

Vauville C. G. Dec. 31st 1834

Aquilla Beale Esq:

For the reason of this, Julian Matthews, is desirous to obtain a certificate of her freedom, by referring to a Deed of Manumission on Record in your office. From Solomon Matthews (who is her father) you will find she has been lawfully & mancipate, Julian is of dark Copper Colour, of common size, straight and well made, has a remarkable scar on the upper part of her Breast near her throat occasioned by a Burn, ^{also a Scar on her left hand above her fingers} I have known Julian for many years. She has lived in my house at different times, and know her to be the person named in the Deed of Manumission mentioned above. If this should not be deemed sufficient she can be more positively identified

respectfully Joseph Jones