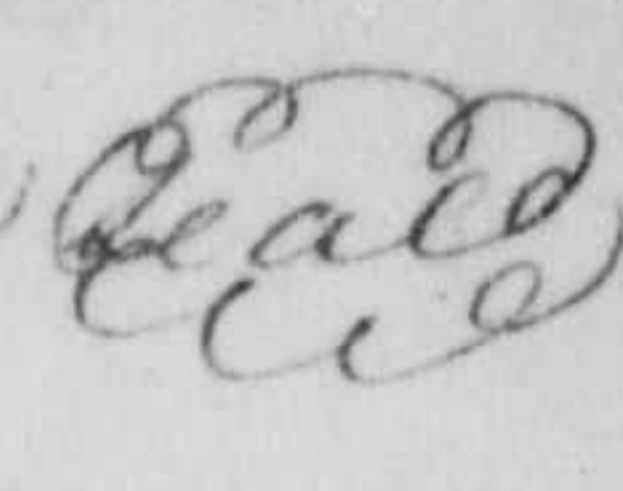


my hand and affixed my seal this third day of
January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and thirty two.

Signed, sealed and delivered  Richard Brown 
in the presence of.

Thos Waters, Alex Duvall of Henry

At the foot of the aforesaid was thus written, to wit:

Received on the day of the date within mentioned the
sum of Five dollars current money it being the full
consideration money within mentioned.
Wm. J. Waters, Richard Brown

Alex Duvall of Henry.

Anne Anndel County, to wit. On this third day of
January 1832 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~~
~~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 within named to be thenceforth
manumitted and discharged from all service to him or
any claiming under him from the within specified
period and to be free and manumitted according to the
act of assembly in such cases made and provided.
Acknowledged before Thos Waters.
3 1/2 Recorded the 4th day of January 1832.

To all whom it may concern, be it known that Vachel
Severe of the City of Annapolis of Anne Arundel County
in the State of Maryland for divers good causes and
considerations me thereto moving, as also in the further
consideration of five dollars current money to me in hand
paid, do agree to release from slavery (from the periods
hereinafter specified) liberate, manumit and set free and
by