

North. Lamen Baker
To Constable. And
D. N. Ford 1854

Know all men by these presents that we
Berthelmeier Bother, Jacobus Smith first
Massey and James Morris and his wife
freely bound unto H. H. M^r Carroll by

Governor of the State of Tennessee and his successors and officers in the past and
 full sum of One thousand dollars for the payment of which shall
 and truly to be made, sold and each of us bind ourselves and our
 heirs, executors and administrators jointly, severally and firmly by their
 presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 20th day of Dec^r 18th

The Condition of the above obligation is such, that when on the above named Northampton Datchet is this day appointed to meet or meet for the County of Northampton and said Bench Under None of the said Northampton Datchet shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all Sums of money by him received by Virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to his office well and lawfully demean himself during his Continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue.

D. Parker. (P)
 Jacobus Smith (P)
 John Murphy (P)
 James Morris (P)

John W. Hapall
To Guardian David
New Haven 1884

State of Tennessee Grant County
 Now all given by these presents that we
 Robert P. Huffell and Robert A. Palk of the
 County and State of aforesaid our h'd's &c.

firmly bound unto Joseph H D Nicoll chairman of the Court of Sessions and
quarter Sessions for said County and his successors in office in the
sum of One hundred dollars to be paid to said justice or his
successor in office or officers to which payment shall and truly to
be made and paid unto our heirs executors and administrators
jointly severally and firmly by the parents &c. &c. &c. the our seals and
dated this 20th day of Decr 1856

The Condition of the said obligation is such that when the said bond
Hupfel was this day shown and appointed guardian of Sarah M. Green. None
should the said Hupfel well and truly perform the duties of guardian
towards the said Sarah M. Green and in all respects discharge his duty
faithfully, then the obligation to be void, else to remain in full
force and virtue.

Witness My Hand
at New York the 10th day of June 1854

J. P. Hupfel Esq
Notary Public

J. F. Hendon Esq
Atty A. R. M. C.

James Phaff & Co
Guardians Bond
Dec. Term 1834

State of New Jersey Liberty County
 Have all men by their separate that are
 James Shipps Thomas Hatchett & Leas
 Shopp of the County and State of said or

held and firmly bound unto Joseph D. Driscoll, chairman of the Court of pleas
and quarter sessions for said County, and his successors in office in the
sum of three hundred & sixty Dollars to be paid to said justice or his suc-
cessor in office or officers to which payment shall and lawfully be made when
and where our heirs, executors and administrators jointly, severally and singly by
the persons sealed with our seals and dated this 15th day of December 1834.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that when the above
found James Thompson also the dog chain and appointed guardian of Mrs.
W. Canner, James C. Canner & Alcham (H. Canner) Nor should the said
James Thompson still and truly perform the duties of guard or toward
the said Miner orphan and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully
than this obligation to be void, as to remain in full force
and Virtue
D. S. Thompson (Sign)

Edw. M. Harper (Scribner)
Thomas Hatchell (Scribner)
Edw. M. Harper (Scribner)

Isabel Pollen To
Apprentice Bond
Dec^r Term 1855

Know & I rec^d by their friends that 1000 North
Dutton and Maria Blakeley were held and being
bound unto for 1000 dollars in the general sum
of three hundred dollars to which payment

well and ready to be made and bind ourselves one here to jointly and severally
being by their private sealed with our seals and dated this 20th Dec 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the County Court has this day bound to the said Robert Sellers, Joel Lewis and Lewis Lewis, each in age to you and your heirs, great may child, one of the said Lewis deceased, Joel until he arrives at Twenty one years of age and Lewis until the 1st of the age of his birthday years, that if the said Sellers shall educate the said the said Joel Lewis until he can read, write & cipher to the joy & rule of them, and Lewis until she can read and (right) find and clothe said children in a comfortable manner give the boy a horse saddle and Bridle worth twenty five dollars and a suit of cloths when he becomes of age and the girl a hand said Bridle worth twenty five dollars a suit of cloths and one feather Bed and to teach them choritables & humors (manner) during the time they remain with in until they become of age. And in that case the obligation to be void and of no effect to remain in full force and virtue the day and date above written

Robert Sellers
Joel Lewis
Lewis Lewis

Robert Sellers (page)
Shuman or Fletcher (page)

Thomas H King To
Execution Bond
March Term 1855

Know all men by these presents that after
Thomas H King, Gentlly & Effeminate, being to wit
Henry H. King & J. J. of Davis and hold and sign
bound unto William Carroll Esq. Governor of the State of Tennessee and his
successors in office in the just and full sum of Ten thousand dollars
for the payment of which well and truly to be paid and made and of un-
derwritten in his execution and administration jointly severally and firmly
by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 17th day of March 1855

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bond
Thomas King has this day taken upon himself the duties and execution of the
Bill of Thomas Huggins deceased Son of the said Thomas King, and
truly execute the same by paying forth the just debts of the said deceased
and then the legacy contained in the said will as far as the said
deceased has been able to execute and the same charge him and make a true
and perfect inventory of the goods and chattels of the deceased and return
the same in the form prescribed by law then the obligation to be void
otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Thomas H King (Seal)
J. H. Huggins (Seal)
J. H. Huggins (Seal)
Henry H. King (Seal)
J. J. Davis (Seal)

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and then the legacy contained in the said will as far as the said
deceased has been able to execute and the same charge him and make a true
and perfect inventory of the goods and chattels of the deceased and

return the same in the form prescribed by law then the obligation to be
void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Thomas H King (Seal)
J. H. Huggins (Seal)
J. J. Davis (Seal)
Henry H. King (Seal)
J. H. Huggins (Seal)

Thomas Huggins Last
Will and Testament
March Term 1855

I Thomas Huggins of the County of Wilson and State
of Tennessee do make and publish this
my last will and testament hereby revoking
and making void all former wills by me
at any time heretofore made And first I declare that my body
has lawfully entered at the place that I do hereby devise some time
and (company with Thomas King) in said County in or near or suitable to
my condition in life And as to such worldly estate as I lawfully
had to interest me in I do hereby dispose of the same as follows
first I declare that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid or paid
or paid out of any money that I may lawfully possess of or may first
come into the hands of my executor from any portion of my estate And as for
secondly I bequeath my soul to God, the Governor depending on his merits
thirdly I give and bequeath unto my loving wife Mary the tract of land
I now live on containing two hundred acres be disposed of as she may
think proper also a negro bond by the name of Rowland during her
natural life also all my stock of Horn cattle and Hogs except
and fully called Sally Huggins I give to my son the said Thomas Huggins
fourthly I declare that all my negroes be kept together
also all of my other property for the purpose of raising and educating my
children until the youngest child be come of age then and equal
division to be made among my children except what I first give
to my wife Mary Huggins fifthly I declare that as my children Mary
be come of age they are to have a portion of the property at Valuation
as my wife Mary Huggins and my children may think best to give
the said estate to be divided by disinterested men I further declare that
if it is found that the negroes are not profitable by keeping them together
they may be hired out for one year or two years or my executor may
think best

I do hereby make and appoint my beloved
brother Christopher Huggins and my returned friend and Cousin
Thomas King my Executors of this my last will and testament
And I do hereby certify that I Thomas Huggins the said testator have
to this my will written in the presence of my friends

I was all and finally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 17th March 1855

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Henry Anderson alias this day chosen and appointed Guardians of Robert A. Allison Now should the said Henry Anderson sell and lawfully perform the duties of Guardians toward the said Minor Orphan and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully thus this obligation to be void and the same is full force and Virtue

Henry Anderson (Sd)
J. M. Rogers (Sd)
James Anderson (Sd)

Joseph Allison (Sd)
Representing (Sd)
March Term 1855

Know all men by these presents that said Joseph Allison, John B. McAllister, Henry Allison and John Allison and finally bound unto William Carroll Judge Governor of the State of Tennessee and his successors in office in the just and full sum of fifteen hundred dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be paid also and each of us bound ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly severally and finally by these presents with all the our seals and dated this 17th day of March 1855

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Joseph Allison has this day lawfully appointed himself the trustee and execution of the will of Robert A. Allison deceased and for the said Joseph Allison well and truly execute the same by paying first the just debts of the said deceased and then the legacies contained in the said will as far as the assets may come unto his hands well execute and the same charge him and make a true and perfect inventory of the goods and chattels of the deceased and return the same in the time prescribed by law thus this obligation to be void otherwise the same is full force and Virtue

Joseph Allison (Sd)
John B. McAllister (Sd)
Henry Allison (Sd)

Robert A. Allison last
sick and Testament
March Term 1855

In the name of God Amen I Robert A. Allison of the State of Tennessee & County of Belmont being of perfect mind and memory thanks be to God therefore Calling to mind the frailty of my body and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die do make and ordain this and no other to be my last will and Testament and first of all I recommend

my soul to God who gave it and my body to the earth to be buried in a Christian manner nothing doubting both at the general Resurrection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God and to such blessed estate whither it shall please God to bring me in the life I give and dispose of the same in the following manner and form

First I give and bequeath to whoever of my lawful heirs shall survive my deceased father a general maintenance during his natural life (and this shall be to whoever he shall choose and they be willing to comply with the above condition) my 100 acre tract tract of land in the County of Davidson to me by my deceased father (Andrew Allison) with this exception exception that my three sisters Julia A. Allison Mary A. Allison and Nancy A. Allison have the use of the dwelling house and kitchen whilst the same remain unimproved - that is provided my father leaves no wife and help and not able to maintain himself if not he shall still have the use of the dwelling house and kitchen during his natural life and the use of so much of the said land as he may cultivate and so much of the timber as he may need for fire wood and other purposes and whatever of his own children or any other person he may choose to provide with off he may choose to provide with the same shall be allowed so much of my land above mentioned or they think reasonable compensation for any trouble they may have with the same if that should be to take all the tract if they think less than the whole sufficient my brother Andrew shall have the balance provided that nothing of the above be so contained so as to deprive my three sisters above mentioned of the use of the dwelling house and kitchen whilst the same remain unimproved

Second I give and bequeath unto the lawful heirs of my deceased father Robert A. Allison two dollars

Third I give and bequeath to my brother Joseph Allison two dollars

Fourth I give and bequeath to my brother Henry Allison two dollars

Fifth I give and bequeath unto my brother William Allison two dollars

Sixth I give and bequeath unto my brother John Allison one dollar

Seventh I give and bequeath unto my brother Andrew Allison two dollars

All the remainder of my property of whatever kind not mentioned to be equally divided between my three sisters Julia A. Allison Mary A. Allison and Nancy A. Allison and my brother Andrew Allison I also appoint my brother Joseph Allison and Henry Allison sole executors of my last will and Testament And I certify whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 17th day of January in the year of our

Lord and thousand eight hundred and thirty five
sealed and signed

James M. Bridle
School Overseer
In Person

Robt. V. Allison

Robert Edmondson
To & Constable Bond
The Governor

June Term 1835

Now all men by these presents that we Robert Edmondson, Samuel Crawford and William V. Webb are held and firmly bound unto William Carroll Esq. governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the just sum of five hundred dollars for the payment of which will and truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves our heirs executors administrators jointly severally and personally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 18th day of June 1835

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Robert Edmondson is this day appointed a Constable for the County of Gibson in said State now if the said Robert Edmondson shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sums of money by him received by virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to his office well and truly demean himself during his continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Robert Edmondson
S. Crawford
Wm. V. Webb

Alexander M. Douglass
To & Constable Bond
The Governor

June Term 1835

Now all men by these presents that we Alexander M. Douglass, Allen M. Douglass, Robert Edmondson & Williamson V. Bowers are held and firmly bound unto William Carroll Esq. governor of the State of Tennessee in the just sum of one thousand dollars for the payment of which will and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of us our heirs executors administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 15th day of June 1835

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Alexander M. Douglass is this day appointed to serve as a constable for the County of Gibson in said State now if the said Alexander M. Douglass shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sums of money by him received by virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to his office well and truly demean himself during his continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

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James M. Bridle
To & Administrator's Bond
The Governor

June Term
1835

Alexander M. Douglass
Allen M. Douglass
William V. Bowers
Robert Edmondson

Now all men by these presents that we James M. Bridle, John Tate and William Moore are held and firmly bound unto the governor of said State for the time being in the sum of eight hundred dollars to be paid to the said governor his Successors or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of us and every of our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 15th June AD. 1835

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James M. Bridle administrator of all and singular the goods and Chattels rights hereditaries of William Moore deceased which have or shall come to the hands knowledge or possession of the said James M. Bridle or into the hands or possession of any other person for him and the same do made do whosoever or cause to be exhibited to the Court of the County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of these presents and all the same goods Chattels and Credits and all the other goods Chattels hereditaries of the deceased at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come to the hands or possession of the said James M. Bridle or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him do make and truly administer according to Law and further do make or cause to be made a just account of his said administration within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of the said goods Chattels hereditaries which he found remaining upon the said James M. Bridle's account the same being first examined and allowed by the Court of the County and deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and provided and if it shall appear that any moneys or tenements was made by said James M. Bridle and the executors or administrators do exhibit the same into Court making request to have the same allowed and approved accordingly if the said James M. Bridle above named being thereto required the said letters of administration (affidavit of said James M. Bridle being first had and made in said Court) then the above obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue signed sealed and delivered in presence of

James M. Bridle
John Tate
William Moore

Jefferson Robertson
To guardian Bond
The Chairman of the Court

June Term 1835

State of Tennessee Gibson County

Now all men by these presents that we Jefferson Robertson, George Locke & Peter L. Dozier of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J. B. Dibrell Chairman of the Board of Quarter Sessions for said County and his Successors in the sum of four hundred dollars to be paid to said Successors or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of us our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 15th day of June 1835

made me bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and assigns truly, severally and firmly, by these presents, seals with our seals and date this 15th June 1835

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bonds Jefferson Robertson, was this day chosen and appointed guardian of William Robertson, now if the said Jefferson Robertson, will and truly perform the duties of guardian towards the said minor orphan and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully, then this obligation to be void, else to remain in full force and virtue

Robert Lewis
To Appointed Guardians
Jefferson Robertson
William

June Term
1835

Robertson
Geo. Locke
J. L. Dwyer

This indenture entered into this 15th day of June in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty five, between Joseph B. DeBorell Chorison of the County of Pleas and quarter Session, for the County of Echoville, and State of Tennessee of the one part and Johnston Williams of the other part witnesses that the said Joseph B. DeBorell Chorison, do hereby and with the consent of his associate justices, by these presents, do bind and put under the care and management of the said Johnston Williams from the date hereof for and during the term of five years and six months, during which space of time, the said apprentice shall serve his master and he the said Johnston Williams shall teach or cause to be taught the said apprentice the art, trade and mystery of Blacksmithing, and send him to school until he be able to read and write happily as far as the English Rules of three - and the said Johnston Williams promise and engage to provide for said apprentice meat drink apparel washing and lodging during said space of time; and further to treat him in a kind and proper manner and at the expiration of the said term of time the said Johnston Williams does agree to furnish the said apprentice with a pair of Belows, an anvil, vice screw and two hammers. In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and affixed our seals the day and date first above written

Johnston Williams

Can truly, money by and shall during his

Last Will & Testament

June Term 1835

David Melton dec'd

In the name of God Amen, I David Melton of the State of Tennessee, Sevier County, Calling to mind the mortality of the body, and being weak and indisposed of body, but of sound mind and memory, do make this my last will and testament, revoking all others by me made to be valid, and I do hereby appoint my beloved friend Ebenezer Donaldson my sole executor of this my last will - It is my will that my body shall be decently interred and my worldly estate I bequeath to my wife

It is my will that so much of my property be sold as will pay my debts, and it is my will and desire that after my debts are paid that the balance of my estate be so put into the hands of my beloved wife Elizabeth Melton so long as she may live to enable her to raise and educate my children, and if she should die before the children any thing, she can do so by valuation or by one of age and should she die before the youngest child comes of age, an equal division be made between my children viz, William St. John, my executor shall keep the property and children together and as provided that my wife may and when the youngest comes of age that an equal division be made between my children viz, William St. John, Ann, John, Elizabeth, Mary, John, and David and Elizabeth Melton.

I further will that my five younger children have each twenty five dollars to make them equal to William St. John an equal division to be.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 18th day of March 1835

David Melton
Ebenezer Donaldson
Philomena B. Bowers
James Howard

David Melton
mark

of the
shall
upon

John Gray
To & Edmund's Bond
The Governor
C. Crofton & John Waldrop all of the County of Sevier State of Tennessee. are held and jointly bound unto his excellency the Governor of said State for the time being in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars to be paid to the said Governor his Successors or assigns. To which payment well and truly to be made in hand ourselves and each of us and every of our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by their presents, sealed with our seals & dated this 21st day of September 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that Whereas the above bound John Gray is appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and Chattels right & credit of the late John Gray deceased which have or shall come to the hands knowledge or possession of the said John Gray or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for him and the same to make do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of the County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of their presents and the same goods Chattels & credits and all the other goods Chattels and credits at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said John Gray or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for him do meet and truly administer according to law and either as make or cause to be made a true and just account of his said Administration within three years from the date of their presents and all the rest and residues of the said goods Chattels & credits which shall be found remaining upon the said Administration account, the same being first examined & allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay unto each person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that Case made and providing and if it shall appear that any will or testament was made by said deceased and the executor or executors thereof shall make do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of said County making request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said John Gray above bounden being therein required to make the said letter of Administration approbation of such testament being first had and made in the said Court then this obligation to be void and of no effect otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Liquidated and delivered in presence of
John Gray
C. Crofton
John Waldrop

Susan Stotter & Robert George
To & Adam's Bond
The Governor
Cory, Benjamin Speer and Richard Forrester all of Sevier County in the State aforesaid are held and jointly bound unto his excellency the Governor of said State for the time being in the sum of five thousand dollars to be paid to the said Governor his Successors or assigns. To which payment well and truly to be made in hand ourselves and each of us and every of our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by their presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 21st day of September 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that Whereas the above bound Susan Stotter and Robert George are the day appointed administrators and administrators

and singular the goods and Chattels right & credit which may of Susan Stotter deceased have or shall come to the hands knowledge or possession of the said Susan Stotter and either or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for them and the same to make do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of said County within ninety days from the date of their presents and the same goods Chattels and credits and all the other goods Chattels & credits at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said Susan Stotter & Robert George or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for them do meet and truly administer according to law and either as make or cause to be made a true and just account of their said Administration within three years from the date of their presents and all the rest and residues of the said goods Chattels & credits which shall be found remaining upon the said Administration account, the same being first examined & allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay unto each person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that Case made and providing and if it shall appear that any will or testament was made by the said deceased and the executor or executors thereof shall make do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of said County making request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said Susan Stotter and Robert George above bounden being therein required to make the said letter of Administration approbation of such testament being first had and made in the said Court then this obligation to be void and of no effect otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Liquidated and delivered in presence of
Susan Stotter
Robert George
Cory
Benjamin Speer
Richard Forrester

John H. Harrison
To & Adam's Bond
The Governor
James B. Plakeman & Samuel H. Cole all of Sevier County in the State aforesaid are held and jointly bound unto his excellency the Governor of said State for the time being in the sum of five thousand dollars to be paid to the said Governor and his Successors or assigns. To which payment well and truly to be made in hand ourselves and each of us and every of our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by their presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 26th day of September 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that Whereas the above bound John H. Harrison is appointed administrator of all and singular the goods Chattels right and credit of David Mitten deceased which have or shall come to hands knowledge or possession of the said John H. Harrison or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for him and the same to make do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of the County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of their presents and the same goods Chattels and credits and all the other goods Chattels and credits of the deceased at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said John H. Harrison

or into the hands of any or person for him do well and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of his said administration within two years after the date of this presents, and all the rest and residue of the said goods chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said administration account the same being first examined and attested by the court of said county shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and provided and if it shall appear that any will or testament was made by the said deceased and the Executor or Executors therein named do inhibit the same in court making request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said Mr. M. Furson above named being therein required to render the said letters of administration approbation of said testament, being first had and made in the said court, then this obligation to be void and of no effect, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue signed sealed and delivered in the presence of

Susana Hubbard
James Scott and
James Smith Bond

John M. Furson Clerk
J. B. Blakemore Esq
George H. Cole Esq

Know all men by these presents that we Susana Hubbard James Scott & James Smith are held and firmly bound unto William Caldwell Esq Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the full and full sum of two thousand dollars five hundred dollars for the payment of which price and truly to be made by us and each of us hereunto our heirs Executors and administrators jointly severally and finally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 25th day of September 1835

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Susana Hubbard has this day taken upon herself the benefit and execution of the will of Madison Hubbard deceased now of the said Susana Hubbard will and truly execute the same by paying first the just debts of the said deceased and then the legacies contained in the said will as far as the assets may come into her hand will execute and the law charge him and make a true and perfect inventory of the goods and chattels of the deceased and return the same in the time prescribed by law then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Susana Hubbard
James Scott
James H. Smith

Last Will & Testament

of Woodson Hubbard

In the name of God Amen I Woodson Hubbard of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee being in my right mind and sound memory do make and ordain this to be my last will and testament first recommending my soul to Almighty God who gave it and my soul to Almighty God who gave it and my body to the earth 2^d it is my will and desire that all my debts be paid out of estate and the balance of what I give and commeth to my Beloved Wife Susanah Hubbard my land plantation whereon I have been an Black man name of Andrew Am Maggon and gear farming tools all my horses teams and hogs three feather beds and furniture two women saddles one gun have hold kitchen furniture the above resided property is to remain to my beloved wife Susanah Hubbard her heirs and assigns forever to be disposed of as she think proper in her life time or at her death I do hereby disannul and make void all other wills that I have ever made I do hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife Susanah Hubbard Executor of my last will and testament in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this ninth day of month in the year 1835.

James Scott
James H. Smith
George W. Dickey

William Butler De Graffen

James & Samuel Paxon C. Vaughan
Admonestors Bond

State of Tennessee Gibson County S.S.
Know all men by these presents that we William Butler Paul C. Graffen & James J. Paxon & Paxon C. Vaughan, all of Gibson County in the State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency the Governor of said State for the time being in the sum of five hundred dollars to be paid to the said Governor his Successors or assigns to which payment will and truly to be made by us and each of us and every of us hereunto our heirs Executors and administrators jointly and severally finally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 25th September 1835. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William Butler is appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of William P. Vaughan the deceased which have or shall come to hands knowledge or possession of the said William Butler or into the hands or possession of any person or person for him and the same so made do inhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of

The County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of this presents and the same goods chattles and credits and all the other goods chattles and credits of the deceased at the term of his death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said William Butler or into the hands of any person or persons for him do make and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of his said administration within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of the said goods chattles and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said administration account the same being first examined and allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and provided and if it shall appear that any will or testament was made by the deceased and the Executor or Executors therein named do exhibit the same unto Court making request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said William Butler above bound being therein required to under the said letters of administration approbation of such testament being first had and made in the said Court; then this obligation to be void and of no effect otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of

William Butler *Esq*
P. C. Crofton *Esq*
Parr. C. Vaughan *Esq*
John H. Harris *Esq*
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Collyer Powell
James L. Totten
Robert Edmiston
Coroner Bond

Know all men by these presents that we Collyer Powell James L. Totten & Robert Edmiston all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto the Governor of the State of Tennessee in the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars to which payment will and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs Executors administrators & jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 24th day of September 1855. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said Collyer Powell has been elected coroner for the County of Gibson at the September Term of the County Court of said County of Gibson for the next two years. Now should the said Collyer Powell do and perform and faithfully discharge his duty agreeable to law as coroner of said County

and perform every duty appertaining to his several said office of coroner faithfully then and in that case the above obligation to be null and void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue
Collyer Powell *Esq*
James L. Totten *Esq*
Robert Edmiston *Esq*

James McBride Jr.
James McBride Sr.
St. Pybas Bond

Know all men by these presents that we James McBride James McBride Sr. and St. Pybas are held and firmly bound unto William Carroll Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the sum of ten thousand dollars for the payment of which will and truly to be made we and each of us bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 21st day of Sept. 1855

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James McBride is this day appointed to serve as constable for the County of Gibson and said State now if the said James McBride shall will and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sums of money by him received by virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to his office will and truly demean himself during his continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue

James McBride *Esq*
St. Pybas *Esq*
James McBride *Esq*

Thos. B. Claiborn
D. I. Claiborn
Alon. Claiborn
Bond

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas B. Claiborn & Alon. Claiborn Durers & Claiborn of Gibson County Tennessee are fully and firmly bound unto Joseph B. Cribbs Chairman of the Court of pleas & quarter sessions for Gibson County in the sum of ten thousand dollars for which payment will and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs & families & jointly & severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated this 2nd of September 1855. The condition of the foregoing is such that said Thomas B. Claiborn has this day been appointed guardian of Philip Claiborn James Claiborn and Mary Claiborn infant children now of said Claiborn shall will and truly do perform the acts & duties of guardian to said children agreeably to the foregoing bond is void & of no effect else to be of full force & Virtue in law

Thos. B. Claiborn *Esq*
D. I. Claiborn *Esq*
Alon. Claiborn *Esq*

The County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of these presents and the same goods chattles and credits and all the other goods chattles and credits of the decedent at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said William Butler or into the hands of any person or persons for him do make and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of his said administration within ten years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of the said goods chattles and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said administrator account the same being first examined and allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and provided and if it shall appear that any will or testament was made by the decedent and the Executor or Executors therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said William Butler above bounden being therunto required to under the said letters of administration (approbation of such testament being first had and made in the said Court, then this obligation to be void and of no effect otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of

William Butler Esq
P. C. Crofton Esq
Purvis C. Vaughan Esq
John H. Harris Esq
Make

Colley Powell
James I. Totten
Robert Edmiston
Coroner Bond

Know all men by these presents that we Colley Powell James I. Totten & Robert Edmiston all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto the governor of the State of Tennessee in the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars to which payment will and truly to be made we bind our selves our heirs Executors administrators & jointly and severally firmly by these presents Sealed with our Seals and dated this 24th day of September 1855. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said Colley Powell has been elected coroner for the County of Gibson at the September Term of the County Court of said County of Gibson for the next two years. Now should the said Colley Powell do and perform and faithfully discharge his duty agreeable to law as coroner of said County

and perform every duty appertaining to his several said office of coroner faithfully then and in that case the above obligation to be null and void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue
Colley Powell Esq
James I. Totten Esq
Robert Edmiston Esq

James McBride Jr
James McBride Sr
St. Pybas Bond

Know all men by these presents that we James McBride James McBride Sr. and St. Pybas are held and firmly bound unto William Carroll governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the sum of ten thousand dollars for the payment of which will and truly to be made we and each of us bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators jointly and severally and firmly by these presents Sealed with our Seals and dated this 21st day of Sept. 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James McBride is this day appointed to serve as constable for the County of Gibson and said State Now if the said James McBride shall will and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sums of money by him received by virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to his office will and truly demean himself during his continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue

James McBride Esq
St. Pybas Esq
James McBride Esq

Thos. B. Claiborn
D. I. Claiborn
Alon. Claiborn
Bond

Know all men by these presents that we Thos. B. Claiborn & Alon. Claiborn Divorce B. Claiborn of Gibson County Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto Joseph B. Dibble Chairman of the Court of pleas & quarter sessions for Gibson County in the sum of ten thousand dollars for which payment will and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs & jointly & severally firmly by these presents Sealed with our Seals & dated this 2nd of September 1855. The condition of the foregoing is such that said Thos. B. Claiborn has this day been appointed guardian of Philip Claiborn James Claiborn and Mary Claiborn infant children Now if said Claiborn shall will and truly do perform the acts & duties of guardian to said children or any one of them then the foregoing bond is void & of no effect else to be of full force & Virtue in law

Thos. B. Claiborn Esq
D. I. Claiborn Esq
Alon. Claiborn Esq

John R. Thedford } State of Tennessee Gibson County &c.
 Administrator Bond } Know all men by these presents that we John R.
 Sept Term 1835 } Thedford & Stephen Williams, all of Gibson County in
 the State of or said on said and firmly bound unto his
 Excellency the Governor of said State for the time being in the sum of one
 thousand dollars to be paid to the said Governor his Successors or assigns to
 which payment will and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of
 and every of our heirs Executors and administrators jointly and severally jointly
 by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day of September 1835.
 The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above
 bound John R. Thedford Administrator of all and singular the goods
 and chattels, rights and credits of the deceased Josias Thedford deceased
 which ^{have} come or shall come to hands knowledge or possession of the said
 John R. Thedford or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for
 and the same to make to which or cause to be exhibited to the
 Court of the County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of these
 presents, and the same goods chattels, and credits and all the other
 goods chattels and credits of the deceased at the time of his death
 which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of
 the said Administrator or into the hands of any person or persons for
 him do make and truly and account according to law, and further
 do make or cause to be made a true and just account of his said
 Administration within ten years after the date of these presents, and all
 the rest and residue of the said goods, chattels, and credits which shall
 be found remaining upon the said Administrator's account the same
 being first examined and allowed by the Court of said County shall
 deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively to which the same
 shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the Act
 in that case made and provided and if it shall appear ^{that} any
 will or testament was made by the said deceased and the Executor or
 Executors then named do exhibit the same into Court making request
 to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said John
 R. Thedford above bounden being therein required to order the said letters
 of administration (approbation of such testament being first had and made
 in the said Court) then this obligation to be void and of no effect
 otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue Sigma Seal and dated
 as in the former of

John R. Thedford ^{high} Clerk
 Mark
 S. Williams ^{Ad}

Jefferson Robinson } Know all men by these presents that we Jefferson
 Probable Bond to } Robinson Presby D. Glascock Esq. R. Sinkel and
 Sept Term 1835 } held and firmly bound unto William Carroll Esq. Governor
 of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in
 the sum and full sum of one thousand dollars for the payment of which we
 and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of us and our heirs Executors
 and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with
 our seals and dated 25th day of Sept. 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above
 bound Jefferson Robinson is this day appointed to serve as constable for the
 County of Gibson and said State. Now if the said Jefferson Robinson
 shall truly and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same
 may be due all sum of money by him received by virtue of any process put
 into his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to his
 office well and truly demean himself during his continuance therein then the
 above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue
 of Robinson

James J. Sammons }
 Probable Bond }
 Sept Term 1835 }

Know all men by these presents that we James J.
 Sammons & Paul C. Crofton & John Gray & Person C. Vaughan are held and
 firmly bound unto William Carroll Esq. Governor of the State of Tennessee and
 his Successors in office in the sum and full sum of one thousand dollars
 for the payment of which we and truly to be made we and each of us
 and our heirs Executors and administrators jointly severally and
 firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 25th day of
 September 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas
 the above bound James J. Sammons is this day appointed to serve as constable
 for the County of Gibson and said State. Now if the said James J. Sammons
 shall truly and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same
 may be due all sum of money by him received by virtue of any process put
 into his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to
 his office well and truly demean himself during his continuance therein
 then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full
 force and Virtue

James J. Sammons ^{Ad}
 P. C. Crofton ^{Ad}
 Person C. Vaughan ^{Ad}
 John Gray ^{Ad}

Stephen Williams } State of Tennessee Gibson County S.S.
 Administrator (Widow) } Know all men by these presents that Mr. Stephen
 September Term 1835 } Williams Daniel Jackson & Absolom Know all of
 Gibson County in the State aforesaid are held and
 firmly bound unto his Excellency the Governor of said State for the time being
 in the sum of three hundred dollars to be paid to the said Governor his
 Successors or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made within
 ourselves and each of us and every of our heirs Executors and administrators
 jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and
 dated the 21st day of Sept. A.D. 1835

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the
 above bound Stephen Williams administrator of all and singular the goods
 and chattels rights and credits of (William Spillings the deceased which
 have or shall come to hands knowledge or possession of the said Stephen
 Williams or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for him
 and the same do make do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the court
 of the County aforesaid within thirty days from the date of these presents and
 the same goods chattels and credits and all the other goods chattels and
 credits of the deceased at the time of his death which at any time
 hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said Stephen
 Williams or into the hands of any person or persons for him do well
 and truly administer according to law and further do make or
 cause to be made a true and just account of his said administration
 within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and
 residue of the said goods chattels and credits which shall be found
 owing upon the said administration account the same being first examined
 and allowed by the court of said County shall deliver and unite such
 person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant
 to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and
 provided and if it shall appear that any will or testament was
 made by the said deceased and the Executor or Executors therein named
 do exhibit the same into court making request to have the same allowed
 and approved of accordingly if the said Stephen Williams above bound
 being therein required to exhibit the said letters of administration (approved
 of such testament being first had and made in said court then this obli-
 gation to be void and of no effect otherwise to remain in full force and
 virtue Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of

Stephen Williams (Seal)
 Absolom Know (Seal)
 Daniel Jackson (Seal)

Joseph Walker } State of Tennessee Gibson County S.S.
 Administrator } Know all men by these presents that Mr. Joseph
 September Term 1835 } Walker James Scott & J. S. Hays all of Gibson County
 in the State aforesaid are held and firmly bound
 unto his Excellency the Governor of said State for the time being in the sum
 of three thousand dollars to be paid to the said Governor his Successors or assigns
 to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each
 and every of our heirs Executors and administrators jointly and severally
 firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of
 Sept. A.D. 1835

The condition of the above obligation is such that
 whereas the above bound Joseph Walker administrator of all and singular
 the goods and chattels rights and credits of the deceased which have or
 shall come to the hands knowledge or possession of the said Joseph Walker
 or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for him and the same
 do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the court of the County
 aforesaid within thirty days from the date of these presents and the same
 goods chattels and credits and all the other goods chattels and credits
 of the deceased at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall
 come into the hands or possession of the said Joseph Walker or into the
 hands of any person or persons for him do well and truly administer
 according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and
 just account of said administration within two years after the date
 of these presents and all the rest and residue of the goods chattels and
 credits which shall be found owing upon the said administration account
 shall deliver and unite such person or persons respectively to which the same
 shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in
 that case made and provided and if it shall appear that any will or
 testament was made by the said deceased and the Executor or Executors
 therein named do exhibit the same into court making request to have the
 same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said Joseph Walker
 being therein required to exhibit the said letters of administration (approved
 of such testament being first had and made in said court then this obli-
 gation to be void and of no effect otherwise to remain in full force and
 virtue Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of

Joseph Walker (Seal)
 James Scott (Seal)
 J. S. Hays (Seal)

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 Harry Attles } State of Tennessee Gibson County
 guardian Wm }
 Sept. Term 1835 } Attles John H. Freeman William P. Wilton of the
 County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound
 unto Joseph B. Deibel Chairman of the Court of pleas and quarter sessions
 for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of six hundred
 dollars to be paid to said Court or his Successors in office or assigns
 to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs
 Executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by this presents
 sealed with our seals and dated this 12th day of Sept. 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the
 above bound Harry Attles was this day chosen and appointed
 guardian of Elizabeth Ann Attles & Margaret Attles Saw Shaula
 the said Harry Attles will and truly perform the duties of guardian
 to-wit the said minor Orphan and in all respects discharge
 his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain
 in full force and virtue
 Harry Attles, Esq.
 John H. Freeman, Esq.
 Wm. Wilton, Esq.

Samuel Booth }
 decr Bond To } State of Tennessee Gibson County S.S.
 Sept Term 1835 } Know all men by these presents that Samuel Booth
 Johnson William & James B. Blakemore all of Gibson
 County in the State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency the Governor
 of said State for the sum living in the sum of one thousand dollars to be paid
 to the said Governor his Successors or assigns to which payment well and truly to
 be made we bind ourselves and each of us and every of our heirs Executors and
 administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals
 and dated the 26th day of September A.D. 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above
 bound Samuel Booth is appointed administrator of all and singular
 the goods and chattels rights and credits of Polly Booth the deceased
 which have or shall come to hands knowledge or possession of the said
 Samuel Booth or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for
 him and the same so much do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the
 court of the County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of these
 presents and the same goods chattels and credits and all the other goods
 chattels and credits of the deceased at the time of her death which
 at time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said Samuel
 Booth or into the hands of any person or persons for him do well and
 truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to
 be made a true and just account of his said administration

within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and
 residue of the said goods chattels and credits which shall be found
 remaining upon the said administration account the same being first examined
 and allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay unto
 each person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant
 to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and pro-
 vided and if it shall appear that any will or testament was made by the
 said deceased and the executor or executors therein named do exhibit the
 same into Court making request to have the same allowed and approved
 if accordingly of the said Samuel Booth above bound and being therein
 approved to under the said letter of administration (approbation of such
 testament being first had and made in said Court) then this obligation
 to be void and of no effect otherwise to remain in full force and virtue
 Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of
 Samuel Booth, Esq.
 John H. Freeman, Esq.
 J. B. Blakemore, Esq.

James S. Bladson }
 decr Bond To } Know all men by these presents that in James S.
 Sept Term 1835 } Bladson James Scott & Robert With in held and
 firmly bound unto William Carroll Esq. Governor of the State of Tennessee
 and his Successors in office in the full and full sum of one thousand
 dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made we and
 each of us bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators jointly
 severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated
 the 26th day of September 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the
 above bound James S. Bladson is this day appointed to serve as comptroller
 for the County of Gibson and said State. Now if the said James S.
 Bladson shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom
 the same may be due all sums of money by him received by virtue of
 any process put into his hands for that purpose and shall in all
 things belonging to his office well and truly demean himself during
 his continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise
 to remain in full force and virtue

James S. Bladson, Esq.
 James Scott, Esq.
 Robert With, Esq.

Benjamin Bean
Guardian Bond
Decr Term 1835

State of Tennessee Gibson County.

Know all men by these presents that we Benjamin Bean John Singleton Daniel Gougar & William Smith of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto

Joseph B. Dibble chairman of the Court of pleas and quarter sessions for said county and his Successors in office in the sum of Six thousand dollars to be paid to said Dibble or his Successors in office or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators Jointly Severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 21st day of Decr 1835

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Benjamin was this day chosen and appointed guardian of Martha A. Macklela Bean & Nancy Bean Now should the said Benjamin Bean well and truly perform the duties of guardian towards the said minor Orphan and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue

Benjamin Bean (R)
Daniel Gougar (R)
John Singleton (R)
Wm Smith (R)

F. G. Goodman
Constable Bond
Decr Term 1835

Know all men by these presents that we F. G. Goodman William Goodman & S. Williams are held and firmly bound unto William Garrison Esq. Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the sum of One thousand dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made we each of us bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators Jointly Severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 21st day of Decr 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound F. G. Goodman is this day appointed to serve as constable for the County of Gibson and said State Now if the said F. G. Goodman shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sums of money by him received by virtue of any process put in his hands for that purpose and shall in all things behave himself to his office well and truly demean himself during his continuance therein then the obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

F. G. Goodman (R)
William Goodman (R)
S. Williams (R)

Samuel Ctrial
Guardian Bond
Decr Term 1835

State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Samuel Ctrial Isaac Burnell Robert H. Goodloe of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto

Joseph B. Dibble chairman of the Court of pleas and quarter sessions for said county and his Successors in office in the sum of Ten thousand dollars to be paid to said Dibble or his Successors in office or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators Jointly Severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 21st December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Samuel Ctrial was this day chosen and appointed guardian of Amy Ann Simmons Decimus Simmons Gordon Simmons & Anthony Simmons Now should the said Samuel Ctrial well and truly perform the duties of guardian towards the said Minor Orphan and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue

Saml Ctrial (R)
Isaac Burnell (R)
R. H. Goodloe (R)

Stephen Williams
Guardian Bond
Decr Term 1835

State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Stephen Williams John W. Richardson of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Joseph B. Dibble chairman of the Court of pleas and quarter sessions for said county and his Successors in office in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to be paid to said Dibble or his Successors in office or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators Jointly Severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 21st December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Stephen Williams was this day chosen and appointed guardian of Stephen Foy Now should the said Stephen Williams well and truly perform the duties of guardian towards the said Minor Orphan and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue

S. Williams (R)
J. W. Richardson (R)

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 Joseph A. McSimon { State of Tennessee Gibson County
 Guardian Bond to { Know all men by these presents that we
 Decemr Term 1836 { Young A. McSimon Abraham McSimon &
 Susan McSimon all of the County and State
 of said an bond and firmly bound unto Joseph B. DeBrule Chairman
 of the Court of pleas and quarter sessions for said county and his Successors
 in office in the sum of Eight thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice
 or his Successors in office or assigns to which payment well and truly
 to be made (we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators
 jointly severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and
 dated this 21st December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above
 bound Young A. McSimon was this day chosen and appointed guardian
 of Abby A. Blakemore Jr. now under the said Young A. McSimon
 wife and truly perform the duties of guardian towards the said minor
 orphan and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this
 obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue
 Young A. McSimon
 Susan McSimon
 Abm McSimon

Richard McElly { State of Tennessee Gibson County
 Guardian Bond to { Know all men by these presents that we
 Decemr Term 1835 { McElly and Deale C. Crofton of the county and State
 of said an bond and firmly bound unto Joseph B. DeBrule Chairman of the
 Court of pleas and quarter sessions for said county and his Successors
 in office in the sum of five hundred dollars to be paid to said Justice
 or his Successors in office or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made
 (we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators jointly severally
 and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 21st
 of December 1835. The condition of the above obligation is such that
 whereas the above bound Richard McElly was this day chosen and appointed
 guardian of Margaret McElly the Mary Jane McElly and Phebe McElly
 now under the said Phebe McElly wife and truly perform the duties of
 guardian towards the said minor orphan and in all respects discharge
 his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force
 and virtue
 Richard McElly
 P. C. Crofton

Thomas Lee { State of Tennessee Gibson County S.S.
 Admin Bond to { Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Lee
 Decemr Term 1836 { John S. Atkinson & Mr. Sham all of Gibson County in
 the State of said an bond and firmly bound unto his excellency
 the governor of said State for the term being in the sum of one hundred dollars
 to be paid to the said governor his Successors or assigns to which payment well
 and truly to be made (we bind ourselves and each of us and every of our heirs
 executors and administrators jointly and severally jointly by these presents sealed
 with our seals and dated the 21st day of Decr. A.D. 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above
 bound Thomas Lee is this day appointed administrator of all and singular
 the goods and chattels rights and credits of the estate of John M. Bratton
 deceased which shall or shall come to hands Receipts or possession of the
 said Thomas Lee or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for
 him and the same to make do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of
 the County of said within many days from the date of these presents and the
 same goods chattels and credits and all the other goods chattels and credits
 of the deceased at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come
 into the hands or possession of the said Thomas Lee or into the hands of any
 person or persons for him do make and truly administer according to law and
 further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of his
 said Administration within ten years after the date of these presents and all
 the rest and residues of the said goods chattels and credits which shall be
 found remaining upon the said Administration account the same being first
 examined and allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay
 unto such person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant
 to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and provided and
 if it shall appear that any mile or litem was made by the said deceased
 and the Executor or executor therein named do exhibit the same unto Court making
 request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said Thomas
 Lee above bound being therein required to render the said bill of administration
 approbation of such litem being first had and made in the said Court
 then this obligation to be void and of no effect otherwise to remain
 in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of
 Thomas Lee
 John S. Atkinson
 Mr. Sham

Samuel Sham
Adm Bond To
Decr Term 1835

The State of Tennessee Gibson County

I know all men by this presents that we Samuel Sham Mr Sham & Thomas Lee all of Gibson County the State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto the governor of said State for the term being in the sum of one hundred dollars to be paid to the said governor his Successor or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of us and our heirs Executors or administrators. Specially and Specially firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 21st day of December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that Whereas the above bound Samuel Sham is appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Henry H. Roberts deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the deceased which he or she shall come to the hands knowledge or possession of the said Samuel Sham as aforesaid or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for him and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of the County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of these presents and the same goods chattels and credits and all the other goods chattels and credits of the deceased at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said Samuel Sham or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for him do make and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and true account of his said Administration within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of the said goods chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said administrator account the same being first examined and allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively to whom the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and provided and if it shall appear that any misdeed or default was made by the said deceased and the Executor or executor therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said Samuel Sham above bounden being required to render the said letter of administration (approbation of such testament being first had and made in said Court) then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue

Samuel Sham
Mr. Sham
Thomas Lee

Benjamin Bean
Adm Bond To
December Term 1835

State of Tennessee Gibson County S.S.

I know all men by this presents that we Benjamin Bean Samuel C. Welch & Frederick W. Rogers all of Gibson County in the State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency the governor of said State for the term being in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars to be paid to the said governor his Successor or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of us and every of our heirs Executors and administrators Specially and Specially firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 24th day of Decr. 1835

The condition of the above obligation is such that Whereas the above bound Benj Bean administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Abba Bean the deceased which have or shall come to the hands or possession knowledge or possession of the said Benj Bean or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for him and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of the County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of these presents and the same goods chattels and credits and all the other goods chattels and credits of the deceased at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said Benjamin Bean or into the hands of any person or persons for him do make and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and true account of his said Administration within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of the said goods chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said Administrator account the same being first examined and allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and provided and if it shall appear that any misdeed or default was made by the said deceased and the Executor or executor therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said Benjamin Bean above bounden being required to render the said letter of administration (approbation of such testament being first had and made in the said Court) then this obligation to be void and of no effect otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of

Benja Bean
C W Rogers
Saml C Welch
mark

State of Tennessee
 Jackson Williams } Know all men by these presents that we Jackson
 Guardian Bond to } William Thomas Williams & Stephen Williams of
 (December Term 1835) } the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly
 bound unto Joseph B. Dribble Chairman of the Court
 of pleas and quarter Sessions for said County and his Successors in office
 in the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars to be paid to said Court
 or his Successor in office or assigns to which payment will and lawfully
 made on hand over our heirs executors and administrators jointly
 Severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated
 the 21st of December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the
 above bound Jackson Williams was this day chosen and appointed guardian
 of Celia Williams & Belinda Williams now should the said Jackson
 Williams well and truly perform the duties of guardian towards the said
 minor orphan and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then the
 obligation to be void else to remain in full force and Virtue

A. J. Williams *Ed*
 S. Williams *Ed*
 Thomas Williams *Ed*

Nathaniel Pybas
 Bond to

(Decr Term 1836) } Know all men by these presents that we Nathaniel
 Pybas and John Parker all of the County of Gibson
 and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto J. B. Dribble Chairman
 of the Court of pleas and quarter Sessions of Gibson County and his Successors
 in office in the sum of four hundred dollars for which payment will and
 lawfully made on hand over our heirs executors administrators and
 assigns jointly and Severally jointly by these presents sealed with our seals
 and dated the 25th day of December A.D. 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the Court
 of pleas & quarter Sessions has at the December Term of said Court 1835 bound
 unto the said Nathaniel Pybas a certain orphan boy by the name of John Martin
 as an apprentice to the Tailoring business until he arrives to the age of twenty
 and seven years now age sixteen years now of the said Pybas shall send said apprentice
 to school until he learns to read and write and cipher to the high rule then
 teach him the Tailor trade clothe him comfortably and feed him well during
 his apprenticeship and at the end of his term give him a decent suit of Sunday
 clothes then and for that cause the above obligation to be made and void
 otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue this the day and date above
 Written

N. Pybas *Ed*
 John Parker *Ed*

State of Tennessee
 Gibson County

In the name of God Amen
 I Thomas Woodson this day being in sound mind
 and memory doth bequeath to my beloved Wife Delila Woodson
 one negro Woman named Ginny one negro child any one horse
 named Polly one law and half her chayer one Cotton wheel
 three Beds and furniture and twelve months provisions from the
 time of my Deceased I doth further bequeath to my beloved Wife
 Delila Woodson and Daughter Delila Woodson during her single
 life the rent of proceeds of the tract of Land upon which I
 now reside to each during the life of my Wife said negro child
 by the name of Amy I have given to my Wife during her life
 and at her death shall be equally divided among my four
 children I doth further bequeath to my Daughter Nancy Woodson the
 Wife of John Woodson one negro man named Joe and negro Woman
 named Mowing said negroes I bequeath to my Daughter during
 her natural life and at her death to her Bodily heirs forever I doth
 further Bequeath to my son James P. Woodson one negro man named
 Jacob one negro man Bob and a negro Woman named Wiley said negroes
 I give to my son and his heirs forever I doth further bequeath to my Daughter
 Jane Robison the life of James Robison one negro man named Andrew
 & negro boy named Lewis - said negroes I give to my Daughter Jane
 Robison during her natural life and at her death to be Equally Divi-
 ded among her Bodily heirs forever I doth further give to my Daughte
 Jane Robison and her heirs forever a piece of Land off the South End
 of the tract upon which I live commencing at the Boundary Line
 near Spellings fence in the hollow running East to Robison's Spring
 thence north to the Trenton Road thence East with said Road
 to the Eastern boundary line I doth further bequeath to my Daughter Delila
 Woodson one negro girl named Dicey and negro boy named Joe said
 negroes I give to my Daughter Delila Woodson during her natural
 life and at her death to be Equally divided amongst her Bodily heirs
 for ever if any and if she should die without issue she
 may dispose of the property as she thinks proper I do further
 Bequeath to my Daughter one Horse named Jack with the Saddle and
 bridle one law and half one Bed and furniture one Loom and
 the Tract of Land upon which I live with the exception of a piece
 off of the South End commencing in the hollow near Spellings
 fence running East to Robison's Spring thence north to
 the Trenton Road thence East with said Road to the Eastern
 Boundary line said Land my Daughter shall have full

possession of at the death of my wife Delila Woodson I do hereby bequeath to my love Grand Children William Woodson and Phily Woodson two Hundred Dollars each to be paid to each one when said William & Woodson shall arrive at the age of twenty one years and I do hereby appoint my son James P. Woodson to collect this money and pay as above mentioned with interest upon said sum twelve months after my death until paid - I do hereby appoint my son James P. Woodson and Green Woodson my Executors to deal all the remainder of my property such as Horses Cattle Hogs Laggan House Hald Kitchen furniture farming utensils &c &c after paying the four hundred as a Legacy to my grand children as named above and paying all my just debts the remainder if any shall be equally divided between my four children named above and if said property should be insufficient to pay the Legacy above mentioned that each one of my children shall pay a proportionable part to make the Legacy competent

In Witness whereof I here unto Acknowledge this to be my last Will and Testament this 25th day of February in the year of our Lord 1836

Signed in the
presence of
Charles S. Gandy
Hannibal Jackson

Thos J Woodson Seal

James P Woodson
To Adm Bond
March Term 1836
State of Tennessee Gibson County
Know all Men by these presents that
life James P Woodson Green Woodson
Hannibal Jackson Charles Gandy are held and firmly bound
unto Newton Cannon Esq Governor of the State of Tennessee
and his Successors in office in the just and full sum
of Eight Thousand Dollars for the payment of which
Will and truly to be made We and each of us bind
ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly
severally and jointly by this presents sealed with our seals
and dated this the 22nd day of March 1836

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas
the above Bound James P Woodson & Green Woodson have
this day taken upon themselves the Burthen and
execution of the Will of Thomas Woodson deceased
now of the said James P Woodson & Green Woodson
shall will and truly execute the same by paying

just the just debts of said deceased and then the Legacy contained in
said Will as far as the Assets may come into their hands will execute
and the law charge him and make a true inventory of the good
and Chattles of the deceased and return the same in the time
prescribed by law than their obligation to be void otherwise to
remain in full force and Virtue

Saml P Woodson Seal
Green Woodson Seal
Hannibal Jackson Seal
Charles S Gandy Seal

Hugh W Bratton
To Constable Bond
March Term 1836

Know all men by these presents that
we Hugh W Bratton William Shum
Stephen Williams are held and firmly
bound unto Newton Cannon Esq Governor of the State of Tennessee
and his Successors in office in the just and full sum of one
thousand Dollars for the payment of which Will and truly to be
made We and each of us bind ourselves our heirs Executors and ad-
ministrators jointly severally and jointly by these presents
sealed with our seals and dated this the 22nd day of March
1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas
we the above bound Hugh W Bratton is this day ap-
pointed to serve as Constable for the County of Gibson and
said State now if the said Hugh W Bratton shall will
and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the
same may be due all sums of money by him received
by Virtue of any process put into his hands for that
purpose and shall on all things belong to his office
will and truly demean himself during his continuance
therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise
to remain in full and Virtue

H. W. Bratton Seal
S. Williams Seal
Wm Shum Seal

Berry S Holders
To Constable Bond
March Term 1836

Know all men by these presents
that we Berry S Holders James
J Bledsoe Major Bledsoe are held
and firmly bound to Newton Cannon Esq Governor of the
State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the just and
full sum of one thousand Dollars for the payment

of which will and truly to be made like and each of us bind our selves our heirs executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this the 22^d day of March 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound B. S. Holder is this day appointed to serve as Constable for the County of Gibson and said State now if the said Berry S. Holder shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sum of money by him received by virtue of any process put into his hands for the purpose and shall in all things belonging to his office well and truly demean himself during his continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Attest for said State

Berry S. Holder
James T. Bladen
Major Bladen

James McBride Know all men by these presents that I Constable Bond We James McBride B. Crawford St. John's March Term 1836 be held and firmly bound unto Nathan Cannon Esq Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the just and full of one thousand Dollars for the the payment of which will and truly to be made like and each of us bind our selves our heirs executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals and dated this 22^d day of March - 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James McBride is this day appointed to serve as Constable for the County of Gibson and said State now if the said McBride shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sum of money by him received by virtue of any process put in his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to his office well and truly demean himself during his continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Attest for said State

James McBride
B. Crawford
St. John's

John Morgan
Adm^r Bonel
March Term 1836

State of Tennessee Gibson County Know all men by these presents that we John Morgan & William Jones & Wm. J. Jenson all of Gibson County in the State aforesaid be held and firmly bound unto his Excellency the Governor of said State for the time being in the sum of Eight hundred Dollars to be paid to the said Governor his Successors or assigns to which payment will and truly to be made like and each of us and every of our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of March A.D. 1836 The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Morgan Administrator of said and singular the goods and Chattels rights and Credits of the deceased which have or shall come to hands know ledge or possession of the said John Morgan or into the hands or possession of any person or persons for him and the do make do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of the County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of these presents and the same goods Chattels and Credits and all the other goods Chattels and Credits of the deceased at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of said John Morgan or into the hands of any person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of John B. Morgans said administration within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and the same being first examined and allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively to which the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and provided and if it shall appear that any will or testament was made by the said deceased and the Executor or Executors thereof named do exhibit the same unto Court making request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the same John Morgan above bounden being thereunto required to render the said letters of administration (approbation of such Testament being first had and made in the said County) then this obligation to be void and of no

effect other wise to remain in full force and virtue
Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of)

attn: Thos. Lile Clerk

John Morgan Seal
William Jones Seal
Wesley Simson Seal

James Bobbitt
To Administrators bond
To March Term 1836
I, James Bobbitt of Gibson County, in the State of Tennessee, do hereby certify that we James Bobbitt John M. Caesar Wm. R. Davidson all of Gibson County, in the State of Tennessee, are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency the Governor of said State for the time being in the sum of five hundred dollars to be paid to the Governor his Successors or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of us and every of our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firm by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of March A.D. 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Bobbitt Administrator of all and singular the goods and Chattels rights ^{due} rights and credits of the deceased which have or shall come to hand knowledge know or possession of the said Bobbitt or into hands or possession of any person or persons ^{of said} ~~that~~ him and the same do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of the County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of these presents and the same goods Chattels and credits and all the other goods Chattels and credits of the deceased at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said James Bobbitt or into the hands of any person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of his said administration within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of the said goods Chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said administrator account the same being first examined and allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively to which

the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and provided and if it shall appear that any will or testament was made by the said deceased and the Executor or executors therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said James Bobbitt above bound being thereunto requested to render the said letters of administration (approbation of such testament being first had and made in the County) then this obligation to be void and of no effect other wise to remain in full force and virtue

(Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of)
attn: James Bobbitt Seal
Thos. Lile Clerk Seal
John M. Green Seal
Wm. R. Davidson Seal

Madison McLaurin Know all men by these presents that we
To Sheriff's Bond To Madison McLaurin Wm. M. Hughes Thomas
March Term 1836 Lyons and John Brittenham all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto Newton Cannon Governor of said State and Successors in office in the penal sum of two thousand dollars which same well and truly to be paid we bind our selves our heirs and assigns to jointly and severally sealed with our seals and dated this 22nd day of March A.D. 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Madison McLaurin has been duly and constitutionally elected Sheriff and Collector of the public and State Taxes for the next five years now of the said McLaurin Sheriff and Collector as aforesaid shall well and truly collect all State Taxes by law he is bound to collect for the use of the State and well and truly pay over the same to the Treasurer of the State of Tennessee as the Law directs and agreeable to the direction of the Comptroller of the State Revenue in each and every year so long as he continues in office then the above obligation to be void other wise to remain in full force and virtue

Dr. McLaurin Seal
Wm. M. Hughes Seal
Thomas Lyons Seal
John Brittenham Seal
Edwin Sharp Seal

effect other wise to remain in full force and virtue
(Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of)

attn: Thom Jete Clerk

John Morgan *Seal*
William Jones *Seal*
Wesley Simson *Seal*

James Bobbitt
To Administrators bond
To March Term 1836

James Bobbitt of Gibson County in the State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto his Excellency the Governor of said State for the time being in the sum of five hundred dollars to be paid to the Governor his Successors or assigns to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of us and every of our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of March A.D. 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Bobbitt administrator of all and singular the goods and Chattles rights ^{and} ~~rights~~ and credits of the deceased ^{James Bobbitt} which have or shall come to hand knowledge know ledge or possession of the said Bobbitt or into him or possession of any person or persons ~~of~~ ^{and} ~~that~~ them and the same do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the Court of the County aforesaid within ninety days from the date of these presents and the same goods Chattles and credits and all the other goods Chattles and credits of the deceased at the time of his death which at any time hereafter shall come into the hands or possession of the said James Bobbitt or into the hands of any person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of his said administration within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and Residue of the said goods Chattles and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said administrator account the same being first examined and allowed by the Court of said County shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively to which

the same shall be due pursuant to the true intent and meaning of the act in that case made and provided and if it shall appear that any will or testament was made by the said deceased and the Executor or executors therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have the same allowed and approved of accordingly if the said James Bobbitt above bound being thereunto required to render the said letters of administration (approval of such testament being first had and made in the Court) then this obligation to be void and of no effect other wise to remain in full force and virtue

(Signed Sealed and delivered in the presence of)

attn: Thom Jete Clerk

James Bobbitt *Seal*
John M. Green *Seal*
Wm. R. Davidson *Seal*

Madison McLaurin Know all men by these presents that we
To Sheriff Bond To Madison McLaurin Wm M. Hughes Thomas
March Term 1836 Lyons and John Brittenham all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto Newton Cannon Governor of said State and Successors in office in the penal sum of two Thousand Dollars which sum we bind ourselves and our heirs and assigns to jointly and severally sealed with our seals and dated the 22nd day of March A.D. 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Madison McLaurin has been duly and constitutionally Elected Sheriff and Collector of the publick and State Taxes for the next five years now if the said McLaurin Sheriff and Collector as aforesaid shall well and truly Collect all State Taxes by law he is bound to Collect for the use of the State and well and truly pay over the same to the Treasurer of the State of Tennessee as the Law directs and agreeable to the direction of the Comptroller of the State Revenue in each and every year so long as he continues in office then the above obligation to be void other wise to remain in full force and virtue

Madison McLaurin *Seal*
Wm M. Hughes *Seal*
Thomas Lyons *Seal*
John Brittenham *Seal*
Edwin Sharp *Seal*

Maderson McLaurin
To Sheriff Bond
To March Term 1836

Know all men by this presents that we Maderson McLaurin W^m M. Hughes Thos^r Lyon John Brittenham Edward Sharp all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee are here and firmly bound unto Nathan Cannon Governor of said State and his Successors in office in the penal sum of twelve thousand five hundred Dollars which sum we and truly to be paid we bind our selves over here. It jointly and severally sealed with our seals and dated this 22^d day of March A D 1836

The condition of the above obligation is such that that when as the above bound Maderson McLaurin is duly and Constitutionally Elected Sheriff of Gibson County for the next two years ensuing now of the said Maderson McLaurin Sheriff as aforesaid shall well and truly execute and due return make of all process and Receipts to him directed and pay and satisfy all just and lawful sums of money by him received on behalf of the County or process into the proper office by which Maderson McLaurin by the tenor thereof ought to be paid or to the person or persons to whom the same shall be due his her or their Executors Administrators Attorneys or Agents and in all other things well truly and faithfully execute the said office of Sheriff during his continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and effect

Maderson McLaurin
W^m M. Hughes
Thos^r Lyon
John Brittenham
Edward Sharp

Maderson McLaurin
To Sheriff Bond
To March Term 1836

Know all men by this presents that we Maderson McLaurin W^m M. Hughes Thos^r Lyon John Brittenham and Edward Sharp all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee are here and firmly bound unto Joseph B. Brown Sheriff of the County Court of the said County of Gibson and his Successors in office in the penal sum of five thousand Dollars which sum we and truly to be paid we bind our selves over here and assigns. It jointly and severally sealed with our seals and dated this 22^d day of March 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such

that when as the above bound Maderson McLaurin has been duly and Constitutionally Elected Sheriff and Collector of the publick and County taxes for the next two years now of the said McLaurin Sheriff and Collector as aforesaid shall well and truly collect all County Taxes which he is by law bound to collect for the County of Gibson in each year he shall collect and well and truly pay over the same to the County Trustees of said County of Gibson on or before the last day in each year so long as he continues in office and do and perform all other acts and duties as required by Law as Collector of the County of Gibson of said County then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Maderson McLaurin
W^m M. Hughes
Thos^r Lyon
John Brittenham
Edward Sharp

A. C. Nissimmo
To Clerk's Bond
To March Term 1836

Know all men by this presents that we Allen C. Nissimmo of all the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee are here and firmly bound unto Nathan Cannon Governor of the State and his Successors in the penal sum of two thousand Dollars which sum we and truly to be paid we bind our selves and Executors Administrators jointly and severally sealed with our seals and dated this 21st day of March A D 1836

The condition of the above obligation is such that when as the above bound Allen C. Nissimmo has been duly and Constitutionally Elected Clerk of the County Court for the next four years ensuing of the County of Gibson now of the said A. C. Nissimmo shall well and truly pay over and truly account for all State Taxes by him collected for the use of the State to the Treasurer of the State of Tennessee during his continuance in office agreeable to the Lawes and Statutes in such cases made and provided then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

A. C. Nissimmo
Abner P. Priestly
Paul C. Crofton
N. P. Huff
Payton Woods
B. Crawford
Thos^r F. F. F.

Allen C Nimmo
To Clerk's Bond
Do March Term 1836

Know all men by these presents that we
Allen C Nimmo

all of the County of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee do hold and firmly bound unto Newton Cannon Governor of said State and his Successors in the penal sum of five thousand Dollars which sum we and truly to be paid We bind our heirs Executors and Administrators Jointly and Severally Sealed with our seals and dated this 21 day of March 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Allen C Nimmo has been duly and Constitutionally Elected Clerk of the County of Gibson County for the next four years ensuing Now if the said Allen C Nimmo shall faithfully keep all Records and papers now in the office of the Clerk of the County Court or that may hereafter be filed in said office and faithfully discharge all the duties enjoined on him as Clerk of said Court agreeable to the Law and Statutes in such Cases made and provided then the above obligation to be void other wise to remain in full force and Virtue

A C Nimmo Seal
Abner P. Pearly Seal
P C Crofton Seal
N. Ryba Seal
Payton Woods Seal
B Crawford Seal
John Little Seal

A C Nimmo
To Clerk's Bond
Do March Term 1836

Know all men by these presents that we
C Nimmo

all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee do hold and firmly bound unto Joseph B Debrae Chairman of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions for said County and his Successors in office in the penal sum of five thousand Dollars which sum we and truly to be paid We bind our selves our heirs and assigns Jointly and severally Sealed with our seals and dated this 21 day of March 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Allen C Nimmo has been duly and Constitutionally Elected Clerk of the County Court of said County of Gibson for the next four years ensuing now if the said Allen C Nimmo shall well and truly pay over all moneys by him collected for the use of said County to the County

Justice of said County agreeable to the Law and Statutes in such Cases made and provided then the above obligation to be void other wise to remain in full force and Virtue

A C Nimmo Seal
Abner P. Pearly Seal
Paul C Crofton Seal
N. Ryba Seal
Payton Woods Seal
B Crawford Seal
John Little Seal

B. J. Killingsworth
To Register's Bond
Do March Term 1836

Know all men by these presents that we B J Killingsworth

all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee do hold and firmly to Newton Cannon Governor of the State and his Successors in office in the penal sum of Twelve thousand five hundred Dollars which sum we and truly to be paid to the said Governor or his assigns We bind our selves our heirs &c Jointly and Severally Sealed with our seals and dated this 21 day of March 1836

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound B J Killingsworth has been duly and Constitutionally Elected Register for the County of Gibson for the next four years ensuing now if said Killingsworth shall well and truly do all the duties enjoined on him by Law as Register of said County during his continuance in office then the above obligation to be void other wise to remain in full force and Virtue

The date above written

B J Killingsworth Seal
J B Blackmore Seal
Edwin Sharps Seal
Thomas Little Seal

John H. Rains
To Trustee's Bond
Do March Term 1836

Know all men by these presents that we John H Rains Edmon W Rains Matthew Underwood David Myers and Thomas Little all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee do hold and firmly bound unto Joseph B Debrae Chairman of the County Court of the County of Gibson in the penal sum of five thousand Dollars which sum we and truly to be paid We bind our selves our heirs and assigns &c Jointly and Severally Sealed with our seals and dated this 21 day of March 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above Bound John H Rains has been duly and

constitutionally Elected Trustee for the County of Gibson
for the next two ensuing years now of the said John H. Rains
shall well and truly pay over all sums of money by him
received as trustee to the Clerk directed in such cases made
and provided, and do all other things required by Law
as Trustee of said County for said term of time when the
above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full
force and Virtue

John H. Rains *Seal*

E. C. Rains *Seal*

Math. Underwood *Seal*

David M. Rains *Seal*

Thomas F. Rains *Seal*

Last Will & Testament In the Name of God Amen
I, Caleb Rains of the State
of Tennessee & living in Gibson County being in my perfect
Mind & memory which I return due thanks to my God make
this my last Will & Testament in manner and form following
(that is to say) I give to my daughter Elizabeth Holloman
and her heirs one Negro girl by the name of Katy
for ever I give to my Daughter Anna Dickson & her
heirs one Negro girl by the name of Sarah to her & her
heirs for ever. My Will & desire is that of the State I do
bequeath my Wife all of the Cattle & Hogs with the exception
of Sixty Dollars worth that is to be sold in a period of three
Months by my Executors & the Money when collected be equally
divided between Elizabeth Holloman & Ann Dickson

I give to my son Thomas Rains two Negroes one Boy
by the name of Leonard one girl by the name of Phyllis
the boy mare by the name of Hans also one Bristed Bid &
firmature I also the Curick of hogs that he now claims to
him & his heirs for ever also one Cow and calf.

I give to my son Caleb Rains two Negroes one by the name
of Sam & Peter his wife also one bay mare commonly called
also one Bristed Bid & firmature also the Hogs that is now
called his also one cow & calf to him and his heirs forever
I give to my son John Rains two Negroes one
girl by the name of Judy one fine Boy by the name
of Silas also one bay stud Colt also one Bristed Bid & firmature
also the Hogs that is now called his also one cow and
calf to him & his heirs for ever

I give to my son Robert Rains the tract of land with all the im-
provements on which I now live also one Negro girl by the name
of Fanny also one fine filly called Dol also one Bristed Bid &
firmature also one cow & calf & one sow and pigs to him and his heirs
for ever. I bind to my ^{Wife} the land where the house & plantation on
which I now live also three Negroes one Boy by the name of
Harold one by the name of Tom & one girl by the name of Judy
& also the following property (to wit) four black horses by
the name of Pat and Jim one Bristed & Bid & firmature one cart
and yoke of oxen all my House hold and Kitchen furniture and
all my farming tools & tools of every kind & description & all the
bottles & Hops that has not heretofore been given away & every
other article of every kind & quality that has not yet been disposed
of to have & to hold during her natural life time or widowhood
my Will and desire is that all the property not before given away
after the death of wife or widowhood be sold by my Executors
in a period of twelve months & be equally divided between my
Children with the exception of Harary I give him to
my son Robert Rains. I appoint John Ballamson my son in law
and Thomas C. Rains my son executor of this my last Will
& Testament in witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this
twentieth day of September in the year of our Lord 1834
Interlined in a few places before a signed signed sealed published
& acknowledged in the presence of us

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Caleb Rains *Seal*

Witnessed by me in the presence of the
to May 24th 1836 by J. Rains William F. Webb & A. S.
Wells all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee are
here and firmly bound unto the Governor of the State of Tennessee
in the sum of three thousand five hundred Dollars to
which payment when and how to be made we bind
ourselves our heirs Executors administrators and assigns
and serve a true and correct copy by the present deed with our
seals and date this 24th May 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that
whereas the above bounden Colby Rains has been elected
Governor for the County of Gibson at the May Term of the
County Court of said County of Gibson for the next two
years Now Should the said Colby Rains do and

perform and faithfully discharge his duties agreeable to Law as Governor of said County and perform every duty appertaining to his said office of Governor faithfully then and in that case than the above obligation to be null and void other wise to remain in full force and Virtue

Colly Russell
Wm I. W. 66
A. S. L. 66

Know all men by these presents that we the undersigned Robert Edmeston & Paul C. Crofton do hereby and firmly bind to Newton Cannon Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the sum of five hundred Dollars which we will and lawfully to be paid to him or his Successors jointly and severally this thirteenth day of May 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Robert Edmeston & Paul C. Crofton have been duly and constitutionally elected Governors of Gibson County Tennessee and are now performing all the duties of Governor of said County according to Law then the above obligation to be null and void other wise to remain in full force and Virtue the day above written

Robert Edmeston
Paul C. Crofton

Know all men by these presents that we the undersigned David Jackson & Samuel Scott are to May Term 1836 do hereby and firmly bind to Newton Cannon Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the sum of one thousand Dollars for the payment of which we will and lawfully to be made we and each of us bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2 day of May 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Floyd is this day appointed to serve as Constable for the County of Gibson and said State now if the said John Floyd shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due of money by him collected from by virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose and shall in all

belonging to his office well and truly demean himself during his continuance there in then the above obligation to be null other wise to remain in full force and Virtue

John Floyd
David Jackson
Samuel Scott

Know all men by these presents that we the undersigned P. Ramsey John Randolph Nathaniel P. Ramsey to May Term 1836 George W. Knox & William P. Ramsey are held and firmly bound unto Newton Cannon Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the sum of one thousand Dollars for the payment of which we will and lawfully to be made we and each of us bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2 day of May 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound P. Ramsey is this day appointed to serve as Constable for the County of Gibson and said State now if the said P. Ramsey shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due of money by him received by virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belong to his office well and truly demean himself during his continuance there in then the above obligation to be null other wise to remain in full force and Virtue

P. Ramsey
John Randolph
Nathaniel P. Ramsey
George W. Knox
William P. Ramsey

Know all men by these presents that we the undersigned Thomas C. C. Howell Thomas C. C. Howell John Harrison George to May Term 1836 Let it John Edmeston are held and firmly bound unto Newton Cannon Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the sum of one thousand Dollars for the payment of which we will and lawfully to be made we and each of us bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2 day of May 1836

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas C. C. Howell has this day taken upon himself great Burthen the execution of the will of Calab Howell Decedent

Now of the said Thomas C. D. Moore will and truly execute the same by paying first just debts of the said deceased and then the Legacies contained in the said will as far as the assets may come into his hands will execute and the Law Charge him and make a true and perfect inventory of the goods and Chattels of the deceased and return in the time prescribed by law then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue

Thomas C. D. Moore Seal
George Litch Seal
John Harrison Seal
Jno. Edmundson Seal

M. H. Shivers

Know all men by these presents that we the Constable Bond of the State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto Newton Cannon Esq. Governor of the State of Tennessee and his successors in office in the sum of one thousand Dollars for the payment of which said sum and truly to be made up to him or his executors and administrators jointly and severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2 day of May 1836

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Matthew H. Shivers is this day appointed to serve as Constable for the County of Adams said said State now of said M. H. Shivers shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sums of money by him received by virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to his office well and truly demean him self during his continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue

M. H. Shivers Seal
Ben. Brim Seal
J. H. Goodlow Seal
Jain & Brim Seal

James M. Glasgow
To Constable Bond
To May Term 1836

Know all men by these presents that we James M. Glasgow John L. Dodier Robert Burdette Mark E. Etheridge and Nelson Jarvis are held and firmly bound unto Newton Cannon Esq. Governor of the State of Tennessee and his successors in office in the sum of one thousand Dollars for the payment of which said sum and truly to be made up to him or his executors and administrators jointly and severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2 day of May 1836

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And administrators jointly and severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2 day of May 1836

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James M. Glasgow is this day appointed to serve as Constable for said County of Adams said State now of the said James M. Glasgow shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sums of money by him received by virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to his office well and truly demean him self during his continuance therein then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue

J. M. Glasgow Seal
J. L. Dodier Seal
Mark Etheridge Seal
Robert Burdette Seal
Nelson Jarvis Seal

W. W. Newhouse
To Constable Bond
To May Term 1836

Know all men by these presents that we William W. Newhouse Thomas Jones & John Buttonham are held and firmly bound unto Newton Cannon Esq. Governor of the State of Tennessee and his successors in office in the sum of one thousand Dollars for the payment of which said sum and truly to be made up to him or his executors and administrators jointly and severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2 day of May 1836

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound W. W. Newhouse is this day appointed to serve as Constable for the County of Adams said State now of the said William W. Newhouse shall well and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sums of money by him received by virtue of any process put in to his hands for that purpose and shall in all things belonging to his office well and truly demean him self during his continuance in office then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and Virtue

William W. Newhouse Seal
Thomas Jones Seal
John Buttonham Seal