

One male Negro Child named Bill - born 19<sup>th</sup> December 1794

Jo<sup>s</sup>. Pierce Westport  
Farmer

Cumberland County I personally appeared before me John Lyon Deputy  
Clerk of the Sessions of Cumb<sup>d</sup> County Joseph Pierce  
who on his oath saith that the above return is just &  
true

Joseph Pierce

Sworn & subscribed the 9<sup>th</sup>  
Feb<sup>y</sup> 1795 before me  
John Lyon  
for Sam<sup>l</sup> Forthwait C.