Washington County, Sct:

I hereby certify, that on the 3d day of September 1849, John Neal filed in my office for record, a deed of Manumission to Maria Van Lear, aged 31 years, and her three children, Ruth Amelia aged 8 years, Joseph aged 3 years and Maria Moore aged 8 months who are thenceforth set free &c.

In Testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the seal of Washington County Court, this 10th day of Sept. A.D. 1849.

Isaac Nesbitt, Clk.

"To The Board of Managers of The Colonization Society

In obedience to the act of assembly of 1831 Ch 281 Sec 3. I send you an extract from the will of John Russell, late of Charles County deceased, admitted to Probat on the 11th Inst

"Item I will my Servants Isaac and Sophia free"

Respectfully yours

D Jenifer Registers
for Charles County
Sept 14th 1849

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