

District of Columbia County of Washington
Es. I William Brent, Clerk of the Circuit
Court of the District of Columbia for the County
of Washington, hereby Certify, that the Hon^{ble} B
Armistead who has signed his name to the within
was at the time thereof and is still a Assistant
Judge of the Circuit Court of the District of
Columbia duly commissioned and qualified
and that the said Court is a Court of Record.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto
subscribed my name and affixed
the public Seal of the said Court
for the County aforesaid, at the
City of Washington this Sixth day of
October A D one thousand eight
hundred and thirty four.

Wm Brent Clerk.

Seal
Hand
Recorded

3 1/2 Recorded the 25th day of February 1835.

This Indenture witnesseth, that I Thomas
Cross of Anne Arundel County in the State of
Maryland for and in consideration of the sum of ten
cents to me in hand paid, at and before the sealing
and delivering of these presents, the receipt whereof
is hereby acknowledged, have released from slavery
manumitted and set free, and by these presents do
release from slavery, manumit and set free my
negro man James alias James Jordan aged about
twenty four years, my negro woman Mary alias
Mary Green, aged about thirty years, my negro
woman Ann, alias Ann Chase, aged about twenty
nine years, my negro man Peter alias Peter Williams
aged about twenty years, my negro boy Philip Thomas
alias

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