

THE STATE OF MARYLAND.

IN BALTIMORE COUNTY ORPHANS' COURT,

John Russell a negro boy of the age of *twelve* years the *first* day of *September* last past, comes into Court;—and it being represented to the Court that the said *John Russell* is an Orphan unemployed and without means sufficient for his maintenance or support; and the Court being satisfied that said representation is true; and believing also that it would greatly conduce to the good of the said Orphan that he should be put to learn some trade or useful business.—

The said *John Russell* is therefore on this *17th* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty one*.
BOUND AS AN APPRENTICE, by *William Baker and James B. Price* Justices of the Orphans' Court for Baltimore County; to

Thomas Galloway until he the said *John Russell* shall arrive to the age of twenty-one years; And the said *Thomas Galloway* here present in Court, agrees to take the said *John Russell* as an apprentice, until he shall arrive to the said age:—And the said *Thomas Galloway* doth also on his part acknowledge himself bound, and by these presents doth contract, promise, and agree, to teach the said apprentice, the *trade of a Farmer & Householder* and to supply him with suitable clothing and maintenance, during his apprenticeship; and when free to give him the customary freedom dues.—And the said *Thomas Galloway* doth further contract, promise and agree, to have the said apprentice taught to read during his apprenticeship, or in lieu thereof give him the sum of thirty dollars when free in addition to the freedom dues required by law.

In witness whereof, We hereunto subscribe our names and affix our seals to this Indenture; this *17* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty one*.

Signed, sealed and delivered }
in the presence of
D. McKim

Wm Baker
James B. Price

Thomas Galloway



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