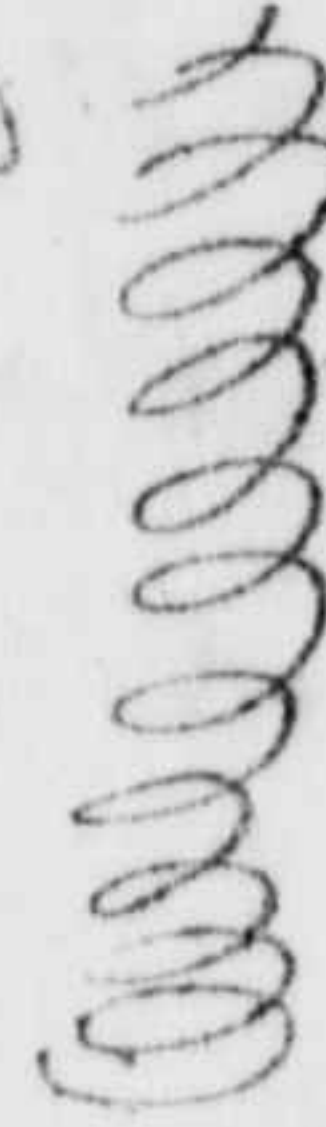



and do free my negro slave, named Rebecca of about thirty six years of age and able to get her livelihood by labour such manumissions to take effect on the twentieth day of July eighteen hundred and twenty seven And I do hereby declare the said Rebecca to be free from and after the day aforesaid and also that her daughter named Elizabeth now about two years of age shall be free on the twentieth day of July in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty six and also any issue which may be born of the said Elizabeth shall be free on the day of the birth of such issue In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this fourteenth day of July in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and twenty seven

Signed Sealed and delivered  
in presence of us  
James Hunter  
Henry Chapman



his  
Trammell Dadds   
mark

All the parts of the aforesaid deed was this written to wit  
James Hunter County Clerk On the 20<sup>th</sup> of July eighteen  
hundred and twenty seven appeared before the subscriber a  
justice of the peace for said County Trammell Dadds and  
acknowledged the above instrument of writing to be his act  
and deed to and for the purposes therein mentioned and the  
acts of assembly in such cases made and provided

James Hunter  
Recorded the 20<sup>th</sup> day of July 1827

To all whom it may concern be it known that I  
Henry Matthews of the City of Annapolis in the State of  
Maryland for diverse good causes and considerations me  
therunto moving as also in further consideration of ten  
dollars current money to me in hand paid have released  
(from)