

Thomas Williams of the
Township of Beauford in the
County of Oxford and Province
of Canada

Bond of Guardianship.

filed 19 December 1849

J. H. Nantliff
Registrar

Know All Men by these presents that We George Smith of the
Township of Beauford Yeoman, Charles Magee of the said Township Yeoman
and Robert Burton of the said Township Yeoman all in the District of
Brook ~~are~~ ^{are} jointly and severally
held and firmly bound to Thomas Williams of the Township of Beauford
aforesaid — infant son of the late Lewis Williams late of the said Township
of Beauford and of Sarah Williams his Wife
in the sum of ~~two~~ ^{four} hundred Pounds — of lawful Money of Canada
to be paid to the said Thomas Williams or his certain Attorneys, Executors,
Administrators or Assigns for which payment to be well and truly made
We Bind Ourselves our and each of our 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 above named and bounded George Smith having been
this day appointed Guardian to the above named Infant Son of the late
Lewis Williams late of the Township of Beauford — by William
Lapointe Esquire Judge of the Surrogate Court of the District of Brook
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 above bounded Charles
Magee and Robert Burton — Securities for the due
fulfillment 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 Thomas Williams
shall become of full age of twenty one years, or whenever the said Guardianship
shall be determined or sooner if hereunto required by the Judge of the said
Court under to the said Thomas Williams or to his Executors or Adminis-
trators a true and just Account of all Goods, Monies, Rents, profits, or profits
of him the said Thomas Williams which shall come into the hands of the said
George Smith — and shall and do hereupon deliver and pay over to
the said Thomas 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 Thomas 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 above written
Bond or Obligation shall be null and void.

George Smith

Charles ^{his} Magee
X
must
Robert Burton

Signed Sealed and delivered
in presence of

Jos Jos Van der Hart
Registrar

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

George Smith of the Township of Beauford in the District of Beek Yeoman
Guardian for Thomas Williams an Infant under the age of twenty one
years and Charles Magee and Robert Buxton of the said Township
Yeomen Jurors for the said Guardian severally make oath and say
and first this deponent George Smith the said Guardian for himself
saith that he this deponent is worth the sum of two hundred
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 one hundred Pounds all his debts being first paid
and this deponent Robert Buxton for himself saith he is worth
the sum of one hundred Pounds of lawful Money of Canada
all his debts being first paid

George Smith

in

Charles & Magee

in

Robert Buxton

The said George Smith
Charles Magee and
Robert Buxton were severally
sworn before me at Madras
in the said District of Beek
this 19th day of December 1849.
The above affidavits having been read
over by me to the deponents, the purport and
circumstances of which they appeared fully to
understand.

W. Lapointe
Judge Surrogate Court, District of Beek

In the Sunogale Court of the District of Brock

The Petition of Thomas Williams of the Township of Brimford in the District of Brock. Son of the late Lewis Williams late of the said Township of Brimford deceased and Sarah Williams his wife also deceased
Sheweth

That your Petitioner is a Son of the late Lewis Williams late of the Township of Brimford in the District of Brock deceased and Sarah Williams his wife, that his Father the said Lewis Williams departed this life at Brimford aforesaid on or about the fifth day of April in the year you and one thousand eight hundred and forty five without having made any will as he has been informed and believes leaving free hold & personal Estate, and appointed no guardian to take charge of the person & property of your Petitioner. That your Petitioner is also entitled to some personal Estate under the will of his mother the said Sarah Williams who departed this life at Brimford aforesaid on or about the fifth day of September last past. That all the Estate to which your Petitioner is entitled as aforesaid is situate within the District of Brock. and being desirous to have a guardian appointed to take the charge of the Estate & person of your Petitioner, your Petitioner prays you Hon^{ble} will be pleased to appoint Grace Smith of the said Township of Brimford. Woman such guardian as aforesaid. Your Petitioner further sheweth that he was born ¹⁷⁹² Elven ¹⁷⁹⁶ years in the month of January last. And your Petitioner as in duty bound will ever pray

Thomas Williams
mark

Dated 30th November 1849.

Witness present
John L. Biggar
William John Smith