

This indenture, made this 24th day of June
A.D. 1882, by and between Moses Parsons of Norway, in
the County of Oxford, and David P. Brooks of
said Norway, Farmer, -
That the said Moses Parsons, doth by these presents
place, find and indent his grandson W^m Curtis Stiles
to the said David P. Brooks, to learn the art and trade of
a farmer - and with him the said David P. Brooks offer
the manner of an apprentice to dwell and serve
from the day of the sealing hereof until the 25th
day of May, 1896, when the said minor will arrive
at the age of twenty one years -
And during said term the said apprentice shall
well and faithfully serve his said master, and shall
give and devote to him his whole time and labor. He shall
not marry during said term, nor use ardent spirits,
or practice gaming or other unlawful sports, nor
waste, injure or destroy the property of his master, but
conduct himself in a sober, temperate, honest manner,
and as a good and faithful apprentice ought to do during
all the time aforesaid -
And the said David P. Brooks for himself, his executors
and administrators doth hereby covenant with the said Moses
Parsons that he will faithfully instruct said apprentice in
the art or occupation aforesaid - as far as said apprentice
may be capable to learn - and allow him all the benefit and
privilege of the common schools in said town of Norway,
and constantly provide him with good and sufficient and suitable
food, lodging and clothing, and all other things necessary
in sickness and health - and will train him up in the habits
of industry, temperance and virtue
(over)

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Witnesseth
that the said Moses Parsons, doth by these presents
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a farmer. and with him the said David P. Brooks offers
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Parsons that he will faithfully instruct said apprentice in
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privilege of the common schools in said town of Norway,
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of industry, temperance and virtue

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Date: June 24, 1882

Description: In this document Moses Parsons indentured his grandson William Curtis Stiles to David P. Brooks to learn to be a farmer until his twenty-first birthday.

In testimony whereof, the said Parties have
hereunto set their hands and seals this 24th day
of June A.D. 1882.

Witness Geo. A. Wilson

Moses Parsons
David P. Brooks

In testimony whereof the said Parties have
hereunto set their hands and seals this 24th day
of June A.D. 1882.

Witness Geo. A. Wilson Moses Parsons
David P. Brooks