

William Watson of the Borough of Bedford, enters in the Office of the Clerk of the Peace, in and for said County "Hamp" a male Negro child born the 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 1815, in the Borough of Bedford & County of Bedford aforesaid, son of Rachel a negro woman, servant of the said William Watson. and I think said child the said William Watson holds and claims as his servant until he arrives at the age of twenty eight years

Bedford County ss

William Watson above named

being duly sworn, doth depose and say that the facts in his entry above stated are true, to the best of his knowledge - sworn to and subscribed this  
16<sup>th</sup> day of October 1815

W. Watson

Before  
D. Mann clk }