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FORM OF A CONTRACT

Between the Parent or Guardian and the Children's Aid Society of Baltimore, Md.

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BALTIMORE, MD., *October* 1, 1866.

For and in consideration of expenses already incurred by the Managers of the Children's Aid Society of Baltimore, and in consideration of their providing a *good* home, by adoption, or as member of the family of some suitable person in the country, I hereby agree to surrender over to the said Children's Aid Society of Baltimore, all claim to my child Edward Jones, who will be ten years of age on twenty-third day of November next, until he arrives at the age of twenty-one years; and I do hereby agee *and most solemnly promise* in the presence of the undersigned witnesses, that in consideration of the annexed promise made me by Wm. C. Palmer, Agent of said Children's Aid Society of Baltimore, to procure my son a good home in the country, and to watch over and protect him until he becomes of age, that I will in no case molest or trouble the family with whom he is placed, nor attempt to remove him without their consent, or the consent of the Managers of this Society.

EVAN JONES.

Witness, William Jos. Turner.   Residence, No. 45 — street.
Witness, Isaac M. Donaldson.   Residence, No. 47 — street.

BALTIMORE, MD. *October* 1, 1866.

On behalf of the Managers of the Children's Aid Society of Baltimore, I do hereby agree with, and do most solemnly promise Mr. Evan Jones, to use every effort in my power to procure his son Edward Jones, who will be ten years of age on the twenty-third day of November next, a *good* home, either by adoption, or as a member of the family of some suitable person in the country, and that I will continue to look after and protect him in the home to which he is sent by the Managers of the said Children's Aid Society of Baltimore as long as he is under our control, or until he arrives at the age of twenty-one years,

WM. C. PALMER, *Agent.*

Witness, George Shreck.   Residence, No. 135 Blank st.
Witness, Michael Ehrman,   Residence, No. 7 Blank st.