This indenture made this 13th day of June 1840 between Jacob Trumbo one of the overseers of the poor of the second district in the county of Rockingham of the one part and Richard Winfield of the other part Wintesseth, that the said overseer of the poor by a virtue of an order of the county court of the county aforeisad bearing date October 1839 have put placed and bound and by these presents doth put place and bind Mary A free girl of coulour 3 years old the 15th October 1839 to b an apprentice with him the said Richard Winfield and as an apprentice with him the said Richard Winfield to dwell with him from the date of these presents until the said Mary Shall arrive and come to the age of twenty one years according to the act of assembly in that case made and provided: For and during all which time and term that Mary shall the said Richard Winfield well and faithfully serve in all such lawful business as the said Mary shall be put into by her said master according to the power wit and ability of her the said Mary and the said Mary honestly and obediently in all things behave towards the said Richard Winfield and honestly and orderly towards the family of him the said Richard Winfield and the said Richard Winfield for himself his executors and administrators doth hereby covenant and promise to and with the said overseer of the poor and his successors in office for the time being that the said apprentice shall the craft mystery or occupation of a housekeeper which the said Richard Winfield now useth after the best manner that he can or may teach instruct and inform or cause to be taught instructed or informed as much as thereunto belongeth or in any wise assertainable and that the said Richard Winfield shall allow to the said apprentice sufficient meat, drink, appearel, washing lodging and all other things needful or nect for an apprentice during the time aforesaid at the expiration of the said term of service to give to the said Mary the sum of twenty dollars as her freedom dues. In witness whereof the parties to these presents have hereunto set there names and seals this day and year above written