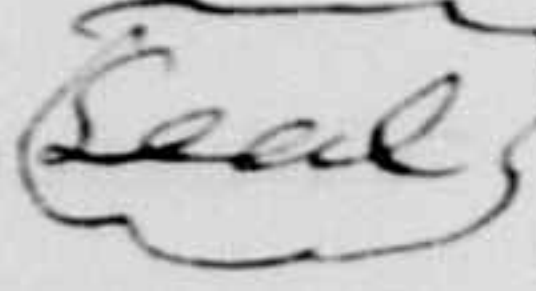


Maryland, for divers good causes and considerations me therunto moving, have released from slavery, liberated, manumitted and set free, and by these presents do release from slavery, liberate, manumit, and set free, my negro woman named Rachael Thompson, and her infant child Joshua, she being of the age of thirty ~~two~~ Six and able to work, and gain a sufficient livelihood and maintenance, and her the said negro woman Rachael Thompson, and her infant child Joshua, I do declare to be henceforth free, manumitted and discharged from all manner of service or servitude to me, my executors or Administrators forever. In witness whereof, I have herunto affixed my hand and seal this twenty first day of May, one thousand, eight hundred and fifty

Signed, sealed  
and delivered  
in presence of  
John Spears  
James Donaldson

Amelia M. Disney 

State of Maryland, Anne Arundel County, Set.  
Be it remembered, and it is hereby certified that on this twenty first day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, before the Subscribers, two Justices of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for Anne Arundel County aforesaid, personally appeared Amelia M. Disney, she being known to me, to be the person who is named and described as, and professing to be a party

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