

observed - In Testimony whereof I hereto subscribe my name and affix  
 the public seal of my office this 11th day of May anno Domini  
 1829

To Richardson ~~Notary~~  
 Caroline County Comt

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit: Whereas application hath been made to me  
 by a Coloured boy named Alfred Steward for a Certificate of his freedom agreeably to the  
 act of assembly in such case made and provided, by which said act free negroes and mo-  
 lattoes 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 Henry Olist of Caroline County that the  
 said Coloured boy named Alfred Steward was free born, I do therefore grant his said ap-  
 plication and hereby certify that from his own account he will be Nineteen years of  
 age the Fifteenth day of August next, five feet five and a half inches high or thereabouts  
 was born and raised in Caroline County of a dark brown complexion, has a small scar  
 of a cut near the corner of his right eye 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 20th day of May anno Domini 1829

To Richardson ~~Notary~~  
 Caroline County Comt

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit: whereas application hath been  
 made to me by a negro lad named John Wootley Bream for a certificate of his  
 freedom agreeably to the act of assembly in such case made and provided, by  
 which said act free negroes and molattoes 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 William A. Ford of Caroline County, that the said negro lad  
 named John Wootley Bream, 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 is about fifteen years of age five feet four and a half inches  
 or thereabouts, of a bright molatto complexion was born and raised in Caroline  
 County, has a very small scar of a cut on the left side of his nose, and three  
 other scars of a different size about the ~~hand~~ joint of his little finger, and a  
 large scar of a cut across his <sup>right</sup> wrist, 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 9th day of June anno Domini 1829

To Richardson ~~Notary~~  
 Caroline County Comt