

seal of my office this tenth day of March Anno Domini eighteen hundred and thirty seven

~~Cost \$1.00~~

Jo Richardson Clerk of
Caroline County Court

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit; Whereas application hath been made to me by a negro man named James Parmer for a Certificate of his freedom agreeably to the acts of Assembly in such case made and provided by which said acts free negroes and mulattos 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 Marcey Fountain of Caroline County, that the said negro man named James Parmer 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 two years of age the fifteenth day of October last past he is five feet eight and a half inches high or thereabouts of a black complexion was born and raised in Caroline County and has a small scar of a cut on the top of his forehead about his right eye and two other scars of a cut, one obliquely across each of the first joints of the two first fingers of his left hand, and another scar of a cut nearly lineal with and across the knuckle of the little finger of his left hand and no other notable marks or scars, that I have observed

In Testimony whereof I hereto subscribe my name and affix the public seal of my office this 25th day of March Anno Domini 1837

Jo Richardson Clerk of
Caroline County Court

Cost \$1.00

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit Whereas application hath been made to me by a negro woman, named Melvina Driver for a Certificate of her freedom agreeably to the acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided by which said acts free negroes and Mulattos are permitted to travel out of this State upon the obtention of a certificate of being free born; and Whereas upon the oath of Leonard Mezzick of Caroline County that the said Negro Woman named Melvina Driver for whom this Certificate is made was free born I do therefore grant her said application and hereby certify that from her fathers account she was twenty years of age some time in the fall of eighteen hundred and thirty six she is four feet eleven and three quarters inches high or thereabouts of a black complexion was born and raised in Caroline County and has