No 8.

In Pursuance of an Act of Assembly, intituled an Act for Regulating the Police of Towns in this Commonwealth and to restrain the Practice of Negroes going at large I John Chew Clerk of the Town of Fredericksburg. Do hereby certify that Neptune York a free negro, aged about Thirty seven Years, five feet 11 Inches & a half who was born free, is Registered in my Office agreeable to the Direction of the said Act: Certified this 31st day of May 1798

Attest

Jno. Chew.

One of the Aldermen of the said Town of Fredericksburgh.

Geo. French

At a Court held for Albemarle County the 6th Day of September 1802

The within Certificate was brought into Court & ordered to be Recorded

York & Neptune

Certificate Copy

Recorded

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