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State of Maryland Talbot County to wit-

I hereby Certify that Miss Sarah Work of said County and State aforesaid and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black Woman who calls herself Pally Steel and who is now about twenty eight years of age, four feet Eleven inches high, One large Scar of the left side of her breast, dark Complexion, is the identical Person named in a manuscript from Hugh Work, to be free on the first day of January, Eighteen Hundred, and that the said Pally Steel was raised in the County & State aforesaid, where the manuscript was duly enrolled among the Land records of said County.

In Testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed the ~~my~~ seal of my Office, this twenty fifth day of April A. D. Eighteen hundred and Ten.

Jacob Pooleman
Talbot County Court

State of Maryland, Talbot County, to wit,

I hereby Certify that Samuel Froth of the County and State aforesaid, came and proved to my satisfaction, that the bearer hereof a black man who calls himself Perth Simpson and who is now about fifty three years of age - five feet six inches and three quarters of an inch high - one large Scar about two inches above