

Know all Men by these Presents that We Mary Ann  
Ponting of Coneygre Sarum in the parish of Salme  
 in the County of Wilt's widow, Charles Hendon of Salme  
 in the County of Wilt's Footman and Harry Butler  
 of the same place Carpenter and Builder  
 are held and firmly bound unto the Reverend and Worshipful  
Hugh Nicolas Pearson Clerk D.D. Dean of the  
 Cathedral Church of Sarum  
 in the penal sum of Twelve hundred pounds  
 of good and lawful Money of Great Britain to be paid unto the said Dean  
 or to his Executor, Attorney, his Executors, Administra-  
 tors, Assigns, to which Payment well and truly to be made We oblige ourselves  
 and each of us by herself and himself <sup>severally</sup> for the whole our and  
 each of our Heirs Executors and Administrators firmly by  
 these Presents sealed with our seals dated the 11th day of  
July in the sixth Year of the Reign of our Sovereign  
Lady Victoria by the Grace of God of the United  
 Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland Queen of the Faith &c. And  
 in the Year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty two.

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The Condition of this Obligation is such that if the above bounden  
Mary Ann Ponting widow <sup>Relict</sup> Administrator of all and singular the Goods  
 Chattles and Credits of James Ponting late of Coneygre Sarum <sup>deceased</sup> <sup>Intestate</sup>  
 make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the Goods  
 Chattles and Credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to the Hands  
 Possession or Knowledge of her the said Mary Ann Ponting  
 or into the Hands and Possession of any Person or Persons for  
 her and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited into the Registry  
 of the Dean of Sarum at or before the  
last day of October next ensuing and the same Goods  
 Chattles and Credits and all other the Goods Chattles and Credits of the said deceased  
 at the time of his death which at any time after shall come to the hands or Possession  
 of the said Mary Ann Ponting 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 last day of July 1843  
 (free) and all the Rest and Residue of the said Goods Chattles and Credits which shall  
 be found remaining upon the said Administration <sup>with</sup> receipt the same being first  
 examined and allowed of by the Judge or Judges for the time being of the said  
 Court shall deliver and pay unto such Person or Persons respectively as the said  
 Judge or Judges by his or their Decree or Sentence pursuant to the true Intent and  
 Meaning of a late Act of Parliament made in the two and twentieth and three and  
 twentieth Years of the Reign of our late Sovereign Lord King Charles the Second  
 intituled an Act for the better settling of Intestate Estates shall limit and appoint  
 And if it shall hereafter appear that any last Will and Testament was made by the  
 said 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 Ann Ponting  
 above bounden being thereunto required do render and deliver the said Letters of  
 Administration's Approval of such Testament being first had and made in the  
 said Court then this Obligation to be void evn to remain in full force and virtue

Sealed and delivered  
 in the Presence of

Mary Ann Ponting

Charles Hendon  
Harry Butler

John Guthrie  
Commissioner