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Recd 2nd July
1857 J. M. Sittant
Registrar
per J. M. S.

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Oxford.

Province of Canada,
COUNTY OF OXFORD,

You *Mary Stroud* of the Township of *Windsor*

TO WIT:

Præsum you know of no Will made by the late *Francis Stroud* late of the Township of *Windsor* in the County of Oxford, *deceased*, that you will well and truly administer all and singular, the Goods, Rights, Credits and Chattel of the said deceased; 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 *Jessie Covert* 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 *Francis Stroud* deceased, is under the sum of *Three hundred pounds* of lawful money of Canada, and that the said *Francis Stroud* died at the Township aforesaid on or about the *twenty ninth* day of *May* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *fifty seven*. *So Help You God.*

Sworn before me at *Woodstock* in the County of Oxford, this *9th* day of *July*

A. D. 18*57*

Mary Stroud

W. Laprotien

Judge of the Surrogate Court,
County of Oxford.

Inventory of the Goods and Chattels
of the late Francis Stroud Sen^r of
Derham in the County of Oxford
taken this 26th day of June Anno Domini
One Thousand Eight Hundred & Fifty
Seven.

	£	cts
1 Cow	22	50
2 Heifers	30	
1 Span Horses	160	
Mare and Colt	60	
Colt	35	
7 Sheep	21	
5 Lambs	5	
Waggon	40	
Sleigh	5	
1 Plough	3	
1 P ^r Harrows	3	
Panning Mill	11	
Chain	2	
Sow & Pigs	8	
1 Pig	4	
1 Dozen Chairs	3	75
1 Settee	2	50
1 Chest Drawers	6	
2 Tables	6	
1 Clock	3	
1 3 Bed Steads	4	50
2 Beds & Bedding	10	
Shore	15	
3 Tables Lot Crockery & Sundries	6	50
2 Hands	2	
	\$ 468 75	
1 Turn Over		

Carried Over

Michael Bull

Samuel Waller

Appraisers

			\$	cts
N ^o 1	Fall Wheat	6 Acres	42.	0. 0
2	Spring Wheat	5 D ^o	37.	75 -
3	Oats	10 D ^o	22.	85
4	Peas	4 D ^o	11.	-
5	Hay	12 D ^o	31.	-
6	Amount of Notes		570.	87 1/2
7	Wearing Apparel		8.	-
			<u>723.</u>	<u>47 1/2</u> cts

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1192 22 1/2

Inventary of the goods and Chattels of the late Francis Stroud
 Esq of Durham in the County of Durham taken this 27th day
 of June Anno domini 1787

1 Cow	22 00
2 Hifers	30
1 span of Horses	160
Man and Calt	60 00
Calt	30
7 Sheep	21
5 Lambs	5
Weapon	10
Heath	5
Plough	3
1 pair of Harrows	2
Tanning Mill	11
Chain	2
Sow & Pigs	8
1 Pig	4
Wagon Chain	3 70
1 Sella	2 50
1 Chest of Drawers	6
2 Tutels	6
1 Clock	3
3 bedsteads	4 50
2 beds and bedding	10
Stove	15
3 tables lot of Crockery & Sundries	6 50
2 Stands	2
No 1 Fall wheat 12 acres	12 00
2 Spring wheat 5 do	8 70
3 Cals 10 do	20 00
4 Pens 4 do	11
5 Hay 12 do	31
6 Amount of Notes	210 8 1/2
7 wearing apparel	8

Michael Bell
 Samuel Waller & Appraisers

To the Honor William L'Esperance Esquire Judge of the
Surrey Court of the County of Oxford.

The Petition of Mary Stourd of the Township of Dereham in the County
of Oxford Spinster Heir of Francis Stourd late of the said
Township of Dereham Woman deceased.

Humbly Sheweth

That the late Francis Stourd late of the said Township
Woman deceased departed this life at the said Township on the
twenty ninth day of May last past. That your Petitioner is
a sister of the said deceased and that the said deceased was never
married. and that your Petitioner was never married & that
she has resided with the said deceased for many years last
past. That she has good reasons to believe that the said deceased
made no will as she has looked amongst his papers and has
not been enabled to discover any will made by him. That
your Petitioner is the nearest of kin to the said deceased residing
within the Province of Canada. That no Letters of administration
have been granted to any one of the personal estate of the said
deceased. and that such personal estate is all within the
County of Oxford and is of the value of about two hundred and
fifty pounds. Your Petitioner therefore humbly prays that Letters of
administration may be granted to her as one of the next of kin
of the said deceased. And your Petitioner as in duty bound will
ever pray.

Woodstock 2 July 1867.

Mary Stourd

Know all Men by these PRESENTS, that we *Thomas Stroud* of the Township of *Direham* in the County of *Essex* and *Michael Bell* of the Township of *South Norwolk* in said County of *Essex* are held and firmly bound to *His Excellency Lieutenant General*

Sir William Dyer K. C. B., administrator of the Government of *Canada*

and to his Successor and Successors in Office, in the sum of *six hundred pounds* Pounds of lawful money of the said Province, to be paid to *Our Sovereign Lady Queen Victoria* her Successor or

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 *Wheaton* in the

County of *Essex* this *Second* day of *July* in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and *fifty seven*

THE CONDITION of this obligation is such, that if the within bounden

Mary Stroud

Administratrix of all and singular the goods, chattels, and credits of *Thomas Stroud* 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 Stroud* 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* on or before the *fourth* Monday in *January* 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 Stroud* 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 *July* A. D. 1857 and all the rest and residue of the said goods, chattels, and credits, which shall be found remaining upon the said Administratrix 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 Stroud* 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

Mary Stroud

Thomas Stroud

Michael Bell

In the Surrogate Court of the County of Oxford,

Charles Hawkins of the Township of Deucham in
the County of Oxford ^{and} Michael Bell of the
Township of South ^{Township} ~~Deucham~~ in the said County
Oxford

SURETIES for the due administration of the estate of Francis Shand
late of the Township of
Deucham in the County of Oxford Oxford
deceased, severally made oath and say: And first the said Charles
Hawkins for himself saith that he is worth
the sum of Three hundred pounds of lawful
money of Canada, all his debts being first paid: And next the said
Michael Bell for himself saith that he
is worth the sum of Three hundred Pounds, of
lawful money of Canada, all his debts being first paid.

Sworn before me at Needles in the
County of Oxford, this second
day of July in the
year of our Lord 1857 by the said
Charles Hawkins and
Michael Bell severally.

Ch. Hawkins
Michael Bell

W. Lapointe
Judge Surrogate Court
County of Oxford

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Bond
to
the Administrator
of the Province
of Ontario
filed July 1st 1857
per J. W. [unclear]