

Pennsylvania
Bedford County } Es. Bedford Aug. 31 - 1822

William Hartley of the township of
Providence Im-keeper - possessing a male
negro child named Smith born the night
of the first day of August last ~~daughter son~~
of Nancy Smith a female negro servant of
the said William Hartley until the age of
twenty eight years
Enter the same into the Clerk of the Court
of Quarter Sessions of the said County of Bedford
agreeably to the act of Assembly passed the
29th day of March 1788 which said
Child Smith the said William Hartley
claims as his servant until he arrives
at the age of twenty eight years

William Hartley

Bedford County }
The above named William Hartley

being duly sworn doth depose and
say that the facts stated in the above
return or account, are true to the
best of his knowledge
Sworn to and subscribed
the 31st day of August
ad 1822 - Depo

William Hartley

Jell Eby
Clerk Quarter
Sessions