

and discharged from all manner of service or servitude for
ever

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal
this seventh day of October eighteen hundred and fifty three
Witness *Ann Bourke* (seal)

William F. Bourke

Rhetellah Bourke

State of Maryland Anne Arundel County
On this seventh day of October 1853 personally appeared before
me the subscriber a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland
in and for Anne Arundel County, Ann E. Bourke she
being known to me to be the party named in the foregoing
deed of manumission and acknowledged the same to be
her act and deed

Wm. E. Jenkins

Recorded the 15th day of October 1853

To all whom it may concern, be it known, that I John
Kidoul of the city of Annapolis, Anne Arundel County, Maryland
for divers good causes and considerations me thereto moving
as also in further consideration of five dollars current money to
me in hand paid, have released from slavery, liberated
manumitted and set free, and by these presents do hereby release
from from slavery liberate manumit and set free my negro
man named George Brown, heretofore conveyed to me by bill
of sale from Mrs. Elbany Bowie dated on the first day of April
1853 being of the age of — years and able to work and
gain a sufficient livelihood and maintenance, and him the said
negro man, named George Brown. I do declare to be henceforth
free manumitted and discharged from all manner of servitude or
service, to me my executors or administrators forever. In testimony
whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this
nineteenth day of November in the year of our Lord eighteen
hundred and fifty three