John E Groome
raised in Balto Coty

On this 25th day of November 1843 Before me Clerk of Baltimore County Court personally appeared James Harris and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that John E Groome aged about 22 years dark complexion 5 feet 8½ inches has two large scars on the right foot, (one on his left and the other on the side near the little toe was born free in maryland & raised in Baltimore County

Thos Kellock.

Mary Buck
raised in Balto.

witness lives in Granby St. O. S. between Eutaw & Cansl Sts.

On this 14th day of December 1843 before me Clerk as aforesaid personally appeared Mrs. Mary Norris and made oath with the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that negro Woman Mary Buck aged about 26 years of dark Complexion five feet 3 — inches high has lost two of her front teeth from the upper Jaw. has no other notable marks or scars. was born free in Maryland & raised in Baltimore County

Thos Kellock.

John Jenkins
raised in Balto

witness lives in Chatsworth St.

On this 21st day of December 1843 before me Clerk as aforesaid personally appeared Wm Faithful and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that negro John Jenkins aged about 22 years of dark complexion five feet five inches high has a large scar on left side about 3 inches from breast nipple has another scar a little to the right of the centre of his breast and about 3 inches from below neck - his left arm broken no other marks or scars was born free in Maryland and raised in Baltimore County

Thos Kell Clerk

Lewis James Hinson
raised in Balto
John Wesley Hinson
raised in Balto

Wm Williams, shoemaker
Chesnut alley bet Pine & Pearl St

Jno K Law Custom House

On this 24th day of January 1844 before me Clerk of Balto City Court personally appeared William Williams and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that negro Lewis James Hinson aged about 22 years of light complexion 5 feet 6 inches high a scar on each side of the chin about ~~a~~ one inch from ~~each~~ the mouth has a scar on the left arm about midway between the elbow & the wrist was born of a woman who was free that he also knew his grandmother who was free also and that the said negro was born free in Anne Arundel County in Maryland and raised in Balto. At the same time appeared John K Law who made oath that he knew the mother of the said John Lewis Hinson to be a free woman at the time of the birth of the said Lewis James - the said William Williams also swears that negro John Wesley Hinson aged about 21 years was of ~~dar~~ bright complexion 5 feet 5 inches high has a scar on the left shin bone is another son that he knew his mother and grandmother to be free women prior to his birth and that the said John Wesley was born in Anne Arundel County State of Maryland raised in Balto County and the sd. John K Law makes oath that he knew the mother of the said John Wesley to be a free woman prior to the birth of said John Wesley

Thos Kell Clk

Benjamin Davis
born in Kent Co.

Witness lives Paca St. bet Lombard & Pratt

On this 23d day of February 1844 before me Clerk of Baltimore County Court personally appeared Mary Ann Ratliffe and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that negro Benjamin Davis aged about 21 years of dark complexion five feet eight inches high has a small scar on left arm near the elbow - has a cut on right ankle made by a cleaver - was born free in Maryland and raised in Kent Co.

Test Thos Kell Clk