


State of Maryland, Caroline County, to wit, Whereas application hath been made to me by a negroman named Henry Fountain for a certificate of his freedom agreeably to the acts of Assembly 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 James Pratt of Caroline County aforesaid, that the said negroman named Henry Fountain for whom this certificate is made, was born free. I do therefore grant his said application and hereby certify that, from the account of the said James Pratt, he was twenty six years of age last Christmas, that he is five feet seven inches high or there about, of a black complexion, was born free and raised in Caroline County, and that his right hip appears to be higher and larger than the left hip. He has no notable marks or scars that I have observed.


 In testimony whereof hereto subscribe my name and affix the public seal of my office this 16th day of September Anno Domini 1837.

To, Richardson Clerk of

Cost \$1.00

Caroline County Court

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit Whereas application hath been made to me by a negro boy named Perry Canada, 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 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 John Lump (of E) of Caroline County aforesaid that the said negro boy named Perry Canada 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 eighteen years of age on the twentieth day of April last past, five feet nine and a quarter inches high or there about, was born and raised in Caroline County, and has ^{several} small scars of cuts on his right wrist and across the first joint of his fore finger, on his left hand, and has no other notable marks or scars that I have observed of a black complexion.

 In Testimony whereof I hereto subscribe my name and affix the public seal of my office this sixteenth day of October A D 1837

To, Richardson Clerk of
Caroline County Court

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State of Maryland Caroline County to wit Whereas application hath been made to me by a negro Girl named Adaline Canada for a certificate of her freedom agreeably