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William Baldwin  
Indenture to  
Peerce Curl.

This Indenture made this tenth day of  
January in the year of our Lord one  
thousand eight hundred and Sixty by  
and between William Baldwin (Colored)

of Howard County in the State of Maryland of the one part,  
and Peerce Curl of the County and State aforesaid of the  
other part. Witnesseth that the Said William Baldwin hath  
placed and bound out and by these presents doth place and  
bind out his daughter Emily Baldwin who on the fifteenth  
day of June next, will be of the age of Seven years, as an ap-  
prentice to the Said Peerce Curl, to learn the art trade and  
Mystery of General House Keeping after the manner of an  
Apprentice the Said Emily Baldwin to dwell with and serve  
the Said Peerce Curl from the date of these presents untill  
the fifteenth day of June when the Said Emily Baldwin  
shall attain to the age of Eighteen years during all which  
time and term the Said Emily Baldwin shall the Said Peerce  
Curl well and faithfully serve in all such lawful business  
as the Said Emily Baldwin shall be put unto by her Said  
Master according to the power and ability of her the Said  
Emily Baldwin and honestly and obediently in all things  
shall behave herself towards her Said Master and honestly  
and orderly towards the rest of the family of the Said Peerce  
Curl. And the Said Peerce Curl on his part does hereby  
promise Covenant and agree to teach and instruct the  
Said apprentice or Cause her to be taught and instructed  
in the art trade or Calling of a House Keeper by the best  
way or means he can. and shall well and faithfully find  
and provide for the Said apprentice good and sufficient meat  
Drink clothing Lodging and other necessaries fit and con-  
venient for such an apprentice during the term aforesaid  
and at the expiration thereof shall give unto the Said  
Apprentice two Suits of wearing apparel one Suitable for  
Sundays the other for working days.

In Testimony Whereof the Said William Baldwin and  
Peerce Curl have hereunto interchangeably set their hands  
and Seals.

Just date changed from Eighteen hundred  
and fifty nine to Eighteen hundred and  
Sixty before Signed  
Charles Soper  
Charles C. Soper

his  
William X Baldwin Seal  
Mark

Peerce Curl Seal