

Negro Jacob

State of Maryland, Howard County. to wit,
Shereby Certify that the bearer hereof Negro
Jacob (who calls himself Jacob Shields) five feet
^{seven} ~~five~~ inches high, about thirty nine years old
with a scar about three quarters of an inch long
on his forehead above the right eye and of a
dark complexion and pleasant countenance
free in the Year 1823 by virtue of a deed of
manumission made by John Living of Howard
County Clerk Executed on the tenth day of
August Eighteen hundred and thirty of
Record amongst the Land Record of Howard
County Court and the said Negro Jacob was
raised in said County - Testimony whereof
I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the
seal of my office this fiftenth day of August
in the Year of our Lord One thousand
Eight hundred and twenty eight.
Identified by the oath of the Court. Henry Dorsy of
of the Court. Steven a Archer. Clerk of Court.

Negro Charlotte

State of Maryland, Howard County to wit,
Shereby Certify that the bearer hereof Negro Charlotte
five feet five and a half inches high, about thirty nine
years old of a yellow complexion with a scar on
the top of the left arm, a little above the Elbow
and a scar on the right Elbow joint on the under
joint side of the arm, became free by virtue of a
manumission executed on the 18th day of November
1822. & recorded amongst the Land Records of Howard
County Court and the said Charlotte was raised in