
John Askin

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Prov. Court Judg.
Servants petition

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The humble petition of John Askin shows:
Your pet'r. coming into this country a serv't without any indenture
hath honestly faythfully and truely served Mr. John Anderton of Calvert
County for seven yeares- now so it is that the said John Anderton
after pet'rs arrival in this province hath forced pet'r. to sign an
indenture to serve him 9 years contrary to the law and custom of this
province and still would force him to serve the other 2 years.
John Anderton being present and not shewing just cause why the pet(r.
should not have his ffreedom therefore ordered that he have his freedom
and that John Anderton deliver him his corne and clothes.

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