

# This Indenture,

May

MADE THE *Nineteenth* day of

in the year of our Lord 185*6*

Between *W. W. Palmer*

one of the Overseer's of the Poor of the *Second* District in the County of Rockingham of the one part, and *John M. Lee*

of the other part witnesseth, that the

said Overseers of the Poor by virtue of an Order of the County Court made at *December* and *Renewed at January Court 1855* Court in the year 185*5*, has placed and bound and by these presents doth place and

bind *Edwin Thomas Wilkins* of the age of *Eight* to be an Apprentice with him the said *John M. Lee* and as an Apprentice with

him the said *John M. Lee* to dwell from the date of these presents, until

the said *Edwin Thomas Wilkins* shall arrive, and come to the age of *Twenty one* 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 *Edwin Thomas Wilkins* shall the said

*John M. Lee* well and faithfully serve in all such lawful Business as the said

*Edwin Thomas Wilkins* shall be put unto by the said *John M. Lee* according

to the Power, Wit and Ability of the said *Edwin Thomas Wilkins* and the said

*Edwin Thomas Wilkins*, shall honestly and obediently in all things behave towards the

said *John M. Lee* and honestly and orderly towards the rest of the Fam-

ily of him the said *John M. Lee* And the said *John M. Lee*

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 Ap-

prentice shall be instructed in the Craft, Mystery and Occupation of *Tailoring*

which he the said *John M. Lee* 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 the said *John M. Lee*

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 term afore-

said: And also that the said ~~and also that the said *John M. Lee* shall teach, or cause to be~~

~~taught to the said~~ ~~Reading, Writing, and Common Arithme-~~

~~tic including the Rule of Three,~~ and will moreover pay to the said *Edwin Thomas Wilkins*

the sum of *One hundred dollars*

Dollars at the Expiration of the aforesaid Term. *to wit. on the 18th day of December 1864*

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 }

*O. C. Trout*

*W. W. Palmer O. P.*



*John M. Lee*





**THISIndenture**

MADE THE *fourteenth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord 1855 Between *John W. Lee*

one of the Overseer's of the Poor of the *County of Rockingham* District in the County of *Rockingham* of the one part and *John W. Lee*

said Overseer of the Poor by virtue of an Order of the County Court made at *Rockingham* in the year 1855 has placed and bound and by these presents doth place and bind *John W. Lee* of the age of *Eight* to be an

Apprentice with *John W. Lee* and as an Apprentice with *John W. Lee* to dwell from the date of these presents, until

the said *John W. Lee* shall arrive, and come to the age of *Twenty-one* 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 *John W. Lee* shall serve in all such lawful *Business* as the said *John W. Lee*

well and faithfully serve in all such lawful *Business* as the said *John W. Lee* shall be put into by the said *John W. Lee* according

to the Power, Wit and Ability of the said *John W. Lee* and the said *John W. Lee* honestly and obediently in all things done towards the

said *John W. Lee* and honestly and orderly towards the rest of the Family of *John W. Lee* And the said *John W. Lee*

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 be instructed in the Craft, Mystery and Occupation of *Joining*

which he the said *John W. Lee* 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 therunto belongeth, or in any wise appertaineth, and that the said *John W. Lee* 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 term aforesaid: And also that the said *John W. Lee* shall teach the said *John W. Lee* to be

the sum of *One hundred dollars* Dollars at the expiration of the aforesaid Term. *Witness* my hand and seal this *fourteenth* day of *May* 1855

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

*John W. Lee* Overseer of the Poor of the County of *Rockingham*

*John W. Lee* Apprentice

*John W. Lee* Witness

*John W. Lee* Witness

*Witness John W. Lee*

*John W. Lee*

1855

*John W. Lee*



Signed, Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of

*John W. Lee*