

and tenements separately to be made and leised for the use of the said  
 Christopher Isaac Harris his heirs executors, administrators or assigns  
 upon Condition that the said William M. A. Lidon teach or cause the said  
 Christopher Isaac Harris to be taught the art, trade and mystery of farming  
 and to find and provide for his said apprentice during his servitude good  
 and sufficient meat drink washing lodging and apparel with  
 other necessary requisites during his said apprenticeship ~  
 And when free to give his said apprentice a suit of clothes worth  
 twenty dollars or that sum in cash current money as the said ap-  
 prentice may choose then this recognizance to be void else to be  
 and remain in full force and virtue in law ~ Taken and acknowled-  
 ed in open Court this fifth day of September in the year of our Lord  
 one thousand eight hundred and forty eight ~

Test, W. A. Ford, Regs of Mills  
 for Caroline County

The Court binds John Chase (negro) to James Truckson (negro) until he  
 attains the age of twenty one years he being eight years of age on the fif-  
 teenth day of October last ~ Whereupon the said James Truckson together  
 with William M. A. Lidon and Jacob L. Wilson who were offered as his securities  
 and approved of by the Court do acknowledge themselves to owe and stand  
 justly indebted to the said John Chase in the sum of forty pounds  
 current money of their bodies goods and chattels lands and tenements sep-  
 arately to be made and leised for the use of the said John Chase, his  
 heirs executors administrators or assigns ~ Upon condition that the  
 said James Truckson teach or cause the said John Chase to be taught  
 the art, trade and mystery of farming and to find and provide for his  
 said apprentice during his servitude good and sufficient meat, drink  
 washing lodging and apparel with other necessary requisites during  
 his said apprenticeship ~ And when free to give his said ap-  
 prentice a suit of cloths worth twenty dollars or that sum in cash  
 current money as the said apprentice may choose and also the sum  
 of thirty dollars in cash current money then this recognizance  
 to be void else to be and remain in full force and virtue in law  
 Taken and acknowledge in open Court this nineteenth day of Jan-  
 uary in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and

thirty six ~  
 W. A. Ford, Regs of Mills for Caroline County  
 True Copy from Liber W. A. Ford No 13. folios 485 one of the record books belonging to the  
 Registry of the Orphans Court of Caroline County ~

Test, W. A. Ford, Regs of Mills for Caroline County  
 Know all men by these presents That I James Truckson (negro) of Caroline County  
 for and in consideration of the sum of fifty dollars current money of Maryland to me in  
 hand paid by Hall Bonnell of Caroline County in the State of Maryland do hereby assign  
 to the said Bonnell, the negro of pretice John Chase named in the within indenture  
 with the approbation of the Orphans Court of the said County first had according  
 to the acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided ~ In witness my hand  
 and seal this fifth day of September eighteen hundred and forty eight ~  
 Test, W. A. Ford, Regs of Mills  
 Caroline County Orphans Court } The foregoing Copy of Indenture and  
 The 5th day of September 1848 } assignments thereon was duly examined  
 by the Court, approved and ordered to be recorded ~  
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W. A. Ford, Regs of Mills  
 for Caroline County  
 Know all men by these presents, That I John Talbot Guardian for Charles B. Smith and  
 Elizabeth A. Smith, have received of Thomas A. Turner administrator of James C. A. Turner  
 late of Caroline County deceased the sum of two hundred and forty five dollars  
 seventy four and one fourth of a cent current money of Maryland, and which is  
 in full payment and satisfaction for my wards second distributive share of the  
 estate of said deceased made in the Registry of the Orphans Court of Caroline  
 County on the eleventh day of Feb, 1848 ~ In witness whereof I have hereunto  
 set my hand and seal this twelfth day of July 1848 ~  
 Test John Talbot (Seal)

State of Maryland Caroline County Set ~ Do it remembered that on this  
 twelfth day of July 1848 before me the subscribers one of the State of Maryland  
 Justices of the Peace in and for County aforesaid personally appeared John Talbot  
 and did acknowledge the foregoing instrument of writing to be his act and deed  
 according to the purport, tenor, intent and meaning thereof according to the  
 acts of Assembly in such cases made & provided ~  
 Caroline County Orphans Court } J. M. Bernard J. P.  
 The 19th day of September 1848 } The foregoing receipt was duly examined  
 by the Court approved and ordered to be recorded ~