

State of Maryland } I hereby certify all persons whom it doth or may  
 Talbot County to wit } concern, that Tristan Bowdler of the Town  
 of Easton in said County, came and proved to my satisfaction that  
 the bearer hereof <sup>is</sup> a dark Brown negro woman named Rhody  
 aged thirty years and six months, five feet three inches ~~and~~  
 one eighth of ~~an~~ an inch high, very much pock broken in the  
 face, particularly about the mouth and nose, is the identical  
 negro woman <sup>set free by</sup> Margaret Barnaby of said County,  
 this second day of May, Eighteen hundred and eight,  
 and the said negro woman was born and raised in the  
 County <sup>apud</sup> — In Testimony <sup>of</sup>

2<sup>nd</sup> May 1808

State of Maryland } I hereby certify to all persons whom  
 Talbot County to wit } it doth or may concern, that  
 John Henry Esq of said County, came &  
 proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a  
 Black negro woman named Frank (alias) Fanny  
 aged ~~forty~~ <sup>two</sup> years or thereabouts, five feet four  
 inches and three quarters <sup>and</sup> high, <sup>has a</sup> large mouth  
 with four of her fore teeth out, and her upper teeth rather  
<sup>woman</sup> ~~protruded~~; is the identical negro, manumitted by  
 Patrick McQuay anno Domini fourteen hundred  
 & ninety one, and the said negro was born and  
 raised in the County <sup>apud</sup> — In Testimony <sup>of</sup>

17<sup>th</sup> May 1808