

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent-County

This is to certify that a negro woman named Emma Francis Washington now present and applying for a certificate of freedom was born of a free woman and raised in Kent County and is now about nineteen years of age.
September 10th - 1855

James Graves

Emma is five feet three and three quarter inches high, of a light complexion, with a scar caused by a burn on the right wrist and her thumb on her left hand mashed

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J. F. Gordon Clk.

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent-County

I hereby certify that Henry Scott who is now present and applying for a certificate of freedom was free born and raised in Kent County and is now about twenty one years of age;

Witness

J. F. Gordon Jr.

Aranilla Collins

Sept. 19th - 1855

Henry is five feet eight inches high, of a light complexion, with a scar on the back of the right hand,

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J. F. Gordon Clk.

To the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent-County

This is to certify that Alphonsa Shield and Jane Louisa Shield who are now present & applying for a certificate of freedom were free born and raised in Kent County - Alphonsa was eighteen years old in March last, - and Jane Louisa was seventeen years old in August last

October 22nd - 1855

John Schwatka

Alphonsa is five feet three & one quarter inches high, of a dark complexion, with a large scar across the back of the right hand,

Jane Louisa is five feet & one half inches high, of a dark complexion with no visible mark

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