To the Clerk of Kent County, Maryland.

The undersigned hereby certifies that Charles James (a colored man) formerly the servant of Martha Brown of Kent County, has served out his time of servitude in September last and is now entitled to a certificate of Manumission from the Clerk of this County. Charles was purchased from Martha Brown by me in the year 1841, and he has been in my possession since that time

George H. Wellson, J.P.
December 24th 1849

I hereby certify that negro man now present is the identical person mentioned above by the name Charles James.

Avarilla Collins
December 27th 1849

Charles is 5 feet 2 inches high, black complexion about 44 years old & has a scar on the left little finger. See Liber J. N. G. No 2 page 363, one of the Record Books of Kent County. Filed and recorded December 27th 1849 and certificate of freedom issued as follows.

State of Maryland, Kent County Set.

I Joseph Redue, Clerk of Kent County Court hereby certify, to all whom it doth or may concern, that it appears by the records of Kent County aforesaid, that a certain Martha Browne of the said County by her certain deed of Manumission, bearing date on the seventeenth day of September in the year Eighteen hundred and thirty five, did Manumit, liberate, set free and discharge from Slavery, a negro man named Charles, born on the 17th day of September in the year Eighteen hundred and five, I further certify that a negro man now present, (the bearer hereof) called and known by the name of Charles James aged about forty four years, five feet two inches high, of a black complexion and has a scar on the left little finger, has proved by testimony, which is satisfactory to me, that he is the identical person mentioned and described by the name of Charles in the deed of Manumission above referred to, and that he was raised in Kent County. In testimony whereof, I hereto subscribe my name and affix the seal of Kent County Court, this twenty seventh day of December, in the year Eighteen hundred and forty nine.

Seal of Kent County Court, Maryland

Joseph Redue, Clerk of Kent County Court, State of Maryland

Issued and recorded on the 27th day of December 1849.
By Joseph Redue, Clk.

To the Clerk of Kent County Court

I hereby certify that Robert Alexander Wilson, who is now present and applying for a certificate of freedom, was born free and raised in Kent County, is now about twenty one years of age and is of a light complexion, witness my hand this 27th December 1849

N. Thornton Hynson

Filed and recorded December 27th 1849, and certificate of freedom issued as follows.

Maryland Kent County Set.

I Joseph Redue, Clerk of Kent County Court, hereby certify, to all whom it doth or may concern, that it hath been proved by testimony, which is satisfactory to me, that the bearer hereof, a negro man named Robert Alexander Wilson aged about twenty one years, five feet 11½ inches high, of a light complexion with a scar on his left wrist just above the joint from a burn, was born free and raised in Kent County. In testimony whereof, I hereto subscribe my name and affix the seal of Kent County Court, this twenty seventh day of December in the year Eighteen hundred and forty nine.

Seal of Kent County Court, Maryland

Joseph Redue, Clerk of Kent County Court, Maryland

Issued and recorded on the 27th day of December 1849.
By Joseph Redue, Clk.

To the Clerk of Kent County Court

This is to certify that Mary Jane, who is now present and applying for a certificate of freedom is the identical person mentioned in a deed of Manumission executed by me, on this twenty ninth day of December in the year Eighteen hundred and forty nine, and which is filed this day for record.

December 29th 1849.

E. J. Meany

Filed and recorded December 29th 1849, and certificate of freedom issued as follows.

State of Maryland Kent County Set.

I Joseph Redue, Clerk of Kent County Court, hereby certify, to all whom it doth or may concern, that it appears by the records of Kent County aforesaid, that a certain Edward J. Meany of the said