

This Indenture made this 22^d day of December
one Thousand eight Hundred and four between Alexander
Graham overseer of the poor for the South district in
the County of Rockingham of the one part and George
Berry of the said County of the other part Witnesseth that
the said ~~overseer~~ overseer of the poor in pursuance of an
order of the Court of said County bearing date at
September Court last doe put place and bind William
Black of said County a poor boy being eighteen years of
age the Twenty fourth day of January last past
as an apprentice unto the said George Berry to dwell
with and serve him untill he shall arrive to the age of
Twenty one years

In consideration where of the said George Berry doth bind
him self to the said Graham or his Successor overseer of the
poor To teach or instruct or cause to be taught the
said William Black the art and mystery of a blacksmith
within the term above mentioned and to furnish the said
apprentice with cloath meat drink and lodgings fit
and convenient for such an apprentice and to teach
or cause him to be taught to read and wright and
Common arithmetic including the Rule of three
and at the end of his apprenticeship shall give unto
the said apprentice such Freedom dues as the law
directs in Witness where of each of us hath hereunto
Sett our hands and Seals the day and year above written

Sined in the
Presence of

William McNamee

Alex^r. Graham

George Berry

Williams Black

Dentures

Dr. George Bury