

Petition of Catharine Jones of  
Stonewick, to administer to estate of  
Thomas Jones late of Stonewick yeoman  
deceased.

filed 8<sup>th</sup> January 1850

J. Naudittant  
Registrar

To His Honor the Judge of the Superior Court of the District of ~~North~~ <sup>County</sup> ~~South~~ <sup>County</sup>  
 of ~~North~~ <sup>County</sup> ~~South~~ <sup>County</sup>  
 The Petition of Catherine Jones of the Township of ~~North~~ <sup>County</sup> ~~South~~ <sup>County</sup>  
 of ~~North~~ <sup>County</sup> ~~South~~ <sup>County</sup> the late Thomas Jones late of the said Township of ~~North~~ <sup>County</sup> ~~South~~ <sup>County</sup>  
 deceased.

Humly sheweth that your Petitioner is the widow of the said Thomas Jones that he died at ~~North~~ <sup>County</sup> ~~South~~ <sup>County</sup> aforesaid on the twenty eighth day of February 1849. without having made any last will and testament. That a legal claim has been made by your Petitioner to ascertain whether any such last will and testament was made by the said Thomas Jones but that she has not been able to ascertain that any such was ever made by him. That the said deceased at his death left due goods and chattels rights and credits all within the ~~North~~ <sup>County</sup> ~~South~~ <sup>County</sup> aforesaid amounting in the whole as your Petitioner believes to about the sum of £102.10.0. That your Petitioner as such widow as aforesaid is desirous of taking an administration of the estate and effects of the said deceased.

Your Petitioner therefore humbly prays you Honor to grant such administration to your Petitioner. And your Petitioner as in duty bound will ever pray.

Witness the hand of Catherine Jones  
 W. Lapsdutton  
 Clerk of Court  
 Dated at Woodstock this <sup>18th</sup> ~~10th~~ day of January 1850

he  
 Catharine Jones  
 Mark

On reading the above Petition His Honor that administration be granted to the above named Catherine Jones the widow of the above named Thomas Jones deceased.

W. Lapsdutton  
 Judge Superior Court  
 County of ~~North~~ <sup>County</sup> ~~South~~ <sup>County</sup>



County of Bedford

In the Surrogate Court of the District of Beekmantown.

In the matter of the administration of the goods and chattels,  
Rights and credits of the late Thomas Joice late of the  
Township of Norwich in the <sup>County of Bedford</sup> District of Beekmantown, Yeoman  
deceased

John Kalar  
~~William Smith~~ of the Township of Norwich in the  
District of Beekmantown Yeoman, and Samuel Kalar of the  
said Township Yeoman severally make Oath and say  
and first this deponent ~~William Smith~~ <sup>John Kalar</sup> for himself  
saith that he is a freeholder in the said <sup>County of Bedford</sup> District and  
worth the sum of <sup>two</sup> hundred pounds all his debts  
being first paid. And this deponent Samuel Kalar  
for himself saith that he is a Freeholder in the said  
<sup>County of Bedford</sup> District and worth <sup>two</sup> hundred pounds all his  
debts being first paid

Sworn before me at Woodstock  
in the District of Beekmantown  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ in the Year of  
our Lord

John Kalar  
Samuel Kalar

The above named deponents William  
Smith and Samuel Kalar were this  
day sworn before me at Woodstock in the  
County of Bedford this eighth day of  
January in the year of our Lord 1820

W. Laproduct

Judge Surrogate Court  
County of Bedford



Know all Men by these Presents that we, *Catharine Sohier of the Township of Norwich in the District of Beaufort Widow of the late Thomas Sohier late of the Township aforesaid Yeoman, deceased, William W. Smith of the said Township Yeoman and Samuel Kalar of the said Township Yeoman*

are held and firmly bound to *the Right Honourable, James Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, Baron Elgin of Elgin in Scotland, Governor General*

of the Province of Canada, in the sum of *three hundred*

Pounds Currency, to be paid to the said *Governor General*

for which payment to be well any truly made we firmly bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, and each of us severally, separately and apart from the other of us bindeth *his* self, *and heirs, executors and administrators,* heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents.

Scaled with our Seal, and dated this *eight*

Day of *January* 1850

**The condition of this Obligation** is such, that if the <sup>*above*</sup> ~~within~~ bounden *Catharine Sohier, William W. Smith and Samuel Kalar, administrators and*

administrators of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of *Thomas Sohier late of the said Township of Norwich Yeoman*

deceased, to 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 *them* the said *Catharine Sohier, William W. Smith and Samuel Kalar*

or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for *them* and the same so made, do exhibit or cause to be exhibited in to the registry of *the Superior Court of Beaufort* the *first* day of *March* term next ensuing, and the same goods, chattels and credits, and all and 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 *Catharine Sohier, William W. Smith and Samuel Kalar*

or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons, for *them* do well and truly administer according to law, and further do make or cause to be made, a true and just account of *their* said administration, at or before the *first* day of *September* term 1850 and all the rest and residue of the said goods, chattels and credits, which shall be found remaining upon the said *administratrix and* accounts, 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 twentieth-third year of the reign of Charles 2d, and also in a certain Act passed in the First year of King James 2, contained, shall limit and appoint, and if it shall hereafter appear, that any last Will and Testament was made by the deceased, and the Executor or executor therein named do exhibit the same unto the said Court, making request to have it allowed and approved accordingly, if the said *Catharine Sohier, William W. Smith and Samuel Kalar*

<sup>*above*</sup> ~~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, SEALED, AND DELIVERED,

In Presence of

*Catharine Sohier*  
*W. W. Smith*

*John Kalar*

*John G. Sandford*  
*Registrar*

*Samuel Kalar*



**IN THE SURROGATE COURT.**

*County Oxford*  
DISTRICT OF BROCK,  
PROVINCE OF CANADA,  
Woodstock to wit:

YOU *Catherine Joiner* of the Town-  
ship of *Norwich* in the *County* District of *Beach Oxford*  
and Province of Canada, Administratrix of all and singular, the

Goods and Chattels, Rights and Credits of *Thomas Joiner*  
late of the Township of *Norwich* in the *County* District of *Beach Oxford*  
and Province aforesaid, *Hermau* deceased—do swear that the said *Thomas*  
*Joiner* died intestate, on the *twenty eighth*  
day of *February* one thousand eight hundred and *forty nine*

that you will well and truly administer the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the  
said deceased, and pay all his debts so far as the Goods and chattels shall extend, and  
the law shall bind you; and that you will exhibit a full, true, and perfect inventory of all  
and every, the said goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased, and render  
a true and just account of your administration into the Registrar's Office of the said Sur-  
rogate Court, when you shall be thereto lawfully required,

**So Help you God.**

*Sworn before me at Woodstock, in the said District of Brock,*  
*1915* day of *January* 1915  
*Wm. L. S. Snow*  
Surrogate. District of Brock.  
*County of Oxford*

Norwich August the 23 1849  
 this may certify that wee Charles  
 Joiner & Samuel Joiner has by the  
 Request of Edwina Joiner the wife  
 of Thomas Joiner Deceat has taken  
 an inventory of the property of  
 Thomas Joiner Deceat which are as follows

one Span of Horses - - -	£ 25-00
one yoke of Oxen - - -	15-00
1 3 year old Colt - - -	13-15
1 2 year Colt - - -	19-00
4 Cows - - - - -	10-00
1 yearling Calf - - -	1-00
1 Steer - - - - -	1-10
6 Sheep - - - - -	1-10
6 Hogs Hogs - - - - -	3-00
1 Wagon - - - - -	11-05
7 set Harness - - - - -	3-00
2 Calendar Kettles - - -	4-00
1 Sleigh - - - - -	3-10

Charles Joiner  
 Samuel Joiner