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for thirty One years
According to act of assembly in such case made and provided &c. Whereupon the said Bobo
Jarvis is sold by the Court here unto William Poughton of Somerset County Gent until he arrives at the
age of thirty One years the said Bobo Jarvis being three years of age the second day of February next
following the said Bobo Jarvis to serve his said Master his heirs or assigns the full term aforesaid -

In consideration whereof the said William Poughton pays to the use of the County aforesaid
fifty Shillings paper money of Maryland &c

Spence Hall
pet"

To The worshipfull the Justices of Somerset County now in Court sitting
The petition of Spence Hall most humbly sheweth That your petitioner hath a negro
woman Liley that is quite useless by Reason of a swelling in her body and that since Last January
she hath not done any manner of Service and she still grows worse and is very chargeable to your
petitioner. Your petitioner most humbly prays that your Worship would be pleased to set the said
negro free until such time as said negro amends &c. and your petitioner as in duty bound shall ever
pray The petition aforesaid being Read and heard and fully understood It is Considered
by the Court here that the aforesaid Negro woman Liley be set free for the future as by the petition aforesaid
is prayed &c

John Neill
pet"

Somerset Co. To the worshipfull the Justices of Somerset County Court now in Court sitting The humble
petition of John Neill sheweth That your petitioner has been in the practice of the Law the three Year Last
past in some of the Courts of the Government of Pennsylvania and having desire to have the Liberty of practicing
as an attorney of this worshipfull Court your petitioner therefore humbly prays he may be admitted here for that purpose.
and your petitioner shall ever pray

Whereupon all and singular the premises being seen and by the Justices here fully understood It is
Considered by the Justices here that the aforesaid John Neill take the Several Oaths directed by act of assembly
to be Taken to the Government and Subscribe the Oath of Abjuration, and Repeat the Declaration and Subscribe the same
agreeable to the same act of assembly &c.

There upon the said John Neill present here in Court in his proper person took the Several Oaths so
appointed by act of assembly to be Taken to the Government and repeated the Declaration and Subscribed the same
with the Oath of Abjuration, and took the Oath of an attorney &c. and thereupon the said John Neill is admitted to
practice as an attorney in this Court as by the petition aforesaid is prayed &c