

July Term 1812

John Pruitt Guardian of The Precise sum

State of Tennessee Gibson County

We the all men by these presents that we John Pruitt George Hamilton & Crawford Pruitt of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Joshua & Hicie Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successor in office in the sum of one thousand Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successor in office or assignee to which payment will and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1812.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Pruitt on the day herein his Guardian Bond of May Lucy Mun. & Elizabeth Smith Sub of Thomas Pruitt has bound the said John Pruitt well and truly to perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Orphans and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue.

First J D Hill Chairman

John Pruitt *Lead*  
Crawford Pruitt *Lead*  
George Hamilton *Lead*

George Miller & Hugh Reas Guar of C. Miller's sum

State of Tennessee Gibson County

We the all men by these presents that we George Miller & Hugh Reas & Henry Reid of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Joshua & Hicie Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successor in office in the sum of eight hundred Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successor in office or assignee to which payment will and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1812.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound George Miller Hugh Reas this day renewed their Guardian Bond of March 1812 James Miller Sub of C. Miller severally.

Now should the said Miller & Reas well and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Orphans and in all respects discharge their duties faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue.

First

J D Hill Chairman

George Miller *Lead*  
Hugh Reas *Lead*  
Robert Reid *Lead*  
Henry Reid *Lead*

July Term 1812

Daniel Jackson Guardian of Abram King

State of Tennessee Gibson County We the all men by these presents that we Daniel Jackson Jackson Bryant & John Williams of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Joshua & Hicie Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successor in office in the sum of four thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successor in office or assignee to which payment will and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1812.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Daniel Jackson this day renewed his Guardian Bond of Abram King minor sum of Abram King aforesaid now should the said Daniel Jackson well and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Orphans and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue.

First J D Hill Chairman

(Daniel Jackson Seal)  
Jackson Bryant  
John Williams  
Seal

Catrin & Benj guard of said Hicie's sum

State of Tennessee Gibson County

We the all men by these presents that we Catrin & Benjimine B. & Whistler & Benjamin Bonn of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Joshua & Hicie Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successor in office in the sum of three thousand Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successor in office or assignee to which payment will and truly to be paid we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1812.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Catrin Bonn this day renewed his Guardian Bond of Rattiff J. James & Alpheus Bonn heirs of Leon Bonn now should the said Catrin & Benjimine Whistler & Bonn well and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Orphans and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue.

First J D Hill Chairman

Catrin & Bonn *Lead*  
J. B. Whistler *Lead*  
Leon Bonn *Lead*

July 5th 1842

Bent Hollings Guar of Margaret & Bone  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Benjamin  
E Hollings Bent Hollings & Samuel G Thomas of the County and State aforesaid  
are held and firmly bound unto J D Hill Chairman of the County Court for  
said County and his successors in office in the sum of Five Thousand  
Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his successors in office or assignees  
to which payment shall and truly to be made in one half our term  
Execution and administration County severally and forming by these presents  
sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1842

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the  
above named Bent Hollings this day renounced his Guardian Bond of  
Margaret E Bent Bone now deceased the said Bent Hollings will  
and truly perform the duty of Guardian towards the said minor and  
will respect discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be void  
else to remain in full force and virtue  
*Jst J D Hill Chairman*  
Bent Hollings  
Samuel G Thomas



Augt 2d Bone Guar of Bone

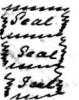
State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we  
Hugh G Bone Hugh G Bone and Wm P. Miller of the County and State aforesaid  
are held and firmly bound unto J D Hill Chairman of the County Court and his  
successors in office in the sum of Eleven Thousand Dollars to be paid to  
said Justice or his successors in office or assignees to which payment shall  
and truly to be made in one half our term our heirs Executors and Administrators  
County severally and forming by these presents sealed with our seals and  
dated this 5th day of July 1842

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas  
the above named Hugh G Bone this day renounced his Guardian Bond  
of Samuel G Bone now of the said Wm P. Miller and truly perform  
the duty of Guardian towards the said minor or others and in  
all respects discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be void  
else to remain in full force and virtue

*Jst J D Hill Chairman*

Bent Hollings  
Wm P. Miller  
John M Green



July 5th 1842

Joseph G Blakemore Guar of William Blakemore minor

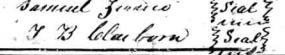
State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Joseph  
G Blakemore Samuel Jones & John B Claiborne of the County and State aforesaid  
are held and firmly bound unto J D Hill Chairman of the County Court for  
said County and his successors in office or assignees to which payment shall  
and truly to be made in one half our term our heirs Executors and Administrators  
County severally and forming by these presents sealed with our seals and dated  
this 5th day of July 1842

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas  
the above named Joseph G Blakemore this day renounced his Guardian Bond  
of Elizabeth G Bell Blakemore minor now of Wm Blakemore deceased

Now should the said Joseph G Blakemore die and truly perform the  
the duty of Guardian towards the said minor or others and in all  
respect discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be void  
*Jst J D Hill Chairman*

Wm Blakemore  
Samuel Jones  
J B Claiborne



McCommason Guardian of Wm P. Miller's heir

State of Tennessee Gibson County

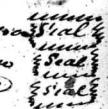
Know all men by these presents that Michael  
Commason W F Bergau and Michael Isrial of the County and State  
aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J D Hill Chairman of the  
County Court for said County and his successors in office in the  
sum of One thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice  
or his successors in office or assignees to which payment shall and  
truly to be made in one half our term our heirs Executors and Administrators  
County severally and forming by these presents sealed with  
our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1842

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas  
the above named Michael Commason this day renounced his Guardian  
Bond of Margaret A. Miller minor now of Robert G. Miller

Now should the said Michael Commason die and truly perform  
the duty of Guardian towards the said minor or others and in all  
respect discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be  
void else to remain in full force and virtue

*Jst J D Hill Chairman*

Michael Commason  
W F Bergau  
Michael Isrial



July 5th 1842

Rachael Blaize, Guardian of Noah Davis Minor  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know do now by these presents that we Rachael Blaize widow of George Blaize of the County and State aforesaid are held and formerly bound unto J. Q. Rice Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of two thousand Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assigns to which payment will and truly to be made up to us our heirs Executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents dated this 11th day of July 1842.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above named Rachael Blaize this day renounced her Guardianship Bonds of Elizabeth, Priscilla, Robert, and Edmund Blaize Minor heirs of Noah Davis deceased

Now Should the said Rachael Blaize well and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Orphans and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and effect.

First J. Q. Rice Chairman

Rachael Blaize  
Henry Blaize  
George Blaize



J. W. A. Bolles, Guardian of Joseph M. Daniel heirs

State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we John A. Bolles John G. Stevenson & Joseph Williams of the County and State aforesaid are held and formerly bound unto J. Q. Rice Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assigns to which payment will and truly to be made up to us our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents dated with our seals and date this 5th day of July 1842.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above named John A. Bolles this day renounced his Guardianship Bonds of Mary J. John Alexander Neil & Isabella C. McDaniel heirs of Joseph M. Daniel deceased

Now Should the said John A. Bolles well and truly perform the duties towards the said Minor Orphans and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and effect.

First J. Q. Rice Chairman

John A. Bolles  
John G. Stevenson  
Joseph Williams



July 5th 1842

Bryant, Conaway, Garrison for Noah Davis Minor  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Bryant Conaway & Garrison Nicholas Readley & Abram Blaize of the County and State aforesaid are held and formerly bound unto J. Q. Rice Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of One thousand eight hundred dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in assigns to which payment will and truly to be made up to us our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents dated with our seals and date this 5th day of July 1842.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above named Bryant Conaway this day renounced his Guardianship Bonds of Polly Elizabeth & Samuel G. Brubaker

Now Should the said Bryant Conaway well and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said minor Orphans and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and effect.

First J. Q. Rice Chairman

Bryant Conaway  
Garrison  
Nicholas Readley  
Abram Blaize

Irene Allen, Guardian of Amanda & Isabella J. Allen

State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Irene Allen young of Mrs. J. D. Allen & John B. Stewart of the County and State aforesaid are held and formerly bound unto J. Q. Rice Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of Two thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assigns to which payment will and truly to be made up to us our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents dated with our seals and date this 5th day of July 1842.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above named Irene Allen renounced her Guardianship Bonds of Amanda & Isabella J. Allen

Now Should the said Irene Allen well and truly perform the duties towards the said minor Orphans and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and effect.

First J. Q. Rice Chairman

Irene Allen  
John B. Stewart  
John D. Allen

July Second 1842

Bennet Ragau Guar of A & Gancy hys

State of Tennessee Gibson County

I now all know by these presents that we Bennet Ragau Richard Hartfield & C. C. Simmons of the County and State aforesaid are both and formally bound unto J. H. Hale Chairman of the County Court for said County to send his Successor in office or the said Justice, summa solleas to be paid to said Justice or his Successor in office or affording to which payment will and truly to be made us bond and his Executors and Administrators jointly severally and formally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 8th day of July 1842.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that whereas the above bound Bennet Ragau this day named his Guardian Bona of Elizabeth & Albert Gancy heirs of Albert Gancy deceased.

Now Ihereby the said Bennet Ragau will and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Depew and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue  
 Test & Dated this day of  
 1st July 1842

B. Ragau  
 Richard Hartfield  
 C. C. Simmons

*[Seals]*

Daniel W. Mangold Guar of Dan'l B. Clark hys

State of Tennessee Gibson County

I now all know by these presents that we Daniel W. Mangold & John W. Gibson of the County and State aforesaid are both and formally bound unto J. H. Hale Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successor in office in the sum of Justice, summa solleas to be paid to said Justice or his Successor in office or affording to which payment will and truly to be made us bond and his Executors and Administrators jointly severally and formally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 8th day of July 1842.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that whereas the above bound Daniel W. Mangold this day named his Guardian Bona of Alexander Clark heir of Daniel B. Clark

Now Ihereby the said Daniel W. Mangold will and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Depew and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue

Test & Dated this day of

(Daniel W. Mangold  
 Allen Mangold  
 John W. Gibson)

*[Seals]*

July Third 1842

Social Shadford Guar of W. H. Shadford hys

State of Tennessee Gibson County

I now all know by these presents that we Social Shadford & John W. Shadford of the County and State aforesaid are both and formally bound unto Joshua C. Hale Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successor in office in the sum of One hundred Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successor in office or affording to which payment will and truly to be made us bond and his Executors and Administrators jointly severally and formally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 8th day of July 1842.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that whereas the above bound Social Shadford this day named his Guardian Bona of Delilah G. Shadford heirs of Israel W. H. Shadford.

Now Ihereby the said Social Shadford will and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Depew and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue

Test & Dated this day of

Social Shadford  
 John W. H. Shadford  
 Israel W. H. Shadford

*[Seals]*

Thos Mitchell Guar of Mary Elizabeth & Susan Mitchell

State of Tennessee Gibson County

I now all know by these presents that we Thomas Mitchell Esquire Sharp & Thos Mitchell of the County and State aforesaid are both and formally bound unto J. H. Hale Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successor in office or affording to which payment will and truly to be paid to said Justice or his Successor in office or affording to which payment will and truly to be made us bond and his Executors and Administrators jointly severally and formally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 8th day of July 1842.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas Mitchell this day named his Guardian Bona of Mary Elizabeth & Susan Mitchell heirs of Thomas C. Mitchell

Now Ihereby the said Thos Mitchell will and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Depew and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue

Test & Dated this day of

E. Sharp  
 Thos C. Mitchell  
 Thos. C. Mitchell

*[Seals]*

July 5th 1842

Dennis Tatton Guardian of Luke Tatton

State of Tipton Gibson County

We the undersigned by these presents that we Dennis Tatton P. S. Oliver & Thomas B. Flahorn of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J. H. Hale Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office or assignees to whom payment shall and may be made, the sum of one hundred dollars and twenty five cents to be paid to said Dennis Tatton his heirs executors and Administrators by the County and State by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above Dennis Tatton was this day <sup>1842</sup> deceased <sup>dead</sup> leaving his wife Mary Tatton his widow the said Dennis Tatton well and truly performed the duties of Guardian towards the said minor Sophia and in all respects discharged his duty faithfully thus this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue.

First of J. H. Hale

Dennis Tatton Seal  
P. S. Oliver Seal  
Thomas B. Flahorn Seal

Nesbit & Williams Guardians of Minor Sophia King

State of Tipton Gibson County

We the undersigned by these presents that we Robert Nesbitt Joseph Williams & Jeptha Williams & Vines E. H. Hale & Spofford Chastain of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J. H. Hale Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of fifteen thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assignees to whom payment shall and may be made, the sum of one hundred dollars and twenty five cents to be paid to said Dennis Tatton his heirs executors and Administrators by the County and State by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Robert Nesbitt & Joseph Williams this day deceased their bound and firmly bound unto J. H. Hale Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office or assignees to whom payment shall and may be made, the sum of one hundred dollars and twenty five cents to be paid to said Dennis Tatton his heirs executors and Administrators by the County and State by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1842.

First of J. H. Hale Chairman

Robert Nesbitt Seal  
Joseph Williams Seal  
Spofford Chastain Seal  
E. H. Hale Seal  
Jeptha Williams Seal  
Vines E. H. Hale Seal

July 5th 1842

Asha Flowers Guardian of Humphrey Flowers her

State of Tipton Gibson County

We the undersigned by these presents that we Asha Flowers Mary Flowers Barbara Flowers James Bobbitt & William Waller citizens of this County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J. H. Hale Chairman of the County Court and his Successors in office in the sum of one thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assignees to whom payment shall and may be made the sum of one hundred dollars and twenty five cents to be paid to said Dennis Tatton his heirs executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1842.

The condition of the above bound obligation is such that whereas the above bound Asha Flowers this day deceased her husband Bond of Harris & Polk & Beaumont Flowers his heirs of Humphrey Flowers.

Now should the said Asha Flowers well and truly perform the duty of Guardian towards the said minor Sophia and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully thus this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue.

First of J. H. Hale Chairman

Asha Flowers Seal  
Mary Flowers Seal  
Barbara Flowers Seal  
William Waller Seal

Jamrell Caudle Guardian of Anthony Simmons her

State of Tipton Gibson County

We the undersigned by these presents that we Samuel Caudle Thomas Cooper and John W. Wortham of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J. H. Hale Chairman of the County Court and his Successors in office in the sum of seven thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assignees to whom payment shall and may be made the sum of one hundred dollars and twenty five cents to be paid to said Dennis Tatton his heirs executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Samuel Caudle John W. Wortham his Successors in office or assignees to whom payment shall and may be made the sum of one hundred dollars and twenty five cents to be paid to said Dennis Tatton his heirs executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1842.

Now should the said Samuel Caudle John W. Wortham perform the duties of duties of Guardian towards the said minor Sophia and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully thus this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue.

First of J. H. Hale Chairman

Samuel Caudle Seal  
John W. Wortham Seal  
Thomas Cooper Seal

July Term 1842

Isaac & Marygate Guardian of Nancy R. Maygate

State of Seminole Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Isaac & Marygate James & wife Trustees Guardians of the County and State agree and bind our jointly bound unto A. D. Stile Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of One thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assignee to which payment debt and duty to be made we bind ourselves and heirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents to do and make and date the 14th day of July 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Isaac & Marygate has engaged his Guardian Bonds of Nancy R. Maygate

that he shall have & pay unto the said Justice of Seminole County the sum of one thousand dollars to discharge the said Justices debt and in no respects discharge his duty pertaining thereto this obligation to be valid such as to remain in full force and effect.

Isaac & Marygate  
Jos. G. Foster  
J. T. Howell

J. G. Carter guardian of James Maygate his

State of Seminole Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we J. G. Carter Isaac & Marygate & the County and State agree and bind our jointly bound unto A. D. Stile Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of One thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assignee to which payment debt and duty to be made we bind ourselves and heirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents to do and make and date the 14th day of July 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound J. G. Carter has engaged his Guardian Bonds of James Maygate minor son of James Maygate

that he shall the said J. G. Carter well and truly perform the duties of Guardian of minors the said minor excepts and in no respects discharge his duty faithfully than that obligation to be valid such as to remain in full force and effect.

First of A. D. Stile Chairman

J. G. Carter  
Isaac & Marygate  
J. T. Howell

July Term 1842

Stephen O'aniel Guardian of Dennis Gibson his

State of Seminole Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Stephen O'aniel Michael Paul & A. Gibson of the County and State agree and bind our jointly bound unto A. D. Stile Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of one thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assignee to which payment debt and duty to be made we bind ourselves and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed this 14th day of July 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Stephen O'aniel has bound his Guardian Bonds of Dennis Gibson

that he shall the said S. O'aniel well and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said minor excepts and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully than that obligation to be valid such as to remain in full force and effect.

Stephen O'aniel  
Michael Paul  
A. Gibson

Isaac S. Mortow Guarantor of J. G. Carter

State of Seminole Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Isaac Mortow Dennis Crawford & Joseph Williams of the County and State agree and bind our jointly bound unto A. D. Stile Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of two thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assignee to which payment debt and duty to be made we bind ourselves and heirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents to do and make and date the 14th day of July 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Isaac S. Mortow has engaged his Guardian Bonds of J. G. Carter that he shall the said S. Mortow well and truly perform the duties of Guarantor to namely the said minor Gibson and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully than that obligation to be valid such as to remain in full force and effect.

Isaac S. Mortow  
Dennis Crawford  
Joseph Williams

July Term 1842

James W. Blakemore Guardian of T. A. Blakemore  
State of Seminole Gibson County

Know all men by these presents  
that we James W. Blakemore Barnes & wife H. S. John W. Dougall  
of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J. P. Goff  
Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office  
in the sum of Seven Thousand and fifty 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 our selves and heirs Executors and Administrators  
Jointly severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals  
and dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July 1842

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas  
the above bound James W. Blakemore they may renew the Guardian  
Bond of T. A. Blakemore.

Now Should the said James W. Blakemore well and truly  
perform the duties of Guardian, then and the said money so bound  
and we are respectively discharge his duty faithfully then their  
obligation to be paid also to remain in full force and execution  
But if the otherwise

J. P. Goff  
H. S. Dougall  
John W. Dougall

Suey A. Corruthas Guardian of D. C. Corruthas her

State of Seminole Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Suey A.  
Corruthas Asst. P. Sheriff & Notary Public of the County and State aforesaid are  
held and firmly bound unto J. P. Goff Chairman of the County Court for said County  
and his Successors in office in the sum of ten 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 and heirs Executors and Administrators  
Jointly severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and  
dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July 1842

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas  
the above bound L. Corruthas and his Successors in office or assigns to which payment well  
and truly to be made we bind ourselves and heirs Executors and Administrators  
Jointly severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and  
dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July 1842

Suey A. Corruthas  
A. S. P. Sheriff  
H. S. Dougall

July Term 1842

Robert Elder to Notary Public Bond  
State of Seminole Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Robert Elder  
Alice McGeoghegan B. Elder & John W. Elder all of the County of Gibson and State aforesaid  
are held and firmly bound unto James C. Lewis Governor of the state aforesaid  
for the time being and his Successors in office or assigns in the sum of  
Five Thousand Dollars to be paid to the said John W. Elder and each of  
us bind ourselves and heirs Executors and Administrators Jointly severally and  
jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of  
July 1842

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound  
Robert Elder hath this day been Electd Notary Public for the County of Gibson  
in said State of Seminole for the sum of four years from these presents.

Now Should the said Robert Elder will and truly execute  
the duties of Notary Public for said County of Gibson and in all respects  
discharge his duties agreeable to Law and instructions then this obligation to  
be void otherwise to remain in full force and execution.

Robert Elder  
Alice  
Alice M. Dougall  
B. Elder  
John W. Elder  
John W. Dougall

John B. Hogg to Notary Public Bond

State of Seminole Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we John B. Hogg  
of Wilkins Burton Crawford are the County of Gibson and State of Seminole  
are held and firmly bound unto James C. Jones Governor of the State of  
Seminole for the time being and his Successors in office or assigns in the sum of  
Five Thousand Dollars to be paid to the said John W. Elder and each of  
us bind ourselves and heirs Executors and Administrators Jointly severally and  
jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 6<sup>th</sup> day of July  
1842

The condition of the above or the above obligation is such that whereas  
the above John B. Hogg hath this day been Electd Notary Public for the County of  
Gibson in said State of Seminole for the sum of four years from these presents.

Now Should the said John B. Hogg will and truly execute the duties of  
Notary Public of said County of Gibson and in all respects discharge his duties  
agreeable to Law and instructions then this obligation to be void else to remain  
in full force and execution.

John B. Hogg  
J. F. Wilkins  
B. Burton  
C. J. Crawford

July 18th 1842

William Cooper to Administrator of W H Allison Estate  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

The Shd. forficer Peter J. Dugay & John W. Rutherford our  
humble and formerly bound unto James Young Governor of the State of Tennessee for the time  
being and his Successors in office in the sum of fourtynine thousand dollars for  
which payment shall and hale to be made our bind ourselves and heirs Executors  
and Administrators jointly and severally and firmly by these presents that shall  
witness our seals and witness this 4th day of July 1842.

The foundation of the above obligation is such that of the above named  
Thomas Cooper Administrator of all late singular the goods and Chattels rights  
and credits of Hugh W. Allison executors 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 said deceased which have or shall come to the hands of Cooper or  
knowledge of him the said Shd. forficer is into the hands and properties or  
knowledge of any other person or persons for him and the same so made  
or exhibit or taken to be exhibited to the next County Court where mises for  
Administration proper the same goods Chattels and credits of the said deceased  
at the time of his death or which at any time after shall come to the hands  
or properties of the said Shd. forficer or into the hands or properties for him  
shall truly Administer according to law and Justice so made 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 the residue  
of said goods Chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said  
Administration account the same being first examined and allowed by the County  
Court shall be given and paid unto such person or persons respectively as the same  
shall be given unto pursuant to law and if it shall appear that any last will  
and testament was made by the deceased and the Executor or executors thereon  
named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and approved  
accordingly of the said Shd. forficer above named being then unto request do  
swear and declare the said letters of Administration of such testament being  
first had and made in the said Court that this obligation to be void  
and of none effect or tie to remain in full force and witness given under our  
hands and seals this 4th day of July 1842

Test of W H Allison

Thomas Cooper BD  
Peter J. Dugay BD  
John W. Rutherford BD

July 18th 1842

William Cooper to Constables Bond

Know all men by these presents that we William Cooper John W. Rutherford Samuel Glass & Holt Campbell are here and formerly bound unto James Young Esq. Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the sum of full sum of fourty nine thousand dollars for the payment of which we and fully  
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 witness  
this 4th day of July 1842

The foundation of the above obligation of the above is such that whereas the  
above named Mr. Shaw has been duly elected Constable to serve as Constable  
for the County of Gibson & said State now should the said Mr. Shaw shall will  
and fully pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due set forth  
or owing by him now by virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose  
and shall in all things belonging to his office will and fully answer himself  
during his continuance therein then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain  
in full force and witness

Wm. Shaw BD  
Sam'l Glass BD

Jno. W. Rutherford BD  
John W. Allison BD  
Holt Campbell BD

Nelson & Phelps to County Treasuror Bond  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Nelson & Phelps Farmers of the State of Tennessee  
know all of the County of Gibson & State of Tennessee are here and formerly bound unto  
the State of Tennessee in the sum of twenty thousand dollars and same will and  
fully to be paid or made such if as bond over before us the executors  
& administrators of said County severally and firmly by these presents before  
and to the said Treasuror and dated this 18th day of July 1842

The foundation of the above obligation is such that whereas the  
above bound in Phelps hath this day bound to him County Treasuror of said  
County and State aforesaid for the sum of five years from these presents  
that should the said Mr. Phelps will and truly perform the duties  
and duly execute the acts of County Treasuror for said County of Gibson  
in said State of Tennessee and in all respects discharge the duty  
of office faithfully and agreeable to law then this obligation to be  
void due to remain in full force and witness

Nelson & Phelps BD  
John Phelps BD  
Wm B Jones BD

August 2nd 1842

The Last Will and Testament of Andrew Miller Deinvent to his Heirs  
State of Tennessee Gibson County July the 11<sup>th</sup> 1842

In the name of God I Andrew Miller of the said County  
of Gibson and State of Tennessee being now of a sound, and disposing Mind  
and Convinced of the uncertainty of life do make ordain and publish this my  
last Will & Testament hereby revoking any and all wills by me heretofore made  
whether verbal or written.

In the first place I dedicate my soul to god who gave it and desire that my  
body be buried in my own family grave yard on the place where I now lie  
in such a desert manner as suits my condition in life.  
Also I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Miller  
one Sheep, one Pig, one Calf also two Hogs & furniture & Bedsteads to be sold  
by herself from the bed and furniture now owned by her I also bequeath  
to my said wife the North Half of the Tract of land on which I now live  
containing one hundred acres said half including my present  
Mansion House and a part of my slaves & property thence also one  
Negro girl slave by the name of Eliza to hold an annuity to her benefit during  
her natural life and after her death the same & Negro with her executors  
to be sold on twelve months notice and the proceeds thereof divided among  
between my children or their lawful heirs to but

Wallace Miller his wife George Miller Eliza Miller & Margaret  
Miller Polly Brattenham or her heirs and to Hannah Miller or her heirs  
one mile of land in consequence of my having given said Hannah an  
equal part of my estate heretofore of such part as I designed for her  
which is now her possession I also leave to my daughter Eliza Miller  
one Negro Boy Slave by the name of John —

And I further leave and bequeath to my son Miller one Negro  
Slave by the name of Washington also one by the name of Melinda  
I also will to my said son Miller the South Half of my one  
hundred acre tract of land it being the same wherein I now reside also  
will to my said son Miller Two Hogs and Furniture & Bedsteads and to my  
adopted son Abram James King I will one Bed, bedding & furniture

I also direct that there should be no stock of horses cattle hogs  
or sheep on hand more than my wife and my son Miller may think  
necessary to keep up and support the wants of my wife & the family  
I leave with her & that my son Miller may sell such annuity part and  
divide the proceeds thereof equally between my wife and my said  
children as above described legatees and it is my wish that it  
be paid over to the respective legatees when the youngest comes  
of age and I will to my son Miller all my farming tools and  
to any other property whether real personal or mixed of which I may  
die possessed. I direct that it shall be sold on twelve months notice  
and the proceeds thereof divided among my children or their lawful  
heirs To wit my son Wallace Miller George Miller Eliza Miller  
Margaret Miller Polly Brattenham equally when the youngest

August 2nd 1842

hereof any of my children come of age stand I do hereby nominate  
and appoint my son Wallace Miller the Executor of this my will and  
testament and in consequence of having given my said Miller a larger  
portion of my estate than either of the other children to his wife & daughters  
that the said Miller pay at his own expense my funeral expenses and all  
other just debts which I may owe at my death & it is my will that my wife have  
an equal share with my other legatees so far as the proceeds of my perishable  
property may be lawfully

In Testimony whereof I the said Andrew Miller do hereby publish  
and declare this my last will and testament signed sealed and  
Witnessed this 11<sup>th</sup> day of July 1842  
in the presence of and the several  
attestations & intercalations made  
before me

Witness

J. M. Wallace 3  
A. Miller 3

Willis Miller Executor of the Last will of Andrew Miller test. August 1st 1842  
I bind all men by these presents that the Wallace Miller J. M. Miller & George Miller  
my heir and family bound unto James Jones Esquire Governor of the  
State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the just sum of  
two Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made to  
and each of us bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators  
jointly severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated  
this 1st day of August 1842

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas  
the above bound Wallace Miller has this day taken upon himself the  
Burthen and Execution of the last will and Testament of Andrew  
Miller Decedent. Now if the said Miller will and truly execute the same  
by paying first the just debts of the said Decedent and then the legacy  
herein contained in the said will as far as the same may come into his  
hands will execute and the same charge him and make a true and perfect  
payment of the goods and chattels of the deceased and return the same  
in the time prescribed by Law then this obligation to be void else to  
remain in full force and virtue

First

J. M. Wallace  
George Miller

P. S. —  
Wallace Miller  
George Miller



August 28th 1842

William W. Newhouse, Administrator of William Brown's Estate vs. August 28th  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

The Will of William W. Newhouse Thomas Jones Nathaniel & Samuel Jones  
one half and formerly Bound unto James F. Jones Esquire of the State of Tennessee  
for the time being Land his Successors in office in the sum of three thousand  
Dollars for which payment shall and hereby to be made the land, our selves and  
heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally jointly by these presents  
sealed with our seals and dated this first day of August 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound  
William W. Newhouse hath this been appointed Administrator of all and singular  
the goods and chattels rights and credits of William Brown deceased or make in  
Cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods  
and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased which have or shall come  
to hands possession or knowledge of him the said William W. Newhouse or into  
the hands and possession of any other person or persons there here and the same  
so made or ex parte or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court where  
orders for administrative paper and the same Goods chattels and credits of the  
said deceased at the time of his death or which at any time after shall come to  
the hands or possession of the said William W. Newhouse or into the hands or possession  
of any other person or persons for him or her and truly administrator according to  
Law and further as make or cause to be made a full and just account of  
his said Administration within two years after the date of these presents and  
all the rest and the residue of said Goods chattels and credits which shall  
be found remaining upon said Administrator's account the same being first  
examined and allowed by the County Court shall be delivered and paid to such person  
or persons respecting as the same shall be due unto pursuant to law  
and if it shall appear that any last will and testament was made by  
the deceased and the Executor or Executrix therin named executed  
the same into court making request to have it allowed and approved  
accordingly of the said William W. Newhouse above bound being then  
Required to render and deliver the said letters of Administration  
Approbation of such testament being first had and made in the said  
Court that this obligation to be void and of none effect unless to remain  
in full force and virtue from under our hands and seals this first  
day of August 1842

First  
I D Offill witness

Wm W. Newhouse  
N. A. Gurney  
Thos Jones

August 28th 1842

John R. Barksdale, Guardian of H. Mayfield's heirs Augst 28th 1842  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

Where all may by these presents that we John R. Barksdale Robert Nesbitt  
& Seal C. Hopkins of the County and State aforesaid are held and formally  
bound unto J. C. H. Chairman of the County Court for said County and his  
Successors in office in the sum of fifteen hundred Dollars to be paid to said  
or his successors in office or aforesaid to which payment shall and truly to be made  
at hand our selves and heirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally and  
jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 1st day of  
August 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above  
bound John R. Barksdale was this day appointed Guardian of H. Mayfield,<sup>son of</sup> heir of H. Mayfield aforesaid

Now should the said John R. Barksdale well and truly perform the  
duties of Guardian towards the said minor Hopkins and in all respects  
discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to  
remain in full force and virtue.

John R. Barksdale  
Robert Nesbitt  
Seal  
C. Hopkins  
Seal

Sam Williams Guardian of David P. Phillips son of Charles Phillips 1842  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

Where all may by these presents that we Sam Williams Samuel Hobbs &  
William P. Williams of the County and State aforesaid are held and formally  
bound unto J. C. H. Chairman of the County Court for said County and his  
Successors in office in the sum of six hundred Dollars to be paid to  
said Justice or his successors in office or aforesaid to which payment shall  
and truly to be made at hand our selves and heirs Executors and Administrators  
jointly severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and  
dated this 1st day of August 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the  
above bound Sam Williams was this day appointed Guardian of  
Robert Phillips minor heir of Charles Phillips aforesaid

Now should the said Sam Williams well and truly perform  
the duties of Guardian towards said minor Hopkins and in all respects  
discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void else to  
remain in full force and virtue.

Sam Williams  
Sam Broth  
W. P. Williams

August Term 1842

Gachanah Smith Gouverneur of Young Justice his August Term 1842

State of Steuben Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Gachanah Smith of James A M Hps & Baltholomeus Talor of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J C Hile Sheriff of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of four thousand Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assigns to which payment we and they to be made at once ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally bound by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 1st of August 1842.

The signature of the above obligation is such that whereas the above named Smith was this day appointed Governor of the City of Elizabethville County & Young Justice of Steuben County  
and should the said Smith and truly perform the duties of Governor towards said Minor Officers and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void due to remain in full force and virtue

J Smith *(Signature)*  
J W Hps *(Signature)*  
B Balmer *(Signature)*

Rachal Tinsley Gouverneur of Young Justice his August Term 1842

State of Steuben Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Rachal Tinsley John Gilispie and J Alvo of the County and State aforesaid and firmly bound unto J C Hile Sheriff of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of one hundred & eighty dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assigns to which payment we and they to be made we bind our selves and theirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 1st day of August 1842.

The signature of the above obligation is such that whereas the above named Rachal Tinsley was this day appointed Governor of Mary A. Williams and body heir of Coffy Tinsley.

and should the said Rachal Tinsley and truly perform the duties of Governor towards the said Minor Officers and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void due to remain in full force and virtue

Rachal Tinsley *(Signature)*  
J W Gilispie *(Signature)*  
J Alvo *(Signature)*

September Term 1842

Squire B. Parte Administrator of Pusley Beaufort Sept Term 1842

State of Steuben Gibson County

We Squire B Parte. Squire Parte & R P Warner are held and firmly bound unto Joffre L. Jones Governor of the State aforesaid for the time being and his Successors in office in the sum of four thousand dollars for which payment we and they to be made we bind our heirs our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by these sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of Sept 1842.

The execution of the above obligation is such that if the above named Squire B Parte Administrator of the same singular the goods and chattels rights and easements of Pusley Beaufort Beaufort as make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and easements of said deceased which have or shall or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of him the said Squire B Parte or unto the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same to make as is held or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court where cause of damages therefore provided and the same goods chattels and easements of the said deceased at the time of his death or which at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said Squire Parte or unto the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him and truly administered according to law and further as 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 said goods chattels and easements which shall remain unaccounted before administrator account the same being first examined and allowed by the County Court shall deliver and pay unto said person respectively as the same shall be due unto plaintiff to law and if it then appear that any last will and testament was made by the aforesaid and the testator or Executor thereof named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and approved accordingly the said Squire B Parte above bound being thereunto required to render and deliver the same letters of Administration (& probate of such instrument being first had and made) in the said court then this obligation to be worthless to remain in full force and virtue

Squire  
J. S. Tinsley

B. Parte *(Signature)*  
Squire Parte *(Signature)*  
R P Warner *(Signature)*

September 5<sup>th</sup> 1843

Nathan Ingrain Administrator of George Grosvenor

We Nathan Ingrain John Parker and William Powe our selves and formerly bound unto James C Jones Governor of the State aforesaid for the sum of £1000 and his successors in office in the several towns of this hundred of Holton for which payment will and hereby to be made us heirs and executors or executors and Administrators jointly and severally formerly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Nathan Ingrain Administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of George Grosvenor deceased late make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said accessories which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of him the said Nathan Ingrain or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same to make to exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court where orders of Administration passed and the same goods chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death or which any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said Nathan Ingrain or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him to take 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 of the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of said goods chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon upon the said Administrators account the same being first examined and accounted by the County Court shall allow and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due unto pursuant to law and if it shall appear that any last will and testament was made by the deceased and the executor or executors thereon named to exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and approved according to if the said Nathan Ingrain above named being thoutent sufficient to honor and deliver the said Letters of Administration (approbation of such testament being first had and made) as the said court shall then this 5<sup>th</sup> obligation to be void and gone off or else to remain in full force and virtue Given under our hands and seals this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1842

Nathan Ingrain *(Signature)*  
John Parker *(Signature)*  
William Powe *(Signature)*

September 5<sup>th</sup> 1843

Wellington H Bleasoe Administrator of Henry C Holden deceased

We Wellington H Bleasoe Laban Bunting & Matthew Underwood our heirs and formerly bound unto James C Jones Governor of the State aforesaid for the time being ~~and~~ his successors in office in the several sum of fifteen thousand dollars for which payment will and hereby to be made us heirs and executors and Administrators jointly and severally formerly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Wellington H Bleasoe Administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of Henry C Holden 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 accessories which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of him the said Wellington H C Bleasoe or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same to make to exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court where orders of Administration passed and the same goods chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death or which at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said Wellington H C Bleasoe 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 true and just account of his Administration within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of said goods chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said Administrators account the same being first examined and accounted by the County Court shall allow and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due unto pursuant to law and if it shall appear that any Last will and testament was made by the deceased and the executor or executors thereon named to exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and approved according to the said Wellngton H Bleasoe above bound being thoutent sufficient to render and deliver 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 none effect or else to remain in full force and virtue Given under our hands and seals this 5<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1842

H H Bleasoe *(Signature)*  
Laban Bunting *(Signature)*  
Matthew Underwood *(Signature)*

September Term 1842

Aaron Simons, Guardian of John M. Crockett

State of Tennessee Gibson County Know all men by these presents that we Aaron Simons Isaac Burnette and Samuel Dural of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J. H. Hill Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of one thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors no offer or apinges to which payment well and truly to be made we bear our hands Executors and Administrators severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of Sept 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above Bound Aaron Simons was this day chosen and appointed Guardian of John M. Crockett her of John Crockett deceased.

Now Should the said Aaron Simons die and hys executors the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Dopham and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void also to remain in full force and virtue.

Aaron Simons Esq  
Samuel Dural Esq  
~~Isaac Burnette Esq~~

### Stock of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Bethesda H Thompson James Potts & William G. Patten & Absalom Boston of the County and State aforesaid do formerly bind unto J. H. Hill Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of two thousand dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or apinges to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our hands executors and Administrators severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of Sept 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above Bound Bethesda H Thompson was this day chosen and appointed Guardian of Lazarus H. Thompson her of Joseph C. Thompson.

Now Should the said Bethesda H. Thompson die and hys executors perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Dopham and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void also to remain in full force and virtue.

H. H. Thompson  
Absalom Boston  
W. G. Patten  
J. C. Patten

September Term 1842

Aaron Jackson, Guardian of Richard Robertson's heirs

State of Tennessee Gibson County Know all men by these presents that we Aaron Jackson John C. Gillespie and Gray B. Barker of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J. H. Hill Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office or apinges to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our hands executors and Administrators severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of Sept 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Aaron Jackson was this day chosen and appointed Guardian of Mary Myrtle Sarah Lockette Hawkins, John & Eliza <sup>or</sup> Robertson children of Richard Robertson +

Now Should the said Aaron Jackson die and hys executors the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Dopham and in all respects discharge his duties of Guardian faithfully then this obligation to be void also to remain in full force and virtue.

Aaron Jackson Seal  
G. B. Barker Seal  
John C. Gillespie Seal

Aaron Jackson Guardian of Sue Brown her of William Brown and State of Tennessee Gibson County Know all men by these presents that we Aaron Jackson John C. Gillespie Gray B. Barker of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J. H. Hill Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of four hundred dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors no offer or apinges to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves executors and Administrators severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of Sept 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above Bound Aaron Jackson was this day chosen and appointed Guardian of Sue Brown her of William Brown - Now Should the said Aaron Jackson die and hys executors perform the duties of Guardian of Sue Brown minor her of William Brown - Now Should the said Aaron Jackson die and hys executors perform the duties of Guardian to wards the said Minor Dopham and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully then this obligation to be void also to remain in full force and virtue.

Aaron Jackson Seal  
G. B. Barker Seal  
John C. Gillespie Seal

Sept Term 1842

Josiah Allen Guardian of his Own Heirs  
State of Georgia Gibson County.

I now all know by these presents that we Josiah Allen & Anna Jackson & John Brown, of the County aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto J. W. White Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of four hundred Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assigned to which payment etc and truly to be made we the said Josiah Allen and his executors and Administrators County severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of Sept 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Josiah Allen was this day chosen and appointed Guardian of Francis & Joseph & Benjamin T. Allen children of said Allen - Now should the said Josiah Allen die and not perform the duties of Guardian towards said minor children and in all respects during his life faithfully fulfill his obligations to be void etc to remain in full force and virtue

Josiah Allen  
John F. Brown  
Anna Jackson

Johnston Williams Constable. Same Sept Term 1842

I now all know by these presents that the Johnston Williams and David Jones his wife and firmly bound unto James Clegg Esq. Governor of the State of Georgia and his Successors in office in the last and full sum of four thousand Dollars for the payment of which we and truly to be made we and each of us bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of Sept 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Johnston Williams has been duly elected to serve as constable for the County of Gibson & said State - Now if the said Johnston Williams shall die 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 there in then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Johnston Williams  
A. Davis  
David Jones

Sept Term 1840

Know all men by these presents that we Henry A. Woods & Lucy A. Webster are held and firmly bound unto James C. Jones Esq. Governor of the State of Georgia and his Successors in office in the last and full sum of two thousand dollars for the payment of which we and truly to be made we and each of us bind ourselves our heirs executors and Administrators severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of Sept 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Henry A. Woods hath this day taken upon himself the Burthen and Execution of the like of George Wood deceased Now if the said Henry A. Woods die and truly incure the sum by paying first the debts of said ~~Wood~~ and then the legacies contained in the said will so far as the appts may come into his hands alive execute and the said George 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 thereafter this obligation to be otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Henry A. Woods  
Lucy A. Webster

September First 1842

George Woods Last will and Testament to S. J. T. Formd 1842  
In the Name of God Amen I George Woods of the County of Gibson State of Tennessee being a Lame State of Health but of sound Mind and memory do make and execute this my last will and Testament  
1<sup>st</sup> I give to my Son George Woods my Wooden chair and Settee of  
both in his own Proper White

The remaining part of my Estate I give to my wife Mary Ann Woods for her Support & Living which effects as a Chair and Bedding and other effects whatsoever during her natural life and that she manage so my Utile that my said Son George Woods shall have \$10 before of each Year & to satisfy all my just debts  
Fearing and know from thine knowing him it furnish a bed and bedding to be

for the Name of God Amen. I James C. Center living of Somua Minnabat in Body & not with any expectation of living but a short time I make this my last will and Testament  
1<sup>st</sup> first I wish all my just debts to be paid

2<sup>nd</sup> Secondly I give to my dear beloved wife all my property consisting of horses hogs Cattle house, hole and kitchen furniture and all for her Support & Living which effects as a Chair and Bedding and other effects whatsoever during her natural life and that she manage so my Utile that my said Son George Woods shall have \$10 before of each Year & to satisfy all my just debts  
3<sup>rd</sup> Thirdly that my land is due unpaid for and that of my wife cannot make payment that it be sold to the highest bidder & the said Price and the balance of owing to be paid over to my dear wife  
4<sup>th</sup> Fourthly I make my wife & Robert Nesbitt be appointed my executors the 9<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1842

James C. Center

Lastly I appoint my said Son George Woods a Trustee for his mother and Authorise him to take possession of the effects I leave to his mother after my death until such time he has entire possession  
The effects I leave to his mother and because here after my death first  
no part of my property to make perfect respect to the fourth point of Williams Robertson  
Shall have come into his hands and at the death of my wife Mary Ann Woods  
Woods if there be any of my effects remaining it is my Utile that the Sarah Dickens  
State be divided equally among my several daughters Baltimore deceased  
Sarah Woods Mrs. Maria May Wood Standish Broke Melinda Remond

Mary Remond and Richard G. Aycock the son of my daughter Mary Remond

A good Discre

In testamony whereof I have here set my hand and seal this 30<sup>th</sup> day of June 1842

George Woods

Gray B. Barker  
Wilson Penny

Robt. Nesbitt Executor's Name 11 of 6 Center Oct 1842

I now tell you by these presents that we Robt. Nesbitt Alvin Center and our Son are fully and firmly bound unto James C. Center Esq. Governor of the State of Tennessee and his Successors in office in the sum of \$1000 per year for five Years and setting for the payment of the same all and sundry to be made in and each of his three or selves hours Executive and commissioners of the County Sheriff and only by these presents binding on the saids and sealing this third day of October 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that where as the said Robt. Nesbitt hath this day to him upon himself the said a execution of the will of James C. Center deceased now of the said Robt. Nesbitt will and truly execute the same by paying first the sum of the saids deceased upon the legacies contained in said will far as the effects may come into his hands will execute and then charge him and make a true and perfect inventory of the Goods & Chattels of the deceased and return the same in the time presented here above this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Robt. Nesbitt  
Alvin Center  
Sarah Home

Robt. Nesbitt  
Alvin Center  
Sarah Home

October Second 1842

James C. Center's last will and Testament Octd. Formd 1842

Octr Term 1812

Benj F. Collingsworth, Aug. 1. Bond of Benj F. Finsley  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

... these all made by these presents shall be State of Pennsylvania Gibson County  
Bent & Peter, seventh Justice of the Peace of the County and so  
aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Joshua & Alice Williamson our late and formerly bound unto James & Jones former of the  
County Court for Said County and his Successor in office during the time aforesaid for the sum of two hundred Dollars for which payment will and truly to be made on  
the sum of two hundred Dollars for which payment will and truly to be made on the final  
and last day of January next ensuing to which payment will and truly to be made on the said day of January next  
in full and finally by these presents made with the Seal of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania  
this 6<sup>th</sup> day of February A.D. 1842.

*State of Tennessee Gibson County*

We Joseph Williams Joseph Meekins & Bowley As  
Williamson our late and friendly bound unto James C Jones Governor of this  
State before his time living, and his successor in office on the final  
sum of two hundred dollars for which payment will and truly to be made the  
time our saids and heirs executors and administrators severally and severally  
solely by these presents sealed with our Seals and dated this 5th day of November  
1842

The Constitution of the above obligation is such that if the above Specie

The Execution of the above Legislation is such that Williams Administrator of us and Sing unto the gods and chattels right and  
whereas the above named Bp. A. Folkmouth was this day  
Chosen and appointed Vicar and Vicar of ~~the~~  
Now should the said B. Folkmouth well and truly perform  
the duties of Vicar and Vicar of the said Vicar or Bishop  
and in all respects discharge his duty, faithfully  
thereas Legislation to be made as to remain until  
one and sixteen  
B. Folkmouth & the same Gods Chatty and Ecclesias of the said vicar and Vicar of the said Vicar

I do further warrant & assure Goods Chattels and Effects of the said deceased at the time of his death wherein I warrant or wish at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said Sheriff to take the same or possession of any other person or persons for him or their use.

for him as well and truly administer according to said and further  
to 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 said executors chattels and credits which shall be found  
remaining upon the said administration account the same being first examined  
and allowed by the County Court their executors and pay unto such person or  
persons respectively as the same shall be due and pursuant to law and  
it shall appear that any last will and testament was made by the  
deceased and the executors or executors there name do exhibit the same unto  
me making request to have it allowed and approved according to the said  
will Williams above named being thereunto required to render and deliver the said  
account of administration (approbation of such Last will being first had and  
seen) in the said Court there this obligation to be void and of none effect  
here to remain in full force and virtue to run under our hands and seals  
the 6th day of Nov 1782

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## The Chair

John Williams *Deed*  
Joseph Williams *Ex*  
H. C. Williamson *D*

November Term 1843

*Hathaway & Sonnendorf Administrators Bond George W. Darby  
Block 27 Tomoka Gibon County*

We Nathan H Simms before County Court of Henry Co Georgia and take you  
firmly hence unto James A. Lusk Envoy for the State aforesaid for  
time being and his successor doth give to the legal sum of one  
thousand dollars for next payment of me and to be made in two  
or less as he sees necessary and convenient having lawfully and law-  
fully by these presents sealed with our seals and ratified this 7th day  
of Dec 1842

The Conclusion of the above Obligation is such that of the  
bounder & the Landford Administrator of all and singular the  
and Chattels Right and Credit of George de Lisle deceased do make or  
to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the Good  
and Chattels wch & we Creditor of said deceased which have or shall  
come to the hands possession of any other Person or Persons by him  
and the same to receive the same & the Landford Administrator & into the hands  
and in knowledge of him the same & to demand, sue or into the hand  
and possession to any other person or persons for him and the same to make  
or exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court whereon  
for Examination to be made and in same bear Chittels and Chattels in  
bancs of the said Deceased at the time he died mark or which at any  
time of his decease or which at any time after shall come to the hands  
or possession of the same & the Landford Administrator or into the hands or possession of  
any other persons for him so sue and fully administer according to law  
and further as make or cause to be made a full account of his said  
Administration within two years after the date of this present and  
all the rest and the residue of said Goods Chattels and Credits which  
shall be and remaining upon the said Administrators account the  
same being first examined and attested by the County Court shall be  
and pay unto such person or persons respecting as the same shall be  
due unto pursuant to law and if it shall appear that any last will  
and testament was made by the deceased and the Executor there  
unto do exhibit the same into Court making request to have it  
allowed and approved according to the said Landford  
above bound being therunto by me as writer and deliver the said  
Letter of Administration (approbation of such testament being first  
read and made) in the said Court then this obligation to be  
void and of none effect or else to remain in full force and  
virtue. Given under our hands and seals this the day of  
August 1842

Sat 9 AM till 6 PM

Mr. & Mrs. J. C. H. S. & Co.  
P. O. Somersfield  
W. H. Sharpe  
Hancock, N. H.

November Term 1843.

Bromley DeMers, Bishop Admr of Nicholas Grinnong deceased

State of Indiana Gibson County

The Drunkley Bishop & Moses Bishop Zachariah Bryant & James P. Woodson  
are held and firmly bound unto James G. Jones Governor of the State aforesaid  
for the time being and his successors in office in the sum of one  
Thousand Dollars for which payment will and shall be made  
in twice year Selves our heirs executors and administrators jointly  
and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated  
this 8th day of November 1872.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that of the  
above Benjamin Brinkley & Moses Bishop Administrators of all and Singulare the  
goods and chattels rights and credits of Nicholas Gammis deceased  
so make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and  
singulare the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased  
which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of them  
and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County  
Court where orders for sale shall be passed and the same goods chattels  
and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death or which at  
any time after shall come to the hands of possessor of the said Brinkley &  
Moses Bishop or into the hands of any person or persons  
for him do well and truly administer according to law and further to make  
or cause to be made a true and just account of his estate administration  
within 180 years after the date of these presents and all the rest and the  
issues of said Goods Chattels and Credits which shall be found remaining  
upon the said Administrators account the same being first examined  
and attested by the County Court shall then and pass unto such person  
or persons respectively as the same shall be due unto pursuant to said and  
if it shall appear that over last will and Testament was made by  
the deceased and the executors or executors therin named do exhibit  
the same into Court making request to have it attested and approved  
accordingly of the said Brinkley & Moses Bishop above named being  
thereunto required do make and seal the said Letters of Administrators  
affidavit of such testament being first read and made in the said Court  
that this obligation to be void and of no effect or else to remain in  
full force and virtue given under our hands and seals this 7th day  
of November 1842

Brunckly Bishop   
Moses Bishop   
J. P. Woodson   
Zachariah Brants 

Novr Term 1843

John Williams Guardian of heirs of E. Hale

State of Seneca Gibson County

I hereby all make by these presents that we John Williams, Stevny Wilson & Thomas E. Hale of the County and State aforesaid are held and I am bound unto J. & H. Miller Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of Two Thousand Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or assignee to which payment will and truly to be paid at once and set off his Executors Administrators jointly severally and generally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 7th day of November 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Williams was the day apprehended guardian of John Wesley & Mary Paxton Hale late of E. Hale & that Shula the wife of Mr. Williams late and holds for him the sum of One Thousand Dollars and in case her debts discharge his duty faithfully leave this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue

John Williams Seal  
Thos E Hale Seal  
A. H. Webb Seal

Second Malone Court of Chancery Philadelphia Nov 5 1843

State of Seneca County

We your all make by these presents that we Edward Weston, Robert Weston & John E. Hale of the County and State aforesaid are held and severally bound unto J. & H. Miller Chairman of the County Court for said Court and his Successors in office in the sum of One Thousand Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his successors in office or assignee to which payment will and truly to be made we here execute and administer jointly severally and generally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 7th day of November 1843.

The condition of the above obligation is such that Whereas the above bound Samuel Malone then say bound his executors of Boston Charles Long & Martha Phelps and of Charles Phelps deceased New York the late Samuel Malone died and they pay him the sum of One Thousand Dollars the said executors and they all respects discharge his duty faithfully this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue

Set. 10 H. Hale Chancery

Samuel Malone Seal  
Robert Weston Seal  
Thos E Hale Seal  
A. S. Lanckford Seal

November Term 1843

John L. Filippin Guardian of Jas A. Filippin and

State of Seneca Gibson County

I hereby all make by these presents that we John L. Filippin Jas A. White Wilson Esq. of the County and State aforesaid are held and severally bound unto Joshua & Billie Chairman of the County Court 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 assignee to which payment will and truly to be made we here pay Silver over their executors and administrators jointly severally and generally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 7th day of Nov 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John L. Filippin was this day chosen and appointed Guardian of James A. Filippin from thence the said John L. Filippin will and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said minor orphan and his all respects discharge his duty faithfully this obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue

John L. Filippin Seal  
Jas A. White Seal  
Nelson Baine Seal

December Term 1842.

William Stone Admin of James C. Hough's Decreas'd.

State of Tennessee Gibson County

We William Stone James M. Story William Johnston & Hetherington & Sodina are  
here and formerly bound unto James C. Jones Governor of the State of Tennessee  
for the time being and his successors in office in the sum of four thousand  
Dollars for which payment William and Hetherington & Sodina ourselves our  
heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by the  
present Seal with our Seals and dated this 5th day of December 1842.

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above  
known William Stone Administrator of all and singular the goods and Chattels  
Rights and Chattels of James C. Hough's Decreas'd as make or cause to be  
made a full and perfect Inventory of all and singular the goods and Chattels  
Rights and Chattels of the said deceased which have or shall come to the  
hands of any person or persons whomsoever from or into the hands of any  
of any other person or persons for him or the same to make  
as exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court when orders for  
Administration passed and the same Goods chattels and Chattels of the said  
deceased at the time of his death or which at any time after shall come  
to the hands or possession of the said William Stone or into the hands of any  
of any other person or persons for him or the same to make  
an accounting to him and further to 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 said goods chattels  
and Chattels which shall before remain upon the said Administrator  
account the same being first had examined and accounted by the County  
Court where and paid unto such person or persons respectively as the same  
may be due unto pursuant to Law or if it shall appear that any last  
Will and Testament was made by the deceased and the Executor  
or Executrix thereon named do exhibit the same into Court making  
request to have it allowed and approved accordingly of the said  
William Stone above bound being required to make and return  
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 none effect or else to remain in full force and  
virtue. Given under our hands and seals this fifth day of  
December 1842.

Just A. D. &amp; J. C. Hough

William Stone *Seal*  
M. Story *Seal*  
William Johnston &  
H. G. F. Sodina *Seal*

December Term 1842.

John Baker Administrator of Saml Baker Decreas'd.

State of Tennessee Gibson County

We John Baker James M. Baker & Co. Administrators here and formerly bound  
unto James C. Jones Governor of the State aforesaid for the term being and  
his successors in office in the sum of two thousand Dollars for which  
payment will and truly to be made as hereinafter mentioned our heirs Executors  
and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed  
with our seals and dated this 5th day of December 1842.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that of the above  
bound John Baker Administrator of all and singular the goods and  
Chattels rights and Chattels of the said deceased which have or shall come  
to the hands of any person or persons of them the said John Baker or into the  
hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same  
to make as exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court when  
orders of Administration passed and the same Goods, Chattels and  
Chattels of the said deceased at the time of his death or which at  
any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said John  
Baker or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him  
and the same to make as exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next  
County Court when orders for Administration passed and the same Goods  
Chattels and Chattels of the said deceased at the time of his death or which  
at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said John  
Baker or into the hands of any other person or persons for him or the same  
to make an accounting to him and further to make or cause  
to be made a just and true account of his said Administration within  
two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue  
of said Goods, Chattels and Chattels which shall before remain upon  
the said Administrator account the same being first examined and  
allowed by the County Court shall deliver and pay unto such person or  
persons respectively as the same shall be due unto pursuant to Law and  
if shall appear that any last will and Testament was made by  
the deceased and the executor or Executrix thereon named do  
exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and  
approved accordingly if the said John Baker above bound being  
thereunto required do swear and declare the said Letters of  
Administration (approbation of such testament being had and  
made) in the said Court then this obligation to be void  
and of none effect or else to remain in full force and virtue  
Given under our hands and seals this 5th day of  
December 1842.

John Baker *Seal*  
J. M. Baker *Seal*  
Sam'l Baker *Seal*

Just A. D. &amp; J. C. Hough

December Term 1842.

Anna Dickey to Guar. Bond of David Dickey her

## State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Anna George Dickey & Robert Dickey  
of the County and State aforesaid are sole and family bound unto Joshua D. White  
Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in  
Sum of one hundred & twenty five Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successor  
in office or assignee to which payment shall and will be made in kind and  
two hours executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these  
presents. Sealed with our Seals and dated this 8th day of December 1842.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the  
above bound A. Dickey was this day appointed Guardian of Rebecca J.  
Mathews & Lewis Line & Newland Dickey heirs of David Dickey Senior

Now Should the said A. Dickey with and truly perform the  
duties of Guardian towards the said orphans and in all respects  
discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be made etc to remain no  
force and void.

Not I do H. H. Dickey

A. D. Dickey Seal  
R. D. Dickey Seal

John G. Gillespie to Guardians Bond of Thomas H. Clark Esq.

## State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we John G. Gillespie & the W. H. G. wife Mrs.  
McDaniel of the County and State aforesaid are sole and family bound unto  
Joshua D. White Chairman of the County Court for said County and his Successors  
in office in the sum of six thousand Dollars to be paid to said Justice  
or his successors in office or assignee to which payment shall and will  
be made in kind our Seals our heirs executors and administrators  
jointly and severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our Seals  
and dated this 6th day of December 1842.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas  
the above bound John G. Gillespie was this day chosen and appointed  
Guardian of Father & Sons Alpheus Clark & Sarah & Clark heirs of Thomas H. Clark  
to collect their Interest in the Estate of John Gillespie deceased late of Marion  
County Tennessee

Now Should the said John G. Gillespie with and truly perform the  
duties of Guardian towards the said Minor Orphans and in all  
respects discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be void  
to remain in full force and virtue

John G. Gillespie  
John H. McDaniel  
M. Woodfin

December Term 1842.

Sarah G. Atchison Guardian Bond Daniel Willett heirs

## State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Sarah Atchison of the County and  
State aforesaid are sole and family bound unto Joshua D. White Chairman  
of the County Court for said County and his successors in office in the sum  
of two hundred and sixty Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his  
successors in office or assignee to which payment shall and will be  
made in kind our Seals our heirs executors and administrators jointly  
and severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our Seals and dated  
this 8th day of December 1842.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that  
whereas the above bound John Atchison was this day chosen and  
appointed Guardian of Henry, Andrew, Margaret, Susan, Eveline & Emily  
Heldt heirs of Daniel & Eliza Heldt Now Should the said J. Atchison  
with and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said Minor  
Orphans and in all respects discharge his duty faithfully than this  
obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue  
Test J. H. Heldt Chair

John G. Atchison Seal  
J. H. Heldt Seal  
Emily Heldt Seal

Isaac Brunelle Chairman of the Commissioners her

## State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Isaac Brunelle James T. Bone  
William J. Jennings & Joseph Blalock of the County and State aforesaid are sole  
and family bound unto Joshua D. White Chairman of the County Court for said  
County and his successors in office in the sum of three thousand five hundred  
Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his successors in office or assignee  
to which payment shall and will be made in kind our Seals  
our heirs executors and administrators jointly severally and  
firmly by these presents sealed with our Seals and dated this 9th day  
of December 1842.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas  
the above bound ~~Abraham Blalock~~ was this day chosen Guardian  
of J. McCormac Simmons heir of Anthony Simmons deceased

Now Should the said J. Blalock well and truly perform  
the duties of Guardian towards said Minor and in all respects  
discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be void  
else to remain in full force and virtue  
I. S. White Chair

Isaac Brunelle Seal  
James T. Bone Seal  
Wm J. Jennings Seal  
Joseph Blalock Seal

January Seven 1843

James L. Crawford to Adam Bond of John W. Blankenship New  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

January Seven 1843

Elizabeth Page Adm'ntee of William Page deceased

State of Tennessee Gibson County

We James L. Crawford, Althe Blankenship & Subs<sup>s</sup> say we held at Elizabeth Page Richard Welch Alfred F. Page our heirs and  
justly bound unto James C. Jones Governor of the State of Tennessee for justly bound unto James C. Jones Governor of the State aforesaid for the  
time being and his successors in office in the sum of five thousand Dollars and his successors in office in the sum of five hundred  
Dollars for which payment will and truly to be made by bond or bonds for which payments will and truly to be made we bind ourselves  
our heirs executors and Administrators jointly and severally jointly and severally jointly by them  
by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 2<sup>d</sup> day of January 1843

January 1843.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above

above bound James L. Crawford Administrator of all and singular the Goods and Chattels  
and Chattels rights and Privileges of John W. Blankenship deceased a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and Chattels  
do make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all rights and Chattels of said deceased which have or shall come to the hands  
singular the Goods and Chattels rights and Privileges of said deceased who before or knowledge of her the said Elizabeth Page or into the hands  
or shall come to the hands possession of any other person or persons if any other person for her and the same to make or  
or knowledge of him the said James L. Crawford or into the hands subject to be exhibited to the next County Court when orders for  
and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same Goods Chattels and Chattels and  
make and exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court of the said deceased at the time of his death or which at any time  
Orders for Administration paid and the same Goods Chattels and after shall come to the hands of possession of the said Elizabeth Page  
Executor of the said deceased at the time of his death or which at no time the hands or possession of any other person or persons for her  
time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said James L. Crawford according to law and further as make  
Crawford or into the hands or possession of any other person cause to be made a true and just account of his said Administration  
or possessions for him do make and fully Administrate according therewith in two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and  
and further as make or cause to be made a true and just account of said Goods Chattels and Chattels which shall before running  
of said Administration within two years after the date of the said Administration account the same being first examined  
possessing and all the rest and issue of said Goods Chattels and account by the County Court shall deliver and pay unto such person  
Chattels which shall be found remaining upon the said Administration respectively as the same shall be due unto pursuant to law  
account the same being first examined and account by the County Court shall appear that among last will was made by the said  
Court shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively the Executors or Executrix therein named do exhibit the same  
as the same shall be due unto pursuant to law and if it shall appear to the Court making request to have it allowed and approved  
that any last will and testament was made by the deceased a copy of the said Elizabeth Page above bound being then unsealed  
the Executor therein named do exhibit the same unto Court and deliver the said letter of Administration (apportionment  
Request to have it allowed and approved accordingly of the said such testament being first had and made) in the said Court then  
James L. Crawford above bound being thereunto required and this obligation to be void and of none effect or else to remain in  
action the said letter of Administration (apportionment of such will force and virtue. Given under our hands and seals the  
testament being first had and made) in the said Court then 2<sup>d</sup> day of January 1843

Just

Elizabeth Page Test  
Richard Welch Test  
A. H. Page Test

John C. Charr

Just

Adam Bond Charr

James L. Crawford  
John Blankenship  
A. P. Page

January Term 1843.

Squire B Partee Guar of Sarah M Gray

State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that me Squire B Partee & Howard Partee, Jr. of the County and State aforesaid are we and firmly bound unto Joshua A White Chairman of Gibson County Court and his Suretters in office in the sum of Sixteen hundred Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his successors in office or assignees to which payment will and truly to be made by us and our selves and our heirs Executors and Administrators, jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1843.

The condition of the above obligation is such that when the above bound Squire B Partee was this day before me and upon

Guardians of Sarah M Gray Minor heir of James Gray deceased

Mrs Shytle the said Squire B Partee did and truly perform the duties of Guardian towards the said minor wife and he there respects discharge his duty faithfully than this obligation to be void also to remain in full force and virtue

S B Partee Sub  
H B Partee Sub  
W W Neal Esq

William Smith Esq Corser of Gibson County Poor House

Know all men by these presents that me William Smith Isaac M Bleasoe & Willoughby M Bleasoe all of the County of Gibson are we and firmly bound unto Joshua A White Chairman of Gibson County Court Tennessee in the sum of five hundred Dollars for which payment will and truly to be made by each of us him and uselves one half monthly & severally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1843.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whenever the above bound William Smith was this day before me and engaged by the poor House Commissioners to take and intend the poor House of Gibson County Tennessee.

None of the said Smith shall performe all the duties imposed on him by the Commissioners of said Poor House and the said charge shall then this obligation to be void also to remain in full force and virtue

William Smith Esq  
Isaac M Bleasoe Esq  
W H Bleasoe Esq

January Term 1843

James Scott to Coroners Bond to Governor

Know all men by these presents that me James Scott Joshua A White John M Youville all of the County of Gibson and State of Tennessee as hold and firmly bound unto James G. Brownie of the State of Tennessee in the sum of two thousand Dollars five hundred Dollars which payment will and truly to be made in kind our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1843.

The condition of the above obligation is such that where as the above bound James Scott was this day and Constitutionally appointed Sheriff of the said County to fill the unexpired term of A. H. Cole resigned and should the said James Scott do and performe and faithfully discharge the duties of Sheriff of the said County of Gibson in said State agreeable to law in all respects and make over and pay over all monies by him collected by virtue of his office as Sheriff aforesaid then this obligation to be void also to remain in full force and

James Scott Esq  
Jed Nell Esq  
A H Cole Esq

February Term 1843

John S. Hill Guardian of A. S. Davidson's heirs

State of Seven 1550 Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we John S. Hill Commissioner  
of the County and State aforesore are held and give  
bound unto Joshua & wife Chasman of the County Court for Seven County  
and his successors in office in the sum of four thousand dollars to  
pay to said Justice or his successors in office in payment to which  
payment shall and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs Executors  
and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents Sealed  
With our Seals and dated this 7th day of February 1843.

The execution of the above obligation is such that where as the  
the above bound John S. Hill was this chosen and appointed Guardian of  
Adrian & Adrienne Lorraine Lorraine Lorraine their child Davidson  
deceased. Now should the said John S. Hill die and truly performe the acts  
of Guardian towards the said minor Orphans and in all respects discharge  
his duty faithfully than this obligation to remain due to payment in full  
force and virtue.

Test J. S. Hill  
S. H. C. H. C.

J. S. Hill  
J. S. Crawford  
J. S. Howell

Seal  
Seal  
Seal

March Term 1843

Suey M'Brice Guardian of James M'Brice's heirs to March Term 1843  
State of Seven 1550 Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Suey M'Brice  
William J. Jennings & Thomas Williams of the County and State aforesore are  
held and jointly bound unto Joshua S. Hill Chairman of the County Court for  
Seven County and his successors in office in the sum of twelve hundred dollars  
to be paid to said Justice or his successors in office in payment to which payment  
shall and truly to be made in full our heirs Executors and Administrators  
jointly severally and firmly by these presents Sealed With our Seals and dated  
this 6th day of March 1843.

The execution of the above obligation is such that where as  
the above bound Suey M'Brice was this way chosen and appointed  
Guardian of William, Jas. S. Miles, K. Sarah, Nancy, Nathaniel & Mary  
M'Brice their heirs. Now should the said Suey M'Brice die and truly perform  
the acts of Guardian towards the said minor Orphans and in  
all respects discharge her duty faithfully than this obligation to be  
paid due to remain in full force and virtue.

J. S. Hill chairman

Suey M'Brice  
J. S. Hill  
Wm. J. Jennings  
T. Williams

March Term 1843

Joshua S. Hill to Apprentice Bond Aaron Sanders March 1843

Joshua S. Hill Chairman of the County Court of Gibson County by the direction  
of the Court and in their behalf do hereby bond Aaron Sanders an orphan  
of the age of six years to William Headricks with him to live and work  
as an apprentice until he attains to twenty one years of age during which time  
the said Aaron Sanders shall obey the lawful commands and  
faithfully serve the said William Headricks and be in all respects subject  
to customary and contrarie according to Law and his duty and affiance.

And the said William Headricks on his part Covenant that he will teach and  
Instruct the said Aaron Sanders in the Trade and occupation of Farming  
and to read and write as far as the Double Rule of Three or Couse the same  
to be done of his bare Capacity and he will also constantly pruse for said  
Aaron Sanders sufficient meat Lodging Washing and apparel and other  
mechairs suited to and appertaining both in Dietkins & in health and also to  
take care of his Moralls and treat him in a humane manner and at the  
time where he him a Horse Bridle & Saddle worth twenty five Dollars and a good  
suit of Cloths

William Headricks  
J. S. Hill  
C. T. Gammone

Aaron Sanders  
Joshua S. Hill Chairman of the County Court of  
the Apprince Bond of Gibson County by the direction of the Court and in their  
behalf do hereby bond Margaret E. Sanders of the age of  
the age of six years of age to John Sanders with him to live and work  
as an apprentice until she attains to the age of eighteen during which time the  
said Margaret E. Sanders shall obey the lawful commands and faithfully  
serve the said John Sanders and be in all respects subject to his authority and  
control according to Law and his duty as an apprentice.

And the said John Sanders on his part Covenant that he will teach and  
Instruct the said John Sanders in the occupation of House wife and to  
read and write as far as the double Rule of Three or Couse the same sufficient  
Capacity and he will also constantly pruse for the said John Sanders sufficient  
meat Lodging and apparel and other mechairs suited to an apprentices  
Boath in Dietkins & in health and also to take care of her Moralls and  
treat her in a humane manner and at the end of her time give her a  
Blaister Bed & furniture Cow and Calf and a good suit of Cloths when the  
Leave her

John Sanders  
C. T. Gammone

April Term 1843

Abrahm Dickins to Jas. Wm. Miller h'w of ff State  
State of Tennessee Gibson County

Know all men by these presents that we Abrahm Dickins Henry W. Miller & Robert Anderson of the County and State aforesaid are here and formerly bound unto Joshua & wife Chasman of the County Court for said County and his Successors in office in the sum of six hundred & fifty Dollars to be paid to said Justice or his Successors in office or a sum or to which payment was and h'ly to be made in said cause our selves and administrators jointly and severally bound before present sealed with our seals and dated this 4<sup>th</sup> day of April 1843

The Recitation of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Abrahm Dickins was this day shown and appointed Guardian of Duty to M. Miller who was Duty M. State h'w of ff State successore

Now therefore the said Abrahm Dickins will and truly performe the duties of Guardian to named the said minor Sophia and in all res but discharge his duty faithfully thin this obligation to be made etc to him in full free and sevne

Abrahm Dickins  
26 A. D. 1843  
H. Anderson  
S. S.

Test  
I do declare and

No. 8654. A. White Administrator of Attn S. White deceased  
We the first A. White Wm. & Wilson & Timothy Stevens are here and formerly bound unto James & James Stevens of the State aforesaid for the sum of six hundred Dollars for which payment shall and h'ly to be made in said cause our selves and administrators jointly severally bound by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of April 1843

The Recitation of the above obligation is such that of the above bound Joseph A. White Special Administrator in the time aforesd of abrahm Dickins the goods and Chattels right and credits of Attn S. White deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect account Inventory of all and singular the goods and Chattels rights and credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to his hands possession or knowledge of him the said Joseph A. White or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and that the same is so made to exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the County Court where orders for Administration passed upon the same goods chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death to or towards at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said Joseph A. White or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him as well as truly administered with in two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of said goods Chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said Administrators account the same being first examined and accounted by the County Court shall then allow and pay unto such person or persons a sum or to which same shall be due unto him or them and to the end that they shall appear as that every last man and Testament may be made by the same

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and the Executors or Executors there names are exhibited the same interest making request to have it allowed and approved according to the said probate A. White a book bound being therewith signed as witness and as to the same letter of administration (approbation of such Testament being first had and made) in the said court then his obligation to be made and of none effect or else to remain in full force and witness being under our hands, and to witness this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1843

for A. White Test  
Timothy Stevens  
John & Wilson Test

Olley A. Blakemore Will prove April Term 1843

State of Tennessee Gibson County December the twenty eighth in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty three.  
I Olley A. Blakemore of said County and State do by these presents make this my Last Will and Testament involving all others. And it is my will and desire that all Just Claims against my Estate should be paid  
1<sup>st</sup> and secondly I will and bequeath to my Mother Sally J. Hamm a negro woman named Rachal & her child Nancy also two hundred & fifty Pounds of land being the tract given by Abraham Blakemore to Olley Blakemore according to said Blakemore Lands I also give unto my Brother eight hundred Dollars in money three hundred to be laid out for a negro boy and five hundred to be paid at Interest the Interest to be paid over to him annually the above described property to be placed in the hands of Trustee by the County Court for the benefit of my Mother Under it is my will after the death of my Mother that said property shall be equally divided amongst the family heirs

3<sup>rd</sup> thereby I give unto my two Brothers & Sister James Hamm John Hamm & Sally Hamm two hundred dollars to be placed in the hands of said Trustee for the benefit of their education  
4<sup>th</sup> I will and bequeath unto James B. Blakemore my negro girl Nancy

5<sup>th</sup> Fifthly I will and bequeath the balance of my estate to be equally divided between Milly Blakemore William Blakemore Young J. McLamore Nathaniel Hancock, Lucia Blunt Young Blakemore, Milly Strong, Nancy Morris except my three years old Child I will unto my Grand Mother Elizabeth Blakemore Lastly it is my will and desire James B. Blakemore and Margaret McLamore be my Executors to this my Last will and Testament the day and year above written. The Moral Clauses interlined in the margin from the top the word comes in the twentieth line & the word is in the twenty first line the word column, interline same in the sixth line from the bottom all of which interlined before signed  
Signed and witnessed in the presence of

Olley A. Blakemore Test  
John W. Jones  
Charles Wortham  
Eberniar Donelson  
Jetham G. Davis  
Madison Bleasor