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man within named to be henceforth manumitted
and discharged from all services to him or to any
claiming under him, and to be free and manumitted
according to the act of assembly in such cases made
and provided. Acknowledged before
(Frederick Harwood.

2³/₄ Recorded the 23^d day of August 1816.

Maryland ss. To all whom it may concern
Be it known, that I William Sanders Green of the
City of Annapolis in the County of Anne Arundel and
State of Maryland, administrator of Frederick Green
late of the City County and State aforesaid deceased
for divers good causes and considerations me hereto
moving, as also in further consideration of the sum
of two hundred and fifty dollars current money to
me and here paid as administrator as aforesaid have
released from slavery liberated manumitted and
set free and by these presents do hereby release
from slavery liberate manumitt and set free a
black woman slave named Betty Matthews lately
belonging to the estate of the said Frederick Green
deceased of the age of thirty years of a healthy
constitution and sound in mind and body and
able and capable by labour to procure for herself
sufficient food and raiment and to gain a sufficient
livelihood and maintenance with other requisite
necessaries of life, and her the said woman named
Betty Matthews or by whatsoever other name she
may be known or called I do declare to be
henceforth set free manumitted and discharged from
all manner of servitude or service to the estate of
the said Frederick Green deceased or his representatives
or,