Maryland Prince George County towit: 2d Septr 1837

Before me the subscriber a justice of the peace for said County appeared Richd. M. Waring and made oath on the Holy Evangely of Almighty God that Dorsey Brooks, the bearer hereof, was originally the property of Mrs. Elizabeth McDaniel and by her devised to Mrs. Martha Wheeler to serve for a term of years specified in said will, which said term has expired, and that he is entitled to a certificate of freedom — reference being had to the said will, will more fully appear — He is of a dark complexion feet inches high, and is to his knowledge the identical person named in the said will — sworn to the best of his knowledge and belief

before

Samuel Duvall