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of the United States, Witness my hand and seal this
28 day of April 1864

J Wells (Seal)

Witness
Wm R Thompson
A Hammond
L G Garrison

Anne Arundel County State of Maryland 28 Apr 1864
U S Internal Before me appeared this day Judge Wells (and)
Revenue Stamp acknowledged the above Fred M. Harman issued and
5th 7th 1864 Release of Service to be her free and do deed
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Deed of Manumission and Release of Service
Whereas my Slave John H. T. Lighman has enlisted
in the Service of the United States, the w^o in Custodian
there of Judge Wells of Anne Arundel County State of
Maryland do hereby in Custodian of said enlistment
Manumission and Release the above named John H.
T. Lighman from all Service decree his freedom to commence
from the 24 day of February 1864 the date of his enlistment
as aforesaid in the 30 Regiment of Colored Troops in
the Service of the United States Witness my hand and seal
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