

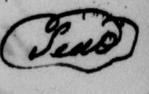
set my hand and seal this 2^d day of January 1846.

Just
Robert Bell.

James Wallau
Admt. of Aaron Cook 

I William North of Dorchester County do subscribe and agree to the terms of the above instrument of writing. Witness my hand & seal

Just
Robert Bell.

William ^{his} North 
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State of Maryland, Dorchester County, to wit: On this 2^d of January 1846 before me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace for said State & County, personally appears the within named James Wallau Admt. of Aaron Cook, and William North both of said County, the one the grantor and the other the grantee, and respectively acknowledge the foregoing instrument of writing to be their act and deed. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name on the day & year aforesaid.
Acknowledged before
Robert Bell

William C. Happington, Be it remembered that the following Manu-
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mission was recorded on the 3^d February 1846.

Linah Stanley I know all men by these presents that I William C. Happington, of Dorchester County and State of Maryland, for divers good causes and considerations, me therunto moving, have released from slavery, liberated, manumitted & forever set free, and do by these presents release from slavery, liberate, manumit and forever set free my my Negro woman Linah Stanley, aged about forty four, of sound mind and body, hereby acknowledging the said Negro woman called Linah Stanley discharged from me, my heirs Executors and administrators, and from all persons whatsoever, from and after the date of these presents. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 3^d day of February Anno Domini 1846.

Signed, sealed & delivered in the presence of
Robert Bell J.P. - C.W. Hopkins

W. C. Happington 

Maryland, Dorchester County, to wit: On the 3^d day of February Anno Domini 1846, the above named William C. Happington appeared before me the subscriber, one of the Justices of the Peace, in and for the County and State aforesaid, and acknowledged the above Manumission to be his act and deed, and allowed the same for the uses & purposes therein mentioned, according to the act of Assembly in such case made and provided.
Before Robert Bell J.P.