

Elizabeth Jane Williams
of Burford in the County
of Oxford and Province of
Canada

Bond of Guardianship.

filed 19th Dec 1849

W. Maudslayi
Registrar.

Know All Men by these presents that We George Smith of the Township of Buxford Yeoman, Charles Magee of the said Township Yeoman, and Robert Burton of the said Township Yeoman, all in the District of Beach _____ are jointly and severally held and firmly bound to Elizabeth Jane Williams of the Township of Buxford _____ infant daughter of the late Lewis Williams late of the said Township of Buxford and of Sarah Williams his Wife in the sum of fifty pounds _____ of lawful Money of Canada to be paid to the said Elizabeth Jane Williams or his certain Attorney, Executors Administrators or Assigns For which payment to be well and truly made We Bind ourselves our and each your Heirs Executors and Administrators firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals. Dated this nineteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

Whereas the abovesaid and bounded George Smith having been this day appointed Guardian to the abovesaid Infant daughter of the late Lewis Williams late of the Township of Buxford _____ by William Lapointe Esquire Judge of the Sargate Court of the District of Beach the said George Smith hath agreed as such Guardian as aforesaid to enter into the securities required by law for the due performance of his duties as such Guardian as aforesaid and hath named the abovesaid bounded Charles Magee and Robert Burton Securities for the due fulfilment of such duties.

Now the Condition of this Bond or Obligation is such that if George Smith shall and do faithfully perform the said Office of Guardian and if the said George Smith his Executors or Administrators shall and do when and as the said Elizabeth Jane Williams shall become of full age of twenty one years or whenever the said Guardianship shall be determined or sooner if the same required by the Judge of the said Court under the said Elizabeth Jane Williams or to his Executors or Administrators a true and just Account of all Goods, Monies, Rents, Profits, or property of her the said Elizabeth Jane Williams which shall come into the hands of the said George Smith and shall and do thereupon deliver and pay over to the said Elizabeth Jane Williams or to his Executors or Administrators the Property or the sum or balance of Money which may be in the hands of the said George Smith belonging to the said Elizabeth Jane Williams only deducting therefrom and retaining a reasonable sum for the Expenses and Charges of the said George Smith Then and in that case the abovesaid Bond or Obligation shall be null and void.

Signed sealed and delivered
In presence of

Pro Notaire Public
Registrar

George Smith

Charles ^{his} Magee
Mee

Robert Burton

In the Surrogate Court of the District of Brock
and Province of Canada

George Smith of the Township of Deepford in the District of Brock
Esquire Guardian for Elizabeth Jane Williams an Infant
under the age of twenty one years and Charles Magee and Robert
Buxton both of the said Township and District of Brock, Justices
for the said Guardian severally make Oath and say, and first
this deponent George Smith the said Guardian for himself
saith that he his deponent is worth the sum of fifty pounds
of lawful Money of Canada all his debts being first paid
This deponent Charles Magee for himself saith that he is
worth the sum of twenty five pounds all his debts being
first paid - And this deponent Robert Buxton for himself
saith he is worth the sum of twenty five pounds of lawful
Money of Canada all his debts being first paid

The said George Smith
Charles Magee and Robert
Buxton were severally sworn
before me at Woodstock in
the said District of Brock
this 19th day of December 1849
The above affidavit having been first read
over by me to the deponent the proper and
meaning of which they appeared fully to
understand

George Smith
do
Charles X Magee
Mark
Robert Buxton

W. Lapsworth

Surrogate Court District of Brock

To His Honor the Judge of the Superior Court of the District
of New York.

The Petition of Elizabeth Jane Williams of the Township of Hempstead in the
County of Westchester in the District of New York, daughter of the late Lewis Williams
late of the said Township of Hempstead deceased, and Sarah Williams his wife also
deceased.

Sheweth that Petitioner is a daughter of the late Lewis Williams
late of the Township of Hempstead in the District of New York ^{Hempstead} deceased, and Sarah Williams
his wife. That her father the said Lewis Williams departed this life on or
about the fifth day of April in the year one thousand eight
hundred and forty six at Hempstead aforesaid without having made any will
as she has heard and believes leaving personal estate but no guardian hath
been appointed by his said father to take the custody of herself or her property,
that she is entitled to claim goods and chattels lands and tenements under
the will of her said father who departed this life on or about the fifth
day of September last past. That your Petitioner is now thirteen
years of age last February. That all the Estate to which your Petitioner is entitled
was at the decease of her said parents all within the District of New York. Your
Petitioner therefore humbly prays your Honor will be pleased to appoint
George Smith of the said Township of Hempstead aforesaid guardian of the property
and person of your Petitioner.

And your Petitioner will ever pray &c.

Elizabeth Jane Williams
of her
New York

Dated the 10th November 1849
Witness present

John L. Biggar
William John Smith

On reading the within Petition and the Verdicts aforesaid application and
affidavits of publication and of the death of the within named Lewis Williams
and Sarah Williams his wife I do order that the within named George
Smith be appointed Guardian to the within named Elizabeth Jane Williams
(Dated this 19 day of December 1849)

W. Lapsnothe,
Judge. Single Court
Duke of York

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Petition of Elizabeth Jane Williams
of the County of Bedford
in the County of Bedford and
Province of Virginia
for Guardian to her infant

Filed 19 Dec 1849

W. Lapsnothe
Register

In the Surrogate Court of the District of Brock

District of Brock
to wit

George Smith ^{deposed}
of Woodstock in the District of Brock ^{gentleman}
maketh oath and saith that the notice of which the annexed
is a copy was published in the British American newspaper
published in the District of Brock for fully one day and
upwards.

Subscribed at Woodstock in the
District of Brock this 30th day
of November, A.D. 1849
W. Laprotiere.

George Smith

Judge of the Surrogate Court of Brock

Notice

I Elizabeth Stone Williams of the Township of Benford in the District of South Daughters of the late Lewis Williams, late of the Township aforesaid Woman deceased, and Sarah Williams his wife also deceased, being an Infant under the age of twenty one years, do hereby give notice that on the expiration of twenty days from the publication of this Notice, or so soon after as is convenient I will apply to the Judge of the Superior Court of the said District, to appoint one or more fit and discreet person or persons to be my Guardians pursuant to the Statute in that behalf made and provided.

Dated this 2th day of Sept 1849.

[Signed] Elizabeth Stone Williams

In the Matter of the application
of Elizabeth Jane Williams to
have a Guardian appointed

In the Singsat Court of the District of New York

District of New York, Joshua Bennett of the Township of Burford in the District of New York
do hereby make oath and swear that Elizabeth Jane
Williams of the Township of Burford daughter of the late Lewis
Williams late of the said Township of Burford and Sarah Williams both
no father or mother living, the said Lewis Williams having died on or about
the fifth day of April in the year one thousand
eight hundred and forty two and the said Sarah Williams having
died on or about the fifth day of September one thousand eight
hundred and forty one.

Sworn before me at Woodstock in the District of
New York this twenty ninth day of November A.D.

Joshua Bennett

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W. Lapinotiere.

Judge of the Singsat Court District of New York