This indenture made the 1st day of September in the year of our Lord 1813 and in the year of the Independence of the united state of America between Jeremiah Kyle overseer of the poor of district in the county of Rockingham and state of Virginia of the one part and Jesse Bowlin of said county and state of the other part Witnesseth, That the said Jeremiah Kyle overseer of the poor as aforesaid by virtue of an order of the court aforesaid bearing date July court 1813 Hath put placed and bound and by these presents doth put and bind Road Hywarden a free boy of colour aged about sixteen years in August next nesuing the date of said order of court, to be an apprentice with him the said Jesse Bowlin and as an apprentice with him the said Jesse Bowlin to dwell from the date of these presents until the said apprentice shall arrive to the aide of twenty one years, according to the act of general assembly in thee said Road Hywarden shall the said Jesse Bowlin his said master will and faithfully serve in all such lawfull business as the said Road Hywarden shall be out unto by his said master according to the power wit and ability of him the said Road Hywarden and honestly and obediently shall he behave himself towards his said master and honestly and orderly toward the family of him the said Jesse Bowlin. And the said Jesse Bowlin on his part for himself his executors and administrators doth hereby promise and covenant to and with the said overseer of the poor and every of them, and their and every of their successors for the time being and to and with the said Road Hywarden, that the said Jesse Bowlin shall the said Road Hywarden in the craft mistery and occupation of a shoemaker which he the said Jesse Bowlin mow useth, after the best manner that he can or may teach instruct and inform or cause to be taught intrsucted or informed as much as there to belongeth or in any wise assertaineth, and that the said Jesse Bowlin shall also find and allow unto the said apprentice sufficient meat drink apparel washing lodging and all other thigs needful for an apprentice during the term aforesaid will moreover pay to the said Road Hywarden the sum of twelve dollars at the expiration of the said term. In witness where the parties to these presents have interchangeably set their hands and seals the day and year above written