

I have left with Mr James Kennedy of King Street for sale for which he is to have 5 per cent on the sales, One hundred and fifty bottles of Otto of Roses, to be sold at two dollars per bottle. I have an account open with him, when settled and the Otto all sold, I expect there will be two hundred dollars in my favour

I have left with Mr Cary Bronaugh twenty three sets silk shawls to be sold at seven dollars each, and three cases of Hats to be sold at six dollars each hat, each case containing twenty five hats he is to have 5 per cent on the sales

I have in care of Hats with Mr P. G. Munstetter containing twenty five hats, at six dollars each; he is to have 5 per cent on the sales

Should the above articles sell for the limits the commissions deducted, will be \$912.94, the two hundred left by Mr Hopkins, will give \$1122.25, your commission on this sum 55 1/2% leaves \$639.31, say four hundred out of this for my good daughter Phoebe Hopkins, to be lodged in the Bank of Alexandria, leaves \$239.31 One half of which \$119.65 to be paid the Washington School Society, to aid the instruction and clothing the boys and girls, the other half to be paid to the vestry of Christ Church of Alexandria for the purpose of aiding in building the steeple and raising the bell of the said Church, should any of the above sums fall short, take a proportion from each

Your attention to this, will much oblige  
for your obedient and humble servant  
James Crowthill

District of Columbia 1<sup>st</sup>

Be it remembered that on this 31<sup>st</sup> day of July 1820 before me Alexander Moor register of wills for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia, came William Nelson and William Hodgson and made oath upon the Holy Evangelists of Almighty God, that the within instrument of writing purporting to be the will and Testament of James Crowthill deceased, is wholly written and signed by the testator

Alex Moor  
Reg. Wills

Know all Men by these presents that we Ann Crook, Jacob Baugh and John Patten are held and firmly bound unto Robert Young Esquire 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 the second day of December 1820

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Ann Crook as Guardian of Pupils Joseph, Elizabeth and Bernard Crook Orphans of Bernard Crook deceased shall faithfully account with the Orphans Court of Alexandria County in the District of Columbia, as directed by law for the management of the property and estate of the Orphans under her care, and shall also deliver up the said property agreeably to the order of the said Court in the direction of law, and shall in all respects perform the duty of Guardian to the said Orphans according to law, then the above obligation shall cease it shall otherwise remain in full force and virtue in law

Sealed & Delivered  
in presence of  
the Court  
Ann Crook  
Jacob Baugh  
John Patten

Know all Men by these presents that we Jacob Hoffman and Craven P Thompson are held and firmly bound unto Robert Young Esquire Judge of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County in the District of Columbia and his successors in office in the sum of fifteen 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 second day of December 1820

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Jacob Hoffman shall well and truly perform the office of Administrator of Hannah Smith late of Alexandria County deceased to according to law, and shall in all respects discharge the duties 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 shall cease it shall otherwise remain in full force and virtue in law

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Jacob Hoffman  
C. P. Thompson