

Made the *fourth* Day of *Novemb.* in the *twelfth* Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign *Queen* *Anne* by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France and Ireland, Queen Defender of the Faith, &c. Between *Thomas Speed Churchwarden John Barber Nathan Marwood Francis Reed and Peter Blackaller*

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of *Colyton* within the County of *Devon* of the one Part, and *John Cashe* for and in respect of *lands Estate in the Parish* of the Parish and County aforesaid *vs* of the Other, Witnesseth, that the said Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscribed, have put and bound forth *John Buckland* one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said *John Cashe* to dwell from the day of the date hereof untill the said *John Buckland* shall come to be of the Age of *fourteen* and twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which term and time, the said *John Buckland* shall the said *John Cashe* well and faithfully serve in all things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave himself honestly in Word and Deed, and he the said *John Cashe* doth Covenant or promise to bring up, or cause him the said Apprentice to be brought up in *Husbandry* finding and providing for him the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the end thereof to discharge him well Apparelled. In Witness Whereof the Parties abovesaid to these Indentures, their Hands and Seals Interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written.

Seen and allowed by Us

*W. Pole*  
*Com Bowdoye*

*Robt. Coode*



1713

*Sealed and Delivered*  
*in the Presence of us*  
*Jonas Whetcombe*  
*Tho: Cashe*



# An Indenture

Made the *fourth* Day of *November* in the *seventh* Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign *Anne* by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France and Ireland, Queen Defender of the Faith, &c. Between *Speed Churchwarden John Barber Nathaniel Marwood Francis Reed and Peter Blackaller*

*County* Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of *Colyton* within the County of *Devon* of the one Part, and *Thomas Price* of the Parish and County aforesaid of the Other, Witnesseth, that the said Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscribed, have put and bound forth *Henry Roost* one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said *Tho: Price* to dwell from the day of the date hereof untill the said *Henry Roost* shall come to be of the Age of *four* and twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which term and time, the said *Henry Roost* shall the said *Thomas Price* well and faithfully serve in all things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave himself honestly in Word and Deed, and he the said *Tho: Price* doth Covenant or promise to bring up, or cause him the said Apprentice to be brought up in *Husbandry* finding and providing for him the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hofe, Shoes, and all other things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the end thereof to discharge him well Appareled. In Witness Whereof the Parties abovesaid to these Indentures, their Hands and Seals Interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written. *and I do hereby promise to receive back the sd Henry Roost with in one year next after the*

Seen and allowed by Us *Expiration of his sd Apprentiship.*

*Wole*

*Remt Bowdage*

*signed, sealed & delivered*

*in the presence of us*

*Tho: Noynton*

*The Mark of*

*Joseph & Lippinot*

*Thomas Noynton*



# An Indenture

Made the *fourth* Day of *Novem<sup>ber</sup>* in the *Twelfth* Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign *Lady Anne* by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France and Ireland, Queen Defender of the Faith, &c. Between *Thomas Speed Churchwarden* ~~Parson~~ *John Prarben* *Nathan Greenwood* *Francis Reed* and *Peter Blackaller*

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of *Colyton* within the County of *Devon* of the one Part, and *James Bussell Gent.* of the Parish and County aforesaid of the Other, Witnesseth, that the said Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscribed, have put and bound forth *Rose Payne* one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said *James Bussell* to dwell from the day of the date hereof untill the said *Rose Payne* shall come to be of the Age of *one* and twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which term and time, the said *Rose Payne* shall the said *James Bussell* well and faithfully serve in all things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave herself honestly in Word and Deed, and he the said *James Bussell* doth Covenant or promise to bring up, or cause her the said Apprentice to be brought up in *huswifery* finding and providing for her the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the end thereof to discharge her well Appareled. In Witness Whereof the Parties abovesaid to these Indentures, their Hands and Seals Interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written.

Seen and allowed by Us

*W. Pole*

*Com. Bowdage*

*James Bussell*



*Isaled & delivered*  
*Edmond Rutter*

1713



*Memorandum*

*Memorandum: The within named Apprentice  
was bound to the within named in Bussey for and on  
Acct. of his Estate in Colyton and the <sup>Late Parsons Grounds</sup> of Mr Andrew  
were Contributors for the Hire and Mounts*

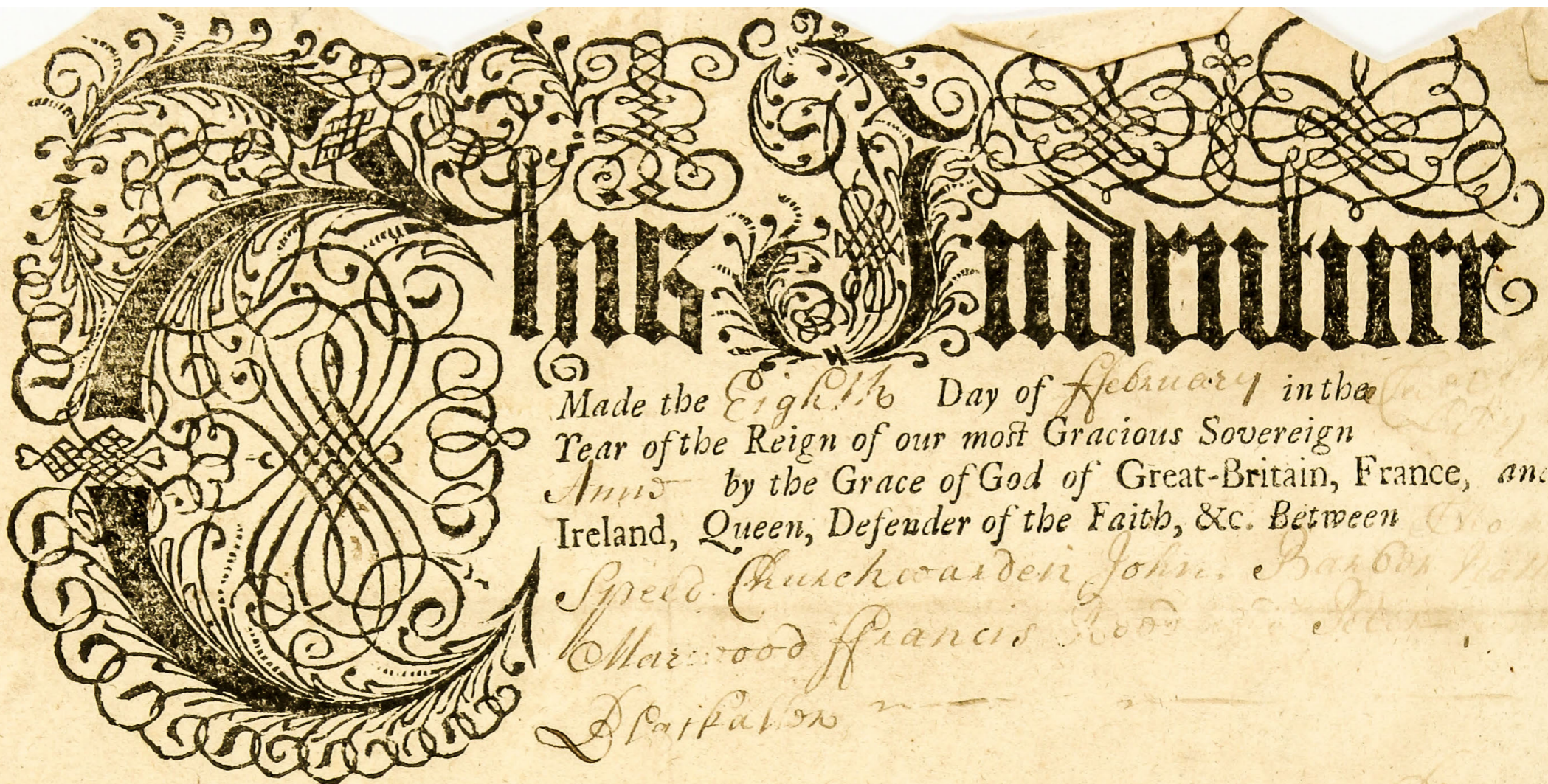
*Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of  
of the one Part, and  
of the Parish and County aforesaid  
by and with the Consent of Two or more  
Names are subscribed, have put and bound forth  
the Party aforesaid, apprentice unto and with the  
the day of the date, until the day of the  
Age of <sup>Twenty</sup> Years, according to the Statute in that behalf made and provided during all  
which term and the said apprentice shall be bound to the said Overseers and shall behave  
faithfully serve in all things his said and consented to and appointed to do, and shall behave  
tell honestly in Word and Deed, and he shall  
bring up, or cause to be brought up, the said apprentice in the said Parish, and shall  
providing for him, the said apprentice, in the said Parish, and shall provide for him, and all  
other things fit and necessary for him, as an apprentice, during the said term, and at the end thereof  
to discharge the said apprentice, and shall be bound to discharge the said apprentice, and shall be bound  
their Hands and Seals, in witness whereof, they have hereunto set their Hands and Seals, and have hereunto*

*Seen and allowed by Us*

*John Andrew  
Governor*

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Made the Eighth Day of February in the  
 Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign  
 And by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France, and  
 Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c. Between  
 Speed Churchwarden John. Barber  
 Mareswood Francis Hood  
 Spisfaber

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Colyton within the County of Devon  
 of the one Part, and Thomas Hood  
 of the Parish and County aforesaid of the Other, Witnesseth, That the said Officers,  
 by and with the Consent of Two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose  
 Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth Susanna Hutchins one of the Poor of  
 the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said Thomas Hood to dwell from  
 the Day of the Date hereof until the said Susanna Hutchins shall come to be of the  
 Age of ~~Old~~ and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all  
 which Term and Time, the said Susanna Hutchins shall the said Tho. Hood  
 well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall  
 behave herself honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said Tho. Hood doth Cove-  
 nant or Promise to bring up, or cause her the said Apprentice to be brought up, in  
 finding and providing for her the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel,  
 Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the  
 said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge her well Appareled. In Witness whereof the  
 Parties aforesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchan-geably have set, the Day  
 and Year above-written.

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Tho: Speed



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 in the presence of  
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 Gorge Street

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Contribut<sup>r</sup> to this Apprentis within named  
William Walronde Esq<sup>r</sup> for the Estate in  
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# An Indenture

Made the *Second* Day of *January* in the *Twelfth* Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign *Lady Ann* by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France and Ireland, Queen Defender of the Faith, &c. Between *Thomas Speed Churchwarden John Barber Francis Reed Nathan Marwood and Peter Blackaller*

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of *Colyton* within the County of *Devon* of the one Part, and *Joseph Lippincott* of the Parish of *Sidbury* of the other, and County aforesaid *Miller* of the Other, Witnesseth, that the said Officers; by and with the Consent of Two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscribed, have put and bound forth *John Gibble* one of the *Poor* of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said *Joseph Lippincott* to dwell from the day of the date hereof untill the said *John Gibble* shall come to be of the Age of *four* and twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which term and time, the said *John Gibble* shall the said *Joseph Lippincott* well and faithfully serve in all things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave self honestly in Word and Deed, and he the said *Joseph Lippincott* doth Covenant or promise to bring up, or cause *him* the said Apprentice to be brought up in *husbandry* finding and providing for *him* the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the end thereof to discharge *him* well Appareled. In Witness Whereof the Parties abovesaid to these Indentures, their Hands and Seals Interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written.

*must to return back by John Gible at any time within one year next after the*  
 expiration of his apprenticeship

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The mark of  
*Joseph Lippincott* 

*Brideaux*  
*Com Bowdaye*

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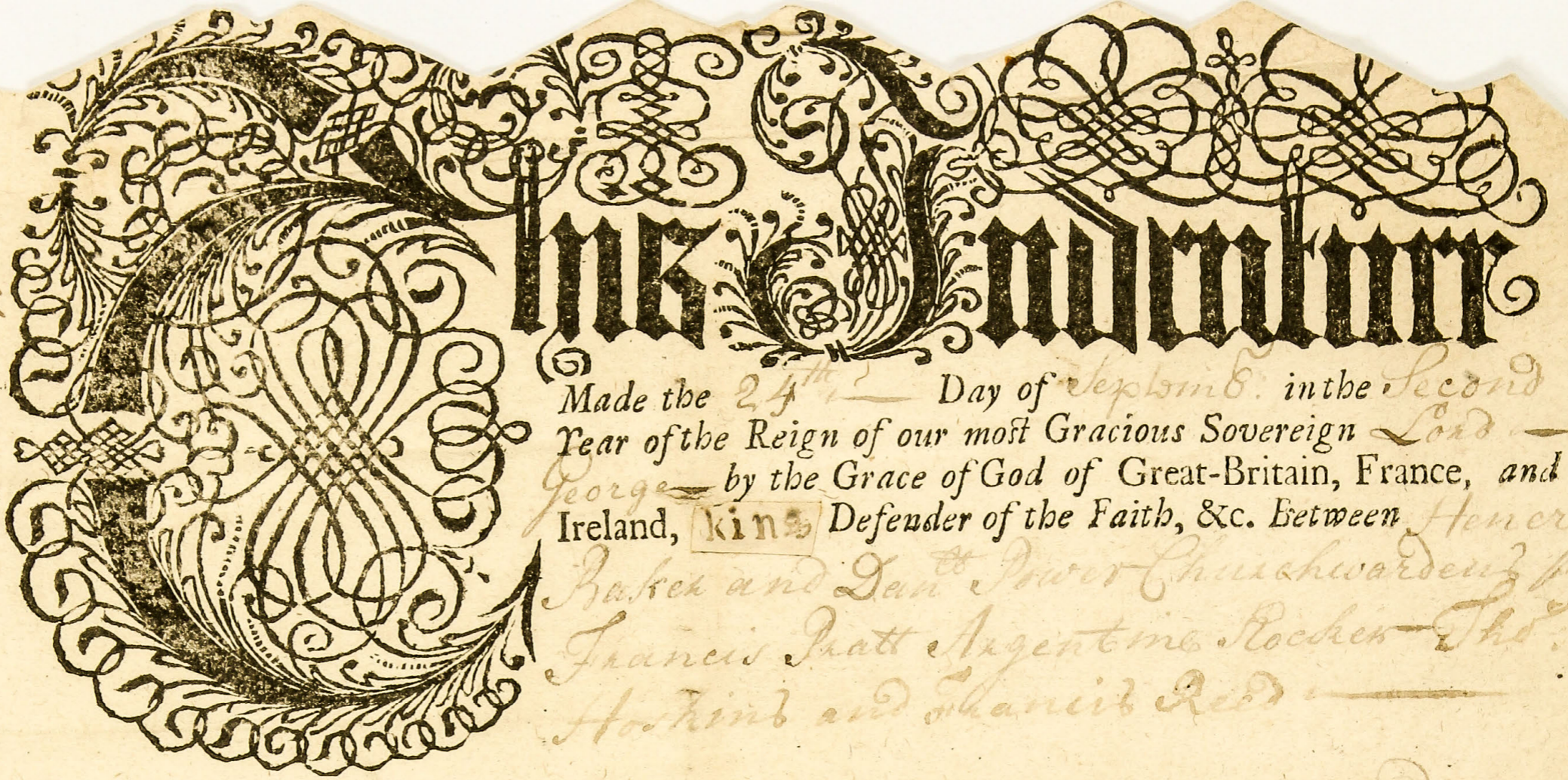
*signed sold & delivered*  
*in the presents of us*

*Thos. Nossitor*  
*Thomas Nossitor Junr*



John Grubbe bound an apprentice to Joseph  
Lipinott for <sup>of</sup> Walter Youngs Estate in Colyton  
Towns



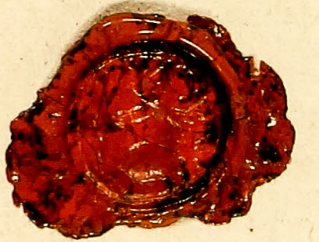


Made the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of September in the Second Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France, and Ireland, King Defender of the Faith, &c. Between Henry Baker and Dan<sup>l</sup> Power Churchwardens of Francis Pratt Argentine Rocher Tho<sup>s</sup> Hoskins and Thomas Drake

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Colyton within the County of Devon of the one Part, and Thomas Drake of the Parish and County aforesaid of the Other, Witneseth, That the said Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth William Seward one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said Thomas Drake to dwell from the Day of the Date hereof until the said William Seward shall come to be of the Age of four and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which Term and Time, the said Wm Seward shall the said Tho<sup>s</sup> Drake well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave himself honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said Tho<sup>s</sup> Drake doth Covenant or Promise to bring up, or cause him the said Apprentice to be brought up, in Husbandry or Trade of a Taylor finding and providing for him the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge him well Apparell'd. In Witness whereof the Parties aforesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written.

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Thomas Drake



Read and Delivered in presence of Us

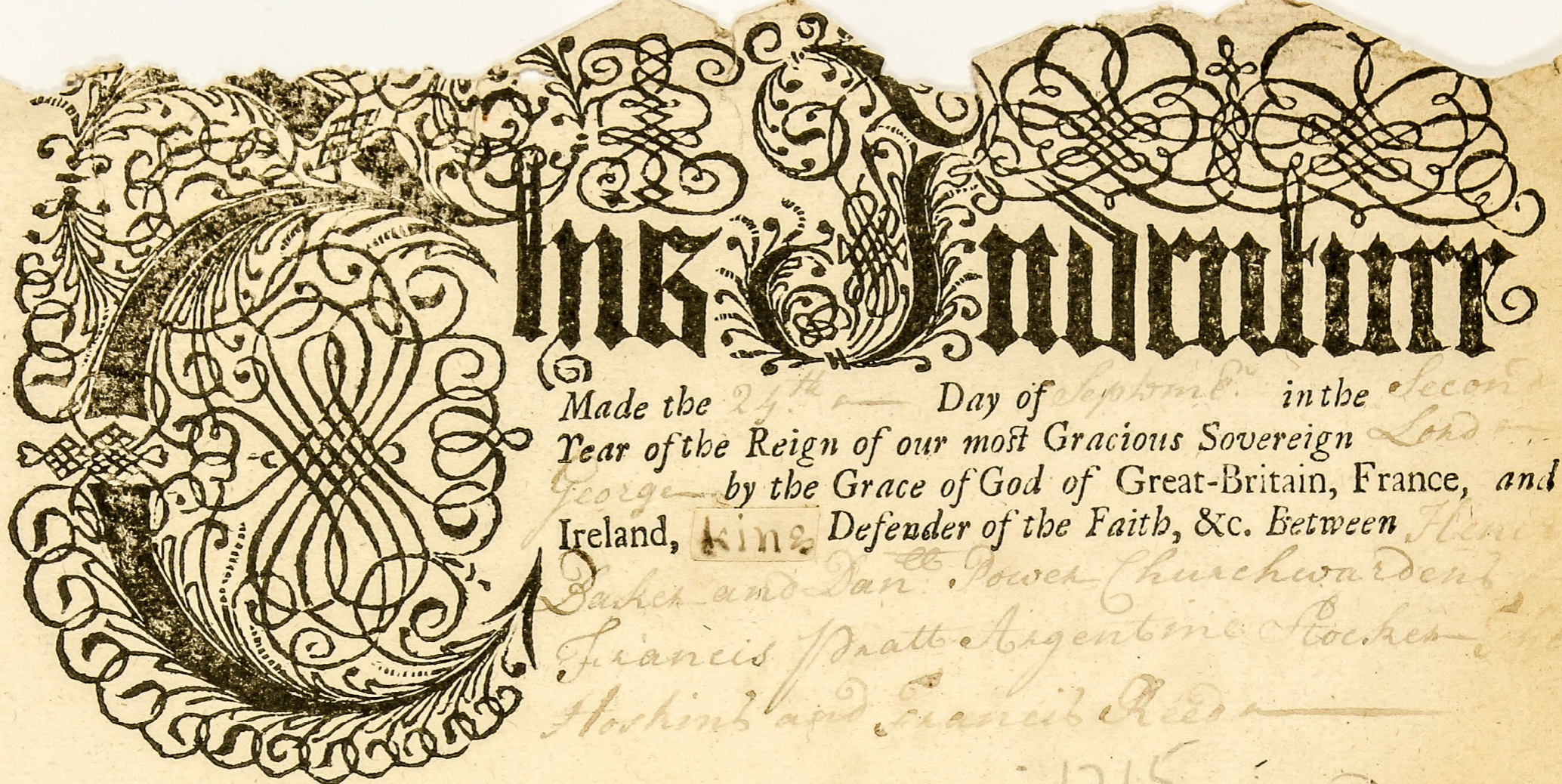
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Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Colyton within the County of Devon of the one Part, and Thomas Rowdage of the Parish and County aforesaid of the Other, Witnesseth, That the said Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth Thomas Barrett one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said Tho<sup>s</sup> Rowdage to dwell from the Day of the Date hereof until the said Tho<sup>s</sup> Barrett shall come to be of the Age of four and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which Term and Time, the said Tho<sup>s</sup> Barrett shall the said Tho<sup>s</sup> Rowdage well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave himself honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said Tho<sup>s</sup> Rowdage doth Covenant or Promise to bring up, or cause him the said Apprentice to be brought up, in Husbandry finding and providing for him the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge him well Apparell'd. In Witness whereof the Parties aforesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written.

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Tho Rowdage 

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Made the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of September in the Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign James by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France, and Ireland, King Defender of the Faith, &c. Between House Baker and Dan: Lowe Churchwardens of Francis Pratt Argentine Packet Agent

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Colyton within the County of Devon of the one Part, and John Swelland Yeoman of the Other, Witnesseth, That the said Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said John Swelland for to dwell from the Day of the Date hereof until the said Sam: Brooke shall come to be of the Age of four and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which Term and Time, the said Sam: Brooke shall the said John Swelland well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave himself honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said John Swelland doth Covenant or Promise to bring up, or cause him the said Apprentice to be brought up, in Husbandry finding and providing for him the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge him well Apparelled. In Witness whereof the Parties aforesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written.

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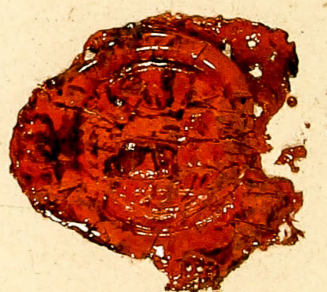
Made the 25<sup>th</sup> Day of September in the Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign George by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. Between

*Rebekah and Dan. Power Churchwardens of the Parish of Clyton Francis Nath. Argentines Heresheer & Hershins and Francis Reed*

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of *Clyton* within the County of *York* of the one Part, and *Tobias Swaine* of the Parish and County aforesaid *Yeoman* of the Other, Witneffeth, That the said Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth *Hannah Whicker* one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said *Tobias Swaine* to dwell from the Day of the Date hereof until the said *Hannah Whicker* shall come to be of the Age of *One* and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which Term and Time, the said *Hannah Whicker* shall the said *Tobias Swaine* well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave *her* self honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said *Tobias Swaine* doth Covenant or Promise to bring up, or cause *her* the said Apprentice to be brought up, in *Housewifery* finding and providing for *her* the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge *her* well Apparell'd. In Witness whereof the Parties abovesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written.

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*Thomas of  
Cobley & Swaine*



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churchwarden*

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This Indenture Made the first day of November in the third  
 year of the reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the grant of God of  
 Great Brittain France & Ireland King Defender of the Faith  
 Between Tobias Swain Esq. Peter Blakelock Esq. Richard  
 Edward Squire Nathan Slade Esq. Richard Drap Esq. Peter Blakelock  
 Overseers of the poor of the parish of Colyton in the County of Devon  
 of the one part and Hugh Newton of the parish of Colyton County aforesaid Yeoman  
 of the other part Witnesseth that the said overseers by & with the consent  
 of two of his Majesty's Justices of the peace of the said County to wit Sir James  
 and Substridge have put and bound forth James Payne one of the poor  
 of the said parish Apprentice unto and with the said Hugh Newton  
 to him to dwell & serve as an Apprentice from the day of the date  
 hereof untill the said James Payne shall come to the age of four & twenty  
 years according to the Statute in that behalf made & voided during all  
 which term & time the said James Payne shall the said Hugh  
 Newton well & faithfully serve in all things fit & necessary by an Appre-  
 ntit to be done & shall behave himself honestly in word and deed And  
 the said Hugh Newton doth Covenant & promise to bring up or cause  
 him the said Apprentice to be brought up in husbandry finding &  
 providing for him sufficient meat drink washing Lodging and Apparell &  
 hose & shoes & all other things fit & necessary for such an Apprentice  
 during the said term & at the end of the said term discharge him with  
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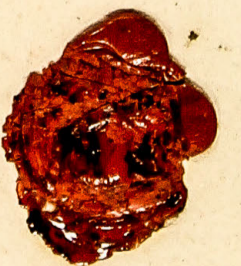
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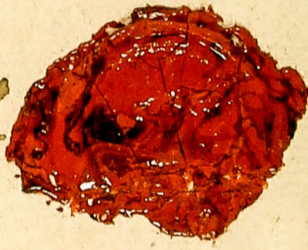
# The Indenture


Made the 24<sup>th</sup> Day of September in the Second Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France, and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. Between Henry Baker and Daniell Lower Churchwarden Francis Pratt Argentarius Shopkeeper Tho. Ashurst and Francis Reed

Oversers of the Poor of the Parish of Plyton within the County of Devon of the one Part, and Clement Bowdage Esq. & Ann his Wife of the Other, Witneseth, That the said Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth Elizabeth Lawley one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said Clement & Ann Bowdage to dwell from the Day of the Date hereof until the said Elizabeth Lawley shall come to be of the Age of One and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which Term and Time, the said Elizabeth Lawley shall the said Clement & Ann Bowdage well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave self honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said Clement & Ann Bowdage doth Covenant or Promise to bring up, or cause her the said Apprentice to be brought up, in finding and providing for her the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge her well Apparell'd. In Witness whereof the Parties aforesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written.

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Clement Bowdage 

Ann Bowdage 

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This Indenture Made the Fourth day of November in the  
Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George by the grace of  
God of Great Britain France & Ireland King Defender of  
the Faith &c. Between Tobias Swaine & Peter Blackhall  
Churchwarden Toward Squire Nathan Stone Rich. Leape  
and Peter Blackhall Overseer of the poor of the parish of Colyton  
in the County of Devon of the one part and John Basleigh  
of the said and County aforesaid Governor of the other part  
witnesseth that the said Assent by and to the Consent  
of Two of his Maj. Justices of the peace for the said County  
Whose names are subscribed have put and bound forth John Cawley  
One of the poor of the said parish Apprentice unto the said  
Basleigh to dwell from the day of the date hereof untill the said  
John Cawley shall come to the age of four & twenty year according  
to the Statute in that case made and provided during all which  
Term & time the said John Cawley shall the said John Basleigh  
well & faithfully serve in all things fitt & necessary by an Apprentice  
to be done and shall behave himself honestly in word & deed  
And the said John Basleigh doth Covenant or promise to bring up  
or cause him the said Apprentice to be brought upon husbandry  
finding and providing for the said apprentice sufficient meat  
drink Apparell hose shoes and all other things fitt & necessary  
for such an apprentice during the said Term & at the end thereof  
to discharge him well Apparelled. In witness whereof the parties  
above named to these said Indentures their hands & seals inter-  
changeably have set the Day & Year above written

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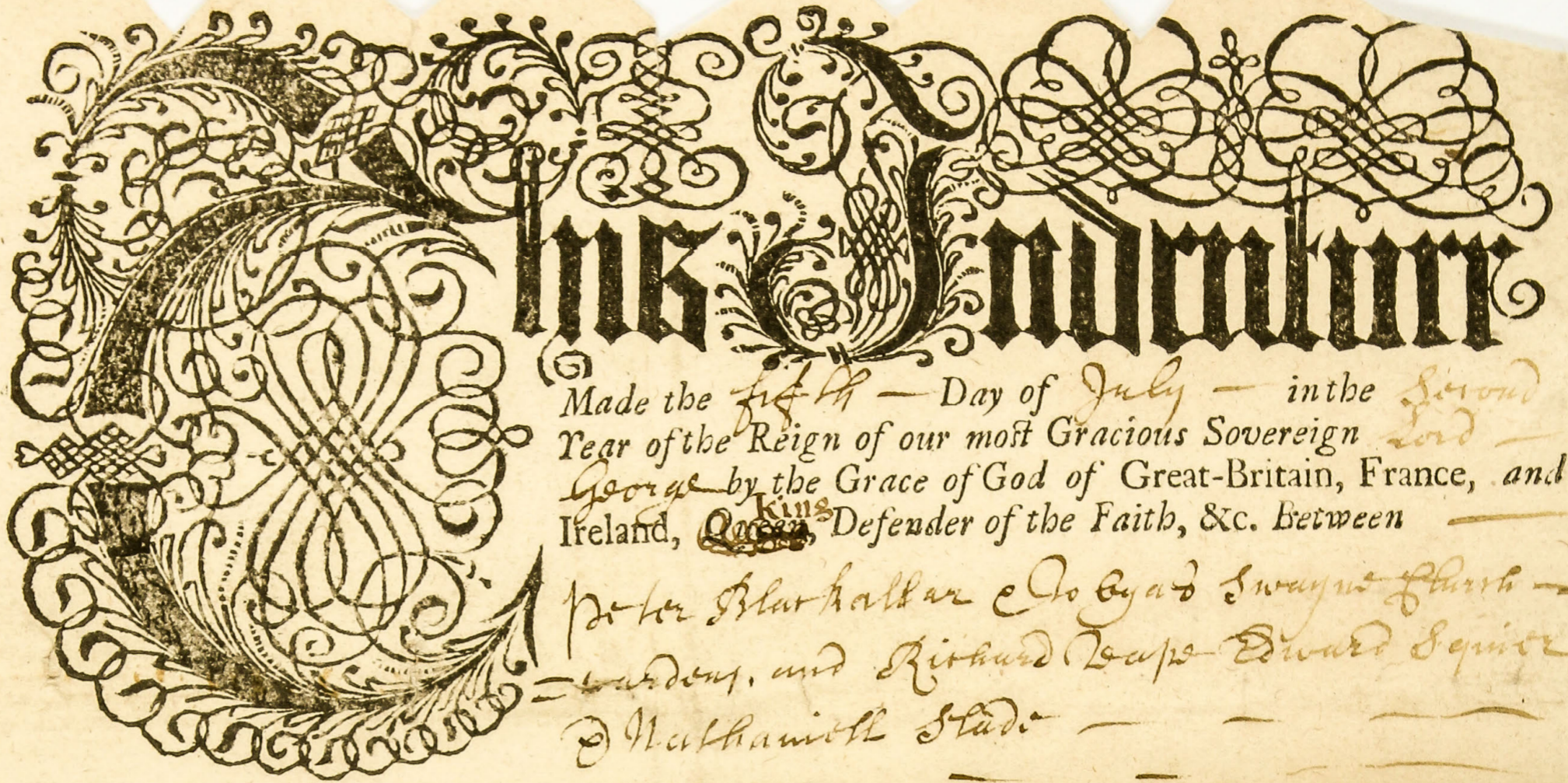
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Made the fifth — Day of July — in the second  
 Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign  
 George by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France, and  
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Peter Blarhalkar Esq and Swayne Clark  
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 & Nathaniel Stads

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 of the one Part, and John Balfour of Ottonynton in the County of Devon  
 of the other Part, and County aforesaid — of the Other, Witnesseth, That the said Officers,  
 by and with the Consent of Two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose  
 Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth Mary Prynd — one of the Poor of  
 the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said John Balfour — to dwell from  
 the Day of the Date hereof until the said Mary Prynd — shall come to be of the  
 Age of one and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all  
 which Term and Time, the said Mary Prynd — shall the said John Balfour —  
 well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall  
 behave herself honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said John Balfour — doth Cove-  
 nant or Promise to bring up, or cause her the said Apprentice to be brought up, in  
 ———— finding and providing for her the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel,  
 Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the  
 said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge her well Apparell'd. In Witness whereof the  
 Parties abovesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably have set, the Day  
 and Year above-written.

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Between

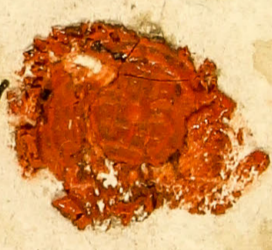
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Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of *Plyton* within the County of *Devon*  
of the one Part, and *Dorothy Butler*  
of the Parish and County aforesaid *widow* of the Other, Witnesseth, That the said  
Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said  
County, whose Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth *Elizabeth Roof*  
one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said *Dorothy*  
*Butter* to dwell from the Day of the Date hereof until the said *Elizabeth*  
*Roof* shall come to be of the Age of *one* and Twenty Years, according to the  
Statute in that case made and provided, during all which Term and Time, the said  
*Elizabeth Roof* shall the said *Dorothy Butler* well and faithfully serve in all  
Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave *her* self honestly  
in Word and Deed. And *she* the said *Dorothy Butler* doth Covenant or Promise  
to bring up, or cause *her* the said Apprentice to be brought up, in *Housewifery*  
finding and providing for *her* the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel,  
Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, du-  
ring the said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge *her* well Appareled. In Witness  
whereof the Parties abovesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably  
have set, the Day and Year above-written. *1719*

Seen and Allow'd by Us.

*Ed. Rideaux*

*Dorothy Butler*



*Wm. Walron*

Signed Sealed and Delivered  
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*George Edwards*



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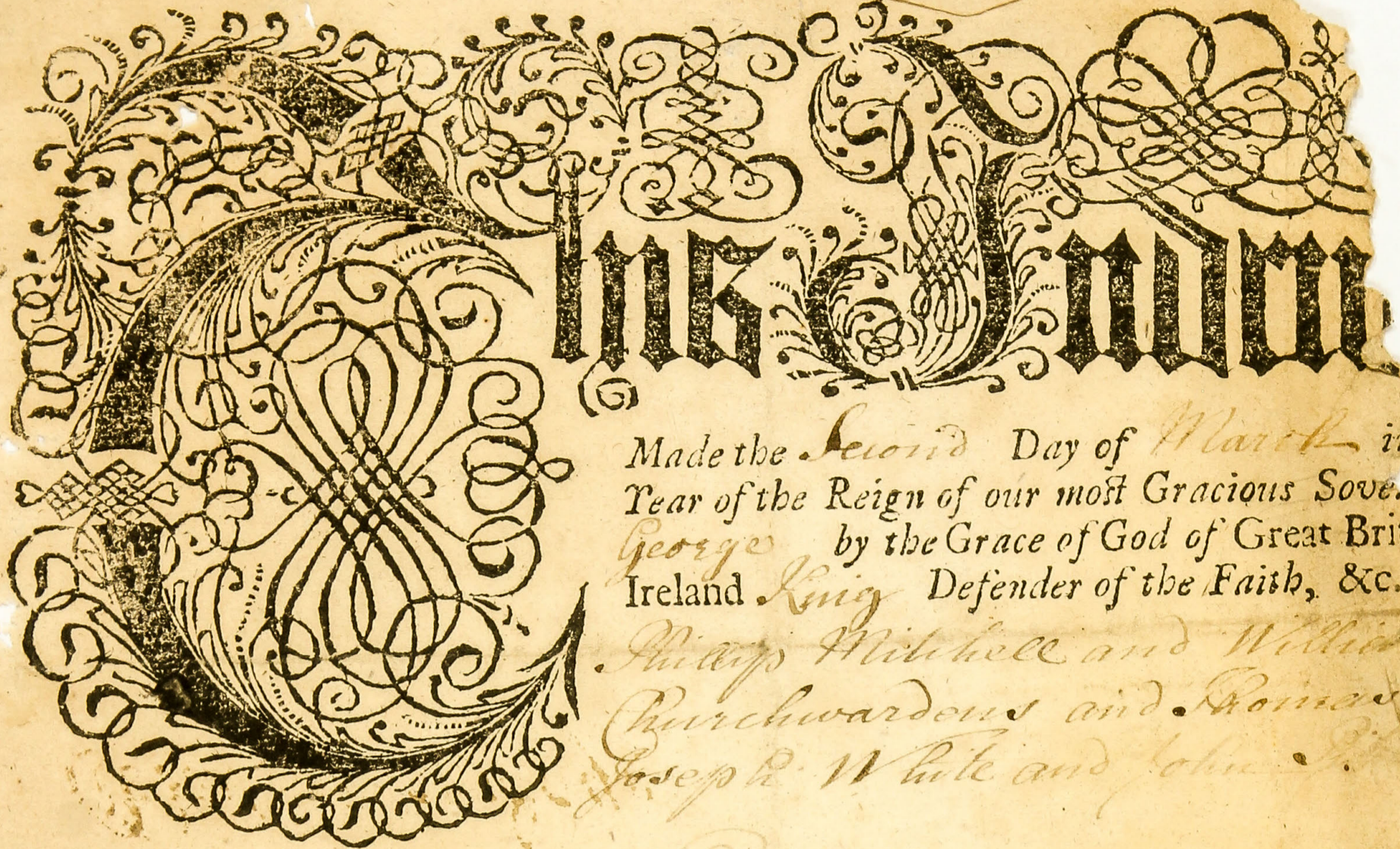
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Made the *second* Day of *March* in the  
Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign  
*George* by the Grace of God of Great Britain, F  
Ireland King Defender of the Faith, &c.

*Thomas Mitchell and William*  
*Churchwardens and Roman*  
*Joseph White and John*

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of *Colyton* within the County of  
of the one Part, and *Edward Cass*  
of the Parish and County aforesaid of the Other, Witnesseth, That  
by and with the Consent of Two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said  
Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth *John Overmars*  
the Parish aforesaid, Apprentic unto and with the said *Edward Cass*  
the Day of the Date hereof until the said *John Overmars* shall  
Age of *four* and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and prov.  
which Term and Time, the said *John Overmars* shall the said *Edward*  
well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be a  
behave himself honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said *Edward Cass*  
nant or Promise to bring up, or cause him the said Apprentice to be brought up, in-  
finding and providing for him the said Apprentice, Meat, Dr.  
Lodging, Hose, Shoss, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice  
said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge him well Apparellled. In Witness  
Parties aforesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably have  
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*The Bowdage*

*John Abbott*





Made the *10th* Day of *October* in the *Sixth* Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign *King* *George* by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France, and Ireland, *King*, Defender of the Faith, &c. Between *John Gasleigh and His Wife Anne Gasleigh* *Richard* *Thos Speed John Blackaller and Tho* *Jucker*

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of *Clypon* within the County of *Devon* of the one Part, and *John Dask* of the Parish of *Arminster* of the Parish and County aforesaid Yeoman of the Other, Witnesseth, That the said Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth *Aaron Buckland* one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said *John Dask* to dwell from the Day of the Date hereof until the said *Aaron Buckland* shall come to be of the Age of *four* and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which Term and Time, the said *Aaron Buckland* shall the said *John Dask* well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave himself honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said *John Dask* doth Covenant or Promise to bring up, or cause him the said Apprentice to be brought up, in *Husbandry* finding and providing for him the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge him well Apparell'd. In Witness whereof the Parties abovesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written.

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**INDENTURE**  
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*George* by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France, and  
 Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, &c. Between  
*John Bafley and Abraham Dungey*  
*Wardens and Thomas Spence*  
*Thomas Baker's Clerk*

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of *Colyton* within the County of *Dorset*  
 of the one Part, and *Edward Pullin*  
 of the Parish and County aforesaid *Wardman* of the Other, Witnesseth, That the said Officers,  
 by and with the Consent of Two of His Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose  
 Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth *Anne Stoutman* one of the Poor of  
 the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said *Edward Pullin* to dwell from  
 the Day of the Date hereof until the said *Anne Stoutman* shall come to be of the  
 Age of *seven* and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all  
 which Term and Time, the said *Anne Stoutman* shall the said *Edward Pullin*  
 well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall  
 behave *her* self honestly in Word and Deed. And be the said *Edward Pullin* doth Cove-  
 nant & Promise to bring up, or cause *her* the said Apprentice to be brought up, in *Husbandry*  
 finding and providing for *her* the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel,  
 Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the  
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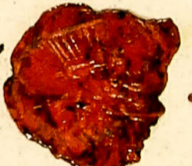




Made the Tenth — Day of February — in the Seventh  
Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign  
George by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France, and  
Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c. Between  
Robert Baker als Furker and William Molens  
Churchwardens, and Joseph Collier Peterblair  
John Speed and John Good

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Colyton — — — within the County of Devon  
of the one Part, and Tristram Swayne  
of the Parish and County aforesaid Yeoman of the Other, Witnesseth, That the said Officers,  
by and with the Consent of Two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose  
Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth Mary Perry — — — one of the Poor of  
the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said Tristram Swayne — — — to dwell from  
the Day of the Date hereof until the said Mary Perry — — — shall come to be of the  
Age of Out and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all  
which Term and Time, the said Mary Perry — — — shall the said Tristram Swayne  
well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall  
behave her self honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said Tristram Swayne — — — doth Cove-  
nant & Promise to bring up, or cause her the said Apprentice to be brought up, in Husbandry  
— — — finding and providing for her the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel,  
Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the  
said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge her well Appareled. In Witness whereof the  
Parties abovesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably have set, the Day  
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**Indenture**  
 Made the Eight Day of July in the Sixth Year of the Reign of our most Gracious Sovereign Lord George by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France, and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith, &c. Between Robert Baker and William Massens Church-wardens and Joseph Collier Peter Blathallar John Speed and John Good

Overseers of the Poor of the Parish of Colyton within the County of Devon of the one Part, and William Westcott of Sydbury of the other, Witnesseth, That the said Officers, by and with the Consent of Two of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace of the said County, whose Names are subscrib'd, have put and bound forth William England one of the Poor of the Parish aforesaid, Apprentice unto and with the said William Westcott to dwell from the Day of the Date hereof until the said William England shall come to be of the Age of four and Twenty Years, according to the Statute in that case made and provided, during all which Term and Time, the said William England shall the said William Westcott well and faithfully serve in all Things fit and convenient by an Apprentice to be done, and shall behave himself honestly in Word and Deed. And he the said William Westcott doth Covenant Promise to bring up, or cause him the said Apprentice to be brought up, in ~~his~~ <sup>the</sup> ~~house~~ <sup>house</sup> of the said Miller finding and providing for him the said Apprentice, Meat, Drink, Apparel, Lodging, Hose, Shoes, and all other Things fit and necessary for such an Apprentice, during the said Term, and at the End thereof to discharge him well Apparell'd. In Witness whereof the Parties aforesaid to these Indentures their Hands and Seals interchangeably have set, the Day and Year above-written. Annoq; Dni 1720.

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Wm Westcott

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for m Thomas Marwood  
of Blamphain and  
Roadgreen in Colyton



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