liz aforesaid James Riggins and Wm. Austin Riggins the [illegible] aforegoing Power of Attorney to be their respective act and deed.

Jno. R. Rowlenson

Queen Annes County to wit: Be it remembered that on the seventh day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty four the following Deed of Manumission was brought to be recorded to wit:

Deed of Manumission and Release of Service.

Paid

Whereas my slave Levi Chase has enlisted in the service of the United States: now in consideration thereof I Susan P. Goodhand wife of Samuel S. Goodhand of Queen Annes County State of Maryland do hereby in consideration of said enlistment, manumit, set free, and release the above named Levi Chase from all service due me: his freedom to commence from the the date of his enlistment as aforesaid in the Regiment of Colored Troops in the service of the United States:

Witness my hand and seal this 1st day of September 1864

Witness John W. C. Sadler
J. Edwin Roberts
Jas. B. Keith

Susan P. Goodhand (Seal)
Wife of Saml. S. Goodhand minor.

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Queen Annes County State of Maryland Sept 1. 1864. Before me appeared this day Susan P. Goodhand wife of Saml. S. Goodhand and acknowledged the above Deed of manumission and Release of Service to be his free act and deed.

Jas B. Keith J.P.

Queen Annes County to wit: Be it remembered that on the eighth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty four the following Deed of Manumission was brought to be recorded to wit:

Deed of Manumission and Release of Service.

Whereas my slave Robert Ryley has enlisted in the service of the United States: now, in consideration thereof I V. B. Clements of Queen Annes County State of Maryland, do hereby in consideration of said enlistment, manumit, set free, and release the above named Robert Ryley from all service due me: his freedom to commence from the the date of his enlistment as aforesaid in the 9th Regiment of Colored Troops in the service of the United States.

Witness my hand and seal this 9th day of Sept 1864

Witness Charles B. Blunt
Wilbur R Meeds
B. W. Handy

Valentine B. Clements (Seal)

U. States Stamps 9 1861 Sept 8. 1864 Thomas Downing

Queen Annes County State of Maryland Sept 8. 1864. Before me appeared this day V. B. Clements and acknowledged the above Deed of Manumission and Release of Service to be his free act and deed.

B. W. Handy J.P.

Queen Annes County to wit: Be it remembered that on the eighth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty four the following Deed of Manumission was brought to be recorded to wit: