

At a session of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria the 30th day of November 1811. The parties to this bond acknowledged the same to be their act and deed and intended to be recorded

Test: Alex^r Moore Reg^r.

Know all men by these presents that we Alexander M^r Kenzie and Robert Anderson are held and firmly bound to George Gaspin Esquire Judge of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia and his Successors in Office in the sum of five hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made to the said Judge and his Successors in Office we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of December 1811.

The Condition of the above Obligation is that if the said Alexander M^r Kenzie Administrator of the goods, Chattels and Credits of Dennis M^r Cartwright deceased do make a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, Chattels and Credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to the hands or possession or knowledge of him the said Alexander M^r Kenzie or in the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him and the same so made do exhibit unto the said Orphans Court when he shall be thereunto required by the said Court and such goods, Chattels and Credits do well and truly administer according to Law and further do make a true and perfect account of all his doings therein when thereto required by the said Court and all the rest of the said goods, Chattels and Credits which shall be found remaining upon account of the said Administration for the same being first examined and allowed by the Judge of the said Court for the time being, shall deliver and pay unto such persons respectively as are entitled to the same by Law, and if it shall hereafter appear that any last Will and Testament was made by the deceased and the same be proved in Court and the same be the true and correct copy of the probate thereof and the said Alexander M^r Kenzie

in such case being required to render and deliver up his letters of Administration - then the obligation to be void else remain in full force

Sealed & Delivered
in presence of

The Court

Alex^r M^r Kenzie Seal
Robert Anderson Seal

At a session of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia the 11th day of December 1811 The parties to this bond acknowledged the same to be their act and deed and intended to be recorded

Test: Alex^r Moore Reg^r.

Know all men by these presents that we Alexander M^r Kenzie and Andrew Jamieson are held and firmly bound to George Gaspin Esquire Judge of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia and his Successors in Office in the sum of one thousand dollars to the payment whereof well and truly to be made to the said Judge and his Successors in Office we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 4th day of December 1811.

The Condition of the above obligation is that if the above bound Alexander M^r Kenzie Guardian of the Orphans of Dennis M^r Cartwright Johnson deceased his Executors and Administrators do and shall well and truly pay and deliver unto the said Orphans all such Estate and Effects as now is or hereafter shall come to the hands and possession of the said Guardian, when the said Orphans shall attain lawful age or when thereto required by the said Court, and also shall well and truly save harmless and indemnify the said Orphans of the said Orphans Court and his Successors in Office from all trouble and expence that shall or may arise about the said Estate then this obligation to be void else remain in full force and virtue

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Alex^r M^r Kenzie Seal
Andrew Jamieson Seal

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Test Alex^r Moore Rec^r

District of Columbia Sec^r

George Gaspin Esquire Judge of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia To any Justice of the peace Notary public or Mayor of the County of Washington District of Columbia Greeting Know ye that we have appointed you our Commissioner to examine Witnesses in a certain matter of controversy in our Orphans Court depending Between the Heirs of George Carter deceased by Landon Carter their Guardian Complainants and John Browne Cutting and Sally Carter Cutting Defendants and at such time and place as you our said Commissioner shall think proper to appoint after having given timely notice to the said parties you cause to come before you all such Evidence as shall be produced and nominated by the said parties as well plaintiffs as Defendants and that you examine them and every of them on their Corporal Oath to be by you administered on the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God touching their knowledge of or in anything that may relate to the said Controversy and that reducing to writing their several Depositions you send the same with this our Commission closed under your hand and seal to us in our Orphans Court aforesaid with all convenient speed

Witness George Gaspin Esquire Judge of the said Court this 2^d day of December 1811

Test Alex^r Moore Rec^r

Landon Carter County of Richmond

Sec^r Please to take notice that on the 11th of December 1811 I shall proceed to take the Deposition of William Austin Esq^r Secretary at War of the United States

at his office in the City of Washington to be used in Evidence in the suit now depending in the Orphans Court Alexandria County Columbia District in which Mary Carter Henry Carter and Landon Carter by you under the direction of their Guardian are Complainants and Sally Carter Cutting and my self are Defendants

John Browne Cutting

5th Nov 1811

Richmond County Court

Personally appeared before me a Justice of the peace for the County aforesaid, William C. Whennay and made oath that he delivered a copy of the within notice to Sally Carter a member of Landon Carter's family above the age of sixteen years at Sabin Hall on this day - Given under my hand this 20th day of November 1811

Wm. Hinchliff

The following Deposition taken on the fourth day of December 1811 at the War Office of the United States in the City of Washington in the suit depending in the Orphans Court of Alexandria County, District of Columbia, wherein Mary Carter ^{Landon Carter} Henry Carter and Landon Carter ^{by Landon Carter} under the direction of their Guardian are Complainants and John Browne Cutting and Sally Carter Cutting are Defendants in pursuance of the annexed Commission & Notice Mariaam Esq^r of lawful age being duly sworn doth depose and say in answer to the following Interrogatory

Have you or have you not been well acquainted with the person and Character and Character of the Defendant John Browne Cutting while the said Cutting was young and a resident in your native Town before the battle of Lexington