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annexed Commission I Leon Moore Notary Public for
the county aforesaid, did attend to and take the preceding de-
position of Sally Carter Sen^r as therein annexed. Given
under my hand and Seal of Office this 27th day of April
1811



Leon Moore
Not. in Pub

At a Session of the Orphans Court for the County
of Alexandria in the District of Columbia the
30th day of April 1811 - this deposition of
Sally Carter Sen^r was returned by the defendants
and ordered to be Recorded

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Examined

The Deposition of James Spilman of lawful age taken
at the Mountain Inn in the City of Baltimore to be read in
evidence in a suit now depending in the Orphans Court for the
County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia wherein Mary
Smith, Sally Carter and Pardon Carter Children of George
Carter deceased by Pardon Carter their guardian are complainants
and John Brown Cutting and Sally Carter Cutting are de-
fendants. This deponent after being duly sworn upon the
Holy Evangelists of Almighty God Deposed and Swore
That he resided in the Town of Baltimore in the State of Virgin-
ia as a merchant for a considerable time and that during
that time he became acquainted with Miss Sally Carter
deceased, daughter of Mr. Sally Carter now Mrs. Sally
Carter Cutting, and that during this deponent's acquaintance with
her, which was for some months and of considerable intimacy
the aforesaid Miss Sally Carter always in the deponent's
presence, conducted herself discreetly and with becoming pro-
priety, and as far as this deponent knows, had so at all
times as long as his acquaintance with her continued, which ceased
on the 1st day of May 1807

James Spilman

City of Baltimore to wit.

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By virtue of and in conformity to the annexed Com-
mission John Augusta Magistrate for the City aforesaid, did attend
and take the preceding deposition of James Spilman as therein an-
nexed. Given under my hand and Seal this first day of
May 1811 at the Mountain Inn in the City aforesaid

John Augusta

At a Session of the Orphans Court for the County
of Alexandria in the District of Columbia the
14th day of May 1811 - this deposition of James
Spilman was returned by the Defendants and
ordered to be Recorded

Wm. Moore Esq.
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Know all men by these presents that we John Throop & Thomas Pus-
ton are held and firmly bound to George Gulpin Esq. Judge of the orphans
Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia and his suc-
cessors 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 18th day of May 1811
The Conditions of the above obligation is such that if the above bound
John Throop Guardian of Edward Andrews his executors and administrators
do and shall well and truly pay and deliver unto the said orphan all such
Estate and Estates as now is or hereafter shall come to the hands and possession
of the said Guardian when the said orphan shall attain lawful age or when
therein required by the said Court and also shall well and truly save harmless
indemnify the said Judge of said Court and his successors in office from
all trouble and damage that shall or may arise about the said Estate

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then this obligation to be void or else remain in full force and virtue
Sealed & delivered
in presence of
the Court
A. Moore

Wm Throop
Thomas Preston

At a session of the Orphans Court for the County of Alexandria in the
District of Columbia the 18th day of May 1811 the parties to the within
bond acknowledged the same to their act and deed and it was
ordered to be recorded.
Alex^r Moore Reg^r

District of Columbia }
Alexandria County } so

George Gilpin Esq^r Judge of the Orphans Court for the County of Alex-
andria in the District of Columbia - To any Justice of the peace Notary
Public or mayor in the County of Northumberland in the State of Virgin-
ia 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 B 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
your cause to come before you all such evidences as shall be produced and
nominated by the said parties as well plaintiffs as defendants and that you
examine them on their Corporal oath to be by you administered on the Holy
Evangelist of Almighty God touching their knowledge of or in any thing
that may relate to the said controversy reducing into writing their several
Depositions you send the same with this our commission Bond under your
hand and seal with all convenient speed to us in our said Orphans Court
Witness George Gilpin Esq^r Judge of the said Court this
Fifteenth day of April 1811
Teste Alex^r Moore Reg^r

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Landon Carter Esq^r Sabine Hall Richmond County
Sir

Please to take notice that on the 16th of May 1811 at the nearest Inn
to his own dwelling House in Northumberland County Virginia we shall pro-
ceed to take the Deposition of Walter Jones Senior to be used in Evidence in the
suit now depending in the Orphans Court in the County of Alexandria in the District
of Columbia in which Mary Carter Fanny Carter & Landon Carter by you
as their Guardian are Complainants and Sally Carter Cutting and myself are
Defendants
Yours Obed Serv^t
Parker & Aprie 1811
John Brown Cutting
Richmond County to wit -

Personally appeared before me a Justice of the peace for the County aforesaid
W^m Welland Deputy Sheriff of said County and made oath that he delivered
a copy of the within notice to Landon Carter of Sabine Hall this day
Given under my hand the 9th day of April 1811
W^m Shackelford

Interrogatories to be exhibited to Doctor Walter Jones & answers to be examined on
behalf of the Defendants in a suit depending in the Orphans Court of the County
of Alexandria in the District of Columbia in Mary Carter Fanny Carter
and Landon Carter Children of George Carter deceased by Landon Carter
under the description of their Guardian are plaintiffs and John Brown
Cutting and Sally Carter Cutting are Defendants
1 Did you in the month of September last receive a letter from the de-
fendant John Brown Cutting and is the paper herewith marked A
a correct copy of said letter or does it substantially correspond with it
2 In your reply to the said letter under date of the 1st of October 1810 did
you or did you not describe the situation of the said Sally Carter in the month of