




James A. Taggart, per Overseers to Pardon Wilber.

This Indenture made this Eighth day of Sept. A. D. 1829, witness-
eth that we Jonas A. Childs & John Fowler, Overseers of the poor
of the township of Bainbridge in the County of Geauga & State
of Ohio, by & with the consent of Aaron Squire, one of the Justices
of the Peace of said County & township, do put and place
James Aaron Taggart a poor boy of said township, age
eight years the Eleventh day of March A. D. 1829, to Pardon
Wilber of Auburn township in said County, with him to
dwell & serve from the day of the date of these presents until
he attain the age of twenty one years, if he so long live, according
to the Statute in that case made & provided, all which term
the said boy his said master, faithfully shall serve on all
lawful business, according to his power & ability, & shall hon-
estly orderly & obediently in all things behave himself

towards his said Master & all his during the said term. And the said Pardon Wilber for himself his ex-
ecutors and administrators, doth covenant & agree with
the said Overseers of the poor & their successors in office by
these presents that he the said Pardon Wilber will allow
and provide for the said boy, competent and sufficient
meat drink & apparel, washing, lodging mending, and
all other things necessary, comfortable and convenient, &
shall cause said boy to be instructed in reading writing
& arithmetick, as boys generally are, & will so provide for
said boy in sickness & in health, that he shall not in
any way be a charge to the township of Bainbridge or
inhabitants thereof; but of & from all charge, shall save
the said township harmless and indemnified during
said ^{term} at the end of said term, when the boy arrives at
the age of twenty one, the said Pardon Wilber shall
and will, make allow, provide & deliver unto the said boy
two good new suits of clothes, one of which shall be suit-
able for a meeting suit, or to appear in any public assembly
and also pay him forty dollars. In witness whereof we
have hereunto set our hands and seals the day & year above
written.

In presence of
Willard A. Sweet
Joseph Ely

 John Fowler, Overseers of
 Jonas H. Childs, the poor
 Pardon Wilber

I Aaron Squire Justice of the Peace of said township and County do
hereby approve and consent to the within Indenture according to
the conditions therein contained

Aaron Squire Justice of Peace

Rec^d & recorded Nov. 2^d 1829.

F. 50^{cts}

Alfred Phelps Dep. Recorder