and in Consideration of the sum of one Cent to me in hand paid at and before the ensealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged have released from slavery manumitted and set free. and by these presents do release from slavery manumit and set free my negro woman named Hannah being aged forty five years of age of a healthy Constitution. sound in mind and body and capable by labour to procure to her sufficient food and raiment with other requisite necessaries of life. In testimony whereof I have set my hand and seal April 14th 1823.

Thomas Cook (Seal)

At the foot of the aforegoing Deed was then written to wit Anne Arundel County to wit On this 14th day of April in the year Eighteen hundred and twenty three personally appeared Thomas Cook before the subscriber a justice of the peace for County aforesaid and acknowledged the above Indenture to be his act & Deed & the woman therein named to be free according to the true intent & meaning thereof and the acts of Assembly in such Cases mad & provided Witness my hand & seal day & year above written

Signed sealed & delivered
in presence of
Jeremiah Bartholow
Zachariah Roberts

Lloyd Selby (Seal)

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27th Recorded the 21 day of April 1823

To all whom it may Concern be it known that I Charles Greenbury Griffith of Anne Arundel County in the State of Maryland for divers good Causes and Considerations me thereunto moving as also in further Consideration of one dollar Current money to me in hand paid have

(released)