

(Bond of John D Hyde)

State of Georgia }
 Tarrant all men by these presents that
 Fannin County } We John D Hyde principal & J W Brown
 security are held and firmly bound unto the ordinary of said county
 and his successors in office in the just and full sum of five
 hundred and seventeen dollars for the payment of sum
 to the said ordinary and his successors in office we bind
 our selves our heirs executors and administrators in the
 whole and for the whole sum jointly and severally firmly
 by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the
 second day of May 1859

The condition of the above obligation is such that
 if the above bound John D Hyde administrator of the goods
 chattels and credits of William H. Murrell deceased take
 of said county do make a true and perfect inventory of
 all and singular the goods chattels of the said deceased
 which have or shall come to the hands possession or
 knowledge of the said John D Hyde or into the hands or
 possession of any other person or persons for him
 and the same so made do exhibit unto the said court of
 ordinary when thereunto he shall be there unto requi-
 red and such goods chattels and credits do well and
 truly administer according to law and do make a
 just and true account of his acting and doings there-
 on when required by the superior court or ordinary for
 said county and all the rest of the goods chattels and credits
 which shall be remaining upon the account of said
 administration the same being first allowed by the
 ordinary shall deliver and pay over to such persons
 respectively as are intitled to the same by law; and
 if it shall hereafter appear that any tort will and
 judgment was made by the said deceased and the same
 being proved before the ordinary and the executor obtain-
 ing a certificate of probate there of and the said John
 D Hyde do in such case if required render and deliver up
 the said letters of administration then this obligation to be void else
 remain in full force

signed sealed and acknowledged in open } John D Hyde (S)
 court James Wincaid Ordinary } J W Brown (S)
 Recorded May 10th 1859 }
 Fannin Co. Wills and Estates (1854-1865)
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Georgia
Fannin County } By the Ordinary of said county

Whereas William A. Merrell of said county died intestate having had while living and leaving at the time of his death within said county goods chattels and credits which it is necessary should be well and truly administered and legally disposed of and whereas John D. Hyde has applied to me for letters of administration on the estate of said William A. Merrell and has given the notice required the statute and given sufficient bond and security for the discharge of his duties as administrator I have therefore by virtue of the power vested in me by law constituted and appointed the said John D. Hyde administrator on the goods rights and credits of the said William A. Merrell and do hereby grant him full power to administer upon the said goods rights and credits of the William A. Merrell and after reducing into his possession to pay the debts of the said intestate and balance to pay over to his legal distributees according to law Witness my hand and official seal this 2nd day of May 1859

James H. Cain & Ordinary

Recorded May 7th 1859

James H. Cain & Ordinary

{ The following is
Temporary letters of Admin To J D Hyde }

Georgia
Fannin County } By the Ordinary of said county

Whereas William A. Merrell of said county died intestate having had while living and leaving at the time of his death within said county goods chattels and credits which it is necessary should be taken care of until legal administration can be had and whereas John D. Hyde applies for and has obtained letters of administration temporarily of the goods and chattels of said decedent to hold till permanent letters can be granted having bond and security and taken the oath required I do hereby

administrator I therefore by the power vested in me
by law constituted and appointed the said John D. Hodge
administrator temporarily of the goods chattels and credits
of the said ~~James~~ William A. Hurrell deceased requiring
you to take care of and hand over to the legal admin-
istrator when thereunto required witnesses my hand
and official signature this 7th day of February 1837

James Kincaid Ordinary

Recorded May 9th 1837

James Kincaid Ordinary

Bond of Clarissa Rogers

State of Georgia } Know all men by these presents that
Fannin County } we Clarissa Rogers Galton & Willson
William McEdmon security are held and firmly bound
unto the Ordinary of said County and his successors
in office in the just and full sum two thousand
dollars for the payment of which we bind our selves
our heirs executors and administrators by these presents
sealed with our seals and dated this 2nd day of
May 1837

The condition of the above obligation is
such if the above bound Clarissa Rogers administra-
trix with the will annexed of the goods and chattels
and credits of Robert Rogers deceased do or cause to
be made a true and perfect inventory of all and sin-
gular the goods chattels and credits of said deceased
which have or shall come to the hands possession or
knowledge of the said Clarissa Rogers or into the hands
or possession of any other person ^{or persons} for her and the same
so made do exhibit to the Superior court of said County
or to the ordinary thereof at such time as she shall be
thereunto required by the said court or ordinary and the
said goods and chattels do well and truly administer according
to law and make a just and true account of her actings and
doings when by law required and further do well and truly
pay ~~the debts~~ and deliver all the legacies contained ^{in the will} ~~in the~~ will
as far as the said goods chattels and credits extend as the
law requires them this to be

Brought over from page 49

7	1	Syther & Cradle	Leonard Higdon	\$15	75
8	1	broseut saw	John Ribbey	2	50
9	1	saddle	David Gatter	7	55 1/4
10	1/4	a grindstone	J. H. Dillbeck	1	00
11	1	cow & calf	O. H. McDonald		60
12	1	"	John Green	13	60
13	1	heifer	Sam Higdon	710	50
14	1	yearlin	M. W. Gaps	4	00
15	1	"	John Ribbey	2	00
16	1	"	John Green	4	05
17	1	"	Anderson Williamson	5	00
18	1	Bull	John Ribbey	7	10
19	1	goat	Sachs George Mather	17	50 1/4
20	1	Mule	David Gatter	45	00
21	1	horse	Leonard Higdon	48	70
22	1	lot of Hags	Isaac Hillsaps	56	75
23	1	Haggan & cover	George Mather	14	00
24	1	lat sound corn	48 3/4 bush Joseph 76	42	00
25	1	" damaged "	4 x M. W. Gaps 30	37	15
26	1	lot of Irish potatoes	22 S Higdon 40	14	40
27	1	weaver	Slagh Joseph Hillsaps	8	80
				11	60
				\$5.56	97 1/2

Temporary Bond of John D. Hyde

Georgia
 Know all men by these presents that we John D. Hyde
 Fannin County and ~~Georgia~~ Garron security are held and
 firmly bound unto the Ordinary of Fannin County and
 his successors in office in the just and full sum of four
 hundred dollars for the true payment of which we bind
 our selves our heirs executors and administrators firmly by
 these presents signed sealed and dated this 7th day of Feb
 ruary 1859

The condition of the above bond is such that if the
 above named John D. Hyde Temporary administrator of the goods
 chattels and credits of William A. Merrell deceased shall collect
 and take care of the goods chattels and credits of the said deces
 ed shall make a true and perfect inventory of such goods
 chattels and credits shall deliver at such time and to such
 person as may be ~~appointed~~ ^{appointed} by said Ordinary

of said county then this bond shall be void else to remain of full force signed sealed and acknowledged in open court
 James Kincaid Ordinary }
 John D. Hyde Esq }
 G. W. Garren Esq }

Recorded Sept 8th 1859 James Kincaid Ordinary

State of Georgia } Inventory and appraisement of the estate
 Fannin County } and effects of William A. Harrell deceased

1	1 Three year old filley	\$65 50
2	2 " " "	35 00
3	1 small dog	75
4	1 Sorgan Plow	2 00
5	1 bulding stock plow & single tire & tire	2 00
6	2 Wreeding hoes	1 00
7	1 Mens saddle & 2 bridles	5 00
8	1 half bushel measure	50
9	1 Red brindle Bull	12 00
10	2 Steers three years old	20 00
11	1 Calf	2 50
12	16 Gallons of Whiskey and barrels	8 00
13	1 hogshead half full of tobacco	10 00
14	1 hogshead	1 00
15	1 small Jug	10
16	1 square Corns and hand saw	2 90
17	1 scutlet and sythe and cradle	4 00
18	1 pair of plow gears and bridle	1 50
19	1 leather collar	50
20	1 Double Barreled shot gun	12 00
21	1 Rifle gun	12 00
22	1 Spade & Shovel	2 00
23	1 Cutting Tomiife & Box	2 00
24	2 falling axes and iron wedge	2 00
25	letter	5 00
26	1 pair Shiliards	1 50
27	1 black hammer	50
Total		210 75

Personally appeared before me J. D. Chastain, Thomas Wilson G. W. Garren My J Stewart and being duly sworn said that the above inventory and appraisement of the estate of William A. Harrell deceased is true as it stands attested

Sworn to and subscribed
before me this the 10th
day of February 1859
David Withrow JP

John B. Chastain
Thomas Wilson
G W Garren
Hoy J. Stewart
James Kincaid } apprais

Record ed Sept 8th 1859

February 23 rd 1859 Proceeds of sale of William & Marrell deceased sold by John D. Hyde Temporary administrator			
1	Nancy Marrell	to Whistling	
2	"	" Tobacco	
3	"	" 2 lat "	
4	"	" hammer	
5	"	" 1 bagat & 2 Bridle	1 50
6	"	" 1 plow & Scurer	1 00
7	"	" (Hare Large Sticks)	1 75
8	"	" 1 bag head	50
9	"	" 2 plows Single trees & hors	2 25
10	"	" 1 half Bushel Measure	33
11	"	" 1 Jug	10
12	Settled by Receipt		16 95
13	Anderson Williamson	Tobacco	70
14	"	"	2 90
15	Settled by note		2 90
16	John B Chastain	Tobacco	2 50
	"	" 1 Black yearlin	2 90
	Settled by note		5 25
	W D Dantret	Tobacco	2 00
	Settled by note		2 00
	George W. Brown	To Hancock square and compass	2 50
	"	" Spade	1 40
	"	" Horse collar	40
	Settled by note		4 60
	John D Hyde	To 1 Dabel Barelled shot gun	8 00
	Settled by cash		8 00
	Francis Hatihet	To 1 Keg	75
	"	" 1 Blind Bridle	30
	Settled by cash		1 00
	John Marrell	To 1 Ergin plow	2 00
	Settled by note		2 00

Elijah Johnson To 2 filer

" " 1 saddle

" " 1 Black Steer

" " 1 White faced Steer

settled by note

Shas R. Trammell To 1 Shovel

" " 1 sarrel filley

" " 1 Bay

" " 1 Bull

settled by note

James Raps 1 Cutting Knife

settled by note

G W Garrett To 1 Reffly Gun

Recorded Sept 8th 1839 James Raps said ~~settled~~

8 25
26
4 30
10 30
10 00
24 86
1 40
37 00
70 00
14 50
122 90
1 40
1 40
13 60
206 25 1/4

State of Georgia in compliance to an order to us
Hamm County divided from the court of
court of ordinary we have pleased to lay of and
appotion the widow & 2 Children the wife of
William A. Murrell deceased late of said county
one year provision from the date of his death
as follows to wit;

Three hundred and twenty five dollars
Cash

1 Bay mare

1 Red cow

1 Brindle cow

1 Brown cow

8 Sheep

1 Calf

12 Hogs

275 lbs of Bacon

41 lbs Lard

60 Bushel corn

425 Brinds fodder

1 Red Saddle

Soap

2 1/2 Bushel Rye

1 Bushel Wheat

1 Clock

5 00
75 00
12 00
12 00
13 00
8 00
1 50
14 00
28 00
4 00
50 00
2 25
10 00
1 00
1 25
1 00

Brought over from page 153
2 bushels of oats

And also have had & kitchen furniture as we
found none over the amount that was necessary for
the support this the 10th day February 1839

John B Chastain
Thomas Wilson
L W Garren
J H Stewart

James

State of Georgia & personally came before me
James Carroll John B Chastain Thomas Wilson
L W Garren J H Stewart and being duly sworn
said that the above Inventory is just and true
sworn to this the 10th day of February 1839

David Withrow D.

Recorded Sept 8th 1859 James W. Caird ordinary

May 7th 1839 Inventor and appraisement of the estate
of Robert Rager,

1	1 Lot of Land no 153 781	600
2	1 yoke oxen	40
3	1 Cow and calf	12
4	1 Waggon	45
5	1 horse an two year old,	105
6	9 Sheep	9
7	1 set Black Smith tools	35
8	1 Rifle Gun	10
9	2 Sythe Blade	2
10	hansaw & auger	1
11	1 little wheel	2
12	3 plows & staks 3 pair Hanes 2 pair chains &c &c	5
13	1 Loom and implements	4
14	Grindstone	3
15	Crapcut saw	5
16	1 Clock 1 Beacon 1 chest 2 Yables	20
17	2 Bed stik 3 Beds & Bed clothes	40
18	Cracking & stone ware	10
19	simdries 1st ware	3
20	1 set back	5
	3 Raw hide	5

Georgia Hannin Gaunty know all men by these presents that we Nancy T. Merrell John D. Hyde are held and firmly bound unto the ordinary for said county and his heirs his successors in office in the just and full sum of one thousand dollars for the payment of which sum to the ordinary and his successors as aforesaid we bind our selves and heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally for which by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2nd day of July 1860

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said Nancy T. Merrell is this day appointed Guardian to Samuel Brownlow Merrell & Elizabeth A. Merrell orphans of William A. Merrell deceased now if the said Nancy T. Merrell do well and truly demean her self as Guardian aforesaid agreeable to the letter of Guardianship bearing even date herewith and agreeable to law in such cases made and provided the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in witness whereof Nancy T. Merrell Seal
James T. Merrell Seal
John D. Hyde Seal
James T. Merrell ordinary

State of Georgia By James T. Merrell ordinary of said county
To Nancy T. Merrell of said county Greeting
Whereas Samuel Brownlow & Elizabeth A. Merrell orphans of William A. Merrell deceased proposed in their own right of a considerable estate by means whereof the power granting the Guardianship of the said Samuel Brownlow & Elizabeth A. Merrell to me is manifestly known to belong and for the better securing the estate and more ample maintenance and education of the said orphans and from the integrity and confidence reposed in you I do hereby commit the education and guardianship of the said Samuel Brownlow & Elizabeth A. Merrell to you the said Nancy T. Merrell your assenting thereto by your acceptance of this letter herein charging you that you maintain and cause to be educated said orphans in such manner as shall be suitable to those circumstances during their minority and that you inquire in to and take charge of their estate both real and personal and all other things to do which by law you ought to do for your said wards all of which a true and perfect inventory you shall render to the Judge of this court within any year and lastly I do hereby appoint you guardian as aforesaid
Witness my hand and Seal this 2nd day of July 1860 James T. Merrell ordinary