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<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Elizabeth Manering, a White girl <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Thirteen years, six months, and seven days <b>Residence:</b> Smyrna, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Francis Hover; Simon Spearman <b>Relationship:</b> A Justice of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware; A Trustee of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Patrick Griffin, his executors, administrators, and assigns <b>Residence:</b> Smyrna, Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b> Housewifery</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the say of the date hereof (July 7, 1829) <b>End term:</b> Four years, five months, and twenty-three days, or until she shall arrive at the age of eighteen years if that shall happen sooner <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to her condition, one of which shall be new <b>Education:</b> Elizabeth is to be given a reasonable education in reading, writing, and arithmetic <b>Notes:</b> Elizabeth has no parents residing in the state. She has not property sufficient for her maintenance</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 7, 1829  <b>Entry 173</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Abraham Truax, a White boy <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Seven years, six months, and twenty-seven days <b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Francis Hover; Simon Spearman <b>Relationship:</b> A Justice of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware; A Trustee of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> John Palmatary, his executors, administrators and assigns <b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b> Farming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (May 1, 1829) <b>End term:</b> Thirteen years, five months, and three days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one if that shall happen sooner <b>End Term Goods:</b></p>	<p><b>Date:</b> May 1, 1829  <b>Entry 174</b></p>

			<p>Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition, one of which shall be new and of cloth</p> <p><b>Education:</b> Abraham Truax is to be given a reasonable education in reading, writing, and arithmetic.</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Abraham has no parents residing in the state. He has not property sufficient for his maintenance.</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> John Truax, a White boy</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Ten years, three months and ten days</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Francis Hover; Simon Spearman</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> A Justice of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware; A Trustee of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Henry Hoffecker, his executors, administrators, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Farming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (May 1, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Ten years, eight months, and twenty-one days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition, one of which shall be new and of cloth</p> <p><b>Education:</b> The apprentice is to be given a reasonable education in reading, writing and arithmetic</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> This entry is listed as the first of two entries with the number 176. John Truax has no</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> May 1, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 175</b></p>

			parents residing in the state. He has not property sufficient for his maintenance.	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Moses Roberts, Negro</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Five years and three months</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Moses Roberts, (Sr.), Negro</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Father</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> James Spear, his heirs and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Farming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (June 20, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Fifteen years and nine months</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two good suits of clothes</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> The apprentice shall not embezzle or lend at any unlawful games, shall not play taverns, tippling houses or houses of bad fame, shall not frequent fornication or commit matrimony contract in the term of service, and shall not absent himself without the consent of James Spear. James Spear is to pay Moses Roberts (father) ten dollars in cash.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> June 20, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 176</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> David Estill</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> David Estill</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Self</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Lewis M Bell</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Little Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Shipwright</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (June 15, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Five years and eleven months</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two good new suits</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> June 15, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 177</b></p>

			<p>of clothing</p> <p><b>Education:</b> Apprentice shall be provided with six months schooling</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Apprentice shall not embezzle or lend at any unlawful games, shall not play taverns, tipping houses or houses of bad fame, shall not frequent fornication or commit matrimony contract in the term of service, and shall not absent himself without consent of Lewis M Bell.</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Lydia Ann Risdon, Negro girl</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Five years, two months, and eighteen days</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Francis Hover and William Ringgold</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Two Justices of the Peace for Kent Count, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Simon Spearman &amp; Mary Spearman his wife, their executors, administrators and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Smyrna, Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Servant</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (June 13, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Twelve years, nine months, and twelve days, or until she shall arrive at the age of eighteen years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to her condition</p> <p><b>Education:</b> Lydia Ann Risdon is to be given six months education in reading and writing during her term of servitude</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Lydia Ann Risdon is the daughter of a free</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> June 13, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 178</b></p>

			Negro man named Solomon Risdon. She has not property sufficient for her maintenance, and has not parents able to maintain her and bring her up to industry and suitable employment.	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Ezekiel Hazzard, Negro boy  <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Four years, six months, and sixteen days  <b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Francis Hover; Simon Spearman  <b>Relationship:</b> A Justice of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware; A Trustee of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> James Raymond, his executors, administrators, and assigns  <b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Trade:</b> Servant</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (May 21, 1829)  <b>End term:</b> Sixteen years, five months, and fourteen days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner  <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition, one of which shall be new and of cloth  <b>Education:</b> None stated  <b>Notes:</b> Ezekiel Hazzard is the son of a free Negro man named Sheppard Hazzard. Ezekiel has not property sufficient for his maintenance, and has not parents able to maintain him and bring him up to industry and suitable employment. On March 4, 1845 this</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> May 21, 1829   <b>Entry 179</b></p>

			indenture was transferred from James Raymond to George W. Cummins, his executors and administrators.	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Caleb Williams, a poor boy <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Not stated <b>Residence:</b> Mispillion Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Daniel Godwin; Molton Rickards <b>Relationship:</b> Two Justices of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Samuel Wise <b>Residence:</b> Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b> Cord winding</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> Not stated <b>End term:</b> Six years and eight months, or until he shall arrive to the full age of twenty-one years <b>End Term Goods:</b> See 'Notes'. <b>Education:</b> To be given nine months schooling within the said time <b>Notes:</b> Caleb Williams is to be given one new suit of clothes over and above his common clothing to be worth or cost twenty dollars. (When this is be given is not specifically stated, however, most likely it is to be given at the end of Caleb's servitude as was the practice of the era.)</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 15, 1829  <b>Entry 180</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Perry Rust, a poor Black boy <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Fourteen years old <b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Daniel Godwin; Molton Rickards <b>Relationship:</b> Two Justices of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Liston A Houston, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns <b>Residence:</b> Mispillion Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> Not stated <b>End term:</b> Seven years or until he shall arrive at the full age of twenty-one years <b>End Term Goods:</b> When free, he is to be given a freedom</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> May 30, 1829  <b>Entry 181</b></p>

		<b>Trade:</b> Servant	<p>suit of clothes over and above his everyday clothes to be worth twenty dollars or in lieu thereof, twenty dollars in cash.</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Perry Rust is not able to take care of himself and is now liable to become a county charge. Liston A Houston, et al are to provide for Perry Rust so that he shall not become any way chargeable to the county.</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Elizabeth Todd, Negro</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> March 15, 1829; Eight years old</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Mariah Todd, a Colored woman</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> William Thompson and his wife PCetty (or Ketty or Kitty, or City) Ann</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Common labor</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (March 15, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Until she arrives at eighteen years of age</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> She is to receive the cow previously delivered to her mother. She is to be discharged when free with all of her common clothing and a new freedom suit.</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> A cow is to be delivered to the mother, Mariah Todd, at this time of binding. Elizabeth Todd is to have the cow with the</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> March 25, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 182</b></p>

			increase when free.	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Stephen Scott, a White boy <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Four years and thirteen days <b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> John D Anderson; Simon Spearman <b>Relationship:</b> Two Trustees of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Daniel George, Jr., his executors, administrators, and assigns <b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b> Farming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (July 13, 1829) <b>End term:</b> Sixteen years, eleven months, and seventeen days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years if that shall happen sooner <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition, one of which shall be of cloth and new <b>Education:</b> Apprentice is to be given a reasonable education in reading, writing, and arithmetic. <b>Notes:</b> Stephen Scott has no parents residing in the state, and has not property sufficient for his maintenance</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 13, 1829  <b>Entry 183</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Margaret Meredith, a White girl <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Five years, six months, and thirteen days <b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> John D. Anderson; Simon Spearman <b>Relationship:</b> Two Trustees of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Daniel George, Jr., his executors, administrators, and assigns <b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b> Housewifery</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (July 13, 1829) <b>End term:</b> Twelve years, five months, and seventeen days, or until she shall arrive at the age of eighteen years, if that shall happen sooner <b>End Term Goods:</b></p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 13, 1829  <b>Entry 184</b></p>



			Two suits of clothes suitable to her condition, one of which shall be new <b>Education:</b> Apprentice is to be given a reasonable education in reading, writing, and arithmetic <b>Notes:</b> Margaret Meredith has no parents residing in the state, and has not property sufficient for her maintenance.	
<b>Apprentice:</b> John Dewall <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Not stated <b>Residence:</b> Not stated	<b>Apprenticed by:</b> John Dewall <b>Relationship:</b> Self	<b>Apprenticed to:</b> John W. Clift & Co. <b>Residence:</b> Not stated <b>Trade:</b> Coach painting	<b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof, March 1, 1829 <b>End term:</b> Two years from March 1, 1829 <b>End Term Goods:</b> Apprentice is to be discharged with all of his clothing that he may have at the time of his freedom <b>Education:</b> None stated <b>Notes:</b> See 'Date'.	March 1, 1829  <b>Entry 185</b>
<b>Apprentice:</b> George Potter, a poor boy <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Not stated <b>Residence:</b> Mispillion Hundred, Kent County, Delaware	<b>Apprenticed by:</b> Daniel Godwin; Molton Rickards <b>Relationship:</b> Two Trustees of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware	<b>Apprenticed to:</b> Isaac Davis, Jr. of B _____ <b>Residence:</b> Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b> Farming	<b>Start term:</b> Not stated <b>End term:</b> Eleven years, three months, and fifteen days, or until he shall arrive to the full age of twenty-one years <b>End Term Goods:</b> One entire new suit of clothes over and above his everyday	<b>Date:</b> July 13, 1829  <b>Entry 186</b>

			<p>clothing to be worth twenty dollars</p> <p><b>Education:</b> To be given eleven months schooling</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> The apprentice is to be provided for so that he not in any way be chargeable to the county.</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Matilda Daker, Negro</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Nine years, two months, and two days</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Darcas Daker (female), a free Negro of Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Samuel M Wharton, his executors, administrators, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Domestic employment</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (July 4, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Eight years, nine months, and twenty-eight days, or until she shall arrive at the age of eighteen years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to her condition, and eight dollars</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Samuel M Wharton is to pay Darcas Daker (mother) six dollars in cash immediately</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 4, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 187</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> John Douglas, a poor Negro boy</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Four years and six months</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Nathaniel Coombe; Jacob Biddle</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> A Justice (should read Trustee) of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware; A Justice of the Peace for Kent</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Andrew Calley, his executors, administrators, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Farming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (June 9, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Sixteen years and six months, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b></p>	<p><b>Date:</b> June 9, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 188</b></p>

	County, Delaware		Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition <b>Education:</b> None stated <b>Notes:</b> John Douglas has no parents of sufficient ability to raise him and educate him. Andrew Calley is to pay John Rothwell, Negro, the sum of six dollars and one bushel of wheat for the trouble and expense they have had with said child John Douglas since his mother left him with them.	
<b>Apprentice:</b> Michael Guy, Negro boy <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Eighteen years, nine months, and twenty-six days <b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware	<b>Apprenticed by:</b> Joseph Jenkins; Nathaniel Coombe <b>Relationship:</b> A Justice of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware; A Trustee of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware	<b>Apprenticed to:</b> Cornelius W. Prettyman, his executors, administrators, and assigns <b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b> Servant	<b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date of this Indenture <b>End term:</b> Two years, two months, and four days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes, one of which shall be new <b>Education:</b> None stated <b>Notes:</b> The father of Michael Guy is present at this procedure, but his name is not mentioned. Michael's father has not property sufficient for	<b>Date:</b> June 12, 1829  <b>Entry 189</b>

			Michael's maintenance.	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> James Adam Davies</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Eight years, eleven months, and nineteen days</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Susan Davis</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Simon Spearman</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Husbandry</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (July 30, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Twelve years and eleven days</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two good suits of clothing when free, one of which shall be new</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Susan Davies is the wife of William Davies who departed the state one year past, and she believes he has abandoned her and their children. Simon Spearman is to secure to said servant (James Adam Davies) a lot of ground which shall not cost more than twenty-five dollars, and shall expend on the said lot of ground fifteen dollars in work and materials towards putting up a dwelling house on said lot.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 30, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 190</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Frances Dixon or Chambers</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Eleven years, eleven months, and</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Francis Hover; Simon Spearman</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> A Justice of the Peace for Kent County,</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Sibby (Sibia) Cummins and Daniel G. Lockwood, their executors, administrators,</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (July 14, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Six years and eleven days, or until she shall arrive</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 14, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 191</b></p>

<p>nineteen days  <b>Residence:</b>  Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p>Delaware; A Trustee of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p>and assigns  <b>Residence:</b>  Smyrna, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Trade:</b> Servant</p>	<p>at the age of eighteen years, if that shall happen sooner  <b>End Term Goods:</b>  Two suits of clothes suitable to her condition, one of which shall be new. Frances Chambers arrives at the age of eighteen years she is to be paid ten dollars.  <b>Education:</b> None stated  <b>Notes:</b> Frances Dixon is the daughter of a free Negro woman named Hannah Chambers. Frances has not property sufficient for her maintenance and has not parents able to maintain her and bring her up to industry and suitable employment.</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b>  Fonrose Taylor  <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Not stated  <b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b>  Fonrose Taylor with the approbation of Nehemiah Clark  <b>Relationship:</b>  Self; Guardian</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b>  Benjamin Benson and Samuel Catts  <b>Residence:</b>  Town of Smyrna in Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Trade:</b> Coach painting</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (July 22, 1829)  <b>End term:</b> Six years, six months, and twenty-one days  <b>End Term Goods:</b>  <b>Education:</b> During the term of the apprenticeship, the apprentice is to be given six months night schooling or eighteen dollars, at the option of the</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 22, 1829  <b>Entry 192</b></p>

			apprentice. <b>Notes:</b> None	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Volney L. Williams <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Not stated <b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Volney L. Williams; with the approbation of Nehemiah Clark <b>Relationship:</b> Self; Father</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Benjamin Benson and Samuel Catts <b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b> Coach making</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (July 22, 1829) <b>End term:</b> Three years, four months, and twenty-five days <b>End Term Goods:</b> At the end of the term of the apprenticeship the apprentice is to be given six months night schooling or eighteen dollars, at the option of the apprentice. <b>Education:</b> See 'End Term Goods'. <b>Notes:</b> This Indenture was executed with the presence and approbation of Frances Hover, one of the Justices of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 22, 1829  <b>Entry 193</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> George Peterson, Negro <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Two years, ten months, and four days <b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Temporance Peterson, a free woman of Color <b>Relationship:</b> Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> William Keith, his executors, administrators, and assigns <b>Residence:</b> Not stated <b>Trade:</b> Servant</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> Not stated <b>End term:</b> Eighteen years, ten months, and twenty-six days or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition <b>Education:</b> None</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 22, 1829  <b>Entry 194</b></p>

			stated <b>Notes:</b> None	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> John Anderson</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Four years, three months, and seventeen days</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Elender Suthel, a widower of Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware; with the approbation of Barratt P. Conner</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Father; a Justice of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Risdon Cook, his executors, administrators, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Servant</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Until he shall arrive to the full age of twenty-one years</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of wearing apparel suitable to his condition, one of which is to be new and worth fifteen dollars</p> <p><b>Education:</b> The apprentice is to be given during the his time of service one year schooling, six months of which is to be given within the two last years of his apprenticeship</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> None</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 4, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 195</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> James Adkins, Negro</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Ten years, four months and twelve days</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Mispillion Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Boaz Adkins, a free Negro of Mispillion Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Father</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Manlove Hayes, his son (Manlove Hayes), executors, administrators, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Little Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Farming and domestic employment</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (August 24, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Ten years, seven months, and eighteen days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Manlove Hayes (Sr.) gives Boaz Adkins a note</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> August 24, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 196</b></p>

			he held on him for fifty-five bushels of corn, and pays a debt that he (Boaz Adkins) owes to Reuben Turner of about sixty dollars.	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Manuel Laws, Negro</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Eight years</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Manuel Laws (Sr.), a free Negro of Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Father</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Samuel Chambers, his wife, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Husbandry or farming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (August 10, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Thirteen years, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> The name of the wife of Samuel Chambers is not provided.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> August 10, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 197</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Cosden W. Johnston</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b></p> <p><b>Residence:</b></p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> George Cabbage; then to John Vanburcolo or Vanburcklow</p>		<p><b>Notes:</b> <b>Entry 198 is an order of discharge from apprenticeship issued by Thomas Clayton, Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas of the state of Delaware. The Petition is of Cosden W. Johnston by his next friend (attorney?) Caleb Johnston. It outlines that a Henry Carter in or about 1823, bound</b></p>	<p><b>Date:</b> August 21, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 198</b></p>



			<p>Cosden W. Johnston as an indenture as a servant to George Cabbage. George Cabbage has since deserted the state and is now absent from the state of Delaware, and Cosden W. Johnston is now being held to common labor by a John Vanburcolo. John Vanburcolo believes that he is entitled to the apprentice by the authority of George Cabbage. However, the document states that by reason of desertion of George Cabbage, George Cabbage had no power or authority to assign or transfer the apprentice (petitioner) to any other person, and therefore the original Apprenticeship is void. It was determined that John Vanburcklow had no right to claim the apprentice. John Vanburcklow was ordered to pay the costs of this proceeding. After a summons was issued and several delays, the</p>	
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			<b>proceeding ended September 7, 1829.</b>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> John Daker, Negro boy  <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Fifteen years, eleven months, and twenty-three days  <b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Joseph Jenkins; Nathaniel Coombe  <b>Relationship:</b> A Justice of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware; A Trustee of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> John Clark, his executors, administrators, and assigns  <b>Residence:</b> Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Trade:</b> Servant</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (July 25, 1829)  <b>End term:</b> Five years, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one, if that shall happen sooner  <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes, one of which shall be new  <b>Education:</b> None stated  <b>Notes:</b> The father and mother of John Daker are deceased. He has not property sufficient for his maintenances</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> July 25, 1829   <b>Entry 199</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Edward Covington  <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Seventeen years, eleven months, and nine days  <b>Residence:</b> Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Edward Covington  <b>Relationship:</b> Self</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Jessee S. Burton, his executors, administrators and assigns  <b>Residence:</b> Town of Dover, Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Trade:</b> Harness making and trimming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (September 21, 1829)  <b>End term:</b> Three years and twenty-two days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one, if that shall happen sooner  <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition  <b>Education:</b> Six months schooling  <b>Notes:</b> None</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> September 21, 1829   <b>Entry 200</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Samuel D Smith  <b>Birth Date or</b></p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Samuel D Smith  <b>Relationship:</b></p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Jessee S. Burton, his executors,</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (September</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> September 24, 1829</p>

<p><b>age:</b> Eighteen years, one month, and fourteen days  <b>Residence:</b> Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p>Self</p>	<p>administrators, and assigns  <b>Residence:</b> Town of Dover, Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Trade:</b> Coach painting</p>	<p>24, 1829)  <b>End term:</b> Two years, ten months, and sixteen days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner  <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition  <b>Education:</b> Four months of schooling  <b>Notes:</b> None</p>	<p><b>Entry 201</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> James Delahunt, a White boy  <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Seven years and three months  <b>Residence:</b> Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Hughett Layton and John Woddle (or Woodle)  <b>Relationship:</b> Two Trustees of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> William Davis, his executors, administrators, and assigns  <b>Residence:</b> Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Trade:</b> Farming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof  <b>End term:</b> Thirteen years and nine months, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner  <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition, one of which shall be of good cloth and new  <b>Education:</b> To be given a reasonable education in reading and writing  <b>Notes:</b> James Delahunt has no parents residing in the state, and he has not property sufficient for his maintenances.  <b>There is a note at the end of this entry that states:</b>  <b>“See the discharge</b></p>	<p><b>Date:</b> September 7, 1829  <b>Entry 202</b></p>

			<b>of the above named apprentice James Dillehunt – this Book folio 213-“</b>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Benjamin Fisher  <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Eleven years  <b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Deborah Fisher, a free Negro of Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Relationship:</b> Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Joseph G. Rowland, his executors, administrators, and assigns  <b>Residence:</b> New Castle County, Delaware  <b>Trade:</b> Servant</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (August 15, 1829)  <b>End term:</b> Ten years or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner  <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition  <b>Education:</b> To be given one year schooling/education in reading and writing  <b>Notes:</b> Benjamin Fisher is stated to be a “legitimate child”.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> August 15, 1829   <b>Entry 203</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> (Nathaniel M. Jones), Miels Jones - See ‘Notes’.  <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Fifteen years  <b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Nathaniel Jones  <b>Relationship:</b> Father</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Joshua Deputy  <b>Residence:</b> Not stated  <b>Trade:</b> Tin making</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (September 28, 1829)  <b>End term:</b> Six years  <b>End Term Goods:</b> None stated  <b>Education:</b> To be given one year schooling within the time of his service, one quarter each year until the year is made up by quarters  <b>Notes:</b> The entry initially names the father, Nathaniel</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> September 28, 1829   <b>Entry 204</b></p>

			<p><b>M. Jones, as the apprentice, however the document later states that Nathaniel is the father of Miels Jones. It is the father's seal that is provided affirming the apprenticeship.</b></p> <p>This Indenture was signed, sealed, and delivered in Kent County, Delaware.</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Charly or Charles Manship <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Seventeen <b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Charles Manship <b>Relationship:</b> Self</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> John Lofland <b>Residence:</b> Not stated <b>Trade:</b> Tailoring</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (September 8, 1829) <b>End term:</b> Two years and no longer <b>End Term Goods:</b> None stated <b>Education:</b> To be given four months schooling <b>Notes:</b> John Lofland is to pay Charles per year twenty-five (dollars?? – not stated). This Indenture was executed in Kent County, Delaware.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> September 8, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 205</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> John Griffith, a poor White boy <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Not stated <b>Residence:</b> Mispillion Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Daniel Godwin and Molton Rickards <b>Relationship:</b> Two Justices of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Joseph Clandaniel and his heirs <b>Residence:</b> Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b> Farming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> Not stated <b>End term:</b> Eight years or until he shall arrive at the full age of twenty-one years <b>End Term Goods:</b> One full suit of clothes, all of which</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> September 7, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 206</b></p>

			<p>shall be new, over and above his common clothing, to be worth or cost twenty dollars</p> <p><b>Education:</b> To be given eight months schooling within the said time</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Joseph Clandaniel and his heirs are to provide for the apprentice so that he be not any way chargeable to the county.</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Ruth Ann Minors, Negro</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Mispillion Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Daniel Godwin and Molton Rickards</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Two Justices of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Annias Dennes, his heirs and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Housewifery</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Six years or until she shall arrive at the age of eighteen years</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> One entire new suit of clothes over and above her common clothing to be worth or cash twelve dollars</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> The apprentice is to be provided for so that she will not be in any way chargeable to the county.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> August 29, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 207</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Benjamin White, Negro</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Six years and six months</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Dover Hundred, Kent County,</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Rachel White, a Negro of Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Jessee Ennis, his executors, administrators, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Farming and husbandry</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (November 13, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Fourteen years and six months, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> November 13, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 208</b></p>

Delaware			<p>years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition, and Jesse Ennis is to give Rachel White (mother) eight dollars cash</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> On February 27, 1837, Jesse Ennis transferred this Indenture over to Henry Taylor, his heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns.</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Sally White, Negro</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Twelve years, ten months, and eighteen days</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Rachel White, a Negro of Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Jessee Ennis, his executors, administrators, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Housework, Spinning, Knitting</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (November 13, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Five years, one month, and twelve days, or until she shall arrive at the age of eighteen years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to her condition, and Jesse Ennis is to pay Rachel White (mother) three dollars in cash and two cotton dresses and bibs</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> None</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> November 13, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 209</b></p>
<b>Apprentice:</b>	<b>Apprenticed by:</b>	<b>Apprenticed to:</b>	<b>Start term:</b> From	<b>Date:</b> October

<p>Thomas Downham  <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Seventeen years and four days  <b>Residence:</b> Camden, Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p>Richard Downham of Camden, Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Relationship:</b> Father</p>	<p>Jabez Jenkins and James Catts, their executors, administrators, assigns  <b>Residence:</b> Camden, Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Trade:</b> Harness making and trimming</p>	<p>the day of the date hereof (October 29, 1829)  <b>End term:</b> Three years, eleven months, and twenty-six days or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner  <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition  <b>Education:</b> The apprentice is to be given six months schooling; three months of the six months schooling is to be given to him in the last years of his term or time.  <b>Notes:</b> None</p>	<p>29, 1829  <b>Entry 210</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> William Wilson, Junior  <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Twelve years, three months, and twenty-one days  <b>Residence:</b> Camden, Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> William Wilson a carpenter of Camden, Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Relationship:</b> Father</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Jabez Jenkins and James Catts (Coach Makers), their executors, administrators, and assigns  <b>Residence:</b> Camden, Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware  <b>Trade:</b> Harness making and trimming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (October 29, 1829)  <b>End term:</b> Eight years, eight months, and twenty-four days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years if that shall happen sooner  <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition  <b>Education:</b> The apprentice is to be given six months schooling, three months of the six months is to be given in the last year of his time.  <b>Notes:</b> This entry</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> October 29, 1829  <b>Entry 211</b></p>



			<p>ends with an addendum that is incomplete. It states that Jabez Jenkins has survived James Catts, deceased. It appears that there is now a change being made to the Indenture. However, given the mutilated status of the addendum, the exact nature of the change being made is uncertain. The date of this addendum appears to be February 11, 1835.</p>	
			<p><b>Notes: This entry is a Bond of Indemnity from Judah Manlove and Edmond Donovan of Kent County, Delaware. They are paying to the state of Delaware or its proper representatives the sum of one hundred and sixty dollars. They bind themselves, their heirs, executors, and administrators. The condition of this obligation is that if any of the abovementioned shall indemnify the Trustees of the Poor of each county in the state of Delaware from all cost and expenses for the maintenance of a poor black boy by the name of John Manlove (age six years), son of the above named Judah Manlove, and if the</b></p>	<p><b>Date:</b> September 28, 1829 <b>Entry 212A</b></p>

			said boy is kept off the county and state, then this obligation is to be void. Otherwise it is to be and remain in full force.	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> George Manlove</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Born February 15, 1821</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Juday (Judy) Manlove, a Colored woman</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Edmond Dunifin and his wife Mary Dunifin</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Common labor</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Eleven years from February 15, 1830</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Edmond Dunifin is to pay Judy Manlove seven dollars and fifty cents for said child. This Indenture was executed in Kent County, Delaware.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> September 28, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 212 B</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> James Dillehunt</p>			<p><b>Notes:</b> This entry is a Petition and Summons. Elijah McDowell, a Constable of Kent County, Delaware, was given a summons for William Davis, James Dillehunt (the complainant), Amelia Broxton his mother and next friend. They are to appear before the Chancellor at the Chamber of the Chancellor on November 9, 1829. Witnesses were heard from on both sides and the</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> November 17, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 213 - 214</b></p>

			<p>hearing was then adjourned until November 12, 1829, and that hearing was adjourned until November 17, 1829 to be held at the court house in Dover. At that time the Chancellor decided that based on the information presented, that the Indenture of James Dillehunt is invalid because his mother, Amelia Broxton, was not present on September 7, 1829 when the Trustees of the Poor bound her son in the Indenture, and she never solicited them to do so, i.e. it was done without her knowledge and consent. Therefore James Dillehunt was discharged. William Davis was charged to pay all of the costs of this Petition.</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> James Dillehunt, a White child <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Seven, five months, and sixteen days <b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Nicholas Ridgely <b>Relationship:</b> Chancellor of the State of Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> William Davis, his executors, administrators, and assigns <b>Residence:</b> Dover Hundred, Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b></p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the date of these presents (i.e. the date of this document) <b>End term:</b> Thirteen years, six months, and fourteen days, or until he shall arrive at the age of</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> November 23, 1829  <b>Entry 215 - 216</b></p>

		<p>Husbandry</p>	<p>twenty-one years</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition, one of which shall be new and of good cloth mad of woolen yarn without any mixture of cotton yarn or thread, or flaxen yarn or thread, and without cloth made in part or in whole of flaxen or cotton thread.</p> <p><b>Education:</b> The apprentice is to be given during his term of service a reasonable education in reading and writing</p> <p><b>Notes: This entry starts by reviewing that there had been an Indenture executed on September 7, 1829 between Hughett Layton and John Woodle, two Trustees of the Poor of Kent County, and William Davis for the apprentice James Dillehunt. It states that there was soon after a Petition of complaint made by James Dillehunt and his mother Amelia Broxton to Chancellor Nicholas Ridgley. The complaint was</b></p>	
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			<p>challenging the validity of the Indenture. As a result of the hearing, Chancellor Ridgley adjudged that the Indenture was invalid and that the Indenture was annulled, discharging James Dillehunt from that apprenticeship. Chancellor Ridgley then ordered that James Dillehunt be bound as an apprentice to William Davis until James Dillehunt should arrive at the age of twenty-one years. Entry 215-216 is the new Indenture executed as a result of the Chancellor's order.</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Moses Roberts, a Negro boy <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Five years <b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Francis Hover and Simon Spearman <b>Relationship:</b> A Justice of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware; A Trustee of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> James Spear, his executors, administrators, and assigns <b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware <b>Trade:</b> Servant</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (September 17, 1829) <b>End term:</b> Sixteen years or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner <b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition, one of which shall be new and of cloth. <b>Education:</b> None stated <b>Notes:</b> Moses Roberts is the son of a free Negro woman named Nancy Roberts. Moses has</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> September 17, 1829  <b>Entry 217</b></p>

			not property sufficient for his maintenance and has not parents able to maintain him and bring him up to industry and suitable employment.	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Ann Parsons, Negro girl</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Nine years, three months, and ten days</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Ann Parsons, with consent of Joiceman (sp.), a free Negro woman</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Self; Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Joseph Hill and his wife</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Smyrna, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> House servant</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Eight years, eight months, and twenty days</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> One good new suit of freedom clothes besides her everyday wearing apparel</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> The name of Ann Parson's mother appears twice in the document and is uncertain and unfamiliar.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> August 25, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 218</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Henry Truax, a White boy</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Eleven years</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Francis Hover and Simon Spearman</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> A Justice of the Peace for Kent County, Delaware; A Trustee of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Jasper Truax, his executors, administrators, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Duck Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Farming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (November 28, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Ten years, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> See 'Notes'</p> <p><b>Education:</b> The apprentice is to be given a reasonable education in reading, writing,</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> November 28, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 219</b></p>

			<p>and arithmetic</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Henry Truax has no parents residing in the state, and has not property sufficient for his maintenance. Jasper Truax is to provide Henry Truax with two suits of clothes suitable to his condition, one of which shall be of woolen cloth and new. (It should be noted that <u>when</u> the two suits are to be provided is unclear, not specifically stated. It may be presumed that they are to be provided at the expiration of apprentice's service, which was the customary time that such suits would be given.)</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> George Truett Jarrell</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Eighteen years and fifteen days</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Little Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> George Truett Jarrell</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Self</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Joseph Buckmaster, his executors, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Little Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Carpentry</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (November 24, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Two years, eleven months, and fifteen days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition</p> <p><b>Education:</b> The</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> November 24, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 220</b></p>

			<p>apprentice is to be given three months schooling</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> None</p>	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Joseph Lowber, Negro</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Five years</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Lydia Lowber, a free Negro of Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Jonathan Brown, his executors, administrators, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Farming</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (October 26, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Sixteen years, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to his condition</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Jonathan Brown is to give Lydia Lowber twelve dollars.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> October 26, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 221</b></p>
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Perry Ash, Negro</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Not stated</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Mispillion Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> Adam Ash, a free Negro of Mispillion Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Father</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> Eli Wroten, his heirs, executors or administrators</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Mispillion Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Servant</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (November 13, 1829)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Fifteen years, or until he shall arrive at the age to twenty-one years</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> One suit of clothes over and above his common wearing apparel, suitable to his condition</p> <p><b>Education:</b> None stated</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Eli Wroten is to give Adam Ash (father of Perry Ash) twenty dollars. On February 6, 1843 Perry Ash filed a Petition before Associate Judge Samuel M. Harrington</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> November 13, 1829</p> <p><b>Entry 222</b></p>



			of the State of Delaware, "praying" to be discharged from his Indenture to Eli Wroten. After the case was heard, it was ordered that Perry Ash be discharged from his Indenture of apprenticeship. It was granted on the grounds that Perry Ash had attained the age of twenty-one years. It was also ordered that Eli Wroten pay the cost of the proceeding.	
<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Rebecca (or Rebeccah) Jones, a White girl</p> <p><b>Birth Date or age:</b> Four years, six months, and nineteen days</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Murderkill Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> John D Anderson and Benjamin Harrington</p> <p><b>Relationship:</b> Two Trustees of the Poor for Kent County, Delaware</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> William Vanstavren (or Vanstavern), his executors, administrators, and assigns</p> <p><b>Residence:</b> Little Creek Hundred, Kent County, Delaware</p> <p><b>Trade:</b> Housewifery</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the day of the date hereof (January 4, 1830)</p> <p><b>End term:</b> Thirteen years, five months, and eleven days, or until she shall arrive at the age of eighteen years, if that shall happen sooner</p> <p><b>End Term Goods:</b> Two suits of clothes suitable to her condition</p> <p><b>Education:</b> The apprentice is to be given a reasonable education in reading, writing, and arithmetic</p> <p><b>Notes:</b> Rebecca Jones has no parents residing in the state, and has not property sufficient for her maintenance</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> January 4, 1830</p> <p><b>Entry 223</b></p>

<p><b>Apprentice:</b> Elijah Cook, a Negro boy <b>Birth Date or age:</b> Not stated <b>Residence:</b> Not stated</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed by:</b> George M Manlove; Maria Cook <b>Relationship:</b> Current titleholder of the Indenture; Mother</p>	<p><b>Apprenticed to:</b> John Pleasonton, his executors, administrators <b>Residence:</b> Little Creek Hundred <b>Trade:</b> Servant</p>	<p><b>Start term:</b> From the date of the said Indenture (January 19, 1829) <b>End term:</b> Nine years, nine months, and <u>  </u>? <u>  </u> days, or until he shall arrive at the age of twenty-one years <b>End Term Goods:</b> Not stated <b>Education:</b> None stated <b>Notes:</b> Due to the mutilated condition of this document, certain information is incomplete or uncertain. However, it appears to state that John Pleasonton is paying <u>  </u>? <u>  </u> dollars to George Manlove to take over the apprenticeship of Elijah Cook. The original Indenture between Maria Cook and George Manlove was executed June 2, 1827.</p>	<p><b>Date:</b> January 19, 1829 <b>Entry 224</b></p>
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