

thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

Signed, Sealed and delivered in the presence of James Hunter Joseph Phelps Seal  
Christopher Hobbs

on the back of the aforesaid deed was thus written  
to wit: Anne Arundel County J. B. B. remembered  
that on this sixth day of August 1817 personally  
appears Joseph Phelps party to the within and  
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 negro woman within named to be manumitted  
and discharged from all services to him or to any  
person claiming under him and to be free and  
manumitted according to the act of assembly in such  
cases made and provided.

Acknowledged before James Hunter.

3/4. Recorded the 6th day of August 1817.

Know all men by these presents that I Samuel  
C Watkins of Anne Arundel County in the State of  
Maryland have manumitted and do free from  
slavery and by these presents do manumit and  
free and discharge from slavery and negro  
children the one named Sarah aged five years  
the other named Isaac aged three years and I the  
said Samuel C Watkins do hereby declare the said  
Sarah and Isaac to be free from slavery from  
the date of these presents In Witness whereof I  
the said Samuel C Watkins have hereunto set my  
hand and affixed my seal this 21st day of  
August Eighteen hundred and seventeen.

Signed,