

On the back of the foregoing was thus endorsed Viz
Ann Arundell County Jct. On the fifteenth day of February in
the year of our Lord 1799 personally appeared before me the
Subscriber one of the Justices of the peace for the County
aforesaid Robert Shipley party to the within instrument of
writing who acknowledged the said instrument to be his
Act and Deed and the signature and Seal thereto annexed
to be respectively his acknowledged before

Recorded 15 April 1799

Thomas Hobbs

Caleb Shipley of Maryland Jct. Do all whom these presents
to
Negro Wesley shall come greeting I Caleb Shipley fore
sewers good Causes and Considerations are thereunto
moving do hereby Declare free and unincumbered
the Negro following to wit, Negro Wesley aged four
years to be free when he arrives at the age of twenty
one years hereby acknowledging the said Negro discharged
from all Claim of Service and right of property whatever
from me my heirs Executors or Administrators as
witness my hand and Seal this first day of April in the
year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred & ninety
nine

Witness Thomas Hobbs
Elie Selby

Caleb Shipley Seal

On the back of the foregoing was thus endorsed Viz
Ann Arundell County Jct. On the first day of April in the year
of our Lord 1799 personally appeared before me the subscriber
one of the Justices of the peace for the County aforesaid Caleb
Shipley party to the within instrument of writing who
acknowledged the said instrument to be his Act & Deed & the
signature & seal thereto annexed to be respectively his
acknowledged before

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Thomas Hobbs