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William Fisher Little  
late of the Township of Blenheim  
in the District of Brock  
Yeoman; deceased.

Petition of Elizabeth Little  
Widow to administer.

filed 9<sup>th</sup> March 1849

J. N.  
Registrar.



To His Honor the Judge of the Surrogate Court of the  
District of Brook.

The Petition of Elizabeth Little of the Township of  
Blenheim in the District of Brook widow of William Fisher late  
late of the said Township of Blenheim deceased.

Humbly Sheweth

That William Fisher late of the Township of Blenheim  
in the District aforesaid deceased departed this life on or about  
the Sixteenth day of February one thousand eight hundred and  
forty nine at Blenheim aforesaid That the said deceased died  
without having made any last Will and testament, leaving  
Your Petitioner his Widow that the said deceased has left down  
goods and chattels rights and credits within the District of Brook  
of the value of Sixty Pounds. of lawful money of Canada a  
theatres and that the deceased at the time of his death did  
not possess any goods and chattels rights or credits out of the said  
District to the value of Six Pounds. That Your Petitioner as the widow  
of the said deceased is desirous of taking on herself the duties of  
Administration of the estate of the said deceased. Your Petitioner  
therefore humbly prays your Honor will be pleased to grant to  
Your Petitioner letters of administration of the estate and effects of the said  
deceased. And your Memorialist as his duty bound will ever  
pray.

Elizabeth Little

Woodstock District of Brook  
9<sup>th</sup> of March 1849



This is an appraisement of the land property  
and moveable effects which belonged to the late  
William Little as given by the two undersigned  
individuals

Land Property		L & L	
1 Span of Horses & Waggon	27	10	—
Tanning Mill & Plough	4	—	—
2 Swards 1 Grip & Axes	—	10	—
1 Peck Measure & Barrel	—	2	6
1 Grain Cradle & Syth	—	5	—
Treg & Cutting Box	—	10	—
Grass Syth	—	2	6
3 Cows	9	—	—
3 1 year Old Steer	1	5	—
22 Sheep	8	—	—
10 Hogs	3	—	—
Household Furniture Looking Glass &c	2	5	—
Clock & Looking Glass	—	10	—
Table & Chairs	1	—	—
2 Beds - 2 Chests	—	10	—
Brockey Knives & Forks	—	5	6
Sugar Kettle	—	9	6
	59	3	0

John Murray

John Cowan

150  
150  
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150



Know all Men by these Presents that we, *Elizabeth Little* of the Township of  
Blenheim in the District of Brock, Widow of the late *William Little* late of Blenheim  
in the said District of Brock deceased, *John Cowan* of the Township of *Blainford* in the said  
District of Brock, and *William Scott* of the said Township of *Blenheim* *Esqrs* *Labouche*  
are held and firmly bound to *His Excellency The Right Honourable*  
*James Earl of Selkirk* and *Kincaidine* Governor General of the Province of Canada and  
to his Successor and Successors in Office

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

Pounds Currency, to be paid to ~~the said~~ *our sovereign lady the Queen, her Heirs or*  
*Successors*

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

Scaled with our Seal, and dated *this* at *Woodstock* in the *Brock* District *this* *ninth* day of *March*  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *forty* *two*  
~~Day of~~ ~~184~~

**The condition of this Obligation** is such, that if the within bounden  
*Elizabeth Little*

administrators of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of *the late William Little*  
*Little*

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 *her* the said *Elizabeth Little*

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 in to the registry of *the Superior Court*, on or before  
the *first* *Monday* of *September* 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 *Elizabeth Little*

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 *first* *Monday* of  
*January* 1850 — and all the rest and residue of the said goods, chattels and credits,  
which shall be found remaining upon the said administrator's 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 executors  
therein named do exhibit the same unto the said Court, making request to have it allowed  
and approved accordingly, if the said *Elizabeth Little*

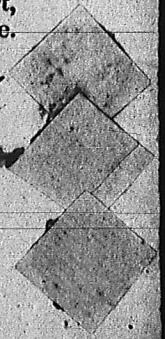
within bounden, being thereunto required, do render and deliver the said Letters of Ad-  
ministration [approbation of such testament being first had and made] in the said Court,  
then this Obligation to be void and of none effect, or else to remain in full force and virtue.

SIGNED, SEALED, AND DELIVERED,

In Presence of

*Mrs Geo VanSittart*  
*Registrar*

*Elizabeth Little*  
*John Cowan*  
*William Scott*





**IN THE SURROGATE COURT.**

DISTRICT OF BROCK,  
PROVINCE OF CANADA,  
Woodstock to wit:

YOU *Eliy abrahm Seale* of the Town-  
ship of *Blenheim* in the District of *Brant*  
and Province of Canada, Administrator of all and singular, the

Goods and Chattels, Rights and Credits of *William Joshua Seale*  
late of the Township of *Blenheim* in the District of *Brant*

and Province aforesaid, *Admin* deceased—do swear that the said *William*  
*Joshua Seale* died intestate, on the *twentieth*  
day of *February* one thousand eight hundred and *seventy 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, *and that the personal estate*  
*of the said William Joshua Seale at the time of his death did not exceed the sum of*  
*Two hundred pounds*  
So Help you God.

Sworn before me at Woodstock, in the said District of Brock,  
this *twentieth* day of *March* 1849.

*W. Lapinotice*

Surrogate. DISTRICT OF BROCK.