

On the back of the foregoing deed was thus written 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

Witness Lewis Sutton

Richard Brown Seal

Abraham Simmons

Anne Arundel County to wit On this 27th day of
April 1828 personally appears Richard Brown
party to the within instrument of writing before me
the subscriber a justice of the peace of the State of
Maryland for the ^{said} County and acknowledges the same
to be his act and deed for the purposes within
mentioned and the several negroes within named to
be thereof forth manumitted and discharged from all
services to him or any claiming under him from the
different periods specified to each of the within mentioned
negroes names (and to be free and manumitted
according to the act of assembly in such cases made
and provided)

paid
6.00

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acknowledged before

Lewis Sutton

Recorded the 11th day of June 1828

To all whome it may concern that I (Phineas Hobbs
of Anne Arundel County and State of Maryland believing
that natural freedom is the right of all men given by
almighty God and divers other good causes me thereto
moving as also in further consideration of thirty dollars
to me in hand paid have released from slavery liberated
manumitted and set free and by these presents do
and by release from slavery liberate manumit and set
free my negro boy named Berry being of the age of
fifteen years the 24th day of March next and able to
work and gain a sufficient livelihood and maintenance
(and)

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