

Bond 180

Elizabeth Huckle

was

to

The Governor General

Know all men by these presents that we Elizabeth  
Buckle of the Township of East York in the County of  
York and Province of Canada Widow of John Buckle  
late of the same place deceased Lawrence Fitzgibbon  
of the Township of South East York in the County of York  
in the said Province Yeoman and John Buckle  
of the said Township of East York Yeoman are held  
and firmly bound unto James Earl of Elgin and  
Kincardine Governor General of British North  
America in the sum of three hundred pounds to  
be paid to the said James Earl of Elgin and Kin-  
cardine Governor General of British North America  
or to his successor or successors in the said Government  
of British North America for which payment well  
and truly to be made we bind ourselves and  
each of us our and each of our heirs executors  
and administrators firmly by these presents  
Sealed with our seals dated this twenty ninth  
day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand  
eight hundred and fifty four

The condition of this obligation is such  
that if the ~~above~~ <sup>within</sup> bounden Elizabeth Buckle ad-  
ministratrix of all and singular the goods chattels  
and credits of the said John Buckle deceased and  
not administered by the said Elizabeth Buckle  
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 Elizabeth Buckle or into the hands and  
possession of any other person or persons for her and  
the same is made as exhibited or cause to be exhibited  
into the registry of the Superior Court of the County of  
York on or before the last Monday in September of 1855  
next ensuing and the same goods chattels and  
credits of the said deceased at the time of his  
death which at any time after shall come into the

hands of the or possession of the said Elizabeth  
Buckle or into the hands and possession of any other  
person or persons for her do well and truly admin-  
ister 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 last Monday next  
March next and all the rest and residue of the  
said goods chattels and credits which shall be  
found remaining upon the said administrator's  
account the same being first examined and  
allowed by the 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 sen-  
tence 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 the second and also a certain act pass-  
ed in the reign of King James the second 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 unto the said court  
making request to have it allowed and approved  
accordingly if the said Elizabeth Buckle within  
fourteen being thereunto required do render and  
deliver the said letters of administration (appro-  
bation of such testament being first made 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 sealed and delivered  
in presence of  
Robert Meredith

Elizabeth <sup>her</sup> Buckle  
mark  
Witness my hand  
Johnston London

Province of Canada  
County of Oxford  
to wit

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Oxford

John Buckle of the Township of East Zorra in the  
County of Oxford Woman and Laurence Spitzig  
of the Township of South East Hope in the County of  
Perth Woman severally make oath and say and  
swear this deponent, John Buckle for himself saith that he  
is worth the sum of One hundred and seventy five pounds all  
his debts being just paid And the said Laurence Spitzig  
for himself saith that he is worth the sum of One hundred  
and Seventy five pounds all his debts being just paid

The abovesaid John Buckle and  
Laurence Spitzig were severally  
sworn before me at Woodstock in the  
County of Oxford this 29<sup>th</sup> day of  
August A D 1854

Josiah H. Kent  
Clerk

W. Lapreudiere

Judge Surrogate Court  
County of Oxford

Provinciæ Novae Angliæ  
County of Oxford  
to wit

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Oxford

You William Cossey of the Township of <sup>South</sup> East <sup>side</sup> ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~County~~ ~~of~~ ~~Oxford~~ do swear that you will well and faithfully interpret to Elizabeth Buckle the annexed affidavit.

So help you God

Shown before me at Woodstock in the County of Oxford  
this 29<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D. 1754

W. Lapinsham  
Judge Surrogate Court County of Oxford.

Wm Cossey

Oxford when you shall be thereunto lawfully required. You also swear that you are  
the widow of the said John Buckle and that the whole of the Goods chattels and  
Credits he died possessed of do not in value exceed two hundred pounds and  
So help you God.

Shown before me at Woodstock in the County of Oxford  
this 29<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D. 1754 and I certify that  
the foregoing affidavit was read over and interpreted  
to her by William Cossey a sworn Interpreter and  
that she made her mark thereunto in my presence

W. Lapinsham  
Judge Surrogate Court County of Oxford.

Elizabeth Buckle  
Mark

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Oxford.

Province of Canada  
County of Oxford  
10th

I, Elizabeth Buckle of the Township of East Zorra in the County of Oxford Man. do hereby swear that you believe John Buckle late of the Township of East Zorra in the County of Oxford Woman died on or about the Eighteenth day of July last past without having made any will, and that you will well and truly administer all and every the goods of the said deceased and pay his debts as far as his goods will extend; and that you will exhibit a true full and perfect inventory of the said goods of the deceased, and render a true account of your administration, <sup>in</sup> the Registrar's office of the Surrogate Court of the County of Oxford when you shall be thereunto lawfully required. You also swear that you are the widow of the said John Buckle and that the whole of the goods chattels and credits he died possessed of do not in value exceed two hundred pounds and  
# So help you God.

I am before me at Woodstock in the County of Oxford  
this 29<sup>th</sup> day of August A.D. 1854 and I certify that  
the foregoing affidavit was read over and interpreted  
to her by William C. Casey, a sworn interpreter and  
that she made her usual threats in my presence.

her  
Elizabeth Buckle  
Mark

W. Laplante  
Judge Surrogate Court County of Oxford.

To His Honor William Lapenchee Esquire Judge of the  
County of Suffolk of the County of Suffolk.

The Petition of Elizabeth Buckle of the Township of East Zoua in the County  
of Suffolk Widow of the late John Buckle late of the said Township Esquire  
deceased

Sheweth

That John Buckle late of the Township of East Zoua in the County aforesaid  
Esquire departed this life at the said Township on or about the eighteenth  
day of July last without having made any Will so far as your Petitioner is  
aware of as she has made diligent search for a Will of the said deceased but  
has not been able to find any such Will. That your Petitioner is the Widow  
of the said deceased. That at the time of the death of the said John Buckle  
he was possessor of divers goods and chattels rights and Credits all within the  
County of Suffolk amounting in the whole to the sum of one hundred and  
Sixty five pounds or thereabouts. That as yet no Letters of administration  
of the said deceased Estate have been granted to any one. Your Petitioner  
as the Widow and next of kin of the said deceased therefore humbly prays  
your Honor will be pleased to grant to your Petitioner Letters of  
administration of the personal Estate of the said deceased. And your  
Petitioner as is duty bound will ever pray.

Witness my hand and seal this 29th day of August 1854

Elizabeth X Buckle  
Widow

Subscribed to the Petition of Elizabeth Buckle  
the foregoing Petition having been first  
Explained to me by her

Wm. Coffey

on reading the foregoing Petition I do order that administration  
be granted to the Petitioner. Dated this 29th August 1854

W. Lapenchee  
Judge Suffolk County  
County of Suffolk