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free and discharged (at the time within mentioned)  
from all servitude or service to him or to any  
person or persons claiming under him and to  
be free and manumitted according to the act  
of assembly in such cases provided and made  
acknowledged before.

Benj<sup>d</sup> Allen

Recorded the 29. day of June 1812.

To all whom it may concern Be it known  
that I David Myrick of Anne Arundel County  
in the State of Maryland for divers good causes  
and considerations me thereunto moving, as also  
in further consideration of three dollars current  
money to me in hand paid have released from  
slavery liberated manumitted and set free and  
by these presents do hereby release from  
slavery liberate manumit and set free my  
negro man named Richard or Dick when he  
arrives at the age of twenty three being now of  
the age of twenty years and my negro girl  
named Jane when she arrives at the age of  
twenty one being now of the age of twelve years  
and able to work and gain a sufficient  
livelihood and maintenance and him the said  
negro man named Richard or Dick and the  
the said girl named Jane I do declare after  
they arrive at the ages above mentioned to  
be henceforth free manumitted and discharged  
from all manner of servitude or service to  
me