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know anything about it till I began to shiver I was then four months gone. She called me aside and asked me about it, and wrote to Adam, and he replied promising to take care of me and to marry me. He sent me \$8 in a letter by mail every time he got paid off. All my people are now dead. They are the only ones that knew about this.

After his service was completed Adam bought a place and built him a little house in Texas at a place called "the switch." He came after me and I and my little boy, William Adam Barker, went out there with him and stayed six months. Then I wanted to see my mother and we came back. The Texas I speak of is in Maryland.

When we came back from Texas, I lived with my mother in Morrison alley for seven years. He used to come to see me every day, but my mother would not let us live together because we were not married, till he got a house. I was in Morrison alley till we went to Water's Court to

Attest: B. A. Halley

Mary Smith

Alice F. Barker
Deponent.
Mark

Sworn to and subscribed before me this _____ day of _____, 189____, and I certify that the contents were fully made known to deponent before signing.

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