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discharged from all services to her or to any claiming
under her and to be free and manumitted according
paid to the act of assembly in such cases made and provided
acknowledged before Caleb White

3 Recorded the 27th day of March 1824,

To all whom it may Concern be it known that I
Samuel Hopkins of Anne Arundel County and State
of Maryland for divers good Causes and Considerations
and thereunto moving as also in further Consideration of
Ten 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 the following
Negroes to wit my woman Nancy aged twenty three years
and able to work and gain a sufficient livelihood and
maintenance to be free from this date. Thomas the Son
of Nancy aged six years to be free on the first day of
January Eighteen hundred and thirty nine and
William the Son of Nancy aged four years to be free
on the first of January in the year Eighteen hundred
and forty one and them the said Negroes married Nancy
Thomas & William I do declare to be henceforth free
(manumitted and discharged) from all manner of
servitude or service to me my heirs executors administrators
or assigns forever In Testimony whereof I have
hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this
Twenty sixth day of March in the year of our Lord
one thousand eight hundred and twenty four
Signed sealed and delivered
in the presence of
Bernard R Hopkins
Richard Hopkins

3 Samuel Hopkins (Seal)
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3 (At)