

in the faithful performance of the said office, then the above obligation shall be void else to remain in full force and virtue in law

Sealed and delivered
in presence of
Shore 3

Ann L. Mahoney
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Levi Pickering.

In the Name of God Amen. I Thomas Cooke of the Town of Alexandria District of Columbia being ill disposed in body but sound in mind and memory Thanks be to God do make this my last Will and Testament revoking all other Wills heretofore made by me and to be as follows to wit: First I give my soul to God that Gave it - Secondly I give unto my father heretofore and above the rest of my children my negro boy Sam and negro girl Melinda and her offspring Thirdly I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Christiana all my property real and personal after all my just debts being paid, and during her single life.

Fourthly, I will that after the death of my said wife, that all my property real and personal the above mentioned two negroes only excepted to be equily divided amongst my three children or among the surviving children or their heirs.

Fifthly I do nominate and appoint my said wife Christiana to be Exectrix of this my last will and Testament: In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seals the first day of May one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

Witness present
Thos. Cooke

At a Session of the Supreme Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia the 26th day of May 1818 - The last will and Testament of Thomas Cooke deceased was presented to the Court by Christiana Cooke the Executrix therein named and proved in due form of law by Alexander Perry James Clark and Leonard Cooke the Witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded - And the Court having qualified the said Will and given bonds and security according to law Letters Testamentary were granted to her

Know all Men by these presents that we Christiana Cooke James Clark and Alexander Perry and family bound unto Robert Young Esquire Judge of the Supreme Court for the County of Alexandria in the District of Columbia and his successors in Office in the sum of five thousand dollars lawful money of the United States to the payment whereof we 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 Twenty sixth day of May 1818 - The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Christiana Cooke shall well and truly perform the Office of Executrix of Thomas Cooke late of Alexandria a County deceased according to law, and shall in all respects discharge the duties of her required by law as Executrix aforesaid without any injury or damage to any person interested in the faithful performance of the said Office then the above obligation shall be void else to remain in full force and virtue in law -

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Christiana Cooke
James Clark
Alex Perry

Know all Men by these presents that we William T. Swanwick and Thomas Jordan Smith and family bound unto Robert Young Esquire Judge of the Supreme Court for the County of Alexandria 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 we 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 Twenty sixth day of May 1818 -

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound William T. Swanwick shall well and truly perform the Office of Administrator of Thomas Watson late of Alexandria a County deceased according to law, and shall in all respects perform the duties of him required by law as Administrator aforesaid without any injury or damage to any person interested in the faithful performance of the said Office then the above obligation shall be void else to remain in full force and virtue in law -

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William T. Swanwick
Thomas Jordan Smith

Damage to any person interested in the faithful performance of the said Office then the above obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue in law—

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A. Moore Reg. M. H.

W. T. Swann

Thos. Swann

Know all Men by these presents that we Thomas C. Jay of Charleston South Carolina and Joseph H. Poe of Alexandria are held and firmly bound unto Robert Young 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 law full 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 fourth day of June 1818.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Thomas C. Jay shall well and truly perform the Office of Administrator of the said deceased according to laws 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 discharge of the duties of said Office then the above obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue in law—

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in presence of
A. Moore
Reg. M. H.

T. C. Jay

J. H. Poe

Know all Men by these presents that We Mary Read William Veitch and Alexander Perry are held and firmly bound unto Robert Young 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 we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 10th day of June 1818.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Mary Read shall well and truly perform the Office of Executrix of Thomas Read late of Alexandria County deceased according to law, and shall in all respects discharge the duties of her required by law as Executrix aforesaid without any injury or damage to any person interested in the faithful performance of the said Office then the above obligation shall be void else to remain in full force and virtue in law—

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in presence of
A. Moore Reg. M. H.

Mary Read
William Veitch
Alex. Perry

Know all Men by these presents that We William Kitchen Benjamin Baden and James Veitch are held and firmly bound unto Robert Young 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 law full 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 25th day of June 1818.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden William Kitchen Guardian of Charles Buttershale faithfully account with the Orphans Court of Alexandria County as directed by law for the management of the property and Estate of the Orphan under his care and shall in all respects perform the duty of Guardian to the said Orphan according to law then the above obligation shall cease it shall otherwise remain in full force and virtue in law—

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in presence of
A. Moore

William Kitchen
Benjamin Baden
James Veitch