

Know all Men by these presents that we Margaret Williams, Theodore Gibbs and Sarah H. Davis as held and family bound unto Robert Young Cogswell Judge of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County in the District of Columbia and his successors in office in the sum of one thousand dollars lawful money of the United States to the payment whereof well and truly to be made we bind our selves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this eleventh day of September 1821

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Margaret Williams shall well and truly perform the office of Administratrix of Alexander Williams late of Alexandria County deceased according to law and shall in all respects discharge the duties of her office required by law as Administratrix aforesaid without any injury or damage to any person interested in the faithful performance of said office then the above obligation shall cease it shall otherwise remain in full force and virtue in law

Scaled & Delivered
in presence of
the Court

Margaret Williams
Theodore Gibbs
Sarah H. Davis

Eleanor Cogswell made oath upon the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that David Reynolds deceased, did in his last illness call upon the deponent to bear witness that he wished all his personal property to remain in the hands of his wife for the purpose of raising his young children, and that at the time of speaking the said Testamentary words he was of sound memory, that the said words were spoken a few days before his death in his dwelling house Alexandria Also appeared John Reynolds son of the said David Reynolds and made oath to the same facts as above and the said John Reynolds did at the same time renounce and quit claim to all the personal estate of said decedent The said deponents further made oath that the said David Reynolds dec^d died on the 31st day of August 1821

Reduced to writing and sworn to
this 15th day of September 1821 before
me

Eleanor Cogswell
John Reynolds

I John Ramsay of the County of Alexandria being of sound mind but weak in body do hereby make and declare this to be my last Will and Testament

I leave to my sister Jane Ten pounds sterling payable to her annually by my Executor out of my Estate during her life

After all my just debts and funeral expenses are paid my estate personal and real is to be divided equally among my children in the same manner as if I had died intestate. A sum sufficient to answer the before mentioned annuity is however to be set apart and retained by my Executor before a dividend is made I leave my friend Colin Auld my sole Executor and nominate him Guardian of my children who are under age, and who is to act in both capacities without being compelled or required to give security for the faithful performance of the respective Trusts

I require upon him not to let the land adjoining Town to any person whatever for any other purpose than raising grass or hay, if a suitable person can be had who will agree to comply with this injunction that the land may be let for the space of ten years such tenant however may occupy so much thereof as a garden as may be sufficient to raise vegetables for the use of his family

Published and Declared to be
my last Will and Testament
this 29th day of August 1821
before

Robert Anderson
William Gregory
Rob. Jamison

John Ramsay

At a session of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia the 15th day of September 1821 this last will and Testament of John Ramsay deceased was presented to the Court by Colin Auld the Executor therein named and proved

Know all Men by these presents that We Ellen Donnell George Swayne and Henry Mansfield are held and firmly bound unto Robert Young Esq. Judge of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County in the District of Columbia and his successors in office in the sum of one thousand Dollars lawful money of the United States to the payment whereof well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 15th day of November 1823. The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Ellen Donnell shall well and truly perform the office of Administratrix of Jeremiah Donnell late of Alexandria County deceased according to law and shall in all respects discharge the duty of her required by law as administratrix aforesaid without any injury or damage to any person interested in the faithful performance of said office then the above obligation to be void else remain in full force and virtue in law

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In Presence of
the Court

Ellen Donnell
George Swayne
Henry Mansfield

Know all Men by these Presents that We Richard D Emerson John Crighton and James Wansant are held and firmly bound unto Robert Young Esq. Judge of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County in the District of Columbia and his successors in office in the sum of one hundred Dollars lawful money of the United States to the payment whereof well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 18th day

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Richard D Emerson shall well and truly perform the office of Administrator de bonis non of Alexander Williams late of Alexandria County deceased according to law and shall in all respects discharge the duty of him required by law as administrator aforesaid without any injury or damage to any person interested in the faithful performance of said office then the above obligation to be void else remain in full force and virtue in law

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R D Emerson
James Wansant
John Crighton

Know all Men by these presents that We Eleanor Anderson and James English are held and firmly bound unto Robert Young Esq. Judge of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County in the District of Columbia and his successors in office in the sum of one thousand Dollars lawful money of the United States to the payment whereof well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 21st day of Nov 1823. The Condition of the above above obligation is such that if the above bound Eleanor Anderson shall well and truly perform the office of Administratrix of James Anderson late of Alexandria County deceased according to law and shall in all respects discharge the duty of her required by law as Administratrix aforesaid without any injury or damage to any person interested in the faithful performance of said office then the above obligation to be void else remain in full force and virtue in law

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Eleanor Anderson
James English