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Columbus Carter Etal  
Minors

Ann Carter Guardian

Spate

State of Indiana } E.C. In the Hendricks  
Hendricks County } Probate Court August term  
1850,

To the Honorable Judge  
of the Hendricks Probate Court (Abraham  
Bland) The Petition of Mrs. Ann Carter  
widow of Lewis D. Carter late of said  
County deceased; Showeth; That the said  
decedent left issue two daughters and  
two sons, Louisa Carter aged 10 years Mary  
Ann Carter aged five years, Columbus Carter aged 12 years  
and George W. Carter aged seven years  
all infants under the age of fourteen  
years who have no Guardian appointed  
to take care of their persons and estates  
Your petitioner therefore prays your  
Honor to appoint some suitable  
and proper person as their Guardian  
for the purposes aforesaid And your  
petitioner will ever pray &c.

Ann Carter Widow  
of Lewis D. Carter, decd.

Ann Carter  
to J. P. Peterson

Abraham Bland

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For the appointment  
of a Guardian

Filed in open court  
August 13<sup>th</sup> 1850.  
J. D. Parker, clerk

Know all Men by these presents, That we, *Ann Carter*

*Stephen Crawford,*

all inhabitants of the State of Indiana, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the penal sum of *Three hundred,* dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated, this *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* A. D. *1850*. Whereas the above named and bounden *Ann Carter* has

been duly appointed by the *Probate Court of the County of Hendricks* in the State aforesaid, GUARDIAN of the *Persons and Estate Louisa Carter,* *Ann Carter, Columbus Carter, and George W. Carter,* Minor heirs to the estate of *Lewis D. Carter,* late of said County deceased,

and letters of Guardianship have been duly granted to *her* by said Court.

Now therefore the condition of the above obligation, is to the effect following to-wit: That the said *Ann Carter,* shall faithfully perform the duties of *her* said trust as such Guardian: Then and in that case said obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

Approved of by the Court

Attest,

*J. D. Parker* Clerk.

*Ann Carter*  
*A. C. Sewell* Seal

State of Indiana, *Hendricks* County, ss.

*Ann Carter* Guardian of the persons & estates of *Louisa, Ann, Columbus, and George W. Carter,* being duly sworn before the *Hendricks* Probate Court of the county aforesaid, upon *her* oath says that *she* will faithfully and honestly discharge the trusts and duties devolving upon *her* as such Guardian.

In witness of which, I *Joshua D. Parker,* Clerk of said Court hereunto set my hand this *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 1850.

*J. D. Parker* Clerk.

known all them by these presents, that we Anne Carter

Deputy Clerk

all inhabitants of the State of Indiana are held and firmly bound unto the State of Indiana, in the  
sum of three hundred dollars, for the payment of which, well and  
truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, jointly by  
these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 13th day of August A.D. 1850

been duly appointed by the  
in the State of Indiana, GUARDIAN of the persons and estate of Anne Carter, late of said County of Hamilton,  
to the estate of Anne Carter late of said County of Hamilton

Anne Carter  
Guardian  
Dollars \$300.

and that said guardianship have been duly granted to her, by and with the  
condition of the above obligation, is to the effect following to-wit: That she will  
shall faithfully perform  
said trust as such Guardian: And in that case said obligation  
shall be null and void, otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in law.

Anne Carter  
A. S. Clerk

J. S. Parker  
Clerk

State of Indiana, Hamilton County, ss.  
I, Anne Carter, Guardian of the person and estate  
of Anne Carter, late of said County of Hamilton,  
do hereby certify that the within and honestly executed the trusts and duties devolving upon me  
before the Hamilton County Court of said County of Hamilton, upon  
the 13th day of August 1850.

Filed in open Court Aug 21th 1850

J. S. Parker  
Clerk

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Clerk

To the Honorable Abraham Blanch, sole Judge  
of the Probate Court of Androcks County, &  
the Memorial of Mrs Ann Carter, Guardian of  
the persons and Estates of Columbus Carter  
Louisa Carter, George W. Carter, an Infant,  
Ann Carter, Infants, respectfully sheweth that  
the personal Estates of the said Columbus,  
Louisa, George W, and Mary Ann, Carter  
is wholly insufficient. (There <sup>being</sup> none which  
has come to the hands of <sup>your</sup> Memorialist nor  
would to come except as hereinafter stated  
for their sustenance and education. That  
a Land Warrant for one hundred  
and sixty acres of Land, No 16623 was  
duly issued by J L, Edwards Commissioner  
of Pensions on the sixth day of June  
1848. in the name of the United States for  
the services of L D, Carter as a soldier  
of the United States in the late war with Mexico  
to your Memorialist, widow of the said  
Lewis D, Carter and the said Columbus  
Carter, Louisa Carter, George W. Carter  
and Mary Ann Carter his heirs at law  
him surviving. by virtue of an  
act of Congress, one fifth of  
said Warrant now belongs to the  
said Ann Carter, and the remaining  
four fifths justly belongs to the said  
Columbus Carter, Louisa Carter, George  
W. Carter, and Mary Ann, Carter, said  
Infants not having any means out of  
which they can either be supported or  
educated, except their interest in the  
aforesaid Land Warrant. which has come  
to the knowledge of your Memorialist  
Your Memorialist therefore prays  
your Honor to make an order

for the appraisement and sole and transfer of the four-fifths of the Land Warrant aforesaid the interest, right and title of said Minors in and to the said Warrant and that the avails of the sale of the four-fifths of said Land Warrant may be made a fund in the hands of your Memorialist for the sustenance and Education of the said Columbus Carter, Louisa Carter, George W. Carter and Mary Ann Carter during their minority. And your Memorialist will ever pray &c

August 14<sup>th</sup> 1850 Ann Carter  
State of Indiana, Hendricks County  
Ann Carter the above petitioner being duly sworn deposes and says that the matters and things stated in the foregoing petition are true in substance and matter of fact

Ann Carter

Sworn to and subscribed before  
this undersigned this 14<sup>th</sup> day of  
August 1850

J. D. Parker, Clerk

Hendricks County Probate Court August term 1850  
On the application of Ann Carter Guardian  
of the Persons and Estates of Columbus Carter,  
Louisa Carter, George W. Carter and Mary  
Ann Carter it is ordered that Simon S. Hadley  
Joshua D. Parker, ~~and Edward Clark~~ <sup>be appointed</sup>  
appraisers to appraise the four-fifths of the  
Land Warrant issued by the United States  
to Ann Carter and Columbus Carter  
Louisa Carter, George W. Carter & Mary Ann Carter

Numbered 16623 for one hundred and sixty  
acres and dated June 6<sup>th</sup> 1848, and to  
make report of such appraisement to the  
Court immediately by the court.

List

J. D. Parker Clerk

State of Indiana  
Madison County } to wit, Personally appeared  
in open court before the court Simon  
J. Hadley, Joshua J. Parker, & Edward [unclear]  
the appraisers within named and were  
sworn truly and impartially to appraise  
four fifths of the land warrant above  
named, at the fair cash value thereof

S. J. Hadley  
J. D. Parker

sworn and subscribed in open court  
August 14<sup>th</sup> 1850.

W. H. [unclear] Clerk

We the undersigned appointed by the  
within order to appraise four fifths  
of the Land Warrant above named  
No 16623, dated June 6<sup>th</sup> 1848. Having been  
sworn according to law, do report  
that on due consideration, we are  
of opinion that four fifths of the said  
Land Warrant No 16623, issued June  
6<sup>th</sup> 1848, to Mrs Ann Carter & Columbus  
Carter, Louisa Carter, George W. Carter  
& Mary Ann Carter, is worth one hundred and  
twelve dollars

And we do appraise the same accordingly  
August 14<sup>th</sup> 1850

J. D. Parker  
S. J. Hadley } Appraisers

Ann Carter  
Guardian

Petition to Sell Mary's  
Appraisment &c

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August 14<sup>th</sup> 1850.  
J. D. Parker, cld