

COUNTY COURT CLERK

Marriages

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State of Tennessee } Know all men by
Carter County } their private that
we John Olson and Thomas Pax-
ton are held and firmly bound
unto his Excellency William Carroll
Gov. for the term being and his
Successor in office in the sum of
full sum of ^{four} hundred Dollars
Void on Condition that there be
no impediment to obstruct
Marriage between John Olson &
Vincey Estep. Given under our
hands and seals this 4th day of
Sept. 1825. John ^{Wm} Olson Seal
marked by the Paxtons

Thomas Paxton Seal
marked

State of Tennessee } To any License Minister of the
Carter County } Gospel of any denomination
Having the care of souls or any Justice of the peace
in Carter County. By virtue of the power and
Authority in me vested Solo I empower or any
of you to celebrate herefrom the rights of
Marriage between Eldridge A. Olson and
Mary Walker and them join together
in the holy Estate of matrimony husband
and wife. Given under my hand this 24th day of
Dec. 1827 Geo. Williams Clerk

Do certify that Eldridge Odum and
Mary Walker is Lawfully joined to
gether in the Holy state of matrimony
Husband and Wife on the 24th day of
Decr 1827

by me John P. Williams
Pastor of the place

[Signature]

E. Odum
Mary Walker
Licenses

State of Tennessee Know all men by these presents
Carter County } that we Eldridge Odum &
Thomas Hadley — are here and firmly
bound unto Samuel Houston Governor for the
Term being and his successor in office in the full
and just sum of fifteen hundred Dollars and
Void on condition that there be no impediment
to obstruct Marriage between Eldridge
Odum and Mary Walker

Witness our hands and seals this 24th day of
December 1827

Eldridge Odum
Thomas Hadley

State of Tennessee Know all men by these presents that
Carter County — { Mc Damm orthon and

Wright Morlana are held and firmly bound
unto his Excellency William Carroll Governor
for the time being and his successors in office in
the full and true sum of fifteen hundred Dollars
Void on Condition that there be no Impediment
to obstruct marriage Between Damm Orton
and Mary Morlana

Witness our hands and seals this 19 day of
Decr 1822

James C. [Signature]

Wright Morlana [Signature]

State of Tennessee Know all men by these presents
Carter County — { that we Nicholas Pain and
Joshua Williams jr — our heirs Executors and
Administrators are held and firmly bound unto
Samuel Houston Governor for the time being and
his successors in office in the full and just sum of
twelve hundred and fifty dollars and void on
Condition that there be no impediment to obstruct
marriage between Nicholas Pain — and
Mary Elgin — witness our hands and
seals this 29th day of May — 1828 —

Nicholas Pain [Seal]
by Joshua Williams jr [Seal]
Joshua Williams jr [Seal]

STATE OF TENNESSEE.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we *Thomas Paxton* and
Joseph Paxton of *Carters* County
are held and firmly bound unto *William Carroll* Governor of
said State for the time being, and his successors in office, in the sum of *Twelve Hundred and*
Fifty Dollars, to be void if there is no lawful cause to obstruct the marriage of the said
Thomas Paxton to *Mary Wilson*
of said County, or to pay and satisfy all costs and damages that may be recovered in consequence
of such marriage being illegal.

GIVEN under our hands and seals this *18* day of *March* 182*5*

Thomas Paxton (Seal)

Joseph Paxton (Seal)

State of *Tennep* *Carters* County
Know all men by these presents that we
Sion Pierce *Jeremiah Hemmery* and *Jacob*
Carrington are held and firmly bound unto
William Carroll Governor of said State
for the time being
and his *Deputies* in office in the sum
of *Twelve hundred and fifty Dollars* or
on condition there is no cause

to obstruct the marriage of the said
Sion Pierce to *Elizabeth* the daughter of
Carters County or to pay and satisfy
all costs and damages that may
be recovered in consequence of said
marriage being illegal given under
our hands and seals this *25th* day
of *July* 182*7*

Sion Pierce (Seal)
Jeremiah Hemmery (Seal)
Jacob Carrington (Seal)

State of Tennessee } know all men by these presents
County } that we Michael Pierce and James
Lanigan } Bind our heirs Executors and administrators
and heirs and assigns to Samuel Houston
Governor for three years and his Successors in
office in the sum of Three hundred and
fifty Dollars and to abide on conditions that there
be no impediment to abstracts between
Michael Pierce and D. Henry Garrison Duggen
with respect to hands and souls this 13th of Oct

1828

Michael Pierce
James Garrison

State of Tennessee } know all men by these presents
County } we Henry Pierce and Smith Campbell
our heirs Executors and administrators are bind and firmly
bind unto Samuel Houston Governor for three years
and his Successors in office in the sum of Three hundred and
fifty Dollars and to abide on
conditions that there be no impediment to abstracts
between Henry Pierce and Elizabeth
our common wife in hands and souls this 13th of Oct

1829

Henry Pierce
Smith Campbell

State of Tennessee. Whereas all men by their presents the
Barter County, } are under the power and jurisdiction of
and his Excellency and Administrators are held and firmly
bound unto his Excellency William Carroll Governor
for the time being and his successors in office in the
full and just sum of Two hundred and fifty Dollars
and value on conditions that there be no impediment
to a lawful marriage between Anderson and
Rhody Dugger in the hands and in the said
30th of March 1829
William Carroll

STATE OF TENNESSEE.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we Thomas Perry and
James I. Lepton of Barter County
are held and firmly bound unto William Carroll Governor of
said State for the time being, and his successors in office, in the sum of Twelve Hundred and
Fifty Dollars, to be void if there is no lawful cause to obstruct the marriage of the said Thomas
Perry to Nancy Ellis
of said County, or to pay and satisfy all costs and damages that may be recovered in consequence
of such marriage being illegal.

GIVEN under our hands and seals this

18th day of July

1825.

Thomas Perry
James I. Lepton
(Seal)
(Seal)

State of Tennessee
Know all men by these presents that we James
and John C. Rollins are held & firmly
bound unto Samuel Houston Governor of the
State & his successors in office in the County
of Lincoln and one fifty dollars or
in conditions there is no legal cause to
disturb the marriage of the said James
Perry to Mary Adams of ~~Sevier~~ County
Tennessee and satisfy all costs and damages
that may be recovered in consequence of said
marriage being illegal Given under
our hands and seals this 8th Nov. 1827

James Perry

John C. Rollins

State of Tennessee }
Know all men by these
presents that we William
and James P. ~~Rollins~~ our being
Governors are held & firmly bound
unto Samuel Houston Governor for the
being & his successors in office in the
County of Sevier a full sum of one hundred & fifty dollars
& valid on conditions that there be no
marriage between
William Peters and Nancy Brooks
our hand and seals this 1st March 1828

William Peters
James P. ~~Rollins~~

State of New Jersey } No any known members of the
Baxter Society } Gospel of any Denomination being
the love of souls as our duty of the peace in
Baxter Society by virtue of the power and authority
in the State I do authorize you as my agent to
take and perform the rights of Marriage between
William Peters and Nancy Brooks and then
join the together in the holy Estate of Matrimony
as husband and wife given under my hand
Office of Newark 1629 George Williams Clerk
By Wm. 1629 J. B.

I know all men by these presents that
the Isaac Poor and James Adams of Baxter
Society State of Tennessee are held and firmly
bound unto J. B. Brown Governor for the term
being and his successor in the sum of
seven hundred and fifty dollars lawfull mo-
ney of said State yet to be paid and can
either there is no lawful cause to
obstruct the marriage of the said Isaac Poor
and Anna Thomas of said Society other
wise to remain in full force and
virtue witness our hands & seals this
14th day of ~~June~~ 1825
Isaac Poor
James Adams

State of Tennessee } Know all men by these presents
Carter County } that we Francis R. Houston
Joshua Williams our heirs Executors and
Administrators are held and firmly bound unto
Samuel Houston Governor for the time being and
his successor in office in the full and just sum of
twelve hundred and fifty dollars and void on condi-
tion that there be no impediment to obstruct
Marriage between Francis R. Houston and
Mary Hunt — and witness our hands and
Seals this 21st day of August — 1828.

Francis R. Houston
Joshua Williams

State of Tennessee } To any licensed Minister
Carter County } of the Gospel of any denomination
having the Care of souls or any duties of this parish
in Carter County, By virtue of the power and auth-
ority in me vested I do empower you or any
of you to celebrate and perform the rights of
marriage between Henry Sabor & Susanah
Bradley — both of the County of State of Tenn
and them come together in the Holy Estate
of Matrimony Hannah and wife George
under my hands this 6th of Nov 1828

Geo William Clerk
By
Benj Brown Deputy

This is to Certify that Henry Labor and
Susanna Brady Was Married on 4th of
November 1821

John Williams
Jus

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Marriage
License
Henry Labor
Susanna Brady

State of Tennessee, Carter County
I, John Williams Minister of the Gospel of any
Denomination regular called having the
care of souls or any Justice of the peace in
Carter County By virtue of the power and
Authority in me vested I do empower
You or any of You to celebrate and per-
form the rights of marriage between
Robert Sanders and Wholly Moorland
and then join together in the holy estate
of matrimony, husband and wife. Given
Under my hand this 14th day of June
1821
Geo. Williams clrk

I do certify that Robert Sanders &
Rhoda Sanders was lawfully
joined in the Holy Estate of matrimony
as husband and wife this 14th
Day of June 1824.

By me John L. Williams
Justice of the Peace

Marriage
License

R. Sanders

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State of Tennessee Carter County
To any Licensed minister of the Gospel of any
denomination having the care of souls or any
Justice of the peace greeting By virtue of the
power and authority in one vested I do empower
you or any of you to Celebrate and perform
the rights of Marriage Between Edmund Saul
and Mary Right and them join together in
the Holy Estate of Matrimony - Husband
and wife given under my hand and seal
this 26 Day of October 1826

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Marriage
Licence
Bond

I do Certify that I did Celebrate
and perform the rites of Marriage
between the within named persons
on the 26 Day of October 1826

Yuse Cole Justice of the
Peace for Carter County

State of Tennessee) No any Licensed Minister of the Gospel of any
Carter County) Denominations having the Care of Souls or any
Justice of the Peace for Said County by the power and Authority
in me vested I do Authorise you or any of you to celebrate and
perform the Rites of Marriage between William Salls and
Nancy Heston and when joined together in the holy estate
of Matrimony as husband and wife given under my hand
at office this 1st of December 1829 George Williams Clerk
By H. M. Heston &c

I do certify that I celebrated the rights of
 matrimony between Wm Seals & Nancy Lightstone
 on the 2 day of December 1829 Jonathan H. Hyde
 Justice of the peace

William Seals and
 Nancy Lightstone

State of Tennessee } Know all men by these presents that we
 Carter County } William Seals and Alfred, the Carter and heirs
 heirs Executors and Administrators are hold and firmly Bound
 unto his Excellency William Carroll Governor for the time being
 and his Successors in office in the full and just sum of Two
 hundred and fifty Dollars and this bond made on conditions
 that there be no impediment to the said Marriage between
 William Seals and Nancy Lightstone Witnesses our hands and
 Seals this 1st of December 1829 William Seals

Subscribed

State of Tennessee, No any Licensed Minister of the
Evangelical Gospel of any Denomination having
the care of souls or any Jurisdiction of the same
in Carter County by Virtue of the same and
authority in me Voted I do authorize you as one
of you the Licentiate and perform the rites of
Marriage Between Joseph Taylor and Delila
Bates and when you do gather in the holy estate
of Matrimony as husband and wife given under
my hand this 5th of Nov^r 1829

George Williams Clerk
By Wm. Moffatt D C

I do certify that Joseph Taylor
and Delila Bates, was lawfully
joined together in the Holy Estate of
Matrimony Husband and wife,
this 5th day of March 1829.

By me John L. Williams
Pastor of the church

Delila Bates
Joseph Taylor
Witness
Minister

State of Tennessee } know all men by these
Carter County } presence that we James
Shawley & David Haines
are held and firmly bound unto William
Carroll Governor for the time being and
his successor in office in the full & just
sum of fifteen hundred Dollars & void on
condition that there be no impediment
to obstruct marriage between James
Shawley & Rebecca Holt

Witness our hands and seals this 22nd
Day of July 1827 ~~1828~~

James Shawley 
David Haines 

State of Tennessee } I am regularly Licensed Minister of the
Carter County } Gospel having the care of souls, or for
Want of such to any acting Justice of the Peace
for said County. You, or any of you are hereby au-
thorized & empowered to perform the rites of matrimony
between Joseph Shawney & Polly Wells and join them
in the ^{holy} estate of Husband & Wife

Given under my hand ~~and~~ this 13th day of
February A.D. 1828

Geo. Williams 

State of Tennessee }
 Carter County } By virtue of the within
 authority, I attended at the house of Lewis
 Miles in said County and solemnized the
 rites of marriage between the within named
 Jos. Chason & Polly Wells on 14th Feb'y 1828

W. B. Carter
Justice of the Peace

Not of substance of any Law full in the
 Canton County the gospel of Christ benighted
 Regularly called having the same of sales on any
 Justice of the Peace in Canton County feeling
 By virtue of the power and authority in vested
 I do empower you any of you to celebrate and
 perform the rights of Marriages Between
 Isaac Harkin and Polly ~~W~~ and then join
 to gather in the holy state of matrimony
 These Band and wife of joining under my
 hand and seal this 2^d Janary 1827

Donnelly per him *Wm. Williams* B/K

State of Tennessee to any Licensed Minister of
Carter County. The Gospel of any denomina-
tion called having the cure of souls or any
Justice of the peace in Carter County. Granting
By virtue of the power and authority in me
Vested I do Empower you or any of you to
celebrate and perform the rights of marriage
between James Hamby & Rebecca Holt
And then join together in the holy Estate of
Matrimony husband and wife Given
Under my hand this 22nd day of July
1827. Geo. Williams Clerk

James Hamby
Licenced

I have then
been married
by me on the 22nd
day of July 1827
in and before of
William B. Holt

John Wright
Justice of the peace

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This will certify that the rights of
Marriage was legally celebrated
between the two within named
persons by me J. White Justice C.C.

Married
Licensed
Phillip Shaw

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State of Tennessee To any Licensed Minister of
Carter County & the Gospel of any denomina-
tion having the care of souls or any Justice
of the peace in Carter County Greeting
By virtue of the power and authority in me
vested I do empower you or any of you to
celebrate and perform the rights of marriage
Between Phillip Shaw and Phoebe
Ward and them to in together
In the holy Estate of matrimony husband
And wife. Given under my hand this 3rd
Day of October 1820, Geo. Williams Clk

State of Tennessee To any Justice Minister of the
Carter County Gospel or any Justice of the
peace in Carter County I do hereby
and authority in me vested I do empower
you or any of you to Celebrate and perform
the rights of marriage between William
Linn and Rebecca Stanfield and thus
join together in the holy estate of matrimony
Husband and wife Given under my hand
and the seal 25th Sept 1829

Geo. Williamson Clerk

State of Tennessee I do hereby
Carter County that the within
named persons were lawfully
married by me this 27th day of
Sept 1829
Geo. Emmert
Deacon

Mr Linn
Linn
Linn

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State of Tennessee To any License Minister of the
Carter County — Gospel of any denomination
Having the cure of souls or any Justice of the
Peace in Carter County Greeting, by virtue of the
Power and authority in me vested I do empower you
or any of you to celebrate and perform the rights
of Marriage between Thomas Lingo — and
Mary Mosely — and them join together in
the holy estate of Matrimony husband and wife
Given under my hand this 21st day of
January 1824 — Geo. Williams Clerk

Thos. Lingo
Mary Mosely's
Marriage
Licensed

The above persons
were married before
me on the 21st of
Jan 1824 by
John Wright
Justice of the Peace

State of Tennessee To any Licence Minister of the
Carter County - Gospel of any denomination
Having the cure of souls or any Justice of the peace
In Carter County - Greeting,

By virtue of the power
And authority in me vested I do empower you
or any of you to celebrate and perform the
Rights of Marriage Between Henry Perry
And Elizabeth ~~W~~ and them Joins
Together in the holy Estate of Matrimony
Husband and wife, Given under my hands
this 1st day of July 1820,

Geo. Williams Clk

I do hereby certify that the Marriage
of Henry Perry and Elizabeth Pugh was
Performed on the 16th of September 1820
by me
Jas. Campbell Jr

Marriage

Licence

of

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State of Kentucky to wit: of and for
Carter County } Minister of the
 Gospel having the care of souls
or any Justice of the Peace has to do
By the Power in me vested
I do empower you or either of you
to Celebrate the Right of Matrimony
Between Jacob Simms & Elizabeth
Grindstaff whom I have together in the
Holy State of Matrimony Husband
& Wife given under my Hand this
2^d of January 1827

George Williams
C. B. Harris

The happy union of the above named couple
was performed on the 14th of February 1827
Jacob Simms & Elizabeth Grindstaff by
J. Williams

Jacob Simms
marriage
Lions

State of Tennessee To any Licensed Minister of the
Presbyterian Church of any Denomination
Having the care & seat or any Justice of the
Peace in Carter County by virtue of the power—
And authority in me vested I do empower you
or any of you to celebrate and perform the
Rights of Marriage between William
Somerville & Levina Whitehead and then
join together in the holy estate of matrimony
Husband and wife. Given under my hand—
this 23^d day of Nov 1828. Geo. William Clark

I do certify that I celebrated
the rights of matrimony between
William Somerville and Levina
Whitehead at
November 23 1828

Jonathan H. Hyatt
Justice of the Peace

Marriage
License
William Somerville
Levina Whitehead

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State of Tennessee I, my Licensed Minister of the
Carter County — Gospel of any denomination
Regular Called having the care of souls or any
Service of the peace in said county Greeting
By virtue of the power and authority in me vested
I do Empower you or any of you to celebrate
And perform the rights of marriage between
Samuel Smalley and Anna Hendrix
And then join together in the holy Estate of
Matrimony husband and wife Given under
My hand this 10th Day of March — 1821.
Geo. Williams clerk

State of Tennessee
Carter County I, William Carter one of the
Justices of the peace for said county, do certify that
on the 1st day of March 1821 I joined together
in the holy Estate of Matrimony as Husband
and wife Samuel Smalley & Anna —
Hendrix Given under my hand and seal the 1st
day and date above written M. C. Carter
Justice of peace

Marriage

Licensed

Sam Smalley

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State of Tennessee To any Licensed Minister
of the Gospel or any Justice of
the peace for said County bearing by Virtue
of the power and authority now vested I do
Empower you or any of you to Celebrate &
perform the rights of marriage Between
Ezekiah Smith and Anne Smith -
and then join together in the holy estate
of Matrimony Husband and wife
Given under my hand this 11th day of
April 1825 -
George, William Clerk
By Ben. Brewster 26

H. Smith
Deacon

the within parties joined
altogether agreeable to
the within this 21st day of
April 1825 - by me
Ezekiah Smith
Anne Smith

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State of Tennessee }
Carter County }
Know all men by this
=ah Smith and Elsha Smith are here
and freely bound unto his Excellency Wm
Carroll Gov. for the time being and his
successor in Office in the past and
future of future humana do may
Void on Condition that there be no
impediment to obstruct marriage
between Hyeckah Smith and Anna
Smith given under our hand and
seal this 11th Apr. 1825

Hyeckah Smith Seal

Elsha Smith Seal

State of Tennessee }
Carter County }
I, James Minister of
the Gospel of any denomi-
nation regular called having the care of souls
or any Justice of the peace in Carter County
By virtue of the power and authority in me
vested do empower you or any of you
To celebrate and perform the rights of
marriage between Isaac Smith and
Elizabeth Moore — and then join together
in the holy Estate of matrimony husband
and wife Given under my hand this 1st
day of May 1824

Geo. Williams, Clerk

State of Tennessee & I William Carter
Carter county do certify that I found
together in the holy estate of matrimony
as husband and wife Isaac
Smith & Elizabeth Moore on the
first day of May 1821

W. Carter

Justice of peace

Isaac Smith
Elizabeth Moore
Licenses

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State of Tennessee Carter County
Know all men by these presents that we
Isaac Smith and
Daniel Glover bound unto his Excellency
Are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency
Joseph W. Ellins Governor for the time being
and his successor in office in the full and
just sum of fifteen hundred Dollars and
Nois on condition that there be no impediment
To obstruct marriage Between Isaac
Smith and Elizabeth Moore
Witness our hands and seals this 1st
Day of May 1821
Isaac Smith
Daniel Glover

State of Tennessee } No say Licensed Ministers of
Carter County } the Gospel - of any denomin-
ation having the care of souls - or any Justice
of the peace in Carter County by Virtue of the
power and authority in me vested
empower you - or any of you to Celebrate
and perform the rights of Marriage between
Jesse Smith of the County & State of anand
and Elizabeth Faulkner of Washington
County and State of anand - and then
Join together in the holy estate of mat-
rimony between and wife

Given under my hand this 20th
day of Nov: 1821

Geo. Williams Clerk
by
Benj. Brown

State of Tennessee Carter County
This is to Certify that Jesse Smith and
Elizabeth Faulkner was married on the
Twenty first Day of November 1821
John Williams

State of Tennessee Know all men by these presents
Carters County } we Jason Smith, and Joseph
Taylor are held and firmly bound unto
his Excellency William Carroll Governor for the time
being and his successor in office in the full and
just sum of fifteen hundred Dollars Void on Condition
that there be no impediment to obtain marri-
age between Jason Smith and Elizabeth South
witness our hands and seals this 20th Novr 1824

Jason Smith (seal)

J. Taylor (seal)

State of Tennessee Know all men
Carters County } by these presents that
we John Smith and Thomas Elliot are
held and firmly bound unto his Excellency
William Carroll Gov^r for the time being and
his successor in office in the full and
just sum of fifteen hundred Dollars Void
on Condition that there be no impediment
to obtain marriage between
John Smith and Thomas Elliot

witness our hands and seals this 18th
March 1824 John Smith (seal)

Thos Elliot (seal)

State of Tennessee } To any licensed Min
Carroll County } ister of the Gospel
I hereby certify of the peace for said
County Granting by Virtue of the power
and Authority above said I do hereby
know you or any of you to Celebrate
and perform the rights of marriage
between John Smith and Nancy
Hicks and them down to gether in
the holy Estate of Matrimony husband
and wife Green and an orphan
This 15th March 1824

Geo William Clark
By: Benz Press &c.

I do certify that on the 25 of
March 1824 I Celebrated the
Rites of Marriage between
John Smith and Nancy Clark
Jesse Clark
Justice of the peace
for Carter County

J Smith 210

STATE OF TENNESSEE.)

Carter COUNTY.)

TO ANY AUTHORIZED MINISTER OF THE GOS-
PEL, OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE—

GREETING.

EITHER of you are authorised and empowered to solemnize the Rites of
MATRIMONY between *Morgan Smith* and
Mehale Colbough according to the Rites and Ce-
remonies of your respective Churches, and the Act of Assembly, in such case made
and provided. Given under my hand, at Office, in *Elizabethton* the

19th day of *March* — 1827

Geo. Williams

William Williams
Justice of the Peace
Morgan Smith

State of Tennessee, I do certify, that the within
Carter County }
named persons were lawfully married by me
this *22nd* day of *March* 1827
By *Geo. Williams*
Justice of the Peace

STATE OF TENNESSEE.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we

Morgan Smith ^{4th} ~~John~~ ^{of Carter} County
are held and firmly bound unto *Am Carroll* Governor of

said State for the time being, and his successors in office, in the sum of *Twelve Hundred and Fifty Dollars*, to be void if there is no lawful cause to obstruct the marriage of the said

Morgan Smith to *Abigail Colbough*
of said County, or to pay and satisfy all costs and damages that may be recovered in consequence of such marriage being illegal.

GIVEN under our hands and seals this *19th* day of *March* 182*7*.

Morgan Smith
J. Henderson

State of Tennessee Carter County
To any Licenced Ministers of the Gospel of any
Denomination regularly called having the care of souls
or any Justice of the Peace in Carter County; By virtue
of the power and authority in me vested I do Impower
you or any of you to celebrate and perform the rights
of Marriage between *Russell Smith* and *Abigail*
Loys and them join together in the holy Estate of mat-
rimony husband and wife; given under my hand this
24th day of *April* 1822

James Keys
for
Geo. Williams & Co

The rights of Marriage was performed between
the within named parties on the 24th of April
1822 by me

Wm. M. C. C.

Marriage
Licence

R. Smith

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State of Tennessee }
Carter County } We Rufel V. Smith and John Keys
are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency William
Carroll Governor for the time being and his Successor in
office in the full and just sum of fifteen Hundred Dollars
and No on Condition that there be no Impediment to abstr-
act marriage between Rufel V. Smith and Abigail Loyd
Witness our hands and seals this 24th of April 1822

James Keys
for
Geo Williams clk

Rufel Smith
John Keys

STATE OF TENNESSEE.

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we *Samuel Smith*
and *Daniel Haun* of *Carter* County
are held and firmly bound unto *William Carroll* Governor of
said State for the time being, and his successors in office, in the sum of *Twelve Hundred and*
Fifty Dollars, to be void if there is no lawful cause to obstruct the marriage of the said
Samuel Smith to *Elizabeth Walker*
of said County, or to pay and satisfy all costs and damages that may be recovered in consequence
of such marriage being illegal.

GIVEN under our hands and seals this *27th* day of *July* 182*6*

Geary

Samuel Smith Seal
Daniel Haun Seal

STATE OF TENNESSEE.

Carter COUNTY.

TO ANY AUTHORISED MINISTER OF THE GOS-
TEL. OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE—
GREETING.

BEFORE of you are authorised and empowered to solemnize the Rites of
MATRIMONY between *Samuel Smith* and
Elizabeth Walker according to the Rites and Ce-
remonies of your respective Churches, and the Act of Assembly, in such case made
and provided. Given under my hand, at Office, in the

27th day of *July* 182*6*

Geo. Williams Clerk

L. Smith

Deceased

I certify that
on the 30th of July
1826, at my house
I joined in
wedlock the
within named
persons in
County.

L. Smith
Deceased

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State of Tennessee I, any licensed minister of the Gospel
Carroll County I of any denomination having the care of
Sabbath or any justice of the peace in Carroll County
by virtue of the Power and authority in me vested
do empower you or any of you to Celebrate and
Perform the Rights of Marriage between Seth Smith
and Elizabeth Carroll
together in the holy Estate of matrimony and them join
life given under my hand this 22nd day of
November 1829

I certify that I united the
Within Persons to gather
in the State of Matrimony
Husband and Wife at the
House of John Carr
This Nov. 29th 1849
Justice of the Peace

State of Tennessee I know all men by their presents
batter County I that we Smith
Elkanah William are held and firmly bound unto
unto his Excellency William Carroll Governor for the time
being and his successor in office in the full and just sum
of twelve hundred and fifty Dollars and no more on con-
dition that there be no impediment to obstruct matrimony
Between ~~John~~ Smith and Elizabeth Carroll
Witness our hands and seals this 22^d day of
November 1849

~~John Smith~~
Elkanah William

State of Tennessee To any authorized Minister of the
Carters County Gospel or any Justice of the peace
Granting - In this of you are authorized
and empowered to solemnize the Rites of Marriage
between William Smith & Catharine
Mothens according to the Rites and Ceremonies
of your respective Churches and the act of
Assembly in such case made & proven and
Given under my hand at office in Elizabethton
this 17th April 1828 By John Thys Dd
J. Williams Clerk

State of Tennessee Know all men by these
Carters County presents that we William
Smith & Williams Carters are here and firmly
bound unto to Saml Houston Governor of the
State for the time being & his Successors in office
in the sum of Five hundred and fifty Dollars
via an obligation there is no legal cause to
obstruct the marriage of the said William
Smith to Catharine Mothens or pay & satisfy
all costs & damages that may be recovered
in consequence of said Marriage being
illegal Given under our hands & seals this
17th April 1828

William Smith
mark

W. Carters

State of Tennessee to any Licenced Minister of the
Carter County Gospel of any Denomination
having the Care of Souls having the Care of
or to any justice of the peace in Carter County
Greeting by Virtue of the power and authority
in me vested I do empower you or any of you to
Celebrate and perform the Rights of Marriage
between George W. Snider and Hannah ^{Snider} ~~Snider~~
and them join together in the holy estate of
matrimony husband and wife given under
my hand this 25th of January 1923

Geo. Williams
by Wm. H. C.

the within named persons, was solemnized
on the 25th of January 1923 by me

Wm. H. C.

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State of Tennessee Carter County
To any Licensed Minister of the Gospel
of any denomination regular called having
the care of souls or any Justice of the in Carter
County, By virtue of the power and authority in
me vested I do empower you or any of
you to celebrate and perform the rights of
Marriage between Joseph Snedder and
Elizabeth Bradley, and then join together
them in the holy Estate of matrimony
Husband and wife, Given under my hand
this 24th day of June 1822.
Geo. Williams Clk

State of Tennessee To any Licensed Minister of
Carter County } the Gospel of any denomina-
tion having the care of souls or any Justice of
the peace in Carter County, By virtue of the
Power and Authority in me vested I do empower
you or any of you to celebrate and perform
the rites of marriage between William
Longmire and Stephen A. Williams
and then join together in the holy estate of
Matrimony husband and wife Given under
my hand this 8th day of January - 1829
Geo. Williams Clk

State of Tennessee Carter County Know all men
By these presents that we William Longmire and
Samuel W. Williams — our heirs Executors &
administrators are hit and firm & bound unto
Samuel Houston Governor for the time being
and his successor in office in the penal sum of
twelve hundred & fifty Dollars & void on
condition that there be no impediment
to obstruct marriage between William
Longmire and Sophene Williams
Witness our hands and seals this 8th day of
January 1829

Seal
Seal

State of Tennessee } To any licensed min-
Carter County } iter of this Gospel or
any dealer of the peace in Carter County
by virtue of the power and authority
me vested I do Empower you or any
you to Celebrate and perform the
rights of marriage between Robert
Stuart & Sarah Laughlin & them
Join together in the holy estate of matrimony
= one husband and one wife for us under
my hand & this 29th day of Oct. 1822

Ben. Brewster Dpty

I do hereby Certify that I did solemnize
the Rights of Matrimony between Robert
Stuart & Sarah Laughlan on the Barron of
Israel Dodge

7 of Oct. 1822

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Robert Stuart
Minister
of the Gospel

Know all men by these Presents That we John Laylor
and John Stuart are here solemnly bound unto
William Carroll Governor of the State of Tennessee
for the time being ^{In the succession of his} in the sum of twelve hundred
and fifty dollars. Under an condition that there
be no impediment in the marriage between
Britton Stuart & Abigail Laylor. Witness
our hand & seals this 31st day of October AD
1822

John Laylor
his
John & Stuart
mork

I, John [unclear] being duly ordained minister
of the Gospel having
the care of souls of any denomination ~~and~~
- ~~and~~ into Justice of the peace and for said
County by the authority and power in
me vested I do authorize you or any of
you to celebrate the rights of matrimony
- may between rich ~~and~~ ~~and~~ and
- Catharine ~~in~~ ~~officer~~ and them join
- together in at my place of matron
- ~~may~~ has been and before given in
- ~~see~~ my hand at office this 27th
Day of July 1827 Hampton
- ~~for~~ Geo W. Thompson
Clerk

State of Tennessee Carter County
I solemnized the rites of marriage
between the within named persons
20 July 1827 W B Carter
J. Peace

State of Tennessee Carter County know
all men by these presents that we Isaac
Swanson and Edward Hendry are here
and firmly bound unto Joseph W. Minn
Governor for the time and his successor in
office in the full and Just sum of fifteen
Hundred Dollars and No more on condition
that there be no impediment to obstruct
marriage between Isaac Swanson and
Loruhame W. Noble, witness our
hands and seals this 13th day of
March 1821,

Isaac Swanson

Edward Hendry

State of Tennessee Carter County
To any Clergy minister of the Gospel
of any denomination having the care of
Souls or any Justice of the peace in Carter
County by virtue of the power and authority
in me vested I do empower you or any
of you to celebrate and perform the rights
of marriage between Isaac Swanson and
Loruhame W. Noble and then join
together in the holy Estate of matrimony
Husband and wife, Given under my
hand and this 13th day of March 1821, —
Geo. Williams

This is to certify that Isaac
Swanson and Phucamor Mankle
was married on the 18th Day
of March 1821
John Williams
Jr

Obaer Swanson
Marriage
Lined

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State of Tennessee Carter County
Know all men by these presents that we
Philip Swanson & Alfred B. Keaton
Are held and firmly bound unto William
Carroll Governor for the time being and
His successor in office in the full and Just sum
of fifteen hundred Dollars and Void in condi-
-tion that there be no impediment to obstruct
Marriage between Philip Swanson and
Eliza Price — witness our hands &
Seals this 15th day of Aug 1825

Seal

State of Tennessee } To any Licensed minister
Carter County } of the gospel of any denom-
=nation having the care of souls or any Justice
of the peace in Carter County Greeting
By virtue of the power and authority in me
vested I do empower you or any of you to
celebrate and perform the rights of mar-
=riage Between Philip Swonger & Eliza
Price — and then join together in
the holy Estate of matrimony husband &
Wife Given under my hand this 14th day
of August 1825 Geo. Williams

P. Swonger
Licence

I do certify that I have
celebrated and performed the
Marriage of matrimony Between
Philip Swonger and Eliza
Price at my house and then
come to Eliza and wife
this day August 14th 1825
Wm Peoples
Justice of the Peace

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