

Queen Anne's County Maryland to wit
On this 12th Day of March 1820 Personally
appeared before the subscriber a Justice of the
Peace in and for the County aforesaid Daniel
Matthews (a man of Colour) who being
duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty
God that in the year Eighteen Hundred
and Thirteen while the British Forces under
the command of Admiral Boscawen had
possession of Kent Island that in the said
Matthews did see some British Officers
or Soldiers taken and carry away
from the house of Mrs Margaret
Lawrey (which was her property) Negro
man named Peter Boyd and he is con-
fident in his belief that the said Peter
always went by the name of Peter
Boyd and further he said that
Sworn before

Samuel Thompson

I Samuel Thompson do certify that
I believe the above Dependant Daniel
Matthews (a Coloured man) to be of reputa-
ble character as witness my hand this
12th Day of March 1820 Samuel Thompson

Matthews

Office of Justice &
Peace

the 12th 3/24 1820

Maryland, Queen Anne's County Court: I hereby Certify
that Samuel Thompson gentleman before whom the
within depositions were taken and whose name is thereto
subscribed was at the time of taking & subscribing
the same one of the Justices of the Peace of the
County of Queen Anne's County aforesaid duly
Commissioned & sworn - and to all whose acts & facts
are fairly & fully credited & ought to be given as
well in Courts of Justice as elsewhere.

In Testimony whereof I hereunto subscribe
my name & affix the seal of my
office this thirteenth day of
March eighteen hundred and
twenty eight my

Thos: Humphrey Esq
of

Queen Anne's County Court.

Cost 25 Cents



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Queen Anne County Maryland. I hereby Certify that Samuel Thompson
gentleman before whom the within deposition was taken and whose
name is there subscribed was at the time of taking & subscribing the
same one of the Justices of the Peace in and
for Queen Anne County aforesaid duly Commissioned & sworn and to
all whose act as such is lawful and full Credit is and ought to be
given as well in Court of Justice as thereout -

In Testimony whereof hereunto subscribed my name and affix
the seal of my office this thirteenth day of
March eighteen hundred and twenty eight

^{my}
Chas. Mumphrey
of
Queen Anne County Court

Cost 25 Cents



Queen Anne's City Maryland to wit

On this 12th Day of March 1828 Personally appeared
Mormaduke Goodland before me a Justice of the
Peace in and for the County and State aforesaid who being
Duly sworn on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God
~~said that~~ at the time the British for us under the Com-
mand of Admiral Hovenden had possession of Hunt Island
he saw and has perfect recollection that they did
take and carry away a Negro Man the property
of Mrs Margaret Lowrey by the name of Peter
and further in this deponent I write not

Sworn to before

Sam^l Mansfield

Filed March 31st - 1828

Witness my hand
this 31st day of March 1828

Queen Anne's County Maryland to wit.
On this sixteenth day of February eighteen
hundred and twenty eight personally ap-
peared John O'Halloran before me a Justice
of the Peace in and for the County and
State aforesaid who made oath on the
Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that
Mrs Margaret Lawrence of the County
and State aforesaid had a Negro Man
taken away by the British during the
late war named Peter Bayd and that
the said Peter always went by that name
and the said John O'Halloran further saith
that he has perfect knowledge and recollec-
tion of the taking and carrying away of the
said Peter Bayd at the time before stated
and further he saith not

Swoon to be fore

• Samuel Thompson

State of Maryland, Queen Anne's County Court. I hereby Certify that
Samuel Thompson gentleman before whom the above oath was made
and whose name is thus subscribed, was at the time of administering and
subscribing the same, a Justice of the Peace of the State and County
aforesaid, duly Commissioned and sworn.

In Testimony whereof I have set my hand and the Seal of
Queen Anne's County Court office, this sixteenth
day of February in the year eighteen hundred
and twenty eight

Wm. Humphrey Ckr
of
Queen Anne's County Court

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

STATE OF MARYLAND—TO WIT:

I, JOHN GILL, Notary Public, by Letters Patent, under the Great Seal of the State of Maryland, Commissioned and duly Qualified, residing in the City of Baltimore, in the State aforesaid, do hereby Certify, Attest, and Make Known. That, on the day of the date hereof, before me personally appeared

Jonathan Harrison, of the City of Baltimore, Merchant, and made Oath in due form of Law, That he resided on Kent Island in the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirteen, and that while there, Peter, who called himself Peter Boyd, a Slave belonging to Mrs. Margaret Lowry, of Kent Island aforesaid, was forcibly taken possession of by the British, and by them brought to the dwelling of Deponent, where the British had forcibly made their Head Quarters. That said Slave Peter Boyd was kept there tied for two days, and then taken on board the British Fleet, and, as Deponent verily believes, was taken off in said Fleet;—since when Deponent has never heard of him.

Jonathan Harrison

Of which an Act having been of me requested, I have granted these presents, to serve and avail as need and occasion may require.

In Testimony Whereof, the said Deponent hath hereunto subscribed his Name; and I, the said Notary, have hereunto set my Hand and affixed my Notarial Seal, the Third ——— day of November ——— in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and twenty seven

Wm. Gill Notary

a list of Slaves taken and Carried away from
Margaret Lowrey of Kent Island Queen Anne County
and State of Maryland in August 1813, by a British
officer

one Negro Man Peter. twenty eight
years old Estimated Value at that time } \$500.00

State of Maryland. Queen Anne County I hereby Certify
that on the 4th day of May 1821 Margaret Lowrey
appeared before me the Subscriber a Justice of the
peace in and for said County and Made Oath on
the Holy Evangelist of Almighty God that the above
Statement of her Negro being taken and Carried
away by a British Officer is true

Sworn before Isaac Winchester

of Maryland. { I hereby Certify that Isaac Winchester gentleman
of Anne County before whom the within probat appears to have been taken
and whose name is there subscribed, was at the time of taking and subscribing
the same, one of the State of Maryland Justices of the peace, in and for the
County aforesaid duly commissioned and qualified —

In Testimony whereof I have set my hand, and the Seal of my Office
affix this twelfth day of May in the year Eighteen hun-
dred and twenty one.

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Thos. Murphy Clerk
of
Queen Anne's County Court.

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Ferry, Maryland - Kent. Co. Ann. Co.
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