

State upon the obtention of a certificate of being free born: and Whereas also upon the oath of Philemon Skinner of Caroline County that the said mulattoe man named Noah Smith for whom this certificate is made was free born do therefore grant his said application and hereby certify that from his own account he was twenty two years of age some time in March last past five feet five and a half inches high or thereabouts was born and raised in Caroline County of a mulattoe complexion and has two small scars in his left eye brow and has another small scar of a cut on his left wrist and has no other notable marks or scars that I have observed: —

In Testimony Whereof I have subscribed my name and affix the public seal of my office this 22nd day of October Anno Domini 1837

J. Richardson Esq of
Caroline County Court

Cost: 1.00

State of Maryland; Caroline County to wit Whereas application hath been made to me by a negro man named Alfred Wright 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 Joshua Clarke of Caroline County that the said negro man named Alfred Wright 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 five feet five and one half inches high or thereabouts born and raised in Caroline County complexion nearly black and has no notable marks or scars that I have observed —

In Testimony Whereof I have subscribed my name and affix the public seal of my office this 4th day of January A. D. 1838

J. Richardson Esq of
Caroline County Court

Cost: 1.00

State of Maryland; Caroline County to wit; Whereas application hath been made to me by a negro man named John Cornish for a certificate of his freedom agreeably to the act 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 Dennis Kelley of Caroline County that the said