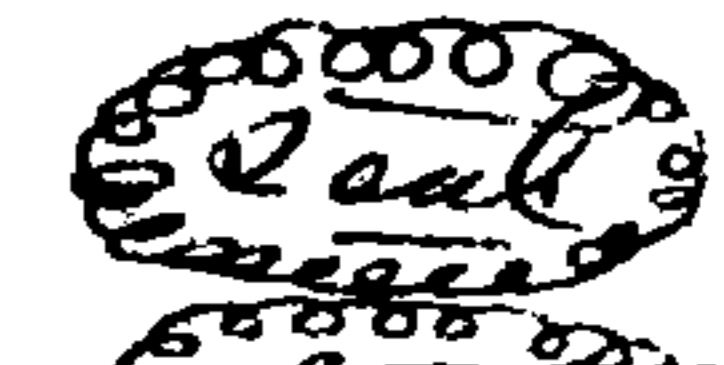
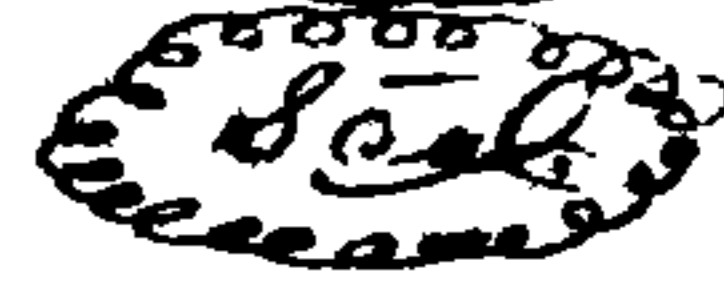



Given under our hands & seals this 22<sup>d</sup> day of April 1826

David Humphreys.   
Geo W Humphreys 

Jefferson County to wit, Be it remembered that on the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April in the year 1826. These articles of agreement were acknowledged before me Robt J. Brown, Deputy Clerk of the County Court of Jefferson by Ann F Batcher late Ann F. Lane & Henry Batcher, two of the Justices and admitted to record, and afterwards, to wit, on the 22<sup>d</sup> day of the month, and year aforesaid, the same were produced to me Samuel Johnston former Clerk of the County Court of Jefferson, duly authorized (authenticated) by two Magistrates of Jefferson County, as to Ann F Batcher late Ann F Lane, and admitted to record, with the Certificate annexed.

Teste S J. Cromwell c. Sec.  
Teste J. A. Moore c. Sec.

State of Virginia. County of Jefferson Jct Clerks Office of the County Court I Thomas A Moore Clerk of the County Court of Jefferson County in Virginia hereby certify that the foregoing is a true Copy from the Records of the said Court Given under my hand &  the seal of the said Court this 24<sup>th</sup> day of March. Ad 1854  
Teste. J. A. Moore c. Sec.

Virginia Jefferson County Jct.  
I Braxton Devonport Presiding Justice of the County Court of said County - Certify that Thomas A Moore, who has given the above certificate, under the seal of the said Court is, and was at the time of so doing Clerk of the said Court, duly elected, and qualified, and that his said attestation is in due form Given under my hand this 31<sup>st</sup> day of March Ad 1854  
Braxton Devonport

The following paper was filed July 28. 1854.  
This is to certify that the annexed advertisement was inserted in the Frederick Herald once a month prior to 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 1854.  
Sappington & Miller.

N<sup>o</sup> 2547 Equity In the Circuit Court for Frederick County.  
Issue N Carter & others } Be it remembered, that on the 28<sup>th</sup> July Ad 1854  
John W Lane and others } before the subscribed a Justice of the peace in and for Frederick County, personally appeared William M. Elliott & made oath that after diligent enquiry he has been credibly informed, and verily believes that the several parties respondents in the above entitled cause as mentioned in the Order of Publication heretofore passed therein, reside beyond the limits of this state, and out of the reach of the process of Subpoena of said Court, Taken and sworn before M. Talzoff

Thereupon the following Decree was passed  
Issue N Carter Andrew Kennedy } N<sup>o</sup> 2547 Equity In the Circuit  
& wife and others. } Court for Frederick County  
John W. Lane, Mary Nicklan } Setting as a Court of Equity  
and others } July Term 1854

The Order of Publication heretofore passed in this cause, having been duly published, and the several defendants, therein named, having failed to appear, and answer the Bill of Complaint