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James
Scott
Plaintiff
vs
James
Scott
Plaintiff

I James Scott of Southampton County Virginia having under my
 care a negro man named Pompey aged about thirty years an negro
 named Ben aged about thirty years an negro boy named Sam born
 the second month one thousand four hundred and seventy two and
 a negro girl named Cherry born the tenth month one thousand
 four hundred and eighty four whom I have heretofore held
 as slaves but being of opinion that it is my duty to do by others
 as I would be done by therefore I do hereby emancipate and set free
 the said Pompey Ben Sam and Cherry and do for myself my
 heirs Executors and Administrators hereby releasing with all my right
 title interest and claim or pretention of claim whatsoever either in
 their persons or to any estate they may hereafter acquire the
 above named Pompey Ben Sam and Cherry and her posterity to
 enjoy their full freedom without any interruption from me
 or any person claiming for by or under me saving to myself
 my heirs and assigns the Care and direction of the above named
 Sam and Cherry until they shall arrive to lawful age In Witness
 whereof I have hereto set my hand and seal this twelfth
 day of the second month in the year of Our Lord one thousand
 seven hundred and eighty nine

Sealed & Delivered
 In presence of
 Shadrach Lewis
 Benjamin Beal

James Scott

At a Court held for the County of Southampton the 13th day of
 July 1789 This Deed for the emancipation of sundry slaves
 therein named was proved by the oaths of Shadrach Lewis
 and Benjamin Beal Witnesses thereto and Ordered to be recorded

William
Scott
Plaintiff
vs
James
Scott
Plaintiff

I William Scott of Southampton County Virginia having under
 my Care a negro man named Robin a god about twenty nine
 years a negro boy named Cromwell born in the third month one
 thousand seven hundred and seventy a negro woman named
 Venus a god about fifty seven years a negro woman named
 Colia aged a bout eighteen year and a negro girl named