

# THIS INDENTURE

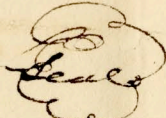
MADE THE 27<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup> in the year of our Lord 1837 Between Sam<sup>l</sup>

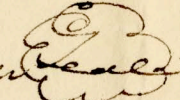
Cootes — one of the Overseer of the Poor of the District in the County of Rockingham of the one part and Andrew Anderson of the other part witnesseth, that the said Overseers of the Poor by virtue of an Order of the Court of the County aforesaid bearing date the 20<sup>th</sup> day of November in the year 1837 has placed and bound and by these presents doth place and bind Nimrod <sup>of colour</sup> a free boy of the age of ten years ~~Sant 1<sup>st</sup> 1838~~ to be an Apprentice with him the said Anderson and as an Apprentice with him the said Andrew Anderson to dwell from the date of these presents, until the said Nimrod 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 Nimrod shall the said Andrew Anderson well and faithfully serve in all such lawful Business as the said Nimrod shall be put unto by his said Master according to the Power, Wit and Ability of the said Nimrod and the said ~~Andrew Nimrod~~ honestly and obediently in all things behave towards the said Andrew Anderson and honestly and orderly towards the rest of the Family of him the said Anderson And the said Andrew Anderson 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 a Farmers — which he the said Andrew Anderson 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 Andrew Anderson 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 ~~Andrew Anderson~~ shall teach, or cause to be taught to the ~~Reading, Writing and Common Arithmetic including the Rule of Three~~ and will moreover pay to the said Nimrod 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

H. J. Gambell

Sam<sup>l</sup> Cootes 

his  
Andrew + Anderson   
Master



*Severed*  
To *Indenture*  
*Anderson*

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1881

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