

The eighteenth day of March in the year 1754 Martha
Marland within named took the usual oath of an Administrator
in common form

Before me

John Harrison Surrogate

Adon issued by
April following

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KNOW all Men by these Presents, That We Martha Marland
of Ashton underline in the County of Lancaster
& Diocess of Chester Widow And Obadiah Marland
of the Park in the Parish of Ashton underline in
the County of Lancaster & Diocess of Chester Yeoman
& Stephen Hullalove of Mottismon in the County
& Diocess of Chester Carpenter
are holden and firmly bound unto the Right Reverend Father in God Edmund by
Divine Permission Lord Bishop of Chester in the Sum of sixty pounds
1584 2d Pounds of good and lawful Money of Great-Britain, to be paid unto the
said Right Reverend Father, his lawful Attorney, Executors, Administrators or Af-
figns, To which Payment well and truly to be made, We bind ourselves and each
of us severally for and in the whole, our Heirs, Executors and Administrators, and the
Heirs, Executors and Administrators of each of us firmly by these Pre-
sents. SEALED with our Seals, and dated the eighteenth
March in the twenty seventh Year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord
George the second by the Grace of God of Great-Britain, France,
and Ireland, King, Defender of the Faith, and so forth, and in the Year of our
Lord God, One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty four

THE Condition of this Obligation is such, that if the above bounden Martha
Marland Widow & Heir of Obadiah Marland late of Ashton under-
line in the County of Lancaster & Diocess of Chester Yeoman Administrator
of all and singular the Goods, Chattels, and Credits of Obadiah Marland late
of Ashton underline in the County of Lancaster & Diocess
of Chester deceased

do make or cause to be made a true and perfect Inventory of all and singular the Goods Chattels and
Credits of the said Deceased, which have or shall come to the Hands, Possession or Knowledge
of her the said Martha Marland Widow & Heir
aforesaid or into the Hands and Possession of any other Person or Persons for
and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited into the Registry of Chester
at or before the eighteenth Day of September
next ensuing. And the same Goods, Chattels and Credits, and all other the Goods, Chattels and
Credits of the said Deceased, at the Time of his Death, which at any Time after shall come
to the Hands or Possession of the said Martha Marland Widow & Heir
Obadiah Marland aforesaid or into the Hands and Possession of any other
Person or Persons for her do well and truly Administer according to Law; and further do
make or cause to be made a true and just Account of her said Administration at or before the
eighteenth Day of March which shall be in the Year of our Lord
one thousand seven hundred and fifty five And all the rest and residue of the said Goods,
Chattels and Credits, which shall be found remaining upon the said Administration
Account, the same being first examined and allowed of by the Judge or Judges for the Time being of
the said Court, shall deliver and pay unto such Person or Persons respectively, as the said Judge or
Judges by his or their Decree or Sentence (pursuant to the true Intent and Meaning of an Act of
Parliament made in the two and twentieth and three and twentieth Years of the Reign of his late
Majesty King Charles the Second, Entituled, An Act for the better settling Intestates Estates)
shall limit and appoint. And if it shall hereafter appear, that any last Will and Testament was
made by the said Deceased, and the Executor or Executors therein named, do exhibit the same
into the said Court, making Request to have it allowed and approved accordingly, if the said
Martha Marland Widow & Heir of Obadiah Marland of Ashton underline in the County
of Lancaster deceased Yeoman, above bounden being thereunto required, do render and deliver the said Letters
of Administration (Approbation of such Testament being first had and made in the said Court)
Then this Obligation to be void and of none Effect, or else to remain in full Force and Virtue.

Sealed and Delivered }
in the Presence of }
Marye Buckley
Stephen
Hullalove

The mark and Seal
of Martha Marland
The mark and Seal
of Obadiah Marland

Inventory of the Goods

Obadiah Marland late of Gosport in the County of
 Lancashire Deceased Taken the fifth day of March
 in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and fifty four

	One Fire Iron, grates, Tongs and Fire shovel	0 14 0
	One Book case	0 7 0
	One frying pan broad Iron Copper can and A Saw pan	0 11 3
	Six Jelly Pans a Cover Two dustors, Iron dish and Toaster	0 2 3
	Three candlesticks One Tea Kettle Smoothing Iron and Heaters	0 7 6
	One Half doz: of Black chears	0 7 6
House	One Two armed Spear Two white Chairs and White Table	0 5 0
	One White Table	0 15 0
	One Looking Glass and Window Curtains	0 7 0
	Maps and Pictures	0 3 0
	Clock and Cuck	4 11 0
	Back hood and Crow	0 0 8
	Dipping Pan Salt box and hollows	0 3 6
Parlour	One Bed and Bedding	4 11 0
	One round Cupboard	0 4 0
	One round stool	0 0 4
	Linens	1 3 0
Passage	One white Table	0 4 0
	Nine pewter plates and three pewter dishes	0 9 0
	Six trenchers Mustard box and salt box	0 1 3
Kitchen	One Backstone Backboard and Spittles	0 11 6
	One Stove five Deansions	0 4 6
	One boiler one Iron pan one Iron pot and Brass Pan	0 11 8
	One Brass lock one Bell Two Axes Six spoons and water Digger	0 3 10
	Knife Box winter Hedge Two Doz: half of bottles	0 4 3
	Two Barrels One munge One Buchot and Mop	0 5 3
Chambers	One Bed and Bedding	1 5 0
	One Writing Desk one Dress five Chairs and Cradle and Two boxes	1 16 8
	One Bed and Bedding	2 0 2
	Fourteen rakes One Furmaitt Nails and Turning Tools	0 8 0
	One Grindstone one Foot one Squabb and three pieces of wood	0 6 0
Shop	One long Table Drawers 5 Tubbs, Saws and wicket	0 16 0
	Two pair of weights and weights	0 11 6
	Two pair of scales four measures and four shovels	0 9 6
	Potts and Earthenware	0 7 0
	One pair of Looms and a ladder	1 8 6
	Books	1 0 0
	Wires and Apparils	3 0 0
	Hustment	0 5 0

George Booth

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Appraised by } W^m Walker } Sworn prizors