

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit Whereas application hath been made to me by a negro woman named Ann Wisher for a certificate of her 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 Mrs Mary Ann Osmon of Kent County Md that the said negro woman named Ann Wisher for whom this Certificate is made was free born, I therefore grant her said application and hereby Certify that from her own account she is now about eighteen years of age five feet four inches high or thereabouts of a Chesnut Complexion, was born and raised in Caroline County aforesaid & has two small scars on her left cheek and has no other notable Marks or scars that I have observed, In Testimony whereof

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and affix the seal of Caroline County
Court this 8th day of September AD 1847
James H Fountain clk.
of Caroline County Court

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit, Whereas application hath been made to me by a negro woman named Lydia Stanford for a certificate of her 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 Whitely Johnson Esquire of Caroline County aforesaid that the said negro woman named Lydia Stanford for whom this Certificate is made was free born, I do therefore grant her said application and hereby Certify that from her own account she is now about twenty years of age, four feet eight inches high or thereabouts of a dark Chesnut Complexion was born and raised in Caroline County aforesaid and has no

notable Marks or scars that I have observed In Testimony whereof I hereto subscribe
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this 28th day of September AD 1847 James H Fountain clk.
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