

Thomson also men by these presents that I  
Abraham Wells of the Mayfield in the County  
of Montgomery Esq<sup>r</sup> for & in the Consistory  
of two hundred Dollars to me in hand  
paid by Amagiah Hunt the receipt where  
of I hereby acknowledge have bargain  
sold & delivered and by these presents do  
bargain sell & deliver to the said Amagiah  
Hunt his heirs & assigns one Negro boy  
named Star aged about eight or nine  
And I the said Abraham Wells for my  
self my heirs Executors & Administrators  
do Government & agree to & with the said  
Amagiah Hunt his heirs & assigns that  
the above named Star was born in  
the State of New York and has not been  
out & brought back & sold so as to be  
free by the Statute of this State &  
that the said Negro Star is a Slave  
for life — I do stand at home of  
I have hereunto set my hand and  
seal this 30<sup>th</sup> day of January 1799  
in presence of

Abraham Wells

Thomson Dan Rorer

Daniel Hudson