

(OBVERSE)

This Indenture made the first day of December - in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty, Between James Edward Small of the City of Toronto in the Home District and Province of Upper Canada and John Thomas Small, son of the said James Edward Small of the one part, and Christopher Widmer of the City of Toronto in the District and Province aforesaid Physician of the other part. Witnesseth that the said John Thomas Small by and with the consent of the said James Edward Small his Father, and of his own free will and accord, hath placed and bound himself Apprentice to the said Christopher Widmer Physician and Surgeon, which profession and business the said Christopher Widmer now useth and followeth, to continue and serve from the day of the date hereof unto the full end and term of Three years and Six months. And the said James Edward Small for himself his heirs, executors and administrators doth Covenant, Promise and Agree to and with the said Christopher Widmer his executors, administrators and assigns in manner following, that is to say, that during the whole of the said term of three years and six months, the said John Thomas Small shall and will faithfully serve the said Christopher Widmer, his secrets to keep, his lawful Commands willingly do and obey, hurt to his said Master he shall not-do, nor willingly suffer it to be done by others, but of the same to the utmost of his power shall forthwith give notice to his said Master, he shall not embezzle or waste, injure or destroy, nor lend without his consent to any, at Cards, Dice, or any other unlawful games he shall not play, Taverns Ale and Tippling houses he shall not frequent, Matrimony he shall not contract, from the service of his said Master he shall not at any time depart or absent himself without leave, but in all things as a good and faithful Apprentice shall and will demean himself towards his said Master during the said term; And also that he the said James Edward Small his executors and administrators shall and will find the said John Thomas Small with meat, drink, washing, lodging, apparel and other necessities during the whole of the said term. And the said Christopher Widmer for himself his heirs, executors and administrators, in consideration of the promises and in further consideration of the sum of Fifty Pounds of Lawful Money of Upper Canada in hand paid upon the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, doth Covenant, promise and agree to and with the said James Edward Small his executors, administrators and assigns, that the said Christopher Widmer shall and will to the best of his skill and ability teach and instruct and cause and procure to be taught and instructed the said John Thomas Small in the Mystery and art of Medicine [sic] and in and about the Profession and business of a Surgeon and Physician during the period of the said Term.

In writing whereof the said parties have here to set their hands and Seals the day and year first above written

In Presence of

[Signature]

[Signature]

[John T. Small Signature]

[Signature]

Toronto [Nov.?] 2nd 1844

I certify that the written named John T Small hath diligently + attentively served as my apprentice during the period named in the above Indenture

[Signature] C. Widmer
Fellow of the Royal College

Of Surgeons England

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Indenture of
Apprenticeship

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James E. Small.

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and

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John T. Small.

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and

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Christopher Widmer

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