

Know all men by these presents that, we John Brown & Michael  
Effinger are held and firmly bound unto the President  
and directors of the Literary fund, and their successors in office, in the just  
and full sum of <sup>three</sup> ~~two~~ thousand <sup>three</sup> ~~two~~ hundred & seventy <sup>seven</sup> ~~eight~~ dollars and ~~92~~ 92 cents  
to whose payment well and truly to be made to the said President and directors  
of the Literary fund, and their successors in office, we bind ourselves, our  
heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.  
sealed with our seals and dated this 21<sup>st</sup> day of December 1835

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas  
the above bound John Brown, was on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of October 1835 by the  
school commissioners in and for the county of Rockingham, appointed their  
Treasurer for the year ending, on the 21<sup>st</sup> day of December 1836. Now if  
the said John Brown shall faithfully apply and account for all moneys  
which may come to his hands by Virtue of his office, and shall do  
perform, and execute all and every act and thing appertaining to  
his said office, according to Law, then the above Obligation to  
be void, or else to remain in full force & Virtue.

John Brown

Michael Effinger

Clerks Office of Rockingham County

This bond being in the form prescribed, and the security thereto  
being, in my Opinion, good, and sufficient, was acknowledged, read, admitted  
to Record, and filed in this office, according to Law given under my hand  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of December 1835.

H. J. Hamblin



Mr. Brown  
to { Read as  
P. D. S. Secretary & Treasurer  
of School Commission  
for Rockingham 1836.

Records

Copied & deliv<sup>d</sup> to all. Officers  
by request of Mr. Brown  
22. Decr 1835.

W. H.