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Record

of
Negroes Certificates



State of Maryland
 Talbot County, to wit: } I hereby certify all persons whom it
 doth or may Concern that James Faulkner of the County and
 State aforesaid came and proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof Henry Peck, of the County aforesaid a bright mulatto
 man about 28 years of age 5 feet 8 Inches high the nail of
 the left hand of the forefinger very much injured was raised in
 the County aforesaid In Testimony whereof I write
 J. G. this 11th day of Sept. 1813

Lockman

State of Maryland
 Talbot County, to wit: } I hereby certify that Mr. Joseph Warden
 of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my Satis-
 -faction that the bearer hereof ^{a light black woman by the name of} Esther, about 25 years of age
 was born in the County ^{aforesaid} without any scars on her face or arms
 is free born
 In Testimony of
 this 11th day of September 1813,
 Lockman

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New York Law by Matthew L. Suttan
Adam Samuel to No David

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State of Maryland, Talbot County, Talbot
Sherriff hereby certifies
whom I doth hereby certify that the
Esq. came & proved to my satisfaction that
the bear hereof - Black woman named
Ann about five feet 4 3/4 inches high with
with a large flesh mark on her right cheek
is the identical person named in the
return this 13th day of June 1807

State of Maryland, Talbot County, Talbot
Sherriff hereby certifies that, William D. Smith came &
proved to my satisfaction that, the bear hereof, a
black man, who calls himself William Bolen,
about six feet and an half inch high, of a bright
complexion - with a large scar over his left eye - also
one other large scar on the joint of his left great toe,
and about thirty four years of age, is the identical
person named in the a Manumission from Wm.
Windman to sundry records, which is duly acknowl-
edged and recorded among the Land records Books
of the County aforesaid. In Testimony &c. this 17th
day of Aug. 1829. Hoeherman D.

Talbot County I hereby Certify all persons
 State of Maryland whom it doth concern
 that Joseph Wilson proved to my satisfaction
 that negro altho the bearer hereof a dark Mulatto
 or nut my colour four feet nine inches high
 with a scar on her right wrist was raised
 in Talbot County is the identical person
 manumitted by her father Simon Rakes
 June 28th 1809

Talbot County I hereby certify all persons whom
 it doth or may concern that Saml South of the County
 of Carter, proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof Negro being a human every bright
 Mulatto. 5' 3" high. has no visible scars or marks
 except a very small mark on her left wrist, and has left
 singular of her teeth about fifty five years of age. Is the
 identical person manumitted by Aaron Whitman
 William Dixon & Nathl Dixon free this day of Feb 1799.
 In Testimony &c. June 18. 1809 J. G. G.

State of Maryland I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 Talbot County I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 Concern I have proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof Negro
 40 yrs. about twenty years of age, of a dark brown complexion, five
 feet one inch high, has a mark or scar near the corner of her left
 eye, and also one on her left cheek near her chin, and has a scar
 of her face with the identical person manumitted by her father
 William Brown in the year 1803, to be free on the first day of
 July 1809. In Testimony &c. April 20. 1809
 J. G. G.

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I doth as may concern that Thomas Borden of Calbot County came before me to my satisfaction that he was born of Negro Dolph otherwise Joshua Garrick five feet 7 in high of a dark brown complexion has a scar under his right eye, also has two warts on the back of his finger next to his little finger on his left hand about 31 years of age is the identical person mentioned by him within 17th Dec 1808 in testimony of W. M. Borden

State of Maryland— I hereby certify to all persons, Calbot County Court to whom it doth or may concern, that Samuel B. Darden of the County & state aforesaid, come & proved to my satisfaction that the Deaver here of Negro Oliver, 5 feet 2 inches high of a very dark complexion about 25 years of age, has a scar on the third joint of his fore finger on his right hand, also has a scar over each eye, is the identical person mentioned by John Dickinson late of Calbot County Deceased on the 11th day of Jan'y 1804, to be free on the first day of Jan'y 1809, and was raised in the City of Baltimore in testimony whereof I have here unto set my hand & affixed the public seal of my office this 2 day of Jan'y Anno Domini 1809
 In Lockman Ch of Calbot Co. Court

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State of Maryland Talbot County Court.

I hereby certify that Sam^l. Froth of the said County & State, came and proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a Mulatto woman, who calls herself Hannah Brooks, and who is now about twenty years of age - five feet six inches and a quarter high - without any remarkable scars, was born free, and that she was raised in the County & State aforesaid. In Testimony &c. this 14th of Dec^r. 1810 - Hocheumaid

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court: I hereby certify that Samuel Froth of the County & State aforesaid, came and proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Robert Brooks, and who is now about forty years of age - five feet seven inches high - five fingers and a thumb on each hand, and dark complexion, is the identical person named in a Manumission, made by certain Isaac Rowdell of the County aforesaid, of the twelfth day of March eighteen hundred and ten - to be free from the date thereof, which said Man^u. is duly recorded and recorded among the Land Records of the County aforesaid, where the said Robert Brooks was raised. In Testimony &c. this 16th of Dec^r. 1811 - Hocheumaid

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court: I hereby certify that Miss Catherine Hardy of the said County & State, came and proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof a Mulatto woman who calls herself Ellen and who is now about thirty seven years of age - five feet two inches and a quarter of an inch high, hands of hearing, and without any particular scars or marks is the identical person named in a Manumission made by the said Miss Catherine Hardy on the twenty ninth day of March, eighteen hundred & eleven, to be free from the date thereof - which said Manumission is duly recorded and recorded among the Land Record Books of Talbot County aforesaid, where the said Ellen was raised. In Testimony &c. this 14th of May 1811 - Hocheumaid

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Gov Thomas from . . . Thomas Alexander . . . 13

Maryland Talbot County to wit
I hereby certify that Mr
Wm Dickinson of the County and State
afo^r came and proved to my Satis-
faction that the bearer here of, (a black
man named Perry, who is now
about 10 years of age 5 feet 11 inches
high, has a small scar on his forehead
& near the top of his hair) is the iden-
tical Negro man manum^d. & set
free by Mr Elizth Dickinson on the
15th day of Oct. 1814 which manum^d
mission was duly executed & recorded
in the County & State afo^r where the
said Negro Perry was received

In Testimony of^e this
I seal & sign this 9th day of
Sept 1815
Wm A. Chapman (Clerk)

State of Maryland Talbot County
I hereby certify that Mrs
Sarah Burgess of the County
and State aforesaid, came & proved to my Satisfaction
that the bearer here of (a light Black man, who
calls himself Toby Maddox, and who is now
about 23 years of age 5 feet 6 1/2 inches high has
no notable marks or scars was born free and
raised in the County & State afo^r)

In Testimony of^e this 9th day of
Sept 1815
Wm A. Chapman (Clerk)

State of Maryland
 Talbot County, to-wit
 I hereby certify that Mr. John K. [unclear]
 of the County and State aforesaid, came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 is of a bright mulatto man who calls him-
 self Perry Brown, and who is now about
 25 years of age 5 feet 8 inches high
 has a scar between the second and third joints
 of the forefinger of his left hand was born
 free and raised in the County and State
 aforesaid

(Circular seal)
 Lee

In Testimony whereof
 this 19th August 1816

Lockman

State of Maryland
 Talbot County, to-wit
 I hereby certify that Mr. John [unclear]
 of the County, and State aforesaid, came
 and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof a light Black man, named Thaddeus,
 who is now about 33 years of age 5 feet 4 1/4 inches
 high has a small scar on his nose & on other
 places of his face his right eye brown was
 manumitted & set free by a certain Francis
 Gardner, of the County and State aforesaid &
 was raised in the County & State

(Circular seal)
 Lee

In Testimony whereof this 5th
 day of Sept^r 1816

Lockman

State of Maryland Talbot County, to wit I hereby certify
 that Mr. Benjamin Parrott, of the County & State aforesaid,
 came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof a dark mulatto man who calls himself
 James Common, and who is now about 23
 years of age, 5 feet 6 1/2 inches high has the
 top of the left ear off, which he says, was cut off
 by a negro fellow whilst engaged with him in a
 fight has a scar on his under lip and on the
 fore finger of his left hand near the third joint
 was born free and raised in the County of ?

In Testimony & this 18th of August
 1813 Hooker man clerk

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify that
 Mr. Jonathan Higby of the County & State
 aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof Negro Adam who is now
 about 25 years of age 5 feet 5 1/4 inches high
 of a light black complexion has a number of
 small scars on the back of his right hand
 in the identical manner mentioned and
 set free by Jonathan Higby Senior of the
 County and State aforesaid

In Testimony & this 19th
 day of August 1813 -
 Hooker man

5 feet 7 in

State of Maryland

Talbot County

I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may concern that W. Harry Troth of the County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a bright mulatto man who calls himself James Gommers and who is now about 25 years of age 5 feet 8 1/2 inches high tolerable well made has no notable marks or scars was born free and raised in the County and State aforesaid

Deed

In Testimony whereof I this

19th day of August 1815

L. Lockman

State of Maryland

Talbot County

I hereby certify that W. Andrew Skinner of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black woman who calls herself Daphney and who is now about 22 years of age 5 feet 7 inches high has no notable marks or scars was born free and raised in the County and State aforesaid

Deed

In Testimony whereof I this

22nd day of Aug. 1815

L. Lockman

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County, to-wit }
 doth on my concern that Mr. James Battis of Talbot County
 came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof a black man named Daniel 5 feet 9 inches
 high about 40 years of age with a Scar on the back of
 his left hand near the thumb was raised in the county
 afo. and committed by the afo. J. P. Battis.

(Seal)

In Testimony &c this 15th day of
 July 1815, Geo. Hornum clk

Maryland, Talbot County Court:

I hereby certify, that Wm. Wm.
 Brown of the County of Talbot afo. came &
 proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer
 hereof, a black man named James,
 who is now about 40 years of age, 5 feet
 3 1/2 inches high, has the ~~left~~ first joint
 of the little finger of his left hand off, &
 a large Scar between the 3^d & 4th joints
 of the same finger, is the identical
 person committed & set free by a certain
 Wm. Brown of the County afo.

(Seal)

In Testimony &c this
 15th of August 1815
 Geo. Hornum clk

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 Chamblain Thomas to Negro John . . . 1
 Cockayne Thomas to Negro Mable . . . 3
 Cooper Samuel to Negro Isaac . . . 18

folios
 1
 3
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 C

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court. I hereby certify that Thomas Banning of said County and State, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a black man who calls himself Cyrus, and who is now about forty five years of age, five feet three inches and three quarters of an inch high, two small scars on his left eye, is the identical person named in a manumission from Henry Banning to Sandy Negro, and which is duly acknowledged and enrolled among the said records Books of the County of Talbot, when the said Cyrus was raised. In Testimony whereof this 24th February 1810. J.

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court.
 I hereby certify that John M. G. Emory Esq.
 came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 a black Man, who calls himself Major Clayland and
 who is now about twenty seven years of age, five feet eight
 inches and three quarters of an inch high, of a dark
 Mulatto complexion, a very large scar immediately
 under his right breast, is the identical person named
 in a manumission made by Chas. Emory to Sandy Negro
 to be free on the first day of January, Eighteen hundred and
 ten. which said manumission is duly executed and
 recorded among the said records of Talbot County, when
 the said Major Clayland was raised.
 In Testimony whereof this 30th of Nov. 1810.
 Governor.

Maryland, Talbot County Court. I hereby certify
 that John Kemp of the County of Talbot, came and
 proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a colored
 Man, who calls himself Sumner Caldwell and who is
 now about twenty three years of age, five feet seven inches
 high, one large scar on his forehead in adhesion
 with his left eye, and of a dark yellow complexion
 was born free, and that the said Sumner Caldwell
 was raised in the County of Talbot of Maryland. In Testimony
 whereof this 29th day of Decr. 1811. Governor.

State of Maryland I hereby Certify that Mr. James M.
 Talbot County, to wit, James of the County and State of
 Come and found to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof (a Muttato man who calls himself Joseph Codwell
 who is now about thirty two years of age five feet seven
 and one quarter inches high has one small scar on
 the back of his right hand, was born free and raised
 in the County of Cecil.

In Testimony whereof I have
 to hereto set my hand and affixed the
 Seal of my office this 29th day of
 September anno domini 1812

John H. ...
 Talbot County Clerk

State of Maryland I hereby Certify that John
 Talbot County, to wit, Higgins of this County & State
 of my own knowledge to my
 satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a black woman
 named Minty, who is now about twenty four
 years of age, five feet, two inches & ³/₄ quarter of an
 inch high, has one small scar ~~on the back~~ on
 her left arm, about ten inch & ³/₄ about the joint
 of her wrist, also one (larger) scar on the same arm
 about 11²/₂ inches above the former - is the identical
 person ^{mentioned} ~~set forth~~ by him the said John Higgins
 on the 25th day of May 1802, to be free on the
 1st day of July 1814.

In Testimony of this 29th day
 of March 1814.
 John H. ...

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State of Maryland, Sherrif, County of Talbot, to wit, that Wm. J. Finney Sheriff of
Talbot County to wit, of the County and State of Md. Came
proved to my satisfaction that the Bearer hereof, (a Black
Woman, who calls herself Catharine Tucker, who is now
about 15 yrs of age, 5 feet 2 inches high, has one small scar
on the top of her left arm, one other scar, on her left arm
occasioned by inoculation for the King (Doe) was born
free & raised in the County of Talbot.

In Testimony of this 22nd of
Sept. 1813
Wm. J. Finney
J. C. C.

State of Maryland, Sherrif, County of Talbot, to wit, that Wm. J. Finney Sheriff of
Talbot County to wit, of the County and State of Md. Came
proved to my satisfaction, that the
bearer hereof to wit Aaron Small was born
free, being the son of a negro woman named
Cris, who was manumitted & set free by the
Register of the County of Talbot, before
the said Aaron was born. The said Aaron
is of a mulattish color. 5 feet 6 inches & 1/2 of an
inch high - has one large scar on his forehead
out of which is partly in the corner of
his left eye brow - has one small scar on the
back, and near the third joint of the fore finger
of his left hand - one other small scar on
his middle finger and near the third joint
of said finger on his left hand. The said
Aaron is now about 22 yrs of age, & was raised
in the County of Talbot.

In Testimony of this 5th of June 1813
Wm. J. Finney

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify all persons
 Talbot County to wit } I shew doth or may Concern
 that the bearer hereof a Black Man by the Name of Dick
 five feet five Inches high with a Scar on the left hand
 before the then about fifty one years of age was seen
 in the County aforesaid and maintained by Thomas
 Chamberlain Deced in the year seven teen
 hundred eight as satisfactory proved to me
 by Doctor Eusabius Martin of the County of
 Talbot whereof I shew set my office this day
 agst 1806

Jacob Lockerman Clerk

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify that Wm
 Talbot County to wit } James Bellack of the County of
 State of } came & proved to my
 Satisfaction that the bearer hereof (Louis (a Negro
 Adam alias Adam Mullikin), a Black Man
 about 21 years of age, 5 7/8 in high, had ~~only~~ one
 small Scar on the right Side of his face, near his ear,
 and about one inch and a half below his eye & has
 no other notable mark, was born free & raised in
 the County of State of

In Testimony of this 11th
 of Oct. 1806

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County, to wit: } it doth or may concern that John B. Finckel of Talbot County
 came and proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 a black woman by the name of memory five feet 4 1/4 of an
 Inch high has lost the nail of her left hand little finger
 about twenty two years of age was born and raised in the
 County aforesaid, and set free by Rachel Thomas John Light
 others

In Testimony of this 1st day of
 August 1806

Seal

Lockerman

The State of Maryland
 Talbot County to wit I Shereby certify all persons whom it
 doth or may concern that I am (Judge of the county of) same
 and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man
 by the name of Lewis Faulk five feet three Inches high
 with a scar on his under lip and one long scar on the
 upper part of his breast also a small scar over his left
 eye in his forehead was raised in the County of aforesaid,
 and about twenty two years of age

Done

In witness whereof this 18th of May
 1815 Lockman etc

State of Maryland
 Talbot County to wit I Shereby certify all persons whom
 it doth or may concern that Mr. Isaac Bowdler of the
 County of aforesaid and proved to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof a black man by the name of Jacob
 about twenty Eight years of age 5 feet five Inches and
 an half high without any visible scars or marks
 was born & raised in the County of the negro man
 manumitted by him the said Isaac Bowdler

Done

In Testimony whereof
 this 13th day of July 1815
 Lockman etc

State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit:

I hereby certify, that Mr. James Radcliffe of the Court of State of Md. came & proved to my satisfaction, that the beaver hereof, ^{a black man name} or Negro George alias George Gross was manumitted and set free by the said Lewis Hindman on the 11th day of Dec. 1814 - the said George alias George Gross is now about 25 yrs of age, six feet and 1/2 height of an inch high, has one small scar under his right eye, and other scar on the inside of the third finger of his left hand, occasioned by a cut with a scythe, the said finger is also a little Crooked -

In Testimony of this 14th of April 1815.

H. Kelli

State of Maryland

Talbot County to wit

I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may concern that Iritram itides, of Talbot County came and proved to my satisfaction that the beaver hereof Lewis Hawkins a Pender made black man about five feet 10 inches high with a small scar on the upper on the left part of his upper lip was raised in the County and is about twenty six years of age

(Seal)

In Testimony of this 11th day of

July 1815

Hookerman (M)

Maryland, Talbot County to wit: I hereby certify, that Mr. Thomas Jenkins of the Court of State of Md. came & proved to my satisfaction that the beaver hereof, a mulatto girl, who calls herself "Rose", who is now about 16 years of age, 4 feet, 10 1/2 in. high, has one small scar on the third joint of the fore finger of her right hand, was man. & set free by David Cromwell of the Court of State of Md. for

Testimony of this 24th of Sept. 1815

Talbot County Court. Hereby Certify that Francis
Mcalony of the County and State of Maryland, Came and
proved to my Satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a
black man who calls himself Daniel, and who
is about twenty one years of age - five feet, five inches
high - a large scar on the upper part of his forehead -
one other small scar over his left eye - also
two other scars on the back part of his left hand,
is the identical person named in a manumission
from Jonathan Sherwood to sundry negroes, and
which is enrolled among the land records of the
County aforesaid: where the said negro was raised
In Testimony &c this 17th Day 1810.
G. Lockerman

State of Maryland Talbot County Court. Hereby certify that
Obadiah Galey of said County and State, Came and proved
to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof a dark Mulatto
Man who calls himself Job Dickinson now about thirty three
years of age - five feet seven inches and an eighth of an
inch high - his thumb and nail of his right hand Consider-
ably disfigured, is the identical person named in a
manumission from Joseph Devine to the said Job
Dickinson, which is duly executed and enrolled among the
Land Records of the County and State aforesaid where the
said Job Dickinson was raised. In Testimony &c
this 14th of Feb. 1810. G. Lockerman

State of Maryland, Talbot County, Court: Hereby
certify that John Higgins Jun. of said County & State,
Came and proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer
hereof a black Man who calls himself Henry Dickinson
and who is now about twenty five years of age - five feet
seven inches high - one large scar on his left arm, several
small scars on his forehead - and likewise a high and
dark complexion, is the identical person named in a
manumission, made by the said John Higgins. Duly
executed & recorded among the Land Records of the
County aforesaid, where the said Henry Dickinson was
raised. In Testimony &c this 18th July 1810.
G. Lockerman

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County Court } I hereby certify, that
 W^m Thomas Pearson of said County and State came
 and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof a black man who calls himself James
 Wally now about 23 years of age 5 feet 3 inches
 high has on Small Pox on his nose also on
 Small Pox near the right corner of his mouth
 also several Small Pox on his hands is the Identical
 person named in a memorial from
 Elizabeth Lloyd to Sunday Negroes which is
 duly Examined and enrolled among the Land
 Records of the the County and State of where
 the said James Wally was named

In Testimony &
 This 20th day of July
 1815
 W. Hooker

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D

I Subst. County to wit: Shenandoah County, I hereby certify all persons whom it shall
 or may concern that Samuel B. Jordan of Talbot County in
 the State of Maryland in the Town of Easton, some years
 to my satisfaction that the bearer being Negro Nancy
 of a dark brown complexion five feet four inches
 high. has a remarkable scar on her left cheek with
 sore from her left eye, and she has a scar on her right
 wrist in the identical place mentioned by Joseph
 Jordan on the 8 day of December 1798. to be true
 when she was of age of twenty one years which was in the
 Year 1802 in Talbot County V. No. 211 1802

State of Maryland, Talbot County, I do hereby
 certify to all whom it shall or may concern, that Mrs
 Nancy Faulkner, wife of James Faulkner of the County
 State app. came before me to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof, a black man who calls himself David
 Holo is about five feet six inches high and one eighth
 of an inch high. twenty seven years of age - marked
 with one pock on the forehead, in a straight direction
 over his right eye - well read, is the identical person
 named in a Manumission from John Neugey to Sunday
 ney, which is duly made among the Land records
 of Talbot County app. that the said David was
 seized in the said County State. In Testimony
 the 20th of Dec. 1809 Hoochman

State of Maryland, I hereby Certify that William Needley Talbot County, to wit of the County & State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a mulattos Man, who calls himself Daniel Hawkins, (who is now about 31 years of age, 5 feet 6 1/2 inches high) was born free & raised in the County of

(Seal) In Testimony whereof this 19th day of July 1812 (Hoskorman)

State of Maryland I hereby Certify that Mr. Edward Talbot County to wit of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a black man named John alias John Dawson who is now about twenty years of age five feet five inches and three quarters of an inch high, has one scar partly on the third Joint of his left thumb, has several marks or lumps on his breast, occasioned by the heat, was born free and raised in the County and State aforesaid

In Testimony whereof this 19th day of October Eighteen hundred & twelve

Hoskorman
of Talbot County Court

State of Maryland I hereby Certify that Mr. Edward Talbot County to wit of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof (a light black, or very dark mulattos man named Charles, alias Charles Sawson who is now about twenty two years of age five feet five inches and half an inch high has a small scar directly on the second Joint of the little finger of his left hand has a number of little scars in his face occasioned by the small pox was born free and raised in the County of

In Testimony whereof this 19th day of Oct. 1812

Hoskorman
of Talbot County Court

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County Court }
 do doth or may concern } That Lewis Bush of the county
 ofore said came and proved to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof a negro Daniel, a black about thirty three
 years of age five feet seven inches and one quarter of
 an inch high with a scar near his left eye and
 another on his left wrist was raised in the county
 and was raised by Joseph Gordon late of St. County

In Testimony whereof I

This 13th day of July 1814

Isaac Kermorrell

State of Maryland Talbot County Court
 I hereby Certify all persons whom it doth or
 may concern that John Staines Sen. of the county
 ofore said, came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof a black man by the name
 of David five feet six inches and three quar-
 ters of an inch high with several scars on his
 breast a scar on the left side of his nose and on
 the right side of his forehead and on his left
 wrist, about twenty six years of age was raised
 in the County of St. and is the Identical Negro
 mentioned by Henry Bowler

In Testimony of
 This 30th day of Dec. 1814

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify all persons whom
 Talbot County to wit } doth or may concern that Samuel Trow
 Sh. of Talbot County & State afo^{re} came and proved my sales
 that Esther a black girl aged about Eighteen years of age
 was born free in the afo^{re} County the said Esther is five feet
 one Inch & three Quarters of an Inch high I Witness whereof
 I hereto set my hand and affix the seal of my Office this 5th of August
 1808

J Lockerman (M)

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify to all persons
 Talbot County to wit } whom it doth or may concern
 That James Roper of Easton, in the County afo^{re} Com^{me}
 an proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 a negro girl by the name of Eliza five and one an
 an half Inch high with a scar on her Right ~~cheek~~
 arm about seven ten year old is the Daughter of a negro
 woman Manumitted by Alexander McCallum in the
 year Sixteen hundred and Eighty Eight and that she
 was raised in the County afo^{re} I witness whereof
 I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the public seal
 of my office this thirtieth August Eighteen hundred and
 Eight

J Lockerman Clerk

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify all persons whom it doth
 Talbot County to wit } or may concern that Mary Kennan of
 the town of Easton in the County afo^{re} proved to my Satisfac
 tion that the bearer hereof a black woman by the name of
 Esther with a black spot on the ^{middle of the} left eye five feet seven
 and an Quarter Inches high about thirty five years of
 age was raised in the County afo^{re} and Manumitted by Col.
 Mary Spenser of the County afo^{re} I witness whereof I her
 to set my hand and affix the public Seal of my office
 this thirtieth Day of August Eighteen hundred and Eight

J Lockerman Clerk

Edmondson John	from Francis Armstrong	1
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same	from Isaac Abraham	4
Eckhart Thomas	from Jacob Abrahamstrief	32
Edmondson John	from John Alexander	41

Esther Negro Certificate 20

Negro Eliza Certificate

State of Maryland
 Talbot County Court & County Clerk
 I hereby certify all persons whom it doth concern that Daniel Merriett of Talbot County, born and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man by the name of Samuel Elias Saml. Dickinson, 5.6 3/4 inches high - 29 years in length last, the bone of his right wrist appears dislocated, was raised in the County of is the identical person man's by Thos. Austin, in the year 1790 and enrolled in the records of the County of.

In testimony &c this 11th day of Aug. 1811 - Woodcum

State of Maryland Talbot County Court

I hereby certify that Joseph Seddenham of the County and State of is proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a coloured woman who calls herself Eliza & who is now about fifteen years of age four feet nine inches and an half high one small scar directly betwixt her eyes - one other small scar on the back of her right hand - & of a dark complexion was born free

In Testimony &c this second day of December 1811
 Woodcum

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State of Maryland & Shumb County, all persons whom
 Talbot County touch & it doth or may concern, that
 John Barroll of Talbot County came and proved to my
 satisfaction that the bearer hereof Negro Esther of
 a dark brown complexion 5 feet 2 inches high, has a
 small scar on the thick part of her thumb, on
 her right hand, and has no other visible mark a
 scar, about twenty four years of age is the
 identical person manumitted by John Pursey
 in the year, 1790. To be free on the first day
 of May 1807 - In Testimony &c. this 13
 days place day of June Eighteen hundred & nine

Joseph Boockman

State of Maryland
 Talbot County to wit Shumb County that
 Peter Stevens, of said County and State
 came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof a black man
 who calls himself Edward Banton, and
 who is now about 20 years of age, 5 feet 7
 inches high, a scar on the third joint of
 thumb of his right hand - One other scar
 on the back part of his left hand, in a
 direction with his little finger, a dark
 complexion is free born. And that
 the said Edward Banton, was raised
 in the County and State of

In Testimony &c. this 23. of July
 1800. Joseph Boockman

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State of Maryland Talbot County Court: I hereby certify to
all persons whom it doth or may concern, that M^r. Rubin
M^cQuay of the County and State afo^r came and proved to my
Satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man named Henry
who is now about twenty six years of age ^{feet} 5. 8 $\frac{3}{4}$ Inches
high has no notable marks or scars was manumitted
and set free by Patrick M^cQuay of the County
and State aforesaid; In Testimony &=
Devel

This 15th day of May 1815

J. Hookerman Ck

State of Maryland Talbot County Court I hereby
certify that M^r. Rubin M^cQuay of the County and
State afo^r came and proved to my satisfaction that
the bearer hereof a black woman named Charity who
is now about twenty five years of age 5 feet 4 Inches
high has one small scar on the inner edge of her
wrist and other small scars on the back of her left
hand & near the third joint of the fore finger
thereof, was manumitted & set
free by M^r. Patrick M^cQuay of
the County & State afo^r.

In Testimony &= this 15th of
May 1815

J. Hookerman Ck

State of Maryland & Shery Certify all persons whom
 Talbot County Court & it doth or may concern, that
 Thomas Banning of Talbot County came and proved to
 my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, Negro Eve, of a
 Dark brown complexion 4 ft. 10 in. high about 30 years
 of age, has a notable scar on her forehead, and over her
 left eye, occasioned by a burn, and also had a scar
 on her Right hand, is the identical person set free
 by his Father, Henry Banning on the 19th day of
 July. 1788, to be free on the first day of January
 1796. In Testimony whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand, and affixed the public seal of
 my office, this 3^d day of June 1809
 Hoosham and

State of Maryland Talbot County Court:
 I Shery Certify that Munnery Wilcox of the
 County & State aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof a free Black woman who
 calls herself Lydia Bryan, & who is now about 42
 years of age, 4 feet 10 in. high - two fingers on her left
 hand ^{the} must be contracted by a burn, is the identical
 person set free by James Walker by manumission Date
 the 23rd Apr. 1810 & duly acknowledged & recorded a-
 mong the land records of the County of which the
 said Lydia Bryan was raised.
 In Testimony &
 the 25 May 1811 Hoosham and

The State of Maryland
 Talbot County, to-wit: I hereby certify all persons whom
 it doth or may concern that Mr. Thomas Campen of the county
 and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof a mulatto Woman, who calls
 her self Betsey Tibbles who is now about the Twenty one years
 of age ^{feet} 5. 6 Inches & three quarters of an inch high, has the
 second third and fourth fingers of her left hand
 entirely off the fore finger of the same hand off by
 the second Joint the nail of the thumb of the same
 hand off and a large Scar nearly covering the back
 of the same hand occasioned as she says by a burn,
 the thumb and fore finger of her right hand consid-
 erably deformed and she says was also occasioned
 by a burn was born free and raised in the county
 and State aforesaid. In Testimony whereof

V. this 31st day of May 1844

John Proctor

State of Maryland
 Talbot County to-wit: I hereby certify all persons
 whom it doth or may concern that Doct. Samuel
 S. Dickinson of Talbot County came and proved to
 my satisfaction that the bearer a black man
 by the name of Hercules six feet one inch with
 no visible mark or Scar about twenty five years
 of age was raised in the County is free by
 manumission

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In Testimony
 this 15 day of Aug. 1845

State of Maryland Talbot County Town. Hereby to all
whom it doth or may Concern that William Brown of the
County and State afo^o. Came and proved to my Satisfaction,
that the bearer hereof, a negro man, who calls himself
David Foster, who is five feet, five and an half inches
high, rather of a bright complexion, with a scar on
the right side of his face between the ear and Cheek.

also one other Scar on the upper part of the
thumb of his left hand - his third finger on the
right hand some what deformed, and about
thirty five years of age, Is the Identical
person that was set free by a Man^r. from
Joseph Foster, and which is duly recorded in one
of the Land record Books of the County and State
aforesaid - also that the said David Foster
was raised in the County & State afo^o -

In Testimony &c. this 12th Sep^r. 1809

~~State of Maryland Talbot County Town~~ Hereby
calls to all whom it doth or may Concern
that (Just) Rice of the County & State
afo^o. Came and proved to my Satisfaction
that the bearer hereof a Mulatto woman who
calls herself Francis, and who is about five
feet two inches & three quarters of an Inch
high - one tooth on the upper side of her
right Jaw projecting out and forming a double
tooth - one small Mole on the ball of
her left thumb; one small S^c. between

Smith Henry . . . from Philip Amstrong . . . 62
 the second & third joints of her left four fingers, one
 small D. on the first joint of the third finger of
 the left hand, and about twenty one years of age
 of free born Mulatto woman. as that she was
 raised in the County of State app^e. In Testimony
 of the 30th Sep. 1809. Hooperman

State of Maryland, Sheweth Certify all persons
 of Talbot County, to wit, whom it doth or may con-
 cern, that Thomas Harrison
 of the County and State app^e came, and made oath on
 the Holy Evangel, of Almighty God, that the bearer
 hereof, a Black Man, named Aaron Barbary
 but more Commonly known by the name of
 Jeffery, was manumitted by him the said Thomas
 Harrison, on the 29th day of December, in the
 present year of our Lord 1812, to be free that
 said Liberty from the date of this said manumission
 the said Aaron Barbary alias Jeffery is 5 feet 5 1/2
 inches high - about 30 years of age - has one small
 scar on the Bottom part, or under his right wing -
 has one other scar partly on the Bone of his right
 Cheek - the top of his head entirely bald - has one
 small scar directly behind his left ear.

In Testimony of this 29th of Dec.
 1812 Hooperman

F

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County, to wit } I hereby certify all persons whom it
 doth or may concern that Mr. Wm Froth of the County
 of State afo. came & proved to my satisfaction, that
 the bearer hereof, a black man named Emally,
 alias Annally, Hercules, who is now about 22
 years of age & feet 7 in. high, by no notable
 marks or scars, was born free, & raised
 in the County afo.

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In Testimony of this
 31st of May 1815
 Lockman &

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County, to wit } I hereby certify all persons
 whom it doth or may concern that Sarah Ryer
 the wife of Stephen Ryer of Talbot County
 came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof a black woman named
 memory five feet 3 Inches high about twenty
 three years of age with a mark of a burn
 on her arm about 4 below her elbow her upper
 fore teeth wide apart was born and raised in
 the County of Prince Georges, and was manumitted by
 John Dickinson of the County afo. deceased

In Testimony of this 26th
 day of June 1815

Lockman &

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit I hereby certify
 all persons whom it doth or may concern that that
 William Froth of Talbot County came and proved to my
 Satisfaction that the bearer hereof a tall black man about
 23 years of age by the name of Hans noble Hyman now has large
 lips 5 feet 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ Inches high no visible Stars or marks was
 owned in the County aforesaid his free born

SL

In Testimony whereof

This 13th day of July 1815

Lockerman etc

State of Maryland
 Talbot County to wit I hereby certify that
 W. Jonathan Risty of the County and State
 aforesaid came and proved to my Satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof a light black man named J^r
 alias James Williams who is now about 30 years
 of age 5 feet 9 $\frac{3}{4}$ Inches high has one Star
 partly on his the back of his right hand and
 near the third Joint of the his forefinger was
 manumitted and set free by Joshua Leonard
 of the County and State aforesaid and was raised
 in the County and State

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In Testimony whereof This
 29th day of August 1815

Lockerman etc

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State of Maryland. Talbot County Court. I hereby
certify that to all whom it doth or may concern that I am
Trustee of the County & State aforesaid. I have and proved to my
satisfaction that the bearer hereof is a Mulatto Man, who
calls himself Noble Garrison, now between twenty &
twenty one years of age - about five feet five inches
high with eighth of an inch high. with a small scar
on the upper part of his forehead. is a free born
Mulatto Man - (and that the S^r. Noble Garrison
was raised in the County & State aforesaid -
In Testimony &c. this 1st Nov^r. 1809
Hoscherman

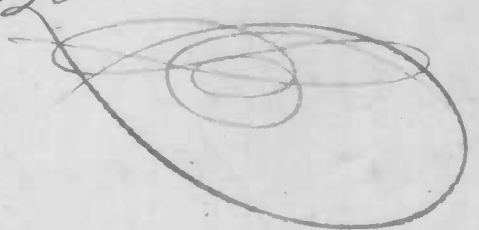
State of Maryland. Talbot County Court. I hereby certify
that Mr. William Wilson of the County & State aforesaid
(and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
is a black woman, who calls herself Grace, and
who is now about twenty six years of age, four
feet ten inches and three quarters of an inch high -
two small scars about the corner of her left eye -
dark complexion is the identical person named
in a charter made by the said William Wilson,
to be free when she should arrive to the age of eighteen
years, which said charter was duly executed and recorded
among the Land records of the County & State aforesaid.
where the said Grace was raised - In Testimony
&c. this 30th July 1811 -
Hoscherman

Graves Richard	from Thomas Alexander	8
Gorsuch Charles	from John Ashcorne	18
Gougeon Robert	from Philip Amstery	34

George his Mother set free by Sarah Powell	3
Gardner to Negro James -	8
Gannon James (set free)	

State of Maryland
 Talbot County
 I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that Mr. Thomas Pearson came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself George Wally and who is now about 22 years of age five feet five inches and one quarter of an inch high has one large scar on his left arm about an inch and a half above the joint of his wrist, two other scars (small) on the fourth finger of his left hand, is the identical person manumitted by Miss Elizabeth Lloyd, on the 2^d day of June, 1813, to be free on the first day of January 1814 which manumission was duly executed, and enrolled among the land records of the County aforesaid,

In Testimony Whereof
 this 5th of August 1814
 Hookerman. Clk.



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 State of Maryland, Sherrif testify, all persons whom it doth concern
 Talbot County to wit County and State aff. came and proved to my satisfaction that the
 Beaman hereof, a black man, who calls himself Anthony,
 and who is now about 21 - years of age, five
 feet 8¹/₂ inches high, has a very large scar, on the right side of his
 under jaw bone, and one other large scar, on the right side
 of his neck, in & was born free, and raised in the County
 and State aff.

In Testimony of
 this 25th July 1811
 H. H. H.

State of Maryland, Sherrif testify, that Archelus, Chief of the
 Talbot County to wit County and State aff. came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the Beaman hereof (a mulatto man
 named John Nelson who is now about 48 years of age,
 5 feet 5³/₄ inches high has a scar on the back of his right
 hand, occasioned by a gun, one other scar partly on
 the back of his left hand, said to be occasioned by a
 cut with a knife, one other scar on the right side
 of his forehead, one small scar at the root of his nose,
 partly between his eye brow) is the identical person set free
 by him the said Archelus Chief on the 16th of Aug. 1808

In Testimony of this 29th of Sept. 1812
 H. H. H.

Maryland, Talbot County to wit: -
 I hereby testify, that John
 Kemp of the County and State aff. came and
 proved to my satisfaction, that the Beaman
 hereof, (a black girl, who calls herself
 Sally Caldwell, & who is now about 20
 yrs of age, 5 feet 1¹/₂ inches high, has a
 small scar or mark near the corner
 of her left eye, & one other small scar
 between the elbow & shoulder of the left
 arm) was born free, & raised in the County
 aff. In Testimony of this 21 Aug. 1815
 H. H. H.

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County Court }
 or may concern that Jonathan Kimmamont of the County of Dorset
 came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof George
 Peck a Black man about five feet seven inches high about
 21 years of age with a scar on the upper part of his wrist and a
 small black lump very near the scar was born and raised in the
 County of Dorset and is free born I do witness whereof I have
 hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of my office
 this 11th of July 1845

Seal

Lockerman

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County Court }
 whom it doth or may concern that Unton Frampton
 of the County of Dorset came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof Henry Armstrong about 22 years
 of age 5 feet 11 inches high of a nutting colour with no
 visible scar or mark was raised in the County of Dorset
 and is free born - I do witness whereof I
 this 11th day of July 1845 -

Lockerman

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court.

I hereby certify, that Mr. Thomas Weyman of the County & State aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a Mulatto man, who calls himself Rufus Courme, who is now about 28 years of age, 5 feet 8 1/2 in. high, has a small scar upon the first joint of his left thumb, has one other small scar on the top of his right hand, is the identical person set free by him the said Thomas Weyman, by Manumission bearing date with this certificate which was duly attested, acknowledged & enrolled among the land records of the County aforesaid.

Seal

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed the seal of my office, this 30th day of July 1812

Goodman of F. C. C.

State of Maryland Talbot County Court. I do hereby certify, all persons whom it doth stand any concern, that Mrs. Hopkin Smith of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, (a ~~black~~ woman, who calls herself Annable Waley, who is now about thirty six years of age, five feet one 3/4 inches high, has the greater part of her upper teeth rotten, her complexion that of a dark Mulatto is the identical negro Woman set free by the said Hopkin Smith, on the 24th day of October, Eighteen hundred & twelve, by manumission, bearing date the said Twentieth first day of October 1812 which said manumission was duly and legally attested & acknowledged & enrolled, in Liber S. L. N. G. one of the land record books for the County aforesaid.

Seal

In Testimony of this 22nd day of October 1812

Goodman etc

State of Maryland & I hereby certify all persons
 Talbot County to wit whom it doth or may
 concern that Jonathan A. Bunny of the county
 aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof a Black man by the name of James
 Puff about twenty years of age five feet five inches
 and one half of an Inch high with a scar over
 his right eye and not far from his temple
 never raised in the county aforesaid is free born

J. P. In Harmony &c
 this 29th day of Dec. 1814
 Joseph M. Mendenhall

State of Maryland & I hereby certify, that
 Talbot County to wit Wm. Thomas of the County
 & State aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof, a Black man
 named Jos. alias James Bantome, who is now
 about 58 years of age, 5 feet 10 ³/₄
 inches high, has the top of his head
 bald, has one small scar near the third
 joint of the fore finger of his left hand,
 was manumitted & set free by him
 the said Wm. Thomas

Joseph M. Mendenhall
 24th May 1815
 Governor

State of Maryland, I hereby certify that Joseph Egge
 Talbot County Sheriff of the County & State of Maryland
 proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof
 a black woman who calls herself Hannabata, rather
 of a light complexion, five feet two inches high,
 with a scar on her left arm, just above the elbow,
 aged now nearly seventy years. Is the identical
 person mentioned in a manumission from Mary
 Egge and others to sundry Negroes. duly executed and
 Enrolled among the Land record Books of the
 County of _____ In Testimony &

Test Joseph Egge

State of Maryland, Talbot County, Sheriff. I hereby
 certify that John Trappe of Talbot County in the State of
 Maryland, came and proved to my satisfaction, that
 the bearer hereof, a black woman who calls herself
 Hannabata, and who is now about thirty two years
 of age - five feet nine inches, and a quarter of an inch
 high - dark complexion. a scar on her left eye from
 two other scars on her left arm, is the identical
 person named in a Manu. made by the said John
 Trappe, and recorded among the Land record Books
 of the County & State of Maryland, when the said
 Hannabata was raised. In Testimony for
 this 19th of June, 1800. Joseph Egge

Joseph Egge

Harwood Robert	from Isaac Abraham	5
Hensley William	from T. Armstrong	35
Same	from Isaac ^{same} Abraham ^{same} Robert	41
Same	from Philip Armstrong	42
Hensley Vincent	from John Aldridge	49
Hopkins Dennis	from Philip Armstrong	57
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Hensley Philip	from Philip Armstrong	62

County Record Certificate

State of Maryland
Talbot County

I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 concern that said ^{of the county of} ~~of the county of~~ ^{as cases are}
 proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof was a white
 male or brown girl about fourteen years of age five
 feet and three quarters inches high with worn hair
 scar the name of Harriet Roberts was born of
 a free woman ⁱⁿ ~~in~~ ^{the} ~~the ^{county of}
 Talbot ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~county~~ ^{county} ~~of~~ ^{of} ~~Talbot~~ ^{Talbot} ~~County~~ ^{County} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~year~~ ^{year} ~~1809~~ ¹⁸⁰⁹~~

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Subscribed & sworn to
25 Aug. 1809

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court
 I hereby certify that Charles Blake of the County State
 of: ~~from~~ ^{from} ~~approved~~ ^{approved} to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof a black man, who calls himself Henry Thomas,
 and who is about thirty eight years of age five feet ten
 inches high, without any notable scars, is the identical
 negro man named in a manumission from William
 Blake to him the said Henry, which is duly executed and
 enrolled among the laws records of Talbot County
 also that the said Henry was raised in said County -
 In testimony whereof this 3^d of Aug. 1809
 Goochman

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County to wit } I hereby Certify that Thomas
 Bamitt, a respectable Citizen of the County and State
 aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof - a black man, who calls himself
 Harry Barton, about 22 years of age, 5 feet 9 inches &
 an half high, Complexion dark Copper - a Scar on
 the underneath part of his right Jaw Bone - was
 Born free and raised in the County & State aforesaid.

In Testimony &c - this 20 March
 1844 -

Hoockerman

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit

I hereby certify that Mrs Lemington
 Hopkins of the County and State aforesaid came
 and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof, a black woman who calls herself Lucy
 Hopkins, and who is now about Twenty one years
 of age, five feet three inches and a quarter of an
 inch high, one large Scar on her left elbow,
 one small ditto on her left eye brow, and
 Dark Complexion was born free and that she
 was raised in the County and State aforesaid

In Testimony whereof on this 30th
 day of July 1844

Hoockerman

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State of Maryland & I hereby certify all persons whom it
shall concern that Joseph Harrison (of So^s)
came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
a light coloured Black man by the name of Isaac
about twenty four years of age was raised in the County
five feet eleven inches and three quarters of an inch
high without any scars is the identical negro manumitted
by him the said Joseph Harrison

In Testimony &c

This 18th day of May 1814

Loockerman

State of Maryland & I hereby certify to
all persons whom it
shall concern that James Cline
of the County and State afo^r came &
proved to my satisfaction, that the
bearer hereof (Negro Joseph, who is
now about 27 years of age, 5 feet 6¹/₂
inches high, of a bright ruddy complexion,
has no notable marks, or scars, except
a small scar on the back of his right
hand, which he says was occasioned by the
bite of a Dog if the same person manumitted
by a certain Wm Brown Sen.
of the City & State afo^r on the 10th day of
August 1810, to be free & at liberty on the
1st day of January, 1815 then next
following; which said manumission was duly executed
& acknowledged & enrolled among the land
records of the City afo^r where the said Negro
Joseph was raised - In Testimony &c this 31st
day of January 1815. Loockerman Clk of

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County Court } I hereby Certify that Thomas
 Atkinson of the county and State afo. came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a dark or latte
 woman who calls herself Rozetta Smith who is now about
 Eighteen years of age ^{of an Inch} 5 feet 8 ³/₄ high, has the little finger
 of her right hand crooked, which she is
 unable to straighten } was born free & true
 in the County of Talbot afo.?

In Testimony &c. this 25th
 day of April 1875.

W. Lockman Clerk of Tal. Co. Ct.
 Court

The State of Maryland
 Talbot County Court. } I hereby certify all persons whom it shall
 or may concern that Thomas Jenkins of Talbot County
 came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer a negro
 woman by the name of Rachel 5 feet 4 inches high
 about twenty years of age with some scars or lumps
 on her arms one on her left arm near the hand and three
 on her right arm one one below the elbow the other
 two above, the said negro is of a light or nutmeg colour
 was raised in the County afo.?

In Testimony &c. this 1st day of June 1875

See

W. Lockman Clerk

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to-wit:-

I hereby certify, that M^r. Jeremiah Gandy of the County of Talbot aforesaid appeared to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a dark mulatto woman named Louannah otherwise called Louannah Peck, whose age is about 33 y^{rs} of age, 5 ft 2 1/2 inches high, has no notable marks or scars except a mole on the left side of her nose, was born free and raised in the County of Talbot aforesaid.

(Circular seal)
J. Gandy

In Testimony Whereof
26th June 1815.
J. Gandy (Signature)

State of Maryland
Talbot County, to-wit:-

I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may concern that J^r. Meade of Talbot County came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof negro Gabriel a Black man 5 feet 10 inches about twenty eight years of age with a scar in his forehead and lacer in his right knee was raised in the County of Talbot in the indentured negro manumitted by Benj^r. Parrott late of the County of Talbot.

(Circular seal)
J. Meade

In Testimony Whereof
31 July 1815
J. Meade (Signature)

State of Maryland
 Talbot County to wit: I do hereby certify that Mr. Joseph
 Reynour of the County and State of aforesaid, came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof negro also
 who is now about 22 years of age 5 feet 5 inches high
 has a small appearance of a scar between the wrist and
 the elbow which she says were occasioned by a
 bound with a flat Iron is the Penticle negro woman
 manumitted and set free by John Dickinson
 of the County of St. Johns which said negro was raised
 in the County and State of aforesaid

In Testimony whereof
 this 26th day of June 1815
 Joseph Reynour

State of Maryland
 Talbot County to wit: I do hereby certify all
 persons whom it doth or may concern that Mr.
 Isaac Atkinson of the County and State of aforesaid,
 came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof negro Isaac alias Isaac Kidcut a black
 man who is now about 26 years of age 5 feet
 3/4 inches high has no notable marks or scars
 was born free and raised in the County & State
 of D.
 In Testimony whereof this 12th
 of August 1815
 Joseph Reynour

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State of Maryland Talbot County, to-wit:

I hereby certify, that W. Anthony Banning
of the county and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof, a mulatto man, named "Perry Hyman" ^{or}
who is now about thirty two years of age, five feet six inches and
an half high has the first joint of the little finger of
his right hand off the nail of the third finger of the same
hand also off, a large scar on the middle finger and back
of the same hand, all occasioned by a burn, is the same
person mentioned and set free by him the said
Henry Banning on the 18th day of July 1815

Seal

In Testimony of this 25th
of July 1815

Gouverneur Pleas
of Talbot County

State of Maryland Talbot County to-wit:

I hereby certify, that W.
Wm. Biles of the County and State aforesaid
came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof, a Black man
who calls himself John Freeman, who
is now about 23 years of age, is five
feet 10 in. high, has a scar between the 1st
& 2^d joints of the little finger of his left
hand, and on other (small) scar between
the first & 2^d joints of the third finger
of the same hand, was born free
in the County aforesaid.

In Testimony of this 12th day
1815 J. Freeman

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit:
 I hereby Certify that Samuel Troth of the County
 (and State aforesaid) Came and proved to my Satisfac-
 tion that the bearer hereof a black man who calls him-
 self Jacob (and who is now about forty eight years of
 age - five feet six inches and one half high has one
 scar over his right eye brow, (and dark complexion is
 the identical person named in a manumission, made
 by a certain William W. Kellum of the County aforesaid
 on the twelfth day of August anno Domini: Seventeen
 hundred and Eighty Eight, to be free from the date
 thereof, which said manumission is executed
 and recorded among the Land records of Talbot
 County (and State aforesaid) where the said Jacob was
 raised In Testimony &c. this 11th Sept^r, 1811
 Lockerman

The State of Maryland
 Talbot County to wit: I hereby Certify all persons
 whom it doth or may concern that Isaac Sinkinson
 of Talbot County Came and proved to my Satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof Edward Willson a Black man five feet nine
 Inches and one half an Inch high about twenty two years
 of age with no visible scars or marks is free born and
 was raised in the County aforesaid. In Testimony whereof
 I have to set my hand and affix the public Seal
 of my office this 13th day of December 1814



Lockerman, Sh

Talbot County Court: The State of Maryland,

Hereby certify to all persons whom it doth or may concern that Andrew Crain of the County of Talbot and proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof a dark Mulatto Man, named Jack - five feet, five and a half inches high, with a scar on his left arm at the elbow above his wrist, and a scar over his left eye, about thirty years of age, was raised in the County of Talbot, as the identical person manumitted by myself in the year Eighteen hundred, to be free on the fifteenth day of May, eighteen hundred and ten.

In Witness Whereof this 31st July 1810.

Hooperman C.

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit:

I hereby certify that Mr. John Burgess of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself John Madden and who is now about twenty three years of age, five feet seven inches and three quarters of an inch high with one small scar near his right temple, ^{one other small scar on his right eye brow} one other small scar on the forehead of his neck - also several small scars on ~~the~~ his hands, and rather of a bright complexion was born free, and that he was raised in the County and State aforesaid -

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of my office this 28th Day of August 1811

Hooperman C. of Talbot County Court

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State of Maryland, Talbot County, Town

I hereby certify that Joseph Esqate of the County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black man, who calls himself Joseph, of a dark complexion, five feet, ten inches and an half high, with a small scar between his eye-brows, and aged now twenty ~~two~~ years is the identical person named in a Manumission from Mary Esqate and others to sundry negroes, legally executed & recorded in one of the Land record Books of the County of State aforesaid

In Testimony whereof I have &c.
this 27th of June 1809.

Stockerman D.

State of Maryland, Talbot County, Town:

I hereby certify that Loftis Bowler of said County & State, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Jacob, and who is now about fifty years of age - five feet eight and an half inches high, dark complexion - considerably Cock broken, is the identical person named in a Manumission from Polly Triffin to be free on the Twenty second day of March 1807, from Isaac Handman and Family and that the said Jacob was raised in the County of State aforesaid, where the said Manu. was recorded

In Testimony &c. this 3rd of April 1810 -

Stockerman D.

State of Maryland

Talbot County, Town
I hereby certify aforesaid
whom as do other may know
that the said John's name as per my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof Eliza Johnson about 30 yrs
age five feet & an half high with a mark on his face
in the County aforesaid is the identical person manumitted
by Mr Handman Esq. 13th of Nov. 1806 I N W. T.
8 May 1810

I hereby certify alsepsus when it doth in my former that
 Tallot Declines of Tallot County from to my satisfaction
 that the owner hereof a Negro man named James
 five feet ten inches high five years of age was manumitted
 by Ann Declines his father) visible scars was raised in
 the County of Talbot by word of James his father
 off by the said of my self this 26th of July 1800

State of Maryland & I here by Certify to all per:
 Tallot County to wit 3 sons of whom it doth remain
 known, that James Harrison of Tallot County, came
 and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer here
 of Negro Jacob Kitchel of a very dark complexion
 five feet ten inches and an half high, his
 several scars on his left hand, and also has
 a notable scar on his right Cheek or Chin
 is the identical person manumitted by
 Hugh Auld Jew, on the twenty fourth day
 of May in the year, Eighteen hundred & nine
 In Testimony &c

I J

State of Maryland
 Talbot County to wit

I hereby certify alsepsus when
 it doth remain known that John Shows of
 Talbot County came & proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof a Negro man about
 twenty seven years of age five feet five
 inches high with two lumps on his breast
 is the identical Negro manumitted by
 John Shows of Talbot

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit: -

I hereby certify that Philip Massey came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Jerry and who is now about 27 years of age 5 feet 6 inches high half-high, dark complexion a large scar on the right forearm is the identical Person named in a manumission from Philip Massey to sundry negroes to be free on the first day of January 1800 & that the said black man Jerry was raised in the County of State of Maryland where the manumission was recorded -

In Testimony whereof this 29th March 1810
Hoochman

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit: -

I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may concern, that Doct. John Tripp, of Talbot County, came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black negro man about thirty two years of age, five feet four inches high, with a large mark of a burn on his right arm, and scar on his upper lip, was raised in Dorchester County, is the identical negro manumitted by Mrs Elizabeth New, in Talbot County the 25th February 1803.

In witness whereof this 9th May 1810 -
Hoochman

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit: I hereby certify that Jas. T. of said County & State came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a black man who calls himself Jacob Miller, and who is about twenty years of age, five feet four inches high, dark complexion, was born free, and raised in said County & State. In Testimony whereof this 19th May 1810
Hoochman

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit: I hereby certify that a Deputee of the County & State, came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Jesse, who is now about twenty two years of age 5 feet 9 inches high - dark complexion was born free. & raised in the County & State of Maryland. In Testimony whereof this 26th of March 1811 -
Hoochman

State of Maryland
 Talbot County Court. I hereby Certify all persons whom
 it doth or may concern, that Samuel Froth of Talbot
 County Court and proved to my satisfaction,
 that the bearer hereof, Harry Tarry, alias (was)
 a black girl, with white spots on his face, about
 22 yrs of age, 5 feet 2 inches high, was raised in
 this County by the identical person manumit-
 ted by N^o Tarry, he Father of the County off.
 In Witness wh^o this, 14 July 1810

Goethman

State of Maryland
 Talbot County Court. I hereby Certify all persons
 whom it doth or may concern, that Samuel
 Froth of Talbot County off^o Court and proved to
 my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof
 a black negro girl, by the name of
 Rose Tarry 5 feet 3 inch^s high, about 18
 years of age, with no hair, was born
 in the County off^o and raised partly
 in this State and partly in the State
 of Pennsylvania, is the daughter of a
 negro woman manumitted by Obadiah
 Gany of the County off^o the 9th day of
 Feb^ry 1790. (and) recorded in the
 County Court office, for Talbot County
 off^o In Witness wh^o this, 14th of July
 1810

Goethman

State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit:

I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
or may concern, that W^m Froth of Talbot County
came and proved to my satisfaction, that
the bearer hereof James alias James Goldsborough
aged about thirty and twenty years, 5 feet
inches high, of a very dark brown colour,
large eyes, and thick lips, with a scar on the
top of his right foot, was freed bond, and raised
in the County aforesaid - In Testimony t^h - Aug.

Seal

14th day of Aug: 1810

W^m Buchanan

Maryland, Talbot County Court: Shew by certificate
that Miss Elizabeth Hall of the County of Habersham,
came and proved to my satisfaction that the
bearer hereof a black man, who call, himself
Daniel Johns, and who is now about thirty nine
years of age, five feet eight inches and an half
high - a small scar on the back of his right
hand - also another small scar under his
chin - dark complexion, is the identical
negro man named in a man^u (made by
Mess^{rs} McCallen of the County of Habersham)
to free in Jan^y 1797 which said man^u
is duly executed and recorded among the
Lords records of Talbot County & P^{ro}
where the said Dan^l Johns was
raised - In Testimony t^h Augst 1810

W^m Buchanan

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit.

I hereby certify that Richard Markland of the County and State aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Jos. Thomas ~~was~~ who is now about 21 years of age of 5 feet 6 1/2 inches high dark complexion without any remarkable scars, is the identical person named in a manumission from Levin Cox to sundry negroes, bearing date the 28th day of March 1811. to be free from the date thereof, which said manumission was duly acknowledged & recorded among the said records of the County of Talbot the said Jos. Thomas was received -

In testimony whereof this 10th of 1811

W. Woodhouse

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit

I hereby certify that Mr. Richard Earle of the County and State aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself James Anderson & who is now about thirty nine years of age five feet ten inches and half high one scar on his right jaw bone one small scar on the left side of his chin his four fingers of the left hand from the end to the first joint crooked & his fingers - & of a dark complexion, is the identical person called Jim, in a manumission made by Elizabeth Holly day, of the County and State aforesaid on the twenty second day of January 1803 to be free from the date thereof, which said manumission was duly executed & recorded, among the Land Record Books of the County and State aforesaid, where the James Anderson was named -

In testimony whereof this 9th day of October 1811

W. Woodhouse

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State of Maryland, Talbot County, to-wit: I hereby certify,
that W^m. William S. Bush of the County and State aforesaid
and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black
man who calls himself Jack Barton, and who is now about
twenty five years of age, five feet seven inches, and an
half high, a very large scar from above the wrist of his
left hand, to the little finger of the same hand. The said
little finger is very much contracted, and is drawn up
to the palm of the hand. Another long and narrow scar
on his right hand: this scar extends from the wrist of
said hand, to the third joint of the forefinger of the same
hand. One other small scar near the third joint ~~near~~
~~the~~ third joint of the middle finger of his right hand.
One other small scar between his eye brows - and of a
dark complexion, is the identical person named
Jack, in a manuscript made by a certain
Joseph Dando of the County aforesaid, to be seen
when he should arrive to the age of twenty five
years (which happened on the twenty second day
of June last) which said man. was duly
executed, acknowledged and recorded, among
the Land Record Books of the County aforesaid, in which
the said Jack Barton was named. In
Testimony &c. this 21st Octo. 1811

State of Maryland, I hereby certify, that ^{Hoochen} W^m. Bush
Talbot County to-wit: I hereby of the County that aforesaid
and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
to-wit: Jack Baker, John Benson a Black man, about
20 years of age 5 feet 2 1/4 inches high, has on the large scar on
the top of his forehead, and equally in the edge of his
hair - has one other scar about an inch above the 3^d
joint of the thumb on his right hand - was born free
and raised by him, the said Ned by and the City of
In Testimony &c. this 7th Jan^y 1813
J. C. C.

Maryland Talbot County, To wit: Thereby certify that Mr. Richard Harwood of the County and State of said, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a Dutch mulatto man who calls himself Leim, and who is now about twenty nine years of age - five feet two inches and an half high, and without any remarkable scars, is the identical person named in a manumission, made by Thomas Morgan of the County and State of said, to be free on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and eight - which said manumission was duly executed and recorded among the land Record Books, of the County & State of said, when the said Leim was raised -
 In Testimony whereof this 29th day of
 July 1811
 Hoockerman

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit:

Thereby certify that Mr. Nicholas Watts of the County and State of said, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, colored man, who calls himself James Steel and who is now about thirty nine years of age five feet five inches and an half high - both broken and rather of a bright complexion is the identical person named in a manumission made by the said Nicholas Watts to the said James Steel on the thirtieth day of May in the year eighteen hundred and seven to be free from the date hereof - which said manumission was duly executed and recorded among the land records of Talbot County of said, when the said James Steel was raised -

In Testimony &c. this 11th
 day of December 1811
 Hoockerman

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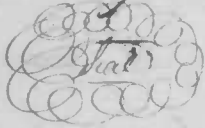
The State of Maryland Talbot County to wit
I do hereby certify to all persons whom it doth or may
concern that Isaac Atkinson of Talbot County and State aforesaid
came and proved to my satisfaction that Louisa a
Mulatto woman about 24 years old five feet four inches
high two and three quarters inches high with a few
frickles in the face was born free in the county aforesaid
In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed the public seal of my office
this 5th day of October 1802

J. Lockerman Clerk

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State of Maryland Talbot County to wit: I hereby
certify that Colo. Abadia Gandy of the County & State
aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof a black man who calls
himself Lloyd Stewart, and who is now about nineteen
years of age - five feet two inches and three quarters
of an inch high - one ear near his right elbow,
on the upper part of his arm - dark complexion
was born free - and likewise that the said Lloyd Stewart
was raised in the County & State aforesaid. - In Testimony
of this 28th of Aug. 1810. Lockerman

State of Maryland & Shereby Certify, that Wm. Meloy of the
 Talbot County town, County and State of ^{Maryland} came and proved
 to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof
 Negro Joseph alias Joseph Gates, was manumitted by him
 the said Wm Meloy, about the year 1807, the said Joseph
 alias Joseph Gates is of a very dark complexion, feet 8 in
 high, had one large scar on his forehead one end of which
 extend nearly to his right eye brow, and one small scar near
 the end of the little finger of his left hand.



In Testimony whereof this 23rd of July 1812.
 H. - Clerk

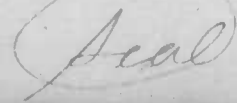
State of Maryland & Shereby Certify, that Margaret Cockayne
 of Talbot County town, County and State of ^{Maryland} came and proved to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof John Leeds a black man about five feet nine
 inches and one quarter of an inch high is free born
 and raised in the County afo^r twenty two years of age
 next January has a scar scarcely discernable down his
 left cheek also a small scar by the corner of his right
 eye and also a scar on the joint of his fourth finger
 on his right hand



In Testimony whereof Yes this
 8th day of December 1814

Joseph M. and

State of Maryland & Shereby Certify, that
 Talbot County town, County and State of ^{Maryland} came and proved to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof, a bright oval alto roomer. was
 Memory, who is now about 25 years of age 5 feet
 4 3/4 in. high, has no marks or scars, was
 manumitted & set free by David Cornwall
 of the County & State afo^r & was a witness
 in said County & State to Testimony & 1/2



7 sep 1815
 J. M. and

State of Maryland
 Talbot County Court
 I do hereby certify all persons whom
 it doth or may concern that Edward Martin of Talbot
 County aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof a Dark skollt man who calls himself Isaac
 Sherwood five feet eight inches and one quarter of an inch
 high with some scason his three fingers of the left hand a small
 scason on the upper lip about twenty four years of age was
 manumitted by Nicholas Martin dec. the father of the
 said Edward Martin

In Testimony whereof
 Dec. 1814
 Jockerman

State of Maryland
 Talbot County Court
 I do hereby certify all
 persons whom it doth or may concern that
 William Dickenson of Talbot County aforesaid
 came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof a black man named Dan:
 Bridge 5. 6. high with no scars about thirty
 five years of age was manumitted by Elizabeth
 Dickenson of the county afo.

In Testimony whereof
 this 20th day of Dec. 1814
 Jockerman

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court.

I hereby certify, that Mr. William Meloy of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction that the Bearer hereof, a mulatto Woman who calls herself Goby Praces and who is now about 25 years of age 5 feet 7/8^{11/2} of an inch high a small scar on her forehead, a Scar also on her left arm occasioned by the inoculation of the small pox, was born free, raised in the County State aforesaid

In Testimony whereof this 20th day of May 1811

W. Woodburn Clerk

State of Maryland, I hereby certify, that Wm. Smith of Talbot County Court. & the County and State aforesaid proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Lou Kingon, who is now about 29 years of age, 5 feet 5 inches high has on large Scar on the upper part of his right breast, one other Scar on the right side of his head, was born free raised in the County aforesaid

In Testimony whereof this 11th Jun 1812

State of Maryland, I hereby certify that Mr. James Talbot County Court: & Mr. Daniel of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a dark mulatto woman named Martha Kersey who is now about forty years of age five feet five inches and three quarters of an inch high has no remarkable Scar, is the identical negro woman mentioned in a manumission from certain George Kersey to Sunday negroes dated the 25 day of June 1811 which was duly & legally attested acknowledged and Enrolled amongst the Land records of the County aforesaid; the said Martha to be free from the date of the said Manumission

In Testimony whereof this 2nd day of Sept. W. Woodburn Clerk of Talbot County Court

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify that M^r James M^r
 Talbot County, to wit } Daniel of the County and State
 of said County and provide to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof a black woman Margaret alias Margaret
 Husey who is now about twenty three years of age five
 feet five inches and one quarter of an inch high (has on
 a small scar partly on the top of her right wrist) is the
 identical person named in a manumission from a
 certain Georg Husey to sundry negroes, bearing date the
 25th day of June 1812 which was duly and legally attes-
 ted acknowledged and enrolled amongst the land records
 of the County of said; the said Margaret to be free from
 the date thereof

In Testimony of this 24th day of Sept-
 1812
 Geo. Cochran and Ch^l
 of Talbot County Court

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County, to wit } I hereby certify that
 to my certain knowledge the bearer hereof
 a black man named James, but who
 calls himself James Dixon, who is now
 about 30 yrs of age, 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high,
 has one small scar directly on the first
 joint of the middle finger of his left-
 hand, has a large space or gap between
 the fore teeth of his under-jaw, and a
 small gap or space between the fore
 teeth of his upper jaw, is the identical
 person manumitted & set free by Mrs
 Catharine Goldborough on the 16th Inst. which
 s^d negro James otherwise called James
 Dixon was raised in the County & State

In Testimony of this 20th
 June 1815
 Geo. Cochran and Ch^l

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State of Maryland, Talbot County Court. I hereby certify
that Jonathan Ryby of the County and State aforesaid, came
(and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a
black woman, who calls herself Mary, rather of a
bright complexion, five feet and an half inch high,
with several scars on her right arm, one of which
a little above her elbow is very notable, also one long
scar over her left eye, and now in the seventeenth
year of her age, is the identical person named in
a Manumission from Jonathan Ryby to sundry negroes,
and which is legally executed and recorded amongst
the Land Record Books of the County aforesaid.

In Testimony &c. this 28th day of June 1809.
State of Maryland, Talbot County Court.

I hereby certify that James Bellis of the
County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof a black woman who calls herself
Abner, and who is about four feet, eleven inches
and one eighth of an inch high - with a scar on
her forehead, over her right eye, & now about thirty
years of age, is the identical person named in
a Manumission from him to sundry negroes, & that
she was raised in the County aforesaid.

In Testimony whereof &c. this 10th Octo. 1809.
Hoscherman Ck.

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court. I hereby certify that
Alu. Dray Gent. of said County & State, came and proved
to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a mulatto woman,
who calls herself Memory Corny, and who is now about
thirty five years of age, five feet four inches high, & shall
scar near the corner of her right eye, one other scar on the
underside of her left arm, is the identical person named
in a manumission made by Tho. S. Dray, to be free at the end
of the year eighteen hundred and nine, which said manumission
was duly executed & recorded among the Land Records of the
County & State aforesaid, when the said Memory Corny was raised.
In Testimony &c. this 24th of July 1810. Hoscherman Ck.

March 19th 1809

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Martin Solomon to Negro Jacob

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court

I certify that James Burgess, a respectable citizen of the County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a black man, who calls himself James Marfield, of a bright complexion, five feet eight inches high, a small scar on the back of his right hand, and about twenty seven years of age now, is the identical person that was manumitted by William Blake on the twing sixth day of April Anno Domini seventeen hundred and eighty five.

In Testimony &c. this 26th May 1809

J. Lockerman

State of Maryland Talbot County Court

I hereby certify that Richard Gore of the said County & State, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof ~~white~~ ^{black} man who calls Martin Baston, and who is now about twenty one year of age, height five feet eleven inches ~~high~~ ^{up} a half high. Very black straight hair, was born free, and resided in the County & State aforesaid, In Testimony &c. this 10th of April 1810. Lockerman

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State of Maryland } I humbly certify all persons who are
 Talbot County to wit } it may concern, that Mr. Patrott
 of the County of Calvert and proved to my satisfaction
 that negro, minta steel, the bearer hereof about five, feet
 one inch high, about 23 years of age, with no scar or
 mark, was raised in the County of is the identical woman
 manumitted by him, in this County in the year 1805. In
 Witness whereof &c. - this 5th day of August 1809.

J. D. Hall

J. Lockman J.

State of Maryland } I humbly certify that Robert Espedain
 Talbot County to wit } of Eastern in the County & State of
 Calvert and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a
 Black Woman, named Liza, ~~but calling Liza~~ Manning
 who is now ~~about~~ 5th year of age, about 4 feet 10³/₄ in.
 high, several large scars, on her left wrist, is the
 identical person named in a manumission from
 Liza Espedain, bearing date on the 11th day of June
 1803; the said Liza Manning to be free from the
 date thereof, which said Man. was duly proved &
 enrolled among the said records of the County of Calvert when
 the said Liza was raised. In Testimony &c.

the 19th July 1811
 J. Woodman

Norway Negro Certificate

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court:

Whereby certify all persons whom it doth or may concern, that Galib Brown of the County & State aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction, that the beaver hereof, a Mullatto Woman, ~~was~~ ^{namely} her Rhoda and who is now about 37 years of age, five feet, one ~~inch~~ inch & a quarter of an inch high, has a small scar from the time she was in the District Prison ~~and~~ ^{set free} by Rigby Hopkins, on the 2^d day of June 1812, and that she was raised in the County aforesaid.

In Testimony &c. this 3^d of June 1812

[Signature]

State of Maryland Talbot County Court

Whereby certify all persons whom it doth or may concern, that Rachel Carrill came and proved to my satisfaction that the beaver hereof ~~is~~ ^{was} named about forty five years of age, five feet three inches high, but her upper fore teeth was raised in the County and was manufactured by her the said Rachel Carrill

State of Maryland, Talbot County Court: Whereby certify, that Mr. Thomas Jones of the County & State aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction, that the beaver hereof, a Mullatto Man who calls himself Sixty Mouth who is now about 22 years of age, five feet & ~~four~~ ^{four} inches high, had no remarkable ~~scar~~ ^{scar} was therefore raised in the County aforesaid.

In Testimony &c. this 14th day of Sept^r 1812
J. Lockerman Clerk

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to-wit: I hereby certify
 that Miss Margaret Gore of the County and State aforesaid,
 came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof
 a black woman who calls herself Lydia Stinson,
 and who is now about twenty years of age - five feet
 two inch and a half high - brown hair - and blue eyes,
 and dark complexion - was born free, and raised
 in the County & State aforesaid. In Testimony whereof this
 16th of April 1811 - Hoveverman

[Signature]

State of Maryland, & County City, to-wit: I hereby certify
 that Court of the County and State aforesaid
 I have proved to my satisfaction, that the
 bearer hereof, Negro William alias William Madden was
 born free, and raised in the County aforesaid - the said
 W^m Madden is now about 23rd years of age - five feet 2³/₄ inches
 high of a dark Mulatto Colour - has no visible marks

In Testimony & this 27th day 1813
[Signature]

May Tenn 1809

Negro Michael } 13 June 1809 Judg^t. that the Petitioner be
or } free, according to him and costs.
Appⁿ: Nise }

Woochorman

State of Maryland
Talbot County to wit I hereby certify all persons whom it
doth or may concern, that Jonathan N. Berry of the
County afo^r came and proved to my Satisfaction, that the
bearer hereof, negro Michael, a black man, five
feet, five inches high, about thirty six years of age
his fore teeth wide apart, was raised in the County
afo^r is the identical person who obtained his freedom
by petition at the May Term 1809, in Talbot
County Court - In Testimony &c. - this 3^d day of
Sept. 1810.

Woochorman

State of Maryland
Talbot County to wit I do hereby certify that M. Daniel
Martin of the County and State aforesaid came and proved
to my Satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black
Melattoe man named Nathaniel, (about thirty
two years of age, five feet seven inches and
three quarters of an inch high, has one scar
on the end of the little finger of his right hand
occasioned (as he says) by a whittow one other
Scar on the end of the four finger of his left hand
and one small Scar on his forehead,) is the
Identical person set free by Edward Martin
the first day of Jan^y 1805

In Testimony whereof I
have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of
my office this 12th Day of Sept. 1812

Jacob Woochorman
of Talbot County Court

State of N. H. I hereby Certify all persons whom it
 Falbot Court to wit & doth or may Concern, that Doct: Emally
 Martin, of the County as: Came and proved to my
 satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a black man by the
 Name of Jacob Davis, about 5 feet $\frac{1}{4}$ of an inch high,
 with two Scars on the under part of his left arm
 about 30 years of age, is the identical person set free
 by Th: Chamberlaine late of the said County deceased.

In Witness whereof see this 9th day of Oct.

Anno Dom: 1809 -

J. Hooker J. J. J.

State of Maryland. I hereby certify that Mr. Wm.
 Falbot County Court & Mullikin of the County and
 State of Maryland, came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof (freed Slave) alias Lewis Mackay
 who is now about twenty seven years of age five feet one

inch and a quarter high of a dark complexion
 has one small Scar about half an inch above
 the first joint of the fore finger of his left hand
 and one other Scar upon the ball of the thumb
 of the same hand, was born free and raised in
 the County of Maryland

J. J. J.

In Testimony whereof see this
 27th day of Dec. 1814

J. Hooker J. J. J.

State of Maryland I Shereby certify, that W^o. William Mullick
 Esq^r of the County and State of aforesaid,
 Talbot County to wit, I came and proved to my Satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof negro John alias John Mackery
 who is now about twenty seven years of age, Five feet
 four Inches and one quarter of an Inch high, of a
 bright yellow complexion has no notable marks
 or scars, Except a small Scar on the Inside of his
 left hand partly between the fore finger and
 thumb was born free and Rained in the County
 and State of aforesaid In Testimony whereof I

Seal
 This 27th day of Dec. 1814
 Geo. B. Brown Esq

State of Maryland I Shereby certify, that
 Talbot County to wit, W^o. Willson of the
 County & State aforesaid came & proved to
 my satisfaction that the ^{high} bearer, a Black
 Girl named Rachel, otherwise called Rachel
 Walter, who is now about 16 yrs of age, 4
 feet 9 1/2 inches high, has the Middle finger of
 her right hand a little deformed, & has one
 Scar in her right eye brow, is the identical
 person manumitted free by the S^o. Willson this day.

Seal
 In Testimony of the 19th
 day of April 1815.
 Geo. B. Brown Esq of Tal.
 County Court.

State of Maryland - I hereby certify that Robert Talbot County Justice & Moore, a respectable Citizen of the County (and State aforesaid), came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer a Mulatto man, who calls himself John Procter, & who is 3 ft. 8 in. high yellow complexioned with a large Scar on his right wrist. (and about 23 years of age) Is the identical person named in a manumission from Daniel Procter his Father to him, the said John Procter (and which is duly executed (and recorded in one of the Land record Books of Talbot County of) In Testimony &c. this 10th day of Aug. 1809.

J. Lockman Aug.

State of Maryland Talbot County Justice, hereby certify to all whom it doth or may concern, that to my certain knowledge the bearer hereof, a bright Mulatto man, who calls himself Harley Dicks, between forty two (and forty three years of age, five feet six inches high, is the identical negro man set free by Nicholas Hammond, by a Deed of Man. bearing date the 1st day of Dec. 1807, which was duly enrolled on the Land records of the County of. And the same negro man named Harley Dicks was raised in the County (and State of) In Testimony &c. the 1st Sep. 1809.

J. Lockman Aug.

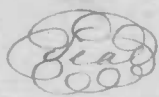
Maryland Talbot County to wit.

I hereby certify that General Perry Benson of the county and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Isaac Gibson, and who is now about forty years of age five feet eight inches high of a Sunk complexion, and without any notable or visible marks is the identical person distinguished by the name of Isaac in a manumission made by the said Gen. Benson on this day to be free from the date hereof which said manumission is duly executed and recorded among the Land Records of the county aforesaid

In Testimony whereof I: this 28th day of January 1812 - Geo. Thompson

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit
I hereby certify that I: Sheriff of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction that the Bearer hereof a dark Mulatto Man, who calls himself Thomas Adley, who is now about 32 years of age 5 feet 4 3/4 inches high, has a Scar on a near the end of the second Finger of his left hand, one small Scar on the side of his left thumb, one large Scar on his Breast, is the identical person set free by Thomas Townsend J. by Man. being date the 30th day of September 1806 which said Man. was duly attested, acknowledged & recorded among the Land Records of the County aforesaid when the said that Adley was aged

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In Testimony I: this 15th day of April 1812 Geo. Thompson

The State of Maryland & Sherrif Certify, that W. Arthur Bigby
 (Haltol County towit) of the County and State aforesaid came and
 proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a Mulatto
 Man, named Esther, alias Esther Haskins who is about
 25 years of age, 5 feet 2 inch, 1/2 of an inch high, has a long
 scar on her right arm occasioned by a scald, says she is the identical
 person mentioned by Philip Wright on the 12th day of the
 1789, which said manuscript was waxed & sealed, and
 knowledge & enrolled in Lib. B. of A. W. one of the
 said record books for the County aforesaid.

In Testimony W. this 28th of Oct. 1812

Neque Esther proved that she kept the above
 certificate, and another was granted her on
 the 9th day of July 1815.

W. Arthur Bigby
 Sherrif

The State of Maryland & Sherrif Certify
 that J. A. [unclear] towit that W. [unclear]
 [unclear] of the County & State aforesaid came
 & proved to my satisfaction, that the
 Bearer hereof, a Negro man who
 calls himself James Smith, and who
 is now about 26 years of age 5 feet
 10 in high, has lost two of the fore teeth
 of his upper jaw, & two (two other fore teeth
 from his under jaw) was born free &
 raised in the County & State aforesaid.

In Testimony W. this
 10th day of Aug. 1815
 W. [unclear]

3.23/11

October 9. 1812
Receipt for
£5 in full
of J. M. M. M. M.

Baltimore October 9th 1812 Rec'd of
Negro E. S. the sum of eight Dollars
in full of his term of servitude - and I here
by declare and make known that the said
Carter is to all intents free to act in all
matters for himself and on his own footing.

His Manumission is recorded in Talbot
County Court - in this State.

Wm. Meredith

State of Maryland } Shurely certify all persons whom
 Talbot County } it doth or may concern that Dan.
 Martin of the State and county aforesaid came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof Nathan aught
 black colored negro man about twenty five years of
 age five feet four inches and three quarters of an inch
 high was manumitted by John Kipper of the county
 aforesaid in the year of our Lord one and ninety five
 there were no heirs or said negro

I do In testimony whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and affix the seal of my office
 this 19th day of October 1813
 J. Hoffmann

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County } Shurely Certify all persons whom
 it doth or may concern that William B. Smith
 of Talbot County and proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof a negro woman named Nancy about
 five feet two inches high was born in this County
 about twenty six years of age with marks of
 a burn below her elbow was manumitted
 by William Kine man of this County

Seal

In witness whereof I
 this 4th Dec. 1813
 J. Hoffmann

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County } Shurely certify all persons whom
 my former that William man and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof a negro man about twenty
 five years of age five feet high with a small mole
 nearly between the eyes and a scar on his forehead
 in the County aforesaid
 this 16th Apr. 1814

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to-wit: -

I hereby certify to all persons, whom it doth or may concern, that to my certain knowledge, the bearer hereof - a bright mulatto man who calls himself M^r. Nelson and who is now about 29 years of age, 5 feet 5 3/4 in. high has a small scar on the little finger of his left hand another scar on the middle finger of the same hand, also one other scar on the second joint of his left thumb, is the identical person named in a manuscript from Mary Stewarts to be seen on the 1 day of July 1811 which s^d man: may duly acknowledge & recorded ^{among} the said records of the County of P. where the said negro man M^r. Nelson was raised.

In Testimony &c. this 20th of Feb: 1811

W. Hootchman

State of Maryland I hereby certify, that the said Bearer Talbot County to-wit: hereof, (Harry, alias Harry Anderson of a Black ~~and his~~ ~~Part~~ ~~to~~ ~~with~~ ~~the~~ ~~Complexion~~ ~~was~~, who is now about twenty three years of age, 5 feet 5 3/4 inches high, has one large Scar, partly on the edge and near the third joint of the little finger on his left hand, & has one small Scar, partly near the outer corner of his right eye - has a Gap or Span between his upper fore teeth - is the identical negro man Mammoth and his free by William Harrison Jr. Esq. on the 31st day of Dec: 1812 -

In Testimony &c. this 16th day of March 1813.

W. Hootchman Clk

Seal

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to wit. I shew that W. S. Parat
Dickinson of said County, and that came and proved to my
satisfaction that the bearer here of a negre woman, self called
Polly, and who is now about thirty years of age. five
feet one inch and an half high, one small scar on the
inside of her right arm, and another small scar on the
back of her neck. little or no eye brows. dark complexion
is the identical person named in a Manumission made
by John Dickinson, to free at the expiration of five years
from the first day of January, Eight hundred and one,
which said Manu is duly executed and recorded
among the said records of the County of, where the said negre
woman Polly was raised. In testimony whereof this 20 Aug. 1810
H. C. Hoekerman

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit
I shew certify that Miss Patience Handy of said County
State came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer here of
a Coloured woman who calls herself Pat and who is now about
thirty five years of age five feet two inches and a quarter of an
inch high a scar on her right wrist and has rather a bright Com
plexion is the identical person named in a Manumission made
by M^{rs}. Margret Allend on the ninth Day of December in the
year of our Lord Eighteen hundred and Eight to be free from the
Date thereof which said Manumission was duly executed and
enrolled among the Land record Books of Talbot County aforesaid
which the said Pat was raised

In testimony whereof I
this 24 day of May 1811

H. C. Hoekerman

State of Maryland, I shew certify, that
Talbot County, to wit, W. S. Parat, of the
County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satis
faction, that the bearer here of (Negro Daniel
alia, Daniel Jewell, who is now about 21
years of age, 5 feet 7/8 in. high, of a light black
complexion, has one small scar on his left arm,
and near the bone of his waist, & one other
scar directly on the bone of his left wrist,
both occasioned (as he says) by burns) was born
free & raised in Caroline County, in the State of

In Testimony whereof this 21 July 1815
H. C. Hoekerman

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State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit.

I hereby Certify that Doct^r John Coats of the County & State afo^r Came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a Black Man who calls himself Charles (State) and who is now about 5 feet 10 in: high of a dark complexion with a Scar on his right Cheek near his eye, also one other Scar about the middle of his breast and about 25 years of age, is the identical ^{negro} man he set free by a Manumission, duly executed & recorded, in one of the said Records of Talbot County afo^r In Testimony &c this 22^d day of Aug^r anno domⁱ 1809

J. Lockerman

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit: I hereby certify that Philip Reiby of the said County & State, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Perry Ashing, and who is now about Twenty three years of age, five feet five inches and a half high. Rather of a bright Complexion. a Scar of his left eye, is the identical person named in a manumission from him the said Philip Reiby, to be free from the state hereof, and that the said Perry Ashing was raised in the County & State afo^r where the said Man. was recorded.

In Testimony &c this 13^d of July 1810.
J. -

Pitt John	from Francis Armstrong	1
same	from same	2
same	from same and wife	3
Phillips Anthony	from Henry Ayers & Son	47
Phillips Brooks	duplicate	9

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County Court }
 I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 or may concern that Hugh Mack of
 Talbot County, came and proved to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof, Negro Harry, a dark brown complexion about
 six ft. 2 in. high 21 y. of age, has a mole on his left
 wrist & also on his under lip. In the Judicial person
 Manumitted by Alex. Pickens on the 26 of Aug 1797, to
 be free on 15 of June 1808 In Testimony & True 21 1808
 J. L.

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit, I hereby certify to all
 persons whom it doth or may concern that James Beate
 of Talbot County came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the Bearer Perry a Dark Mulatto Man by the
 Name of Perry five feet ten Inches & an half
 high with no visible mark twenty two years
 of age was raised in the County of the Judicial
 person Manumitted by the said Beate on the
 sixth day of October last
 In Witness whereof I have unto set my
 hand and affix the Seal of my office
 this third November 1808
 Geo. Sherman Clerk

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State of Maryland Talbot County to-wit-

I hereby Certify that Relief Sarah Work of said County and State aforesaid and proved to my Satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black Woman who calls herself Patty Steel and who is now about twenty eight years of age, four feet Eleven inches high, One large Scar of the left side of her breast, dark Complexion, is the identical Person named in a manumission from Hugh Work, to be free on the first day of January, Eighteen Hundred, and that the said Patty Steel was raised in the County & State aforesaid, where the manumission was duly enrolled among the Land records of said County.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed the ~~my~~ seal of my Office, this twelfth fifth day of April A. D. Eighteen hundred and Ten -

Jacob Lockman and
Talbot County Court

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to-wit,

I hereby Certify that Samuel Troth of the County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my Satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Perth Simpson and who is now about fifty three years of age - five feet six inches and three quarters of an inch high - one large Scar about two inches above

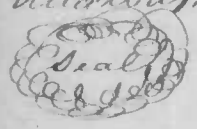
the joint of his right wrist. ^{Bald} Black head (and dark com-
 plexion) is the identical person named in a manumission,
 made by a certain William McKellum of the County of ^{ap}
 on the twelfth Day of August anno domini Twenten
 hundred and Eighty Eight, to be free from the Date
 thereof which said manumission is executed and rec-
 orded among the land records of the County and State ^{of}
 where the said Puth Simpson was raised In Testimony
 of this 11th Sep^r 1811 - Lockerman & C

State of Maryland I Shereby Certify that Justham
 Talbot County town & Justice of the County and State
 of came and proved to my Satisfaction, that the bearer
 hereof a black man named Perry; who is now
 about twenty one years of age five feet 6 inches & one
 half of an Inch high, has lost two teeth from his
 upper Jaw and has a small Scar on his upper lip
 & near the right Corner of his mouth, is the Person
 set free by a certain Sam^l Cooper by manumissi-
 on dated on the 28th day of May 1794, the said Perry
 to be free when he should attain the age of twenty one
 years
 In Testimony of
 this 16th day of Dec^r 1812

Jacob Lockerman

State of Maryland I Shereby certify all persons
 Talbot County town & whom it doth or may concern
 that Mary Griffer of the town of ^{of} County
 of came and proved to my Satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof a black girl by the name of Peggy
 five feet and three quarters of an Inch high with
 two small Scars one on her right little finger and
 the joining of her hand and the other on the left little
 finger near the joining of her hand sixteen years of age
 & was born and raised in the County of ^{of}
Jacob Lockerman

State of Maryland
 Talbot County to wit I Shereby Certify, all persons whom it doth
 or may Concern, that William Delahay, of the County and
 State of Maryland and proved to my Satisfaction, that the bearer
 hereof, Nigro Ned, of a light brown Complexion five feet
 four inches and an half high, about thirty years of age has no
 visible scars, or marks which are notable, except a very small
 scar on his left thumb, is the Identical person, manumitted by
 his father Mark Delahay, in the year, Sixteen hundred &
 Ninety, to be free in the year Eighteen hundred and five
 and was raised in Talbot County aforesaid. — In Testi-



mony &
 Hookman C.

State of Maryland — I Shereby Certify, that
 Talbot County, to wit, M^r Samuel Tenant of the
 County and State of Maryland and proved to my
 Satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, Nigro Ethu
 alias John Carr, who is now about 23 years of
 age, 5 ft 6 inches ^{of a Dark Complexion} & 4 of an inch high, has
 one small scar a little below his under lip,
 inclining to the right, also, a space or gap between
 the foreteeth of his under jaw, was born free
 and raised in the County & State aforesaid. —

In Testimony of this 10th day
 of August, 1814.



Hookman C.

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State of Maryland Talbot County, to-wit: I hereby Certify, that W. William Mullikin of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, (Negro Henry also, Henry Rhoden, who is now about 23 years of age, 5 feet 3 3/4 inches high, has a Dark complexion, had no notable marks) was born free, and raised near a Village called the Saffe in Talbot County aforesaid.

In Testimony Whereof this 9th of Sept. 1814. W. W. W. W.

State of Maryland Talbot County, to-wit: I hereby Certify, that W. W. W. W. of the County aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, (Negro George otherwise called George Cromwell, who is now about 17 years of age, 5. 11 3/4 in. high, of a Yellow complexion, has one small scar upon the Back of his right hand and about 3/4 of an inch from the third joint of the thumb; one other scar in his forehead; one other scar under his right eye; and one other scar on the the right side of his Chin; has lost several of his upper teeth) is the identical person (unnamed) set free by W. James Cowell of the County and State aforesaid.

In Testimony Whereof this 26th of Sept. 1814. W. W. W. W.

Maryland Talbot County to-wit: I hereby certify, that Robt. Kemp of the County & State aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a mulatto woman named Jane, who is now about 22 years of age 5. 2 1/4 inches high has no notable marks) was manumitted set free by David Cromwell of the County & State aforesaid & was raised in said County & State.

In Testimony Whereof this 20th of Sept. 1815 W. W. W. W.

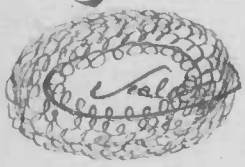
State of Maryland }
 Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth a
 or may concern, that Edward H. Hamilton of the County of
 Calvert and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 a mulatto man named Isaac 5.5 in: high, twenty 5 year
 of age his right thumb very much deformed, was raised
 in the County of is the identical person mentioned
 by himself on the 22^d Jan^y. 1807. In Witness wh^{ch} this
 21st day of Oct. 1809

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit.

I hereby certify that on the Jury Panel
 of the County and State aforesaid came and proved
 to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a
 very dark mulatto who calls himself R^d
 Goldborough, & who is no about 24 yrs of ag
 5 feet 8 in: high has a small scar on his
 right eye, is the identical person mentioned
 in an advertisement from M^r. Hindman to
 Henry, negro, (and that the said negro
 Rich. Goldborough was raised in the
 County & State of M^d. In Witness wh^{ch} this

12th day of Mar. 1811

W. H. H. H.



State of Maryland } I hereby certify, that
 Talbot County to wit } of the County & State aforesaid came
 and proved to my satisfaction, that
 the bearer hereof, to wit, ^{alias Sidney} Sidney Lockman, a
 light mulatto woman was born free, and raised
 in the County aforesaid - the said Sidney, alias Sidney
 Lockman, is now about 36 years of age, 5 feet 11
 inches high - has several large marks of scars on her
 face, occasioned by heat.

In Testimony wh^{ch} this 4th Oct 1813

W. H. H.

State of Maryland Talbot County town

I hereby certify that Francis Carter of the County and State aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black woman who calls herself Paddy Carter and who is now about 37 years of age, 5 ft 3 in high has a large scar on her left cheek, of the identical person mentioned in a man: from him the S. Fred. Carter to the said Paddy Carter bearing date the 1st of July 1810 & that the said Paddy Carter was raised in Queen Anne's County in the State of Maryland

In Testimony Whereof
12 March 1811

State of Maryland, I hereby certify, that William Talbot County, town, & Justice of the Peace and State

that the bearer hereof, negro, also, of a bright complexion, about 37 years of age, 5 feet 3 in high

was born free and raised in the County aforesaid

In Testimony Whereof this 4th day of September 1813.
Spockman

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State of Maryland & I hereby Certify all person
Talbot County towit & whom it doth or may concern
that Obadiah Garry of the County of? Came and
proved to my satisfaction that the beaver hunt, a
very dark Skulatto Woman, named Nan, about
35 years of age, 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high with a scar
on the right side of her face, was raised in the
County of? is the Identical person set free by Char:
gaut Gardiner late of the County of?

In witness whereof &c. this 3^d
day of Oct. 1809
Hoochman

State of Maryland, Talbot County towit.

I hereby Certify ^{all} persons whom it doth or
may concern, that Edward Caldwell, of Talbot County
came and proved to my satisfaction that the beaver
hunt Garry, Perkins aged 21 years last March, a light
muskated, 5.3 3/4 inches high, with a scar on the side
of his left foot, is the son of a free white woman
who is lawfully married to a free-muskated man, and
was raised in the County of? In Testimony &c.

this 4th day of August 1809.



Hoochman

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit,
 I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or
 may concern that Thomas Eagle of Talbot
 County came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof Pembroke Williams a blackman
 five feet ten Inches and one quarter of an Inch
 high about twenty four years of age was raised
 in the county aforesaid and was manumitted by
 Patrick Peck

In Testimony whereof
 the 26th day of July 1844
 J Lockman

State of Maryland
 Talbot County to wit, I hereby certify all persons
 whom it doth or may concern that Thomas
 Eagle of Talbot County came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the bearer or
 hereof a black man named Garrison
 about 22 years of age five feet 11 Inches
 and $\frac{3}{4}$ quarters of an Inch high with
 a very small scar under his left ear
 was raised in the county and manumitted
 by himself and others

In Testimony whereof
 the 26th day of July 1844
 J Lockman

State of Maryland, I Shew by Certify, that Court. Robt. Moore
 (Salbot County, town) of the County & State afo^o Can^o & Approved
 to my satisfaction that the Bearer here of
 (calling) Park (Mullatt) (or Black) Man, named George alias
 George Harris, who is now about 22 years of age 5 feet 4 in.
 high, has one small scar in the outer corner of his right eye & one small
 scar directly above the one just mentioned - has one other scar on his
 left Cheek, was born free, and raised by him the said Robt.
 Moore in the County afo^o.

In Testimony &c. this 12th day
 of Feb^r 1813.
 J. - Clerk

State of Maryland, I Shew by Certify, that Howell Powell of
 Salbot County town, of the County & State afo^o Can^o & Approved
 to my satisfaction that the Bearer here of
 Negro Ruth, alias Ruth & Barney, was born free (and
 raised in the County afo^o - the said Ruth alias Ruth
 & Barney is now about 24 years of age was 25 years of age on
 the 2^d of May last - 5 feet 6 inches high, has one large
 scar on her left arm, about 5 inches above her elbow,
 occasioned by Vaccination - has two large scars, and a
 number of smaller ones on her right arm, between her
 elbow and wrist - has one small ditto on the third joint of
 the fore finger on her left hand, and several small ones
 on the same arm, between her elbow & wrist. Has
 a large red scar or bump on the bottom part of her back
 her ear, occasioned by piercing.

In Testimony &c. this 21st day
 of July 1813.
 Goodwin Clerk.

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify, that Abraham
 Talbot County Court } Sheriff of the County & State
 in my presence and approved to my
 satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, vizt. Isaac Mullikin
 alias Brifinton, was manumitted and set free
 by him the said Abraham Brifinton, on the
 14th day of May, Anno Domini 1804, - the said
 Isaac alias Isaac Brifinton is of a dark (Mullikin
 Complexion, twenty one years of age on the 3rd
 Inst. Five feet two inches and three quarters of an
 Inch high has two scars in his forehead, one of which
 is partly in his the Edge of his hair; has two other
 scars together near the outer corner of his left eye
 no other notable marks

In Testimony Whereof
 This Sixth day of Nov. 1863
 I do hereby certify
 Talbot County Clerk

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify, that John
 Talbot County Court } Sheriff of the County & State
 in my presence and approved to my
 satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a
 Black Woman who really herself Diana
 alias Diana's Mullikin, who is now
 about 21 years of age, 5^{ft} 1¹/₂ inches high, has no
 notable marks, was born free, and raised
 in the County of

In Testimony Whereof
 This 19th
 day of April 1864
 John H. Sherman Clk

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State of Maryland, I hereby certify, that John Higgin, Junr.
Talbot County, to wit of the County and State aforesaid, came &
proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a male
Mullatto man, named "Boston" who is now about twenty
of age, 5 feet 8 inches high, a three Scar on the back of
his left hand, occasioned by the bite of a dog, is the
identical person named in a manumission from Ellen
Higgin to Muddy Negro, bearing date the 14th day of Sept. 1794
(and duly attested, acknowledged and enrolled among the
said records of the County aforesaid) the said Boston to be free
from the date, this 11th of April 1802

Witness my hand & seal this 11th of April 1802

Wm. C. C.

State of Maryland
Talbot County, to wit I hereby certify to all persons
whom it doth concern that Ignatius Rhodes a
respectable Citizen of the County and State aforesaid came and
proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof (negro)
Peter, alias Peter Sewell, who is now about twenty
three years of age 5 feet 8 Inches high of a
Black complexion has one small Scar
between the second and third Joint of the fore
finger of his left hand one other small Scar between
the second and third Joints of the little finger of the
same hand two other small Scars on the fore
finger of the same hand and between the
first and second Joints, there is one other
small Scar on the left side of his nose,

and partly on his upper lip and on the small scar
over his left eye - Boover was born free and raised in
Caroline county in the State of Va.

Sworn to that the former
was lost - Duplicate

In Testimony of this 28th

July 1815

Hochman

The State of Maryland, Talbot County, to wit:
I hereby certify that James
Neale of the County and State afores.
came and proved to my satisfaction,
that the bearer hereof, a black woman
named Rose, who is now about 21 years
of age 5 feet 7 1/4 inches high, has no
notable marks or scars, is the identical
same person mentioned and set free
by W. Hammond Esq. of the County
afores.

In Testimony of this

20th day of April, 1815.

Hochman

State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit:

I hereby certify, that Samuel Troth of the County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a Dark Mulatto Man, who calls himself Jacob Cornish and who is now about twenty three years of age, five feet, ten & an half inches high, one scar on the inside of ^{the thumb of} his right hand, ~~and~~ ^{another} scar on the second joint of the ~~the~~ ^{third} finger of the same hand, one other small scar on the third joint of the same finger, was born free & raised in the County aforesaid.

In Testimony of this 28th of Dec. 1811

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State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit:

I hereby certify, that Samuel Troth of the County and State aforesaid, came & proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a Dark mulatto Boy, who calls himself Thomas Freeman, who is now about 14 years of age 5 feet 1 inch high, has some spots on his cheeks, somewhat lighter than the natural colour, was born free, raised in the County aforesaid.

In Testimony of this 9th day of July 1812

Hoodburn and

The State of M^o: I hereby certify, that Talbot County to wit, (Shannon Meale of the County & State aforesaid) came & proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a bright Mulatto Man who calls himself David King, & who is now about 24 years of age 5 feet 3 1/2 inches high, has a scar in his forehead, & nearly between his eye brows, and has lost one of the four teeth of his upper jaw, was born free & raised in the County & State aforesaid.

In Testimony of this 7th August, 1812

Hoodburn and

State of Maryland - I hereby Certify, that Thomas J. Roe
 Talbot County, to wit, of the County & State aforesaid came & proved
 to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof
 (a Dark Mulatto Man, named Levin, about 27 years
 of age - 6 feet 4 1/2 inches high - has no notable marks)
 is the identical person named in a Manumission
 from myself him the said Thomas J. Roe to sundry
 dated the 25th day of June 1791
 Negro, the said Levin to be on the 8th June 1813. -

In Testimony whereof this 9 April 1814
 J. O. K.

State of Maryland - I hereby Certify, that
 Talbot County, to wit, Robert Kemp, a respectable
 Citizen of the County & State aforesaid came & proved
 to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof (Negro
 Abraham, who is now about 21 Years of age, 5 ft.
 6 in high, of a black complexion, has
 one scar on outer edge of his left hand, and
 near a partly on, or near the wrist; has an
 other scar in his forehead; has lost one of his upper
 teeth, is the identical person manumitted
 and set free by W. Lydia Kemp of Widow of
 Jos. Kemp, of the County aforesaid.

In Testimony whereof this
 27th of Sept. 1814
 H. B. Sherman etc,

Maryland, Talbot County to wit, I hereby
 Certify, that W. Moore of the County & State
 aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction, that the
 bearer hereof, (a Black man, named Edward,
 who is now about 3 1/2 years of age, 5 ft. 7 3/4 in. high, has
 a long scar partly on his left cheek bone & a
 little below his temple) was manumitted & set free
 by Wm. H. Moore of the County aforesaid & was raised
 in said County. In Testimony whereof
 this 22nd of Aug. 1815
 Wm. H. Moore

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State of Md. }
T. Cott. to wit } I hereby certify all person whom it
doth or may concern that Thos Banning of T County
of Anne and proved to my satisfaction, that the
bearer hereof Negro. Peter, of a very brown comple-
tion 5 of 3 in high, has a notable scar on his forehead
(and also a scar on his left hand), occasioned by burns
is the identical person was awarded by Thos Banning
on the 29th of July. 1780. In Testimony &c. Date 3. 1809.

The State of Maryland }
Talbot County, to wit } I hereby certify to all
persons whom it doth or may concern, that Rachel
Jenkins of the County and State of Anne and proved to
my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, "a bright molatto
man, named James," otherwise (called) James Chapman,
who is now about thirty one years of age, Five feet, five
Inches and three quarters of an Inch high, has no
notable marks or scars except a small scar over his
left eye brow,) was born free and raised in the
County of. In Testimony &c. this 10th day of
April, 1815

Geo Berman

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Talbot County to wit The State of Maryland ~~The Sheriff of Talbot County~~

Shereby Certify to all persons whom it doth or may concern that W^m
Robert Kemp of the County and State of aforesaid, came and proved
to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof (a black woman, named
"Priscilla," who is now about thirty nine years of age, 5 feet
2 Inches high has no notable marks or Scars is the Penitente
Person set free by Miss Elizabeth Bowman of the County
and State of aforesaid, In Testimony whereof I have

I see

This 18th day of April 1815

Lockman and W

State of Maryland

Talbot County, to wit

Shereby Certify to all persons whom it doth
or may concern that W^m. Arthur Pidge of the County and State of aforesaid
came and proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof a mulatto
woman, named Esther who is now about twenty five years of age
5 feet 2³/₄ Inches high, has one very large Scar on her right arm
between the elbow and the wrist, occasioned (as he says) by a burn
is the identical person mentioned and set free by W^m.

Philip Pidge of the County and State of aforesaid

In Testimony This 10th
day of May A.D. 1815

Lockman and W

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State of Maryland }
Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify all persons whom doth
Talbot County & State aforesaid } or may concern that Samuel Froth of
Talbot County & State aforesaid came and proved to my
Satisfaction there the bearer Black Girl about Eighteen
years of age & the Name of Rachel Smith was born a free
woman and was raised in the County aforesaid the said
Rachel is about five feet two and one half Inches high &
Witness whereof I hereto set my hand and affix the seal
of my office this first day of August 1808
J. Crocker in and for J. C.

State of Maryland Talbot County. To wit. I hereby certify that
Sam^l. Froth a respectable citizen of the County & State aforesaid
came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a
Mullatto woman, who calls herself Abby Roberts, about
fifteen years of age five feet two inches high with a
mole on the back of her neck, was born free, and that
the said Mullatto woman, Abby Roberts, was raised in
the County & State aforesaid. In testimony whereof this 28th
day of Aug^r. Anno Domⁱ. 1809. Joseph M. J. C.

To wit. I hereby certify that William
Fitz of said County & State, came and proved to my
Satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a black woman
who calls herself Rebecca, and who is now about
twenty nine years of age. five feet six inches
and an half high. without any notable scars,
is the identical person named in a manumission
from John Flemming to sundry negroes, which
is duly executed and recorded among the Land records
of Talbot County aforesaid, when the said Rebecca
was raised. In testimony whereof this 10th Feb^r 1810
J. C.

Ray Alexander . . . from Ralph Alston . . . 2
 Roe Edward . . . from Anderton Mason . . . 5
 Ruffell Michael . . . from Philip Amstrong Mason 4
 James . . . from

Rachel Negro Certificate
 Register Sam.
 Rachel to Negro Esler — 10
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State of Maryland Talbot County Court I hereby certify all persons whom it shall
 Talbot County to wit or may come that ~~Myself~~
 James P. Mason of Talbot County, came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof High Rachel Nick of a light brown
 complexion. five feet 1 inch high about 28 years of age, has
 several scars upon arms, was purchased in Germany S.

June 20. 1809 *Hoock*

State of Maryland Talbot County Court I hereby certify that William
 Pitt of said County and State, came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof, a black man who calls himself Robert Fiskney,
 now about thirty years of age. Height, five feet six inches and three
 quarters. Complexion dark copper - well made - is the identical
 person by the name of Robert in a manumission from John
 Flemming to Sunday negroes, which is duly executed and
 recorded among the land records of Talbot County of
 where the said Robert was raised. R

In Testimony & this 16th March 1810
Hoock

State of Maryland Talbot County Court

I hereby certify that Philip Chesley came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man
 who calls himself Richard, and who is now about 26 years of age
 5 feet 7 1/4 inches high. Color dark copper. On several scars
 over his right eye. On the small scar in the corner of
 his right eye. On other scars on the second joint of the
 forefinger of his left hand is the identical person named
 in a manumission from P. Chesley to be free on the
 1st of Jan 1805 & that the s^d black man Richard was raised
 in the County & State of s^d when the said manumission
 was recorded

In Testimony & this 29th March 1810
Hoock

State of Maryland
Talbot County Court
I hereby certify that Col. Harrison came
and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a dark
Mullatto Man who calls himself Lat. Sanford and who
now about 25 yrs of age 5. $\frac{3}{4}$ in: high has no remarkable
scars is the identical negro man ~~named~~ ^{set free by Col. Harrison by} ~~in a manumission~~
~~from Col. Harrison~~ (dated 10 July 1811 and duly ^{executed} ~~proved~~)
and enrolled in the County of B. where the said Negro M.
was raised In Testimony & this 10 July 1811

State of Maryland Talbot County Court
I hereby certify that Col. Harrison of
the County of B. came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof a bright mullatto woman, who
calls herself Emily Thomas who is now about 2 yrs of
age 5. $\frac{1}{2}$ in: high is the identical person set free
by him S. Col. Harrison by unannounced bearing
date the 10 July 1811 and duly executed & enrolled in
the County of B. where said negro Emily was raised
In Testimony & this 10 July 1811

The State of Maryland I hereby certify all persons
Talbot County Court whom it doth or may concern
that Mrs. Sarah Roberts of the County and State
of Maryland came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof a black woman, ~~name~~
named Rose alias Rose Walker, who is now
about thirty six years of age five feet two
inches high, has one scar about the Elbow
and on the fleshy part of her right arm, one
other scar on the same part of her ^{left} ~~right~~ arm
both occasioned by burns she walks lame said
to proceed from having had her thigh broke in
the identical person set free by Philimon Walker
on the 14th day of Nov- 1812
In Testimony whereof. In this 26th
day of Nov- 1812. J. G. G.

State of Maryland, Shrewsbury County, that Mr. Talbot County, town of Rebe has Cor of the County & State app^o came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer here of, (negro Richard alias, Rich. Smith, who is now about 21 years of age, 5 feet 5 3/4 in. high, of a black complexion, has one scar in his forehead, ^{partly} in the edge of the hair, one other ^{partly} scar on the ^{partly} top of his left wrist, said to have been occasioned by a burn,) was born free (and raised in the County and State app^o)

In Testimony of this 11th day of Aug. 1814
 J. Lockman ctk

State of Maryland, Shrewsbury County, that Mr. Anthony Talbot County, town of Parrish of the County & State app^o came & proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer here of (negro Diana alias, Diana Tender, who is now about 35 years of age, 5 feet 2 1/2 in. high, of a black complexion, has no notable marks, or scars) was the identical person she was committed and set free by her father Mr. Henry Parrish of the County app^o

In Testimony where of this 15th day of August 1814.
 J. Lockman ctk

State of Maryland, Shrewsbury County, that Mr. Talbot County, town of Lydia Brant of the County & State app^o came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer here of, (negro Lyby alias, Lyby Tender, who is now about 20 years of age, 5 feet 2 3/4 in. high, of a Dark complexion, has one scar about an inch in length, & about 3 1/2 inches above the joint of the left wrist, directly on the top of the arm, has no other remarkable scars or marks) was born free, & raised in the County app^o

In Testimony of this 16 Aug. 1814
 J. Lockman ctk

State of Maryland, Talbot County, Talbot

I hereby Certify, that W. Moore, of the County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer here of, to wit, ~~Regis Philomont~~ ~~or~~ ~~Parsons~~ a Dark mulatto man, was set free by Mary Harison on the 29th day of August 1812. The said Philomont is now about 27 years of age, 5 feet 9 inches high, has one scar on his forehead on his left hand - has a small scar on his left cheek, occasioned by a Burn. was raised in the the County & State aforesaid.

In Testimony of this 25th day of ~~Sept~~
1813. H. Coker

State of Maryland, I hereby Certify to all Talbot County, to wit, persons whom it Doth or may concern, that Wm. Moore, of the County & State aforesaid, came & proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer here of (Regis Harry otherwise called Harry Harison, who is now about 22 yrs of age, 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high, of a yellow complexion, has no notable marks or scars except ~~two small~~ a directly in his right eye brow) was born free & raised in the County aforesaid.

(Seal) In Testimony of this 14th day of March
1815 - Hoochen a (Seal)

Maryland, Talbot County, to wit:

I hereby certify that Capt. Robt. Spedden of the County & State aforesaid, came & proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer here of, a dark mulatto man who calls himself James Spedden, who is now about 30 years of age, 5 feet 3 inches high, has a scar on his right cheek near his nose & a scar on his right arm near the wrist, was born free & raised in the County & State aforesaid.

(Seal) In Testimony of this 9th Sep. 1815 Hoochen a (Seal)

State of Md. Talbot County to wit:

I hereby certify that James Dodson of the County and State of ^{MD} came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Ned Harden 5 ft 7 in: high, a singular look out of his left eye, and about 26 years of age, is the identical person named in a manumission from Mary Harrison, that the s^d Ned Harden was raised in the County & State of ^{MD}

In Testimony &c

this 4th of Oct. 1809

Jacob Hooker

State of Maryland

Talbot County to wit

I hereby certify, that Isaac Atkinson of the County and State of ^{MD} came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a Black man who calls himself Isaac ~~Dodson~~ alias Isaac Dodson, and who is now about 44 years of age, 5 feet high, a parcel of yellow spots in his right fingers, occasioned a bond in the identical person named in a manumission from Isaac Atkinson to Sunday Negro, bearing date on or about the 28th of June 1776 the said Isaac Dodson to be free on the day of

and which was duly acknowledged, attested & recorded among the said records of the County aforesaid where the said Isaac Dodson was raised.

In Testimony &c this 22nd of June 1811

Hooker

State of Maryland, Talbot County, To:

I hereby certify, that Mr. Mary (Duffie) of the County and State of Md. came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, (a Black woman, who calls herself Anne, etc. etc. who is now about sixteen years of age, 5 feet, 8 1/4 inches high, has no remarkable scars) was born free, and raised in the County of Md.

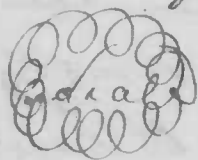
In Testimony of. this 1st day of Sept. 1812

Woochman

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to wit:—

I hereby certify, that John Stevens of Thomas, of the County and State of Md. came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, (negro & Mollatto Woman, named Esther, who is now about 20 years of age, 5 ft 1 1/2 in high, has no notable marks or scars) is the identical person manumitted & set free by (Mr. Tho. Stevens of the County & State of Md. on the 18th day of March 1810.

In Testimony whereof, &c. this 7th day of April, 1815.



Woochman Clerk of Tal. County Court.

The State of Maryland, Talbot County, to wit:—

I hereby certify to all persons whom it doth or may concern, that Samuel S. Kemp, a respectable Citizen of the City & State of Md. came & proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof (a light black man named Stephen alias Stephen Thomas, who is now about 20 yrs of age 5 feet 7 inches high, has no notable marks or scars) was born free & raised in the City & State of Md.

Seal

In Testimony of. this 17th July 1815. Woochman

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County to-wit } I hereby certify that Levin J. Peden
 of the County & State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfac-
 tion that the bearer hereof, a black man who calls himself
 Paul Demby and who is 5 ft 4 in. high; a small scar
 under his right eye - lost two of his front teeth from his under
 jaw - and now between 44 & 45 years of age is that I den-
 tical person named in a manumission from Robert
 Peden to him the s^d Paul Demby and that he
 was raised in the County and State aforesaid.

In Testimony whereof
 this 5th of Oct 1840

J. Lockman

Talbot County to-wit.

I hereby certify all persons whom it
 doth or may concern, that Francis Meale of Talbot
 County came and proved to my satisfaction, that the
 Bearer hereof negro Thomas, five feet eight inches
 high, with a small part of his right fourth finger
 off, some of his under front teeth out, is the identical
 negro manumitted by Isaac Cox, in the year seven-
 teen hundred and seventy five.

In Witness whereof I have set my
 hand, and affixed the Seal of my office, this
 11th January 1840.

Hookman

State of Talbot County Court. Hereby certify that
Law^r. Trott of the County & State of, came and proved
to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black
man who calls himself Preston Scott, and who is
now about forty years of age - five feet six inches and
an half high. his little finger of the left hand very
crooked, occasioned by a cut, the scar of which
still remaining on the second joint of his said finger -
a small scar on his upper lip. this visage -
and dark complexion, is the identical person
named in a Manumission, made by Mrs
Rachel Goldborough, (bearing date the 2^d of
Jan^y. 1804) to be free from the state thereof -
which said Manu. was recorded among the
land records of the County & State of, where
the said Preston Scott was named -

In Testimony &c. this 24th July.
1810. Hoochever

State of Md^o Talbot County, to wit. I hereby certify,
that W. R. Harrington of the County &
State of, came & proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof, (Mrs Lydia, otherwise
called Lydia Mitchell, who is now about 38
years of age, 5 feet 2¹/₂ in. high, of a yellow com-
plexion, has one scar on the middle finger of her
right hand & near the nail, on other
scar in her right eye brow & is the
identical person named & set free by Mary
Harrison of the County & State of, on the 20th of
which Manu. was duly executed, & acknow-
ledges & enrolled amongst the land records
of the County of, where

In Testimony &c. this 21st March
1815 Hoochever
Tal. County Court

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State of Maryland }
Talbot County }
isons of Talbot County }
tion that Flora Smith a Black Girl the bearer
hereof about Eighteen years of age five feet four inches
as high with the first joint of the little finger on
her left hand injured by a cut was born free Pleas
ed in the County aforesaid Witness hereof I hereto set my
hand and affix the publick seal of my office this
6th August 1808
J. Lockerman

State of Maryland }
Talbot County }
the bearer hereof a black woman named Jane
Five feet four inches high about thirty four years
of age was received in the Court aforesaid and mar-
ried by Mary Jenkins in the year Eighteen hundred
and seven to satisfaction proved to me by James Cha-
plain Junr of the County aforesaid in witness whereof I have
hereby set my hand and affix the publick
Seal of my office this Twentieth of Septe anno
Domini Eighteen hundred and Seven
J. Lockerman

State of Maryland }
Talbot County }
may concern that Samuel Smith of Talbot County cannot
procure my satisfaction that the same lady aged there-
abouts thirty of a brown complexion 5 ft 3 in high has
a scar on the right side of her upper lip and also a
wound on the left side of her neck about 55 or 60 years of age
is the identical person married by Mary Jenkins
on the 2d day of March 1776 and was born in the same
County In Testimony &c. W. 24 1808

Southby William	from Abraham Isaac	3
Stableford Robert	from Francis Armstrong	4
Sweatman Richard	from George Aldridge	30
Smith Moses	-----	6

State of Maryland, Talbot County, Court,

I hereby certify to all persons whom it doth or may concern that Samuel Troth of the County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a black woman, who calls herself Harriet Smith, and who is of a bright complexion, five feet four inches and three quarters of an inch high, aged now about sixteen years - was born free.

Given for the 8th of May 1809.
 J. Lockerman C.

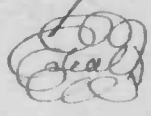
State of Maryland Talbot County Court,

I certify that Nathan Parkner a respectable citizen, of the County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a black woman, who calls herself Judith, of a black complexion, five feet and an half inch high, aged now about fifty years - is the identical person manumitted by Patrick McQuay, on the 28th day of March 1791.

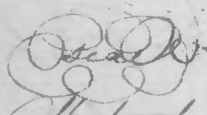
In Testimony for the 23rd of May 1809.
 J. Lockerman C.

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State of Maryland, Sherrif Certify to all persons
 Talbot County to wit & whom it doth or may concern
 that James Harrison of Talbot County came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the beaver skin of Judy Small
 wood, a very bright skull about five feet one inch high
 about thirty one years of age has a notable scar on
 her right hand, &c. as shown by a skin, is the identical
 person manumitted by William Harrison on the 29th day
 of May, 1809 — In testimony &c



State of Maryland, Sherrif Certify all persons
 Talbot County to wit & whom it doth or may concern
 that the beaver skin of Jane Stanford, a bright skull
 about thirty years of age, five feet four inches
 and one half high, has several scars on her left arm
 occasionally by burns, and also has a mark, on the
 said arm, is the identical manumitted by his
 father William Harrison, on the 27th day of May 1809.
 In testimony &c



State of Maryland, Talbot County, to wit. Sherrif certify that
 Edward Needles of said county, that came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the beaver skin of a black woman who calls herself Henry
 Steel, and who is now about twenty eight years of age five
 feet four and one half inches high - dark complexion - is the
 identical person named in a manumission from Lang Mecheart
 to sundry negroes, to be free from the date then of which
 of the 25th of Aug. 1807. which said man. was
 duly acknowledged and recorded among the land
 records of the County of, when the said Henry Steel
 was raised - In testimony &c of the 21st
 of July 1810. Hoekerman D.

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State of Maryland. Talbot County Court, There by
Certify that Thomas Gordon of Talbot County
County and proved to my satisfaction that the
bearer hereof a black man who calls himself
Sam, and who is about five feet eight inches
and a quarter of an inch high, twenty eight
years of age, a small scar over the inner corner
of his right eye. also two other scars on the right
side of his right leg, is the identical person
named in a manumission from Joseph Harden
to Sunday Negro, ^{to be free he should give up to the age of 25 years} which is duly acknowledged
and enrolled among the land records of Talbot
County aforesaid; and that he was raised in said
County, - In Testimony &c. this 12th Jan'y 1810
Hoochman

State of Maryland. Talbot County Court

I hereby certify that Call Brown of said
County and State came and proved to my
satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man
who calls himself Simon Hippe, and who is now
about twenty two years of age, five feet five inches
high, - One remarkable scar on the inside of
his left arm, about six inches from the
joint of his hand, One other small
Scar on his left hand in a direction
with and about two inches from the third
joint of his fore finger. - also one other
small scar over his right eye - dark
Complexion was born free and that the
said Simon Hippe was raised in the
County & State aforesaid - In Testimony &c.
this 26 March A.D. 1810 Hoochman

State of Maryland & I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County to wit & it doth or may concern, that
 Isaac Pitt of Talbot County, came and proved to my
 satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a Negro Jimoalwisher
 of a very dark brown complexion 5 feet, 2 1/2 inches high,
 has 2 scars on his left wrist, occasioned by the bite of a
 Dog, and also has a scar near the last joint of his
 thumb, on his right hand, about 4 1/2 years of age, is the
 identical person manumitted by him on this 12th
 day of June, 1809 - In Testimony whereof &
 this 12th day of June 1809

(Signature)

Jacob Lockman

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit: I hereby certify that
 Mr Jonathan Spencer of the County of Talbot, came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a mulatto man, who
 calls himself Samuel Promwell, and who is now about thirty
 eight years of age - five feet eight inches and a quarter of an
 inch high, and without any notable scars, is the identical
 person named Samuel in a manumission made by a
 certain Richard Spencer of the County of Talbot, on the
 thirtieth of May eighteen hundred and five to be free
 from the date thereof, which said manumission was duly
 executed and enrolled among the Land Records of Talbot
 County, of which said Richard Spencer was rayed.

In Testimony & this 11th July 1812

(Signature)

State of Maryland & I hereby certify that Wm.
 Talbot County to wit & it doth or may concern, that
 and State of Maryland came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof a Negro Sam. Alias Samuel
 Perkins was born free and raised in the County
 and State of Maryland. The said Sam Alias Samuel
 Perkins was nineteen years of age on the tenth
 day of April last of a very bright complexion

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is five feet six inches and three quarters of an inch high, has
one large scar on the side of his right foot and one other
scar on the little finger of his left hand occasioned by a
cut.

David
Carr

In Testimony &c. this 25th day 1814

Lockman and C^o.

[Signature]

State of Maryland,
Talbot County, to wit: I hereby certify all persons whom it
doth or may concern that Henry Holyday Esq^r of the county afo^{re}
Came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a
negro woman, ^{named} now aged about fifty two years, five feet
three inches and one quarter of an inch high with a small
Scar on her left arm that the appearance of a bump on
her left eye brow was raised in the county afo^{re} said,
is the identical ^{woman} ~~person~~ set free by Miss Sarah Holyday
in the year Eighteen hundred and three.

In Witness Whereof &c
this 4th day of Oct^r 1814

[Signature]

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to wit:

I hereby certify, that Mrs Nancy Smith of the County
and State afo^{re} came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof, a Dark mulatto Man named
John alias John Hercules, who is now about 28 years
of age, 6 feet, and about $\frac{3}{4}$ of an inch high, has one
large scar near the first joint, and between that and
the second joint of the middle finger of his right hand,
some other scar between the first and second joints
of the fore finger of the same hand, both occasioned
by burns, was born free, and raised in the County of
State afo^{re}.

In Testimony &c. this 18th day
of Jul, 1815. — *[Signature]*

[Signature]

State of Maryland,
 Talbot County to wit & I hereby Certify all persons whom it doth
 or may concern, that Nicholas Valliant of the County of Prince
 Georges proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a very
 dark skinned woman, named Nancy is five feet 11 inches $\frac{3}{4}$ of an
 inch high, about nineteen years of age was born free and
 raised in the County of - In witness whereof &c. this
 21 day of Oct. 1809
 Gooden

State of Maryland,
 Talbot County to wit & I hereby Certify all persons
 whom it doth or may concern, that Edward
 Price of Talbot County, gave and proved to my
 satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black
 man by the name of William Gunn, five
 feet, four inches and three quarters of an inch
 high, his upper fore teeth wide apart, with a
 scar on his left big toe, about 14 years of age,
 was raised in the County of - in the son
 of Ann Gunn a woman born free - In witness
 whereof this 18th day of July 1810
 Gooden

(The State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit.
 I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 or may concern, that Mr. Samuel Brock of the
 County of State of Prince Georges proved to my satisfac-
 tion, that the bearer hereof, a black man,
 named Stephen, who is now about 35 years of age
 is five feet 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ inches high, his head nearly bald, has
 no other notable marks, is the identical person
 manumitted by Elizabeth Shott, on the 12th of the
 8th Mo (August) 1785, the said Stephen to be free,
 from the day of the date of the Manumission of -
 In testimony of which this 20th of Oct. 1812.
 Gooden

119 State of Maryland. Calvert County, Town. I hereby
certify that Mr. Sidney Higgins of said County, State
came and proved to my satisfaction that the
bearer hereof, a mulatto man, who calls himself
William Turk, and who is now about forty four
years of age. five feet seven inches high. has
two large scars, on the inner part of his left
leg, one on each side. has one other small
scar on the end of his left thumb. has also one
other small scar on his left wrist, is the son
of Elizabeth Turk, a white woman. I also certify
that it appears from the record and proceedings
of the said County Court that the said William
Turk was sold by the Court to a certain Hugh
Rice, to serve until he should arrive to the
age of thirty one years, when he became free.
In testimony &c. this 2^d of Oct. 1842

W. Mosherman

State of Maryland
Calvert County town. I hereby certify, that ~~Mr.~~ Mr.
Jonathan Spencer of the County and State aff. came &
proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof (a black
man), named Thomas Cook, ~~of the~~ who is now about 45
years of age, 5 feet 6 1/4 inches high, has a small scar
on the 2^d joint of the third finger of his left hand
occasioned by a cut with a nail hook, has no other
notable scars, is the identical person set
free by Straney Cook of the County and State
aff. by Manumission, which was duly executed
acknowledged & enrolled among the Land records
of the County aff. when the said Thomas Cook
was raised

In testimony &c. this 27th Oct. 1842

W. Mosherman

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State of Maryland Talbot County, Court: I hereby certify
that Mr Thomas Wally of the County & State of, Calm
& approved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
a black man who calls himself Thomas Thomas,
(and who is about 23 years of age - 5 feet 5 1/4 inches
high - a little of cheek broken in the face - one large
scar on his breast occasioned by a burn - and dark
complexion is the identical person named in a man
bearing date the 28th day of March 1811 - to be freed
from the state thereof, which said man was
made by a certain seven or eight black man of
the County & State of, and which is duly
acknowledged and recorded among the Land records
Books of the County of, where the said Mr Thomas
was raised. In Testimony whereof the
28th of March 1811 - Governour

State of Maryland I hereby certify, that
Talbot County Court: I Am Sheriff of the County
& State of, came & proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof, a Black Man, who calls
himself Ben Sanders, & who is now about 21
years of age 5 feet 5 3/4 inches high, has one small scar
on the 2^d joint of the 3^d finger of his left hand, has
no other notable scars - & was born & free & raised in
the City of - In Testimony of this Dec. 1812
Sheriff

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 Tilghman Richard - from Acheson Wife 15
 Tooth William . . . from Schuttaton Wife . . . 30
 Taylor Thomas & Elthys from Philip Armstrong . . . 57
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Tilghman A. M. to Negro Dick 18 1/2
 Same Negro George 2
 Same to Perry 5
 Tooth Wm to Puffer

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify, that Jeremiah
 Talbot County, Court } Joseph of the County & State
 of State app. Canan and proved to my satisfaction, that
 the bearer hereof, negro Joseph alias Job Hopking
 was born free and raised on the County and State app. -
 the said Job alias Job Hopking is now about 22
 years of age on the 1st day of June last ^{of my date} of five
 feet, eight inches and an half high - has one large scar
 or lump on the back of his head - one other scar on ball of
 the four fingers of his left hand, occasioned by a Cut.

In Testimony of this 13th of July 1813
 (Seal) Joseph

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify, that Thomas
 Talbot County } Thomas Vesel, of the County
 of State app. Canan and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof, a white male child
 named Martin, but who calls himself
 Martin Dickinson, who is now about
 22 yrs of age 5 ft 8 in high, has one
 small scar directly over his right
 eye, is the identical person mentioned
 & set free by John Dickinson of the
 County app. In Testimony of this 12th of

Seal 1815 Thomas Vesel

State of Maryland
Talbot County to wit & I hereby Certify all persons whom
it doth or may concern, that William Binny of Tal-
bot County, County & proved to my satisfaction, that
the bearer hereof, a bright Skulatto Man named Jas.
Starwood about thirty Six years of age, five feet nine
inches high, with black hair, with a Scar on the
right forehead under the hair, is the identical per-
son that was manumitted by Thomas Cooper. In
Witness whereof &c. this 6 day of Nov. 1809.

Jacob Schockeman &

Seal

State of Maryland & I hereby Certify, that M. John Hull
Talbot County to wit & of the County & State of, came and
swore oath in the Holy Council of Almighty God, that
the Bearer hereof a black woman, named Hannah,
who calls herself Hannah (Dolphin), who is now about
31 yrs of age, 5 ft 2 in high, has lost four teeth out of
her upper jaw, no other particular marks, is the
identical person set free by Woodman Gibson Jr
on the 18th day of April 1809, by Manumission
dated 18th day of April 1809 which was duly signed
acknowledged & recorded among the Land records of
the County of.

Seal

In Testimony & this 14 of August
1812 — Woodman Gibson Jr. J.C.C

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit
I hereby Certify, that Mrs Rachel
Edmonson of the County & State of, came
& proved to my satisfaction, that the Bearer hereof,
a Mulatto woman who calls herself Betsy
Cooper, & who is now about 38 yrs of age 5.5 ft high,
has a small scar between the elbow & wrist of her
right arm, occasioned by a bite, was born free
& raised in the County & State of.

In Testimony &c. this 2^d Aug. 1815
H. H. H.

The State of Maryland & I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 Talbot County to wit, or may at doth concern that Doct^r Pelt^r
 Moore of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my
 Satisfaction that the bearer hereof Thomas Miller a dark
 Mulatto about five feet five inches and one quarter of an inch high
 was born and raised in the County of aforesaid is about twenty
 two years of age - without any visible scars or marks was
 free born

J. P. C.

In witness whereof I

this 15th day of Nov^r 1813

J. P. C.

State of Maryland & I hereby certify that Mr. Will^m Kindman
 Talbot County to wit, of the County and State aforesaid, that
 the bearer hereof a bright Mulatto woman who calls herself
 Caroline Harkins, and who is now about 46 years of age
 five feet five inches high without any notable scars
 is the identical person named Caroline Harkins, in a
 manumission made by Mr. Kindman, of the County
 and State aforesaid, on the tenth day of Sept^r 1805
 to be free from the date thereof which said manumission
 was duly executed and Enrolled among the same records of
 Talbot County where the said Caroline was raised

In Testimony & this 21st day
 1814 J. P. C.

State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit:

I hereby certify to all whom it doth or may con-
cern, That Adam Edgar, of the County (and) State afo-
resaid (and) proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer
hereof a black woman who calls herself Amy Caldwell:
well, about 41 years of age, 5 feet & three quar-
ters of an inch high a scar over her left eye-brow
is a free born woman, (and) that she was raised
in the County (and) State aforesaid. In Testimony &c
this 11th day of Sept. Anno dom. 1809

Hoochman

State of Maryland, I hereby certify, that Richard
Talbot County to wit, Grace, (a free Coloured Man) of
the County & State aforesaid
and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer
hereof, (a Black Woman who calls herself Mary, alias
Mary Grace, about 35 yrs of age, five feet 2 1/2 inches
high - has one scar near the outer corner of her left
eye, (no other notable marks,) is the identical person
set free by him the said Rich^d Grace on the 3^d of
May 1813.

In Testimony &c this 10th of Decr.
1813.

Richard
Grace

L. Clerk

State of Maryland & I hereby Certify, that Wm. Hancock
 (Talbot County town) Downey of Eastern in the County
 and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction,
 that the beaver hereof a black woman, named
 Rachel, who is now about 35 years of age,
 5 feet 4 inches high, a very large bear on
 her right side, ^{with} ~~with~~ one other bear
 on her right arm, is the identical negro woman
 mentioned in a Manumission from Alexander
 M. Callum to Sunday Negroes, bearing date
 the 27th day of May 1788 the said Rachel
 to be free in January 1796 which said
 Manumission was duly acknowledged and
 recorded among the said records of the County
 aforesaid when the said Rachel was raised

Seal

In Testimony of this 1st day
 of March 1812

Hoochman

State of Maryland & I hereby Certify, that Wm.
 Talbot County, town of John Bullin of the County
 and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the beaver hereof, a mulatto man who calls himself
 Thomas Dorell, who is now about 21 years of
 age, 5 feet 4 1/2 ins. high, has the little finger of
 his left hand crooked, which he is unable
 to mention, and which he says was occasioned
 by being mangled, was born free & raised in the
 County aforesaid

Seal

In Testimony of this 25 July 1815

Hoochman

Warren from Francis Armstrong 2
 White Richard from Thomas Alexander 4
 Wells Lovely from Gertrude Anteston 23
 Willson John from Thomas Alex^r. Mason 50
 White William from Joseph Ashberry Alex^r 50
 Workman Anthony from James 50

State of Maryland, I hereby Certify, that ^{Wm} North of the County
 Talbot County, towit. ^{and} State off^r came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof a Black Woman, who calls herself a Betty Miller
 being about the age of seventeen years ~~years~~ four feet, 11 inches
 high, has no remarkable scars, was born free and raised
 in the City off^r

In Testimony of this 21th of Aug^r 1812
 Hochman

State of Maryland, I hereby Certify, that ^{Wm} North of the County
 Talbot County, towit. ^{and} State off^r came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof, negro ^{born} alias Tom Smith,
 was born free, and raised by them the said ^{Wm} North in the
 County off^r - the said Tom alias Tom Smith ^{of date} ^{Complexion} is now about
 22 years of age - 5 feet 8 inches high - has no remarkable scars -

In Testimony of this 3rd of Sept 1813
 Hochman

State of Maryland - I hereby Certify, that William
 Talbot County, towit. ^{and} State off^r came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer here of, negro ^{is} a light Mullatto
 Woman named Dasky, who is now about 30 years
 of age, 5 feet 12 inches high, has a small space or gap
 between the fore teeth of her under jaw, is the
 identical person set free by her the said W^m
 Hendman, & was raised in the City off^r.

In Testimony of this 16th of Sep^r 1814

State of Maryland,
Talbot County, to-wit: I hereby Certify to all persons whom
it doth or may concern, that to my certain knowl-
edge, the bearer hereof a Bright mulatto negro Woman
named Fanny 26 years of age or thereabouts 5 feet 4 3/4 inches
high pock broken in the face is the Identical negro
Woman set free by Eliza Harrison by a deed of manum-
ission bearing date the 27th day of April 1803. which
is duly enrolled on the Land records of the County of
and the said negro Woman named Fanny was born
and raised in Dorchester County, in the State aforesaid.

In Testimony &c

this 7th March 1808

J. Lockman and

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to-wit

I hereby certify, that Miss Molly Goldborough
of the County and State aforesaid and proved to my
satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a Bright mulatto
Woman who calls herself Ann Weston, (and who is
now about 34 yrs of age, 5 feet 3 3/4 in high, one black
mole on the inside of her left thumb, was born
free and raised in the County of - In Testimony

this 31st day of May 1811 Woodburn and

J. Lockman and

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to-wit: -

I hereby certify, that Mr. Charles
Benson of the County & State aforesaid cannot
prove to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof,
a light black Woman, named "Hannah", who
is now about 26 yrs of age, 5 feet 5 1/2 inches
high, has two scars on the back of her
right hand, is the identical person manumitted
(and set free by a certain James Benson of
the County & State aforesaid, and was raised in the
County aforesaid.

Edw. J. Lockman

In Testimony &c this 29th Aug. 1816
J. Lockman and

State of Maryland, Sherriff Certify, that ~~Samuel~~ John Kemp
 Talbot County, to wit of the County, aff^r came and proved to my
 satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a black man, named
 Jacob, who is now about 21 yrs of age, 5 feet 10 3/4 inches high
 has a small scar, directly over his right eye, is the identical
 person set free by Lydia Kemp, by Manumission,
 bearing date, the 6th day of December 1799 and duly
 attested, acknowledged & recorded among the Land records
 of the County aff^r when the said Negro Jacob was
 raised

In Testimony &c. this 25th day
 of July 1814
 W. H. H. [Signature]

State of Maryland, Sherriff Certify, that Mr. Michael
 Talbot County, to wit of the County and State aff^r
 came and made oath as the proved to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof a Muttatto Man named James alias, alias Robert,
 about 21 yrs of age 5 ft 6 in 4/10 of an inch high, has no notable
 marks, was born free, and raised in the County aff^r.

In Testimony &c. this 12th Feb 1814
 W. H. H. [Signature]

The State of Maryland, Sherriff Certify, all persons
 Talbot County, to wit, whose it doth or may concern,
 that Samuel Gary, came &
 proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a
 bright Muttatto Woman by the name of Kate or
 Catharine, 5 feet 2 1/2 inches high, was born & raised
 in the County, with a large scar on the
 back of her neck, including the right
 shoulder, & another small scar over her left
 eye brow, is the same person set free by his
 father Ob. Gary before his Death -

In Testimony &c. this 16th April 1814
 W. H. H. [Signature]

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State of Maryland, Talbot County Court:

I hereby certify, to all whom it doth or may
Concern, that Adam Edgar of the County and State aforesaid
came and proved to my satisfaction that the
bearer hereof a black man, who calls himself
Pearson Jones about 28 years of age, 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high
with a scar over his right eye brow was born free, and
that he was raised in the County & State aforesaid
(See) In testimony &c. this 11 day of
September Anno Dom. 1809

State of Maryland
Talbot County Court: I hereby certify that Abednego Pot-
field of the County County and State aforesaid, came & proved
to my satisfaction, that the Bearer hereof, a Black woman
named Sarah, alias Sarah Graves, who is now about fifty
three years of age, five feet, two inches & three quarters of
an inch high, has no remarkable scar, is the true
tical person named in a manumission from him the
said Abednego Potfield, bearing date, on the twentieth
day of March, in the year 1792, and which was duly acknow-
ledged and enrolled among the Land Records of Talbot
County aforesaid where the aforesaid Sarah was raised

(See)

In testimony whereof &c. this 9 Nov: 1811
Hoochman

131 State of Maryland - I hereby certify, that James Benson
Talbot County, to wit: of the County and State off. came
and proved to my satisfaction, that
the bearer hereof, a black man, ~~the~~ named Jacob,
who is now about 28 y^r of age, 5 feet - 6²/₁₁ in. high,
has the middle finger of his right hand Crooked,
which he says was occasioned by being Cut - also the end of
the great toe on his right foot, Cut off, is the
identical person set free by Geo. James Benson on
the 20th day of September 1813.

Sealed

In Testimony of this 8th of March
1814. Nooherman

State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit:

I hereby certify, that Edwin T. Spedden of the
County and State off. came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof, a black woman, who calls herself
Caph ~~and~~ who is now about 22 years of age of a
stature which I am acquainted with; has no remarkable scars

in the identical person named in a manumission
from John Huger late of the County off. died to sundry
negro, which said manumission was duly acknow-
ledged & enrolled among the Land records of the
County off. where the said negro Caph was seized

Sealed

In Testimony of this 9th Nov 1814
Nooherman

State of Maryland I Shewby certify that Jacob Huggins of
 Talbot County town of of the County & State off. came & proved to my
 satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a Black man named James
 who otherwise called Jerry Manning, and who is now about years
 of age, 5 feet 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ in. high, has a large scar on the inside of his
 left little finger, is the identical negro man mentioned in a
 Man. for G. C. Celford late of the County off. to sundry negroes,
 bearing date on the 25th day of October 1802, the said man-
 nial to be free on the 1st day of January 1811, which said
 manumission was duly acknowledged and enrolled among
 the said records of the County off. where the said negro
 James was raised - In Testimony to this 24th day
 of July 1811. Hoocherman

State of Maryland I Shewby certify, that Jacob
 Talbot County town of of the County and State
 off. came and proved to my satisfaction, that the
 bearer hereof, a black man, who calls himself Isaac
 Williams, who is now about 35 years of age 5 feet 9 $\frac{1}{4}$
 inches high, has no notable scars, is the identical
 person manumitted by Mrs W. Haddaway on the 7th of
 September 1807 (and duly attested, acknowledged and
 enrolled among the said records of the County off.
 when the said Isaac Williams was raised

(Seal)

In Testimony to this 19th of February
 1812

Hoocherman

State of Maryland I Shewby certify, that W.
 Talbot County town of of the County & State off. came & proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof, is a Black man named
 James otherwise called James Rhodes who is now
 about 22 years of age 5.5 $\frac{1}{2}$ in. high, has no
 notable marks or scars except two small scars
 on the left side of his neck, was born free & raised
 in the City off.

(Seal)

In Testimony to this 11 April
 1815.

Hoocherman

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify, that Mr. Nicholas
 Talbot County Court } Rowleson of the County and State
 of said State and Province to my satisfaction
 tion, that the bearer hereof, Negro Sam, alias Sam Kirby
 a bright Mullatto Man, about 40 years of age, 5 feet
 7 inches high, had no remarkable scars, is the identical
 person set free by Mr. Mary Kirby, on the 16th day
 of February, 1808. which and what was said

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify, that Dr. Robt.
 Talbot County Court } Moor of the County and State
 of said State and Province to my
 satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, the Neg. Cuff,
 alias Cuffe Mason, was born free, and raised in the
 County of said State, the said Cuff, alias Cuffe Mason is of
 a light Black Colour, of 4 in & 1/4 of an inch
 high, has no notable marks, and is now about 21
 y. of age. In Testimony &c. this, 22 Feb. 1814
 (Seal) H. Cuff

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify, that
 Talbot County Court } Richd. Robinson of the
 County and State of said State and Province to my
 satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, ^(Black Man named)
 Isaac, who is now about thirty eight years
 of age, five feet 6 1/2 in. high, has lost
 the sight of his left eye; which is considerably
 so has one scar directly under the right eye, one
 other scar over his nose from a direct line
 between his two eyes, and other scar
 on the back of his right hand, has the
 first joint of the middle finger of his
 left hand off. is the identical person
 man set free by Mrs. Eliz. Robinson on the 15th
 day of December 1808. In Testimony &c.
 this 1st Apr. 1815.

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State of Maryland Talbot County Town. Sherriff
Certify, that William Dawson a respectable Citizen of the
County and State aforesaid, Came and proved to my Satisfac-
-tion, that the bearer hereof, a black boy, who calls
himself Christopher Wilson, and who is now about sixteen
years of age, five feet eleven inches high, well made, and
of a bright Complexion was born free.

In Testimony &c. this 15th day of July
A. D. 1839

Woocherman.

State of Maryland Talbot County Town. Sherriff
Certify that William K. Lambdin of said County & State
Came and proved to my Satisfaction that the bearer hereof a
black man who calls himself William Haachy, and who
is now about thirty seven years of age. Five feet six inches
high - Copper Complexion - one Scar on his forehead immen-
-sely over his right eye - one other small Scar near the
corner of his forehead - and several other small Scars in part
of his eye brows - is the identical person named in a
Mansuption from Mrs. Sarah Moyer to him the said
William Haachy - which is duly acknowledged and
sworn to, among the said Records of Talbot County
afo. when the said William Haachy was registered -
In Testimony &c. this 21st of March 1840

Woocherman.

State of Maryland Talbot County Town
Sherriff Certify that Mr. John Kemp of the County
and State aforesaid, Came and proved to my Satisfaction
that the bearer hereof a black man, who calls
himself William Kerr & who is now about twenty
two years of age - five feet - eight inches and
an eighth of an inch high one small Scar on his
forehead in addition with his left eye - one other
small Scar on the right side of his face about
one inch from his ear - rather of a bright

Wally Mills (Certificate)

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Complexion is the identical person called Bill in a manumission, made by Mr. John Kerry of the County and State aforesaid to be free on the first Day of May, in the year eight hundred and ten, which said manumission is duly executed and recorded among the Land records of the county and State aforesaid, where the said William Kerr was raised

In Testimony Whereof this 15th Day of October 1811

G. Lockman Clerk

State of Maryland & Sherrif certify, that W. Chiffe of the Talbot County Court & County and State of D. came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black Man named William who calls himself William Thomas, being about the age of 35 year, 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high, has no particular scars, is the identical person set free by land & Enslaved by manumission bearing date the 22^d day of July 1811 and which was duly legally attested, acknowledged and recorded among the Land records of the County of Talbot where the said William was raised

In Testimony Whereof this 19th day of May 1812

See

G. Lockman Clerk

State of Maryland & Sherrif certify, that Rebecca Cox of Talbot County came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof Rhoda Adams a black Girl about five feet three inches high, was born and raised in the County of D. with the marks of a burn between her breast about nineteen years of age is free born

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See

In Testimony Whereof

this 15th day of June 1814

G. Lockman Clerk

State of Maryland I hereby Certify, to all whom it doth
 Talbot County town & or may Concern that William Brown
 of the County and State aforesaid Came and proved to my Satisfa-
 ction, that the bearer hereof a black man who Calls him-
 self Dan. Potts is five feet Nine inches high, with a notable
 scar on the inside of his left wrist, about 4 or 5
 inches from the joint of the left hand Also sei-
 veral scars or lacerations of his hands and about 24 years
 of age, is the identical person that was set free
 by a manumission from Nathaniel Morris, Thomas
 Morris, & Sarah Morris which is duly enrolled among the
 Land record Books of the County & State aforesaid.

In Testimony &c this
 12th day of Sept. Anno domini 1809
 Hockeman

State of Maryland I hereby Certify, that Richard
 Talbot County, town & or may Concern that William Brown
 of the County and State aforesaid Came and proved to my
 Satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, now called Henry
 alias James Jackson, a Dark Mulatto Woman,
 who is about 20 years of age - 5 feet 1 1/2 inches high -
 had a very much scarred in the face by the
 small pox ^{as no other notable marks} is the identical person named
 in a manumission from Bernetta Kemp of
 the County aforesaid by manumission, which was
 duly enrolled among the Land record books of
 the County & State aforesaid.

In Testimony &c this 7 Oct. 1813

State of Maryland Calbot County. County. Shery Certify that
 Tolson and others of the County and State of, came before
 to my satisfaction that the bearer of a black man who
 calls himself Mry. Young, and who is now about forty
 years of age, five feet two inches and a quarter high, along
 Scar on his left breast, also on other Scar on his right
 year. dark complexion is the identical person named
 in a char. from M^r Steony to Juddy Rogers, to be
 free when he should arrive to the age of twenty
 five years of age. which said char. was duly
 executed and recorded among the Land records of
 Calbot County, where the said Mry. Young was heard
 In Testimony of this 11th day of Dec. 1810
 Hookerman

State of Maryland
 Calbot County Court Shery certify to all whom it doth
 or may concern that James Boyle, of the county and
 State of Maryland, came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer of a black man who calls himself Woolman
 Denny and who is now about 22 years of age five feet five
 inches high has no notable marks or Scar, I was born
 free and raised in the county aforesaid,

In Testimony whereof
 this 2^d day of August 1814

Hookerman etc

State of Maryland
 Calbot County Court Shery certify that Benjamin M^r Allen
 of the county and State of, came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof (negro Abraham) alias Abraham Danton
 who is now about twenty three years of age 5 feet 10 inches
 and one eighth of an inch high, of a black comple-
 -xion, has one small Scar on the right side of
 his nose one other Scar on his forehead immedi-
 ately above his ^{left} eye brow extending nearly to the right
 one other Scar on the middle finger of his left
 hand about one half of an inch above the first joint
 is the identical person to be free by Catharine Norris &
 others of the county afo. In Testimony whereof. this 2nd
 day of August 1814 Hookerman etc

State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit: I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or shall concern, that William Smith of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a Black man named Isaac who is now about 31 years of age, 5 feet $\frac{1}{2}$ of an inch high, has one small Scar on the third finger of his left hand, & one other small Scar near his right Temple, if the bearer hereof named in a manner unimpaired from the said William Smith to the said negro Isaac the said negro Isaac to be free on the 1st day of June 1811 which said man: way duly acknowledged & recorded in the County aforesaid when the said negro Isaac way raised. In Testimony &c.

this 8 day of Aug^r 1811

Woodman

State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit:

I hereby certify, that Thomas Atkinson of the County and State aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a Dark Mulatto Man who call himself John Webster, and who is now about 28 years of age, five feet, four inches & three quarters of an inch high, has no remarkable Scar, way to be free and raised in the County aforesaid.

In Testimony &c. this 23 day of Nov: 1811

Woodman

State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit: I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or shall concern, that Samuel Smith of Talbot County, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a Black woman upwards of thirty years of age five feet eight & three quarters inches high and had a large Scar on her right arm below her elbow was free born and raised in the County of Talbot by the name of Dork or Dorky Smith raised 1st Oct: 1811 P. M.

State of Maryland I hereby Certify all persons whom it doth or
 Talbot County to wit may Concern, that Arthur Rigby of Talbot
 County came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 Negro Jim of a very dark brown Complexion five feet two inches high
 has a small scar over his left eye, & also has a small scar not far from the
 last Joint of his little finger, on his left hand, about twenty seven years
 of age is the identical person manumitted by Philip Rigby, on the 12th
 day of June, seven hundred & Eighty nine, to be free on the first day
 of January Eighteen hundred & Eight, & was raised in the said County

In testimony &

State of Maryland, Talbot County to wit

I hereby Certify to all persons whom it doth or may concern
 that the bearer hereof Negro Fanny of a bright yellow Complexion
 five feet five inches high about thirty years of age, has a scar, on
 the inside of the thick part of her thumb, (on her right hand) some
 little Pock broken, in the face, & the identical person manumitted
 by Eliz^a Harrison on the 27th day of April Eighteen hundred
 & three, to be free on the 1st day of Jan^y Eighteen hundred & seven

In testimony &

Edw^d

State of Maryland I hereby ^{certify} to all persons whom it
 Talbot County to wit doth or may concern, that Lydia
 Crouch, ^{of Talbot County} came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof Negro Diana of a brown Complexion, about seven years
 of age, five feet two inches high has no visible marks as scar ex-
 cept a small scar, on the left side of her face, was free bond
 of a woman, called Diana, who was manumitted by Thomas
 Chamberlain, & was raised in the s^d County. In Testimony

J. all

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State of Maryland } I hereby Certify all persons whom
 Talbot County to wit } it doth or may Concern that Thomas
 Miller of the City of New York Came and proved to my
 Satisfaction that the Bearer hereof Nigro Esther a very
 bright Mullatto. Five feet Seven inches high has no
 scars or marks Except a very small scar
 on her right Shumb. about Forty three years of age
 is the Identical Person manumitted by Francis Kei-
 sey on the Thirtieth day of October - Eighteen Hundred
 and Eight - and was raised in Talbot County afo^r
 In Testimony &c

The State of Maryland Talbot County to Wit, I hereby certify to
 all whom it doth or may Concern that Miss Patience Handy of
 the County of State afo^r, came & proved to my Satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof, a dark Mutatto Negro Man named Peter (alias
 Peter Johnson) age now, about fifty Nines or sixty years of age
 Five feet five inches high, rather a wide Mouth, & teeth mostly
 gone before, is the identical Negro Man set free by Doct. Henry
 Allen in the year 1795, and said Negro Man Peter formerly
 belonged to a Mr. Hindman of the County of State afo^r. In Tes-
 timony &c. &c. March 8th 1809
 Goochman

State of Maryland. I Shubby certify to all persons whom
 Talbot County Court. 3 it doth or may concern, that
 Joseph Barden of the County (ap), came and proved to my
 satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a very dark brown negro
 man named Sam (alias Sam'l Daniel aged thirty four
 years or thereabouts, five feet six inches high, with a
 wide space between his upper and under fore teeth; is
 the identical negro man set free by Wm Harrison
 in the year 1807, and the s^d negro was born and
 raised in Caroline County (State ap)

Dated 26th May 1808

In Testimony &c

State of Maryland. I Shubby certify also pursuant to
 Bill Murray (State ap) that the only concern that Henry
 Huntcom of Porters in said County proved to my satisfaction
 that an negro called Alice a mulatto woman aged 25
 or 4 1/2 yrs. high was born of a woman enslaved
 by John Digne in the year 1790. seen on her last
 Decession by being by the Court 27 1817. Mary Docton proved
 the fact of the Original on
 the 11. July 1808

Talbot County Court. I Shubby certify to all persons whom it doth or may concern
 that Samuel Smith of the County (State ap) came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof, a dark brown complexion perfect
 fair hair 5 1/2 inches high about 53 y of age has no visible scars or marks is
 the identical person manumitted by Wm Smith on the 11 day of July
 1777. To be free on the 9 day of July 1778. and was raised in the
 said County in Testimony of Wm

See
 March 7. 1809
 J. Lockman (ap)

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may
 Talbot County to wit } concern, that Christian Bowdler of the Town
 of Easton in said County, Came and proved to my satisfaction that
 the bearer hereof ~~is~~ a dark Brown negro woman named Rhody
 aged thirty years and six months, five feet three inches ~~and~~
 one eighth of ~~an~~ inch high, very much pock broken in the
 face, particularly about the mouth and nose, is the identical
 negro woman ~~set~~ free by Margaret Barnaby of said County,
 this second day of May, Eighteen hundred and eight,
 and the said negro woman was born and raised in the
 County ~~apd~~ — In Testimony of

2^d May 1808

State of Maryland } I hereby certify to all persons whom
 Talbot County to wit } it doth or may concern, that
 John Henry Esq^r of said County, came &
 proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a
 Black negro woman named Frank (alias) Fanny
 aged ~~forty~~ two years or thereabouts, five feet four
 inches and three quarters ^{and} high, ^{has a} large mouth
 with four of her fore teeth out, and her upper teeth rather
~~protruded~~ ^{is} the identical negro ^{woman} manumitted by
 Patrick McQuay anno Domini fourteen hundred
 & ninety one, and the said negro was born and
 raised in the County ~~apd~~ — In Testimony of

17th May 1808

State of Maryland I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 concern that Thomas Esq. of the
 County of St. Louis, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
 here of Negro James about 28 years of age, five feet six inches high,
 of a dark brown complexion has a notable scar on his right
 wrist, and also has a small scar on the fore finger of his left
 hand near the first joint, is the identical person manumitted
 by J. M. Hopkings on the 8 day of March 1789 before me
 the said Esq. in the said County, in Testimony
 I April 9 1808

State of Maryland I hereby certify all persons whom it
 concern that John
 Fleming of the County of St. Louis of the County of Boston came
 and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer here of Negro Robert
 about 31 years of age, 5 feet 6 inches high, of a very dark complexion
 has a small scar on his right hand, and a small scar on his
 lower lip, and has a hole in each one of his ears, is the identical
 person manumitted by him on the 7 day of June 1802

In Testimony I April 29 1808

The State of Maryland I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 concern that Thos. Hamwood of the County of Peam and proved to my
 satisfaction that the bearer here of Charles Dolan about 38
 years of age five feet ten inches high a light black with
 a small scar under his chin was manumitted in the County of Peam
 manumitted by the said Thos. Hamwood

In Test. 22 July 1814

Talbot County to wit Shubby certify all persons whom it doth
 concern that Henry Hollyday of the County of State of and proved to my
 satisfaction that the above named ^{Henry} Hollyday of a light brown complexion
 about 23 years of age five feet 2 inches high. has a scar on his
 left eye and also a small scar on the right corner of his right eye,
 is the identical person mentioned by Sarah Hollyday in the year
 1803 to be free in the year 1807, and was raised in the County of
 In testimony of which I have signed this certificate
 this 1st day of April 1808

State of Maryland } Shubby certify all persons whom it doth
 Talbot County to wit } or may concern that Samuel Doolittle of the
 Town of Boston, in the County of State of, came & proved to my
 satisfaction that the above named ^{Samuel} Doolittle of a
 dark high of a yellowish complexion. has a scar on his forehead
 and one scar on the left side of his nose, was raised in the County of
 In testimony of which I have signed this certificate
 this 15th day of April 1808

Talbot County to wit Shubby certify all persons whom it doth
 or may concern that Thomas Eagle of the County of State
 of, came & proved to my satisfaction that the above named
^{Thomas} Eagle of a dark brown complexion 5 feet 10 inches
 high, has an uncommon nail on the fore finger of his
 right hand, and several small scars on his left wrist, is the
 identical person mentioned by Mary Hopkins on the
 March 7 81 to be free in the year 1796 In testimony of
 which I have signed this certificate
 this 29th day of April 1808

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify to all persons whom it doth or
 Talbot County to wit } may concern that the Negro man
 Black negro man named Perry, alias Perry Bryan, aged about
 twenty three years, five feet five inches and three quarters of an inch
 high, has four small scars on his forehead, also one on the left
 corner of his left eye; is the the identical negro man mounted by
 Samuel Bryant of the said County in the year seventeen
 hundred and ninety one; and was also born and raised
 in the said County.

In Testimony &c
 dated the 9 February 1808

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify all persons whom it doth or
 Talbot County to wit } may concern, that to my certain knowledge,
 the bearer hereof, a Malatto negro woman, named Littlee, aged about
 forty years of age, five feet three inches and one quarter of an inch
 high, with a tolerable space between her fore upper teeth, is the identical
 negro woman, set free by Perry Parrott of the said County in the year
 seven hundred and ninety two, January the ninth; and the said
 above described negro was born and raised in the County.

In Testimony &c
 dated 24th February 1808

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify all persons whom it doth or may
 Talbot County to wit } concern that James Pickens of the County of Talbot
 cannot prove to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, Negro Melba
 of a dark complexion, four years and six months of age, 3 1/2 high
 has a small scar on her right wrist, a small mark on her nose
 between her eyes, was born free in the County of Talbot.

In Testimony &c
 April 2 1808

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State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 Talbot County, to wit } or may concern, that James Calkyn
 of the Town of Easton in the County aforesaid, came and
 proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a mulatto
 negro man, named James Proctor, aged thirty five years,
 or thereabouts, five feet nine inches, and one quarter of
 an inch high, with a small scar ~~of~~ over his left eye;
 is the identical son of a negro woman named Murren,
 whose said negro woman named Murren was ~~so~~ duly
 manumitted, and enrolled on the Records of Talbot County
 aforesaid, previous to the birth of the said negro man named
 James Proctor as aforesaid - and that he the said James Proctor
 was born ^{and} raised in the family of Talbot aforesaid

In Testimony &
 dated 9th January 1808 -

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may concern
 Talbot County, to wit } that James Baker of Talbot County, came and proved to
 my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof negro Polydore alias Polydore
 Bobb, five feet eight inches high of a very light brown complexion
 about thirty four years of age, lost two of his foreteeth apposed each
 other, has a scar on his Chin and one on the right corner of his right
 eye, has several notable marks on his right hand and also the
 Letters P. F. stamped on his right arm, is the identical person
 manumitted by William Bondman in the year 1807

dated 26th Jan'y 1808

In Testimony &

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify all persons whose
 Talbot County town } it doth or may concern that
 Joseph Sulford of (Talbot County) in the State of Maryland,
 came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 a Black Negro Man named Thomas Franks, aged
 twenty four years or thereabouts; five feet five inches
 high, with a scar on the left fore head, and also one on
 the right corner of his mouth; is the identical
 Negro man manumitted by the (afo) Joseph Sulford
 on the 25th day of October eighteen hundred and two,
 and duly enrolled on the Records of the County (afo).
 And the said Negro man was born in the Island of
 Saint Kitts (alias St. Christopher in the West Indies.
 dated 22nd Decem^r In Testimony &c
 1807

State of Maryland } I hereby Certify all persons whose
 Talbot County town } it doth, or may concern, that Levin
 Simons of the County aforesaid, came and proved to my
 satisfaction that bearer hereof, a Dark Brown Negro woman
 named Rachel, aged thirty five, or thereabouts, five feet
 three inches and three quarters of an inch high; is the
 identical Negro woman manumitted by Hugh Owen
 of the said County, on the eighth day of December eighteen
 hundred and seven, and was manumitted in the County aforesaid
 dated 4th Jan^y In Testimony &c
 1808

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County town } it doth or may concern, that James
 Poppe of the County aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof a mulatto negro man named
 Bill (alias) William Isaac, aged twenty one or thereabouts,
 five feet four inches high, with a scar on ^{the upper part of} his left eye,
 occasioned by a beight from a man in a fight: is the identical
 person born of a free woman named Rachel Arm-
 strong of the County aforesaid, and the said negro William
 Isaac, as aforesaid, was also born and raised in the said
 County. In Testimony whereof
 dated 12th Nov 1807-

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons
 Talbot County town } to whom it doth or may
 concern that James Roth of Talbot County aforesaid
 and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 a black Negro man named Richard alias
 Richard Dickinson about twenty one years of age
 five feet four inches high with a small scar on the
 right side of his cheek and a small one on his left
 hand was the last fruit of his mother was born of
 a woman manumitted by Obadiah Gandy of
 Talbot County on the 9th day of February 1790.
 and Recorded in the Land Records of
 Talbot County and was Recorded in the County
 of Wicorup this 16 December 1807
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State of Maryland, Sherrif }
 Talbot County to wit } I hereby Certify all persons whom it
 doth or may concern, that Richard
 Earl came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer
 hereof a Bright Mulatto Negro woman named Mar-
 garette alias, Margarete Matthews aged forty three years;
 five feet three and one fourth inches high; is the iden-
 tical Negro woman set free by M^r. Amos all Tilghman
 the twenty second day of May, eighteen hundred and four,
 and that the said Negro was raised in the County of
 dated 1807 In Testimony & C

State of Maryland, Sherrif }
 Talbot County to wit } I hereby Certify all persons whom
 it doth or may concern, that William
 Nudler, came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer
 hereof a dark Mulatto Negro man named David, aged
 fifty years or thereabouts; five feet five and an half
 inches high, with a scar on his left eye lid; is the identical
 Negro manumitted by Howell Powell June the nineteenth
 day of October Anno Domini five hundred and ninety
 and was raised in the County of Talbot afo.
 dated 1807 In Testimony & C

State of Maryland, Talbot County, Howit.
 I hereby certify that M^r. Edw^d. Weyman
 of the County and State of Va^{ca} came & proved to my
 satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a Mulatto woman named
 Henry Redout, who is now about 14 or 15 years of age 5 feet 0 3/4
 in high, has no notable marks or scars, is the identical
 Negro woman manumitted by him the said Weyman,
 on the 6th day of Aug^r. 1814. In Testimony & C
 Done this 6th day of May 1815
 Weyman

State of Maryland, (I hereby certify) all persons
 Talbot County to wit: } whom it doth or may concern
 that Doctor Amaly Martin, of the Town of Easton,
 in Talbot County aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction
 that the Slave, now of Negro Tom, 5 feet, 5 inches
 high, 30 years of age, of a black complexion, with a
 scar over his right eye, is the identical negro man
 mitted by Thomas Chamberlain (late of Talbot County)
 in the year 1789 and that the said Negro became
 free when he arrived to the age of 21.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand, and affixed the Public Seal
 of my Office, this 15 day of July, Anno Domini
 1806. S. Lockman Clerk.

State of Maryland, (I hereby certify) all persons
 Talbot County to wit: } whom it doth or may concern
 that Elizabeth Hutton of Easton, in Talbot County
 aforesaid, came & proved to my satisfaction that Negro
 Isaac Dawson, five feet, one inch high, twenty seven
 years of age, of a yellowish complexion, with his front teeth
 decayed was raised in Talbot County aforesaid and that
 she knew him to be free born. (9 day) of July, 1806.
 J. Lockman Clerk

State of Maryland, (I hereby certify) all persons
 Talbot County to wit: } whom it doth or may concern
 that ~~Elizabeth Hutton~~ ^{Doct. Amaly Martin} of Easton, in Talbot
 County aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction that
 Negro Richard, alias Richard Malheur,
 a very brown Mulatto, six feet one inch
 high, rather slender made, with no
 particular visible marks, of the age
 of thirty or years, raised in this

County, is the Negro mentioned, in a
manumission executed by Amadell Tilghman
of this County, in favor of said Richard.
14th day of August, 1806.

J. Loocherman

State of Maryland, I hereby certify all persons
Talbot County, to wit, whom it doth or may con-
cern, that Elizabeth Dickinson, personally came
and proved to my satisfaction that Will. a very dark
Muttatto aged forty years of age, five feet, nine inches
high, with no visible mark, any raised in the County
apd. this 18th August, 1806. J. Loocherman

Maryland, Talbot County I hereby certify all
to wit, persons whom it doth
or may concern that Nathaniel Covington came
and proved to my satisfaction that the bear
skin of Negro George is the identical Negro set
free by Amadell Tilghman, of Talbot
County apd. in the year eighteen hundred &
five, the said is a black man five feet ^{seven} inches
high about forty years of age as expressed
the manumission, with the mark or scar
of a bad burn on his right arm, and has also
lost one of his upper front teeth rather on the
left side of his mouth. This 25 day of August,
1806. J. Loocherman

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(3) State of Maryland }
Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
or may concern that I arrived in the State
of Talbot County of and proved to my satisfaction that the
Negro Man George was born free, the said Negro George
was raised in Talbot County in four feet six inches high about
thirty years of age has a scar on his right arm. Testimony in
Conversation it is a black man.
In Testimony of _____ 29 Aug. 1800

State of Maryland }
Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify that Jacob Price all
persons whom it doth or may concern that Jacob Price
of Talbot County, came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof Negro George 5 feet 2 inches high
about 40 years of age a very brown mulatto with
several scars on the left arm is the identical negro
woman manumitted by Edward Turner in the year 1791.
In Testimony of _____ 22 Sept. 1800.

State of Maryland }
Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
or may concern that James Cockayne
of Talbot County and State of came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof Slave a very dark Mulatto Woman
aged about thirty six years, five feet & half an inch high,
with no other noble marks than the loss of one of her upper
jaws teeth was raised in Sussex County in the State of Delaware
is the identical Negro Woman manumitted by his Father
Thomas Cockayne in the year Sixteen hundred and seventy seven.
In Testimony of _____ 10 Oct. 1800

New Bond
 I hereby certify that Philip [unclear] of
 Talbot county of Eastern Talbot county, came and
 proved to my satisfaction that the [unclear] [unclear]
 a black woman about thirty eight years of age five
 feet 2 [unclear] half inches high, with a scar [unclear] the right
 corner of her mouth, was raised in [unclear] family, in the
 identical Negro woman manumitted by Thomas [unclear]
 on the 11th day of January [unclear] [unclear]
 In testimony whereof I have signed this 16 Oct. 1806

State of Maryland
 I hereby certify that Joseph Leadenham
 Talbot county of Eastern Talbot county, came and proved
 to my satisfaction, that the [unclear] of Stephen [unclear] a
 black man five feet six inches high of high age not
 ascertained the middle finger of his left hand crushed and
 was raised in this family, in the identical Negro mentioned
 in Thomas [unclear] Manumission dated the 2 day of
 August 1806 In testimony whereof I have signed this 16 Oct. 1806

Talbot county to wit, I hereby certify all persons whom it shall
 or may concern that James [unclear] of the county of [unclear] came
 and proved to my satisfaction that the [unclear] of Richard
 Williams was four feet six inches high his mother was manumitted
 by the father of the [unclear] James [unclear], was thirty six
 years of age in the 5th of October last five feet five
 inches ^{high} and half an inch high with a scar on the upper
 part of his breast was raised in [unclear] family & is black
 In testimony whereof I have signed this 24 Oct. 1806
 Leadham [unclear]

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 State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or
 Talbot County } may concern that Emanuel Martin of the
 Town of Easton in Talbot County sp. came and proved to my satis-
 -faction that the bearer a very bright Mulatto Man about
 thirty years of age, five feet nine inches and one quarter inch
 high, is the identical Man Manumitted by Anna M. Tidge
 an one of the family sp, on the 14. of April last, the sp Perry
 has no visible Mark; and was raised in Talbot County sp
 In Testimony G. W. P. W. Bob. Graham

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it
 Talbot County } doth or may concern, that John P. ...
 of the Town of Easton in Talbot County sp. came and proved to my
 satisfaction the bearer being a Black Man by the name of
 Abraham, five feet eight inches and one half inch high, is the
 identical Negro Man manumitted by him, and bearing com date
 with this certificate. his upper jaw teeth rather wide apart
 was raised in this family and is about twenty eight years of
 age. No visible Mark In Testimony G. W. P. W. Bob. Graham

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it
 Talbot County } doth or may concern that Robert Spence of
 Talbot County came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof a Dark Mulatto Man named Lewis sp
 twenty eight years five feet eight inches one quarter inches
 high was raised in the County sp, has no visible scar or marks
 is the identical person manumitted by his father Robert Spence
 on the twenty fourth day of Decr. 1860
 W. W. W. Esq. 17th July 1867

Maryland Talbot County to wit
 I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may concern
 that Negro Annally is the identical Negro heretofore manumitted
 by May Treppo in the year seventeen hundred & ninety one,
 to be free in January eighteen hundred & seven. The said
 Negro Annally is a dark Mulletto five feet nine inches &
 an half high about twenty one years of age in
 January 1807 with no visible mark or scar and
raised in the County aforesaid — Feb 27th 1807 —

In Testimony &c —

Talbot County to wit, I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may
 concern that James Cashyone of the County of Prince Georges
 proved to my satisfaction that the above named Negro Annally
 Smith a Black Man five feet 8 in high about
 twenty years of age has no visible marks in his face but
 in colour in his left eye and walks with a crippled or feeble
bow and raised in the County of Prince Georges
 March 20. 1807

Talbot County to wit, I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may
 concern that John Haddaway of the County of Kent in the County of
 Kent proved to my satisfaction that the said Negro Annally
 identical person manumitted by the said Haddaway of Talbot County
 of on the twenty first day of February 1807, the said Negro was
 born in the County of Prince Georges is a Black Man five feet 4 inches high
 about 33 years of age and raised in the County of Prince Georges
 March 30. 1807

Maryland Talbot County to wit, I hereby certify all persons
 whom it doth or may concern, that James Fairburn of
 Talbot County of, came & proved to my satisfaction that
 the beaver head Negro Ned five feet seven and a half inches
 high, of a dark brown complexion, has no visible marks
 except one of his four teeth being broken was raised in
 Talbot County, is the identical person mentioned in John
 Dixon's Manumission date the 9 May 1775 -

In Testimony & April 2. 1807

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify all persons whom it
 doth or may concern that James
 Fairburn of Eastern in Talbot County of came and proved to my
 satisfaction that the beaver head is the identical person
 manumitted by John Dixon of Talbot County of on the 9
 day of May 1775, the said Ned was raised in Talbot
 County of, is a dark brown about five feet seven and
 a half inches high, no visible mark or scars, has lost some
 of his upper corner teeth In Testimony & April 2. 1807
 I do hereby certify

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 or may concern that James South
 of Talbot County came & proved to my satisfaction that the beaver
 head Negro Mill alias William Mally of a dark brown complexion
 about 5 feet 3 in high has no visible marks or scars except a scar
 on his left wrist. Some of the last joint of his right & left fingers
 on his left hand, was first bound, about 24 or 25 years in his early
 life his method was examined by John Dixon on 24 July
 1784. In Testimony &

April 2. 1807

157
State of Maryland Sherriff certify all persons whom it doth
Sabbat County 2 or may concern that Spriguel Nob of
Sabbat County came and proved to my satisfaction that the
bearer hereof Name James five feet 7 inches high a black
complexion about 45 y^r of age, has a Scar on the left side
of his chin, is the Identical person recommended by Francis
Gardner on the 26 day of February 1792 In witness
Sabbat County of Md. Solomon J. April 2. 1807

State of Maryland Sherriff certify all persons whom
Sabbat County 2 or may concern that
Perry Slope of Sabbat County
came and proved to my satisfaction that the
bearer hereof Name Ben five feet four and
an half inches and one half high of a black
complexion has no visible mark or scar,
is the Identical person recommended by
Solomon Robinson of Sabbat County on the
eleventh day of January Eighteen hundred
and four, and was raised in the said County

In Testimony whereof I have
hereunto set my hand affixed the
public seal of my office this eleventh
day of April 1807

State of Maryland Sherriff certify all persons whom it doth or
Sabbat County 2 or may concern that Sam^l Smith of Sabbat County
came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof Name
Joseph a very light Melatto five feet 9 in inches high has no visible
marks or scars about 25 y^r of age, was five years his mother was
recommended by J^r Berry on the 11 of Nov^r 1789, to be free on the
first day of July 1789 & that the the said Sam^l Geanor was raised
in Sabbat County In Testimony
April 15. 1807

58
State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or
Talbot County } may concern that Mary Benson of Salts
County of } came & proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a very
black boy by the name of Pull or Philips Brooks was born of a Negro
Woman since his liberation by Manumission from Thomas Chamberlain
of that county of } descent. which manumission was caused on the
day of February 1789, the said boy is about five feet four inches high
with no visible scar or mark, appears to be about fifteen years
of age
In Testimony &c. April 25. 1807 J. G. B.

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or
Talbot County } may concern that, Edward Culp of the County
of } came & proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a white
Muttall Woman, by the name of Sarah about twenty five years of
age, five feet six an inch high has a Scar on the back of her
left hand occasioned by a burn was raised in the County of
liberated by Robert Adams of the County of the 30 day 1805
In Testimony &c. April 27. 1807 J. G. B.

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
Talbot County } or may concern that Wm Harrington Esq
Dawson of County of } came & proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
Luffey Maddin a Muttall Man about 32 years of age with
invisible scar or mark was raised in the County of } 5 feet 7
inches high & was born of a free Woman called Sarah Maddin
In Testimony &c.
April 30. 1807

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County Court } it doth or may concern that Sam
 South of Talbot County of } came & swore to my satisfaction
 that the beaver dam of Negro Lucy five feet high of a
 yellowish complexion is the identical beaver mentioned
 in James Berry's manumission which was executed on the
 24 of Nov 1769, and that the said Lucy was raised
 in Talbot County of, and has no visible scars for
 Testimony &c. 11 May 1807 J

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County Court } it doth or may concern that
 James South of Eastern in Talbot County of came
 & swore to my satisfaction that the beaver dam
 a Dark Mulatto Woman named Rachel about 25 years
 of age, about 5 feet ^{3 inches} high was raised in the County of
 with no visible marks, was born free
 In Testimony &c. 11 May 1807 J

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County Court } it doth or may concern that Sam
 South of Eastern in Talbot County of came & swore to my satisfaction
 that the beaver dam of a Dark Mulatto Woman by the name of
 Lucy five feet high about forty seven years of age with no
 visible marks was raised in Talbot County since raised manumitted
 by James Berry Esq. on the 24 day of Nov 1769
 In Testimony &c. 11 May 1807 J

State of Maryland
 Talbot County
 I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 or may concern that Samuel Smith of
 Boston in Talbot County did come and prove to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof, a bright Mulatto Woman about 27
 years of age 5 feet 3 inches high the fourth finger of her left
 hand contracted by a fever was raised in this County, is the
 Identical person mentioned by Aaron Johnson
 Johnson Dixon Rachel Dixon & Family in the year 1791
 In testimony whereof
 Talbot 20th July 1807

State of Maryland
 Talbot County
 I hereby certify all persons whom it
 doth or may concern that Edward
 Hamilton of Eastern in the County of Dorchester came and
 proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a
 white woman 5 feet 6 inches high about
 25 years of age very much pitted with the small pox
 was raised in this County as is the Identical person
 mentioned by Matthew Lewis Jenkins of the County
 of on the 20th Jan^y 1794
 In witness whereof
 Talbot 24th May 1807

State of Maryland
 Talbot County
 I hereby certify all persons whom it
 doth or may concern that Thomas Parsons of the County
 of do come and prove to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof Lucretia Steel a very bright Mulatto woman
 twenty years of age was born and raised in this
 County, has no notable mark or scar is five feet
 7 inches high is the Identical person mentioned
 by the said Thomas Parsons on the second day of
 the present month & her freedom to take effect
 from the said date, in witness whereof
 Talbot 4th May 1807

157
State of Maryland
Halbot County to wit I Herby Certify all persons whom
may perceive that John Higgins Jun
of Halbot County came and proved to my satisfaction that
the bearer hereof Negro Woman named Judith
about twenty three years of age Black complexion
five feet three & three quarters inches high with some
with some blotches of a dark kind on the left side
of her face and was raised in the County ~~of~~ is the
Identical person manumitted by his Mother Eleanor
Higgins in this County in September 1704
In Witness 4th of May 1804 J. L.

State of Maryland
Halbot County to wit I Herby Certify all persons
whom it doth or may perceive that John Higgins Jun
of the County ~~of~~ came and proved to my satis-
faction that the bearer hereof a black a very brown
Negro Woman about twenty years of age was raised
in the County ~~of~~ by the name of Hannah five feet
five inches high with a notable mark on her breast
occasioned by a scale on her breast is the Identical
person manumitted by him in the year 1802
In Witness 4th of May 1804 J. L.

State of Maryland
Halbot County to wit I Herby Certify all persons whom
it doth or may perceive that Solomon Martin Jun came
and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
Benjamin a Black man about twenty four years of
age five feet nine inches and one half high the third
finger on his right hand a little contracted by a cut
and the little finger on the left hand a little is
injured by a cut and the left joint and was
raised in the County ~~of~~ and is the Identical negro
manumitted by Mary Hancock late the said deced in
the year seventeen hundred & eight five
In Witness the 4th of May 1804 J. L.

168
State of Maryland }
Salbot County, to wit } I hereby testify all persons whom it doth
doth or may concern that Samuel Smith of
Boston in Salbot County did come and provide to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof, a bright Mulatto Woman about 27
years of age 5 feet 3 in high the fourth finger of her left
hand contracted by a fever was raised in this County, is the
Identical person mentioned by Aaron Johnson, Wm
Johnson Dixon & Rachel Dixon Sincerely in the year 1791
In testimony & Valley 1807 J. L.

State of Maryland }
Valley County, to wit } I hereby testify all persons whom it
doth or may concern that Edward
Henderson of Eastern in the County of Jefferson came and
proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof who
at Mark Womans fifth Feb 25 inches high about
15 years of age very much pitted with the small pox
was raised in this County, as is the Identical person
mentioned by Matthew Lewis Jenkins of the County
of on the 20. Jan. 1794 In witness & Valley 1807 J. L.

State of Maryland }
Hall County, to wit } I hereby testify all persons whom it
doth or may concern that Thomas Parsons of the County
of come and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
hereof Lucretia Steel a very bright Mulatto woman
twenty years of age was born and raised in this
County, has no notable mark or scar is five feet
7 or 8 inches high is the Identical person mentioned
by the said Thomas Parsons on the second day of
the present month & her freedom to take effect
from the said date, in witness & Valley 1807 J. L.

101
State of Maryland
Talbot County Court I Herby certify all persons whom
may know that John Higgins Jun
of Talbot County came and proved to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof Negro Woman named Judith
about twenty three years of age Black complexion
five feet three & three quarters inches high with some
with some blotches of a dark kind on the left side
of her face and was raised in the County of ~~the~~
Identical person manumitted by his Mother Clean
Higgins in this County in September 1704
In Witness 4th of May 1804 J. L.

State of Maryland
Talbot County Court I Herby certify all persons
whom it doth or may know that John Higgins Jun
of the County ~~of~~ came and proved to my satis-
faction that the bearer hereof a black a very brown
Negro Woman about twenty years of age was raised
in the County ~~of~~ by the name of Hannah five feet
five inches high with a notable mark on her hand
occasioned by a scale on her is the Identical
person manumitted by him in the year 1802
In Witness 4th of May 1804 J. L.

State of Maryland
Talbot County Court I Herby certify all persons whom
it doth or may know that Solomon Martin Jun came
and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
Benjamin a Black man about twenty four years of
age five feet nine inches and one half high the third
finger on his right hand a little contracted by a cut
and the little fingers on the left hand ~~a little~~ is
injured by ~~cut~~ the ~~is~~ the joint and was
raised in the County ~~of~~ and is the Identical negro
manumitted by Mary Hancock late the said deced in
the year seventeen hundred eight five
In Witness the 4th of May 1804 J. L.

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The State of Maryland }
Talbot County Court } I hereby certify all persons that
Elizabeth Ann of the County of ~~Cambridge~~ and
proves to my satisfaction that the bearer of a black
Negro woman, named Rachel Green about twenty four
years of age five feet five inches high with a small scar
by the corner of her right eye is the daughter of a
Negro woman manumitted by her husband Jesse
Mullikin of the County of ~~Cambridge~~ in the year 1780 the said
Rachel was born since the freedom of her said mother
and was raised in the County of ~~Cambridge~~
In Witness the 6th May 1807 J.L. —

State of Maryland }
Talbot County Court } I hereby certify all persons
whom it doth or may concern that Elizabeth Ann of
Talbot County of ~~Cambridge~~ and proves to my satisfaction
that ~~Elizabeth~~ the bearer hereof Delicia Green a
dark brown a black marked a a spot on the right
side of her neck five feet three inches and one half
high is the daughter of a woman manumitted by
her former husband Jesse Mullikin of the County
of ~~Cambridge~~ in the year 1780 was raised in the County of ~~Cambridge~~
In Witness this 8th day of May 1807 — J.L. —

The State of Maryland }
Talbot County Court } I ~~do~~ hereby certify all persons whom
it doth or may concern that
Rosanna work of the County of ~~Cambridge~~ in the County of ~~Cambridge~~
came and proves to my satisfaction that the bear-
er hereof a black woman by the name of Nell thirty
seven years of age with a few small marks on
her face one over her right eye one on her left cheek
she is five feet two inches high was raised in the
County, in the County of ~~Cambridge~~ and was liberated by Nathl
Barnett the mother of the said Rosanna work in the
year 1799
In Witness; the 8th of May 1807 J.L. —

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County, to-wit } I do hereby certify all persons whom
 it doth or may concern that Philip Rigby of the
 County aforesaid came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof a Negro woman of a dark
 brown complexion by the name of Rachel five feet
 two and one half Inches high about thirty three years
 of age has a small scar on the upper part of her
 forehead and a cross her nose has betwixt her eyes
 has a mark betwixt her eyes has a mole by the corner
 of her left eye and was raised in the County of
 the Identical person set free by himself in the year
 1789 In witness, this 18th of May 1807 J. L.

The State of Maryland }
 Talbot County, to-wit } I do hereby certify all persons
 it doth or may concern that, that James Burgess of the
 Town of Eastern in Talbot County aforesaid came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a very bright blue
 -latic ~~woman~~ named Henry five feet three and one
 -half Inch high with bright grey eyes rather
 sunk in his head: about thirty years of age was raised
 in this County has no notable scars, is the Identical
 person manumitted by William Blake of the
 County aforesaid in the year 1785 In witness, the 9th day
 of May 1807 J. L.

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it
 Talbot County to wit } doth or may concern that I Sir
 Jonathan Rigby of the County of said & province
 my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a Negro Man
 of a dark brown complexion by the name of Lida
 5 feet 3 In high, about 21 years of age has a large
 Scar on his right arm occasioned by a burn was raised in
 the family of and is the identical person mentioned in
 the said Jonathan Rigby's Narration recorded on the
 of Jany Rob In testimony & May 11, 1804

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County to wit } it doth or may concern that Samuel Froth of the
 Town of Barton in the County of said and province to
 my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black woman
 named Bett five feet five and one half inch high
 about fifty years of age was raised in the County of
 with no marks or scars in the identical person men-
 tioned by James Berry a Justice of the County of in the
 year 1783 In witness the 11th day of May 1804

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County to wit } it doth or may concern that
 Samuel Froth of the Town of Barton in the County of
 said and province to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 a black Negro man named Adam about twenty
 one years of age five and six inches high two very
 small scars almost adjoining on his upper lip by his
 nose was raised in the County of in the year of
 a Negro woman set free in the year 1793 by
 James Berry of the County of
 In witness the 11th day of May 1804

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State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
Halbot County to wit } it doth or may concern that
Solomon Martin J^r of the County Cap came and pro-
ved to my satisfaction that the bear here named
James a very black man, five feet five ^{and one eighth} inches high
a very black man with a bald about forty six year
of age the nail on his left little finger injured was
raised in the County ^{and} is the identical person
manumitted by his father Solomon Martin ^{and} on
the ninth Instant In Witnes the 12 May 1807

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons
Halbot County to wit } whom it doth or may concern
that Perry Loyce of Halbot County ^{and} came and pro-
ved to my satisfaction that the bear here of a negro
man named Ned of a very dark complexion five
feet five inches and one half high about forty
years of age has a scar on the left corner of his
left eye and also has two scars on his right
knee and one on his white wrist occasioned by
abuse was raised in the County ^{and} is the iden-
tical person mentioned in Nicholas Martin's
Manumission which was executed on the 9th day
of August 1787, to be free is twelve years from the
said In Witnes the 12th day of May 1807
Locke man

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may
concern that Mrs Brown of the County ^{and} came
approved to my satisfaction that the daughter of a Negro girl named
Rachel Denny of a dark brown complexion five feet high
about 22 years of age 13 Oct 1806 has several scars on her right
arm and her ^{left} hand was raised in the County ^{and} was born
free and is the daughter of Negro Dorkey manumitted by her
the said Mrs Brown on the 14 Oct 1780 In Witnes
May 12 1807

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State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons
Hallett County } whom it doth or may here-
after concern that Jacob Lockyer of the Town of Hallett in
the County of same and proved to my satisfac-
tion that the bear hereof a black Negro Man named
Isaac about twenty two years of age five feet
six inches and one half high the little
finger of his left hand crooked and under part
of his right ear slit by the kick of a horse a small
year on the upper part of his nose was born in
the County of is the son of a woman Manumitted
by her husband Thomas Lockyer in 1774 in this
Office, In Witness the 13th May 1807 J L

The State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons
Hallett County } whom it doth or may
concern that Joseph Lockyer of the Town of Hallett
in the County of same and proved to my satisfaction
that the bear hereof a black woman named Mar-
ry five feet two inches high about forty years of
age with thick lips, and two scars on her right
wrist and the other upper part of her forehead was
raised in the County of is the identical person
Manumitted by John Dixon of the County of same
in the year 1776 in this County In Witness the
13th May 1807 J Lockyer

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons
Hallett County } whom it doth or may
concern that Thomas Froth of Hallett in Hallett
County same and proved to my satisfaction that
the bear hereof a light black woman about
forty years of age five feet eleven inches high
is a large scar on the back of left hand was
raised in the County of is the identical person
Manumitted by Elizabeth Froth dec'd in the year
1735 In Witness the 13th May 1807 J L

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County Court } it doth or may concern
 that Samuel Froth of the Town of Eastern in the County
 of same and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof a light Black woman named Letitia about
 twenty years of age no notable mark or scar find
 put on and a half in high was born in the County
 of is the Daughter of a woman manumitted by
 Elizabeth Froth in the year 1785 and said Letitia
 was born free - In Witness 14th May 1807

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County Court } it doth or may concern that
 Frederick Wells of the County of same I proved to my
 satisfaction that the bearer hereof Negro Peter, of a
 very dark complexion, about twenty five years of
 age 5 feet 8 1/2 Inchs high, had two small scars
 on his forehead was raised in the County of is the
 identical person manumitted by Samuel Chesnut
 on the 3. of May 1794 In Witness 14th May 1807

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County Court } it doth or may concern that
 Frederick Wells of the County of same I proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof Negro Esther of a dark brown
 complexion about 25 years of age 5 feet 2 1/2 Inchs high
 a small scar on her left arm was born in this County
 is the identical person manumitted by Sam^l Chesnut
 in the year 1794 In Witness 14th May 1807

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it
 Talbot County to wit } doth or may concern that I have
 Talbot of the County of } come & proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof Negro Hanny of a dark brown
 complexion five feet & 2 inches high about 37 years of
 age, with a small scar on her chin and a large
 scar on her cheek which occasioned by a cut was raised
 on the said County is the identical person set free by
 John Hunt on the 31. day of July 1787 In Testimony
 thereof May 18. 1807 J. C. D.

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County to wit } doth or may concern that I have
 Cockayne of Talbot County of come & proved to my satisfaction
 that the bearer hereof Negro Maria of a dark brown
 complexion 4 feet 9 inches high about 50 years of age has
 small scar on her left arm occasioned by the bite
 of a snake & was raised in the said County is the identi-
 cal person manumitted by Thomas Cockayne on the
 13. day of January 1787. In Testimony thereof May 18.
 1807 J. C. D.

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 Talbot County to wit } or may concern that Wm. Maxwell of Talbot County
 of come & proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof Negro Rowley
 of a dark brown complexion 5 feet 2 inches high about 50 years of age
 has a scar on the left corner of his left eye, has a scar on his right
 hand & a scar on his thumb & fore finger & has a scar on the second joint
 of his fore finger on his left hand, was raised in the County, is the
 identical person manumitted by J. A. Ross Allen on
 the 16. day of January 1795 In Testimony
 thereof May 18. 1807 J. C. D.

100
State of Maryland Shew by Certify all persons whom
Salbot County Court it date of may concerning
Balthasar Register of Salbot County of came to
my satisfaction that the person being Negro Louis B.
of a darke complexion came
5 feet high, about 6 years of age has a scar on
his nose and a Notable mark on his breast was raised
in the said County, is the identical person manumitted
by Samuel Phipps in the year 1780 In Testimony
May 13, 1807 H. C. B.

State of Maryland Shew by Certify all persons whom
Salbot County Court it date of may concerning that
Samuel Smith of Salbot County of came to
my satisfaction that the person being Negro Esther
of a darke brown complexion 5 feet, 3 In high
about 60 of age has a small scar on her forehead and
a very noticeable mark of an the right side of her face
occasioned by the tooth ache was raised in the said
County is the identical person manumitted by Isaac
Van Deusen Alhousen in the year 1780 In Testimony
May 13, 1807 H. C. B.

State of Maryland Shew by Certify all persons whom it date
Salbot County Court or may concerning that Solomon Montrose of
Salbot County of came to my satisfaction that the person
being Negro Jacob 5 feet 4 In high about 29 years of age
has no visible Scar or mark except a small Scar on his right
Eye, of a darke brown complexion was raised in the said County
is the identical person manumitted by his father Solomon
Montrose in the year 1805 In Testimony
May 19, 1805

170
21 State of Maryland } Sherrif Certify all persons whom
Salbot County to wit } it doth or may concern that
Doct Council Master of the Town of Easton came & proved
to my satisfaction that the bear head of Negro Lucy of Adams
below complexion 5 feet 8 inches high, about 40 years of
age, has a remarkable Scar on her nose occasioned by
the Small Pox ~~and~~ and is very much Pockmarked in his
face was raised in the said County in the identical person
manumitted by Thomas Chamberline late of Salbot County
In testimony whereof I this 19th day of May 1807
J. L.

State of Maryland }
Salbot County to wit } Sherrif Certify all persons
whom it doth or may concern that John Strong
of Salbot County of some of some to my satisfaction
that the bear head of a very black negro woman
named Peg about twenty seven years of age five
feet high was raised in the County and has no notable
marks is the ~~the~~ identical Negro manumitted by
himself in the year 1802 In witness whereof
this 19th day of May 1807
J. L.

State of Maryland }
Salbot County to wit } Sherrif Certify all persons
whom it doth or may concern that George Maltby
of the County of some and proved to my satisfac-
tion that the bear head of a white male
about thirty one years of age five feet three
inches high thick lips was raised in this County
no notable marks is the identical person Lib-
erted by himself & Brothorn in the year 1805 In witness
whereof this 19th day of May 1807
J. L.

11
State of Maryland I hereby certify, all persons whom it
shall hereafter concern, that the Emory
of the Town of Boston, came and appeared to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof (Negro) Fairbank of a dark
brown complexion five feet 2 inches high about forty
four years of age, honorable marks, a cut small
Scar on his right eye was raised by him the said
Ch^s Emory, and by their manifested testimony
whereof I May 20. 1807 J. C. C.

State of Maryland I hereby certify all persons whom
it shall hereafter concern that Philip
Rigley of the County of Anne Arundel, came and appeared to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof (Negro) Fairbank of a dark
brown complexion five feet 2 inches high about 26
years of age was raised in the County of Anne Arundel
by him the said Philip Rigley in the year 1789
In Testimony I May 20. 1807
J. C. C.

State of Maryland I hereby certify all persons whom
it shall hereafter concern that Philip
Rigley of the County of Anne Arundel, came and appeared to my satisfaction
that the bearer hereof (Negro) Fairbank of a dark brown
complexion five feet 2 inches high about 25 years of age, has
a large Scar on the forefinger of his left hand, was raised
in the said County of Anne Arundel by him the said Philip Rigley in the year 1789
In Testimony I May 20. 1807
J. C. C.

State of Maryland } Shubby Certify all persons whom it doth or
 Talbot County Court } may know that Samuel Adams of the
 Town of Hopson in Talbot County up came and proved to my satisfaction
 that the bear hand of Negro David Thomas of a light brown
 complexion about forty five years of age five feet two inch high
 has no visible scars or marks was raised in the said County
 is the identical person that he was committed on the 9th
 day of May 1807 In testimony & May 21. 1807 J. B.

State of Maryland } Talbot Shubby Certify all persons who
 Talbot County Court } it doth or may know that
 Isaac Atkinson of Talbot County, came and proved
 to my satisfaction that the bear hand of Negro Susan of a
 dark brown complexion five feet six inch high about
 forty years of age has a scar on her right arm near
 her elbow, and a scar on her left arm occasioned by
 a burn and also a small scar near the last joint
 of her thumb on her left hand was raised in the said
 County is the identical person mentioned by his
 father & son Atkinson in the year seventeen
 hundred and eighty two In witness 23rd day of
 May 1807 J. B. Lockerman

State of Maryland } Shubby Certify all persons
 Talbot County Court } whom it doth or may know
 that William Both Sr Justice of the Peace of
 Raven in Talbot County up came and proved to my
 satisfaction that the bear hand of Negro Jess about
 fourteen years of age of a dark brown com-
 plexion five feet high has a notable scar
~~left on her hand~~ on her left arm near
 her elbow occasioned by the bite of a dog and
 has a small scar on the back of her left hand and

also has a mark on his right thumb near the last joint
was raised in the fair a County was born here is the
Daughter of Julius who was manumitted by Charles
Atkinson in the year fourteen hundred eighty
two On Witness &c 1807 J L

State of Maryland } Shubert testifies all persons whom it
Sabbat family to wit } doth or may concern that some
behaved of the same of Charles who was born about
proceeds to my satisfaction that the said child of Negro
Perry Smith of a dark brown complexion about 24
years of age 6 feet 8 in high with a notable scar under
his right eye, and also a small scar about over the left corner
of his right eye, was free born & raised in Sabbot family
In testimony &c May 27 1807

State of Maryland } Shubert testifies all persons whom it
Sabbat family to wit } doth or may concern that some
Richard of Sabbot family of come I proceed to my satisfaction
that there was a child of Negro Sam of a dark brown complexion
about 24 years of age 5 feet 8 inches high, has a notable
scar in his forehead and a Mole in the part of his left hand
in the identical person manumitted by Joseph Edgway
in the year 1791, to be free on the first day of January
1805 was raised in this family In testimony &c Feb 25 1807

State of Maryland } Shubert testifies all persons
Sabbat family to wit } whom it doth or may concern
came and prove to my satisfaction that the said child
Philip Hood a Malattoe man about thirty five years
of age five feet ten inches high has a small scar a small
space over his left eye and a Mole under his left eye was
raised in this County is the identical person manumitted
by Joseph Ireland in the year thirteen hundred & five
On Witness, this 25 May 1807
Lockerman &c

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons
 Talbot County to wit } whom it doth or may con-
 cern that Doctor Charles
 Martin of the town of Cal-
 ton in Talbot County } come and proved to my
 satisfaction that the bearer hereof Negro Dorothy
 Myer of the age of thirty eight years of a dark
 brown complexion has two small scars over her right
 eye and a small scar and some distance from her
 left eye and also has a scar on each arm is the
 identical person transmitted by Ann Maria
 Hildinger on the twenty second day of May
 1804 In Witness this 20 day May 1804

State of Maryland

Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify all persons
 whom it doth or may concern that Samuel
 Froth of the town of Station in Talbot County came
 and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 Levin Banton a Mulatto Man about twenty
 four years of age five feet seven inches ^{high} tall
 small scars on the third finger on his left hand
 a mole on his chin was first born of a white
 woman and bound to Christopher Bress until he
 was twenty one years of age and that he is now
 free and was raised in the said County

In Witness this 27 day of May 1804

The State of Maryland } I hereby certify all
 Talbot County to wit } persons to whom it
 doth or may concern that Philemon Sherwood
 of Talbot County came and proved to my
 satisfaction that the bearer hereof Negro Charles
 Banton about forty one years of age five feet
 ten and a half inches high has a small scar on
 his left hand occasioned by a nail in the Delimitation
 person transmitted by him on the third day of March
 1801 and was raised in this County In Witness this 27th May
 1804

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County to wit } it doth a may concern that
 Samuel North of the town of Easton in Talbot County
 of same and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
 hereof Negro Noah of a yellowish complexion five feet
 four four inches and an half high has a small scar near
 the corner of his left eye and also a very small scar
 near from his right eye about thirty two years of age
 is the identical person manumitted by Elizabeth North on
 the twentieth day of August fourteen hundred and eighty
 five to be seen on the first day of June Eighteen hundred
 and six and was raised in the said County
 In Witness this 2 day of June 1807

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County to wit } it doth a may concern that
 Samuel North of the town of Easton in Talbot County
 of same and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 Negro Sally of a light brown complexion five feet and
 one half inch about fourteen years of age has a small
 scar near from the right corner of her mouth and a
 small scar on the back of her right hand was free born
 of a woman manumitted by Elizabeth North and was
 raised in the the said County In Witness this 2 day
 Eighteen hundred & seven — — —

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County to wit } it doth a may concern that
 and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof Negro
 Sam of dark brown complexion five feet eight inches high
 about thirty five years of age has a small scar near the left
 corner of his left eye very much pock broken, and has a scar or
 mark on his chin occasioned by the small Pock was raised in the
 said County is the identical person manumitted by him on this
 day In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my Hand and affixed
 the public seal of my office this 2 day of June 1807 Jacob Footman
 Talbot County Court

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State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
Salisbury County } whom it doth or may concern that
Joseph Harrison of Salisbury County of said Province
to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof Negro John of a
dark brown complexion 5 feet 3/4 in high
about 30 years of age has a small mark or scar on his
left arm occasioned by a bite, and has another
visible scar mark on his right hand, is
the identical person manumitted by him on
this day in testimony of June 2nd 1804

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons to
Salisbury County } whom it doth or may concern
that Joseph Harrison of Salisbury County said Province
to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
Negro Ben of a dark brown complexion about
twenty eight years of age five feet, nine inches
high has a small ^{scars} scar on his hand, about of his
his hand, occasioned by a bite, is the identical
person manumitted by him on the second day of June
in the year 1804 In witness whereof June 18th 1804

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons
Salisbury County } whom it doth or may concern that Joseph
Harrison of Salisbury County said Province
to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof Negro
Ben of a yellow complexion thirty years of age
5 feet 6 in high has a small scar on the last joint
of his left thumb and on the last joint of his
right thumb and a small scar on his third
finger on the right hand, is the identical person
manumitted by him on the 2nd day of June 1804
and was residing in the County of Salisbury in the year 1804

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth
 Talbot County town } or may concern that James Neal of
 Talbot County of came and proved to my satisfaction that the
 slave child of Negro Maria alias Maria Elbert a very bright
 Mulatto Girl about 19 years of age 5 feet 3 ^{inches} and an half
 high horns double ears on each side, but one of her ^{left} ^{eye} ^{is} crossed
 was free born of a woman manumitted by James Kemp
 1775 & was raised in this county Testimony & sworn
 3. 1807 J. H.

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
 Talbot County town } it doth or may concern that
 Elizabeth Mullikin of Talbot County came & proved to
 my satisfaction that the slave child of Negro Lydia
 alias Lydia Potts of a light brown complexion five feet
 six inches and an half high, has two scars or marks
 over her left eye & also has one on her breast not
 far from her neck; about twenty years of age
 was free born of a woman manumitted by James Mullikin
 in the year seventeen hundred and eighty
 In Testimony whereof

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all
 Talbot County town } persons whom it
 doth or may concern that John Lamb of
 Talbot County came and proved to my satis-
 faction that the bear born of a dark brown
 complexion five feet eleven inches high about
 40 years of age has fourally small scars on his
 back occasioned by cuts & disfigure on his skin
 the identical paper manumitted by Robert
 Lamb on the 15th day of May 1801 -
 and was raised in this county In Witness
 this 11th day of June 1807 J. H.

State of Maryland } Shewly certify all persons whom it
 Talbot County town } or may concern that James Foster
 of the County of Anne and proved
 to my satisfaction that the bear bear being Negro-
 Thomas of a brown complexion five feet eleven
 an half inches high has a ~~scar~~ scar near the last
 joint of his little finger on his left hand and has a scar
 just between his two eyes and on his forehead about
 July five or forty six years was raised in the County
 of Anne and is the identical person mentioned by
 Thomas Smith of the County of Anne in the year sixteen
 hundred and ninety eight to be present the 25th
 of the year 1807 and was purchased by William
 Henderson of the said County and was manumitted
 by the said Henderson in November 1808 to be
 free immediately at that time that is to say in
 November 1808 Witness my hand this 15th June 1809

J. Lee

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit I hereby certify all
 persons whom it doth or may concern that Elizabeth Hollyday
 of Talbot County came before me to my satisfaction that the bear
 being Negro a bright Mulatto Man about 38 years of age
 5 feet 5 1/2 inches high, has a small scar on his right arm, and has
 his eyes set out of his right eye, is the identical person mentioned
 to her the said Elizabeth Hollyday on the 7th day of April 1807
 In witness whereof July 16th

The State of Maryland } Shewly certify all
 Talbot County town } persons whom it doth or may concern that
 Samuel Foster of the Town of Exton and
 of Talbot County came and proved to my

Satisfaction that the beaver here of Negro
 Murrey about fifteen years of age of a dark
 brown complexion five feet one inch high
 has lost the sight of his right eye has a
 small scar at the left corner of his left eye
 occasioned by the bite of a hog was raised in
 this county and born to a woman named
 mited by Elizabeth Mithers in the year previous
 hundred and eighty seven In Witness
 this 10 July 1807 — J L

The State of Maryland, Sherriff, Talbot County
 Talbot County, to whom it doth or may concern that
 Samuel B Darden of Talbot County Esq
 of come and proved to my satisfaction that
 the beaver here of Negro Robert Skatt
 of a dark brown complexion five feet eight and
 one half inch high very much soiled with
 in the face and a scar in the skin of his
 right face, twenty nine years of age is the
 identical person manumitted by Isaac
 Cox in the year 1799 — Witness 18th July 1807
 J L

State of Maryland, Sherriff, Talbot County
 Talbot County, to whom it doth or may concern that
 Hopkins of Talbot County came and proved to
 my satisfaction that the beaver here of Negro
 Benjamin a black man five feet five
 inches high about twenty five years of age with
 no notable mark was raised in this county and
 was born of a Negro woman here to a man
 named by his mother Dennis Hopkins In Witness
 this 25 July 1807 J Loocherman

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County to Wit } I hereby Certify all persons whom
 it doth or may Concern that John
 Kemp of Talbot County came and proved to my satisfac-
 =tion that the bearer hereof a black man by the name
 of Jacob five feet ten Inches high, the end of his mid-
 dle finger on his right hand some what Injured by
 a gathering on it. about thirty three years of age has
 a cast in his Eyes, was raised in this County in the
 Identical Negro Manumitted by his Grand Mother Ma-
 =ry Anne Kemp in the year 1784

In testimony whereof I hereby set

my hand and affix my seal this 28th day of July 1807

State of Maryland }
 Talbot County to Wit } I hereby certify all persons whom it
 doth or may concern that Geo^{rs} Stearns
 of Talbot County came and proved to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof Negro Abraham of a Duke Comps plantation
 25 years of age has several small marks on his hand
 that he has a large scar upon his neck about
 5 feet 7 Inches high. In the said persons name
 =milled by him the said Thomas Stearns in the
 year 1807 and was raised in the said County in
 Testimony of which I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 28th day of July 1807

Ca Sa After Suifa Debt

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of _____ County Greeting
 you are hereby Comanded to take _____ late
 of _____ County (as in the Suifa) otherwise called
 _____ if he shall be found
 in your Bailiwick and him safe keep so that
 you have his Body before the Judges of the next
 General Court to be hold for the Eastern Shore of this State at
 Talbot County Courthouse the second Tuesday of _____ next
 to satisfy unto _____ as well a certain Debt
 of _____ current money which said sum the
 same _____ in the same General Court hold for the Eastern
 Shore of Maryland at Talbot County Cps^d the second Tuesday
 of _____ Anno Domini _____ before the Judges of the
 same Court hath recovered as also the sum of _____
 pounds of Tobacco which unto the same _____ in our said
 Court was adjudged for his Damages which he had sustains
 as well by Occasion of the detention of that Debt as for his Costs
 and Charges by him about his Suit in that part opposed whereof
 the Cps^d _____ is convicted as to his Appearance of Record
 and also the further sum of _____ pounds of Tobacco
 which to the same _____ in our same General Court hold
 for the Eastern Shore of Maryland at Talbot County Courthouse
 the second Tuesday of _____ Anno Domini _____ was adjudged
 for his damages which he had sustains by Occasion of the delay
 of the execution of the Judgment Cps^d and whereon in our said
 Court it was considered that the said _____ may have his
 Execution against the said _____ for the Debt and Damages
 Cps^d Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there
 this Writ Witness &c
 _____ Cl.
 W. H. e.

Ca Sa for Costs, on a Petition for freedom by a Mulatto.

Casa

Shore of the State of Maryland at Talbot County afo^{re} the second
Tuesday of — Anno Domini — before the Judges of
the same Court against the said — A B — hath recovered as also
— pounds of Tobacco which unto the same — C D —
in the same Court were Adjudged for his Damages which he
had sustained as well by Occasion of the detention of that
Debt as for his Costs and Charges by him about his Suit in that
part approved whereof the afo^{re} — A B — is Convicted as it
Appereth of Record Hereof fail not at your peril and have
you then and there this Writ Witness &c

Tom Wood

Casa for a Fine

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of — County Greeting
We Command you that you take — E P — late of —
County planter — if he shall be found in your Bailiwick
and him safe keep so that you have his Body before
the Judges of the next General Court to be hold for
the Eastern Shore of this State at Talbot County Courthouse
the second Tuesday of April next To Satisfy unto Us the sum of
— pounds Current Money of Maryland which said Sum of
— pounds by the Judges of our said General Court at a
Court hold for the Eastern Shore of this State at Talbot County
Courthouse the second Tuesday of September Anno Domini —
was imposed on the said — E P — for his fine for Committing an Assault
and Battery on the Body of a certain T V — as also —
pounds of Tobacco for the Costs and Charges thereon Accruing
Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this
Writ Witness Rob^t Hanson Harrison Esq^r Chief Judge of our said
Court this 24th day of September Anno Domini 1702

Issued the — day of — 1702

(Tom in Use)

Ca Sa

Ca Sa - Case

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of _____ County Greeting We
Command you that you take - A^{ts} - (as in the writ)

Seal

if he shall be found in your Bailiwick and him safe
keep so that you have his Body before the Judges of
the General Court at the next General Court to be
held for the Eastern Shore of this State at Talbot County Courthouse
the second Tuesday of _____ next to Satisfy unto - C^d - as
well the sum of _____ which unto the same - A^{ts} - in the
General Court held for the Eastern Shore of the State of Maryland
at Talbot County City the second Tuesday of _____ Anno Domini
Seventeen hundred and _____ before the Judges of the same Court
were adjudged for his Damages which he had sustained by Occasion
of the Nonperformance of a certain promise and Assumption unto
the said - C^d - by the same - A^{ts} - at _____ County _____ made
as also _____ pounds of Tobacco which unto the said - C^d -
by the said Court then and there were adjudged for his
Costs and Charges by him about his Suit in this part opposed
where of the said - A^{ts} - is convicted as it appeareth of
Record and have you then and there this Writ Witness - My hand
W^{ch} one of the Judges of our said Court this _____ day of
Anno Domini _____
If sued - day of _____

found in the

Ca Sa Debt

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of _____ County Greeting we
Command you that you take - A^{ts} - (as in the writ)

Seal

if he shall be found in your Bailiwick and him safe
keep so that you have his Body before the Judges of
the General Court at the next General Court to be
held for the Eastern Shore of this State of Maryland at Talbot
County Courthouse the second Tuesday of _____ next to Satisfy unto
C^d - as well a certain Debt of _____
which the same C^d - in our General Court held for the Eastern
Shore

The State of Maryland }
 Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify all persons
 to whom it doth or may concern that Isaac
 Atkinson of Talbot County in the Town of Eastern
 came and proved to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof Negro Memory a Matullo woman
 about five foot three inches has an notable
 scar under her left ear occasioned by the carack
 and a large scar under her chin occasioned by
 the tooth ache and a mark on her right of her
 arm about five and thirty years of age is the
 identical person manumitted by his father
 Airon Atkinson in the year of our Lord seventeen
 hundred and twenty seven In witness this 30th
 day of July 1804 J. L.

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons
 Talbot County to wit } whom it doth or may concern that
 bearer hereof Negro Nell about thirty six years of age of a dark brown
 complexion 4 feet 10 1/2 inches high has an uncommon
 mark on her face from her left ear has a long scar on
 her right cheek and also a scar on her left arm occasioned
 by a burn is the identical person manumitted by me
 on the 23 day of Dec 1803 to wit in the presence of
 my self and Secretary of July 31 1804 J. L.

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons
 Talbot County to wit } to whom it doth or may
 concern that the bearer hereof Negro Hannah of
 a bright Matullo woman about five foot one inch
 high a small scar on her left cheek about
 twenty six years of age is the identical person
 manumitted by Miss Mary Drisk in the year
 1794 - In witness this 31st July 1804 J. L.

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The State of Maryland } I hereby Certify all persons
Talbot County to wit } to whom these presents shall
concern that Anne Powell of Talbot County came and proved
to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof negro Lilly
of a Dark brown complexion about five feet one
inch high with two small scars (or marks) on her
right arm, about twenty one years of age is the iden-
tical person manumitted by her husband Howell
Powell Junr. of Talbot County in the year
of our Lord seventeen hundred and ninety

In Witness whereof I have
signed at my hand & seal
this 6th day of August 1807

State of Maryland } To all persons whom it doth
Talbot County to wit } or may concern, that Solo-
mon Stevens of Talbot County, came and proved to my
satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a Dark brown woman
named Hannah, aged thirty five years, five feet one
inch high, with the loss of the sight of her left eye,
was raised in the County aforesaid, and is the
Identical person manumitted by his father
William Stevens on the third day of August
seventeen hundred and eighty nine

In Testimony &c

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State of Maryland } Shurby Certify all persons, whom it
Talbot County to wit } doth or may concern that Elizabeth
Orme came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer
hereof a black Negro Woman named Eoe about twenty
three years of age is the Daughter of a Negro Woman named
Rachel, who was manumitted in the year 1780 by Judge
Mullikin the former husband of the said Elizabeth Orme
said Eoe is five feet one inch high &

State of Maryland } This one as the one above
Talbot County to wit }
Negro Hannah aged 24 years - four feet ten inches high

State of Maryland } This one as the one above
Talbot County to wit }
To Negro Billy 16 years of age 5 feet high

State of Maryland } Shurby Certify all persons to
Talbot County to wit } whom it doth or may concern
that John Blake of Talbot County came and proved to my
satisfaction that the bearer hereof a negro man
James alias James Gibbs about five feet six
inches high and about with a small scar on
the inside of his left thumb about sixty seven years of
age is the identical person manumitted by him
on the tenth day of May ~~1803~~ 1803

In witness this 29th day of Oct 1804 J. L.

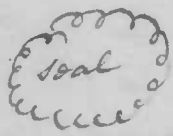
John M. Shurby Jr

And now deposing against him in the said Court for a
pseudomonas &c
Hereof I will not at your house and have you then and there

Capias

Capias in a Criminal Case

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of _____ County Greeting you
 are hereby Commanded to take J^r _____ late of _____
 County Yeoman if he shall be found in your Bailiwick
 and him safe keep so that you have his Body before the
 Judges of the General Court At a Court to be held for
 the Eastern Shore of this State at Talbot County Courthouse the
 Second Tuesday of _____ next to Answer "to an Indictment
 for an Assault and Battery on the Body of A^r J^r _____"

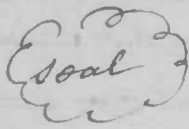


Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there this writ
 Witness R^t H. Bay^r Chief Judge of our said Court this _____
 day of _____ Anno Domini 17____

In Use

Capias in a Criminal Case returnable Immediately

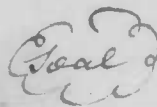
The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of _____ County Greeting
 We Command you that you take J^r _____ late of _____
 County Yeoman if he shall be found in
 your Bailiwick and him safe keep so that you have
 his Body Immediately before the Judges of the General
 at a Court now sitting for the Eastern Shore of this State at
 Talbot County Courthouse to Answer "to an Indictment for
 Felony" &c found in the General Court A^r J^r _____ and now depending
 against him — Hereof fail not at your Peril and have you
 then and there this writ Witness &c



In Use

Another Form

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of _____ County Greeting
 We Command you that you take J^r _____ late of _____
 County Yeoman if he shall be found in your Bailiwick
 and him safe keep so that you have his Body
 Immediately before the Judges of the General Court at a General
 Court held for the Eastern Shore of this State now sitting at
 Talbot County Courthouse to Answer "to an Indictment found



Caplan's

And now deponing against him in the said Court for a
Misdemeanor &c

Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there

&c &c &c &c &c

Capias

In Trespass

Sub Capias against W^h. late of Cecil County Yeoman to Answer
Unto C^W. of a plea wherefore with force and Arms & forth the
Close of him the said C at Cecil County Aps^t. he broke & entered
and the Soil and Meadows of him the said C of the Value of
Seven hundred pounds Current Money with his feet and the feet
of his Servants Horses and ploughs he trod down turned up
and destroyed and the fences of him the said C to the Value of
Three hundred pounds Current Money in the same Close being
erected did throw down take Carry away and destroy and
other wrongs to him the said C then and there did to the great
Damage of the said C and against the peace Government
and Dignity of the State of Maryland & forth

Assault & Battery

Sub Capias against E P late of --- County planter to Answer
Unto J V and His Wife of a plea wherefore with force and
Arms at --- County Aps^t. in and upon her the said Elizabeth
V. he the said E P. an Assault did make and her the said E V.
did beat wound and evilly treat so that her life it was greatly
despaired of and other harms to her the said Elizabeth then and
there did to the great damage of them the said J. and E. and
against the peace Government and dignity of the State of Maryland
& forth.

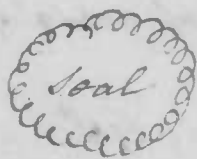
Account

Sub Capias against J H late of --- County planter to Answer
Unto J H in a plea that he render Unto him a reasonable Acc^t.
for the time he was Bailiff of the said J H at --- in
--- County Aps^t. and receiver of the money of the said J H
which to him he ought to render & forth

Capias

Blank Capias

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of ... County Greeting
We Command you that you take



if ... Shall be found in your bailiwick and
safe keep so that you have ... body before the Judges
of the General Court at a General Court to be hold

for the Eastern Shore of Maryland at Talbot County Courthouse
the Second Tuesday of ... next to answer unto ...

Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and there
this writ witness The Honourable R. H. H. Esq. Chief Judge of
our said Court this ... day of ... Anno Dom. 1785
I issued the ... day of ... 1785.

(The Lawyers Name)

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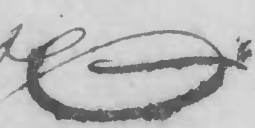
The blanks in the foregoing form may be filled up from any of
the following things in which Common Sense will direct


Debt

Issue Capias against A. B. late of ... County Gentleman
otherwise called A. B. of ... County in the State of Maryland
Merchant to answer unto C. D. of a plea that he render unto him
the sum of one thousand pounds current Money of Maryland
which to him he owes and unjustly detains &c. &c.

Debt on bond for Money of Another State

Issue Capias against A. B. late of ... County Merchant otherwise
called A. B. of ... County Merchant to answer unto C. D. of
a plea that he render unto him the sum of one thousand pounds
sterling Money of Great Britain of the value of sixteen hundred
and sixty six pounds thirteen shillings and four pence cur. Mo
of Maryland which from him he unjustly detains &c.

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all whom it
Talbot County to wit } doth or may concern, that
Samuel Clayton came and proved to my satisfaction,
that the bearer hereof; a bright mustatto negro woman,
named Nancy Walker, alias Nancy Weaver, about
thirty two years of age, slightly pock broken in the
face, with a small mole on the right side of her
face, on the upper lip, near the corner of her nose;
and four feet ten inches, and one quarter of an inch
high; is the identical person person manumitted by
Grace Brooks, in the year Anno Domini seventeen
hundred and ninety seven, and was raised in the
County aforesaid - In testimony 

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom
Talbot County to wit } it doth or may concern, that
William Mackay of the County aforesaid came and proved to
my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a Dark brown
Negro woman named Harriet, aged thirty three years,
five feet seven inches, and one quarter of an inch high,
deaf in her right hand: is the identical negro
woman he manumitted on the twentieth day of January
seventeen hundred and ninety eight - and was raised
in the aforesaid County of Talbot In testimony 

State of Maryland I hereby Certify all persons
 Talbot County to wit) whom it doth or may concern,
 that Samuel Adams came and proved to my satisfaction,
 that the bearer hereof a Black Negro woman, named
 Deborah (alias) Deborah Thomas, about forty year
 of age - five feet two and an half inches high, with
 scars on her left arm occasioned by burns - and is the
 identical negro woman he manumitted this present
 year 1807 and was raised in the County of
 In testimony &c

State of Maryland I hereby Certify all persons whom it
 Talbot County to wit) doth or may concern, that Thomas
 of the County of Talbot came and proved to my satisfaction, that the
 bearer hereof a Black Negro Child, aged six years, three
 feet three inches high, is the daughter of a negro woman
 named Rachel manumitted by him & his father in the year
 fourteen hundred and ninety four and was raised in the
 County of Talbot as aforesaid In testimony &c

Bail

The Court from day to day, and not depart therefrom without leave of the said Court, when the above obligation shall be void otherwise of full force and Virtue in Law.

Sealed and delivered
in presence of

Ats Seal
C.D. Seal
E.F. — Seal

(See October. 1700. Ch. 10.)

Shiffs are obliged to take Bail Bonds of all persons taken on Criminal Writs for Offences less than Felony.

The sum in the penalty not to exceed £100

If the Criminal is not sufficient for the sum, and cannot find security Shiff may take him before a Magistrate to be dealt with according to the Law.

If the party does not appear &c. a Writ may Issue for recovery of the penalty &c. (Octob: 1700. Ch. 10.)

State of Maryland Shurby Certify all persons, whom Talbot County Court it doth, or may concern that Charly Gibson of the County afo, came and proved to my satisfaction that the mark hereof a Dark brown Negro woman named Sal, aged thirty, five feet high, with a scar on her left arm, near the elbow, occasioned by a burn; is the identical Negro woman manumitted by Obediah Gany, as appears on the Records of Talbot County afo, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and seventy, April the twenty fourth, and further that the said Negro sal was retained in the County afo. In Testimony &c.

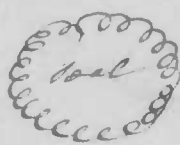
Bail

Bail piece (when recognizance filed)

The State of Maryland to wit I hereby Certify That at a General Court hold for the Eastern Shore of the State of Maryland at Talbot County Courthouse the second Tuesday of in the year Seventeen hundred and Eighty four Before R. H. H. A. C. H. and R. J. J. Esquires Judges of the same General Court J. H. by C. G. his Attorney Affidavit in Court here the following Recognizance of Bail to wit. E. L. Plaintiff against J. H. Defendant. You A. B. and C. D. do jointly and severally Acknowledge yourselves Special Bail for the said J. H. at the suit of the said E. L. in an Action of Debt brought by the said E. L. against the said J. H. in the General Court who Acknowledge themselves to be Content therewith this _____ day of _____ Anno Domini _____ before

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To the Honourable the Judges of the General Court



In Testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and the Affix the public Seal of Office this _____ day of _____ in the year _____

_____ att

(W. M.)

Bail Bond

The State of Maryland }
Talbot County to wit } I know all men by those presents That we A. B. C. D. and E. F. all of Talbot County planters are hold and firmly bound unto the State of Maryland in the full sum of _____ Current Money to be paid to the State of Maryland to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of us jointly and severally for and in the whole sum firmly hereby sealed with our seals and dated this _____ day of _____ A. D. _____

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above bound A. B. shall appear before the Judges of the General Court at a General Court to be hold for the Eastern Shore of Maryland at Talbot County Courthouse the second Tuesday of _____ Next Attond

His

Bail

Recognizance of Bail. Debt or Case. &c.

John Doe plaintiff you A.B. and C.D. do jointly and severally Acknowledge yourselves Special Bail for the said Plaintiff Richard Roe Defendant at the suit of the said John Doe in a Action of Debt brought by the said John Doe against the said Richard Roe in the General Court They Acknowledge themselves to be Content therewith this --- day of --- Anno Domini 1702. Before J. J.

To the Honourable the Judges of the General Court.

See Act of Oct. 1778. Ch. 21. S. 4.

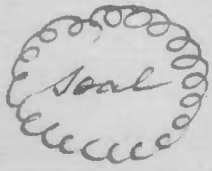
A Warrant of Attorney is wrote or Annexed to the foot of this Proceq: directed to some Attorney of the Court empowering him to App: for the Defendant &c.

For the Old form. See Act: 1715. Ch. 28. S. 4. And further See May 1768. Ch. 28. S. 5. for a latter form.

Bail Poice (when Bail taken in Court)

A.B. } Debt.

C.D. } The State of Maryland to wit. I hereby Certify, That at a General Court hold for the Eastern Shore of the State of Maryland at Talbot County Courthouse the second Tuesday of --- in the year Seventeen hundred and Eighty four --- Before J. H. H. A. C. H. and R. J. jun. Esq. Judges of the same General Court came E. F. and G. H. before the Judges afo: in Court then sitting, and did jointly and severally Acknowledge themselves Special Bail for the said C. D. at the suit of the said A. B. in an Action of Debt brought by the said A. B. against the said C. D. in the General Court. In Testimony whereof I hereto set my hand and Affix the public Seal of Office this --- day of --- in the year ---



Wm M. C.

(1151)

See Practise B. R. U. I. 1081. in Debt. Apomposit. Treaspass.
Doting. Trover. Covenant. Debt on Recognizance of Bail.

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons
Talbot County } whom it doth or may con-
cern that ~~the~~ Philip Green of the town of Easton in the
County afo, came and proved to my satisfaction that
the bearer hereof a dark brown negro man named
Pollydore Talbot Pollydore Thomas, forty years
old or thereabouts, five feet nine inches high, with a
scar on his forehead and chin; is the identical negro
man transmitted by Colonel William Hayward of
the 14th day of April, eighteen hundred and seven, and
was born and raised in the said County.

12th Dec. 1807

In Testimony &

A. M. of Talbot County } I hereby certify all persons
whom it doth or may concern that Andrew
Oran came and proved that the bearer hereof a dark
brown man, five feet seven inches high, with a
scar on his forehead and chin, and a little about his wrist
and one over his left eye. About thirty two years
of age. Cal. gov. 31 July 1810

Assignments.

Assignments

Assignment of a Bond

I know all men by these presents That I — J. J. — do hereby Assign
Over unto W. H. — of — County the within Bond and all Sums of Money
therein mentioned. He the said W. H. having paid and satisfied
unto me the sum of — — — pounds Current Money in full for
the principal and Interest of the same which payment was
made to me by the said W. H. as Security for H. L. of — County
the principal Obligor in the said Bond mentioned. In Witness whereof
I have hereto set my hand and seal this — day of — A. D. —

(Taken from an Assignment on the back of a Loan Office Bond)

W. H. —

11th day of June, 1815.

*State of Maryland, County of Prince Georges, City of Annapolis, the said
County of Prince Georges, County of the County and State
of Maryland, and more to the City of Annapolis that the
above named John name (Mary
above named) who is now about 20 years
of age, of legal age, for no other reason
(as far as the Court is concerned)
has free by and through the County
of State of — — — the said
County of Prince Georges, County of the County and State
of Maryland, and more to the City of Annapolis that the*

State of Maryland: Sherriff certify, that Wm. John
 Walbot County, to wit, Rigby of the County and State
 aff. came and proved to my satisfaction that the
 bearer hereof, a mulatt woman named Prudy
 alias Prudy Holland, who is now about 25 years
 of age, 5 ft. 4 inches high, has no notable marks
 or scars) is the identical person manumitted &
 set free by Wm. Philip Rigby of the County
 of State aff. -

In Testimony &c. this
 11th day of April, 1845.
 Doctherman R

State of Maryland
 Talbot County, to wit:— I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or
 may concern that Solomon Dickinson of Talbot County, came and
 proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man named
 Phil about forty years of age 5 feet 10 $\frac{1}{4}$ inches high very much pitted
 by the small pox in the Saucicle negro as annexed by himself

Seal

In Testimony whereof on this 22nd
 day of August 1815

Lockerman, Clerk

Maryland, Talbot County, to wit:—

I hereby certify, that Mr. Samuel
 Roberts of the County and State aforesaid came &
 proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof
 (a black man, who calls himself Perry Johnson,
 and who is now about 35 years of age, 5 feet 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
 inches high, has 6 large scars on the back of his right
 hand, one other scar on his right arm about 2 inches
 above his wrist, & one other scar partly on the
 back of his left hand, & was annexed & set free
 by him the said Samuel Roberts, & was raised in the
 County of Talbot aforesaid. In Testimony of the 29th of
 August 1815.

Seal

Lockerman Clerk

State of Maryland, I hereby certify, that Mr. James Mackey
 Talbot County, town^{ship} 3 of the County and State off^{icer} came & proved
 to my satisfaction, that the ~~William~~ ^{William} ~~black~~ ^{black} man
 (a black man, who calls himself Peter Cooper, and who is
 now about 21 years of age, 5 feet 10 inches high, has no remarkable
 scars) was born free & raised in the County off^{icer}.

In Testimony of this, 16th of July 1813
 Woodman et al

State of Maryland, I hereby certify, that Mr. ~~James~~ ^{William}
 Talbot County, town^{ship} 3, Lambert of the County and State
 off^{icer} came and proved to my satis-
 faction, that the bearer hereof, negro Thomas, alias
 Thomas Cooper, (who is now about 24 years of age,
 five feet 7 inches high, of a bright mulatto
 complexion, has one scar on his forehead, & near or
 upon the joint of his right wrist, other scar (small)
 just above the second joint of his left thumb) —

~~is the~~ ^{is the} Deuticle person mentioned & set free by a certain Joseph
 Cooper by deed of emancipation bearing date the 24th of July 1815, which
 was duly executed & recorded in the land records for said county
 In Testimony of this, 7th of

April ~~1817~~ 1817.
 Woodman et al

State of Maryland, I hereby certify, that Mr. ~~James~~ ^{Wm} ~~Wm~~ ^{Wm}
 Talbot County, town^{ship} 3, Albert of the County & State
 off^{icer} came & proved to my satisfaction, that the
 bearer hereof, negro Levin Thomas, called Levin
 Thomas, who is now about 22 yrs of age 5 feet 10 1/4
 inches high, of a black complexion, has no notable
 marks, on his face, was born free & raised in the County
 off^{icer}.

In Testimony of this, 8th of March
 1815
 Woodman et al

State of Maryland Talbot County to wit,

I hereby certify, that Wm. Wood Dunn of the County and State aforesaid came & proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof (a black man, named Solomon or alias Solomon Coursey, who is now about 45 yrs of age 5 ft 11 in. high, has no notable marks, except a small scar a little above & near his left eye brow) is the identical negro man manumitted & set free by the said Wm. Dunn on the 30th of Dec. 1813

Seal
ccc

In Testimony &c. this 25th of April
1815 No other man etc

Maryland, Talbot County to wit:

I hereby certify, that Robert Spurgeon Esq, came and proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof (a black man named Oliver, who is now about 52 years of age 5 feet 5 3/4 in. high, has a scar or lump on the left side of his neck occasioned by a Bile, also a speck in his right eye, by which the sight is nearly extinguished, occasioned (as he says) by a wheat beard) is the identical person manumitted & set free by a certain H. J. Delahay of the County aforesaid on the 10th day of Dec. 1807

Seal

In Testimony &c. this 18th Aug^r 1815
No other man etc

State of Maryland Talbot County, to wit.

I hereby certify, that Samuel S. Dickinson of the County & State aforesaid came & provided to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a dark mulatto woman, named Fanny, who is now about 30 years of age 5^{ft} 6ⁱⁿ high has one large scar about 3ⁱⁿ above the elbow of her left right arm, & a small scar between the 2^d & 3^d joints of the middle finger of her left hand, is the identical person mentioned & set free by Mary Webb of the County & State aforesaid where the said Fanny was raised.

(Seal)

In Testimony &c. this 29th of Aug. 1815 J. A. [Signature]

State of Maryland

Talbot County to wit } I hereby certify that Mr. Saml. P. Dickinson of the County and State aforesaid came and provided to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black woman named Daphney who is now about 33 years of age 5 feet 3¹/₄ inches high has a very large scar on her Breast is the identical person set free by a certain Mary Webb of the County and State aforesaid, where the said Daphney was raised.

In Testimony &c. this 29th day of Aug. 1815

(Seal)

J. A. [Signature]

Attachments

The same Court for such Attorneys and other Officers of the
same Court here time out of mind Used and Approved
of a plea that he render unto him the sum of _____
pounds Current Money which to him he owes and Unjustly
detains & forth Hereof fail not at your peril and have you
know and know this writ witness. R. H. H. Esq: Chief Judge of
our said Court this _____ day of _____ Anno Dom. 1703

Spued the 8th day of March 1704.

James Earle Esq.

(Rly)

This writ does not differ from a Cap: in any thing except what is
filled in from the Attorneys telling — So that blank Capias's if the
blanks are large enough will do —

See Attorneys Practice in N.B. or C.P.

Attachment of Privilege recited in Declaration, Debt.

Caroline County Court. D.S. late of _____ County Gentleman
otherwise called D.S. of 2^d County Gentleman, was Attached
by a writ of Privilege of the State of Maryland Issuing out of
the General Court for the Eastern Shore here to Answer unto Rly
Jm: one of the Attorneys of the General Court for the Eastern
Shore here According to the liberties and privileges of the same
Court here time out of mind Used and Approved, of a plea
that he render unto him the sum of _____ pounds Current
Money which to him he owes and Unjustly detains &c.

This may be found among papers of April Term 1705.

Attachments.

And Lawfull men of your Bailiwick you Make known Unto Each
person or persons in whose hands or possession the Lands or
Tenements Goods or Chattels Rights or Credits, so Attached are to
be and Appear before the Judges of the General Court At a
Court to be hold for the Eastern Shore of this State at Talbot County
Courthouse the second Tuesday of —. next to Show Cause
if they have any, why such Lands and Tenements Goods and
Chattels Rights and Credits so Attached as afo^d. Should not
be Condemned and Execution thereof had and made
to the Use of the afo^d. S^t. According to the form of the Act of
Assembly in such Case made and provided if to him her or
them it shall seem meet And how you shall Execute this our
precept that you Make known Unto the Judges aforesaid at
the day and place afo^d. And have you then and there this Writ
Witness Dr. H. H. Esq^r. Chief Judge of our said Court this
day of —. Anno Domini 1703.

Spent 20th Sept^r 1703.

(75.)

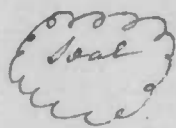
James Earle Esq.

NB. The words marked with a Quotation were filed in by M^r. Stone
who gave his Approbation to this Writ

See Act. of 1715. Ch. 40.

Attachment of Privilege, Debt,

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of —. County Greeting We
Command you that you take Daniel S. — late of —
County Gentleman if he shall be found in your Bailiwick
and him safe keep so that you have his body before
the Judges of the General Court At the next Court
to be hold for the Eastern Shore of the State of Maryland at Talbot
County Courthouse the second Tuesday of —. next to Answer
Unto J^{dy}. One of the Attorneys of the General Court for the
Eastern Shore here According to the liberties and privileges of

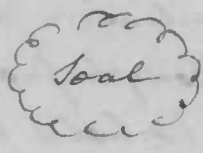


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Attachments.

Attachment with Seize. After a Judgment - As a previous Step
to enable the Plaintiff to execute Lands, Goods or Credits of
Defendant in any persons hands where they may be found

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of --- County greeting
Whereas at a General Court hold for the Eastern Shore
of the State of Maryland at Talbot County Courthouse
the second Tuesday of --- in the year ---



S. W. did recover a Judgment against a certain P. W.
of --- County for as well the Sum of ---

As also the Quantity of --- pounds of Tobacco which by
Consideration of the same Court was then and there Adjudged unto
the said S. W. for his Damages Sustained by Occasion of the detention
of that Debt as for his Costs and Charges by him about his Suit
in that behalf laid out and Expended as by the Record and
process thereof in our said Court remaining Manifestly Appears
We therefore Command you that you Attach Any of the Lands
and Tenements Goods and Chattels Rights and Credits of
the Aforesaid Peter W. if Any shall be found in your Possession
to the Value of --- As also ---

pounds of Tobacco the Debt and Damages afo^r. And when you
have the same Lands or Tenements, Goods or Chattels, Rights
or Credits or any part thereof so Attached, the same in your
Custody safe keep so that you have the same before the Judge
of the next General Court to be hold for the Eastern Shore of
this State at Talbot County Courthouse the second Tuesday of
April next Then and there to be Condemned to and for the Use
of the Aforesaid S. W. According to the form of the Act of Assembly
in such Case made and provided Unless the said P. W. or
or the person or persons in whose hands or possession such Lands
or Tenements Goods or Chattels Rights or Credits May by you be
Attached Shall then and there Appear and Show good and
Sufficient Cause in Law why such Lands and Tenements Goods &
Chattels Rights and Credits Should not be Condemned for the
Use of the said S. W. - in Satisfaction of the Judgment aforesaid
And that at the time of Executing the said Attachment, by Good
and

Attachments

Attachment of Contempt

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of _____ County.
 Greeting We Command you that you Attach the
 Body of _____ A to. late of _____ County _____
 if he shall be found in your Bailiwick and him
 Safe keep so that you have his Body before the
 Judges of the General Court At a Court to be hold for
 the Eastern Shore of Maryland at Talbot County Courthouse
 the second Tuesday of _____ next to Answer for a Contempt
 (in not Attending the General Court for the Eastern Shore
 of Maryland the second Tuesday of _____ last past
 as a petit Juror he having been legally Summoned and
 returned on the panel of Petit Jurors by the Sheriff
 of County afo^{re}. as appears of Record _____)

Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then and
 there this writ Writings R. H. H. Esquire Chief Judge of
 our said Court this _____ day of _____ Anno Domⁱ.
 1705. J. E. C.

(Tom Wood)

Attachment of Contempt returnable Immediately

The State of Maryland To the Sheriff of County Greeting
 We Command you that you Attach the Body of
 A B _____ late of _____ County _____ if he shall be
 found in your Bailiwick and him safe keep so
 that you have his Body Immediately before the
 Judges of the General Court At a Court now sitting for
 the Eastern Shore of Maryland at Talbot County Courthouse
 to Answer for a Contempt
 in not Attending the said General Court as a Witness for
 C D. against E F he having been legally Summoned

Hereof fail not at your peril and have you then & there
 this writ &c. as above _____

(Tom Wood)

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to wit: -

I hereby certify, that Sarah Fitzges
man, Esquire, of the County & State aforesaid came
(and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer
hereof, is a Mulatto Man named
Isaac, who is now about 24 years of
age, 5 feet 7 1/2 inches high, has no other
marks or scars except a small
scar on his forehead, is the identical
person man. Let free by Mrs Rachel L.
Thomson of the County & State aforesaid on the 16
day of Aug. 1811. In Testimony &c. this

Seal

16 Augt. 1815

Neiro Isaac proves that he let
(the above certificate, 11/22/1815)

G. Cochranman (12)

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to wit:

I hereby certify that Mr. Terrence
Cannally of the County & State aforesaid came
& proved to my satisfaction that the bearer
hereof, a dark mulatto man, who calls
himself Tho. Holmes, who is now about 23
years of age 5 feet 9 3/4 inches high, has a
large scar on his left jaw, one other scar
on the little finger of his left hand, one
other scar on the ~~middle~~ ^{third} finger of the same
hand, one other scar partly on the first joint
of his right thumb, & two small scars in
his left eye brow. I was born free & raised in
the County aforesaid. In Testimony whereof.

Seal

this 29 day of Aug. 1815.

G. Cochranman (12)

Maryland, Talbot County town:

I hereby certify, that (N.W. Tho: Jenkins
of the Cts. & State offrs. came & proved to
my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof, a
light black woman, named Rye, who is
now about 53 years of age 5 feet 2 in: ³/₄
high, has no notable marks or scars, was
manumitted & set free by David Crom-
well of the Cts. & State offrs. & was raised
in said Cts. & State - In Testimony of

(Seal) this 7 Sep. 1815
Hoodman

Maryland, Talbot County town:

I hereby certify, that (Thomas Jenkins
of the Cts. & State offrs. came & proved to
my satisfaction that the bearer hereof, a
dark mulatto man named Isaac who
is now about 28 years of age 5 feet 4 ³/₄
inches high, has a small scar on his
left eye brow, was manum. & set free by
David Cromwell of the Cts. & State offrs.
& was raised in S. Cts. & State

(Seal) In Testimony of. this 9th Sep. 1815
Hoodman

Saml. Dickson

Thomas

