

State of Md. Queen Anne Co. Court: Be it remembered, and it is hereby certified that on this 16th day of June eighteen hundred and fifty nine, personally appeared before me the Justice of the Peace in and for said Co. James Denton and Ann S. Denton, his wife, and E. H. Sewell and Mary E. Sewell his wife, formerly Mary E. Steady and we being satisfied of the identity of the parties, to be the persons who are named and described as and professing to be parties to the foregoing deed and instrument of writing, and acknowledge the said indenture or instrument of writing to be their act and deed. The said Ann S. Denton wife of the said James Denton and Mary E. Sewell wife of E. H. Sewell being by us personally examined out of the presence and hearing of their said husbands, whether they do sign, seal, and make their acknowledgment of the same willingly and freely, and without being induced thereto by fear or threat or ill usage by their said husband or by fear of their displeasure, declared that they do sign and seal, and make their acknowledgment of the same willingly and freely and without being induced thereto by fear or threat or ill usage by their said husband, or by fear of their displeasure. Acknowledge before, and certify to by
 M. H. Bailey

Received 1857 Aug: 27th of Mrs. Ann Denton the sum of one dollar being the tax charged to by law on this deed or instrument of writing. \$1.00
 John Fitzgibbon Esq
 Queen Anne County Court.

Queen Anne County Court: Be it remembered that on the sixteenth day of August eighteen hundred and fifty; the foregoing Manumission was brought to be recorded Court:

To all whom it may concern, be it known that Sarah B. Sudler at present in Queen Anne County in the State of Maryland, for divers good causes and considerations, me thereto moving, have released from slavery, liberated, manumitted and set free, and by these presents do hereby release from slavery, liberate, manumit, and set free my negro man named Arthur Wilkie being of or about the age of thirty five and able to work and gain a sufficient livelihood and maintenance, and from the said negro man named Arthur Wilkie I do declare to be henceforth free and manumitted and discharge from all manner of service, or servitude to me, my executors, or administrators present or hereafter. I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this fifteenth day of August in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty.

Witness my hand and seal this fifteenth day of August
 Sarah B. Sudler

State of Maryland Queen Anne County Court: Be it remembered and it is hereby certified that on this fifteenth day of August in the year eighteen hundred and fifty, before me the Justice of the Peace of the Peace of the State of Maryland in and for said County personally appeared Sarah B. Sudler who I am satisfied to be the person who is named and described as and professing to be a party to the above deed, and acknowledges the above instrument of writing to be her act and deed.
 Acknowledge before
 M. H. Bailey

Accompanying the foregoing deed of Manumission was a receipt in the words following to wit:
 Received of Miss Sally B. Sudler for my servant Arthur, a colored man of Queen Anne County State of Maryland, one dollar - the said Arthur do acknowledge to be the legal property of the said Sally B. Sudler. June 25th 1857.
 Elizabeth M. D. Sudler.

Queen Anne County Court: Be it remembered that on the thirty first day of August eighteen hundred and fifty; the following Deed was brought to be recorded Court:

This Indenture made this twenty third day of August in the year eighteen hundred and fifty between Samuel S. Fitzgibbon and Mary H. Fitzgibbon, his wife of Queen Anne County in the State of Maryland of the one part and Martha S. Prouse of the same County and State of the other part: Whereas the said Martha S. Prouse on the twenty second day of December in the year eighteen hundred and forty six purchased the lands hereinafter particularly described called "Plain dealing"; of the Hon. Thomas the then Sheriff of the County aforesaid at a public sale under an execution from Queen Anne County Court at the suit of John S. Bryan surviving partner of De Bineoz and Bryan vs of Jesse Tully, &c against the goods and chattels lands and tenements of the said Samuel S. Fitzgibbon and Whereas the said Mary H. Fitzgibbon is entitled to a possibility of dower in the said lands and the said Martha S. Prouse is desirous of extinguishing the same and hath agreed for the purchase thereof: Now This Indenture Witnesseth that the said Samuel S. Fitzgibbon and Mary H.

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