

Maryland Anne Arundel County town: Shirely  
Certify to all whom it doth or may concern that it  
hath been proved to my satisfaction that the  
bearer hereof a negro man named Charles  
Matthews aged about twenty four years about  
five feet seven inches high black  
complexion has a scar on the left arm above  
the wrist was free born, and raised in the  
County aforesaid

Given the 19<sup>th</sup> day of November 1819

Maryland Anne Arundel County town: Shirely  
Certify to all whom it doth or may concern  
that it hath been proved to my satisfaction  
that the bearer hereof a mulatto man named  
Bill Matthews aged about twenty one years  
about five feet five inches high black  
complexion has a scar on the right side of the  
neck was free born, and raised in the County aforesaid

Given the 19<sup>th</sup> day of November 1819

Maryland, Anne Arundel County town: Shirely  
Certify to all whom it doth or may concern that it  
hath been proved to my satisfaction that the bearer hereof  
since Hemmings aged about thirty one years about  
five feet two inches high very bright complexion  
has a small scar upon the right side of the neck and  
another upon the back of the right hand is the daughter  
person named by Louis Gasaway Esq and dated  
the twenty sixth day of November in the year of our  
Lord one thousand eight hundred and nineteen and  
that she was raised in the County aforesaid

Given the 27<sup>th</sup> day of November 1819

Maryland Anne Arundel County town: Shirely  
Certify to all whom it doth or may concern that