

I know all men by these presents that I Henry
 Duwall of Anne Arundel County in the State of
 Maryland for divers good causes and considerations
 me therunto moving have manumitted liberated
 and set free and by these presents do manumit
 liberate and set free from slavery a certain female
 negro slave named Milly together with all and
 every child issue or increase that she the said Milly
 may hereafter have or bring forth and which said
 Milly is about sixteen or twenty years of age, and
 who was formerly the property of certain Rachel
 Gordon and from her descended to a certain Robert
 Gurdall from whom I purchased her as may
 more fully and at large appear by the instrument
 of writing herunto annexed and to be received herewith
 and I do by these presents warrant and forever
 defend the liberty and freedom of said Milly and her
 future issue or increase against all claims and demands
 in law or equity of myself or my heirs Executors adminis-
 trators and assigns, and all and every person or
 persons claiming by force through or under myself
 and them or any of them. And Witnesses whereof I
 have herunto set my hand and seal on this
 thirteenth day of January Anno Domini one
 thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

Signed Sealed and delivered

in the presence of
 Horatio Sedout

Grafton B Duwall

On the back and annexed to the foregoing and
 was thus written toward:

State of Maryland, Anne Arundel County to wit.
 Be it remembered that on this thirteenth day
 of January Anno Domini one thousand eight
 hundred,

Henry Duwall