


This Indenture made this first Day of October in the year  
of our Lord one thousand seven hundred Eighty and seven by  
and between James Elburn of Duck Creek hundred & County of  
Kent in the Delaware State of the one part and William Elburn  
of the same place of the other part Witnesseth -  
That James Elburn of his own free will and Consent doth by these  
present places and bind him self as an apprentice to William  
Elburn to learn his trade art and mystery and after the man-  
ner of an apprentice to dwell with him from the Day of the date  
hereof for and During the full space and term of three year  
During all which time the said apprentice his master faithfully  
shall serve his secrets keep his lawfull Commands gladly obey  
he shall not Commit fornication nor Contract matrimony within  
said term he shall not haunt ale houses nor Taverns he shall not absent  
himself Day nor night without leave of his said master but in  
all things behave him self as a faithful apprentice ought to do -  
During said Term the said William Elburn doth by the present  
Covenant and agreed to and with the said James Elburn to teach  
or cause to be taught the said James Elburn the weaving trade  
which he now followeth and to find and provide sufficient meat



Drind washing lodging and apparel fitting for over an app-  
tice During said term and to give to said apprentice three month  
schooling within said term and if the app<sup>d</sup> James Elburn  
stays with him the app<sup>d</sup> William Elburn six months after he  
arrives to the age of twenty and year of age then the app<sup>d</sup> William  
Elburn doth agree to give him the app<sup>d</sup> James Elburn three months  
schooling more, and at the band and expiation of three year  
from the above date to the app<sup>d</sup> William Elburn is to give to said  
apprentice two suits of apparel one of which to be new - and for  
the true performance of all an every of the above covenants and  
agreements the app<sup>d</sup> parties doth by these presents bind them  
selves to each other the Day and year first above Written -  
Signed sealed and Delivered in presence of - - -

Jean Cahoon

Lydia Cahoon

his  
James Elburn   
for mark

William Elburn 

Indenture - -

James Oburn

To

William Oburn

1787



I do hereby Certify that the within Indenture was  
presented before me this first Day of October 1787  
William Calhoun

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