

signed, sealed and delivered
in the presence of } George Bradford Seal
Jno. G. Bradford }
E. C. Lyons }

Howard County, Md. On this thirteenth day of October 1854 personally appeared George Bradford party to the within instrument of writing before me the subscriber 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 woman and her two children within named to be henceforth manumitted and discharged from all service 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 E. C. Lyons
Received to be recorded on the 13th day of October 1854. Same day recorded and examined per W. H. Worthington Clerk

Littleton Maclin } State of Maryland }
Bond } Stamp \$6.00 }
Cresner } in }
} Littleton Maclin, George Bond, Thomas McCrea, David Fleckenyer, Richard Wells Jr, James Clark, Wm W. Watkins and William Welling, all of Howard County and State of Maryland are held and firmly bound unto the State of Maryland in the full and just sum of twenty thousand dollars or herits money to be paid to the said state or to its certain attorney or assigns, to which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves and each of us, our and each of our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this seventh day of November in the year of our Lords one thousand eight hundred and fifty four. Now the condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bond Littleton Maclin