

*Administration & Bond
of William Hooper
of Semley
Administration Granted
10th May 1803*



Deceased		Bondsmen					
Surname	Given Names	Surname	Given Names	Status	Residence	Occupation	Notes
Hooper	William	Hooper	Ann	Widow, Relict & Adstrix	Semley		
		Hull	William		Semley	Labourer	Made his mark
		Dennis	John		New Sarum	Baker	
Date of Grant Administration		Other Names Mentioned					
Year	Date	Surname	Given Names	Status	Occupation		
1803	10-May	Whitworth	William	Reverend & Worshipful, M.A.	Clerk, Archdeacon of Sarum		
		Moores	Edward		Surrogate		
		Boucher	William, Jnr. II				

Know all Men by these Presents that We Ann Hooper of Semly in the County of Wilts Widow, William Hull of the same place labourer and John Dennis of the City of New Sarum in the said County of Wilts Baker are held and firmly bound unto the Reverend and Worshipful William Whitworth Clerk Master of Arts Archdeacon of the Archdeaconry of Sarum in the sum of four hundred pounds of good and lawful money of Great Britain to be paid unto the said Archdeacon or to his certain Attorney his Executors Administrators or Assigns to which payment well and truly to be made we oblige ourselves and each of us by herself and himself severally for the whole our and each of our Heirs Executors and Administrators firmly by these Presents sealed with our seals sated the tenth day of May in the forty third year of the Reign of our Sovereign Lord George the third by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland King Defender of the Faith and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and three.

The Condition of this obligation is such that if the above bounden Ann Hooper Widow Relict and Administrator of all and singular the goods chattles and credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of her the said Ann Hooper or into the hands and possession of any person for her and the same to be made to exhibit or cause to be exhibited into the registry of the Archdeacon of Sarum (if required) at or before the last day of August next ensuing and the same goods chattles and credits and all other the goods chattles 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 Ann Hooper or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for her do well truly administer according to law And further do make or cause to be made a true and just attempt of her said Administration at or before the last day of May 1804 (if required) and all the rest and residue of the said goods chattles and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said Administrators attempt 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 a late Act of Parliament made in the two and twentieth and three and twentieth years of the reign of our late Sovereign Lord King Charles the second instated an Act for the better settling of 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 names do exhibit the same into the said court making request to have it allowed and approved accordingly if the said Ann Hooper 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 or else to remain in full force and virtue.

Sealed and delivered
in the presence of
Wm. Douchet (Jr.)
At Sarum on the Day & Year aboves.
the above bound Ann Hooper the Adstrix
was duly sworn before me
Ann Hooper
The X mark of
William Hull.
John Dennis.
Edward Moore, Surrogate