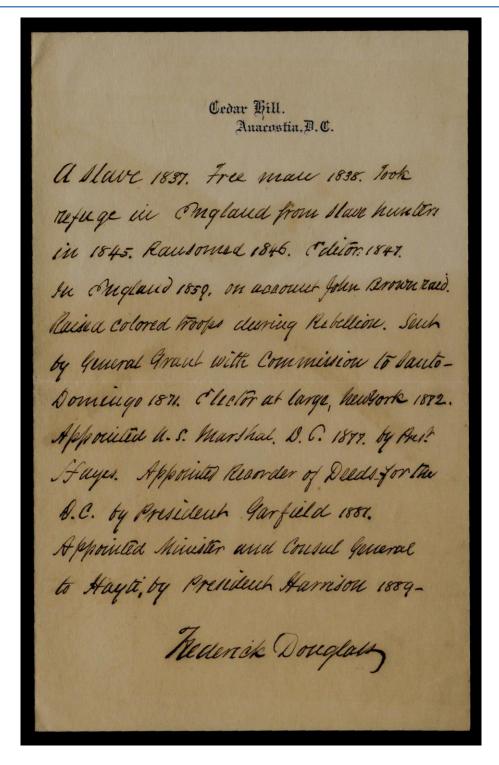
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[Anacostia, D.C.], ca. 1889. Autograph document signed, 1 page.

A slave 1837. Free man 1838. Took refuge in England from slave hunters in 1845. Ransomed 1846. Editor. 1847. In England 1859. on account John Brown raid. Raised colored troops during Rebellion. Sent by General Grant with Commission to Santo- Domingo 1871. Elector at large, New York 1872. Appointed U.S. Marshal. D.C. 1877. by Pres^t Hayes. Appointed Recorder of Deeds for the D.C. by President Garfield 1881. Appointed Minister and Consul General to Hayti, by President Harrison 1889 –

Frederick Douglass

Notes: Written on Cedar Hill, Anacostia, D.C. stationery.