

H———VILLE, Virginia.

*Indentured Nov. 11, 1859—aged 11 years.*

W —— H—— appears to be well satisfied. He is getting into the ways of the country and the farm as fast as I could expect. He has been a very good and obedient boy so far with me, but not so good about the house, particularly when there are children about. We have had no school here yet this winter but expect to have one in a few days.

J. P. H.

——— Co., November 28th.

*Indentured August 24, 1858—aged 17 years.*

We have no Sabbath school convenient, and I intend to send G—— to school this winter. I have been trying to learn him at home what I could. He goes to church occasionally. His morals are tolerably good. He has rather a stubborn disposition. He is rather apt to learn if he would apply himself. He is like most boys of his age, fond of his little amusements. I cannot say much about the promise of the future—at the present I will endeavor to discharge my duty towards him.

M. S.

HARFORD COUNTY, December 2d.

*Indentured January 18, 1859—aged 13 years.*

G —— C —— whom I have had about ten months is a pretty good boy, very obedient and well-disposed. He is, I