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Know all Men by these Presents that we John G. Herbert and Elizabeth Miller are held and firmly bound unto Chas. Neale Esq; Judge of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County in the District of Columbia and his successors in office in the sum of two 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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1827  
The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound John G. Herbert as Guardian of Wm. H. Collier and Edward Morris, shall faithfully account with the Orphans Court of Alexandria County for the management of the property and Estate of the Orphans under his care; shall also deliver up said property agreeably to the order of said Court or the directions of Law; and shall in all respects discharge the duty of Guardians to said Orphans according to law, then the above obligation to be void and remain in full force and virtue in law.

Sealed & Delivered  
In presence of  
the Court

J. G. Herbert  
W. Herbert

Know all Men by these Presents that we Elizabeth Miller and Samuel Smith are held and firmly bound unto Chas. Neale Esq; Judge of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County 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 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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1827.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Elizabeth Miller shall well and truly perform the Office of Administrator of Daniel Miller late of Alexandria County deceased according to law and shall in all respects discharge the duty of her required by law as Administrator aforesaid without any

injury or damage to any person interested in the performance of said Office then the above obligation to be void elsewhere in full force and virtue in law  
Sealed & delivered  
In presence of  
the Court

Elizabeth G. Miller  
Sam'l. Smith

I William C. Newton desirous maketh my last Will & Testament in manner and form following that is to say.  
1<sup>st</sup> I give and bequeath unto my wife Sarah Newton her executors & administrators forever the sum of fifteen hundred dollars; in consideration of having sold certain negroes which belonged to her to the payment of my debts; and further I give and bequeath unto her during the term of her natural life one third part of all my Estate both Real and Personal.

2<sup>nd</sup> I give and bequeath unto my daughter Catherine Morris a Negro Girl named Caroline together with all her future increase until her eldest daughter Mary Ann arrive at the age of twenty one years, and then the said Negro Girl and all her increase are to go to my said Grand daughter Mrs. Edwin & Adams former but if my said Grand daughter should die without issue and without issue then the said Negro, then the said negro and her increase to be the property of my said daughter forever and I desire should then be a sufficient estate left for the purpose in either Real or personal (and this bequest is in failure of personal estate declared to be a charge upon my next Estate in preference to any other or further devise or bequests) that my said daughter be furnished by my Executors with one negro for each of her other Children William H., Morris, Edwin B. & John A. Morris as equal in value as may be.

3<sup>rd</sup> I give and bequeath unto Mrs. Mary Castle the sum of one hundred dollars also one hundred dollars to Harriet Castle and fifty dollars to be divided between John & Obediah Castle and twenty five dollars to each of her other Children Mary Elizabeth and Julia.

1<sup>st</sup> I give and devise unto John Cromwell John P. Morris  
and John Duffey all my patient rights and Copy Rights wheresoever  
recorded and from whomsoever the same were acquired.

2<sup>nd</sup> I give and devise unto Alton Newton & his heirs forever all my  
right and interests in a certain tract of land called Braggs Old Fields  
& situate in King George County Virginia. I give and devise unto  
Walter H. Dossell his heirs forever two tracts of Land situate in the County  
of Bourbon & Bradford in the State of Kentucky, and which are  
more particularly described in a deed from Frances H. Dossell to me  
the above said Frances H. Dossell praying to John P. Morris one fourth  
part of the fair value of said tracts of Land, which value may be either  
fixed by said parties or left to two disinterested persons to settle.

3<sup>rd</sup> All the rest and residue of my Estate both real and personal  
wheresoever I give and devise to John P. Morris & his wife Catherine  
to them their heirs & executors and Administrators.

Lastly I do hereby constitute and appoint John P. Morris and Isaac  
Robbins executors of this my last Will and testament leaving any  
and all other wills & testaments by me made.

In witness whereof I have caused set my hand & affixed my  
seal this 10<sup>th</sup> day of April 1827

Wm C. Burton

Signed sealed published & declared as &  
for the last Will and testament of the above  
named William C. Burton in presence of us

Thomson S. Mason

David Price

Sam'l Vaughan

Know all Men by these Presents that we James Galt and  
Charles Mc Knight are held and firmly bound unto Colv. State Esq<sup>r</sup> Judge  
of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County 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  
well and truly to be made. in kind ourselves our heirs executors and  
administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed  
with our seals and dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of May 1827.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above  
bound James Galt shall well and truly perform the office of Adminis-  
trator of Mary Rister late of Alexandria County deceased according  
to law and shall in all respects discharge the duty of her 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 to be void & remain in full force and  
virtue in law.

James Galt  
Chas. Mc Knight

Sealed & Delivered  
In presence of  
the Court

Know all Men by these presents that we Mang Killeen and  
Hugh Liddy are held and firmly bound unto Colv. State Esq<sup>r</sup> Judge  
of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County 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 well &  
truly to be made. in kind ourselves our heirs executors and adminis-  
trators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with  
our seals and dated this 10<sup>th</sup> day of May 1827.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound  
Mary Killeen shall well and truly perform the office of Administrator  
of Michael Killeen late of Alexandria County and according to law and  
shall in all respects discharge the duty of her required by law as Adminis-  
trator aforesaid without any injury or damage to any person interested  
in the faithful performance of said Office then the above obligation to  
be void & remain in full force and virtue in Law.

Sealed & Delivered  
In presence of  
the Court

Mary Killeen  
Hugh Liddy