

**THIS INDENTURE** MADE THE *Thirtieth* day of *June* in the year of our Lord 182*8* Between *John Black* of one of the Overseer of the Poor of the *West* District in the County of Rockingham of the one part and *Henry May* of the other part witnesseth, that the said Overseer of the Poor by virtue of an Order of the Court of the County aforesaid bearing date the *second* day of *June* in the year 182*8* has placed and bound and by these presents doth place and bind *Margaret E Greenwood* of the age of *five* years to be an Apprentice with him the said *Henry May* and as an Apprentice with him the said *Henry May* to dwell from the date of these presents, until the said *Margaret E Greenwood* shall arrive, and come to the age of *eighteen* years, according to the Act of the General Assembly in that case made and provided For and during all which time and term the said *Margaret E Greenwood* shall the said *Henry May* well and faithfully serve in all such lawful Business as the said *Margaret E Greenwood* shall be put unto by ~~his~~ said *master* according to the Power, Wit and Ability of the said *apprentice* and the said *Margaret E Greenwood* honestly and obediently in all things be- have towards the said *Henry May* and honestly and orderly towards the rest of the Family of him the said *Henry May* And the said *Henry May* for himself ~~his~~ Executors and Administrators doth hereby promise and covenant to and with the said Overseer of the Poor and his Successor in office for the time being, that the said Apprentice shall in the Craft, Mystery and Occupation of *Spinning, Sewing, Weaving &c* which ~~he the said~~ *is done in his family* ~~now useth~~, after the best manner that he can, or may teach, instruct, and inform, or cause to be taught, instructed and informed, as much as thereunto belongeth, or in any wise appertaineth, and that he the said *Henry May* shall also find and allow unto the said Apprentice sufficient meat, drink, apparell, washing, lodging, and all other things needful or meet, for an Apprentice during the term aforesaid: And also that the said *Henry May* shall teach, or cause to be taught to the *Margaret E Greenwood* Reading, Writing, and Common Arithmetic including the Rule of Three, and will moreover pay to the said *Margaret E Greenwood* the Sum of *twenty* Dollars at the Expiration of the aforesaid Term.

IN WITNESS whereof the Parties to these Presents have interchangably set their Hands and Seals the Day and Year above written.

Signed, Sealed, & Delivered  
in the Presence of

*Catharine her Crowshorn*  
*mark*  
*Sarah her Crowshorn*  
*mark*  
*Samuel Burgess*

*John Black A.P.M.C. Q.P.*  
*Henry May Q.P.*



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