

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit: Whereas George  
Washington Shepard hath made application to me for a Certificate  
of his freedom agreeably to law: And whereas on the oath of Jacob Morgan  
has been proven that said George Washington Shepard was free born.  
I do therefore grant this Certificate. He is now about twenty five years  
of age five feet eight and one quarter inches high, or thereabouts, of a  
black Complexion was born and raised in Caroline County & has  
no notable marks or scars that I have observed. In Testimony  
Whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the Seal of the  
Circuit Court for Caroline County this Seventh day of July  
Anno Domini Eighteen Hundred & sixty.

Robert J. Jump Ck.  
of the  
Circuit Court for Caroline County.

State of Maryland. Caroline County to wit: Whereas Isaac Harris hath  
made application to me for a Certificate of his freedom agreeably to law:  
And whereas on the oath of William E. Liden hath been proven that said  
Isaac Harris was free born. I do therefore grant this Certificate. He is  
now about twenty two years of age five feet five inches high or thereabout  
of a black Complexion was born and raised in the County and State  
aforesaid & has no notable marks or scars that I have observed.  
In Testimony Whereof I hereunto subscribe my name and affix the Seal  
of the Circuit Court for Caroline County the Eleventh day of July  
Anno Domini Eighteen Hundred and sixty.

Robert J. Jump Ck.  
of the  
Circuit Court for Caroline County.