

Inventories of the
Personal Estate of
The late Wm Brock

filed 5th of May 1856

Wm Brock

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Oxford.

Province of Canada,
COUNTY OF OXFORD,
TO WIT:

You *Mary Anne Brock* of the Town *Shep* of
North Oxford in the County of Oxford do swear that

you know of no Will made by the late *William Brock* late of the Township of
North Oxford in the County of Oxford, *Merchant* deceased, that you will
well and truly administer all and singular, the Goods, Rights, Credits and Chattels of the said de-
ceased; that you will pay all such Debts as the said deceased owed at *his* death, so far as such
Goods, Rights, Credits and Chattels will thereunto extend, and by Law you are bound, that you
will make a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the Goods, Rights, Credits, and Chattels
of the said deceased as have, or shall come into your hands, custody, power or knowledge, and
exhibit, or cause to be exhibited, the same unto the Registry of the said *Surrogate Court*

within the time limited by the said Court: and that you will also give a just and
full account thereof unto the said Court, when you shall be thereunto lawfully required: You also
swear that the property of the said *William Brock* deceased, is under
the sum of *one thousand pounds* of lawful money of Canada, and

that the said *William Brock* died at the Township aforesaid on or about the
twenty fifth day of *February* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
hundred and *fifty six*. *and you further swear that you are the widow*
of the said William Brock deceased

So HELP YOU GOD.

Sworn before me at *Woodstock* in the County } *Mary Anne Brock*
of Oxford, this *4th* day of *March* A. D. 1855 }

W. Lapointe
Judge of the Surrogate Court,
County of Oxford.

To His Honor William Lupton Esquire Judge of the
Singular Court of the County of Oxford

The Petition of Mary Anne Brock of the Township of North Oxford
in the County of Oxford Widow of the late William Brock late of the
Township aforesaid ^{Merchant} deceased

Humblly Sheweth

That that the late William Brock late of the Township aforesaid
Merchant deceased departed this life at the said Township
on or about the twenty fifth day of February last past without
having made any will so far as your Petitioner has been enabled
to ascertain having searched diligently for a will of the deceased but
having found none, That your Petitioner is the Widow of the said
deceased. That the said deceased at the time of his death was
possessed of divers goods and Chattels, rights and Credits all
within the County of Oxford amounting to five hundred and seventy
pounds or thereabouts: That as yet no letters of Administration
have been granted to any one your Petitioner therefore humblly
prays your Honor will be pleased to issue as such
widow letters of administration of the personal Estate of the said
deceased husband. And your Petitioner as in duty bound
will ever pray

Woodstock 4th March 1756.

Mary Anne Brock

Know all Men by these PRESENTS, that we *Mary Anne Brock* of the Township of North Oxford in the County of Oxford Widow of *William Brock* late of the said Township ~~deceased~~ *deceased* *John Brock* of the same place *Yeoman* and *Thomas Brock* of the same place *Merchant* are held and firmly bound to *His Excellency Sir Edmund Walker Knt Baronet Governor General of the Province of Canada*

and to his Successor and Successors in Office, in the sum of *One thousand one hundred and* ^{July} Pounds of lawful money of the said Province, to be paid to *His Majesty the King*

and Successors; for which payment, to be well and truly made, we bind ourselves severally, our Heirs, and each of our Heirs, Executors, and Administrators, firmly by these Presents. Sealed with our Seals, and dated at *Woodstock* in the County of *Oxford* this *fourth* day of *March* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *eighty five*

THE CONDITION of this obligation is such, that if the within bounden *Mary Anne Brock*

Administrat^{rix} of all and singular the goods, chattels, and credits of *William Brock* deceased, do make, or cause to be made, a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels, and credits, of the said deceased, which have or shall come into the hands, possession, or knowledge of *her* the said *Mary Anne Brock* or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for *her* and the same so made, do exhibit or cause to be exhibited into the Registry of the *Supreme Court of the Province* on or before the *last* Monday in *September* next ensuing, and the same goods, chattels, and credits, and all other the goods, chattels, and credits of the said deceased, at the time of *his* death, which at any time after shall come into the hands or possession of the said *Mary Anne Brock* or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for *her* do well and truly administer according to law, and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of *her* said administration, at or before the *fourth* day of *March* 1857 and all the rest and residue of the said goods, chattels, and credits, which shall be found remaining upon the said Administration account, the same being first examined and allowed by the Judge of the Court for the time being, shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons, respectively, as the said Judge by his decree or sentence, conformably to the provisions in a certain Act of Parliament, intituled, "An Act for the better settling Intestate Estates," and passed in the twenty-second and twenty-third year of the reign of Charles II, and also in a certain Act passed in the first year of King James II, contained, shall limit and appoint; and if it shall hereafter appear that any last Will or Testament was made by the deceased, and the Executor or Executors therein named do exhibit the same into the said Court, making request to have it allowed and approved accordingly, if the said *Mary Anne Brock* within bounden, being thereunto required, do 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.

Signed and Sealed in presence of }
John Brock

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Mary Anne Brock
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John Brock

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Oxford,

John Brock of the Township of North Ferris in the County of Oxford, William and Thomas ^{Lockhead} ~~Lockhead~~ of the same Place Merchant.

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SURETIES for the due administration of the estate of William Brock late of the Township of North Ferris in the County of Oxford deceased, severally made oath and say: And first the said John Brock for himself saith that he is worth the sum of Six hundred pounds of lawful money of Canada, all his debts being first paid: And next the said Thomas Lockhead for himself saith that he is worth the sum of Two hundred Pounds, of lawful money of Canada, all his debts being first paid.

Sworn before me at Woodstock in the County of Oxford, this 4th day of March in the year of our Lord 1856 by the said John Brock and Thomas Lockhead severally.

John Brock
Thomas Lockhead

W. Tapscott
Judge Surrogate Court County of Oxford.

Bond of Henry Ancker
Brock John Brock and
Thomas Lockhead

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