

my name and affix the public seal of my office this 29th day of August A.D. 1836

Richardson Clerk of
Caroline County Court

\$1.00

State of Maryland and Caroline County, to wit; Whereas application hath been made to me by a mulattoe man named Eli Grinage, for a Certificate of his freedom, agreeably to the acts of asembly in such cases made and provided, by which said acts free negroes and mulattoes are permitted to travel out of this State upon the obtention of a Certificate of being free born, and Whereas also upon the oath of Matthew Driver of Caroline County aforesaid that the said mulattoe man named Eli Grinage for whom this Certificate is made was free born; I do therefore grant his said application and hereby Certify that from his own account he was twenty five years of age on the second day of January last, that he is five feet, Eleven and one half inches high or thereabouts of a bright mulattoe complexion, born and raised in Caroline County aforesaid, and has a small scar on the inside of his left wrist occasioned from an ulcer, and no other notable marks or scars that I have observed -

(seal)

In Testimony Whereof I here to subscribe my name and affix the public seal of my office this first day of September Anno Domini Eighteen hundred and thirty six

Richardson Clerk of
Caroline County Court

Cost. \$1.00

State of Maryland and Caroline County, to wit; Whereas application hath been made to me by a mulattoe man named William Grinage for a Certificate of his freedom agreeably to the acts of asembly in such cases made and provided, by which said acts free negroes and mulattoes are permitted to travel out of this State upon the obtention of a Certificate of being free born; and Whereas also upon the oath of Matthew Driver of Caroline County aforesaid that the said mulattoe man named William Grinage for whom this Certificate is made was free born; I do therefore