

Witness

H. F. Hancock (Seal)

J. Lee Webster

Jamey Jacob

Thomas J. Jacob

Anne Arundel County

State of Maryland May 4th 1864

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 1864

Before me appeared this day H. F.
 Hancock and acknowledged the
 above Deed of Manumission and
 Release of Service to be his hand and
 deed

Jamey Jacob & Grace

Decided the 7 May 1864

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Deed of Manumission and Release of Service

Whereas, My Slave Henry Smith has enlisted
 in the Service of the United States, now in consideration
 thereof I H. F. Hancock of Anne Arundel County State
 of Maryland do hereby in consideration of Pardon & Release
 Manumitted & freed and release the above named Henry
 Smith from all Service due me, his freedom to commence from
 the 31st of March the date of his enlistment as aforesaid
 in the 39th Regiment of Colored Troops in the Service of the
 United States. Witness my hand and seal the 4 day
 of May 1864

Henry F. Hancock

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