

presented to the Court by Elias Harrison and Richard Vetch the Executors therein named and proved in due form of law by Edmund S. Lee and Thomas Sumner witnesses thereto, and the Codicil annexed was proved by the oaths of Edmund S. Lee and Anthony Rhodes witnesses thereto, and the said will and codicil was ordered to be recorded, and the Executors having qualified to the said will, Letters Testamentary are granted to them without security as requested by the Testator.

My Moore
Reg. W. H.

Know all Men by these presents that we Elias Harrison and Richard Vetch 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 ten 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 13th day of November 1821.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Elias Harrison and Richard Vetch shall well and truly perform the office of Executors of Joseph Milburn late of Alexandria County deceased according to law and shall in all respects discharge the duties of them required by law as Executors 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.

Sealed & Delivered
in presence of
the Court

Elias Harrison &c
Richard Vetch &c

Know all Men by these presents that we Elias Harrison and Richard Vetch 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 five 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 thirteenth day of November 1821.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Elias Harrison as Guardian of Joseph Milburn's Children and Margaret Deaking shall faithfully account with the Orphans Court of Alexandria as directed by law for the management of the property and Estate of the Minors under his care and shall also deliver up the said property agreeably to the order of the said Court or the Directions of law and shall in all respects discharge the duty of Guardian to the said Minors according to law then the above obligation shall cease it shall otherwise remain in full force and virtue in law.

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Elias Harrison &c

Richard Vetch &c

Know all Men by these presents that we Charles M. Knight Jonathan Butcher and Robert J. Taylor 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 this 13th day of November 1821.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Charles M. Knight shall well and truly perform the office of Administrator of George Russell late

of Alexandria County deceased according to law, and shall in all respects discharge the duties of him required by law as Administrator of said deceased, 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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Chas M Knight
Jon Butcher
R I Taylor

Know all Men by these presents that we Samuel Lindsay and Laurence Hill and held and firmly bound unto Robert Young Esquire Judge of the Ophans 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 lawfully 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 twentieth day of November 1821

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Samuel Lindsay shall well and truly perform the office of Administrator of Jeremiah Beecher late of Alexandria County deceased according to law, and shall in all respects discharge the duties of him required by law as Administrator of said deceased 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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the Court

Sam Lindsay
Laurence Hill

In the name of God Amen. I Henry Nicholson of the State of Alexandria, in the District of Columbia being of sound and disposing mind and memory, but weak in body, and considering the uncertainty of life. Do make and appoint this my last Will and Testament hereby revoking all other wills by me heretofore made.

I desire my Executors hereinafter mentioned, in a convenient time after my decease, to pay all my just debts of every description

To my six children viz. Henry W Nicholson, Maria Nicholson, John W Nicholson, Leon Nicholson children by my first wife, and to Mary Ann and Jane W Nicholson children by my present wife, give and devise all my real estate of every kind and description to be equally amongst them share and share alike when they shall respectively attain their lawful age of twenty one years or day of marriage, whichever shall first happen my daughter Maria being now of full age, my will and desire is that she have her proportion, whenever she shall demand the same, and my intention is that my Executors shall hold the said property till my children shall respectively attain their legal age or day of marriage. In Trust for the sole use and benefit of my said children I constitute and appoint my friends Robert Anderson and John A Stewart Executors of this my last Will and Testament having always reposed the highest confidence in their friendship and integrity. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this twelfth day of November 1821

Signed sealed published and declared before us by the Testator Henry Nicholson, and in our presence as and for his last Will and Testament and attested by us in his presence

Robert I Taylor N. S. Wise
Thos. Simmes Lau Hoff

Henry Nicholson

It is my will and desire that my aforesaid Executors shall not be required to give security for the faithful performance

Lastly I leave my beloved wife Martha to be sole Executrix
of this my last Will and Testament & that no Security shall
be required of her whatever. Allex: May 29. 1823

Witness

John T. Smith

Joseph Smith

Sidney W. Smith

At a session of the Orphans Court for the County of Alex:
and in the District of Columbia the 7th day March 1825
this last will and Testament of John T. Smith deceased was
presented to the Court by Martha Smith the Executrix then
in named and proved in due form of law by Joseph Smith
and Sidney W. Smith the witnesses thereto and ordered to be
recorded and the said Executrix having to the said will letters
Testamentary was granted her without security as directed
by the Testator

Test

I Move
Respectfully

Know all Men by these Presents that I Martha Smith
am held and firmly bound unto Philip R. Fendall Esq^r 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
I bind myself my heirs executors and administrators jointly by
these presents sealed with my seal and dated this seventh
day of March 1825

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if
the above bound Martha Smith shall well and truly
perform the office of Executrix of John T. Smith late of Alex:
and in County deceased according to law and shall in all
respects discharge the duty of her required by law as Executrix
aforesaid without any injury or damage to any person inter-
ested in the faithful performance of said office then the
above obligation to be void else remain in full force and vir-
tue in law

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In Presence of
the Court

Martha Smith

Know all Men by these Presents that we Charles
McKnight in Jonathan Butler are held and firmly
bound unto Philip R. Fendall Esq^r Judge of the Orphans
Court of Alexandria County in the District of Colum-
bia and his successors in the sum of three thousand
Dollars lawful money of the United States to the pay-
ment whereof whereof well and truly to be made we
bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators joint-
ly and severally jointly by these presents sealed with
our seals and dated this 10th day of March 1825
The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the
above bound Charles McKnight shall well and truly
perform the office of Administrator with the will annexed

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of George Russell late of Alexandria County deceased according to law and shall in all respects discharge the duty 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 to be void else remain in full force and virtue in law

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the Court.

Chas McNight
Sen^r Butcher

Know all Men by these Presents that we John Little Geo Drinker are held and firmly bound unto Philip R Tindall 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 10th day of March 1825.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound John Little shall well and truly perform the office of Administrator de bonis non with the will annexed of Hannah Little late of Alexandria County deceased according to law and shall in all

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respects discharge the duty 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 to be void else remain in full force and virtue in law

Sealed & Delivered,
In Presence of
the Court.

John Little
Geo Drinker
Elisha Talbot

Know all Men by these Presents that we Ann R Dunbar & John Washington are held and firmly bound unto Philip R Tindall Esq Judge of the Orphans Court of Alexandria County in the District of Columbia and his successors in office in the sum of Ten 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 10th day of March 1825.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Ann R Dunbar as Guardian of Elizabeth Dunbar shall faithfully account with the Orphans Court of Alexandria County for the management of the property and Estate of the Orphan under her care and shall also deliver up said property agreeably to the order of said Court in the directions of law and shall in all respects discharge