proved very much since he has been with me. I have had no just cause to scold him or threaten him with the whip. I am under the impression he will make a good farmer and a useful man. He can drive team, &c., and is perfectly satisfied with his home.

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Howard Co., Dec. 15th.

Indentured Jan. 5, 1858—aged 15 years.

J. A. W. has had no sickness since he has been with me. He attends Sunday school, and I intend to send him to day school on the first January. He attends church regularly. His morals and habits are pretty good—his aptness for learning his book is only tolerable—at his employments pretty good, considering. His general character for industry, application and obedience is pretty good—for truthfulness he is not so good as might be; but he has improved very much to what he used to be, and I still think he promises to make a good and useful man, if nothing should happen to him. W. D.

Baltimore, Dec. 10th.

Indentured August 15, 1857—aged 13 years.

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H— H— attends Sabbath school and church. His habits are very good, and he is very apt in learning his book and trade. He has improved very much, and his character is good for industry, application and truthfulness. The promise for the future is very good.

J. H.