of will to ye county court for propāion & ap where upon ad ācon of the estate of the s^d Mark anted unto Sarah P widow of the executor Intended & Plats who w by the s^d court to administer a the Tenour of the ll: and whereas Administracon estate of s^d Samuell Prime exec^r nominated as afores^d was also gran to the s^d Sarah Prime is Relict together wth the s^d Abel Plats hereby they became administrators to both estates and both the administrators being since also dec^d & both the said estates being & Remaining in the hands and possession of your petitioner: & your petitioner being desireous to be discharged of the same in such a way as may be safe. Prays that yor Hon^r would grant him adm^con of the s^d estate. In order to a quietus according to Law the eldest son Samuel Prime desireing the same may be confered upon your petitioner

Samuell Platts March 31st 1695/6

administrācon of all & singular the the goodes Chattels Rights & credits of Mark Prime & Sam^ll Prime Late of Rowley dec^d granted vnto Sam^ll Platts Brother in law to Samuell Prime same time giving one thousand pounds bond with Wm Hobson & Joseph Kilborn for sureties.

March 31 1696 Judge Gedney appointed Nehemiah Jewett James Platts Wm Hobson James Baily and Moses Platts all freeholders of Rowley a committee to divide the real estate of Mark Prime and Samuell Prime amongst the widow & children of the said deceased or their legal representatives

These linnes are to signifie that I Mark Prime the son of Samuell Prime deceased and now in my mine oritye do make choise of my uncle James Platts to be my guardian and do pray the honored Judg of probatts that it may be so as wittness my hand this 12 day of Aprill 1697

Marke Prime

Apr 13 1697 James Platts gave bond of four hundred pounds with Sam'l Platts and Benj. Scott for sureties on condition that he be guardian of Mark Prime & of Ann Prime children of Sam^ll Prime & Sarah his wife both dec^d being minors of one about 13 years ye other 16 years of age.