

# THIS INDENTURE

MADE THE 10<sup>th</sup> day of February in the year of our Lord 1836 Between John

Kratzer one of the Overseer of the Poor of the North western District in the County of Rockingham of the one part and Jesse Burkholder of the other part witnesseth, that the said Overseers of the Poor by virtue of an Order of the Court of the County aforesaid bearing date the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January in the year 1836 has placed and bound and by these presents doth place and bind Harriet Jones of the age of Twelve years to be an Apprentice with him the said Jesse Burkholder and as an Apprentice with him the said Jesse Burkholder to dwell from the date of these presents, until the said Harriet Jones 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 Harriet Jones shall the said Jesse Burkholder well and faithfully serve in all such lawful Business as the said Harriet Jones shall be put unto by the said Burkholder according to the Power, Wit and Ability of the said Harriet Jones and the said Harriet Jones honestly and obediently in all things behave towards the said Jesse Burkholder and honestly and orderly towards the rest of the Family of him the said Burkholder. And the said Jesse Burkholder 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 Jesse Burkholder which he the said Jesse Burkholder 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 Jesse Burkholder shall also find and allow unto the said Apprentice sufficient meat, drink, apparel, washing, lodging, and all other things needful or meet, for an Apprentice during the the term aforesaid. And also that the said Jesse Burkholder shall teach, or cause to be taught to the said Harriet Jones Reading, Writing and Common Arithmetic including the Rule of Three and will moreover pay to the said Harriet Jones the Sum of Twenty Dollars at the Expiration of the aforesaid Term.

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

Signed, Sealed and Delivered  
in the Presence of

Joel Argubright } witness of the first seal

Sarah Kratzer witness to the second seal

John Kratzer Seal

Jesse Burkholder Seal



Warret Jones

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J. Burckhardt & Kautz  
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