

Guardianship Bond for Andrew, Samuel and John Marshall
12 May 1807
St. Clairsville, Belmont County, Ohio

[Cover] Guardianship Bond
 John Patterson &
 Joseph Marshall

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Know all men by these Presents that we John Patterson **Joseph Marshall**, Alexander Boggs and Moses Morehead are held and firmly bound unto the Honorable Calvin Pease Esqr. President ____ ____ Associates Judges of the Court of Common Pleas for the time being and to their Successors in office in the penal Sum of three thousand Dollars¹ to 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 created this twelfth day of May – in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seven.

The Condition of the Above Obligation is such that, Whereas the above bounden John Patterson and **Joseph Marshall** have been appointed by the said Court Guardians to **Andrew Marshall, Samuel Marshall** and **John Marshall**, Minor Children and heirs of **John Marshall** Deceased. Now if the said John Patterson and Joseph Marshall shall and do well and faithfully discharge their trust according to the law and shall render an accurate statement of their transactions with a just account of the profits arising from the estate of the said heirs and shall deliver up the same to the court at such time or times as the said court may require, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in Law.

[signatures]

Signed Sealed and delivered
in the presence of

[signatures]
James Cloyd
Sterling Johnston

John Patterson
Joseph Marshall
Alexander Boggs
Moses Morehead

¹ Using the Consumer Price Index for 2005, that's **\$52,312.50**

