

State of Maryland for divers good causes and in
 consideration us therunto moving, as also in further
 consideration of fifty dollars current money to us
 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 our negro man named James being
 of the age of fifty years and able to work and
 gain a sufficient livelihood and maintenance
 And him the said negro man named James we
 do declare to be henceforth free manumitted and
 discharged from all manner of servitude or service
 to us our executors or administrators forever.

In Testimony whereof we have hereunto our
 hands and affixed our seals this twentieth day
 of March eighteen hundred and thirteen
 Signed sealed and } Lancelot Warfield (seal)
 delivered in the presence } Tho. H. Dorsey (seal)
 of said Warfield }

On the back of the foregoing was thus endorsed to wit:
 Received on the day of the date within mentioned
 the sum of fifty dollars current money it being
 the full consideration money within mentioned
 said Warfield Lancelot Warfield
 Tho. H. Dorsey.

Anne Arundel County to wit: Be it remembered
 that on this twentieth day of March eighteen
 hundred and thirteen personally appears Lancelot
 Warfield and Thomas H. Dorsey parties to the
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