

Dear Sir

The two Girls who are the bearers of  
this note wish to ascertain if there  
is any record of their freedom and  
to get ~~the~~ <sup>the same</sup> certificate of Joseph & Kate Mullin  
- their father and Mother were purch-  
ased by their Grand Father Basil Mullin  
about the years 1816-17 or 18, with the  
eldest girl, and gave them their liberty  
- they have been ever since free but have  
had no certificate of their manumission  
please examine the records for them and  
give them such directions as will be  
necessary for them to pursue -

Very Respectfully  
A. M. M. Gay