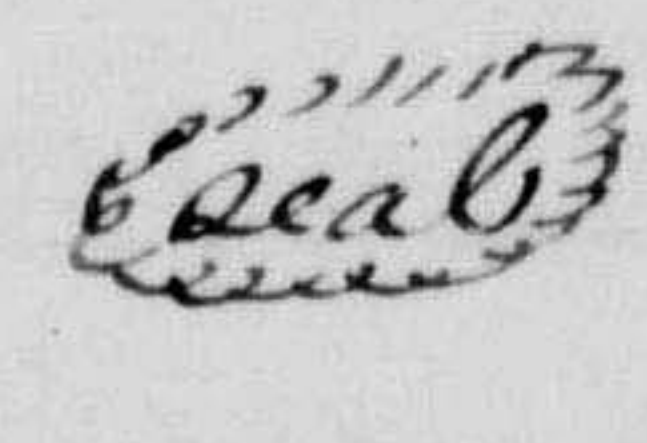


in my name lawfully do or Cause to be done in and about the premises by virtue of these presents as also to hire out or sell my negro boy Stansbury and to receive the wages or the money arising from the sale (as the case may be) to pass receipts for the hire or execute a Bill of Sale for the said boy (Stansbury) and the same shall be to all intents and purposes as valid as though I was personally present to execute the same and to retain all said monies until further directions from me or my heirs -  
 In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this 17<sup>th</sup> day of April 1774  
 Charles Corbraw - James Aca

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed  
 James Aca 

State of Marylande Dorchester County to wit:

Be it remembered and it is hereby Certified that on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of April in the year of our Lords Eighteen Hundred and forty four before the subscribers Two Justices of the peace of the state of Marylande in and for said County Personally appeared James Aca the being satisfactorily proved to us to be the person who is named and described in the within Power of Attorney Contained in the foregoing deed or indenture and by virtue and in pursuance of the power and authority therein granted doth acknowledge the said indenture or instrument of writing to be the act and deed of the Party thereto  
 In testimony whereof we hereunto subscribe our names on the day and year aforesaid  
 Charles Corbraw - James Aca

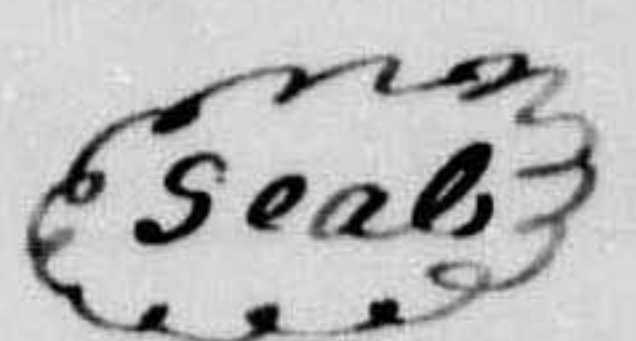
Negro Frank  
 from & H  
 Minos Adams

Be it remembered and it is hereby Certified that the following manumission was received and recorded on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of March 1774 to wit: -

To all whom it may Concern be it knowne that J. Minos Adams of Dorchester County State of Marylande, Now divers good Causes and Considerations on thureunto moving as also in further Consideration of one dollar Current money to me in hande paid have releas'd from Slavery liberate manumitted and set free and by these presents do hereby release from Slavery liberate manumitt and set free my negro man named Frank being the age of forty years and able to work and gain sufficient livelihood and maintenance and bind the said Negro man named Frank I do declare to be henceforth free manumitted and discharged from all manner of servitude or service to me my Executors or administrators forever -

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hande and affixed my seal this 24 day of March in the year of our Lords 1774

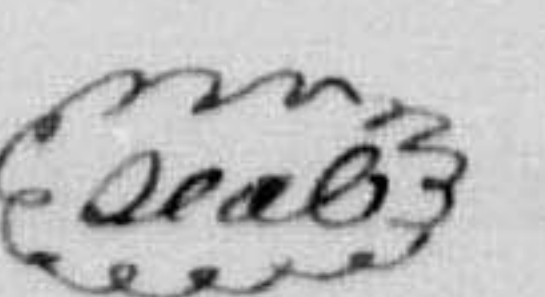
Signed sealed and delivered  
 In the presence of  
 Daniel Cannon

Minos Adams 

Minos Adams Junr

Received on the day of the date above mentioned the sum of one dollar Current money it being the full Consideration money within mentioned

Minos Adams Junr, Daniel Cannon

Minos Adams 

Dorchester County, to wit: On this 24<sup>th</sup> day of March 1774 personally appears Minos Adams party to the within instrument of writing before me the subscribers a Justice of the peace of the State of Maryland for the said County and acknowledges the same to be his act and deed for the purposes within mentioned and the negro man within named to be henceforth manumitted and discharged from all services to him or to any claiming under him and to be free and manumitted according to the act of assembly in such Cases made and provided -  
 Acknowledged before -  
 Daniel Cannon J. P.