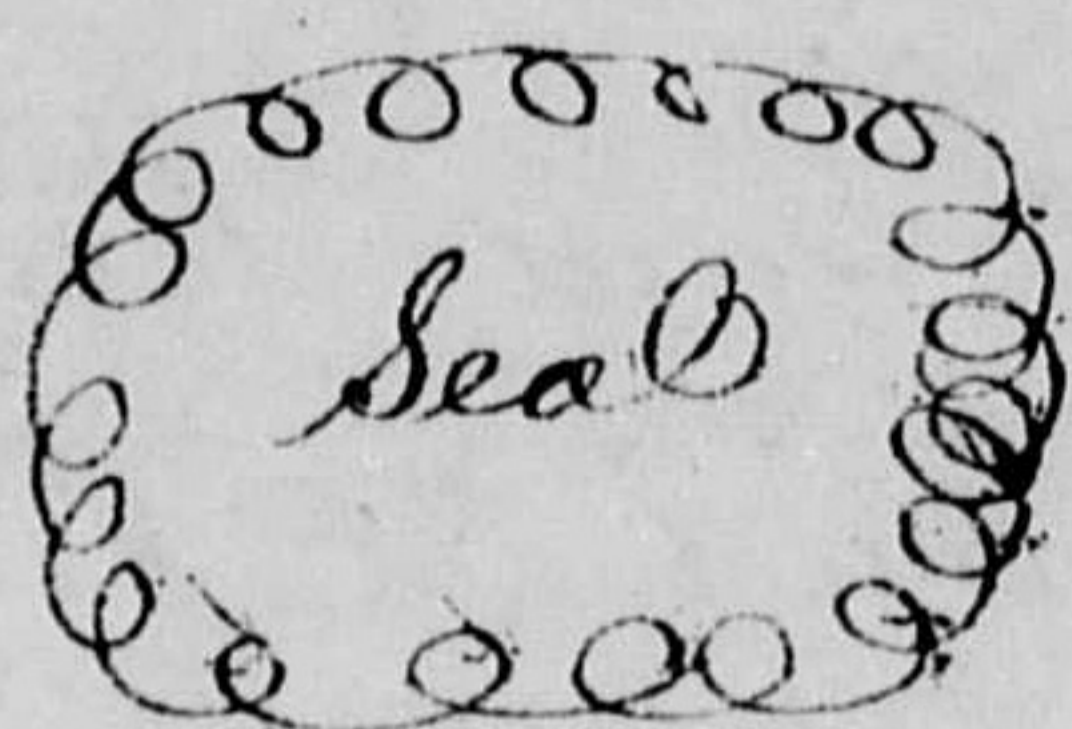


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I Thomas J. Simmons Register of Wills for Anne Arundel County, do hereby Certify and Attest, that it appears from the last Will and Testament of John Linsted, late of Anne the County aforesaid, deceased, that he did by his said Will Manumit, Liberate and Set free, a Negro man by the name of Jack Barton, and it being proved to my satisfaction that he is the Identical person as freed by said Will, I do hereby Certify that he is in height five feet, seven inches, is about the age of forty five years, black complexion, and was freed by the last Will and Testament of the said John Linsted dated on the second day of December, eight hundred and seventeen, was raised in Anne Arundel County and has no perceivable mark.



In Testimony Whereof I have hereto set my hand and affixed the Seal of my Office, this First day of May, in the year of our Lord, eight hundred and thirty.

Thomas J. Simmons, Reg. Wills, a. a. c.

I Thomas J. Simmons Register of Wills for Anne Arundel County, do hereby Certify and Attest that it appears from the last Will and Testament of Hester Hood, late of Anne Arundel County aforesaid Deceased. That she did by her said Will Manumit Liberate and Set Free, a Negro Man by the name of Osborne and it being Proved to my satisfaction that he is the Identical person as freed by said Will, I do Certify that he is in height, five feet eight Inches is about the age of twenty eight years, light complexion, and was freed by the last Will and Testament of the said Hester Hood on the sixth day of April eight hundred and twenty six, was raised in Anne Arundel County and has a scar over the Right Eye, his little finger on the left hand Crooked, and a scar on his Middle finger of the same hand.

In testimony Whereof I have hereto set my hands, and affixed the Seal of my Office this thirteenth day of May in the year of our Lord eight hundred and thirty.

Thomas J. Simmons Reg. Wills A. A. County

I Thomas J. Simmons Register of Wills for Anne Arundel County, do hereby Certify and attest that it appears from the last Will and Testament of Hester Hood, late of the County aforesaid, deceased, that she did by her said Will manumit, liberate and set free, a negro man by the name of Isaac, and it being proved to my satisfaction that he is the identical person as freed by said Will, I do Certify, that he is in height five feet, seven and one fourth inches, is about the age of thirty seven years, dark complexion, and was freed by the last Will and Testament of the said Hester Hood, on the sixth day of April, eight hundred and twenty six, was raised in Anne Arundel County, and has a small scar