

This indenture made the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 1840 between Jacob Trumbo one of the overseers of the poor of the second district in county of Rockingham of the one part and Richard Winfield of the other part Witnesseth that the said overseer of the poor by virtue of an order of the county court of the county aforesaid bearing date Oct. 1839 have put placed and bound Jefferson a free boy of colour of the age one year and 8 months old the 15 of October 1830 to be an apprentice with him the said Richard Winfield and as an apprentice hit him the said Richard Winfield to dwell from the date of these presents until the said Jefferson arrive and come to the age of twenty one years, According to the act of Assembly made and provided: For and during all which time and term that said Jefferson shall the said Richard Winfield well and faithfully serve on all such lawfull business as the said Jefferson shall be put unto by the Richard Winfield according to the power wit and ability of him the said Jefferson and the said Jefferson shall honestly and obediently in all things behave towards the said Richard Winfield and honestly and orderly towards the family of the said Richard Winfield and that the said Richard Winfield for himself executors and Administrators doth hereby covenant and promise to and with the said overseers of the poor and his successors in office for the time being that the said apprentice shall the craft mystery or occupation of a farmer which he the Richard Winfield 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 ascertaineth and that the said Richard Winfield shall allow the said Apprentice sufficient meat drink, apparell washing lodging and all other things needful or nect for an apprentice during term aforesaid and at the expiration of the said service, to give to the said Jefferson the sum of Twenty dollars as his freedom dues In witness whereof the parties to these presents have hereunto set their hands and seals this day and year above written