This Indenture made in the County of Albemarle & Commonwealth of Virginia, on the ninth day of March one thousand eight hundred & one; Witnesseth, that we Charles Wingfield Jr and Jacob Moon Executors of the last Will & testament of John Hudson deceased, late of the County aforesaid, by virtue of a power vested in us, by the Will of the said decedent, do emancipate manumit & make free a negroe man named Cato the Elder & a negroe Woman Called Cloe; which said negroes viz. Cato the elder is now of the age of about Sixty five years and Cloe is now of the age of about Sixty five years; So that in future they shall be free & of free Condition & entirely & fully discharged of all duties & Claims of Servitude Whatsoever & shall have & enjoy all the Rights & privileges of a freedman & Woman. In Witness whereof we have hereunto Subscribed our names, & affixed our Seals, the day & year above written.

Signed Sealed & delivered in presence of

Sam. Dyer for Jacob Moon

William Moon

Charles Wingfield Jr (Seal)

Jacob Moon (Seal)

At a Court held for Albemarle County the 6th day of April 1800

This Deed of Manumission ~~was produced into~~ from Charles Mynfield
to Jno. and Jacob Moon Executors of the last will and testament
of John Hudson Decased, to a Negro Man named Cato & Cloe his wife
was fully Acknowledged by the said Charles Mynfield Junr. and proved by the oaths of
Saml. Dyer & Wm. Moon and Jacob Moon and ordered
to be recorded

Test

John Nicholas Clk

Examined
Hudsons Manumission
to Negro Cato dismissed
April 6. 1800
Acknowledged by
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