

Maryland, Prince Georges County, To Wit, On this Eighteenth day of
April Eighteen Hundred sixty three personally appears George
H Hunter before me the Subscriber a Justice of the Peace of
said State in and for the County aforesaid and made oath on
the Holy Evangelis of Almighty God that Negro man James
Ford of dark complexion, about Twenty two years of
age about five feet eight & a half inches high, has a
burn on the right wrist ^{and also a scar above the left eye} & a scar on the right hand thumb
was free born & is entitled to his free papers & was
born & raised in the neighborhood of Piscataway -

Given before

Geo. H. Wilson

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