

28.
Know all men by these presents, that I Mary Ridout
of Anne Arundel county in the State of Maryland
for divers good causes and considerations me thereunto
moving, have manumitted, liberated and set free,
and by these presents do manumit liberate and
set free a certain mulatto boy slave, named
Murray Talbot, aged eighteen years, in good
health and who is every way capable of
supporting himself by his own labour, and
I do hereby warrant his liberty or freedom from
service unto the said Murray Talbot
against all persons whatsoever claiming or
who may claim him as a slave. - In testimony
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
affixed my seal on this nineteenth day of
March in the year of our Lord one thousand
eight hundred and eight. -

Signed sealed & delivered

in the presence of

Abraham Ridout

Rachel Ridout

Mary Ridout (seal)

on the back of the aforesaid was thus endorsed to-wit:
State of Maryland, Anne Arundel County,
to-wit on this 19th day of March anno
Domini 1808 personally appeared before me
the subscribed one of the Justices of the
peace for the county aforesaid, the within
named Mary Ridout and acknowledged the
within instrument of writing to be her