

liberated manumitted and set free and by
 this presents do hereby release from slavery
 liberate manumit and set free my negro girl
 named Elizabeth being of the age of nineteen
 last May past and able to work and gain
 a sufficient livelihood and maintenance,
 and her the said negro girl named Elizabeth
 I do declare to be henceforth free manumitted
 and discharged from all manner of servitude
 or services to me my executors or administrators
 forever. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and affixed my seal this second
 day June in the year of our Lord one thousand
 eight hundred and fifteen
 Signed sealed and } Ellis Bryant Seal
 delivered in presence of } mark
 Abner Lenthicum
 Richd. Phelps.

On the back of the foregoing was thus endorsed to wit
 Received on the day of the dates of the above
 mentioned the sum of one dollar current money
 it being the full consideration money within
 mentioned

her
 Ellis Bryant Seal
 mark

Abner Lenthicum County and State of Maryland to wit
 On this the second day of June personally
 appears Ellis Bryant party to the within
 instrument of writing, before me a Justice
 of the peace of the State of Maryland for the
 said County and acknowledges the same to
 be her act and deed for the purpose within