

Maryland Prince Georges County

I hereby certify that the bearer hereof
 Negro Harriet who calls herself Harriet Shorter
 of a bright complexion four feet ten to half inches
 high about thirty three years of age having no scars
 either on her face or hands is a free woman and entitled
 to her freedom by a Deed of manumission from
 Asbury Briggs bearing date the first day of
 February in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred
 and eleven

In Testimony & Date 1st 1893

Aquila Beale

Identified by
 a J. P.

Maryland Prince Georges County

I hereby certify that the bearer hereof negro
 Sted, otherwise called Edward Stuart of a dark com-
 plexion five feet six inches to a quarter high about forty five
 years of age, with a large scar on his left side & a small one on
 his right side occasioned by a cut with a knife is a free man
 entitled to his freedom by a Deed of manumission from
 Dawson to Samuel ~~Sted~~ recorded in ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~County~~ ^{County} P. R. M.