro Rachael was raised in — Washington County Md: and is at this time a resident of Majors Town

In Testimony whereof I have herunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this eleventh day of Sept — in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight



David Schuebley Reg:
Wills & C. Md.

By Washington County Orphans Court, Sept 11th 1838

On application It is ordered by the Court that the above Negro Rachael be permitted to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date Permit issued accordingly

Jesse David Schuebley Reg:

Renewed 25 June 1839

Jesse David Schuebley Reg:

The State of Maryland
Washington County Court

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last Will and Testament of Samuel Young late of the County aforesaid, deceased bearing date the Fourth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty three was proved and recorded in the said Office on the seventh day of August one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight in Liber B Folios 339. 40. 41. & 342 and that the said Samuel Young by his said Will among other things did devise and direct that all his Negroes should be entitled to their freedom in the course of three months after my decease or sooner at the discretion of my Executors.

And I further certify that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me that the bearer here of Negro Mary whose height is about Five feet Four inches, whose age is about twenty whose complexion is a bright Mulatto with a small scar on the left hand above the middle finger and who as appears by said Will and Testament, became free on the fourteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro Mary was raised in Washington County Md and is at this time a Resident of Hagerstown

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my Office this seventh day of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight

David Schubbly Reg.
Wills Wash. Co. Md.

By Washington County Orphans Court 11th Sept 1838

On application It is ordered by the Court that the above Negro Mary be permitted to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date Permit issued accordingly

1839 Sept. 10th returned for one year D^s Register
1840 Sept. 14th returned for one year D^s Reg.
1841 Sept. 15th returned for one year D^s Reg.
1842 Sept. 13th returned for one year D^s -

Teste David Schubbly Reg.

The State of Maryland
Washington County Court

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last Will and Testament of Samuel Young late of the County aforesaid Dec^d bearing date the tenth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and Twenty three was proved and recorded in said Office on the seventh day of August one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight in Liber D^o Folios 339. 40. 41 & 342. and that the said Samuel Young by his said Will among other things did devise and direct ^{that} "that all his Negroes should be entitled to their freedom in the course of three months after my decease or sooner at the discretion of my Executors"

And I further certify that it hath been proven by such testimony as is satisfactory to me that the Bearers hereof Charles whose age is about seventeen, a dark Mulatto with a small scar on his upper lip, and George whose age is about seven years, a dark Mulatto with two scars on theuckles of his left hand, and who as appears by said Will and Testament became free on the fourteenth day of August one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight is the identical persons who were manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negroes Charles & George were raised in Washington County Md and are at this time Residents of Stagers Town

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Public seal of my Office this eleventh day of September one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight



Dan Schuebley, Reg^r
Wills Washington Co Md.

By Washington County Orphans Court 11th Sept 1838
on application It is ordered by the Court that the above Negroes Charles and George be permitted to remain in the State of Maryland for one year from this date
Permit issued accordingly
J. Ste Dan Schuebley, Cl^k

The State of Maryland Washington County, To wit
 I hereby Certify to all whom it doth concern,
 that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office
 of Register of Wills of Washington County, it appears that
 the last will and testament of George Roward late of the
 Said County deceased bearing date 2nd day of March in
 the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty
 was proved and recorded in the said Office on the day
 of March 1820 in Liber C. folio 125 & 126 and that the
 said George Roward by his said Will among other things
 did "devise and bequeath unto his Sister Sophia Ann
 Boney his Negro boy to serve until he was twenty eight
 years of age" which time of service elapsed in August 1837
 and now of the representatives of said deceased laying claim
 to him the said Lewis he is considered free. And I do further certify
 that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory
 to me, that the bearer hereof negro Lewis whose height is about 5
 feet 8 inches; whose age is about twenty nine years, whose
 complexion is yellow whose only visible marks are a scar
 on the head a little above the ear and a small round scar
 on the left wrist and whose time of servitude as appears by said
 will elapsed in August in the year of our Lord one thou-
 sand eight hundred and thirty seven is the identical person
 devised as aforesaid and that the said negro Lewis was raised
 in Washington County and is at this time a resident of
 Hagerstown Maryland.

Seal
 of
 the
 Office

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed
 my name and affixed my seal of Office this 25
 day of Sept^r in the year of our Lord one
 thousand eight hundred and thirty eight
 Dan Schneck Register of
 Wills Washington County

By Washington County Orphans Court 25 Sept 1838

On application It is ordered by the Court that the above
 Negro Lewis be permitted to remain in the State of Maryland for one
 year from this date Permit granted accordingly Done Dan Schneck Reg.

The State of Maryland Washington County To Wit:

I hereby Certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on examination of the Records and papers in the office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of John Ash late of said County Die bearing date the twenty eighth day of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty was proved this eighteenth day of August eighteen hundred and thirty and Recorded in said office in Liber B folios 568 & 569 and that the said John Ash by his said Will among other things did devise and direct that his negro slave David should be free when he arrives to the age of thirty three years.

And I further Certify that it hath been proven by such Testimony as is satisfactory to me that the bearer hereof negro David whose height is about five feet six inches whose age is about thirty eight whose complexion is black with a scar on the left cheek near his mouth which was occasioned by the Kick of a horse, and who as appears by said Will and Testament became free in September Eighteen hundred and thirty four is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro was raised in Washington County Maryland and is at this time a resident of Washington County aforesaid

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In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office this twenty first day of March one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine

David Schnedly Regr Wills Washington Co. Md

The State of Maryland Washington County Court

Shereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the Records in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last Will and Testament of Geo: Drumbaugh late of the County aforesaid. deceased bearing date the 22^d day of June 1836 was proved and recorded in the said office on the 22 day of June 1837 in Liber D Folios 288. & 289 and the said George Drumbaugh by his last will and Testament among other things did devise and direct as follows: " I manumit and set free my servant Samuel to take place within thirty days after my decease "

And I do further certify that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me that the Bearer hereof Negro Samuel whose height is about 5 feet 7 1/2 inches whose age is about thirty three whose complexion is a dark ~~brunette~~ has a scar on the brow of the left eye and who as appears by said Will & Testament became free on the 22^d day of July 1837 is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident ofagers Town Maryland

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this 18th day of June 1839
 Geo. Schubbly Reg:
 Wills for Wash: Com^y



See Page 60 for Sam^l Samuel

By Washington County Orphans Court 18th June 1839

on application of Negro Samuel a Free man of colour ~~and~~ about 33 years of age five feet 7 1/2 inches high black with a scar upon the brow of his left eye manumitted by George Drumbaugh late of Washington County deceased by will bearing date the 22^d day of June 1836 and recorded in Liber D Folios 288 & 289. It is ordered by the court that in consequence of the extra ordinary good conduct of said Negro Samuel and his unexceptionable good character as represented to us by Charles cottons The Register I give to said Samuel a Licence permitting him to remain in the City for one year from this date agreeably to the act of assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chap 281 Sec: 5

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office this 18th day of June 1839
 Geo. Schubbly Reg



By Washington County Orphans Court Sept 3^d 1839
 on application of Dorcas a Free woman of
 colour aged about 40 years 5 feet four inches high dark
 complexion with a small scar on the left side of her
 forehead & small black mark on her nose, manumitted
 by Samuel Butsman by Deed of manumission
 bearing date the 10th day of July 1839 and recorded in the
 Clerks Office of Washington County ^{MD}

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of
 the extraordinary good conduct of said Dorcas, and her
 unexceptionable good character as represented to us by
 Henry Smith, the Register issue to said Dorcas a license
 permitting her to remain in the County for one year
 from this date agreeably to the act of Assembly passed
 at December Session 1831 Chap 281 Sec 5

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and affixed the seal of my office
 this 3^d day of Sept 1839

David Schaubly Secy.

State of Maryland Washington County Court

I hereby certify to all whom it may concern that on
 an examination of the records and papers in the Office of Register of
 Mills for Washington County, it appears that the last will and
 Testament of Benjamin Malott late of Washington County
 deceased bearing date the 19th day of September 1836 was proved and
 recorded in the said Office on the 18th day of October 1836 in Liber B
 Folios 236 & 237 and examined the said Benjamin Malott his
 last will and Testament among other things did devise and direct
 as follows. " It is my wish and pleasure that my Negro Man
 Sam shall serve for term of three years to my wife after my
 Decease and then be free "

And I do further certify that it hath been proved by such
 testimony as is satisfactory to this Court that the Bearer hereof
 Negro Sam^l whose height is about 5 feet 8¹/₂ inches high whose age

is about 36 years whose complexion is dark, has a scar on the brow of the left eye and a scar on the left arm occasioned by a cut just below the elbow and who as appears by said will and Testament became free on the 18th day of Oct^r. 1839 is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and the said Negro was raised in Washington County Md. and is at this time a resident of Washington County Md.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of my office this 29th day of October 1839

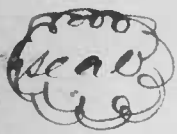
Sam^l Schaubly Esq

By Washington County Orphans Court. 29th Oct^r. 1839.

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good character of said Negro Man Samuel that he be allowed to remain in the County for one year from this date

Teste

Sam^l Schaubly Esq



State of Maryland Washington County Court.

On application of Harry King a man of colour.
maumitted by Jacob Hammond by Deed of Manumission
Dated the 19th day of Nov 1839. & recorded in the Clerks office
of Washington County. - It is ordered by the Court that in con-
-sequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Harry
King and his unexceptionable good character as represented
to us by Jacob Hammond his late master the Register be requested
to issue to said Harry King a license permitting him to remain
in Washington County for one year from this date. agreeably
to the act of Assembly passed at December Term 1831 Chapter
281. Sec 5. Said Harry being 48 years of age 5 feet 9 1/2
inches of a light negro colour with a large scar on his Right
hand above the thumb a little near sighted & has lost two
teeth on his right foot.

In testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand
and affixed the seal of my office this 19th day of
Nov 1839.

Clerk

David Schuchly Reg.

By Washington County Orphan Court: 20th Nov. 1840

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of
the extraordinary good character of said Negro Man Harry
King that he be allowed to remain in the County for one
year from this date

Teste David Schuchly Reg.

- Renewed for one year from the 19th Nov 1841 Teste David Schuchly Reg.
- Renewed for one year from the 29th Nov 1842 Teste David Schuchly Reg.
- Renewed for one year from the 1st December 1843 Teste ~~David~~ James Watson Reg.
- Renewed for one year from the 16 December 1844 Teste James Watson
- Renewed for one year from 16 Decr 1845. James Watson,
- Renewed for one year from 2nd Day of December 1846. James Watson
- Dec 11th 1849 By order of Court upon the recommendation
of Joseph Watson, renewed for one year. Teste J. Watson Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec: 3^d 1839

on application of Jacob Rossa Negro Man
manumitted by John A. Adams by deed of Manumission bearing
date the 27th day of November 1839

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extra-
ordinary good conduct of said Jacob Rossa and his unexceptionable
good character as represented to us by Daniel Piper the Register
be requested to issue to said Jacob Rossa ^{license} permitting him to remain
in Washington County for one year from this date agreeably to
the act of Assembly passed at November session 1831 Chap 281 Sec 5

The said Negro Jacob being 41 years of age, about 5 feet 11¹/₂ inches
high of a dark mulatto colour with a small black spot in the corner
of the left eye, and a circular scar on his left hand occasioned by the
cut of a sickle



In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed the public seal of my office
this 3^d day of December 1839

Wm. Dan Schuobly R.

State of Maryland Washington County SS.

I hereby do

State of Maryland Washington County SS

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the Records and papers in the office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last will and Testament of Jacob Rowland late of the County aforesaid Dec^d. bearing Date the 13th day of January 1821 was proved and recorded in the said Office on the 13th day of July: 1821 in Liber C Folios 146. 147 and that the said Jacob Rowland by his Will among other things did devise and direct that his Negro Girl Mance should be free at the end of twelve years after my decease. and further he wills and directs as follows Scilicet " I further will and order that the child that my Negro Mance has now or any other children she may get during her servitude shall be free at the age of twenty five years

And I do further certify that it hath been proved by such testimony as is satisfactory to me that the bearer hereof William Myers whose height is about five feet eight inches whose age is about 25 years whose complexion is dark and has a small scar on his left leg near the calf. occasioned by a boil and also one of his front upper teeth out. and who as appears by said Will became free at the age of twenty five years. is the identical person who was to be manumitted or freed as aforesaid, being one of the children of said Mance and that the said William was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of Washington County



In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal of this office this 26th day of Dec^r 1839
Jerte

David Schuebley Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court 21st Dec^r 1839

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good character & conduct of said Negro M^{rs}. as represented to us by David Woolf. the Register issue to said William a licence permitting him to remain in the County for one year from this date agreeably to Act of Assembly passed at Dec^r Session 1833 Chap 281 Sect. 5.
Jerte David Schuebley Reg

The State of Maryland Washington County SS

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last Will and Testament of Milcha Lynch late of the County aforesaid Decd. bearing date the 21st day of January 1835 was proved and recorded in the said Office on the 26th day of March 1835 in Liber D Folios 157. 158 and that the said Milcha Lynch by her said Will among other things did devise and direct that "my two Negroes Henry & Nau as they arrive at the ages of twenty five years be manumitted and set free" &c.

And I do further certify that it hath been proved by such Testimony as is satisfactory to me that the bearer hereof Nau whose height is about 5 feet 3 inches whose age is about 25 years whose complexion is dark, and who has a scar on his left arm occasioned by a bite and also a scar on his left foot on the instep occasioned by a cut and who as appears by said Will and Testament become free at the age of twenty five years is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro Nau was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of said County.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of my office this 27th day of Dec: 1839

Teste Nau Schuchly Dec



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State of Maryland Washington County, Nowit

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination of the records and papers in the office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last will and Testament of Peter Schuebly late of the County aforesaid, deceased bearing date the twenty sixth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six was proved and recorded in the said Office on the twenty ninth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six in Liber D Folios 209. 210 and that the said Peter Schuebly late Dec^d by his will among other things did devise and direct that his Negro Man William Curtis should be manumitted and set free.

And I do further certify, that his been proven by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the Bearer here of Negro William Curtis whose height is about five feet Ten and a half inches, whose age is about forty five whose complexion is very Black no visible marks recollectid except a small scar on the fore head and who as appears by said will and Testament became free on the twenty ninth day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro William Curtis was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of Washington County.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office this 11th day of August 1840

Dan Schuebly Reg^r
Wills Wash Co Md.

By Washington County Orphans Court 11th Sept 1840

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Negro William and his unexceptionable good character as represented to us by Joseph Reuch and others the Register issue a License permitting him to remain in the County for one year from this date agreeably

to the act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831
Chapt 281. Sect. 5

Justice Dau Schuelly Esq

State of Maryland Washington County SS

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the records and papers in the office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last will and Testament of Peter Schuelly late of the County aforesaid deceased bearing date the 26th day of March 1836 was proved and recorded in the said office on the 29th day of March 1836 in Liber L Folios 209 & 210 and that the said Peter Schuelly by his Will among other things did devise and direct that ~~he~~ "Mary Stewart be set free with her youngest Daughter.

And I do further certify; That it has been proven by such testimony as is satisfactory to me that the Bearer hereof Negro Mary Stewart whose height is about five feet five inches whose age is about 35 whose complexion is a bright yellow: and who as appears by said Will and Testament became free on the 29th day of March in the year of our Lord 1836 is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro Mary was raised in Washington County

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office this 18th day of Aug 1840

Dau Schuelly Esq

By Washington County Orphans Court 18 Aug 1840

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good character & conduct of said Negro Mary as represented to the Court by Joseph Reuch and others the Register issue a License permitting her to remain in County for one year from this date agreeably to the act of Assembly passed at Dec^r Session 1831 Chap 281 Sec 5

Justice Dau Schuelly Esq

State of Maryland Washington County SS

I hereby certify to all whom it may concern that on an examination of the records and papers in the office of Register of the wills for Washington County it appears that the last will and Testament of Peter Schuelly late of the County aforesaid Esq. bearing date the 26th day of March 1836 was proved and recorded in the said office on the 29th day of March 1836 in Liber & Folios 209-210 and that the said Peter Schuelly by his will among other things did devise and direct that James Dixon be sold to serve for the term of four years at the end of which time he is to be free.

And I do further certify that it has been proven by such testimony as is satisfactory to me that the bearer hereof Negro James Dixon whose height is about 5 feet 5¹/₂ inches whose age is about 28 years whose complexion is a yellow and who as appears by said Will and Testament became free on the 29th day of March 1840 is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro James Dixon was raised in Washington County Md.

In Testimony that the foregoing is true
I have hereunto set my hand and affixed
my seal of office this 22nd day of Sept. 1840
David Schuelly Reg.

By Washington County Orphans Court 22nd Sept 1840

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good character & conduct of said Negro the Register issue a License permitting him to remain in the County for one year from this date agreeably to the act of Assembly passed at Gen. Session 1838 Chap. 28 Sec. 3

Teste David Schuelly Reg.

Renewed for one year from the 15th of March 1842 by the recommendation of
William Rice

Renewed for one year from 26th March 1844 by the Recommendation
Henry R. Rice
Teste James Hasen Reg.

By Washington County Orphan Court 26th Oct 1840

On application of Hannah Farmer a free woman of colour aged 23 years the -- day of -- 1840 about 5 feet high yellow complexion with a scar on her nose occasioned from the cutting out of a cancer wart manumitted by William Gabby by deed of Manumission bearing date the 26th day of October 1840

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Negro Hannah Farmer and her unexceptionable good character as represented to us by William Gabby the Register be requested to issue a license to said Hannah Farmer permitting her to remain in Washington County for one year from this date agreeably to an act of Assembly passed at Dec. Term 1833 Chap. 288 Sec. 5.

Who said Negro Hannah Farmer being 23 years of age about 5 feet high of a light yellow colour

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Public Seal of my Office this 26th day of October 1840

Sam Schuelly Reg.
Wills for Was. Co Md

The State of Maryland Washington County, To Wit:
I hereby Certify to all whom it may concern that in an examination of the records and papers in the office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last Will and Testament of Stephen Sartton late of the County aforesaid, do bearing date the 29th day of August in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty seven was found and recorded in the said Office, on the 29th day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty in Volume 10 Folios 402, & 403 and that the said Stephen Sartton by his Will among other things, did devise and direct that his negro boy named Joseph be set free and manumitted immediately after his decease. And I do further Certify; that it has been proven by such testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the person hereof, negro Joseph whose height is about 5 feet 2 inches

whose age is about 35 or 36 whose complexion is black, Stout
 made, has several large scars on his left leg between the knee
 & ankle, several scars on his left leg between the knee & ankle
 several scars on his left arm a good set of teeth and who, as
 appears by said Will and Testament, became free on the 29th day
 of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred
 and forty is the identical person who was manumitted or freed
 as aforesaid and that the said Negro Joseph was raised in Was-
 hington County, and is at this time a resident of the same.

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In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
 hand and affixed the public seal of my office
 this 15th day of December in the year of our Lord
 one thousand eight hundred and forty.

Deer Schnellly, Register of Wills Washington
 County Maryland

By Washington County Orphans Court Dec^r 15th 1840: On application
 of Joseph Sawney a free man of colour aged about thirty five or thirty
 six years two inches in height Stout made has several large
 scars on his left leg between the knee and ankle several scars on
 on his left arm, a good set of teeth was set free by Stephen Sutton
 late of Washington County D.C. by his Will bearing date the 22nd day
 of August 1837 and recorded in Liber D. Folio 402 & 403 and admit-
 ted to probate on the 29th day of July 1840. It is ordered by the Court
 that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said negro
 Joseph Sawney and his unexceptionable good character as reported
 to us by David Wilson Esq. the Register be requested to issue a
 license to said negro Joseph Sawney permitting him to remain
 in Washington County of one year from this date, December, 1st 1840
 1831 Chap^r 281 Sec 5.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
 affixed the public seal of my office this 15th day of
 Dec^r 1840

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Iste Deer Schnellly Reg^r

Turn over for
 Renewals.

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Washington County Orphans Court Dec: 15: 1840

Application of ~~Jeremiah~~ Jeremiah Hawkins a free man of colour who was manumitted by Gabriel Swain of Washington County by Deed of Manumission dated the 11th of Dec: 1831 and who was sixteen years of age on the 18th day of April 1835 who is now five feet ten inches in height of a bright Mulatto colour light hazel eyes no perceivable marks.

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Negro Jeremiah Hawkins and his unexceptionable good character as represented by respectable Testimony the Register be requested to issue a license to said Negro Jeremiah Hawkins permitting him to remain in Washington County for one year from this date agreeably to the act of Assembly December Session 1831 Chap 283 Sec 5.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office this 15th day of December 1840




Weste Daulchueby Register
Wills for Was: Com^o

Remained the 15th Dec: 1840

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The State Maryland Washington County Court

Whereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last will & Testament of Valentine Motter late of the County aforesaid deceased bearing date the twentieth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty four in Liber D Folios 124 & 125 and that the said Valentine Motter by his will among other things did devise & direct that "in regard to my two Negro Men Joseph & Glenn it is my will that on the first day of April 1838 they shall be free, or as soon as they individually make satisfaction to my Executor to the amt of Three Hundred Dollars"

And I do further certify that it hath been proved by such Testimony as is satisfactory to me that the Bearer hereof Negro Joseph whose height is about 5 feet 7 1/2 inches; whose age is about 39 — whose complexion is Dark — and who, as appears by said Will and Testament became free on the first day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty eight is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid, and that the said Negro Joseph was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of Washington County

 In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Public Seal of my Office this twentieth Day of January 1841

Sam Schuelly Reg.
Wills for Was. Com.

By Washington County Orphans Court January 12th 1841

On application of Negro Joseph a free man of color about 39 years of age 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high of a Dark complexion with a scar upon his face — manumitted by Valentine Motter late of Washington County deceased by will bearing date the twentieth day of December 1834 and Recorded in the Registers Office of Washington County in Liber D Folios 124 & 125.

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Negro Joseph and his unexceptionable good character as represented to us by Sam Schuelly & others the Register issue a License to said Joseph permitting him to remain in the County for one year from this date agreeably to the

Act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chap 281
Sec: 5

In Testimony whereof I have herewith
set my hand affixed the Public Seal of my Office
this 12th day of January in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and forty one

Renewed 3rd Day of May 1842 for one year

Done & Schuently Reg^r
Wills for Was. Co. M^d

By Washington County Orphans Court 13th Apt 1841

On application of Benjamin Buchanan
a Negro Man manumitted by William Galby by deed of
manumission bearing date this 29th day of March 1841
recorded in the Clerk's Office of Washington County in Liber A^o
WW. Folios

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the
extra ordinary good conduct of said Benjamin Buchanan and
his unexceptionable good character as represented to us by Charles
Fletcher & others the register be requested to issue a license to
said Benjamin Buchanan permitting him to remain in
Washington County for one year from this date agreeably to an
act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chap 281 Sect 5

The said Negro Benjamin being 28 years of age about
five feet eleven and a half inches high of a very dark color

In Testimony whereof I have herewith set my hand
and affixed the public Seal of my Office this 13th day of Apt 1841

Done & Schuently
Reg^r Wills for Was. Co. M^d

Renewed 26th day of Apr 1842.

Test James Mason Reg^r
Renewed 18th Day of Feby: 1845

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The State of Maryland Washington County SS

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination of the Records and papers in the office of Register of Wills for Washington County it appears that the last will and Testament of Valentine Mutter late of the County aforesaid Deceased bearing date the twentieth day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty three was proved and recorded in the said Office on the fifth day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty four in Liber D. Folios 124 & 125 and that the said Valentine Mutter by his will among other things did devise and direct that "in regard to my two Negro Men named Joseph & Glenn it is my will that on the first day of April 1838 they shall be free or as soon as they individually make satisfaction to my Executors to the amt of Three hundred Dollars"

And I do further certify that it hath been proven by such Testimony as is satisfactory to me that the Negro Man of Negro Glenn whose height is about 5 feet 6 1/2 inches whose age is about thirty seven whose complexion is very black the only mark now recollected is a scar on the Top of the shoulder occasioned by the cut of a sickle and who as appears by said Will and Testament became free on the first day of April 1838 is the identical person who was manumitted, or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro Glenn was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of Washington County

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the the public seal of my Office this 12th day of January 1841

Wm Schuelly Esq
Wills for W. Co. Md.

Read

By Washington County Orphan's Court 12th Jan'y 1841
 on application of Negro Cleve a free man of
 color about 37 years of age 5 feet 6 1/2 inches high of a very dark
 complexion with a scar upon the side of the shoulder occasioned
 by the cut of sickle manumitted by Valentinus Motter late of
 Washington County Dec'd by will bearing date the 20th day of
 Decr 1833 and recorded in the Registers Office of Washington
 County in Liber D Folios 124 & 125

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the
 extraordinary good conduct of said Negro Cleve and his unex-
 ceptionable good character as presented to us by David Schuelly
 & others the Register issue to said Cleve a license permitting
 him to remain in the County for one year from this date agreeably
 to the act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chap 281
 Sec 5.



In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
 hand and affixed the public seal of my office
 this 12th day of January 1841

David Schuelly Reg

Renewed 11th Jan'y 1842. Attest David Schuelly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court June 18th 1839

All a application of Agnes Samuel a free man of color aged about thirty three years five feet seven and a half inches high dark with a scar upon the lower of his right eye emanating from Geo Brumback of Washington County the by law will hearing state the 25th day of June 1836 and recorded in the Register Office of Washington County in Volume of Files 288-9. It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the trustworthy good conduct of said Samuel and his respectable character as a merchant as testified by Charles Church & others the Register I have found Samuel a licensed peddler in the State for one year from this date pursuant to the act of Assembly passed at Du Quoin 1831 Chap^r 281 Section 5.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of my office this 18th day of June 1839
 Dan Schuelly Reg^r

Renewed 15th June 1840. Teste Dan Schuelly Reg^r
 Renewed 31st March 1841. Teste Dan Schuelly Reg^r
 Renewed 16th August 1842 Teste Dan Schuelly Reg^r
 Renewed 15th Sept 1843 Teste Dan Schuelly Reg^r
 Renewed 3rd Sept 1844 Teste James Mason Reg^r
 Renewed 9th Sept 1845 Teste James Mason Reg^r
 Renewed 8th Sept 1846. Teste James Mason Reg^r
 Renewed 14 Sept 1847. Teste James Mason Reg^r
 Renewed Oct. 10th 1848 Teste James Mason Reg^r

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To the Washington County Orphans Court 4th May 1841

Application of Joseph Smith a man of colour

about 27 years of age, about five feet five and a half inches high
a Dark Mulatto with a Lump on the wrist of the right arm occa-
sioned by his wrist being put out of place, and also a small scar on
his forehead, manumitted by W^m Gabby of Washington County by
Deed of manumission bearing date the 29 day March 1841 and
Recorded in the Clerks Office of Washington County in Liber 17
Folio one of the ~~Land~~ Records of Washington County

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the Extraor-
dinary good conduct of said Negro Joseph Smith and his unexcep-
tionable character as represented to us by Charles S. Fletcher notary
the Register issue to said Joseph a License permitting him to
remain in the ^{County} State for one year from this date agreeably to the act of
Assembly passed at Dec. Ses. 1831 Chap 281 Sec 5

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
hand and affixed the seal of my Office this 11th day of
May 1841

Seal

Wm. H. Schaubly Reg

By Washington County Orphans Court 10 Aug 1841

on application of Fanny Jones a Negro Woman manumitted by William Boover by deed of manumission bearing date this 29 of February 1841 recorded in the Clerks Office of Washington County in Liber R. R. Folio 557.

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Fanny Jones and her unexceptionable good character as represented to us by Chas. Nestline & others the Register be requested to issue a license to said Fanny Jones permitting her to remain in Washington County for one year from this date agreeably to an act of Assembly passed at December Session 1835 Chap 281 Sec: 5. The said Negro Fanny Jones being 38 years of age about 4 feet 10 inches high of a Mulatto color being lame of the left foot.

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Public seal of my office this 10 day of August 1841



Sam Schuebley Reg

- 1841 Nov 2^d Renewed for one year by order of Court. Teste
- 1842 Aug 30 Renewed for one year from the Sam Schuebley Reg
- 2^d Nov 1842 Teste Sam Schuebley Register
- 2 Nov 1843 " Sam Schuebley Regr
- 26th Nov 1844 Renewed for one year By Order of Court
Teste James Mason Regr

By Washington County Orphan Court Sept 14th 1841

In application of Jane Gibson a negro girl manumitted by John Selkirk doct of manumission bearing date the 1st day of January 1838 recorded in the Clerk's office of Washington County in Vol 4th No 10. It is noted by the Court that in consequence of the imprudent and conduct of said Jane Gibson and her unconstitutionally and ill conduct, as represented by J. Quincy & H. M. M. H. Esqrs the Register, he is directed to issue a license to said Jane Gibson for a term of ten years, with a duty to County for one year from the date a small tax to be paid by her as per Decree of the Court, 1831 Chapter 281 Section 5. The said negro Jane Gibson being 46 years of age about feet 4 inches high of a yellow color a scar on the right arm occasioned by a burn

J. Quincy

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Public Seal of my office this 11th day of September in the year of our Lord 1841
John Selkirk Clerk

By Washington County Orphans Court 21st Sept 1811
 On application of Nancy a Negro Woman manumitted
 by John Cackle by deed of Manumission bearing date this 28th day of
 Sept 1811 recorded in the Clerks Office of Washington County in
 Liber V. folio.

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordi-
 nary good conduct of said Nancy and her unexceptionable good
 character as represented to us by John Cackle the Register be
 requested to issue a License to said Negro Nancy permitting
 her to remain in Washington County for one year from this
 date agreeably to an act of Assembly passed at December Session
 1831 Chap: 281 Sec. 5

The said Negro Nancy being 34 years of age, of a Dark
 Muttatto Color about 5 feet high the only perceptible mark
 is a scar on her left shoulder occasioned by a burn.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my
 hand and seal this 21st day of Sept
 1811.

Sam Schuebley Esq
 Wills for Wash Com^{rs}



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Renewed for our year.

The State of Maryland Washington Co. Court

Shereby Certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington Co. It appears that the Last Will and Testament of Richard Barnes late of the County aforesaid, Deceased bearing date the sixteenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred was proved and recorded in the said Office on the seventh day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and four in Liber B Folios 50. 1. 2. 3. 4. 5. 6 & 57 and that the said Richard Barnes by his Will among other things did devise and direct that Joseph Barnes among other Slaves was manumitted & set free and that John Barnes is the Son of said Joseph Barnes

And I do further certify; That it has been proven by such testimony as is satisfactory to me that the Bearer hereof Negro John Barnes whose height is about 5 feet 1/2 inches whose age is about thirty three whose complexion is dark and who as appears by said Will and Testament became free on the day of in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro John Barnes was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of the same

In Testimony Whereof: I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal of Office this 24th day of September in the Year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty one



Sam Schuebley Esq.
Wills for Wash. Co. Md.

By Washington County Orphans Court 28th Sept 1841

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good character & conduct of said Negro Ino Barnes as represented to us by Ino J. Mason and others the Register issue a licence permitting him to remain in the County for one year from this date agreeably to the act of Assembly passed Dec^r 1831 Chap 281 Sec. 5.

Sam Schuebley Esq.

By Washington County Orphans Court 28th Sept 1841
 on application of Caroline Joseph M. & Caroline N. Barnes
 Negroes manumitted by John Barnes by Deed of Manumission
 bearing date this 23rd day of September 1841 recorded in the Clerks
 Office in Liber 44. Folios.

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extra-
 ordinary good conduct of said Caroline, Jos. M. Caroline N. Barnes
 and their unexceptionable good character as represented to us by
 Geo. J. Mason & others the Register be requested to issue a license to
 said Negroes permitting them to remain in Washington County
 for one year from this date agreeably to an act of Assembly passed
 Dec^r Session 1831 Chap^t. 281. Sect⁵.

The said Negroes Caroline, Caroline N. & Jos. M. Barnes
 aged (the Mother) about 32. color light. Caroline N. aged about 3 years
 of a light color. Joseph M. aged about nine months, of a light color.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set
 my hand and seal this 28th of Sept 1841 in the year
 of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty
 one.

 Seal

Sam Schuebley Reg^r

1842 Sep^r 27th Renewed for one year from this date
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 Sam Schuebley Reg^r

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By Washington County Orphans Court 18th of January
1812

On application of Charles Watts a Negro Man manumitted
by William H. Fitzhugh by Deed of Manumission bearing date the 17th of
January 1812 recorded in the Clerks Office of Washington County in Liber
42 folio.

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good
conduct of said Charles Watts and his unexceptionable good character as represented
to us by William H. Fitzhugh the Register be requested to issue a License to said
Charles permitting him to remain in Washington County for one year from this
date, agreeably to an act of Assembly, passed at December Session 1831 Chap.
281, Sec 5

Whose said Negro Charles Watts being about 24 years of age, about
5 feet 11 inches high, of a yellow color, a small scar on the brow of the left eye
and another scar on the inside of the right leg below the knee occasioned by his
leg being broken.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed the Public seal of my Office this 18th day of
January in the year of Our Lord one Thousand
eight hundred and forty two

David Schuebley Secy



By Washington County Orphans Court 8th of February 1842

On application of Negro Otho a free Negro of color about 29 years of age 5 feet $\frac{7}{8}$ inches high of a very dark complexion no visible marks. manumitted by Martin Kershner late of Washington County Deceased by Will bearing date the 23rd day of September 1814 and recorded in the Registers Office of Washington County in Liber 6 Folios 1234567809

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Negro Otho and his unexceptionable good character as represented to us by Andrew Kershner & others the Register issue to said Otho a license permitting him to remain in the County for one year from this date agreeably to the act of Assembly passed at a December Session 1831 Chapt. 281 Section 5

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand
and affixed the Public seal of my Office this 8th day of
February 1842

David Schenckly Reg. of
Wills for Wash. Co. Md.



By Washington County Orphans Court 8th of February 1842

On application of Negro Sarah Saunders about 34 years of age 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high of a very dark complexion a small scar on her right arm near the wrist manumitted by Martin Kershner late of Washington County Deceased by Will bearing date the 23rd day of Sept. 1816 and recorded in the Registers Office of Washington County in Liber 6 Folios 1234567809 etc

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Negro Sarah Saunders and her unexceptionable good character as represented to us by Andrew Kershner & others the Register issue a license permitting her to remain in the County for one year from this date agreeably to the act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831. Chapt 281. Sect. 5



In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Public seal of my office this 8th day of February 1842
Dau Schmelly Reg. of
Wills for Was. Co. Md.

The State of Maryland, Washington County SS

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern that on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County, It appears that the Last Will and Testament of Guy Parkney late of the County aforesaid deceased bearing date the 28th day of 1825 was proved and recorded in the said office on the 29th day of Nov 1836 in Liber D 3010 213 and that the said Guy Parkney Dec^d by his will among other things did devise and direct that "My Son Noah be set free from the Bonds of Slavery."

And I do further certify that it has been proven by such Testimony as is satisfactory to me that the Bearer hereof Negro Noah whose height is about 5 feet 6 inches whose age is about Twenty Two years whose complexion is Black the only visible mark is a small scar on the right side of the forehead, and who as appears by said Will & Testament became free on the 29th day of November 1841 is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro Noah was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of Washington County

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Public Seal of my Office this 15 day of February 1842

David Schuebly Reg^r

By Washington County Orphans Court 15 of Feb 1842

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Negro Noah as represented to us by Emory Edwards & others the Register issue a License to said Noah permitting him to remain in the County for one year from this date agreeably to the act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chap: 288 Sec: 5

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 15 day of February 1842

David Schuebly Reg^r of
Wills for Wash Co Md

Renewed 4th June 1846 for one year from this date

Joshua James Mason Reg^r

The State of Maryland Washington County SS

By Washington County Orphans Court 1st March

1842

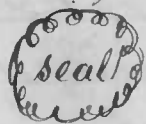
On application of negro Elizabeth Dunmore a free Negro of

color about 28 years of age 4 feet 11 inches high of a light complexion with a
scar upon the wrist of the left arm & a small scar on the back of the right hand
occasioned by a cut from a pair of scissors manumitted by William N Fitzhugh
by Deed of Manumission bearing date the 8th day of March 1842 recorded in
the Clerks Office of Washington County in Liber Folio

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary
good conduct of said Elizabeth Dunmore and her unexceptionable good character
as represented to us by W^m N Fitzhugh & others the Register be requested
to issue a license to said Elizabeth Dunmore permitting her to remain in
Washington County for one year from this date agreeably to the Act of
Assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chap: 288 Sec. 5

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
affixed the public seal of my office this 1st day of March 1842

Daniel Schneckly Regs: of
Mills for Wash: Co. Md.



By Washington County Orphans Court 1st of March 1842

On application of Negro Evelina Dunmore a Negro Girl manumitted by William N Fitzhugh by deed of manumission bearing date this 1st day of March 1842 (by deed of manumission bearing date this 1st March 1842 recorded in Liber Folio in the Clerks office of Washington County

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct of said Evelina Dunmore and her unexceptionable good character as represented to us by William N Fitzhugh & others the Register be requested to issue a license to said Evelina Dunmore permitting her to remain in Washington County for one year from this date agreeably to an act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chap: 281 Sec 5

The said Negro being about 5 years old the 5th of October 1841 of a yellow complexion no marks recollected



In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office this 1st day of March 1842
 Dan Schnibly Reg. of
 Mills for Was. Co. M.

By Washington County Orphans Court 1st March 1842
 On application of Negro Susana Dunmore a
 Negro Girl manumitted by William Fitzhugh by Deed of Manumission
 bearing date the 1st March 1842 recorded in the Clerk's Office of Washington
 County in Liber Folio.

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary
 good conduct of said Susana Dunmore and her unexceptionable good
 character as represented to us by William N. Fitzhugh & others the Register
 be requested to give a license to said Susana Dunmore permitting her to
 remain in Washington County for one year from this date agreeably to an
 act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chap 281 Sec 5.

The said Negro being about 3 years old the 18th of August 1841 of a
 yellow complexion. no marks perceptible.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
 affixed the public seal of my office this 1st day of March 1842

Sam Schnebly Reg. of
 Wills for Was. Co. Md.



By Washington County Orphans the 15th day of March 1812
 on application of Henry Stockton a Negro Man manumitted by Col. William
 N. Fitzhugh by deed of manumission bearing date the 10th day of March eighteen
 hundred and forty two recorded in the Clerks office of Washington County in Liber
 Folio

It is ordered by the Court, that in consequence of the extraordinary good
 conduct of said Negro Henry Stockton and his "unexceptionable good character" as
 represented to us by Col. William N. Fitzhugh the Register be requested to issue a
 license to said Negro Henry Stockton permitting him to remain in Washington
 County for one year from this date agreeably to an act of Assembly passed at December
 Session 1831 Chap: 281 Sec. 5

The said Negro Henry Stockton being about twenty two years, of age 5 feet
 8 inches high, of a ^{in skin} Mulatto colour, a round scar on his left arm a little above the wrist
 Black eyes



In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand
 and affixed the Public Seal of my Office this 15th day of March
 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred
 and forty two.

Daniel Schreely Regr. of
 Wills for Washington Co. Md.

By Washington County Orphans Court 15th of March 1842
 On application of Nancy Watts a Negress of color ~~age~~ manumitted by Col^l.
 William M. Fitzhugh by Act of Manumission bearing date the 10th day of March eighteen
 hundred and forty two recorded in the Clerk's Office of Washington County in Liber
 Folio

It is ordered by the Court, that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct
 of said Negress Nancy Watts and her "unexceptionable good character" as represented
 to us by Col^l. William M. Fitzhugh the Register be requested to issue a license to said
 Negress permitting her to remain in Washington County for one year from this date
 agreeably to an act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831, Chap: 281, Sec: 5.

The said Negress being about 22 years of age, about Five Feet one inches
 high of a bright mulatto colour a scar on the right 2 on the right wrist Black eyes



In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
 affixed the Public seal of my office this 15th day of March 1842
 David Schreyer, Reg^r
 Wills for Was: Co M^o

By Washington County Orphans Court 15th March 1842
 on application of Susan Harrison a Negroess manumitted by Col.
 William N. Fitzhugh by Deed of manumission bearing date this 10th of March
 one thousand eight hundred and forty two recorded in the Clerks Office
 of Washington County, in Liber Folio

It is ordered by the Court, that in consequence of the extraordi-
 nary good conduct of said Negroess Susan Harrison and her unexceptionable
 good character, as represented to us, by Col. William N. Fitzhugh the Register,
 be requested to issue a license to said Negroess permitting her to remain in Washington
 County, for one year from this date agreeably to an act of Assembly, passed at Decemb:
 Session 1831 Chap. 281 Sec. 5

The said Negroess Susan Harrison being about 22 years of age, about
 five feet one inch high, of a bright Colour Melatto 2 scars on the left hand light
 Brown eyes



In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and
 seal this fifteenth day of March one thousand eight hun-
 dred and forty two

Law Schuyler, Secy of
 Wills for Wash. Co. Md

State of Maryland Washington County, Court

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that on an examination of the records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of Jacob Bellers late of the County aforesaid deceased, bearing date the third day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty one was proved and recorded in the said Office on the eighth day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty three in Liber D Folios 73. 4. 56. 70 8 (and examined) and that the said Jacob Bellers by his Will among other things did devise and direct that his Negro Boy Isaac shall be free on the first day of April eight hundred and forty two.

And I do further certify, that it hath been proven by such Testimony as is satisfactory to me, that the Bearer hereof Negro Isaac whose height is about five feet six inches whose age is about twenty five years whose complexion is dark the only mark is a scar on the top of the left knee and who as appears by said Will and Testament became free on the first day of April 1842 is the identical person who was manumitted as aforesaid, and that the said Negro Isaac was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of Washington County

In Testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my office the 12th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty two
Dan Schmebly Reg



By Washington County Orphans Court 3^d May 1842

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that, on an examination of the Records and papers in the Office of Register of Wills for Washington County, it appears that the last Will and Testament of Peter Schuebly late of the County aforesaid, deceased, bearing date the 26th Day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six was proved and recorded in the said Office, on the 29th day of March 1836 in Liber D. folios 209. & 210 and that the said Peter Schuebly late of said County Dec^d. by his Will among other things, did devise and direct that "his Negro Ross be sold for the Term of six years at the expiration of which time he is to be free" which time expired on the 25th day of April eighteen hundred and forty two

And I do further certify: that it has been proven by such Testimony as is satisfactory to me the Bearer hereof Negro Ross whose height is about five feet 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches; whose age is about Twenty eight whose complexion is a dark yellow, the only mark visible, is a small scar on below the last joint of the right thumb occasioned by the bat of an axe and who as appears by said Will & Testament became free on the 25th day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty two is the identical person who was manumitted or freed as aforesaid and that the said Negro Ross was raised in Washington County and is at this time a resident of Washington County

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal of my Office this third day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty two



Dan Schuebly Reg^r

By Washington County Orphans Court 3^d May 1842

It is ordered by the Court that in consequence of the extraordinary good conduct & character of said Negro Ross above mentioned above, as represented to the Court by John A. Reuch & others the Register issue a License permitting him to remain in the County for one year from this date agreeably to an act of Assembly passed at December Session 1831 Chap 281 Sec. 5

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal this 3^d day of May 1842



Dan Schuebly Reg^r
Wills for Wash Co Md

Renewed for one year from the 13 of April 1843
Test Dan Schuebley Sec

Renewed for one from the 30 of April 1844
Test James Mason Sec

Renewed for one year from the 28th April 1845
Test James Mason Sec

The Permit to Ross, on the recommendation of
John Zeller, is renewed for one year from the fourth
of May 1848
Test James Wafar, Reg^r

On the recommendation of L. Hillier renewed for
one year from the 4th day of May 1849
Test James Wafar Reg^r