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MAYOR'S OFFICE,

Lancaster, Feb 29th 1823

I, SAMUEL CARPENTER, Mayor of the City of Lancaster, certify, that

Abraham Buge negro about *twenty* years of
age, residing *in north water street* in said City, by occupation a

Labourer has this day entered *for himself and his wife Maria*
in said office, agreeably to the directions of an ordinance of said City, entitled,

"An Ordinance prescribing Regulations concerning Free Persons of Colour."

Sam Carpenter
Mayor
[Signature]

Certificate

No

Abraham Bunt
& Maria his wife

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