## Transcription

This article of agreement made this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1865 between Wm Arvin jr of the first part & Nancy Arvin (Col) of the second part

Witnesseth

That the said W. Arvin jr agrees to give to the said Nancy Arvin (Col) & her three children Elleck, Rachel & Ellen one suit of clothes for summer consisting of cotton, & also one suit of clothes for winter striped with yarn for their services for twelve months of the year 1865 And the said W Arvin jr further agrees to pay to the said Nancy Arvin (Col) thirty dollars for the services of her two children Arlis & Martha. And the said Nancy Arvin Col agrees to see that the best energies of herself & family shall be devoted to the interest and care of the said W Arvin jr's farm in witness where of we affirm our names & seal this the fifth day of December 1865

W Arvin jr

her

Nancy X Arvin

mark

Witness

T. J. Arvin

Marcellus Arvin

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