

This Indenture witnesseth  
that we the Overseers of the pore of County of Rocking  
and State of Virginia hath by an Order from the County  
Court of Rockingham do Bind the said Said Samuel Jewell  
Otherwise called Samuel Taylor Abase born Child of the  
Age of twelve years Last march an Apprentice to David  
Harrison to Learn the Trade of a Shoemaker of the County  
and State of fore said to serve him untill he arrives at the  
age of Twenty One years during which time the said Apprentice  
his said master faithfully shall serve his Lawful Command  
Every where obey he shall do no Damage to his said master  
nor willfully sufferet to be done by Others he shall neither  
Buy nor sell with out his Masters Leave fornication he  
shall not Commit matrimony he shall not Contract at Cards  
Dice or any other <sup>unlawful</sup> Lawful game he shall not play nor frequent  
+ alle houses Taverns nor play houses he shall not waste his  
masters goods nor lend them without his masters Consent  
but in all thing behave himself as good and faithful appren  
tice ought to do

In Conditions wherof the said master shall provide suffici  
ent meat Drink washing Lodging and Apparel fit for such  
Apprentice During the said Term and Teach him the Readrite  
and Spher as the Law directe and Learn him in the said term  
of time the Shumaking Busines and at the Expiration of <sup>thee</sup>  
said time the said Master shall give his said Appren  
his Freedom Due as the Law Directe On witness wherof  
Each party bind themselves to the other firmly to the other  
by these presents sealed with their Seals this foralenth day of  
December in the year Eighteen hundred and five  
Signed Sealed and Delivered  
in the presents of us  
Just Sanders of Rec

Jacob Lincobn  
David Harrison

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Samuel Lewis, alias  
Taylor -  
Prisoner