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Stephen O Lockman pr. Guardian to A. Wilmot

This Indenture made this eighteenth day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty two Witnesseth that Stephen O. Lockman aged fifteen years five months and twenty six days, Ward of Sam'l Griffeth his Guardian of Painesville Township, in the County of Geauga and State of Ohio, hath of his own free will and accord and with the approbation of the said Sam'l Griffeth his Guardian, placed and bound himself an apprentice unto Amos Wilmot, Sadler and harness maker of Painesville Township in the County and State aforesaid to learn the art trade and mystery of a sadler & harness maker, which the said Wilmot, now useth and with him the said Amos Wilmot as an apprentice to dwell and serve for and during the term of five years, six months and five days which will be until the 23rd day of August in the year 1837, at which time the said Stephen O. if he so long lives, will be twenty one years of age, during all of which term the said apprentice his master well and faithfully shall serve in all such lawful business as he shall be put unto by his said Master, according to the best of his abilities and honestly and obediently behave himself towards the said Wilmot and honestly and orderly towards the family of the said Wilmot. And the said Wilmot on his part doth covenant and agree to and with the said Guardian and Ward respectively and jointly to teach and instruct the said Stephen O. or otherwise cause him to be well and sufficiently instructed and taught in the art, mystery, trade and occupation of a sadler and harness maker after the best way and manner that he can and that he the said Wilmot will provide for and allow to the said Stephen O. meat, drink, washing, lodging, and apparel, and all the other necessaries proper and suitable for such an apprentice during the time of his apprenticeship; and it shall be the duty of said Wilmot to school the said Stephen O. six months in a good common school; three months of said schooling to be some time in the fore part or middle of his term of service; the other three months at the close of his apprenticeship; and at the expiration of his the said Stephen O. term of service, the said Wilmot shall give unto the Stephen O. at least two good suits of common wearing apparel. It is further understood that what schooling the said Stephen O. has had forms a part of the first three months schooling and after the date of this indenture three months some time the fore



part of his term of service, and the other three months at the close of his term of service as above stated and also as respects the clothing it is agreed that it shall consist in two common every day suits of clothing and one Sunday suit, the cloth for his coat to be worth four dollars and fifty cents per yard, and the rest of said suit in proportion, and further if the said Stephen O shall well and faithfully serve his term out, the said Wilmot shall give unto the said Stephen O. five dollars in cash, and ten dollars worth of tools. It is further that the last three months schooling may be any time within the last year of his service, and for the faithful performance of the above we have severally set our hands and seals the 18th day of Feby. eighteen hundred and thirty two in the Village of Painesville, Geauga County & State aforesaid in the presence of:

J.A. Tracy
A. Rich

Stephen O. Lockman
S. Griffith
A. Wilmot

Rec'd and Recorded the 16th of May 1832.

Edward Paine Jun Recorder