

of Joseph Anthony of Caroline County aforesaid that the said
 Molatto boy William Trusty for whom this certificate is made
 was free born, I do therefore grant his said application and
 hereby certify that he is four feet two inches high or there-
 abouts - was seven years of age the twenty fifth day of
 September Eighteen hundred and seventeen of a molatto
 complexion - was born in Caroline County - and has no 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

John Richardson Clerk of Caroline County Court

State of Maryland Caroline County to wit, Whereas appli-
 cation hath been made to me by a Molatto boy named
 De Witt Clinton Trusty for a certificate of his freedom a-
 greed to an act of the General Assembly of Maryland -
 passed at November Session eighteen hundred and five
 by which said act free negroes & molattos are permitted
 to travel out of this state upon the obtainment of a certificate
 of being free born; And whereas also upon the affirmation of
 Joseph Anthony of Caroline County aforesaid that the said
 Molatto boy De Witt Clinton Trusty for whom this certificate
 is made was free born I do therefore grant his said application
 and hereby certify that he is three feet nine inches high or
 thereabouts - was five years of age the fifteenth day of December
 eighteen hundred and seventeen of a molatto complexion - born in
 Caroline County and has no 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
 John Richardson Clerk of Caroline County Court