

and acknowledged the foregoing deed to be his
 own
 Given at Taylor D P
 Recorded the 29 day of October 1864

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Deed of Manumission and Release of Service
 Whereas my slave Wilson of the name of
 Nelson Arthur has enlisted in the service of the United
 States now in consideration thereof Ezra Sheekelly
 of Anne Arundel County State of Maryland do hereby
 in consideration of said enlistment manumit and
 he and release the abovesaid Wilson of the
 alias Wilson Arthur and all service due me by
 him and do commence here the 27 day of May
 1864 the date of his enlistment and of said
 in the 30 Regiment of Colored Troops in the
 service of the United States Witness my hand and
 seal this 31 day of October 1864

Witness

Ezra Sheekelly (Seal)

Given at Taylor

Nelson L Sheekelly

A W Richardson

Anne Arundel County State of Maryland 31 Oct 1864

In presence of said Before me appeared the said Ezra Sheekelly
 5th Co
 and acknowledged the above Deed of
 Manumission and Release of Service
 to be his deed and deed
 1864

Given at Taylor D P

Recorded the 31 day of October 1864

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Deed of Manumission and Release of Service
 Whereas my slave David Wallace has enlisted
 in the service of the United States now in consideration