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Just eight & a half inches high or thereabouts - was eighteen
years of age the thirteenth day of October eighteen hundred
and seventeen - was born & raised in Caroline County - is of a
bright Molatto complexion - has a large scar on the out-
side of the small of his right leg - and has no other notable
mark or scar that I have discovered -

In Testimony whereof I have hereto set my hand
and affixed the public seal of my office this 27th
day of July Anno Domini 1818

J. Richardson Clerk of
Caroline County Court

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit - Whereas -
application hath been made to me by a Molatto Lad named
Henry Trusty for a certificate of his freedom agreeable to an
act of the General Assembly of Maryland passed at November
Session eighteen hundred and seven, by which said act free
Negroes and Molattos are permitted to travel out of this state
upon their obtention of a certificate of being free born. And whereas
also upon the affirmation of Joseph Anthony of Caroline County
aforesaid that the said Molatto Lad Henry Trusty for whom
this certificate is made, was free born. I do therefore grant
his said application and hereby certify that he is five feet
four and a half inches high - was sixteen years of age the
twenty seventh day of August eighteen hundred and seven
- of a Molatto complexion - born & raised in Caroline County
aforesaid - has a long scar on his right hand on the fleshy
part between his thumb & forefinger - & lengthwise the hand and
no other notable mark or scar that I have observed -

In Testimony whereof I have hereto set my
hand and affixed the public seal of my office
this 27th day of July Anno Domini 1818

J. Richardson Clerk of Caroline County Court

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit - Whereas
application hath been made to me by a Molatto girl -
named Sarah Trusty for a certificate of her freedom -