

to be free on the 1st day of August Eighteen hundred and Twenty six and the said negro woman named Fender Thompson having made application to me for a certificate of her freedom agreeably to the act of Assembly in such Case made and provided and whereas also upon the oath of Edward B. Hurdcastle of Caroline County that the said negro woman named Fender Thompson 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 was thirty six years of age the thirty first day of August Eighteen hundred and Twenty six she is about five feet four inches high of a bright molatto complexion was born and raised in Caroline County and is lame in her right leg and no other notable marks or scars that I have observed In Testimony whereof I hereto subscribe my name and affix  the public seal of my Office this 25th day of April Anno Domini 1827

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State of Maryland Caroline County to wit: Whereas application hath been made to me by a coloured young man named William Stanford 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 molattos are permitted to travel out of this State upon the obtaining of a certificate of being free born and whereas also upon the oath of Thomas F. Boucke of Caroline County that the said Coloured young man named William Stanford for whom this certificate is made was free born I do therefore grant his said application and hereby certify that according to his own account he was nineteen years of age the Twentieth day of March last about five feet six inches high of a molatto complexion was born and raised in Caroline County and has a scar of a burn on the top of his left arm over the elbow joint and no other notable mark or scar that I have observed In Testimony whereof I hereto subscribe  my name and affix the public seal of my Office this 25th day of April Anno Domini 1827

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