

To all whom it may concern, be it known, that I, James
 McCulloch administrator do hereby manumit (Elizabeth Sef-
 ton, of Anne Arundel County) in the State of Maryland
 for divers good causes and considerations one thereunto
 moving, as also in further consideration of Eight
 teen pounds fifteen shilling & current money to
 me in hand paid have released from Slavery, libe-
 rated, manumitted and set free, and by these presents
 do hereby release from slavery, liberate, manumit and
 set free, my Negro Woman, named Belle, being of the
 age of thirty two years and able to work and gain
 a sufficient livelihood and maintenance and her the
 said Negro Woman named Belle. 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 hand, and affixed my seal this thir-
 tenth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand
 eight hundred and five
 Signed, sealed, & delivered
 In the presence of us
 Louis Gaspaway
 Lewis Duwall
 James McCulloch