

Dorchester County, to-wit: On the second day of June 1845, personally appeared before me, the subscriber, a Justice of the Peace, in and for the County aforesaid, George W. Wingate and Charles L. Chaplain, and made the following Oath, to-wit: We George W. Wingate and Charles L. Chaplain, subscribing Witnesses to the above Bond, do make Oath that Thomas Wingate, William B. Dail, James B. Chaplain, Samuel D. LeCompte, Levin Mowbray and John H. Mason, obligors mentioned in the said Bond, did personally, in our presence, sign, seal and deliver the said Bond as their act and deed, for the purposes therein mentioned. Sworn before me on the day above mentioned.

Robt. Bell.

Approved by the Commissioners of Dorchester County June 3<sup>d</sup> 1845.  
Jest William Reed Clerk C. D. C.

State of Maryland  
Et. from  
William Crighton  
& others

Be it remembered that the following Bond was recorded on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of June 1845, to-wit: Maryland et. Know all men by these presents that we William Crighton, William Reed, Jr. R. Crighton, Jeremiah C. Wright of

Dorchester County are held and firmly bound unto the State of Maryland in the full and just sum of Fifteen thousand dollars, current Money of the United States, to be paid to the State of Maryland, to the which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves and every of us, and every of our heirs, executors and administrators, in the whole and for the whole, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 3<sup>d</sup> day of June in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty five.

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden William Crighton shall well and faithfully discharge the duties of Treasurer of the Primary Schools of Dorchester County, according to Law, then the above obligation shall be void, otherwise it is to be and remain in full force and virtue in Law; signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of

W. Newton.

William Crighton Seal  
William Reed Seal  
John R. Crighton Seal  
J. C. Wright Seal

Stamp  
Six dollars

Dorchester County, June the 9<sup>th</sup> 1845,  
By the Commissioners 3 ordered by the Board  
that the within Bond be and the same is hereby approved.  
Jest William Reed Clerk C. D. C.