

115 State of Maryland. Talbot County Court, I hereby
Certify that Thomas Gordon of Talbot County,
County and State came and proved to my satisfaction that the
bearer hereof a black man who calls himself
Sam, and who is about five feet eight inches
and a quarter of an inch high, twenty eight
years of age, a small scar over the inner corner
of his right eye - also two other scars on the right
side of his right leg, is the identical person
named in a manumission from Joseph Harden
to Sunday Negro, ^{to whose he should have given up to the age of 25 years -} which is duly acknowledged
and entered among the land records of Talbot
County (Md): and that he was raised in said
County, - In Testimony &c. this 12th Jan'y 1810
Goochman

State of Maryland Talbot County Court -

I hereby certify that Capt Brown of said
County and State came and proved to my
satisfaction that the bearer hereof a black man
who calls himself Simon Tippe, and who is now
about twenty two years of age, five feet five inches
high - one remarkable scar on the inside of
his left arm, about six inches from the
joint of his hand, One other small
Scar on his left hand in a direction
with and about two inches from the third
joint of his fore finger - also one other
small scar over his right eye - dark
Complexion was born free and that the
said Simon Tippe was raised in the
County & State (Md) - In Testimony &c.
this 26 March A.D 1810 Goochman