

In the name of God Amen I Christopher A Brent of Alexandria
in the District of Columbia being of sound and disposing mind memory and
understanding considering the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the
time thereof and being desirous of settling my worldly affairs do therefore
make and publish this my last Will in manner and form following
I Give I leave unto my true brothers George Brent and Wm. Heath Brent all
the property both real & Personal of which I may be possessed and all that
may fall to my share after the death of my mother Hannah Brent
to them and their heirs forever except that which would have fallen
to Joseph Blackwell and Henry Peyton having purchased their interest
in this Estate I leave unto George Brent of Alexandria District of Columbia
that part which would have fallen to Joseph Blackwell for the benefit
of his four children viz Sarah Innis, Mary Christopher, and Joseph
Blackwell to them and their heirs forever and that which I purchased
of Henry Peyton I leave unto my sister Ann Peyton to her heirs forever
In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my
seal this thirteenth day of April Eighteen hundred and twenty two
Christopher A Brent.

Be it remembered that on the 30th day of August 1825 before me Alexan-
der Moore Register of Wills for the County of Alexandria in the District
of Columbia came Geo. M. Ransom and I do hereby certify and make out upon
the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God that the foregoing will of Christo-
pher A Brent deceased is truly written and signed by the Testator
and be it also remembered that on the 13th September in the same year letters
of Administration with the Will annexed was granted to George Brent
having given bond and security according to Law.

A Moore

Reg. Wills.

Known all Men by these Presents that we George Brent
and John Washington are held and firmly bound unto Philip H. Kendall
Judge of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County in the District of Columbia
and his successors in office in the sum of three 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 thirteenth day of September 1825

The condition of the above obligation is
such that if the above bound Geo. Brent shall well and truly perform
the office of Administrator with the Will annexed of Christopher A
Brent late of Alexandria County deceased according to law and shall in
all respects discharge the duty of him required by law as administra-
tor aforesaid without any injury or damage to any person interested
in the faithful performance of said office then the obligation to void
else remain in full force & virtue in law.

Sealed & Delivered

In Presence of

A Moore

Geo. Brent
John Washington