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CARLEW/CORLEW/CURLEW
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& MARINDA

GUARDIANSHIP

1838

HENDRICKS COUNTY, INDIANA

Carlew

Estates

James Downar

Guardian

1838

No 51

Guardian's
Paid \$1000.00

James Downard


filed in open court
Nov 12th 1838

J. M. Guggelt

Know all men by these presents that we James
Downard & James McClure of the county
of Hendricks and state of Indiana are held
and firmly bound unto the state of Indiana in
the sum of one thousand dollars lawful
money of the United States, for the payment of
which 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 this
12th day of November A.D. 1838

The condition of the above obligation is
such that if the above bound James Downard
will truly and faithfully discharge the duties and
trusts committed to him as guardian of the estates
of Ransom Corlew Sr., Rebecca Corlew, Myranda
Corlew & Melvina Corlew infants heirs to the estate
of Ransom Corlew deceased, during the minority of the
said Ransom Corlew Sr. Rebecca Corlew Myranda Corlew &
Melvina Corlew and render to this Court a just and true
account of his said Guardianship when he shall be
thereunto required then the above obligation is to be
void and of none effect otherwise to be and remain
in full force and virtue in law.

signed and sealed in
the presence of

James Downard 

James McClure 

State of Indiana
Hendricks County

Personally appeared in open
court James Woodward on the 11th day of Novr,
1845. who after being first duly sworn by the Clerk
of the Hendricks Probate court upon his oath says
that on or about the day of 1840
he was present and saw Thomas Shuler & wife Anna
Shuler, Moses G. Corlew, Allison Corlew, Matilda Corlew
& Persimonia Corlew.

gives of the estate of Ransom Corlew lots of Hendricks
County, Indiana executes to Wilson Shelton ~~and to Corlew~~
~~his attorney~~ a transfer in writing of all their
interest or respective shares, in and to a certain
Judgment due the Hendricks circuit court
of Frances Corlew Administratrix of the estate
of ~~Frances~~ Ransom Corlew against John Caylor
and Richard Bray rendered on the 7th

day of April 1840 for \$218²⁵
in the name of Frances Corlew against Richard Bray & John Caylor
~~and if there was money owing to them there~~
~~would be sufficient to pay off a certain~~
note for \$200⁰⁰ ²⁵ executed by Frances
Corlew and M. G. Corlew & Allison Corlew to the said
Wilson Shelton on the 19th day of March
1837. and interest accrued & to accrue

(as a debt that Ransom Corlew owed to
Shelton in his lifetime) then I in that case the

~~surplus of~~ ~~was to be paid over on~~
~~certain claims of Wm L. Matlock, Crawford~~
~~& Davis and this separate against a part~~
~~of the aforesaid being does not now recollect~~
~~which of them~~ ^{And he} further saith that not

I and Edward
sworn to and subscribed in open court
this 11th day of Nov^r 1845

J. D. Parker Clerk

State of Indiana }
Hendricks County }

Personally appeared in
open court Christian C. Ford who after
being first duly sworn by the Clerk of the
said Hendricks Probate court according
to law upon his ^{oath} says that he has made due
search for the written transfer of the several
persons ^{named in the above aff. debt} of the judgment set forth in the
affidavit of Jos. Emerson Esq. to W.
Shelton and cannot find the same and
believes said transfer to be lost or mislaid
cannot now swear to the contents thereof
but believes it substantially set forth in
the affidavit of Jos. Emerson Esq. except
he cannot now say whether the transfer was
to Shelton, Matlock, Crawford & Davis & Emerson
^{in proportion} ~~in proportion~~ to their respective demands, or first to
Shelton until his claim was paid off, and
the remainder to Matlock, Crawford & Davis and

Downward or not, And he further saith not
C. C. Nove
sworn to and subscribed this 11th day of
Novr. 1845.

J. D. Parker Clerk

Handwritten Probate Court
Feb'y Term 1840

James Downard
Guardian

Citation

Edmund Clarke Sherry
Sherry
Citation 34c
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Return 100
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Went to hand December 11th 1839 and send
Return for 18th 1839 as can be made

State of Indiana — In State of Indiana to the Sheriff of
Hendricks County — Hendricks County, Indiana, Greeting.

You are hereby commanded that You summon
James Downard Guardian of the heirs of Panson Werlew to
personally be and appear before the Honorable the Judge of
the Hendricks Probate Court on the first day of the next term
of said Court to be holden at the Court house in Danville
On the Second Monday in February next And then and
there report the condition of the estates of his said wards
And ^{to the} to hear and receive whatsoever our said Court shall
then and there consider of him

Witness James M. Gregg clerk of said Court
And its seal this 20th day of November
1839

J. M. Gregg clk

Guardian
Downards
Report

Curlow's Estate

Filed in open court

Feb'y 11th 1840

J. M. Hugg cler.

Hendricks Probate February Term
1840

To James McBlure Judge of said
Court

The undersigned Guardian of
the Minor heirs of Ramsden
Corlew respectfully sheweth that
he has in his hands one hun-
dred and nine dollars fifty five
cents for which he will account
to this Court with ten per cent interest
per annum when thereunto required
J. W. Downes Guardian

Petition for
Guardian

filed in my office
Nov 12th 1838
J. M. Luggy clk

Infant heirs of the Estate of Ransom Corlin deceased
who are now under the age of twenty-one
years viz. Ransom Corlin & Rebecca Corlin
Myranda Corlin & Melvina Corlin, hereby petition your
^{Honour} to appoint, James Toward Esq.
Guardian of their Estate and property belonging
to them out of the Estate of Ransom Corlin deceased
according to Law. The widow hereby relinquishes
her right as the natural Guardian ^{of said Estate} of said Estate,
and your petitioners will ever petition
to this 12th day of November 1838

Mary Ann Corlin
Rebecca Jane Corlin
Melvina Corlin
Ransom Corlin
Frances Corlin widow
Mark

James Downard
Guardians

Wills to the Estate
of Carter—

Filed in Court
Nov 11 1889
J. M. Hays

James Downard
Guardians

~~Wills~~

To the Hon. the Probate Court of
Hendricks County of James Dawson Guardian
of the Minor Heirs of Hanson Corlew
~~was appointed by said Court~~ ^{deposited} ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ the sum of
Eighty two Dollars and Seventeen Cents Pr-
inciple and Four Dollars and ten Cents in ter-
est making in all Eighty six Dollars and twenty
seven Cents Belonging to said heirs August
the 10th Day A.D. 1845

James Dawson Guardian

State of Indiana 38. February term of the Hendricks
Hendricks County Probate Court 1839

To the Honorable
Henry A. Morrison Sole Judge of the Court of said
James Dawson Guardian of the estate of the infert
Heirs of the estate of Hanson Corlew deceased
Rebecca Corlew Melvina Corlew Rowena Corlew viz
and Marinda Corlew

Reports that he has received of monies belonging
to said Minors as follows viz. one hundred
& three dollars thirty seven and a half cents
which money is now at interest at six
percent per annum all of which
is most respectfully submitted to
your Honor this 11th day of February
1839

James Dawson
Guardian

75.37½
1839 37½

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