

to me for a certificate of her freedom agreeably to the act of assembly in such case made and provided. by which said act free negroes and mulattoes are permitted to travel out of this State upon the obtention of a certificate of being free: and whereas also upon the oath of Abraham Sump of Caroline County that the said negro girl named Melrose for whom this certificate is made is the same person mentioned in the said manumission. I do therefore grant her said application and hereby certify that from her age as expressed in the said manumission, she will be twenty five years of age in August next, five feet four inches or thereabouts, of a black complexion, was born and raised in Caroline County and has a small scar of a cut at the corner of her right eye, and three other small scars of burns on her right arm, one on her wrist joint and two others one the small of her arm a little above the wrist, and two other scars of burns on her left arm, one on the wrist joint and the other just above it and no other notable marks or scars that I have observed. —

In Testimony whereof I have subscribed my name and affixed the public seal of my office this 29th day of May Anno Domini 1832 —
 Cost \$1.00cts

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State of Maryland Caroline County to wit; Whereas application hath been made to me by a mulattoe man named Daniel Gibson 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 mulattoes are permitted to travel out of this State upon the obtention of a certificate of being free born, and whereas also upon the declaration of William Potter and Joseph P. W. Richardson of Caroline County that the said mulattoe man named Daniel Gibson 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 one years of age the seventh day of May Instant, five feet two inches high or thereabouts, of a mulattoe complexion, was born and raised in Caroline County and has a large black mole in his left shoulder straight and very dark brown hair, and no other notable marks or scars that I have observed — In Testimony whereof I have subscribed my name and affixed

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