

State of Maryland Baltimore City &c. I hereby Certify that Augustine H. Perington Esquire before whom the annexed Acknowledgment & Affidavit were made and who has thereto subscribed his name was at the time of so doing a Justice of the Peace of the State of Maryland, in and for the City of Baltimore, duly Commissioned & sworn, In testimony whereof I have set my hand and affix the Seal of the Superior Court of Baltimore City, this 30th day of November A. D. 1853

Edward Dawling
Clerk of the Superior Court of Baltimore City.

Received the 2nd day of December 1853 of Henry Cook the sum of fifteen Cents in lieu of a Stamp on this Bill of Sale
Francis J. Henry

State of Maryland

John E. Applegarth & others

Be it remembered and it is hereby Certified that the following Bond was received and read on the 28th day of November Anno Domini 1853.

Know all men by these presents, that we John E. Applegarth, John R. Crighton, William Reas and Sumner C. Pattison of Dorchester County in the State of Maryland, are held & firmly bound unto the State of Maryland, in the full and just sum of twenty six thousand, six hundred and sixty six Dollars, sixty six & two thirds Cents Current money to be paid to the said State or its certain Attorney to which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this twenty eighth day of November Eighteen hundred and fifty three. The condition of the above obligation is such, that if the above bound John E. Applegarth as Sheriff of Dorchester County do and shall well and faithfully execute the same Office in all things appertaining thereto and shall also render to the several officers within this State as just and true accounts of all fees placed in his hands for Collections within the time limited by law and shall also well and truly pay all sums of money received by him and also Collect and pay all public dues fines and forfeitures which are due or belonging to the State and shall also well and faithfully execute and return all writs process and warrants to him directed and delivered and shall also pay and deliver to the person or persons entitled to receive the same, all sum or sums of money, tobacco goods, Chattels or property by him levied seized or taken agreeably to the directions of the writ process or warrant under which the same shall have been levied seized or taken, and shall also keep and detain in safe Custody all and every person or persons Committed to his custody or by him taken in execution, or who shall be Committed for the want of bail without suffering them or any of them to escape or depart from his Custody and shall also satisfy and pay all Judgments which shall or may be rendered against him as Sheriff and shall also well and truly execute and perform the several duties required of or imposed upon him by the laws of this State, then the above obligation to be void and of none effect otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in law.

Signed sealed & delivered in the presence of Jas. Quiero

Dorchester County Orphan's Court
November 28th Anno Domini 1853

John E. Applegarth
John R. Crighton
Wm. Reas
Sumner C. Pattison

The aforesaid Bond was this day taken before this Court, and they do hereby approve of the same, and consider the security given as sufficient to cover the penalty of the Bond. Witness our hands the date above written.

Jas. Quiero
James Thompson
Saddock N. Rouse