

State of Maryland Prince Georges County  
On this 9<sup>th</sup> day of April 1855 personally appears  
Edward H. Calvert before me the subscriber a  
Justice of the Peace of the said State, in & for said County  
and made oath on the Holy Evangelys of Almighty  
that Negro man John Richard Peck is a free born  
person and is the reputed son of Harrietta Peck  
a free woman of Colour

Sworn to before  
E. C. Warner J.P.