

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Cyrena Garrett, Guardian for the minor heirs of Matthew Garrett deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Satathel Honey Guardian for Lucinda Honey minor heir of George Honey deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Silvester Adams, Guardian for Rebecca Anne Winstead formerly Rebecca Anne Adams, Josiah B. Adams, N.M. Adams and P.B. Adams minor heirs at law of Willis Norwordly deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

William L. Byrn who was duly and constitutionally elected a justice of the peace for the county of Humphreys by the qualified voters of the ninth civil district in said county appeared in open court and taken the several oaths as the law directs and taken his seat on the bench.

William McCallum who has been appointed deputy sheriff of Humphreys County by Levi McCollum sheriff of said County appeared in open court and taken the oath the law directs as deputy sheriff which ordered to be so certified.

On motion of Robert Smith and Jeremiah Perry who suggested to the court that Kinchen Perry a citizen of Humphreys County has departed this life and made no will, and pray the court to grant them letters of administration on the estate of said deceased and no objection being made. It is therefore ordered by the court that they have letters of administration and they appeared in open court together with William C. Pullen, N.B. Pullen, and James Hughey their securities thereto who entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of eight thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs, and the said Smith and Perry taken the oaths the law required and that the same be recorded.

State of Tennessee)
vs
Isaac Hedge) Bastardy. the defendant who was brought before the
(150) court on a writ issued by the clerk of said court to the sheriff of Dickson County and the same having been returned by Thomas Planory a constable of Dickson County executed by said Planory as constable aforesaid, which was objected to by said defendant, and said objection being examined by the court. The same being by said court illegal and was by them dismissed on account of said illegality.

On motion of Willis Balthrop and others made at the last term of this court praying that Mary Hunt formerly but now Mary Larkins and Robert Larkins administratrix and administrator of the will and Testament of S.T. Hunt deed be summoned to appear before the said Mary and Robert Larkins and give other and counter security and the said Mary and Robert Larkins failing to give further indemnity at the present term of this court and the parties being present and with the assent of the court and the consent of said parties. It is ordered by said court that Richard Batson be appointed to carry out and settle up the unfinished business of said estate agreeably to the laws in such case made and provided.

And the said Batson appeared in open court together with Robert Larkins, Mary Larkins J.H. Thomas, Silvester Adams, C.E. Harris, U. Harris H.H. Marable and V.S. Allen his securities thereto who entered into and

acknowledged their bond in the sum of five thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Batson taken the oath the law prescribed.

It is thereupon ordered by the court that the said Robert Larkins and Mary Larkins former Admin and Adminx of the estate aforesaid surrender to the said Batson as administrator in future of the estate of said Spencer T. Hunt deed all the money and notes and things of every description belonging to said estate of the said S.T. Hunt deed and that the same be recorded.

(151) William Miller appeared in open court and prayed by his own oath that he killed five wolves within the limits of this county under the age of four months there being present on the bench five acting Justices of the peace in and for said County, to wit, Whidbee White, U. Harris, Jas Yeats, Thomas Lane and produced the scalps thereof to the court which was adjudged to be under the age of four months and the requisition of acts of the Genl Assembly being complied with. It is ordered by the court that the same be so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that A.P. Parrish be appointed overseer of the stage road in the room of Eugene Gaffney and that all the hands who worked under Gaffney shall in future work under said Parrish, on said road which is established in the first class.

E.H. Baker Esqr this day tendered to this court his resignation as Justice of the Peace in the 3rd Civil District of Humphreys County which was received by the court.

James Yeats and others who were appointed a jury of view at a former term of this court to view an alteration in the road leading from Waverly to Willis Turners all reported unfavorably of the same.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the road called the Dover road leaving the stage road on the land of T.K. Wyly near Reynoldsburg he discontinued as far as to the fork of the same and the Clarksville road near the residence of Joseph Wilson on the land of Willie Turner and that the road from said fork to the stage road on dry creek on the land of M.S. Smith near where H.J. Maraby lives be considered as established in lieu of the road discontinued which is established in the second class and that it be kept up in future as such.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Hiram S. Marbury be appointed overseer of the road leading from Reynoldsburg to Waverly to where the line that divides the land of U. Harris and B. Batson crosses said road and that all the hands subject to work on the road with Henry Martin and all hands who live on the south side of Dry Creek below said Marbury shall in future work on said road under said Marbury which is established in the first class.

(152) On motion it is ordered by the court that Irvin L. Harris be appointed overseer of the road from Isaac Pavatts to the line of that divides the land of R. Batson and U. Harris and that all the hands within the bounds of said road shall in future work under said Harris on said road which is established in the first class.

Urbane Harris administrator of the estate of W.W. Draughon deed this day returned a supplemental inventory of the estate of aforesaid deed and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

W. White JP S. Epperson JP James Yeats JP

(163) July Term of County Court 1845. State of Tennessee.

At a County court begun and held for the county of Humphreys at the court house in the town of Saverly on the first Monday it being the 7th day of July 1845. Present and presiding the worshipful Whidbee White, Samuel Epperson, James Yeats, Thomas Lain, John Adams, Ichabod Adams, Esqrs Justices commissioners &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with the Trustees of the Rual Academy for the year ending the first day of June 1845 which was examined by the court and reg'd and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Mary and Robert Larkins administratrix and administrator with the will annexed of Spencer T. Hunt deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William H. Guthrie Guardian for Samuel W. Guthrie minor heir of law of Edmond Wildridge deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Daniel Forsee Guardian for the minor heirs at law of Benjamin Noland deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Silvester Adams Administrator of the estate of Rebecca Adams deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

Nathaniel Scholes appeared in open court and proved by his own oath that he had killed two wolves within the bounds of this county there being present on the bench five acting Justices of the peace to wit Thomas Lain Whidbee White, Samuel Epperson, James Yeats, John Edwards, and produced the scalp thereof which was adjudged by the court to be under the age of four months and the requisition of the acts of the General Assembly being complied with it is ordered by the court that the same be so certified

(184) Aaron Roberts appeared in open court there being present on the bench five acting Justices of Peace, to wit, Thomas Lain, Whidbee White, Samuel Epperson, James Yeats, and John Edwards and proved by his own oath that he had killed a wolf within the limits of this county and produced the scalp thereof to the court which was adjudged by the same to be under the age of four months and the requisition of the acts of the General Assembly being complied with. It is ordered by the same to be so certified

(181) A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Hubbert Cornell was produced in open court and the due execution thereof proved by the oath of Isaac Little and Richard Little subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded and thereupon John W. Cearnall and John H. Dyer who was appointed executors in said last will and testament appeared in open court and taken the oath as executors as the law directs and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and it is thereupon ordered by the court that the said John W. Cearnall and John H. Dyer have letters testamentary on

the estate of Hubbert Cearnall deed.

(182) On motion of John Larkin &c they have been appointed at a former term of court to view and mark a nice road in this county leaving the Centerville road near Robert Nelson and Crossing Duck River so as to intersect the Perryville road at William Fullertons on Buffalo River made their report to this court. It is therefore ordered by the court that all the hands living on blue Creek from William Atkinson to its mouth and all the hands living on Pumpkin Creek from Albert Warrens to its mouth with said Warrens hands and all the hands living on the branch known by the name of Kelseas Branch of Duck River and that Willie Miller be appointed overseer to open said road and all the hands living in said bounds work under said Miller while opening said road which is to be a road established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John T. Scott be appointed overseer to open the road as reviewed and marked by said Scott &c from the ford of Duck River at the place of said River known by Peter Crawford to where the same will intersect the Perryville road at or near where (185) William Fullerton formerly lived and that all the hands living in the following bounds work on said road to help to open the same, to wit, commencing at Odonelys ford on Duck River and running a direct course to where Alexander Martin now lives and then running to Charles P. White including all the hands living on both sides of Buffalo to its mouth which road is established in the second class.

On motion of James D. Young It is ordered by the court that the said Young be released of a state and county tax on property valued to the amount of eleven hundred dollars of which he was wrongfully charged on the commissioners return and that the collection have a credit with the Treasurer of the State with the sum of eighty five and one half cents and a credit with the Trustee of this county with the sum of one dollars and ten cents in his settlement with the same.

On motion it is ordered by the court there having been complaint to the same Sarah Jamerson is a raising up a parcel of children in an undecent way that they are likely to become a pest to civil society it is therefore ordered by the court that the clerk of this court issue a writ of copras to the sheriff of this county commanding him to take the body of all the small or minor children of the said Immerson so that he have them before the justices of this court at its next session to be held at the court house in Waverly on the first Monday in August next to be further dealt with as the law directs and summon witnesses to prove the same.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Hobbs, W.C. Pullen and Wilson B. Pullen be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Kinchen Perry deed for the term of one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Elizabeth Brown Guardian for the minor heirs of Robert Brown deed which was examined by the court and read by the same and ordered by the same to be recorded.

(186) Robert Batson Administrator of the estate of Spencer T. Hunt deed returned an inventory of the amount of said estate which has come to his hands by

the former administrators of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

The court then proceeded to appoint Judges to hold an election at the different places appointed for holding elections in said county on the first Thursday in August next for the purpose of electing a governor for the state a member to Congress and a member to the senate and house of representatives 1st district Patrick Grace Anderson Dunlap, G.B. Collier 2nd district Isaac Pavatt James M. Holmes, Mason Box 3rd district Allen Box, John Crockett, Martin A. Waggoner, 4th district John Owen, Alexander, Martin John T. Scott 5th district David Winstead, James Farmer, B.J. Adams 6th D.R. Owen, William Webster, Alexander Jones, 7th district Ezekiel Brown Nathan Tubb Robert Nelson, 8th district W.G. Deshaud Henry Crockett, William Harris, 9th district Henry Lewton, Robert Smith, N.B. Pullen 10th district David A. Massey, William Simpson, Benjamin Holland, 11th district John Lewis, W.W. Brigham, Richard L. Traylor.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Allen Duke be exonerated from paying a pole tax for the present year, which is 12 cents State tax and twenty five cents County Tax and that the electors have a credit with the treasurer of the state and the trustee of this county for the same in his settlement.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

W. White JP (Seal) Samuel Epperson JP (Seal) James Yeats JP (Seal)

(167) At a county court begun and held for the county of Humphreys and State of Tennessee at the court house in the town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 4th day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty five there being present and presiding the worshipful Whidbee White, James Yeats, Samuel Epperson, Albert Warren, W.B. Pullen J.T. Harris, Esqrs Justices commissioned &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William H. Gardner Guardian for the minor heirs of James McClure decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Alford B. Crosswell be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Isham Rogers and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Rogers shall in future work under said Crosswell on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Yeats be appointed overseer of the road in the room of George H. Alexander and that all the hands who worked under said Alexander shall in future work on said road under said Yeats wguog us established in the first class.

Robert Smith and Jeremiah Perry Administrators of Kinchen Perry decd made return of inventory and amount of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto, it was ordered by the court to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Morris Brigham be appointed overseer of the road from near William O'Guin to Chanoev Hooper and that the hands of William O'Guin Danl O'Guin James Pelt, M.H. Mo.s, Carrol Jernigan, Thomas Lains Kidley and all hands within said bounds work on said road under said Brigrance which is established in the second class.

James Yeats, County Treasurer of Humphreys County appeared in open court together with Levi McColium Saml Epperson Sol Adams and Whidbee White his securities thereto who entered into and (168) acknowledged their bond the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs for the year ending the 5th day of March 1845, for the year ending the 5th day of March 1845 for the collecting and paying over the common school fund of Humphreys County for said year which was examined and received by the court and ordered to be certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John H. Thomas who was overtaxed in valuation of property, the sum of five hundred dollars have a credit of thirty seven and half cts with State Treasurer and the amount of fifty cents with the County Trustee.

Also Thomas S. Spencer the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars, that he have a credit with said Treasurer in the sum of fifty six and a fourth cents and the sum of seventy five cents with the county Trustee, There being present on the bench Whidbee White, Saml Epperson, James Yeats, J.D. Harris Albert Warren, and N.B. Pullen Justices &c

On motion it is ordered by the court that William F. Carter be appointed overseer of the road leading from his house to Nimrod Crosswells and that the following hands work under him on said road, to wit, Wilson Rushing, Mrs. Tomlinson, Bay Lewis, G.W. Browning, J.D. Walker, A. Brown hands, H.L. Brown B.F. Brown, Stephen C. O'Guinn N.G. O'Guin, Anderson H. Brown and all the hands within the bounds of said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that James Yeats, Whidbee White and Eli White be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Lyndby Box decd for the term of one year and make report thereof to the next term of this court.

(169) On motion it is ordered by the court that James McMillon be appointed overseer of the road in room of Ezekiel Baker and that all the hands who worked on said road under said Baker shall in future work under said McMillon which is established in the second class.

On motion of Lucinda Owen it is ordered by the court that Lucinda Owen be appointed administratrix on the estate of John J. Owens decd and the said Lucinda Owens appeared in open court together with Owen Owens and James J. Harris her securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars for her faithful performance as administratrix conditioned as the law directs There upon it is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Lucinda Owen upon the Estate of John J. Owens decd.

On motion it is ordered by the court that James H. Boyles M. Jackson, and James J. House be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of John J. Owens decd for one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that James Simpson be appointed overseer of the road from Point March up Turkey Creek to the foot of the hill near Seabern Cosleys and that the following hands work on said road under said Simpson, John McCutcheon, John D. Love, Wm. Beaver, William Williams Lewis Carter, Allen C. Carter, D.D. Cooley, Samuel Slaughter, William M.

Madden, Legrand Summers, Gardner Brown, Samuel W. Bardens, John Brigham William Nance in future work on said road under said Sempson which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Latimer be appointed overseer of the road from the foot of the hill on Turkey Creek near Benborn Cooleys to the fork of the road on the ridge where the old Reynoldsburg road leaves the same about three miles from George Ridings and that the following hands work on said road under said Latimer, to wit, William M. Cooley, James Cooley Wade H. Knight, John Knight, Benjamin Carter, John O'Guin, and Richard Forest which road is established in the second class.

- (170) On motion of Levi McCollum it is ordered by the court that Levi McCollum be appointed administrator of the estate of Lindley Box dead and the said Levi McCollum appeared in open court together with V.S. Allen, Samuel Epperson, James Yeats, and Albert Warren his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penal sum of twenty five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs for his faithful performances as administrator and the said Levi McCollum appeared in open court and taken the oath as administrator agreeably to law. It is thereupon ordered to the court that letters of administration issue to the said Levi McCollum upon the estate of Lyndleys Box dead.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Patsie Carter Gardien for the minor heirs of Joel Carter dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of B.B. Spicer it is ordered by the court that B.B. Spicer be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of John Rice Sent and the said Burwell B. Spicer appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris, Urbane Harris, and John Rice Junr his securities thereto and acknowledged their bond in the penal sum of three hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs for his performance as administrator and the said Burwell B. Spicer appeared in open court and taken the oath as the law directs. It is thereupon ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said B.B. Spicer upon the estate of John Rice dead.

On motion of George Ridings Junr. It is ordered by the court that the said George Ridings be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of Joel Ridings dead and the said George Ridings appeared in open court together with Silvester Adams, Ionabod Adams and Levi McCollum his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penal sum of eight thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said George Ridings appeared in open court and taken the oath of administrator as the law directs. It is thereupon ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said George Ridings upon the estate of Joel Ridings dead.

- (171) * Only Owens Administrator of the estate of Thomas J. Martin returned an inventory and account of sale of the personal estate of said Thomas Martin dead and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Brady be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Nicholas Waggoner and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Waggoner on said road in future work

on said road under said Brady which road is established in the second class.

John T. Alford one of the acting Justices of the Peace for the 6th Civil District of this county tendered his resignation which was read by the court and ordered by the same to be certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Beverly Beachman be appointed overseer of the road from the ford of the White oak creek at Miles Summers to the ford of the creek at William O'Guins with the following hands to work under him as overseer, to wit, John E. Coholes, Willis Ruskin, Richard T. Traylor, Leroy Traylor, Allen Scholes, Joseph Scholes, Jesse Beach, A. Beachman, David Ruskin, and Stechen O'Guin hands and all the other hands in the bounds of said road to work on said road under said Beachman which road is established in the second class.

On motion of William McMillain. It is ordered by the court that Sterling H. Fowler, Thomas Glass, John L. Spencer, Daniel Jackson and Eliza D. Jackson be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road commencing at or near Sterling G. Fowler leading down at a branch known by the name of Brigs Branch to Tennessee River and make a report of the same to the next term of court.

Nelson B. Pullen, William Hibbs and Mr. C. Pullen who was appointed at the last term of this court commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Kinchen Perry dead made report of the same which was read by the court and ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that L.B. Poland be appointed overseer of the road in the room of T.H. Fleming and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Fleming in future work under said Poland which road is established in the second class.

John Larkins, William H. Fullerton and Charles P. White commissioner appointed at a former term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of J.J. Martin dead made report of the same which was read by the court and ordered to be recorded.

- (172) On motion of Whadbea White it is ordered by the court that James Thompson Alexander Guinn Junior and William H. Guthrie be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Joel Ridings dead for the term of one year and make report of the same to the next term of court.

On motion of John T. Scott It is ordered by the court that the said John T. Scott be released of paying twenty cents State Tax and twenty seven cents County tax for the year 1845 for which he was wrongfully charged on the tax lists and that the collector of the public taxes have a credit of twenty cents with the treasurer of the state and twenty seven cents with the trustee of this county on his settlement for the same.

- (173) On motion of Daniel Jackson it is ordered by the court that the said Daniel Jackson be appointed Administrator of the estate of David R. Guin dead and the said Daniel Jackson appeared in open court together with W.C. Jackson & Robert Carter his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs for his faithful performances as such and the said Daniel Jackson appeared in open court and taken the oath of adminis-

istrator as the law directs. It is there upon ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Daniel Jackson upon the estate of David R. Gwin decd.

On motion of Robert Smith it is ordered by the court that William C. Pullen be appointed guardian for Mary R. Perry and Eliza C. Perry minor heirs at law of Kinohen Perry decd and the said William C. Pullen appeared in open court together with Robert Smith Robert Hale and N.E. Pullen his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of sixteen hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined and received by the court and ordered to be recorded.

James H. Martin one of the acting Justices of the peace in and for said County this day tendered his resignation to the court which was read and ordered to be certified.

Henry L. Harmon an acting Justice of the peace in and for said County tendered his resignation to the court which was read and ordered to be certified.

- (173) On motion it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this County pay Levi McCollum three dollars and fifty five cents. It being the amount of money due him for money expended about a tract of land sold as the property of W.W. Adams for taxes for the year 1844 which was wrongfully charged on the revenue commissioners returned for said year 1844 which was wrongfully charged on the revenue commissioners returned for said year.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Robert Carter be appointed overseer of the road from Uriah Parkers on Tennessee River leading by Doctor Browns Mill up little Richland Creek to intersect the Waverly road at John E. Arnolds and that all the hands living on little Richland Creek from said John E. Arnolds down to the mouth of said creek from said John E. Arnolds down to the mouth of said creek work in said road to help to open the same which road is established in the second class.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

Samuel Epperson JP W. White JP James Yeats JP

- (174) September Term 1845. At a County Court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the courthouse in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being 1st day of September 1845, There being present and presiding the worshipfull Whidbee White James Yeats, Samuel Epperson and W.W. Moss Esqrs Justices &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Mansfield C. Barnett administrator of the estate of Caswell Matlock decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with L.B. Reece Guardian for F.J. W.A. and Amanda B. Reece minor orphan heirs of Charles Reece decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Jacob Folks who was erroneously taxed twice his poll tax have a credit of fifty cents for said poll tax wrongly charged with the County collector and that the clerk enter a credit with said collector for said amount of fifty cents.

for said poll tax wrongly charged with the county collector and that the clerk enter a credit with said collector for said amount of fifty cents.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Michael Shaver be appointed overseer of the road in the room of George L. Alexander shall in future work under said Shaver on said road which is established in the second class.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Henry Miller Guardian for Jacob & Thomas Miller idiot heirs of Jacob Miller decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

- (175) On motion it is ordered by the court that the Sheriff of this County summon the following named persons as jurors to serve at the Circuit Court at the December Term 1856 of said court, to wit, John H. Thomas Hiram B. Traylor, John Johnson, John Brown, John W. Winn, James Miller Peter Harmon, John Larkins, John H. Scott, N.C. Hooper, Elias Tubb James Yeats, Alexander Jones, Aaron J. Arnold, William Atkinson, Bryant Goodwin, John Wood, William Lemaux, Dempsey May, Allen Schales, James R. Ridings and Robert Holland and William McIlwain to serve as constables to wait on the court.

James Thompson, Alexander Gwin and William H. Guthrie commissioners appointed by the court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Joel Ridings decd made their report to this court which was ordered to be recorded.

Sterling H. Fowler and others a jury of view to lay off and mark a road from Buffalo to Tennessee River made report to this court which was received and it is ordered by said court that John L. Spencer be appointed overseer to open same and Aaron Roberts and all the hands living on the west side of Buffalo River from said Roberts to its mouth work under said Spencer to open the said road and all the hands from Roberts branch to the mouth of Duck River also which is established in the second class.

James H. Boyles and others commissioners appointed to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of John J. Owens decd made their report to this court which was ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Isaac Mitchell guardian for Mary LeLee minor heir of Duncan McLoad decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Zedac Duncan be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Lindley Box decd and all the hands who formerly worked on said road or lives in the bounds of said road in future work under said Dunlap which road is established in the second class.

- (176) On motion and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that Mrs. Sarah Immerson the wife of Downs Immerson a pauper is willing to take her husband and take care of him according to law and it further appearing to the court from a former order made by the court in the case of said Immerson that William Mercer had been employed to take care of said Immerson is not taken care of him as the law require. The court doth order the said Mercer be paid out

of the County Treasury in proportion up to this time at the rate of twenty nine dollars and fifty cents per annum and that the Trustee pay to Mrs. Sarah Immerson for the balance of the year in the same property and that the report of Mrs. Immerson be a good voucher with the Trustee for the same.

On motion of Kinchen Taylor. It is ordered by the court that said Kinchen Taylor and Jin Taylor be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of Edmond Taylor dead and the said Kinchen Taylor and John Taylor appeared in open court together with Richard Batson Samuel Epperson, Levi McCollum, William McIllewin, James Yeats and C.E. Harris their securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged the bond in the penal sum of twenty thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said John Taylor & Kinchen Taylor appeared in open court and taken the oath of Administrator as the law directs. It is thereupon ordered by the court that the said John Kinchen Taylor have letters of administration on the estate of Edmond Taylor dead.

On motion of John Taylor. It is ordered by the court that James Teas, James D. Young and Henry Linton be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Edmon Taylor dead for one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of E.H. Baker there being present on the bench five acting Justices of the peace, to wit, Whidbee White, Eli White, Joseph H. Long, James Yeats and Samuel Epperson. It is ordered by the court that E.H. Baker be appointed guardian for Mary Ann Baker and Estol J. Baker minor heirs of Edmond Taylor dead and the said E.H. Baker appeared in open court together with Sterling H. Fowler and William McIllewin his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined and received by the court and ordered to be so certified.

(177) Court then adjourned until Court in course.
S. Epperson JF W. White JF James Yeats JP

State of Tennessee. At a County Court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the courthouse in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it bein the 6th day of October 1845, here being present and presiding the worshipful Whidbee White, Samuel Epperson Harvey Nichol, Albert Warren Ishabod Adams, Wm. C. Hedge John Larkin, Wilkins Waggoner and James Miller Esqrs Justices commissioned &c.

By virtue of a commission from his excellency James C. Jones, Governor of the State of Tenn commissioning Harvey Nichols, Wilkins W. Waggoner James Miller and John Larkins Justice of the Peace in and for the county of Humphreys and the said Harvey Nichols Wilkins W. Waggoner, James Miller and John Larkins appeared in open court and taken the several oaths prescribed by law for a justice of the peace and took their seats on the bench accordingly.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with E.H. Baker Guardian for John Seats, William Seats, Thomas Seats and Sestly P. Seats, minor orphans heirs of William J. Seats dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Elisha Prewitt Administrator of the estate of John Prewitt dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

George Ridings administrator of the personal estate of Joel Ridings dead returned an inventory and account of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court to be recorded.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of William Beasley dead was produced in open court and proved by the oath of Nathaniel Tubb and A. Vaden subscribing witness thereto and William F. Beasley who was the executors to said last will and testament appeared in open court and taken the oath of executor as the law directs, and the said William F. Beasley appeared in open court together with Nathan Tubb and C.E. Harris and Levi McCollum his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bonds in the sum of seven hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs. It is therefore ordered by that the said William F. Beasley have letters testamentary upon the estate of William Beasley dead.

Kinchen Taylor one of the administrators of the estate of Edmond Taylor dead returned an inventory and account of sale of the personal property belonging to the estate of Edmond Taylor dead and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion of Stephen Allen It is ordered by the court that the said Stephen Allen have letters of administration upon the estate of Calab A. Bizzel and the said Stephen
(178) Allen appeared in open court and taken the oath of administration of said Estate as the law directs and the Stephen Allen appeared in open court together with Henry Odonley and Nathaniel Page, his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of six hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and it is thereupon ordered by the court that the said Allen have letters of administration upon the estate of Calab A. Bizzel dead.

On motion of Jacob Humble it is ordered by the court that the said Jacob Humble it is ordered by the court that the said Jacob Humble have letters of administration upon the personal estate of Edward Stringer dead and the said Jacob Humble appeared in open court together with Willie Sanders and Westly Reeves his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of six thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Jacob Humble taken the oath of administrator as the law directs. It is thereupon ordered by the court that the said Jacob Humble have letters of administration upon the estate of Edmond Stringer dead.

(179) On motion of William Fortner It is ordered by the court that the said William Fortner have letters of administration upon the estate of Jesse May dead and the said William Fortner appointed in open court together with T.H. Gleaming and Robert Carter his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said William Fortner taken the oath of administrator agreeable to law. It is ordered by the court that the said William Fortner have letters of administration upon the estate of Jesse May dead.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Michael May, Thomas Hennessee John McInnes, Patrick Toiler, Edward Matlock Matlocks negro man Ike and B.F. Holland work on the road leading from George Turners on Trace Creek to the county line under A.B. Parrish overseer of said road in addition to the hands which formerly worked on said road under said Parrish which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that James Frewitt be appointed Guardian for John and Anderson Frewitt minor heirs of John Frewitt deed and the said James Frewitt appeared in open court together with J.H. Flemming his securities thereto entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined and received by the court and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of Stephen Allen It is ordered by the court that James Teas, Henry Crockett and Henry Odonby be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the minor children of Calab A. Bizzell deed that is under the age of fifteen years old for one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of Alexander Brown it is ordered by the court that Philander Priestly who was heretofore appointed guardian for Hiram A. Summers deed Renew his bond as guardian and the said Philander Priestly by his agent John Brown appeared in open court and together with John Brown and Alexander Brown his securities thereto entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of twelve hundred conditioned as the law directs which was examined and received by the court and ordered to be so certified.

(186) On motion of William Fortner it is ordered by the court that James Taylor Joseph H. Long, and William Flemming be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Jesse Mays deed for one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Spain be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Anthony Epperson and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Epperson in future work under said Spain on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Daniel Prook be appointed overseer of the road in the room of James Miller resigned and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Miller in future work under said Prook on said road which is established in the second class.

(187) On motion of Balitha Owen It is ordered by the court that the said Balitha Owen be appointed guardian for Lucinda Jane and Martha C. Frewitt minor heirs at law of John Frewitt deed and the said Balitha Owen & Zoda Owen his securities thereto entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of seventy dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined and approved by the court and ordered to be so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this County pay Harvey Nichols one dollar and fifty cents for repairing the County seal of this County out of any County moneys in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

The court then proceeded to bind Coleman H. Duncan a minor orphan child

of Sarah Duncan deed unto Andrew McCastland until the said Duncan arrives at the age of twenty one years and the said Andrew McCastland appeared in open court together with William McCastland, Ichabod Adams and William A. White his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars
(181) conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and received and filed.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John Wood be allowed a sum equal to fifty dollars per year or at that rate for keeping Lotty Bryant a pauper of this county until the first Monday of Jenny next to be taken out of any publick money in the hands of the trustee of this county not otherwise appropriated.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Exum be appointed overseer of the publick road from the Petre Cave on Duck River to Robert Brooks and that John T. Scott hands and all the hands below the Ferryville road in the fork of Duck and Buffalo River work under said Exum on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Brady the court that William Brady be appointed overseer of the road in the room of George L. Alexander and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Alexander in future work under said Brady on said road which is established in the second class.

Court then adjourned until court incourse.

W. White JP S. Epperson JP H. Nichols JP

(182) State of Tennessee. At a County court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the courthouse in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 3rd day of November 1845. There being present and presiding the worshipfull Whidbee White, Samuel Epperson, James Yeats, Harvey Nichols, Thomas Linn and Matthew W. Waggoner, Esqrs Justices commissioned &c.

Coleman E. Harris clerk of this court presented to the chairman of the court the comptrollers receipt for the statement of revenue by him collected as clerk of Humphreys county court for the year ending the first day of September 1845 which was due the state and the Treasurers receipt for the payment of the same and also the Trustees receipt for all the revenue by him collected and due the county for the revenue by him collected for the year ending the first day of September 1845 which was examined by the court and ordered to be filed with the papers of the said court and recorded in the revenue docket of said county.

Robert Batson clerk of the Circuit court of this county present to the chairman of the court the comptrollers receipt the statement of the Revenue collected by him as clerk of said court and due the State for the year ending the first September 1845 and also the Treasurers receipt for the payment of the same which was examined by the court and ordered by the same to be filed with the papers of said court in clerks office and recorded in the Revenue docket of said county.

Hiram B. Traylor and Albert Warren Revenue commissioners appointed to settle with the county officers of this county for the present year presented to this court to settlement made by them with Coleman E. Harris of said Court for the Revenue by him collected and due this county for

the year ending

the first day of September 1845 which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded in the Revenue docket of said county and filed with the other papers of said court.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William B. Hughey Guardian for the minor heirs of Edward Hughey deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

(185) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Salathiel Honey Guardian for the heirs of Peter Burgess deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

B.B. Spicer administrator of the estate of John Rice deed this day made return of an inventory and account of sale of the personal estate of said deed and oath having been made thereto it is as ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

Levi McCollum administrators of the personal estate of Lindly Box deed this day made return of an inventory and account of sale of the personal estate of said Box and oath having made report of the same which was ordered by the court to be recorded.

James D. Young, N.K. Young, and Robert Hale commissioners appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of John Rice deed made their report which was ordered to be recorded.

(186) Eli White, Whidbee White and James Yeats commissioners appointed at a former term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Lindley Box deed made their report which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded.

James Tess, Henry Odonley and Henry Crockett commissioners appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the minor heirs of Calab A. Bizel deed under the age of fifteen years for one year made their report which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of Jacob Poland it is ordered by the court that William G. Deshars and John Taylor, William Fleming, L.W. Bryant, F.C. Bryant, George Noland, Jerry Brown and Samuel Epperson be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the public road on the lands of said Poland and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

William F. Beazley, executor of the last will and testament of William Beazley deed made return of an inventory of the personal estate of said deed and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

Henry Crockett executor of the last will and testament of John Crockett executor of the last will and testament of John Crockett deed made a supplemental inventory of the estate of said deed and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court to be recorded.

(187) John Taylor, William Fleming and D.A. Massey commissioners appointed at a former term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Jesse May deed made their report

which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded.

This day appeared in open court Whidbee White and presented a paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Isaac McCastland deed which was proven by the testimony of B.B. Spicer and Laban Hendricks subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded and Whidbee White the executor named therein refusing to gratify sub B.B. Spicer and V.S. Allen were thereupon appointed by the court as administrator with the will annexed on said estate and thereupon the said B.B. Spicer and V.S. Allen together with Wm. Casland, A.A. Hooper Andrews, McCasland and J.H. Holland appeared in open court and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of ten thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said B.B. Spicer and V.S. Allen having taken the oath prescribed by law, it is ordered by the court that letters of administration with the will annexed issue do.

(188) On motion of John Marchbanks it is ordered by the court that the said Marchbanks have letters of administration on the estate of Allen Marchbanks deed and the said John Marchbanks appeared in open court together with William Mollwein and Henry L. Harmon his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said John Marchbanks taken the oath as administrator as the law directs. It is therefore ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said John Marchbanks upon the estate of Allen Marchbanks deed.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William H. Gardner, Wilkins W. Waggoner and George E. Clark be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of the provisions of land as will be sufficient to support the widow and family of Allen Marchbanks deed for the term of one year and that they report therefore ending to the next term of this court.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of James Ansbury deed was produced in open court and proven by the oath of John L. McMillon and James Breeden subscribing witnesses thereto whereupon it is ordered by the court that the same remain on file for further proceedings to be had thereon at the next term of this court.

John W. Cearnall and John K. Dyer executors of the last will and testament of Hubbard Cearnall deed made return of the inventory and amount of sale of the personal estate of said deed which was concurred in by the court and ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Michael Shaver be allowed the sum of four dollars to be taken from any moneys in the hands of the trustee of this county not otherwise appropriated for supporting Wm. Smith a pauper of this county until the next term of this court.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement with Nancy Dunlap Guardian for David J. Dunlap minor heir of Saul Dunlap deed which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded.

(189) Beltha Owen Guardian for Lucinda J. Frewitt and Mary C. Frewitt minor heirs of John Frewitt deed made report of the effects that had come to his hands as guardian which was ordered by the court to be recorded.

(190) On motion of Nancy Fertner. It is ordered by the court that the said

Nancy Fortner have letters of administration on the estate of Levi Fortner dead and the said Nancy Fortner appeared in open court together with William Fortner John W. Cearnall, and John H. Thomas his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penal sum of six hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Nancy Fortner taken the oath of Administratrix as the law directs. It is thereupon ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Nancy Fortner upon the estate of Levi Fortner dead.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John W. Cearnall James Yeats & H.B. Traylor be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Levi Fortner dead one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of E.H. McNeel and the court being satisfied of the same. It is ordered by the court that the said E.H. McNeel have letters of administration upon the estate of John B. Dillingham dead and the said E.H. McNeel appeared in open court together with V.S. Allen and B.R. Spicer his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said E.H. McNeel taken the oath as administrator of said estate. It is therefore ordered by the court that the said E.H. McNeel have letters of administration on the estate of John B. Dillingham dead.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John T. Scott, Sterling H. Fowler, and William B. Eum be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of John B. Dillingham dead one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Simpson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Stephen Forsee and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Forsee in future work under said Simpson on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that B.F. Holland be exempt from working on the stage road under A.P. Parish overseer and in future work on said road leading up big Hurricane under Stephen B. Johnson overseer of said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Isaac W. Drake and E.C. Harris hands work on the road under Brison Smith overseer of the road from Mitchell Ferry on Duck River to where the same intersects the stage road near Isaac W. Drake's which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Neel Burns be appointed overseer of the road leading from Sterling H. Fowlers to Tennessee River and that the following hands work under said Burns, to wit, Wood Reams, Daniel Jackson, John Jackson, Brish Jackson, Elijah Jackson, W. Lark R. Clark and Joseph Clark, S.H. Fowler, Jefferson Dotson and William Mollwain work on said road which is established in class.

Court then adjourned until court in course.
W. White, JP S. Epperson JP James Yeats JP

At a county court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the court house in Waverly on the first Monday it being the 1st day of Dec. 1845. There being present and presiding the worshipful Whidbee White, Eli White, William L. Byrn, Samuel Epperson, James Yeats, Albert Warren W.W. Wagoner, W.C. Hedge, Larkin and Henry Nichols justices of the peace commissioners &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with V.S. Allen Guardian for Mary Albright, minor heir of Joseph Albright dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the following Justices of the Peace be appointed Revenue commissioners to take a list of the Taxable property and poles in each civil districts in this county for the year 1846 which is as follows, to wit, 1st district John W. Hall 2nd dis. Urbane Harris, 3rd dis. W.W. Wagoner, 4th Dis. John Larkins 5th Dis. John Edwards 6th Dis. Whidbee White, 7th Dis. Albert Warren, 8th Dis Joseph H. Long, 9th Dis. William L. Byrns, 10th Dis. J.B. Wilson, 11th Dis Thomas Linn and that the clerk of this court give each Justice herein named a certificate of appointment.

William G. Deshazam Samuel Epperson and others commissioners appoint it the last term of this court a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the public road on the lands of Jacob Poland made a favourable report of the same. It is therefore ordered by the court that the said Poland have leave to stop up the old road and the road as viewed and marked by said commissioners in future be a public highway in this county.

Stephen Allen administrator of the estate of Calab A. Bizzel dead this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court to be recorded.

James L. Singleton guardian for Dana Martha Singleton made report of his guardianship and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

Charles Winstead executor of the last will and testament of Alexander Coleman dead this day returned an inventory of the personal estate of said dead and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court to be recorded.

James Yeats, H.B. Traylor & John W. Cearnall commissioners appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Levi Fortner dead made their report which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

William Fortner administrator of the personal estate of Jesse May dead made a return of an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto.

It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

George Ridings administrator of the estate of Joel Ridings dead made a supplemental inventory and return of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

William H. Gardner &c commissioner appointed at the last term of this

court and lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Allen Marchbanks dead for one year made their report of the same which was ordered by the same to be recorded.

Sterling B. Fowler W.R. Exum, and William H. Gardner commissioners appointed to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of John B. Dillingham dead for one year made their report which was examined by the court and ordered by the same to be recorded.

(190) On motion of William Rogers and the court being satisfied of his rite of administration it is ordered by the court that the said William Rogers have letters of administration on the estate of Pleasant Rogers dead and the said William Rogers appeared in open court together with Burwell B. Spicer, Samuel Rogers his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said William Rogers taken the oath as administrator as the law directs. It is thereupon ordered by the court that the said William Rogers have letters of administration upon the Estate of Pleasant Rogers dead.

James Teas and M.M. Massey administrators of the estate of Isaac H. Massey dead made return of a supplemental inventory of said Estate and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

Robert Smith one of the administrators of the estate of Kinchen Perry dead made return of a supplemental inventory of said estate and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

The clerk of this court made a report of a settlement made with Malinda Seatz executrix of the last will and testament of William Seated dead which was examined by the court and ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay to Samuel Eppinan twelve dollars for his services as one of the Quorum court for the present year also Whidbee White twelve dollars for his services for the same and James Yeats ten dollars Harvey Nichols one dollar and John Edwards one dollar out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

(191) Tuesday Morning December 2nd 1846. Court met according to adjournment present and presiding the worshipful Whidbee White, Samuel Eppison, James Yeats and H.B. Traylor Esqrs Justices &c.

On motion it is ordered by the court that W.B. Pullen, Wm. Y. McNeely and Robert Hale be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Pleasant Rogers dead for one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of George Ridings it is ordered by the court that Whidbee White be appointed guardian for Rebecca Ridings minor heir of Joel Ridings dead and the said Whidbee White appeared in open court together with H.B. Traylor, Samuel Eppison, and James Teas his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

W.W. White JP (Seal) S. Epperson JP (Seal) James Yeats JP (Seal)

(192) At a County court begun and held for the county of Humphreys at the courthouse in the town of Waverly on the first Monday in January 1846 It being the 24th day of said month there being present and presiding the worshipful Whidbee White, A. Warren, W.C. Hedge, W.W. Waggoner, Thos. Linn Harvey Nichols, J. Adams, J. H. Long, James Yeats, C. Whitey N.B. Pullen, U. Harris, Saml Eppison, J.W. Wilson, J.W. Hall, H.B. Traylor Esqrs Justices commissioned &c.

(041) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James Teas and M.M. Massey administrators of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of Isaac H. Massey dead which report was examined by the court and reserved and ordered by the same to be recorded.

Coleman E. Harris, Clerk of this court exhibited and account for services rendered by him as clerk said due and owing from said County for the year 1845 to the amount of forty nine dollars and 25cts. which was examined by the court and received. It is therefore ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay C.E. Harris clerk of said Court the sum of forty nine dollars and 25cts for his services out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of John Lucas dead was produced in open court and the due execution thereof being proved by the oaths of Jacob Folks and V.S. Allen subscribing witnesses thereto and Nimrod F. Lucas who was appointed executor of said will appeared in open court and taken the oath as the law directs and the said Nimrod F. Lucas appeared in open court together with Isaac Lucas and Urbene Harris his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs. It is therefore ordered by the court that the said Nimrod F. Lucas have letters testamentary on the estate of John Lucas dead.

The court then went into an election for a Tax collector for the present year and W.H. Gardner being the only candidate was declared to be duly and constitutionally collector of the state and county taxes for the present year.

(ref) (192) A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Jane McMurby dead was presented in open court and the due execution thereof proven by the oath of Hiram B. Traylor one of the subscribing witnesses thereto and Rue Rushing the executor appointed in said will appeared in open court and taken oath the law directs and the said Rue Rushing appeared in open court and entered into and acknowledged his bond in the sum of two hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and it is therefore ordered by the court that letters testamentary issue to the said Rue Rushing one the estate of James McMurley Dead.

John Marchbanks administrator of the estate of Allen Marchbanks dead made return of an inventory and account of sale of said Estate having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that H. Lard be appointed

overseer of the road in the room of Carroll Hunter and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Hunter in future work under said Gatlin which is established in the second class.

(183) The court then proceeded to elect chairman for the present year and Whidbee White having read the highest number of votes. It was therefore declared that he was duly and constitutionally elected chairman for the present year.

The court then proceeded to elect three Justices of the peace to serve as quorums for the present year and William C. Hedge, James Yeats, and Harvey Nichols read the highest number of votes. It was therefore considered by the court that the said Hedge, Yeats and Nichol was duly and constitutionally elected a quorum to hold the court for the present year.

The court then proceeded to elect Revenue commissioners to make settlement with the county officers for the present year and H.B. Traylor and Albert Warren was duly and constitutionally elected commissioners for the present year.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Y. McNeely be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of John Cannon dead and the said William Y. McNeely appeared in open court and taken the oath as prescribed by law and the said W.Y. McNeely appeared in open court with William C. Pullen and Nelson B. Pullen his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of twenty four hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs. It is therefore ordered by the court that letters of administration

(184) issue to the said W.Y. McNeely on the estate of John Cannon dead.

On motion of Malinda Seats it is ordered by the court that John Larkin be appointed guardian for John Seats, William J. Seats, Thos. R. Seats, Westly P. Seats minor heirs of William J. Seats dead and the said John Larkin appeared in open court together with Malinda Seats and William Atkinson his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs.

Nancy Fortner administratrix of the estate of Levi Fortner dead returned an inventory on account of sale of the estate of said Levi Fortner dead and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

(185) On motion of Salathiel Honey it is ordered by the court that Salathiel Honey be appointed Guardian for William B. Bougis minor heirs of Peter Boardis dead and the said Salathiel Honey appeared in open court together with Silvester Adams and Levi McCollum his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Dempsey Lewton be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Phillip Lewton and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Phillip Lewton in future work under said Dempsey Lewton on said road, which road is established in the second class.

(186) The court then proceeded to lay a tax for general County purposes. There being on the bench a majority of all the acting Justices of the peace in

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and for said county and all voting in the affirmative, to wit, Whidbee White, Wilkins W. Wagoner, Thomas Lain, H. Nichols, Albert Warren, Ichabod Adams, James Yeats, Wilkins Wagoner, Nelson B. Pullen, William S. Byrom, John Edwards, Samuel Epperson, Thomas Lain, and Urbane Harris, whereas it was ordered that the tax in each poll be twenty five cents on each stallion or Jack kept for mares of Jennetts half the season price of one mare on each hundred dollars with of property ten cents.

On motion it is ordered by the court that W.Y. McNeely, W.B. Pullen and William C. Pullen be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Edward Stringer dead for one year and make report of the same to the next term of court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that N.B. Pullen, William C. Pullen and Robert Hail be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of John Cannon for one year dead and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

The court then proceeded to let Nathan Shuffie a poor person of this county to the lowest bidder for the term of 12 months and Solomon McCloud bidding the sum of forty nine dollars eighty seven and onehalf cents that being the lowest bid. It is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this County pay the said Solomon McCloud the sum of forty nine dollars and eighty seven and one half cents out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated at the expiration of said time.

On motion there being present on the bench twelve acting Justices of the peace and all voting in the affirmative that the Trustee of this county pay John Wood fifty dollars for keeping Lotty Bryant a poor person of this County for the term of twelve months from this date out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated at the expiration of said term.

(186) The court then proceeded to a point a jury to serve as jurors at the April term of the circuit court which is as follows, to wit, first District E.M. Warren, William Henderson and Robert Browning 2nd District Urbane Harris, Isaac Lucas 3rd D. Berry S. Bain and William Pace 4th district, Charles P. White, John Owens and Thos. J. Fowler, 5th Robert Poyner, Samuel Wildridge, 6th District Henry Lamesworth and Whidbee White 7th D. John Lain and B.A. Moody 8th District W.Y. McNeely and W.L. Byrn 10th District David Bibb and John B. Wilson 11th District Isom Rogers and Wm. O'Quin Laban Hendrix and Robert Hale constables to wait on the jury & court.

On motion of M.M. Massey it is ordered by the court that the said W.M. Massey be appointed guardian for Jacenthe Massey minor heir of Isaac H. Massey, dead and the said Madison M. Massey appeared in open court together with James Teas, B.B. Spicer & Levi McCollum his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs.

It is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay Mary Lee five dollars for the burial expence and the trouble she was at in keeping old Mrs. Walth a poor person of this county who died at her house sometime in December last out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

On motion it is ordered by the court there being present on the bench twelve acting Justices of the peace and all voting in the affirmative that the Trustee of this county pay Levi McColium sheriff the sum of thirty eight dollars and twenty five cents for which he stands charged in the books belonging to the estate of W.W. Draughon dead for boarding James Etheridge and guards estate prisoners and out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

Court then adjourned until court incourse.

H. Nichols JP W.C. Hedge JP James Yeats JP

(197) State of Tennessee. At a County Court begun and held for the county of Humphreys at the courthouse in the town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the second day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty six present and presiding the worshipful Whidbee White James Yeats, Harvey Nichols & W.C. Hedge Albert Warren Esqrs, Justices commissioned and do

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Nancy Rogers Executrix of the estate of Jesse Rogers dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James Prewett guardian for Louisa, John Lewis, Anderson and Benjamin G. Prewitt minor heirs of John Prewitt dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John Falkner guardian for Louisa and Isabella Murry minor heirs of John Brigham dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Daniel F. McElyea Guardian for the minor heirs of Robert McElyea dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Joshua Y. Knight guardian for James F. Margaret J. Rufus S. & Cordelia F. Knight minor heirs of Edward Wildridge dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

John Falkner administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Franklin dead returned a supplemental inventory of said estate and oath having been made thereto before the clerk of this court it is ordered by the same to be recorded.

(198) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John Edwards Executor of the estate of John J. Humphreys dead which was examined by the court and ordered by said court to be recorded.

State of Tennessee, Humphreys County. We Coleman E. Harris H.B. Traylor W. White N.F. Lucas, and Isaac Lucas all of the county and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Aaron V. Brown governor of said State for the time being and his successors in office in the penal sum of one thousand dollars for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of our heirs jointly and severally firmly sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of February 1846

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Coleman E. Harris clerk of the county court aforesaid shall well and truly collect and pay over to the treasurer of the State all such sums of money as he is bound by law to collect an account of an act of the General Assembly passed on the 23rd day of January 1846 authorizing the licensing of tipping houses and pay the same over to said Treasurer on or before the first day of November in each and every year during his continuance in office and also do and perform all things required of him as clerk in said acts then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

C.E. Harris(Seal) H.B. Traylor(Seal) W. White(Seal) N.F. Lucas(Seal) Isaac Lucas(Seal)

State of Tennessee, Humphreys County. Know all men that we Coleman E. Harris, H.B. Traylor W.W. Whitem and W.F. Lucas all of the County of Humphreys and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto James Yeats Trustee of said County for the time being and his successors in office in the penal sum of one thousand dollars for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2nd day of February 1846.

(199) The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Coleman E. Harris clerk of said County court of said County duly elected as now if the above bound Coleman E. Harris shall well and truly collect and pay over to the Trustee of this county all such sums of money by him collected by and under an act of the General Assembly passed on the 23rd day of January 1846 authorizing the licensing of tipping houses on or before the first day of November in each year during his continuance in office and do all things as required by him in said act then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

C.E. Harris(Seal) H.B. Traylor(Seal) W. White(Seal) N.F. Lucas(Seal)

Nimrod F. Lucas executor of the estate of John Lucas dead returned an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by said court that the same be recorded.

Susan Ownsby widow and relict of James Ownsby dead filed her petition direct from the last will and testament of her said husband and praying that dower in the realty and her portion of the personality of the estate of said James be assigned her in conformity with the acts of the legislature of this State 1784 Chapter 22 which petition having the signature thereof proven by the oath of William Thorn and W.C. Doughter subscribing witnesses to the same, which is ordered by the court to be recorded and placed on file in this office.

(200) On motion of Floyd Roberts it is ordered by the court that the said Floyd Roberts have letters of administration on the estate Rebecca Ridings dead and the said Floyd Roberts appeared in open court together with Reuben McCloud and Lemuel Whannan his securities whereto and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Floyd Roberts appeared in open court and taken the oath as administrator agreeable to law. It is therefore ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Floyd Roberts on the estate of Rebecca Ridings dead.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Charles Plant be appointed

overseer of the road in the room of William H. Mercer and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Mercer in future work under said Plant on said road which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that George E. Clark be appointed overseer of the road in the room of William H. Gardner and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Gardner shall in future work under said Clark on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Henry Seamore be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Carroll Hunter and that all the hands who formerly worked on the road under said Hunter shall in future work under said Seamore on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion of James Crockett it is ordered by the court that James Crockett James B. Mercer David A. Massey Jonathan May, Priestly Craft C.W. Brown be appointed a jury of view and work on a road from D.A. Masseys on the head of Big Hurricane to where it will intersect the stage road near where Hopman was killed and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

(201) W.Y. McNeely and other commissioners appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Edward Stringer dead one year made their report which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded.

W.C. Pullen and other commissioners appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Pleasant Rogers dead for one year made their report which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded.

M.B. Pullin and other commissioners appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of John Cannon dead one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court made their report which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of James Teas it is ordered by the court that James Teas be appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of Mumford Ford dead and the said James Teas appeared in open court together with John Ford and Whidbee White his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bonds in the sum of seven hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said James Teas appeared in open court and taken the oath of administrator agreeable to law. It was therefore ordered by the court that James Teas have letters of administration on the estate of Mumford Ford dead.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Samuel McClure Robertson Brown J.W. Poland, George McCrory, John W. Hart be appointed a jury of view to view and mark another alteration in the road on the lands of Rebecca Davis and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

(202) William Rogers administrator of the estate of Pleasant Rogers dead returned in open court an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion of James Teas it is ordered by the court that Samuel Apperson

William Rogers and William Black be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Mumford Ford dead one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

The court then proceeded to bind an orphan boy by the name of Zedac Hall to M.M. Massey until the said boy arrives at the age of twenty one years and the said M.M. Massey appeared in open court together with James Yeats and H.B. Traylor his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs.

On motion of Coleman E. Harris it is ordered by the court that H.B. Traylor an acting Justice of the peace in one for said County be appointed a commissioner to make settlement with said C.E. Harris Guardian for M.B. Ely minor orphan heir of Thomas Ely dead and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

The court then proceeded to appoint Judges to hold the election to be held to elect County officers on the first Saturday in March next which is as follows, to wit, 1st District, Patrick Grice, James M. Parker, John W. Hall 2nd District W.W. Moss, Mason Box William Poyner Z.D. Williams W.W. Waggoner and W.H. Gardner 4th J.J. Fowler, Alexander Martin Jesse Rogers 5th District John Edwards Samuel Waldrige and J.Y. Knight 6th District John W. Earnall, A.L. Atkins, Robert McCrory, Albert Warren, Robert Nelson Lucas Dickerson 8th District James Teas W.G. Dischaze Jacob Toland 9th J.D. Young, Robert Smith, William Price, 10th D.A. Massey, P.W. Burgess Robert E. ting 11th Thomas Lain Alexander Brown and William O'Guin.

(203) Burwell B. Spicer one of the administrators of the estate of Esau McCastland dead with the will annexed made return of an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

H. Nichols JP W.C. Hedge JP James Yeats JP

State of Tennessee. At a County court begun and held for the county of Humphreys at the court house in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 2nd day of March 1846 present and presiding the worshipfull Whidbee White, Harvey Nichols, W.C. Hedge W.W. Moss, John Edwards, James Yeats, Thomas Lain, Ichabod Adams and J.B. Wilson Esqrs justices commissioners &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Cyrena Garrett guardian for the minor heir of Matthew Garrett dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John Brown guardian for Frances L. Draper minor heir of D.L. Draper dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered the same to be recorded

(205) H.B. Traylor Esqr who was appointed at the last term of this court to make settlement with Coleman E. Harris clerk of this court and guardian for M.E. Ely minor heir of Thomas Ely dead made report of the same which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John Brown administrator with the will annexed of John G. Warren dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered by said court to be recorded.

(204) On motion of James Teas it is ordered by the court that William Flemming John Taylor, Richard Bryant, T.H. Flemming, John Taylor, Richard Bryant T.H. Flemming, George Nolan, Philip D.B. Bryant and Lewis W. Bryant be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of Jacob Foland and James C. Teas and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of Samuel Epperson. It is ordered by the court that John Goodwin be paying twenty five cents a county tax for work he was was wrongfully charged on the Revenue Commissioners return for the year 1845 and that the collector of this county have a credit in his settlement with the Trustee of this County for the same.

James Teas Administrator of the estate of Mumford dead returned an inventory an account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court to be recorded.

Joseph H. Long W.W. Waggoner, J.B. Wilson, Thomas Lain and John W. Hall Esqrs and commissioners appointed at the December Term 1845 to take a list of the taxable property and poles in the 1st 3rd 8th and 10th and 11th Civil Districts in said County for the year 1846 made return of these lists and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court to be recorded

(205) On motion it is ordered by the court that C.S. Batson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Ervin L. Harris and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road that formerly worked under said Harris shall in future work under said Batson on said road which is established in the first class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay (205) Joseph H. Long, W.W. Waggoner, J.B. Wilson, Thomas Lain and John W. Hall Esqrs and Revenue Commissioners appointed by the court to take a list of the taxable property in their respective districts for the year 1846 and they having complied with the order of commission. It is therefore ordered by the said court that the Trustee of this County pay each commissioner five dollars each for their services out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

On motion it is ordered by the court that George Ridings, James Thompson William Mitchell, John Lewis and William H. Guthrie be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road to leave the old road at John Lewis the nearest and best way to where the same will intersect the road where the old mill used to stand on Wells Creek at or near the county live of Stewart County and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Richard D. Turner be appointed overseer of the road in the room of A.E.B. Hooper and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Harper shall or future work under said Turner on said road which is established in the second class.

Samuel McClure Robertson Brown J.W. Foland, G.R. McGrory and Dewey Warmack who was appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the land of Rebecca Dorris made a favourable report of the same which was read. It is therefore ordered by the court that the old road be discontinued and that the road as viewed and marked be a public highway of said county and what all the hands who formerly worked on the old way work on the road as it now stands.

(206) On motion it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this County pay Sarah Immerson at the rate of twenty eight dollars and fifty cents per year until the next term of this court commencing on the first day of February last for keeping down Immerson a poor person of this county of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated and until the year expires if necessary.

On motion of Ichabod Adams. It is ordered by the court that Alexander Gwin Senr Elias Tubb James Thompson, Samuel Wildredge and James Poyner be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road to leave the old road at the upper end of Samuel Wildredge house and go by the Camp Meeting grounds and to intersect the Clarksville road at Alexander Gwin and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of Ichabod Adams. It is ordered by the court that Alexander Gwin, Elias Tubb, James Thompson, Samuel Wildredge and James Poyner be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road leading from White Oak Creek at Joel Simpsons farm to lead up the branch known by the name of Everetts Branch and across the Tennessee Ridge to intersect the Wells Creek road at or near James Patterson on said creek and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

James Crocket and others who were appointed at the last term of this court a jury of view to view and mark a road from David A. Masseys on the head of Big Hurricane Creek to intersect the stage road near where Hopman was killed made a report of the same which was objected to by John Burgess and the same was not received by the court.

Levi McCollum administration of the estate of Lyndly Box dead made a supplemental inventory and return of the same of the property and rent of the farm for the year 1846 and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Mary & Thomas H. Latimer administrator & administratrix of the estate of Lynde Latimer dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

H. Nichols JP W. White JP W.C. Hidge JP

(207) State of Tennessee. At a county court begun and held for the county of Humphreys at the courthouse in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 6th day of April 1846 present and presiding the worshipful James Yeats, Whicaba White, Harvey Nichols, H.B. Traylor Albert Warren, William L. Byrns and William W. Moss, W.C. Hedge, John Larkins, Urbane Harrás, Samuel Epperson, J.B. Wilson, John Edwards, Thomas Lain, and William O'Guire, Esqrs Justices commissioned &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James

Meredith of the Estate of Kisiah Daniel decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Thomas B. Kirkland guardian for Friscoila Roberts heir of Wm. Roberts decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

William H. Gardner who was duly and legally elected collector of the State and County Revenue for the present year for the County of Humphreys by the County Court of said County at the January Term 1846 of said court appeared in open court together with E. Brown J.D. Young, J.W. Knight and James Karkins his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars chairman of the County Court conditioned as the law directs and the said William H. Gardner taken the several oaths of office as the law directs which bond is as follows, to wit,

Know all men by these presents that we William H. Gardner, Silvester Adams, Jas. Crockett, Albert Warren all of the County of Humphreys and State of Tennessee and held and firmly bound unto Aaron W. Brown Governor of said State for the time being and his successors in office in the sum of two thousand dollars for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of our heirs executors and administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 6th day of April 1846.

The condition of the above legation in such that whereas the above bound William H. Gardner was duly and legally, elected collector of the public taxes for the County aforesaid for the present year by the County Court of said County at the January Term 1846 of said Court, now if the said William H. Gardner shall well and truly collect and pay to the Treasurer of the said State all the State taxes by him collected or which ought to have been collected by the first day of December next

(208) then the obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue William H. Gardner(Seal) E. Brown(Seal) W.J. Knight(Seal) J.D. Young(Seal) James Larkin(Seal)

Know all men by these present that we William H. Gardner, Silvester Adams, James Crockett and Albert Warren all of the County of Humphreys and State of Tennessee and held and firmly bound until Whidbee White Chairman of the County Court of said County and his successors in office in the sum of two thousand dollars for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 6th day of April A.D. 1846.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William H. Gardner was duly and legally elected collector of the public taxes for the County aforesaid for the present year by the County Court of said County at the January Term 1846 of said court. Now if the said William H. Gardner shall well and truly collect and pay to the County Trustee of said county all the county taxes by him collected or which ought to have been collected by the first day of December in said year then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

William H. Gardner(Seal) Silvester Adams(Seal) Jas Crockett(Seal) Albert Warren(Seal)

James Yeats who was duly and legally elected Trustee for the county of Humphreys voters in said County on the first Saturday in March 1846 for the next two years appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris, W. White, R. Batson, H.B. Traylor and Albert Warren his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand col-

lars conditioned as the law directs.

Which bond is in words and begun as follows, to wit, Know all men by these presents that we James Yeats, C.E. Harris, R. Batson, H.B. Traylor and Albert Warren his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs.

Which bond is in words and begun as follows, to wit,

Know all men by these present that we James Yeats, C.E. Harris, R. Batson, H.B. Traylor and Albert Warren all of the County of Humphreys and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto Whidbee White Chairman of the County Court and his successors in office in the sum of four thousand dollars for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of our heirs jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 6th day of April A.D. 1846.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Yeats was duly and legally elected Trustee of County on the first Saturday in March 1846 for the next two years now if the above bound James Yeats shall safely keep all the moneys belonging to the County aforesaid and pay over the same agreeable to law and the order of the County Court of said County all such County money as may be deposited in his hands and faithfully discharge

(209) all the duties incumbent on him as trustee of said County agreeable to law then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

James Yeats(Seal) C.E. Harris(Seal) W. White(Seal) R. Batson(Seal) H.B. Traylor(Seal) Albert Warren(Seal)

Burwell B. Spicer who was legally and duly elected sheriff for the County of Humphreys by the qualified voters of said county on the 7th day of March 1846 for the ensuing two years appeared in open court together with R. Batson L. Hendrix, Robert Poyner, Wm. Bartlett Isaac Lucas, S.H. Fowler Wm. Rogers, V.S. Allen, U. Harris, C.E. Harris, Onby Owen, W.J. Knight, E.H. McNeil his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of twenty thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said taken the several oaths of office agreeable to law.

Know all men by these present that we Burwell B. Spicer R. Batson, L. Hendrix Robt Poyner, C.S. Batson, Wm. Bartlett, Isaac Lucas, S.H. Fowler, W. Rogers, V.S. Allen U. Harris, C.E. Harris, Onby Owen, W.J. Knight, E.H. McNeil all of the County of Humphreys and state of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto Aaron W. Brown governor of said State for the time being and his successors in office in the sum of twenty thousand dollars for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 6th day of April A. D. 1846

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Burwell B. Spicer was duly and constitutionally elected sheriff of said County by the qualified voters thereof on the first Saturday in March A.D. 1846 for the ensuing two years. Now if the above bound B.B. Spicer shall well and truly execute and due return make of all lawful process and precepts to him directed and pay and satisfy all fees and sums of money by him received or levied by virtue of any process

(210) in the proper office by virtue of which by the tenor thereof ought to be paid or to the person or persons to whom the same shall be due or his heir or their heirs executors administrator or agents and in all things well truly and faithfully execute the said office of sheriff during his continuance therein then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in

in full force and effect.

B.B. Spicer(Seal) R. Batson(Seal) Laban Hendrix(Seal)
Robert Poyner(Seal) C.S. Batson(Seal) Wm. Bartlett
Isaac Luoma(Seal) Sterling H. Fowler(Seal) Wm.
Rogers(Seal) V.S. Allen(Seal) U. Harris(Seal)
C.E. Harris(Seal) Onby Owens(Seal) W.J. Knight(Seal)
E.H. McNeal(Seal)

S.L.G. Dunlap who was duly and legally elected constable to serve in the County of Humphreys for the ensuing two years by the qualified voters in the first District appeared in open court together with N.F. Lucas, Samuel Hamby and Levi McCollum his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said S.L.G. Dunlap taken the several oaths of office prescribed by law.

C.S. Batson who was duly and legally elected by the qualified voters in the 2nd district to serve as constable for the county of Humphreys for the ensuing two years appeared in open court together with B.B. Spicer Laban Hendrix, W. Bartlett and Richard Batson his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged this bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said C.S. Batson taken the several oaths of office as the law directs.

William McIlwain who was duly and legally elected by the qualified voters of the 3rd Civil District to serve as constable for the ensuing two years appeared in open court together with S.H. Fowler, Silvester Adams and C.E. Harris his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said William McIlwain taken the several oaths of office prescribed by law.

- (21) Onby Owens who was duly and legally elected by the qualified voters in the 4th Civil District to serve as constable for the ensuing two years in the County of Humphreys on the first Saturday in March 1846 appeared in open court together with Balitha Owens, Zedec Owens, and John Larkins his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Onby Owens taken the several oaths of office the law directs.

John B. Robbins who was duly and legally elected to serve as constable in the county of Humphreys by the qualified voters in the 5th District on the first Saturday in March 1846 appeared in open court together with John Varter, H. McElyea, B.J. Adams, Robert Carter and W.A. White his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said John B. Robbins taken the oaths of office as the law directs.

Laban Hendrix who was duly and legally elected to serve as constable in the County of Humphrey by the qualified voters in the 6th Civil District for the ensuing two years on the first Saturday in March 1846 appeared in open court together with U. Harris, R. Batson, B.B. Spicer and Isaac Luoma his securities thereto entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Laban Hendrix takes the several oaths of office as the law directs.

William Yeats who was duly and legally elected to serve as constable by the qualified voters in the 6th Civil District in the County of Humphreys

phreys for the next two years on the first Saturday in March A.D. 1846 appeared in open court together with Levi McCollum, C.E. Harris, James Yeats H.P. Traylor H. Nichols, W.W. Moss, his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said William Yeats taken the several oaths of office as the law directs.

G.R. McCrory who was duly and legally elected constable in the County of Humphreys for the ensuing two years on the first Saturday in March A.D. 1846 by the qualified voters in the 7th district appeared in open court together with N.D. McCrory, W.C. Pullin and Levi McCollum his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said G.R. McCrory appeared in open court and taken the oaths of office the law directs.

- (22) Robert Hales who was duly and legally elected to serve as constable in the County of Humphreys for the ensuing two years on the first Saturday in March 1846 by the qualified voters in the 9th Civil District appeared in open court together with James Yeats Levi McCollum, W.D. Hedge and James Crockett his securities thereto entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Robert Hales takes the several oaths of office as the law directs.

Robert Hales who was duly and legally elected to serve as constable in the County of Humphreys for the ensuing two years on the first Saturday in March 1846 by the qualified voters in the 9th Civil District appeared in open court together with James Yeats Levi McCollum, W.D. Hedge and James Crockett his securities thereto entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Robert Hales takes the several oaths of office as the law directs.

- (23) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William Miller guardian for John Miller idiot heirs of Jacob Miller deed which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded.

T.H. Fleming who was duly and legally elected to serve as constable in the County of Humphreys for the next two years on the first Saturday in March 1846 by the qualified voters in the 8th Civil District appeared in open court together with John Taylor, Robert Holland W.C. Hedge, B.W. Taylor Silvester Adams and Stephen Forsee his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said T.H. Fleming appeared in open court and taken the several oaths of office as the law directs.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with B.B. Spicer guardian for George T. Eby minor heir of Thomas Eby dead John Brown appeared in open court there being present on the bench Whidbee White, James Yeats, Harvey Nichols, W.C. Hedge & W.W. Moss five acting Justices of the peace in said County and proved by his own oath that he had killed a wolf within the limits of said County and produced the scalp thereof which was adjudged by the court to be over the age four months. It is therefore ordered by the court that it be certified.

Floyd Roberts administrator of the estate Rebecca Ridings dead returned an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

William Y. McNeely administrator of the estate of John Cannon dead returned an inventory and account of sale of said Estate

(213) John Brown appeared in open court there being present on the bench Whidbee White, James Yeats, Harvey Nichols, W.C. Hedge & W.W. Moss five acting Justice of the peace in said County and proved by his own oath that he had killed a wolf within the limits of said County and produced the scalp thereof which was adjudged by the court to be over the age four months. It is therefore ordered by the court that it be certified.

Floyd Roberts administrator of the Estate Rebecca Ridings deed returned an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

William Y. McNeely administrator of the estate of John Cannon deed returned an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is

(214) ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Robinson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of David Winstead and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Winstead shall in future work under said Robinson on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Robert Acton be appointed overseer of the road in the room of John Holland and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Holland shall in future work under said Orton on said road which is established in the second class.

John W. Hall Esqrs tendered to this court his resignation as a Justice of the peace which was read by the court and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of Levi McCollum Sheriff of said county. It is ordered by the court there being present and presiding on the bench the worshipful Whidbee White, Urbane Harris, W.C. Hedge, Eli White, W.W. Moss, James Yeats H. Nichol N.B. Pullin, J.B. Wilson, W.L. Byrns, Thos. Lain, Albert Warren, H.B. Traylor John Larkin, Esqrs. and all voting in the affirmatives. It is ordered by the Court that the Trustee of this County pay said McCollum the sum of fifty dollars for ex officio services rendered by him as sheriff for the last twelve months out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

On motion of H.B. Traylor and the court being satisfied of his rights of Guardianship. It is ordered by the court that H.B. Traylor be appointed Guardian for Margaret Ann Traylor, Robert Traylor and M.B. Traylor minor heirs at law of Robert Traylor deed and the said H.B. Traylor appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris and Albert Harris his securities there to and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of twelve hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bonds was examined by the court and received and ordered to be as certified.

(215) On motion it is ordered by the court that A.J. Williams be appointed overseer of the road in the room of S.H. Fowler and that all the bonds living in the County of said road and formerly worked under said Fowler in future work under said Williams on said Road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that James L. Singleton be appointed Guardian for Lena Martha Singleton minor orphan heir of Lucy Tolly deed and the said James L. Singleton appeared in open court together with M.D. McFall R. Shannon and O. Owens appeared his securities

thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and read.

On motion it is ordered by the court that L.B. Reese be appointed Guardian for James Reese William Reese and Amanda Reese minor heirs of Charles Reese deed and the said L.B. Reese appeared in open court together with Robert Shannon and William Harris his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and read.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William A. Steel be appointed Guardian for Thomas Box minor heir of Lindley Box deed and the said William A. Steel appeared in open court together with Thomas A. Steel, Eli White, and Levi McCollum his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and read.

(216) William Flemming Richard Bryant John Taylor, George Noland, Phillip D. Bryant and L.W. Bryant a jury of view appointed at the last term of this court to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of Jacob Poland and James C. Teas this day made a favorable report of the same. It is therefore ordered by the court that the road be viewed and marked by the commissioners be a public highway in said county and that the hands who formerly worked on the old road in future work on the road viewed and marked by said commissioners which road is established in the second class.

On motion of Samuel Epperson. It is ordered by the court that William Flemming, T.H. Flemming, John Taylor, W.G. Deshaza, James C. Teas, and Jacob Poland and Phillip D. Bryant be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of said Epperson and made report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion it is ordered by the court there being a majority of all the acting Justices on the bench and all voting in the affirmative. It is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay Urbane Harris, Whidbee White, Albert Warren, W.L. Byrns, John Edwards and John Larkins commrs. in the 2nd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, and 8th districts for the year 1846 five dollars each out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated for their services as commissioners.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Jane Mason Guardian for the minor heirs of William Boulton deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion of G.B. Collier It is ordered by the court that John Sullivan James M. Parkes, Elijah Lengly and Robert Orton be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of said Collier and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

(217) On motion of Luke Matlock it is ordered by the court that the said Luke Matlock be exempt from working on the road that leads up big Hurricane and work in future on the road leading up the creek.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Phillip Lewton be appointed overseer of the road in the John Lewton and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Lewton in future work on said road under said

road under said Phillip Lewton which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Richard Batson be appointed guardian for Marlin R. Hunt minor heir of Daniel Hunt deed and the said Richard Batson appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris, James Yeats and Urbane Harris his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and received and so certified.

William H. Gardner who was duly and legally elected collectors of the State and County Taxes for the year 1846 by the County Court of said court at the January term of said court appeared in open court together with Silvester Adams, James Crockett, and Albert Warren his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said W. H. Gardner taken the several oaths of office as the directs.

On motion of Sollomon McCloud. It is ordered by the court that Whidbee White, James Yeats, Sollomon McCloud, Alexander Jones, and John Hendrix be appointed a jury of view to view a road to commence at Levi Markland the nearest and best way and run by Sollomon McCloud to intersect the stage road at or near Whidbee White and made report of the same to the next term of this court.

(218) On motion and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the appointment of Urbane Harris Mann Box this day made on the Guardian of Lomax and John Box the infant heirs of Lyndley Box deed was irregular and that James Meadow the next of kin to the said infants appeared in open court and ask the court to be appointed the guardian the court therefore ordered that the former order be received and the said James Meadow appeared in open court with his bond duly executed and acknowledged according to law with security satisfactory to the court. The court doth see proper to appoint the said James Meadow the Guardian for the said infants heirs and that he settle according to law.

State }
vs }
A.P. Gatlin }

This day on motion. It appearing to the court that the execution of the State against the said Gatlin has been regularly returned no property found except the sum of twenty six dollars and that the said Gatlin has regularly taken the oath of inventory and it further appearing to the court that there is yet due to Joshua Brown \$23.50 to Reuben T. Brown \$17.71 to Thomas O. Brown \$16.42 to John Lain \$6 to George McCrory \$4.40 Neely Taylor 75cts making in all the sum of \$18.83 which amount of \$68.83 the court order to be paid out of the Treasury of Humphreys County not otherwise appropriated.

Andrew J. Taylor who was duly and legally elected constable by the qualified voters in the 10th District in Humphreys County for the next two years and the said A.J. Taylor appeared in open court together with John Taylor, G.W. Taylor, W.C. Hedge, Robert Holland, Silvester Adams and Stephen Forbes his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the A.J. Taylor taken the several oaths of office as the law directs.

(219) William Jernigan who was duly and legally elected by the qualified

voters in the 11th District on the first Saturday in March 1846 to serve as constable in Humphreys County for the next two years and the said William Jernigan appeared in open court together with H. McElyea, John Carter and James Smith his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs.

H.W. Traylor presented to the court the bond of Katherine O'Guin duly executed with Robert Carter and Polly Traylor her securities thereto for the maintenance of a bastard child begotten on the body of said Katherine O'Guin with three dollars twelve and one half cents five which was ordered by the court to be handed to the Trustee of said County and to be charged with the same in the Revenue Booklet of said County.

On motion of Levi McCollum it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay Levi McCollum one dollars twelve and one half cents for money expending by him in repairing the court house out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

On motion of James Teas it is ordered by the court that James Teas be appointed Guardian for Mickey Albright minor heir of Joseph Albright deed and the said James Teas appeared in open court together with M.W. Massey and Urbane Harris his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and received and so certified.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with W.H. Guthrie guardian for Samuel W. Guthrie minor heir of Edmund Wildridge deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

Court then adjourned until court in course.
E. Nichols JP W.C. Hedge JP James Yeats JP

(220) State of Tennessee. At a County court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the court house in the town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 11th day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty six there being present and presiding the worshipful James Teas Harvey Nichols, Whidbee White, W.C. Hedge and H.E. Pullen Esqrs Justices Commrs &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James Teas Guardian for Mickey Albright minor heir of Joseph Albright deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James Teas administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth Davidson deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James McClure administrator de bonas novis of the estate of Robert McClure deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the court to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James Yeats of this county on account of the school fund for the year 1845 which report was examined by the court and received and ordered by the said court to be recorded in the record book of the common school fund of this county.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Patrick Grice Guardian for W.C. M.J. & Nancy L. Grice minor heirs of John Brigham deed which report was examined by the court and read and ordered by the same to be recorded.

- (221) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William Rogers guardian for Jesse Owen, Adeline Owen, Mary J. Owen, Elizabeth Ann Owen, Lucinda Owen and Athelin Owen minor heirs of Samuel Owen deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Allen Box be appointed overseer of the road in the room of James McGill and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under ad McGill in future work under said Box on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William B. Easley be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Stephen B. Johnson and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road and formerly worked under said Johnson in future work under said Easley on said road which is established in the second class.

George Ridings administrator of the Estate of Joel Ridings deed made return of a supplemental inventory of said Estate and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Bryant O'Guin was produced in open court and proved by the oaths of Stephen O'Guinn R.L. Traylor and Allen Scholes subscribing witnesses thereto and there being no executor left in said will and testament and on motion of John C. Scholes. It is ordered by the court that the said John C. appointed administrator with the will annexed of said Estate and the said John C. Scholes appeared in open court together with Stephen O'Guin and Allen Scholes his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said John C. Scholes taken the oath of Administrator as the law directs. It is therefore ordered by the court that letters of administration with the will annexed issue to the said John C. Scholer on the estate of Bryant O'Guin deed.

William R. Ballard appeared in open court and proved by his oath that he had killed a wolf in the limits of said county and produced the scalp thereof there being present on the bench five acting justices of the peace to wit, Whidbee

- (222) White, James Yeats, H.B. Traylor, Albert Warren, Ichabod Adams & N.E. Fullen, Begrs Justices &c which was adjudged by the court to be over the age of four months and the requisition of the acts of the General Assembly in such case being complied with it is therefore ordered by the court that the same be so certified.

Whidbee White and otherw who was appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road as to intersect the stage road at or near where said White lives on Trace Creek made unfavourable report of the same it is therefore ordered by the court that the same be annulled.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Patrick Traylor be appointed overseer of the road in the room of A.T. Parrish and all the hands who formerly worked under said Parrish shall in future work under said Traylor on said road which is established in the first class.

On motion of Samuel Hemby it is ordered by the court that Samuel Hemby be appointed Administrator of the Estate of Elizabeth Thompson deed and the said Samuel Hemby appeared in open court together with C.S. Batson his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Samuel Hemby appeared in open court and taken the oath of administrator as the law directs. It is therefore ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Samuel Hemby upon the estate of Elizabeth Thompson deed.

On motion of W.N. Whitehead it is ordered by the court that the said Wm N. Whitehead be appointed administrator of the estate of William H. Kronk deed and the said William N. Whitehead appeared in open court together with Allen Box and William McIlwain his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said W.N. Whitehead taken the oath of administrator as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said W.N. Whitehead on the Estate of W.H. Kronk deed.

- (223) On motion of James Yeats. It is ordered by the court that Harvey Nichol be appointed administrator of the estate of George H. Alexander deed and the said Harvey Nichol appeared in open court together with James Yeats and Silvester Adams his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Harvey Nichol taken the oath of administrator as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Harvey Nichols and the estate of George H. Alexander deed.

William Y. McNeely administrator of the Estate of John Cannon deed made a supplemental return of an account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

William Fleming and others a jury of view who was appointed at the last term of this court to view and mark a road on the lands of Samuel Epperson made a favorable report of the same it is therefore ordered by the court that the road as viewed and marked by said Jury be considered a public highway in said County and that all the hands who formerly worked on the old road in future work on the road as viewed and marked by said Jury which road is established in the second class.

James M. Parker, Elijah Langley, and others who was appointed at the last term of this court a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of G.B. Collier made a favourable report of the same. It is ordered by the court that the road viewed and marked by said Jury of view be considered a public highway in said County and that all the bonds who formerly worked on the old road in future work on the road as viewed and marked by said Jury which road is established in the second class.

On motion of John McAdoo it is ordered by the court that the said John McAdoo be appointed Guardian of Mary Box minor heir of Lindley Box deed he being chosen by said Mary to be her guardian and the said John McAdoo appeared in open court together with Richard Batson Robert Holland and James McAdoo his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was received by the court and is certified.

(224) The court then proceeded to elect an entry taken in the room of E.M. Matlock removed for the next four years and E.H. McNeely being duly and legally elected Entry taken for the next four years thereupon the said E.H. McNeely appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris, William J. Knight & Eliza Waggoner his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be so certified.

The court then proceeded to elect a coroner for ensuing two years and William W. Webster receiving a majority of all the votes he was declared to be duly and constitutionally elected coroner for the ensuing two years for the County of Humphreys.

The court then proceeded to elect a Ranger for the next two years and Whidbee White receiving the majority of all the votes was declared to be duly and constitutionally elected Ranger for the next two years and the said Whidbee White appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris and Samuel Epperson his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

On motion of G.W. McCloud it is ordered by the court that G.W. McCloud James O'Quinn Moses Hancock, G.B. Collier Elijah Rudolph and D.C. Rudolph be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road leading from Reynoldsburg to Clarksville to leave the old road at the upper end of Polly Taylors field and lead up spring creek and intersect the old road at or near the head of said Creek and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

(225) The court then proceeded to appoint a jury to serve at the August term of Circuit Court and appointed the following persons to wit, 1st District William O'Quinn Robert Carter and C.M. Parker 2nd District Jacob Folke Isaac W. Drake and Joseph C. Watson 3rd District Herrod Warrick John M. Ballard and W.N. Whidbee 4th District Sterling H. Fowler and D.M. Simpson 5th District Jeremiah Bohman and Dempsey Hooper 6th District Jesse Waters and John Peeler 7th District G.L. Alexander and W.B. Bethel 8th District William Black and Kinchen Taylor 9th District F.D.L. Casen and Alsea Seamen 10th District Robert Esby and Joseph Shaver 11th District Marcus Brigham and Beverly Beachman A.J. Taylor and William Yeats to serve as constable to wait on the court.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

H. Bichol JP Seal James Yeats JP Seal W.C. Hedge J* Seal

(226) At a county court begun and held for the county of Humphreys at the court house in Waverly on the first Monday it being the first day of June 1846. present and presiding the worshipful James Yeats W.C. Hedge H.B. Traylor W.L. Byrn, James Miller & Eli White Esqrs Justices Commissioned &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with the Justices of the rural academy of this court which was examined by the court and read and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John Edwards administrator of the estate of Hannah Brigham deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by

the court that Edwin Clark be appointed overseer of the road in the room of William M.C. Clark and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said William M. in future work under said Edwin Clark on said road which is established in the second class.

Robert Smith Administrator of the estate of Kinchen Perry deed returned a supplemental inventory and account of sale of the negroes belonging to said Estate and sold by order for the decree of the Circuit Court of said County and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Peter Harmon be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Daniel Prock and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Prock in future work under said Harmon on said road which was established in the second class.

William W. Webster who was duly and constitutionally elected coroner of the county of Humphreys for the ensuing two years this day appeared in open court together with Lewis Dickerson, Levi McCollum and Henry H. Marable his securities thereto entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of twenty five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said William W. Webster appeared in to and acknowledged their bond in the sum of twenty five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said William W. Webster appeared in open court and taken the oath as the law directs.

On motion of W.N. Whitehead it is ordered by the court that William C. Young William T. Cooley John Crockett be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of William H. Crunk deed for one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

John Powers appeared in open court and proved his his own oath that he had killed two wolves within the limits of this county which was adjudged by the court to be under the age of four months there being present on the bench five acting Justices to wit, James Yeats H.B. Traylor W.C. Pullen W.C. Hedge and W.L. Byrn and the requisition of the acts of the Assembly being complied with. It is ordered by the court that the same be so certified.

H. B. Traylor and Albert Warren revenue commissioners appointed at the January Term 1846 to make settlement with the County officers make report of settlement made with the Trustees of this county for the year 1846 which report was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

(228) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Daniel Forsee Guardian for the minor heirs of Benjamin Noland deed which was examined by the court and ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion of Harvey Nichols it is ordered by the court that James Yeats Henry H. Marable and John Wyley be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of George H. Alexander deed for one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of W.N. Whitehead it is ordered by the court that Benj J. Bow be appointed overseer of the road in the room of said Whitehead and all

the hands who formerly worked under said Whithead shall in future work under said Bow on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Levi McCollum be appointed administrator or bondsman of the estate of Dennis Cannon deed and the said Levi McCollum appeared in open court together with Joseph H. Long C.E. Harris and William F. Beazley his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration de bonis rebus issue to the said Levi McCollum on the Estate of Dennis Cannon deed.

Court then adjourned until court in course.
H.B. Traylor JP W.C. Hedge JP James Yeats JP

(229) State of Tennessee. At a County Court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the courthouse in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 6th day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty six there being present and presiding the worshipful Whidbee White, James Yeats, A. Warren, H.B. Traylor, J.H. Long, W.C. Hedge, Eli White, W.W. Waggoner, James Miller, John Larkins and Harvey Nichols Esqrs Justices commissioned do.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Philander Priestly Guardian for H.J. Summers minor heirs of John Summers deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered by the same to be recorded.

Patrick Grice former guardian for William Grice Mary J. Grice and Nancy Grice minor heirs of John Brigham deed appeared in open court and renewed his bond as guardian for the above named children and thereupon the said Patrick Grice appeared in open court together with H.B. Traylor and R.R. Dunlap his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and read and so certified.

Elizabeth Brown former guardian and constitutionally elected by the qualified voters in the 1st Civil District in this County as Justice of the peace to fill the vacancy of John W. Hall deed produced his commission from the excellency the governor of the State of Tennessee and the said John D. Love taken the several oaths according to law and taken his seat on the bench as a Justice of the peace of this county.

(230) John C. Echols executor of the last will and testament of Bryant O' Guin deed this day returned an inventory of the personal property of said Estate and oath having been made thereto. It was ordered by the court to be recorded.

Samuel Hemby a minister of the estate of Elizabeth Thompson deed made return for the minor heirs of Clayborn Brown deed this day appeared in open court and renewed and entered into her bond as guardian with Dempsey May her security thereto in the sum of three hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

(231) J.V. Knight former Guardian for James T. Maragret A. & Rufus S. Knight and Cordelia F. Knight minor heirs of Edmond Wildredge deed appeared in open court with Richard D. Thomas and Isaac Hendrix his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of twelve hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and

with Richard D. Thomas D. Thomas and Isaac Hendrix his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of twelve hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and ordered by the same to be so certified.

(230) John D. Love who was duly of an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

Daniel Forsee former Guardian for the minor heirs of B.T. Knowland deed this day appeared in open court together with Albert Warren his security thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of three hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

William Rogers former guardian for the minor heirs of Samuel Owens deed this day appeared in open court together with B.B. Spicer and W. Samuel Rogers his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which was read by the court and so certified.

B.B. Spicer former guardian for George T. Eby minor heir of Thomas Eby deed this day appeared in open court together with William Rogers C.E. Harris W.C. Hedge Eli White J.L. Singleton his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and ordered by the same to be so certified.

On motion of Robert Nelson It is ordered by the court that James Webster be appointed overseer of the road leaving the stage road below Z.T. Crims and intersecting the Reynoldsburg Road at the ford of Blue Creek near where Lewis Dickerson lives and that Wm Adkerson and Nicholas Waggoner and J. Leonard work on said road under said Webster which road is established in the second class.

Thomas B. Kirkland former guardian for Friscilla Roberts minor heir of William Roberts deed this day appeared in open court together with Elazor Kirkland and Balitha Owen his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of sixty five dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

(232) William F. Beazley appeared in open court and proved by his own oath that he had killed a wolf within the limits of this county and produced the scalp thereof to the court which was adjudged by the court to be under the age of four months there being present on the bench five acting Justices of the peace to wit John Larkins Albert Warren Harvey Nichols Whidbee White J.B. Load and the requisition of the acts of the general assembly being complied with It is ordered by the court that the same be so certified.

George R. McCory appeared in open court there being present on the bench five acting Justices of the peace to wit, Joseph Larkins, Albert Warren Harvey Nichols, Whidbee White, J.B. Love and proved by his own oath that he had killed a wolf within the limits of this county and produced the scalp thereof which was adjudged by the court to be under the age of four months and the requisition of the acts of the General Assembly being complied with it is ordered by the court that the same be so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Michael Shaven by exempt from

working on the road leading down Trace Creek by John Barfield to Reynoldsburg and in future work on the centerville road from the widow Lees to Blue Creek and that the said Michael Shavers be appointed overseer of the said road leading from M. Lees to Blue Creek and that Lewis Dickerson hands George L. Alexander and William Parkman work on said road under said Shaver which road is established in the second class.

On motion of George Petty it is ordered by the court that Westley Poland be appointed overseer of the road in the room of George Petty and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said Poland on said road which is established in the second class.

- (233) James OQuinn Moses Hedgeoeth G.B. Collier and others who was appointed at the last term of this court to view and mark an alteration in the road up spring made an unfavorable report of the same.

On motion of John Larkins it is ordered by the court that Willie Miller be appointed overseer of the road as viewed by a jury of view appointed for that purpose to open a road laid off from the Peter Cane on "ouch" river so as to intersect the Centerville road at or near Robert Nelson and that all the hands living on Blue Creek from William Atkinson to the mouth of said Creek as to Albert Warrens and that Samuel Rogers Willie Legate Nathaniel Page Pleasant Page Henry Crockett Benjamin Samuel and James Larkins and Stephen Boyd work on said road to open the same under said Miller and make return of the same to the next term of this court which road is established in the second class.

Coleman E. Harris former guardian for Mary E. Eby minor heir of Thomas by deed this day appeared in open court together with William Yeats Robert Nelson, James Yeats and H.B. Traylor & B.E. Spicer his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

Burwell B. Spicer one of the Administrators of the estate of Isaac McCasland deed with the will annexed made return of a supplemental inventory of a supplemental inventory and return of said Estate and both having been made there to. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Wilkin W. Waggoner administrator with the will annexed of the Estate of Daniel D. Waggoner deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

- (234) Whidbee White Chairman of the County court of this county this day resigned his office as chairman of the County Court of said county which was read by the court and ordered to be recorded.

The court then proceeded to elect a chairman to fill the vacancy of Whidbee White resigned and on counting the votes Albert Warren was declared to be duly and constitutionally elected chairman to fill the unexpired time of W. White resigned and the said Warren taken the oath of chairman as the law directs.

The court then proceeded to elect five trustees for the Rural Academy of said county and after counting the votes was declared that Whidbee White

Richard Batson Urbane Harris James Yeats & H.B. Traylor was duly and legally elected trustees of said academy until the first Monday in April 1846 there upon the said Whidbee White Richard Batson James Yeats H.B. Traylor and Urbane Harris appeared in open court and together with Albert Warren Joseph H. Long and C.E. Harris their securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

William H. Gardner former guardian for Newton McClure H.H. Hamnah & Thomas McClure deed this day appeared in open court together with Albert Warren James Yeats and C.E. Harris his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of nine hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

James Yeats, John Wyley and H.H. Marable Commissioners appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of G.H. Alexander deed made their report which was ordered by the court to be recorded.

- (235) On motion it is ordered by the court that James Yeats Henry H. Marable and John Wyley be appointed commissioners to contract for and superintend the fence around the court house in the Town of Waverly and that they be empowered by the County Court of Humphreys County to advertise for the space of ten days at the public process for the County purposes of letting said fence to the lowest bidder and that said commissioners take bond & security for the faithful performances of the same and that they report at the next term of this court how they shall have acted in the premises.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

W.C. Hedge JP James Yeats JP Harvey Nichols JP

- (236) At a County Court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the court house in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 3rd day of August 1846 There being present and presiding the worshipful Harvey Nichols James Yeats Albert Warren Eli White Joseph H. Long, and J.D. Loss Esqrs Justices &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Elizabeth Brown Guardian for the minor heirs of Claiborn Brown deed which report was examined by the court and read and ordered by the same to be recorded.

William Miller former guardian for John Miller idiot heir of Jacob Miller deed this day appeared in open court and entered into and acknowledged his bond together with James Miller and W.W. Moss his securities thereto in the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and recorded and so certified.

James Sneed former guardian for Brittainna Moore minor heir of W. Moore deed this day appeared in open court together with Richard Batson and F.B. Saunders his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two hundred and twenty dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and ordered by the

same to be so certified.

Silvester Adams former guardian for J.P. Adams J.B. Adams M.N. Adams and P.B. Adams minor heirs of Willis Norweather deed this day appeared in open court together with Ichabod Adams and N.C. Hedge his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of twelve hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the court to be so certified.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Silvester Adams Guardian for Rebecca Ann Adams and J.P. Adams J.B. Adams M.A. Adams and P.B. Adams minor heirs of Willis Norworthy deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James Sneed guardian for Butanna Moore minor heir of Wilson Moore deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

(237) William B. Houghey a former guardian for Robert T. Hughey deed this day appeared in open court and entered into and acknowledged his bond together with Jos. Madoc C.E. Harris his securities thereto their bond in the sum of two hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs where bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

Fatsey Curtice former guardian for minor Norcessa and John Curtice minor heir of Joel Curtice deed this day appeared in open court together with Selathael Honey his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of forty dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Richard Batson be appointed Guardian for John G. Harris and Caroline Harris formerly Caroline Shropshire minor heirs of Thomas H. Shropshire deed and the said Richard Batson appeared in open court together with Urbane Harris and Albert Warren his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of nine hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

(238) A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of John Bryant deed was produced in open court and proved by the oaths of George Turner and Joseph H. Long subscribing witnesses thereto and there being no executor named in said will. It is thereupon on motion of Lewis W. Bryant. It is ordered by the court that Lewis W. Bryant and Phillip D. Bryant be appointed administrators with the will annexed on the Estate of the said John Bryant deed and thereupon the said Lewis W. Bryant and Phillip D. Bryant appeared in open court together with James C. Teas and John Taylor their securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of three hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Lewis W. Bryant and Phillip D. Bryant taken the oath of administrators and it is therefore ordered by the court that the said L.W. & P.D. Bryant have letters of administration on the estate of John Bryant.

State of Tennessee)

vs

Isaac Hedge) Bastardy.

The defendant who was brought to this court by issue of Capias moves the court to dismiss the same. The cause for defendant and State being examined

by the court. It is opinions of the court that said Capias be sustained and it is further the judgment of said court, that said Isaac Hedge pay the sum of forty dollars for the first year thirty for the second year and twenty for the third or last year for the maintenance of said child besides the cost in the behalf expended and the said defendant to remain in the custody of the sheriff until the fine and cost is secured and that execution issue for some according to law. The first year ending the 19th February 1846 and so on and thereupon the course for the defendant excepted to the opinion of the court in overruling the motion to quash the capias returned in this cause and thereupon the defendant prays the court for an appeal to the Circuit Court of Humphreys County to its next term thereof which is granted in the nature of a writ of error by the defendant giving the security required by law and thereupon the defendant came in open court and said he would prosecute his (illegible) no further and interest in and acknowledged his bond in the sum of two hundred dollars with G.R. McCrory and J.A. Hedge his securities thereto for the payment of fine and cash.

(239) On motion it is ordered by the court that John Arnold be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Saml Hemy and that all the hands who worked on said road shall in future work under said Arnold on the same which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Hooper Jr be appointed overseer of the road in the place of Alfred Bateman and that all the hands who worked under said Bateman shall in future work under said Hooper on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Jeremiah Bateman be appointed overseer of the road in the place of Demsey Hooper and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Hooper shall in future work under said Bateman on said road which is established in the second class.

(240) On motion of James L. Singleton It is ordered by the court that said Singleton be appointed administrator of Eliza Ann Singleton deed and thereupon the said James L. Singleton appeared in open court with James Frewitt and F. D.L. Kain his securities thereto and acknowledged their bond in the sum of three hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which was received by the court and letters of administration granted and the same the said James L. having taken the oath of administrator as the law directs.

On motion of James Teas it is ordered by the court that George Nolen William Black John H. Ford William Rogers William J. Beasley and James Teas and Samuel Epperson be appointed a jury of view to view and mark out a road leaving the Centerville road near William J. Beasleys the nearest and best way to intersect the Hurricane Creek road at or near James Teas plantation and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

William Rogers who has this day been appointed Deputy Sheriff of this County this day appeared in open court and taken the several oaths according to law as such.

(240) On motion it is ordered by the court that William Fleming Dempsey May James Taylor Willie Hedge and Aaron P. Gatlin be appointed a jury of view to view and mark out a road from the Ford of Hurricane Creek near John Hunters the nearest and best way to intersect the Hurricane Creek road leading towards Naverly and make report of the same to the next term of court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Andrew Daly be appointed overseer of the road in the room of James McMillian and that all the hands who worked on the road under said McMillian shall in future work under said Daly which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that W. Cooley be appointed overseer of the road in the room of William Latimer and that all the hands who worked under said Latimer shall in future work under said Cooley which is established in the second class.

On motion of Wilkins Waggoner Eggers it is ordered by the court that William C. Young be appointed overseer of the road leading from Hubbs Terry to Bredvolds commencing opposite John Crocketts house and ending near said Bredvolds and is to keep up the same with his own hands which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Burton F. Thompson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Andersen Bivins and that all the hands who worked under said Bivins shall in future work under said Thompson which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Balitha Owen Jr be appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of Samuel Owens decd with the will annexed and the said Balitha Owen appeared in open court together with William Rogers and Ombry Owens his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Balitha Owen takes the oath of Admr as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that the said Balitha Owen have letters of administration with the will annexed upon the Estate of Samuel Owens decd.

Henry Miller former guardian for Jacob Miller and Thomas Miller idiot heirs of Jacob Miller decd this day appeared in open court together with Eli White and Silvester Adams his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of eight hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and ordered by the same to be so certified.

William Miller who was appointed at the last term of this court overseer to open road from the Peter cave on Duck River to intersect the Centerville road near Robert Nelsons on Blue Creek this day returned his order and made report that he had open the same agreeable to said order. It is ordered by the court that Samuel Rogers be appointed overseer of the road and that William J. Knight Willie Miller J.W. Miller and Willie Legate work on said road under said Rogers which road is established in the second class.

On motion of Edmond Varden it is ordered by the court that Albert Warren William Atkisson Pleasant Clark, Charles P. Hite and Thomas Matthews be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road way the ford of blue Creek near Lewis Dickerson and to intersect the stage road at or near Waverly and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Patrice Curtice guardian for Sarah minor Nocissa and John Curtice decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

Isaac Mitchell former guardian for Mary Ann McLead this day appeared in open court together with Urbane Harris and James Yeats his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was read by the court and so certified.

(242) On motion it is ordered by the court that Nathan Sparks be appointed overseer of the road in the room of L.B. Fols and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Fols shall in future work under said Sparks on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Benjamin Adams be appointed overseer of the road in the room of George Riding and that William Summers William R. Wiggins Edward Cowen D. Tomlinson John Carter Sallom Rdings lands and George Rdings work on said road under said Adams which is established in the second class.

James Frewitt former guardian for the minor heirs of John Frowitt decd this day appeared in open court together with James L. Singleton his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of sixty dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that G.L. Hinson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of William Hendrix and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Hendrix in future work under said Hinson on said road which is established in the second class.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Samuel Owen decd was this day produced in open court and the due execution thereof proven by the oath of Nicholas Ferguson subscribing witnesses thereto and there being no executors left in said will. It is therefore ordered by the court that Balitha Owen be appointed administrator of said Estate (243) with the will annexed and the said Balitha Owen appear in open court together with William Rogers and Onley Owen his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Balitha Owen taken the oath of administrator as the law directs it is ordered by the court that Balitha Owen have letters of administration on the Estate of Samuel Owens decd.

On motion it is ordered by the court that G.W. Taylor be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Stephen Forsee and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Forsee in future work under said Taylor on said road which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Levi McCollum be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Zedac Duncan and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Duncan shall in future work under said McCollum on road which is road in established in the second class.

James Yeats Trustee of this county this day appeared on open court and entered into and acknowledged his bond together with V.S. Allen, John Edwards Richard Bayton and Albert Warren his securities thereto and entered into their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was given for his faithful performance relative to the common school fund of this county the same being examined and approved by the court.

Levi McCollum administrator and bondsman of the estate of Dennis Cannon deceased this day returned an inventory of the notes belonging to said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

William N. "hitehead" administrator of the estate of William H. Crunk this day made return of an inventory of the personal estate of said deed and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

- (244) Harvey Nichols Administrator of the estate of G.C.H. Alexander deed this day made return of an inventory and account of sale of the personal estate of said deed and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

On motion of Richard Batson it is ordered by the court that the Trustees of this county pay said Batson two dollars and fifty cents for a book for to be used on execution docket for the use of the clerk of the Circuit Court out of any money in his hands now otherwise appropriated.

H. N. chols JP Albert Warren JP James Yeats JP

- (245) State of Tennessee. At a County Court begun and held at the court house in the Town of Waverly for the County of Humphreys on the first Monday it being the 7th day of September 1846 present and presiding the worshipful James Yeats, Harvey Nichols, William C. Hedge, Eli White, J.D. Love, John Edwards, Samuel Epperson and John B. Wilson Esqrs Justices &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Onby Owen and Salathiel Honey Administrators of the estate Willie Ridings deed which report was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William H. Gardner Guardian for the minor heirs of James McClure deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Salathiel Honey Guardian for Soreda Honey minor heirs of George Honey deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Salathiel Honey guardian for William M. Burgess and Sarah Burgess minor heirs of Peter Haigus deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by said court to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Littleberry Reece guardian for F.J. Wm. A. Manda B. Reece minor heirs of Carlos Reece deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of Jonathan Toland it is ordered by the court that John F. Beasley Samuel McClure George V. Petty James B. Morris and Thomas Deadle be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of said Toland and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

- (246) On motion of William G. Deshaza it is ordered by the court that Richard Bryant be appointed overseer of the road in the room of said Deshaza and

that all the hands living in the bounds of said road under said Deshaza and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road and formerly worked under said Deshaza in future work under said Bryant on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion of Sarah Walker it is ordered by the court that Sarah Walker be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles right and credits of John Walker deed and the said Sarah Walker appeared in open court together with John Edwards and Silvester Adams his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Sarah Walker taken the oath of administratrix as the law directs. It was therefore ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to Sarah Walker on the Estate of John Walker deed.

On motion of Sarah Walker it is ordered by the court that John Edward Alexander Gwin and Ichabod Adams be appointed commissioners to serve the widow and family of John Walker deed one year from his death and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

Robert Foyner who has heretofore been appointed deputy sheriff of Humphreys County by B.B. Spicer sheriff of said County this day appeared in open court and taken the several oaths according to law as such.

On motion of David M. Simpson. It is ordered by the court that the said David M. Simpson and William S. Bell be appointed administrators of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of the estate of Malinda Seats deed and the said David M. Simpson and W.S. Bell appeared in open court together with William McIlwain J.J. Harris Onby Owens & Levi McCollum their securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of seven hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said D.M. Simpson and Wm. S. Bell takes the oath of administrators as the law directs. It is thereupon ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said D.M. Simpson and W.S. Bell on the Estate of Malinda Seats deed.

On motion of James J. Harris it is ordered by the court that James J. Harris and Susan Buchanan be appointed administrator and administratrix of the estate of Lemuel Buchanan deed and the said J.J. Harris and Susan Buchanan appeared in open court together with William McIlwain, D.M. Simpson Onby Owens & Levi McCollum their securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said J.J. Harris and Susan Buchanan takes the oath of Administrator and administratrix as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said J.J. Harris and Susan Buchanan on the estate of Lemuel Buchanan deed.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William McIlwain and Sterling H. Fowler & William Hudspeth be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Lemuel Buchanan deed one year from his death and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Thos. Mathis be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Edmond Yarden and that all the hands who formerly worked on each road under said Yarden in future work under said Mathis on said road which is established in the second class.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of John M. Thomson died this day was produced in open court and the due execution thereof proved by the oaths of William Edwards and Richard D. Turner subscribing witnesses thereto and John Edwards who was a pointed executor to last will and testament appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris and John Thompson and R.D. Turner his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs. It is therefore ordered by the court that letters testamentary issue to the said John Edwards on the Estate of John M. Thomson deceased.

On motion of James C. Teas it is ordered by the court that the said James C. Teas be appointed guardian for George Elizabeth Margaret Ann and John L. Robertson minor heirs of Jane Robinson dead and the said James C. Teas appeared in open court together with William W. Webster and William McIlwain his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and as certified.

George Nowland and others who was appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road the nearest and best way from William Beazley on Funkin Creek to intersect the Hurricane road near James Teas on said Hurricane Creek made a favorable report of the same. It is thereupon ordered by the court that William Rogers be appointed overseer of the road and as viewed and marked by said commissioners to open the same and that all hands living on the waters of Hurricane Creek from Daniel Tubbs down said creek to Nathan el Pages including said Page and all the hands living on Funkin Creek down to Albert Warrens including said Warren hands work under said Rogers to open the same which road is established in the second class.

Nancy Dunlap former guardian for Elisha J. Dunlap minor heir of Samuel A. Dunlap deceased this day renewed her bond as guardian and the said Nancy appeared in open court together with Kinchen Pitt and Willis Reuben her securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the court to be received and as certified.

On motion of John Taylor it is ordered by the court that Samuel Epperson J.D. Bryant Lewis W. Bryant Richard Bryant and Nathan Sparks be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road in the lands of said Taylor and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

Sethaniel Honey for guardian for William M. & Sarah Bougas minor heirs of Peter Bougas dead and Solinda Honey minor heir of George Honey dead appeared in open court and renewed his bond as guardian and the said Sethaniel Honey appeared in open court together with Omby Owens and B.F. Thompson his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

Tilford H. Fleming constable for the 8th Civil District of this County this day tendered his resignation as constable to the court which was received by said court and ordered to be so certified.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Isaac Mitchell guardian for Mary Ann McLead minor heir of Duncan McLead dead

which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John Falkner Guardian for Laura J and Isabella Murry minor heirs of John Brigham dead which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

Only Owen and Sathael Honey, administrators of the estate of Willie Hiding dead this day made a supplemental return of the notes due said estate and oath having been made thereto it was ordered by the court to be recorded

(250) Eli White this day returned the bond of Lidia Etheridge with three dollars 12cts fine in a case of bastardy with John Piles R. McCrory and Barnabas Beazley her securities thereto that the said bastard child never become a county charge.

Will White Esqr this day returned in open court the bond of Jemima Matlock with the sum of three dollars twelve and one half cents fine in a case of bastardy with Robert Holland and Calvin Hart her securities thereto that said bastard child never become a County charge.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Mary Bethel be appointed guardian for her three children namely Isaac, William, R. and Sarah Jane Bethel minor children of John Bethel the said Mary being divorced from two husband the said John Bethel and the said Mary appeared in open court together with Harvey Nichols and G.R. McCrory her securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the following named persons be appointed to serve as jurymen at the December term of the Circuit 1846 to wit James M. Parker R. R. Dunlap Mosb S. Smith Urbane Harris, Allen Box, Harvey Miller, William Wilson, J.E. Burington, Nicholas Aggoner, Eli White, Z.T. Crim, Joel Smith, Lewis Yeats John Saunders, Jonathan Lewton, Robert Smith, Allen Duke, Samuel Epperson, Joseph H. Long J.J. Harris D.M. Simpson, William Hooper, James Smith, William F. Carter and George Browning, S.L.G. Dunlap and George R. McCrory to serve as constables to wait on the court.

(251) On motion it is ordered by the court that James Yeats Trustee of this County receive six dollars and twenty five cents it being the amount of two fines paid in the cases of bastardy this day returned by him and that the clerk of this court charges the trustee with the same on the Revenue docket of this County.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

H. Nichols JP W.C. Hedge JP James Yeats JP

State of Tennessee. At a County Court begun and held for the County of Humphrey at the courthouse in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 5th day of October 1846 Present and presiding the worshipful James Yeats Whidbee White W.C. Hedge Albert Warren H. Nichol H.B. Taylor Urbane Harris J.D. Love W.L. Byrne John Edwards Ichabod Adams, J.B. Long J.B. Wilson and Thomas Lein Esqrs Justices &c.

(252) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Henry Crockett Administrator of the estate of Mary Noland dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that James W. Harris be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Brison Smith and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road and formerly worked under said Smith shall in future work under said Harris which road is established in the second class.

Lew W. and Phillip D. Byant Administrators with the will annexed of the estate of John Byant deed this day made return of an inventory and account of sale of the personal account of sale of the personal property belonging to said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

- (252) Balitha Owen administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Samuel Owens deed this day made return of an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Nathan Cole be appointed overseer of the road in the room of William Spauld and that F.C. Broward James H. Martin A. Epperson James Cole E. Simms and Lewis Moore work under said Cole on said road which road is established in the second class.

- (253) Samuel McClure and others who were appointed a jury of view to view and work an alteration in the road on the hands of Jonathan Toland made a favorable report of the same it is ordered by the court that said Toland have leave to stop up the road and that the road as viewed and marked by said jury be considered a public highway of this county.

John N. Little applied to this court for a certificate preparatory to his obtaining a license to practice as an attorney a counsellor at law in the several courts of law and Equity in the State of Tennessee and the court on of opinion that the said John N. Little is a young man of good moral character and that he is attained the age of twenty one years and the same is ordered to be so certified.

Albert Warren and H.R. Traylor Revenue Commissioners for the County of Humphreys for the year 1846 this day made report of a settlement made with E. B. Harris clerk of this court for the Revenue by him collected for the year 1846 and said County for said year which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Parham be exonerated from paying a pole tax for which he was wrongfully charged in the revenue docket for the present year and that John Binkley be released for the same the amount being 37 1/2 each and that the collector have a credit with treasurer of the State with the sum of 25cents in his settlement and fifty cents with the Trustee of this County in his settlement with for said year.

Sterling H. Fowler William Mcfillmain and Wm Hudspeth who was appointed commissioners at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Lemuel Buchanan deed one year this day make a report of the same which was ordered by the Court to be recorded.

On motion of C.C. Hudson it is ordered by the court that C.C. Hudson be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of Mary Larkins deed and the said C.C. Hudson appeared in open court together with Culbert Hudson James C. Balthrop Ichabod Adams and

his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of eight thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said C.C. Hudson taken the oath of administrator as the law directs and it is there upon ordered by the court that the said C.C. Hudson have letters of administration and the Estate of Mary Larkin deed.

On motion of Isaac Lucas it is ordered by the court that John Barfield be appointed overseer of the road from Isaac Pavatts down Trace creek by said Barfield to Reynoldsburg and that all his hands living in the bounds of said road that formerly worked under said Lucas on said road in future work under said Barfield on said road which road is established in the first class.

It is ordered by the court that a fine of two dollars and fifty cents be entered against Wade H. Knight for contempt of this court.

Cymena Garrett former guardian for the minor heirs of Matthew Garrett deed this day appeared in open court and renewed her bond and the said Cyrena Garrett appeared in open court together with Robertson Brown and Jonathan Poland her securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which was read by the court and so certified.

- (255) On motion it is ordered by the court that William Perry be appointed overseer of the road in the room of William H. Raves and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Reeves in future work under said Perry on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion of Abram Rushing it is ordered by the court that the said Abraham Rushing have letters of administration and the estate of Willis Rushing deed and the said Abraham Rushing appeared in open court together with John D. Love and John Brown his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Abraham Rushing takes the oath of administration as the law directs it is ordered by the court that the said Abraham Rushing have letters of administration on the Estate of Willis Rushing deed.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John C. Scholes Richard L. Traylor and Allen Scholes be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Wil is Rushing deed one year and made report of the same to the next term of this court.

John Edwards one of the securities of Sarah Brigham and H. Brigham administrator and administratrix of the estate of James H. Brigham deed this day filed his petition in open court and oath having been made thereto that he is desirous that the said Sarah and John H. Brigham be notified to appear at the next term of this court and give counter security satisfactory to the court as he the said Edwards will be liable no longer for the acts of such.

On motion it is ordered by the court there being present on the bench a majority of all the acting Justices on the bench and they all voting in the affirmative that the Trustee of this county pay Isaac Lucas ten dollars to be applied by him for the support of Mary Shaver a pauper of this county until the first Monday in January next out of any money in his hands and not otherwise appropriated.

- (256) On motion it is ordered by the court that Benjamin Brigham be released from

paying 37¢ a state and county tax for the year 1846 and that the collector have credit of 12¢ with the Treasurer of the State and a credit of 25¢ with the Trustee of this County on his settlement with them for the same.

On motion of William Rogers it is ordered by the court that William Rogers be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the Estate of James Teas deceased and the said William Rogers appeared in open court together with M.M. Massey Sterling H. Fowler William C. Hedge William Mollwain Joseph Teas and Henry H. Narable his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bonds in the sum of eight thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said William Rogers takes the oath of administrator as the law directs. It is thereupon ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said William Rogers on the estate of James Teas dead.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Sterling H. Fowler William Mollwain and Albert Warren be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of probitions to serve the widow and family of James Teas dead for one year from his death and make report of the same at the next term of this court.

George E. Lumsden who was duly and constitutionally elected constable in the 8th Civil District of said county serves out the unexpired term of Tilford H. Fleming resigned this day appeared in open court together with Joseph Crockett W.D. Deshaize B.F. Larkins Joseph H. Long and James Yeats his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said G.F. Lumsden takes the several oaths of office as the law directs.

(257) William H. Gardner collector of the public revenue for the county of Humphreys for the year 1846 reports the following named persons as insolvent and that he cannot make the amount of taxes due the State and County off of them which is as follows: to wit, District No 1 D. Brigham right and three fourth cents District No 3 G. Tubbs thirty seven and one half cents District No 4 John Baker thirty seven and one half cents Robert Martin thirty seven and one half cents District No 5 Con Rattiff thirty seven and one half cents G.W. Chalen thirty seven and one half cents District No 6 T.T. Alford thirty seven and one half cents William H. Marcor thirty seven and one half cents District No 7 Jefferson Betherl thirty seven and one half cents District No 9 James D. Crowell thirty seven and one half cents Wilson Span thirty seven and one half cents J.H. Waits thirty seven and one half cents District No 10 Alford Seats 37¢ District No 11 Burwell "ushing 37¢.

William Rogers who was appointed overseer to open a road from William F. Beasley on Punkin Creek to intersect the Hurricane Creek near James Teas from this day made report that he had opened the same agreeable to said order thereupon it is ordered by the court that George Nat and be appointed overseer of said road and that Phillip D. Bryant and Richard Bryant Benjamin Epperson and all the hands on James Teas farm on the farm formerly belonging to said Teas and Samuel Epperson hands work on said road under said Noland which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by court that Edwin Clark be exonerated from paying 37¢ cents poll Tax for which he was wrongfully charged and that the collector have a credit of 12¢ with the Treasurer of the State and a credit with the Trustee for 25¢ in his settlement with them for the same.

Whidbee White C.E. Harris James Yeats and Redick Yeats securities for James Teas and M.M. Massey administrators of the Estate of Isaac H. Massey deed this day filed petition that they were not willing to stand as security any longer it is therefore ordered by the court that the clerk issue a (illegible) M.M. Massey to appear at the next term of this court and give counter security such all will release them from further liabilities or deliver up the papers belonging to said Estate.

(258) On motion it is ordered by the court that Wade J. Knight be released from paying a fine of two dollars and fifty cents this day imposed on him for contempt of this court.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

H. Nichols JP W.C. Hedge James Yeats JP

State of Tennessee. At a County court begun and held for the County of Humphreys in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 2nd day of November 1846. Present and presiding the worshipfull H. Nichols James Yeats W.C. Hedge Albert Warren and Whidbee White Esqrs Justices &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Balitha Owens Guardian for L.S. & Mary Frewitt minor heirs of John Frewett deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

James L. Singleton Administrator of the Estate of Eliza Ann Singleton deed this made return of amount read in each as administrator of said estate and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

Coleman E. Harris clerk of this court produced to the Chairman of the court the receipt of the comptroller for the statement of the Revenue by him collected for the year ending the first day of September 1846 which was due the State and the Treasurer receipt for the payment of the same and also the Trustees receipt for all the

(259) Revenue by him collected and due the county for the year ending the first day of September 1846 which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded in the Revenue Docket of said county and filed with the County papers.

Richard Batson clerk of the Circuit Court presented to the chairman of this court the Comptrollers receipt for the statement of the Revenue by him collected and due the State for the year ending the first day of September 1846 also the Treasurers receipt for the payment of the same which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded in the Revenue Docket of this County and filed in the office with the court papers.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with E.H. Baker Guardian for John Seats William Seats Thomas Seats and Weakley Seats minor orphans heirs of William J. Seats deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John Larkins Guardian for John Seats William Seats Thomas Seats and Westley P Seats minor heirs of William J. Seats deed which report was examined by the court and read and ordered by the court to be recorded.

Sally Walker Adminatrix of the goods and chattles of the Estate of John Walker deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

Abraham Rushing Administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of Willis Rushing deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto It is ordered to be recorded.

John Edwards Executor of the last will and testament of John T. Thomson deed this day made return of inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

(200) John Edwards and others who was appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of John Walker deed one year this day made return of the same which was ordered by the court to be recorded.

John E. Echols and others who was appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Willis Rushing deed one year this day made report of the same which was ordered by the court to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Mason Box be appointed overseer of the road in the room of J.M. Marbury and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Marbury shall in future work under said Box on said road which road is established in the first class.

James J. Harris one of the administrators of the Estate of Lemuel Buchanan deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

David M. Simpson one of the administrators of the estate of Malinda Seats deed this day made return of an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that J.C. Dotson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of James F. Ewing and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said Dotson which road is established in the second class.

(201) E.H. Baker Guardian for Mary A.B. Baker and Estell J. Baker minor heirs of Edmond Taylor deed this day made report of the amount read of his words Estate and oath having been thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

Sterling H. Fowler and others who were appointed commissioners at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of James Teas deed one year from his death this day made report of the same which was ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Joel Smith be appointed guardian for Felix G. Samuel H and Nancy Ann McCastland deed and the said Joel Smith appeared in open court together with Andrew McCastland E.B. Spicer A.A. Hooper his securities thereto

and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and read and so certified.

Motion of Hiram B. Taylor It is ordered by the court that the said H.B. Taylor be appointed administrator bondsman of the Estate of Polly Taylor deed and the said H.B. Taylor appeared in open court together with Silvester Adams and W.Y. McNeely his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said H.B. Taylor taken the oath of administrator to the law directs. It is there upon ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said H.B. Taylor on the Estate of Polly Taylor deed.

(202) Motion of Redrick Yeats It is ordered by the court that said Redrick Yeats and James Yeats be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of the Estate of Izma Yeats deed and the said Redrick Yeats and James Yeats appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris Whidbee White J.W. Cernall and William Yeats their securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of ten thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Redrick Yeats and James Yeats taken the oath of administrators as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Redrick and James Yeats on the Estate of Izma Yeats deed.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William McIlwain be appointed guardian for Malinda and Jenetta Buchanan minor heirs of Samuel Buchanan deed and the said William McIlwain appeared in open court together D.M. Simpson and William Rogers his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

On motion of Samuel Epperson it is ordered by the court that Balitha Owens E.R. Reese Nathaniel Ferguson Joseph Crockett Stephen Allen Sam Epperson & David Carsey be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road leaving the Centerville road at or near Samuel Epperson the nearest and best way from there to Owenss Ferry of Duck River and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

H. Nicholas P. W.C. Hedge JP James Yeats JP

(203) State of Tennessee. At a county court begun and held for the County of Humphrey at the courthouse in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 7th day of December 1846 present and presiding the worshipful H. Nicholas H.B. Taylor, James Yeats A. Warren, W. White, W.C. Hedge, Saml Epperson, J.P. Wilson, A. Harris W.W. Waggoner and W.L. Byrn Justices &c

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with E.H. Baker Guardian for M.A. & E.J. Baker minor heirs of Edmond Taylor deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Only Owens and Salathiel Honey administrators of the Wily Ridings deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

William W. Hamm administrator de bonis of the Estate of Robert McCutcher

deed returned an inventory of the personal estate of said deed and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of the proale distribution of the available funds belonging to the Estate of Wyly "idings deed between creditors thereof which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

Richard Batson administrator of the estate of S.T. Hunt deed this day returned a supplemental inventory and hire of the negroes and rent of the farm for the year 1846 and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

M.M. Massey one of the administrators of the Estate of Isaac H. Massey deed this day made supplemental inventory and account of sale of the negroes belonging to the Estate of Isaac H. Massey deed and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

(264) C.E. Hudson Administrator of the Estate of Mary Larkin deed this day returned in open court an inventory and account of sale of the personal estate of said deed and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

Stephen Allen administrator of the Estate of Calab A. Bassel deed this day returned in open court a supplemental inventory and account of sale of the rent corn deed for the rent of the farm of said deed for the year 1846 and amount the farm rented for the year 1847 and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion of Narcissa Hendrix it is ordered by the court that the said Narcissa Hendrix be appointed administratrix of the estate of Isaac Hendrix deed and the said Narcissa Hendrix appeared in open court together with Joseph B. Massey William M. Hendrix and John Carter her securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of seven hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Narcissa taken the oath as administratrix as the law directs. It is therefore ordered by the court that letters of administration be granted to the said Narcissa Hendrix upon the Estate of Isaac Hendrix deed.

On motion of Narcissa Hendrix It is ordered by the court that Thomas Lein William O'Guin and James Thompson be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Isaac Hendrix deed for one year from his death and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of James H. McAdoo it is ordered by the court that said James H. McAdoo be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of John N. Box deed and the said James H. McAdoo appeared in open court together with John McAdoo and John L. Rkins his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of sixteen hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said James J. McAdoo taken the oath of administrators as the law directs. It was there upon ordered by said court that letters of administration issue to the said James H. McAdoo on the Estate of John N. Box deed.

On motion of Samuel Epperson It was ordered by the court that Richard D. Bryant continue on the road that he is now overseer of and that all the hands who worked under said Bryant continue to do so instead of working on the new road that was put on at the last term of this court which road is established in the second class.

On motion of John Owen it is ordered by the court that John Owen and Zedac Owen be appointed administrators of the Estate of Balitha Owen deed and the said John Owen and Zedac Owen appeared in open court together with Elisha Waggoner M.M. Massey and Joseph Crockett their security thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of eight hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said John and Zedac Owens taken the oath of administrators as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administrators issue to the said John and Zedac Owen on the Estate of Balitha Owen deed.

On motion of V.S. Allen It is ordered by the court that Sterling H. Fowler William McIlwain and Jesse Rogers be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions out of the estate of Balitha Owen deed to serve the widow and family of Balitha Owen deed one year from his death and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of Elisha Waggoner it is ordered by the court that William Harris be appointed overseer of the road leading from Massey's ferry on Duck River to where the same will intersect the Hurricane Road near Stephen Allend field and that Joseph Crockett Robert Shannon Wm. Adcock, G.W. Matthews James Page J.N. Massey Ma son Moon and Elisha Waggoner work on said road under said Harris which road is established in the second class.

(265) On motion it is ordered by the court that Stephen O'Guire be appointed overseer of the road in the room of William F. Carter and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road and formerly worked under said Carter shall in future work under said O'Guin on said road which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Robert T aylor be appointed overseer of the road in the room of James O'Guin and that all the hands who formerly worked under said O'Guin shall in future work under said T aylor on said road which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Nathaniel Page be appointed Guardian for Phoebe and George Bissel minor orphan heirs of Calab Bissel deed and the said Nathaniel Page appeared in open court together with Stephen Allan and John Page his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

William Rogers administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of James Teas deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

William Rogers administrator of the Estate of Pleasant Rogers deed this day made return of a supplemental inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Pleasant Clark John E. Clark

Albert Warren William Atkerson and Ivy T. Phillips be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of Nathan Tubbs and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

- (257) On motion of John Owen it is ordered by the court that John Owen be appointed Guardian for Balitha P. Owen minor heir of Balitha Owen deed and the said John Owen appeared in open court together with Alexander Martin his security thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

On motion of James C. Teas it is ordered by the court that the said James C. Teas be appointed guardian for James Teas Henry Teas Edmond Teas Martha A. Teas and Elizabeth J. Teas minor orphans of George Teas deed and the said J.C. Teas appeared in open court together with Charles Teas Elisha Waggoner and G.W. Martin his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which was examined by the court and received and so certified.

Urbane Harris administrator of the estate of W.W. Braughon deed this day made a supplemental return of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

On motion of James Moses who made application to this court for the privilege of building an office to be used by him for the purpose of an apothecary shop but to belong to the County when it should be necessary for him to leave the same a vote being taken thereon and majority of the Justices voting in the affirmative, to wit, H. Nichol, W.W. Moss, W.C. Hedge U. Harris W.W. Waggoner, Whitbee White and J.B. Wilson and James Yeats voting in the negative. It is thereupon ordered by the court and privilege is hereby given to the said Moses to build the same for the use above specified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the following named Justices of the peace be appointed commissioners to take a list of the taxable property and polls in the Civil Districts in said County, to wit, 1st Dist. H.B. Traylor, 2nd W.W. Moss 3rd James Miller 4th J.J. Harris 5th Ichabod Adams 6th J.G. Yeats 7th Eli "White 8th District Saml. Apperson 9th W.L. Byrn 10th W.C. Hedge 11th William O'Guin and return the same as the law directs.

- (258) On motion it is ordered by the court that V.B. Allen be appointed overseer of the road in the room of C.T. Favatt and all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Favatt in future work under said Allen on said road which road is established in the first class.

M.H. Massey guardian for Virginia Massey minor orphan heir of Isaac M. Massey deed this day made his report as guardian and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Richard Batson administrator of the Estate S.T. Hunt deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Jeremiah Perry and Robert Smith administrator of the Estate of Kinchen Perry deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

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William Fleming A.P. Gollard Dempsey May a jury of view appointed at the last term of this court to mark and view a road on the lands of W.C. Hunter this day made report in the following words, to wit, agreeable to an order of County Court of said County at the August term 1846. We the jury of view appointed by said court met and agreed that the same road that William C. Hunter opened should still remain the road the 22nd day of November 1846. It is ordered by the court that the said road be considered a public high way of this county which road is established in the second class.

Henry Lewton and Phillip Lewton executors of the last will and testament of William Jones deed this day filed their report de executors of said deed which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with H.B. Marable administrator of the Estate of S.T. Hunt deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

- (259) Court then adjourned until court inco rae.
Urbane Harris JP H. Nichol JP James Yeats JP

State of Tennessee. At a county court begun and held for the county of Humphreys at the court house in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the fourth day of January in the year of our Lord eight hundred and forty seven present and presiding the worshipfull James Yeats Harvey Nichol Whitbee White W.W. Waggoner, H.B. Traylor Eli "White Urbane Harris J.B. Wilson, W.W. Moss, Samuel Epperson, W.L. Byrn, John Larkins and Albert Warren Justices & C

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Daniel F. McElvay guardian for the minor heirs of Robert McElvay deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court produced to the court an account due him for services rendered as clerk which is due him for the year 1846 by said county which a account was examined by said court there being present on the bench a majority of all the Justices on bench which received and ordered by the same that the Trustee of this county pay to Coleman V. Harris clerk of said court the sum of forty nine dollars 88 cents which is due him by said County for the year 1846 out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

H.B. Traylor administrator of the estate of Polly Traylor deed this day made return of an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William B. Hughey Guardian for Robert Hughey minor heir of Edward Hughey deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

(270) On motion of H.B. Traylor it is ordered by the court that Warren D. Parker be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Robert Opton and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road and formerly worked under said Opton in future work under said Parker which road is established in the second class.

Sterling H. Fowler and others who were appointed at the last term of this court commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Balitha Owen dead this day made a report of the same which was ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

John E. Clark and others who were appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of Nathan Tubb this day made their report which was favorable. It is therefore ordered by the court that the road as marked and viewed be considered a public highway in said County and that all the hands who formerly worked on the old road in future work be considered as in the second class which road is established in the second class.

The court then proceeded to elect and on counting votes. It was declared that James Yeats Esqr was duly and constitutionally elected chairman of said court for the present year.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John Wyly be appointed overseer of the road in the room of William Yeats and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Yeats in future work on said road under said Wyly which road is established in the first class.

The court then proceeded to elect a quorum to attend the court for the present year and thereupon on counting the votes it was declared that Samuel Epperson W.W. Moss and Albert Warren Esqrs was elected a quorum to attend the courts for said year.

The court then proceeded to elect two revenue commissioners to make settlement with the County Officers for the present year and on counting the votes it was declared that H.B. Traylor and Urbane Harris Esqrs was duly and constitutionally elected commissioners for that purpose.

(271) On motion it is ordered by the court that Ezekiel Brown be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Westley Toland removed and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Toland in future work on said road under said Brown which road is established in the second class.

The court then proceeded to elect a tax collector for the State and County Revenue for the present year and upon the votes being counted out. It appears that William H. Geedner was duly and constitutionally elected to collect said revenue as aforesaid.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Trustee of this County pay John Wood fifty dollars for keeping Lotty Bryant a poor person of this County for the term of twelve months from this date and that the Trustee of this County pay the said sum of fifty dollars to the said Wood at the expiration of said term out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

(272) On motion it is ordered by the court that William Rogers be appointed administrators de bonis of the Estate of Mumford Ford deceased and thereupon the said William Rogers appeared in open court together with John H. Ford B.B. Spicer and William Teas his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said William Rogers taken the oath as administrators as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that the said William Rogers have letters of administrators on the Estate of Mumford Ford dead.

The court then proceeded to let Nathan Sheffield a poor person of this County to the lowest bidder there being present on the bench a majority of all the Justices of the peace and Solomon McCloud being the lowest bidder bidding the sum of forty four dollars 87cts that being the lowest bid it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this County pay to said McCloud the sum of forty four dollars 87cts at the expiration of twelve months from this date out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

The court then went into an election to elect an entry taken to fill out the unexpired term of E.H. Neel removed and on counting the votes it was declared that Har y Nichol was duly and constitutionally elected and the sd Harvy Nichol appeared in open court together with Albert Warren & James Yeats his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond on the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Harvy Nichol taken the oath of Entry taker agreeable to law.

On motion it is ordered by the court there being present on the bench a majority of all the acting Justices of the peace and all voting in the affirmative that the Trustee of this county pay James Yeats eleven dollars W.C. Hedge 10 dollars Harvy Nichols eleven dollars Urbane Harris one dollar Whilden White one dollar Albert Warren one dollar and H.B. Traylor one dollar for holding the quorum court for the year 1846 out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

The court then proceeded to elect a jury to attend the circuit court at the April term 1847 which is as follows, to wit, 1st district J.D. Love H.B. Traylor 2nd W.W. Moss Benjamin Andrews 3rd W.W. Waggoner W.T. Cooley 4th Dist. Zedac Owens J.L. Spencer 5th Dist. Jonathan Merritt, Thomas Parper 6th Dist. W. White James Yeats W.H. Childress 7th Dist E. White A. Warren J.P. Dorris 8th District John Goodwin, William Harris, William Teas 9th Dist Ezekiel Baker William

(273) Price 10th Dist Charles W. Brown Benjamin Holland 11th Dist Alexander Brown John Lewis and C.S. Batson and William Jerngen constables to wait on the court and jury.

On motion of H.H. Marable it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay Alexander Jones seventy for dollars and seventy five cents out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated for putting a fence around the courthouse in the town of Waverly.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Hiram B. Traylor Esqr be appointed commissioner to make settlement with Coleman E. Harris clerk of this court and guardian for E. Eby minor heir of Thomas Eby dead and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

S. Epperson JP Wm. W. Moss JP Albert Warren JP

(274) At a county court begun and held for the County of Humphreys and State of Tennessee at the court house in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the first day of February one thousand eight hundred and forty seven present and presiding the worshipful Samuel Epperson and W.W. Moss Albert Warren James Yeats and H.B. Traylor Esqrs Justices do.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Henry Miller guardian for Jacob and Thomas Miller idiot heirs of Jacob Miller decd which report was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Joshua Kirkland administrator of the estate of Aaron Kirkland decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the court to be recorded.

The clerk of this court make report of a settlement made with Joshua Y. Knight Guardian for James T. Margaret A. Rufus S. and Cordelia F. Knight minor orphan heirs of Edmond Weldredge decd which was examined by the court and recd and ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John Larkins be appointed Revenue commissioner to take a list of the taxable property and polls in the 4th Civil District for the year 1847 in the room of J.J. Harris removed and make return of the same as the law directs.

Narcissa Hendrix administratrix of the Estate of Isaac Hendrix decd this day returned in open court an inventory and account of sale of the personal assets of said deceased and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

(275) Thomas Linn James Thompson and William O'Guin commissioners appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Isaac Hendrix decd this day make return of their proceeding which was ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

James J. Harris Esqr this day tendered his resignation as a Justice of the peace and for the County of Humphreys which was read by the court and so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Harvey M. Hunter be appointed overseer of the road leading up Hurricane Creek commencing at the forks of the road where the Waverly road crosses the road leading down Hurricane and work up to Stephen Forsees and that James Taylor and all the hands living on said Taylors farm and Dempsey Mays hands and Stephen Forsee work under said Hunter which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that David Cassey be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Bryant Goodwin and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Goodwin in future work under said Cassey on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion of Joseph H. Long it is ordered by the court that John Linn Daniel Tubb and J.C. Tass W.G. Deshaze and Jacob Poland be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road from Joseph H. Long to Jacob Poland

the nearest and best way with due regard to the public and individual interest and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

(276) On motion it is ordered by the court that William Simpson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Willard Getland and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Getland in future work under said Simpson on said road which road is established in the second class.

On motion of William A. and J. Reese it is ordered by the court that William Harris be appointed Guardian for the said William A. and J. Reese and the said William Harris appeared in open court together with L.M. Massey and Balitha Owen his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and recd and so certified.

H.B. Traylor Administrator of the estate of Polly Traylor decd this day made a supplemental return of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

Federick Yeats and James Yeats administrators of the estate of Izma Yeats decd this day returned in open court an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of James Patterson and produced in open court and the due execution thereof being proved by the oaths of J.W. Lewis and Silas K. Averett subscribing witnesses thereto and John Edwards who was appointed exors ors of said last will and testament refusing to act as such and there upon on motion of James H.

(277) Patterson. It is ordered by the court that the said James H. Patterson be appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of the said James Patterson decd and thereupon the said James H. Patterson appeared in open court together with Silvester Adams and Thomas Poyner his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of six hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said James H. Patterson taken the oath of administrator as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said James H. Patterson on the estate of James Patterson decd with the will annexed.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this County pay Sarah Immerson fifty dollars for keeping Downs Immerson a pauper of this County for the term of twelve months from this date out of any moneys in the hands of the Trustee not otherwise appropriated at the expiration of said time.

On motion it is ordered by the court that aboy by the name of Cathon W. Hansen and at the request of said boy be being over the age of fourteen years be bound unto E.J. Casley until he arrives at the age of twenty one years and the said E.J. Casley together with J.M. Parker appeared in open court his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined and approved by the court.

On motion of Nancy M. Kirkland it is ordered by the court that the said Nancy M. Kirkland be appointed guardian for May Ann Tenaby Mary Frances William J. and Thomas B. Kirkland a minor lives of Aaron Kirkland minor

heirs of Aaron Kirkland minor heirs of Aaron Kirkland deed and the said Nancy M. appeared in open court together with Joshua Kirkland her securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

- (276) Hiram B. Traylor Esqr who was appointed at the last term of this court to make settlement with Coleman E. Harris clerk of said court and guardian for M.E. Eby minor orphan heir of Thomas Eby deed this day made report of the same which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Thomas Kirkland guardian for Priscilla Roberts minor heir of Willie Roberts deed which report was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of C.E. Harris clerk of this court. It is ordered by the court that the Trustees of this County pay the said Harris one dollar and fifty cents for making out and issuing writs of venue for the Circuit court of this county for the year 1846 out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

Court then adjourned until court in course
Wm. W. Moss JF W. Epperson JP Ibert Warren JP

- (277) State of Tennessee. At a county court begun and held at the court house in the Town of Javerly for the County of Humphreys and on the first Monday at being the first day of March 1846 present and presiding the worshipful Samuel Epperson James Yantis W.W. Moss A. Warren H.B. Traylor Esqrs.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James Frewitt guardian for the minor heirs of John Frewitt deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Wm. W. Merrin administrator de bonis man of the estate of Robert McCutchen deed which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Jane Moore guardian for the minor heirs of William Bentland deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Littleberry Reece Guardian former guardian for F.J. and W.A. and Amanda B. Reece minor heirs of Charles Reece deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with S.B. Spicer guardian for George J. Eby minor heir of Thomas Eby deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

Daniel McElyea former guardian for the minor heirs of Robert McElyea deed this day appeared in open court and renewed his bond as guardian and the said McElyea appeared in open court together with William W.W.

Moss and C.E. Harris his security thereto and acknowledged their bond in the sum of three hundred and twenty five dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

- (280) John and Zedac Owens administrators of the Estate of Balitha Owens deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion of William G. Deshaize It is ordered by the court that Jacob Poland J.C. Teas John Taylor and L.W. Foland Daniel Hobbs John Lein and William G. Deshaize and Joseph H. Long and William Simpson and Wiley Hedge George Knowland and L.W. Bryant be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road from Joseph H. Long to Jacob Foland the nearest and best way and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Solomon Owens be a pointed overseer of the road in the road of Robert Froek removed and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work on said road under said Owens which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Joseph Frewitt be appointed overseer of the road in the road of Daniel Ashley and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Ashley in future work under said Frewitt which road is established in the second class.

On motion of William M. Hendrix it is ordered by the court that the said William M. Hendrix be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels right and credits of Andrew Hendrix deceased and the said William M. Hendrix appeared in open court together with William W. Moss and H.B. Traylor his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said William M. Hendrix taken the oath of administration as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said W. M. Hendrix on the estate of Andrew Hendrix deed.

James H. Patterson administrator with the will annexed of the estate of James Patterson deed this day returned in open court an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion of William C. Simpson It is ordered by the court that G.W. Taylor James Forsee Samuel Lunaden W.G. Deshaize and Henry Gilmore be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of John Hunter the

- (281) most suitable and best way and make report of the same to the next term of this court which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that George Noland Benjamin Eppison Joseph Teas, Willis Bryant Charles Teas and William Flook be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of Isham Powers and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

H.B. Traylor John Larkens William O'Guin and Eli White and S. Epperson who was appointed revenue commissioners to take a list of the taxable property poles in the 1st 4th and 7th and 8th and Civil Districts

for the year 1847 this day made a return of their tax lists and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion Daniel Ashley it is ordered by the court that the said Daniel have letters of administration special on the estate of George Hemmington deed and the said Daniel Ashley appeared in open court together with John Easley and William McIlwain his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Daniel Ashley taken the oath of administrator. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Daniel Ashley on the estate of George Hemmington deed.

(282) On motion it is ordered by the court that John C. Echoles be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Beverly Beachman and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Beachman infuture work under said Echoles on said road which is established in the second class.

William Harris, Guardian for Terrell J and William A. Reece minor heirs of Charles Reece deed this day made report of his guardianship and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion of Samuel Wildredge it is ordered by the court that the said Samuel Wildredge be appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Carter deed and the said Samuel Wildredge appeared in open court together with Silvester Adams and William H. Guthrie his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Samuel Wildredge taken the oath of Administrator as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Samuel Wildredge on the Estate of Elizabeth Carter deed.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Albert Warren Samuel Epperson Wm. J. Knight Samuel Rogers and A.M. Vaden be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the Reynoldsburg road leading to Centerville on the lands of William F. Beazley and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On William M. Hendrix it is ordered by the court that James Thompson John Lewis and David R. Marshall be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Andrew Hendrix deed for one year and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

Albert Warren JP Wm. W. Moss JP S. S. Epperson JP

State of Tennessee. At a county court begun and held at the courthouse in the Town of Waverly for the County of Humphreys on the first Monday it being the fifth day of April 1847 present and presiding the worshipful James Yeats Albert Warren Samuel Epperson Wm. W. Moss H.B. Traylor W.C. Hedge W.C. Pullin James Miller William Hudspeth John Larkin Oham W.L. Byrn Thos. Linn Leabod Adams J.D. Love and J.H. Long Esqrs Justices &c

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William H. Guthrie guardian for Samuel W. Guthrie minor heir of Edmond Wildredge deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Hiram B. Traylor Guardian for Margaret A. Traylor Robert Traylor and Mortimer R. Traylor minor heirs of Robert Toggard deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered by the same to be recorded.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Thomas White deceased was this day produced in open court and the due execution thereof proven by the oaths of Joel Smith and B.F. Holland subscribing witnesses thereto and Burwell B. Spicer who was left executors to said last will and testament appeared in open court together with Joel Smith B.F. Holland and Sterling H. Fowler his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said B.B. Spicer appeared in open court and taken the oath of executor as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters testamentary issue to the said B.B. Spicer on the Estate of Thomas White deed.

(284) On motion it is ordered by the court that G.L. Lumsden be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Brewery Taylor and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road is established in the second class.

On motion of John Sullivan it is ordered by the court that John W. Henson be appointed overseer of the road leading down Richland Creek from opposite said Sullivan Mill to Tennessee River and that Irish Parker Robert Allison C.C. Holmes A.D. Holmes and the said John Sullivan hands work on said road under said Henson which road is established in the second class.

Albert Warren and others who was appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of W.F. Beazley this day made a favorable report of the same. It is ordered by the court that the road as now turned be considered a public highway in the County and that all the hands who formerly worked on the old road infuture work on the road as now turned which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered the court that Hiram McElyea be appointed overseer of the road in the room of B.H. Lucas and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Lucas infuture work under said McElyea on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Robert Holland Brewery Taylor Joseph Shouse, William Simpson, Thomas Simpson, John Peeler be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of Stephen Johnson and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

William M. Hendrix Administrator of the estate of Andrew Hendrix deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

(285) On motion of W.N. Whitehead it is ordered by the court that W.C. Young Allen Box Henry L. Hermon James Miller Joel Pearce and Abel Jackson and Edward Simmons be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of said Whitehead and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of John D. Love it is ordered by the court that Morgan Madden be appointed overseer of the road in the room of James Simpson and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road who formerly worked on said road under said Simpson in future work under said Madden on said road which road is established in the second class.

William C. Pullen and William Hudspeth who was duly elected Justice of the peace in the 24th Civil Districts of this County by the qualified voters thereof appeared in open court and taken the several oaths of office and taken their seat on the bench.

James Thompson John Lewis and David L. Marshall who was appointed commissioners at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Andrew Hendrix dead this day made return of the same which was ordered by the court to be recorded.

The court then proceeded to lay a county tax for general county purposes for the present year which is as follows to wit on each hundred dollars worth taxable property ten cents on each white poll twenty five on each stallion or Jack kept for mares half the season price on one mare on each merchants license two dollars and fifty cents on liquor license two dollars and fifty cents.

On motion it is ordered by the court that M.M. Massey be appointed guardian for Isaac M. Massey minor heir of Isaac H. Massey dead and the said M.M. Massey appeared in open court together with Sterling H. Fowler David A. Massey Alexander Martin and Joseph Crockett his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of fifteen hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

(286) James Miller William L. Byrn Esq. Yeats W.W. Moss William C. Hodge and Ichabod Adams who were appointed at the Dec. term 1846 to take a list of the taxable property and polls in the 2nd 3rd and 4th and 5th 10th Districts for the year 1847 this day returned their lists and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion of B.B. Spicer it is ordered by the court there being present on the bench a majority of all the Justices of the peace and all voting in the affirmative that the Trustee of this County pay B. B. Spicer sheriff of said County fifty dollars for his ex officio services for the year 1846 out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

On motion of B.B. Spicer it is ordered by the court that B.B. Spicer be appointed guardian for Elizabeth M.E. White and Thomas D. White minor orphan heirs of Thomas White and the said B.B. Spicer appeared in open court together with Joel Smith R. Smith and Onby Owens his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of three thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

On motion of B.B. Spicer it is ordered by the court that B.B. Spicer be appointed administrator of the estate of William Baker dead and the said B.B. Spicer appeared in open court together with Joel Smith Robert Smith and Onby Owens his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as

the law directs and the said B.B. Spicer taken the oath of administrator agreeable to law

(287) It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said B.B. Spicer on the estate of William Baker dead.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Sterling H. Fowler be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Neal Byrns and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work on said road under said Fowler which road is established in the second class.

H.B. Traylor and Urbane Harris who was appointed Revenue Commissioners to make settlement with the County Officers for the year 1847 this day make settlement with the county officers for the year 1847 this day made report of a settlement made with James Yeats Trustee of this county and Richard Batson clerk of the Circuit William H. Gardner takes the oath of collector agreeable to law which hand was receive by the court and ordered to be recorded which is in the words to follow, to wit,

Know all men by these present that we William H. Gardner Jm Rogers C.E. Harris, Albert Warren and Robert Royner all of the County of Humphreys and State of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto A.C. Brown governor of said state for the time being and his successors in office in the sum of two thousand dollars for which payment well and truly to be made (288) we bind ourselves and each of our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these present sealed with our seals dated this the 5th day of April 1847.

The condition of the above court for fines collected by him and due the county which report was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

William Rogers administrator of the estate of James Teas dead this day made a supplemental return of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

William H. Gardner who was duly and legally elected collector of the public taxes for the year 1847 by the county court of said county at the January term 1847 this day appeared in open court together with William Rogers Royner his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned in the law directs and the said obligation is such that where as the above bound William H. Gardner was duly and legally elected collector of the public taxes for the county of Humphreys for the present year by the county court of said county at the January Term 1847 of said court now if the said William H. Gardner shall well and truly collect and pay to the Treasurer of the state all the State taxes by him collected or which ought to have been collected which is due the state from said County by the first day of December next then this obligation to be void to remain in full force and effect

William H. Gardner (Seal) William Rogers (Seal) C.E. Harris
Albert Warren (Seal) Robert Royner (Seal) James Yeats Chariman
Acknowledged in open court and approved 5th April 1847.

William H. Gardner who was duly and legally elected collector of the County taxes for the present year this day appeared in open court to

gether with William Rogers C.E. Harris Albert Warren and Robert Poyner his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and ordered by the court to be recorded which bond is in the words as follows.

Know all men by these presents that we William H. Gardner, William Rogers C.E. Harris Albert Warren and Robert Poyner all of the County of Humphreys and state of Tennessee are held and firmly bound unto James Yeats Trustee of said county and his successors in office in the sum of two thousand dollars for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of our executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of April 1847.

(289) This condition of the above obligation is such that whereon the above bound William H. Gardner was duly and legally elected collector of the public taxes for the county aforesaid for the present year by the county court of said county at the January term 1847 of said court. Now if the above bound William H. Gardner shall well and truly collect and pay to the county Trustee of said County all the taxes by him collected or which ought to have been collected by the first day of December next then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and effect. Acknd in open William H. Gardner (Seal) C.E. Harris (Seal)

Albert Warren (Seal) Robert Poyner (Seal)

On motion of Thomas Lain. It is ordered by the court that James Patterson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of James Thompson and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Thompson in future work under said Patterson on said road which road established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William W. Moss be appointed administrator all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of the estate of James Moss dead and the said William W. Moss appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris H.B. Traylor and C.S. Batson his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said W.W. Moss taken the oath of administrator as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to said W. Moss on the estate of James Moss dead.

On motion of Whidbee White it is ordered by the court that the said Whidbee White be appointed guardian for Rebecca A. Ridings dead and the said White appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris and Albert Warren his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the

(290) sum of eleven hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and as certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that J. Yeats Trustee of this county be allowed five dollars for the final expenses of an old man by the name of Waverly a poor person of this county who died at the Waverly Inn without means to bury him with out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

Onby Owens who was duly and legally elected constable in the 4th Civil District of this county on the first Saturday in March 1846 for the ensuing two years this day tendered his resignation to the court which was received

and so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that J. Yeats Trustee of this county be allowed five dollars for the final expenses of an old man by the name of Wanner a poor person of this County who died at the Waverly Inn without means to bury him with out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

Onby Owens who was duly and legally elected constable in the 4th Civil District of this County on the first Saturday in March 1846 for the ensuing two years this day tendered his resignation to the court which was received and so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay H.B. Traylor W.W. Moss James Miller John Larkin Ichabod Adams, James Yeats Eli White Samuel Epperson William L. Byrn W.C. Heide A & William O'Givin five dollars each as Revenue commissioners for taking the tax list for the year 1847 out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

On motion of G.L. Nelson it is ordered by the court that the said G.L. Nelson be exonerated from paying seventeen dollars eighty six cents which he could not collect as county taxes for the year 1846 and that he have a credit with the Trustee in his settlement for the same.

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vs)

W. Teas)

Bill of cost on motion. It is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay Richard Batson clerk of the Civil Court forty two dollars and fifty cents costs of a suit in the case of the State against William Teas which was rendered against the County of Humphreys by the supreme court at Nashville at the December Term 1846 on said court out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

(291) On motion it is ordered by the court that Moses Crowell be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Andrew Doty and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road and formerly worked under said doty in future work under said Crowell on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion of John Lewton it is ordered by the court that William McIlwain Onby Owens and Daniels Ashley be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of William Baker dead one year from this date and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of D.M. Simpson It is ordered by the court that a boy by the name of Thomas Seets an orphan boy be bound unto the said D.M. Simpson until he arrives at the age of twenty one years and the said D.M. Simpson appeared in open court together with William McIlwain his security thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two hundred dollars for the faithful compliance of this indenture of said orphan conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

the clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Jacob Humble Administrator of the Estate of William McCasland dead which was examined and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William Rogers guardian for the minor heirs of Samuel Owens deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of George Ridings it is ordered by the court that the road leading from the ford of the creek below John Carters on White Oak Creek leading to Waverly which has been turned by Benjamin Adams the present overseer be considered a public highway in this county and that the hands who worked on said road under said Adams continue to work on the road is moved by said overseer which road is established in the second class.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

Samuel Epperson JP Wm W. Moss JP Albert Warren JP

- (232) State of Tennessee. A county court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the court house in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the third day of May 1847 present and presiding the worshipful Judges Samuel Epperson Wm W. Moss and Albert Warren Esqrs Justices do

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James H. McAdoo Guardian for Louise and John N. Bx minor heirs of Lindley Box deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with George Ridings administrator of the estate of Joel Riding deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John Brown administrator of the estate of John G. Warren deed with the will annexed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

(233) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James Yeats Trustee of this county relative to the common school fund of said County for the year 1846 which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

- (233) On motion it is ordered by the court that Brison Smith be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Richard D. Turner and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road and formerly worked under said Turner in future work under said Smith on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that James A. Hatcher be appointed overseer of the road in the room of John L. Hatcher and that James Curtice John Hudson Henry Hatcher John L. Hatcher work on said road under said Hatcher work on said road under said Hatcher which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay C.E. Harris five dollars to pay for a shroud and coffin to bury a man by the name of Burgess who died at John Massey's without means to bury him without of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

William McIlwain and others who was appointed commissioner at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the

widow and family of William Baker deed this day made a report of the same which was ordered by the court to be recorded.

Daniel Ashley who was appointed special administrator of the Estate of George Hendrix deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Elizabeth Jones be appointed Guardian for Mary Martha and William Murphy minor children of Caleb Murphy and the said Elizabeth Jones appeared in open court together with M.L. Massey her security thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of fifty collars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

- (234) On motion it is ordered by the court that Daniel Ashley be appointed guardian for Mary E.E. & Thomas J. Martin minor heirs of Thomas J. Martin deed and the said Daniel Ashley appeared in open court together with Only Owens and James P. Baker his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and approved and so certified.

William W. Moss Administrator of the Estate of James Moss deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

- The court then proceeded to appoint the following named persons to serve as jurors at the August term 1847 by the Circuit Court of Humphreys County, to wit, 1st district Samuel Hemby, James Ladden, Thomas H. Lattimer (235) J.W. Wynn, Thomas Goodwin, John Brown, James Miller, Henry Miller, Alexander Martin, Only Owens, Ichabod Adams, R.D. Turner, John W. Cearnall, Charles Flagg, Nathan Tubbs, Levi McCollum, A.N. Vaden, L.W. Bryant, J.M. Long, Jesse Perceus, Davis, L. Cason, J.W. Hedge, Adber Atkins, A.J. Brown and Kinchen Pelt and G.F. Lumsden and Robert Hale to serve as constable to wait on the court and jury.

(235) On motion it is ordered by the court that Caleb Murphy be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Thomas Parham and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Parham in future work under said Murphy on said road which is established in the second class.

Joseph Chouse Drury Taylor John Peeler Robert Holland and William Simpson who was appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of Stephen B. Johnson made the following report which is as follows To leave the old road at the bend of Robert Conley lane and cross the creek and running up the south side until the same will intersect the old road. It is ordered by the court that the same be considered a public highway of this county and that all the hands who formerly worked on the old road in future work on the road as now turned by said Johnson which road is established in the second class.

On motion of John D. Love it is ordered by the court that John J. Thomas Alexander Brown John Forney H.B. Trelor Revord L. Trelor and Allen Scholes appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road to leave White Oak at Noah O'Quinn the nearest and best way to where the same will intersect the Waverly road on the ridge this side of Levi Kirkland and make report of

Goash O'guins the nearest and best way to where the same will intersect the Waverly road on the ridge this side of Levi Kirkland and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of William W. Moss it is ordered by the court that Thomas Lain Sterling Felt and Kinchen Felt be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow of James Moss dead one year from his death and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of V.S. Allen it is ordered by the court that Samuel White and David Turner be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of Andrew White dead and the said Samuel White and David Turner appeared in open court together with Silvester Adams and V.S. Allen their securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Samuel White and David Turner takes the oath of administrator as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Samuel White and David Turner on the Estate of Anderson White dead.

On motion of Thomas Lain Kinchen Felt and Sterling Felt who was this day appointed to set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow of James Moss dead this day made their report which was received by the court and ordered to be recorded.

(206) On motion of J.R. Robbins it is ordered by the court that John R. Robbins be appointed guardian for Louisa Ann Robbins minor heir of Hannah Brigham dead and the said John R. Robbins appeared in open court together with William Tens and E.M. Warren his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay John Wyley eight dollars for a book for the use of the Register of the County out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

S. Epperson JP Wm. W. Moss JP Albert Warren JP

State of Tennessee. At a county court begun and held for the county of Humphreys at the court house in the town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 7th day of June 1847 present and presiding the worshipful James Yeats Albert Warren Saml Epperson Wm. Moss W.W. Waggoner and Hervey Nichol Esqrs Justices &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William A. Steel guardian for Thomas Box minor heir of Lyndley Box dead which report was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John McAdoo guardian for Mary Box minor heir of Lyndley Box dead which report was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

(207) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Silvester Adams guardian for J.J. Adams J.B. Adams and M.N. Adams and P.E. Adams minor heirs at law of Willis Norworthy dead which report was examined

by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Onby Owen administrator of the Estate of Thomas J. Maclin dead which report was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William Miller guardian for John Miller idiot heir of Jacob Miller dead which report was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with the Trustees of the rural academy of this county which report was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

Jane Moon former guardian for B.W., E.W., H.H. and E.J. Boulton minor orphan heirs of William Boulton dead this day appeared in open court and renewed her bond as guardian with William G. Boulton and John Brown her securities thereto in the sum of four hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was acknowledged in open court and approved by the same and so certified.

Wyly Legate this day appeared in open court there being present on the bench five acting Justices of the peace to wit James Yeats W.W. Waggoner Albert Warren W.W. Moss and Samuel Epperson and prove by his own oath that he had killed five wolves within the limits of this county and produced the scalps thereof to the court which was adjudged by the court to be under the age of four months and the requisition of the acts of the general assembly by being complied with it is ordered by the court that the same be so certified.

(208) On motion of J.E. Patrick it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this County pay the said J.E. Patrick two dollars and fifty cents for making a coffin for Davols Immerson a pauper of this county and John Wyly two dollars and fifty cents for a shroud &c to bury said Immerson in out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

On motion of R.S. Orter it is ordered by the court that H. Mareble Urbane Harris W.W. Moss R. Bateson M.S. Smith and Isaac Lucas and W. Poyner be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road to leave the stage road at or near where Mason Box now lives the nearest and best way to Tennessee River opposite the mouth of Cypress Creek between Reynoldsburg and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of V.S. Allen it is ordered by the court there being present on the bench nine acting justices of the peace and all of the same voting in the affirmative. It is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this County pay to Isaac Lucas James M. Parker & Hiram McElyea commissioners appointed to superintend the public buildings in the Town of Waverly thirty two dollars and thirty cents last adjudged and decreed against them as commissioners in the Chancery court at Charlotte at the Oct term 1846 of said court and of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Sallom McCloud dead was this day produced in open court and the due execution thereof proved by the oath of Hervey Nichols and Elmina Nichol subscribing witnesses thereto and there being no execution left or appointed by the said dead to said will thereupon on motion of Margaret McCloud it is ordered by the

court that the said Margaret McCloud be appointed administratrix with the will annexed on the Estate of said Solomon McCloud decd thereupon the said Margaret McCloud appeared in open court together with Laben Hendrix Wildbee White her securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their hand in the sum of five thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Margaret McCloud takes the oath of administratrix as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Margaret McCloud on said estate.

(299) Samuel Wilredge administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Carter decd this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion of Silvester Adams It is ordered by the court that William Hooper Isaac Turner James Smith Company Hooper and Alfred Edwards be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of said Silvester Adams and Ichabod Adams to leave all the farm of said Silvester and Ichabod Adams on the left going down said Creek commencing near Ashers Still place and running on the north side of petitioner home plantation and intersect the old road between Ichabod Adams farm nearest and best way and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

David D. Murphy who was duly and constitutionally elected constable in the 4th Civil District of this county by the qualified voters thereof on the 5th day of June 1847 to fill out the unexpired time of Onby Owens resigned this day appeared in open court together with M.M. Massey and William McIlwain his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said David M. Massey taken the oath of constable as the law directs.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Robert Smith Administrator of the Estate of Kinchen Perry decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William C. Pullin guardian for Mary R. Perry minor heir of Kinchen Perry decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

Court then adjourned until next in course.

William W. Moss JP S. Epperson JP Albert Warren JP

(300) At a County court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the courthouse in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 5th day of July 1847 present and presiding the worshipfull James Yeats Albert Warren W.W. Moss William L. Byrn Samuel Eppison H.B. Traylor and Wilkins W. Waggoner Esqrs Justices &c

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Daniel Forsee guardian for the minor heirs of Benjamin Noland decd which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

John H. Thomas Richard L. Traylor and others who were appointed commissioners at a former term of this court to view and mark a road to leave White Oak Creek at or near where Noah O'Guire now lives the nearest and best way to intersect the Waverly road on the ridge this side of

Levi Kirkland this day made their report of the same. It is there upon ordered by the court that John H. Thomas be appointed overseer to open said road to commence where the said road as viewed and marked intersect the Waverly road on the ridge south of Levi Kirkland and to open the same to the Creek now Moses Hedgecocks and that all the hands living on Big Richland Creek from Willie Turners and its waters to H.M. Traylor's mark under said Thomas to open said road which is in the second class.

Ichabod Adams Esqr this day returned in open court two bonds taken in two cases of bastardy one on the case of Rachall Daniel and the other in the case of Tressy Wilson with three dollars twelve and one half cents fine on oath the amount adjudged against them for refusing to swear the same which hands were received and it is ordered by the court that the Trust e be charged with the amount of six dollars twenty five cents on the received docket of this County.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Allen Scholes be appointed overseer to open a road as viewed and marked by the commissioners there before appointed by the court for that purpose to commence at the forks of the road near Noah O'Guire on White Oak to open the same to the creek near Moses Hedgecocks and that all the hands below the widow Ridings on White Oak and its waters down to Beverly Beachams work under said Scholes to open the same which road is established in the second class.

Margaret McCloud administratrix with the will annexed of the Estate of Solomon McCloud decd this day made return of an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of William J. Cooley decd was this day produced in open court and the due execution thereof proven by the oath of Henry L. Harmon & E.L. Loyd subscribing witnesses thereto and Margaret Cooley the executing executrix left in said will this day appeared in open court and taken the oath of Executrix B.S. Bowen refusing to be sworn in as executor his being appointed as such in said rule, thereupon the said Margaret Cooley appeared in open court together with John Crockett and B.S. Bowen his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of six thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and it is ordered by the court that letters testamentary issue to the said Margaret Cooley on the estate of William T. Cooley decd.

On motion of F. Priestly it is ordered by the court that B. F. Brown and Hugh L. Brown be appointed administrators of all and singular the goods and chatties rights and credits of Alexander Brown decd and the B.F. Hugh L. Brown appeared in open court together with John Brown F. Priestly William O'Guire their securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of six thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said B.F. & Hugh L. Brown takes the oath of administrators as the law directs. It is therefore ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said B.F. and Hugh L. Brown on the estate of Alexander Brown decd.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Thomas Holland be appointed overseer of the road in the room of W.E. Esley and that all the hands into formerly worked on said road under said Esley in future work under said Holland on said road which is established in the second class.

- (302) The clerk of this county court made report of a settlement made with Elizabeth McClure guardian for the minor heirs Leban Brown dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

Silvester Adams for Samuel White and David Turner administrators if the estate of Anderson White dead this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said the court that the same be recorded.

Wilvester Adams for Samuel White and David Turner administrator of the Estate of Anderson White dead this day returned of sale of said the Court that the same be recorded.

The court then proceeded to appoint judges to hold the election at the different precincts in this county to be held on the 5th of August next which is as follows, to wit, 1st District Patrick Grice, John L. McCracken and Wiles Turner 2nd district R. Batson W.C. Poyner and John Brown 3rd Allen Box W.W. Waggoner Henry L. Harmon 4th District John Larkin Alexander Martin and William Hudspeth 5th District James Poyner John Edwards and Samuel Wildridge 6th District Alexander Jones Z.T. Crim and Thomas Poyner 7th District Nathan Tubb Ezekiel Brown and William Atkinson 8th District William Fleming L.W. Bryant and William Harris 9th District Henry Newton Willie Saunders and William Hobbs 10th District Benjamin Holland W.C. Hedge and James Crockett 11th District William O'Guin Richard L. Traylor and John Lewis It is ordered by the court that the sheriff summon the above named persons for the purpose aforesaid.

Urbane Harris W.C. Poyner R. Batson Isaac Lucas and Henry H. Marable a jury of view appointed at last term of this court to view and mark a road on the lands of Mason Box to Tennessee River this day reported they had received and marked the same agreeable to said order. It is ordered by the court that the petitioner for said road which B.S. Orton open the same at his own expense and there by complying with the requisition of the law he can get an order for a ferry across Tennessee River.

- (303) B.B. Spicer administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of William Baker dead this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto. It is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

B.B. Spicer executor of the last will and testament of Thomas White dead this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

Wm. W. Moss JP S. Epperson JP Albert Warren JP

- (304) State of Tennessee, Humphrey County. At a County court begun and held for the county of Humphreys at the court house in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the second day of August 1847 present and guarding the worshipfull James Testa Samuel Epperson W.W. Moss Albert Warren and W.C. Pullen Esqrs Justices &c.

William Hooper Isaac Turner and others who were appointed at the last term of this court a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the roads on the lands of Ichabod Adams this day made a report of the same which is part of the same, which is in favour of the alteration agreeable

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to the request of petitioner it is ordered by the court that the said road as viewed and marked by said jury of view be considered a public highway in this County when opened and received by the overseer of said road and that all the hands who formerly worked on said old road in future work on said road as viewed and marked by said jury of view which road is not received by the overseer nor hands who have to work on said road.

Whidbee White guardian for Rebecca Ann Kidding's minor heir of Joel Kidding dead this day made report of his guardianship and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Levi M. Collum admr of the estate of Lyndley Box dead which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of Charles Plant it is ordered by the court that Levi Kirkland Junr be appointed overseer of the road in the room of said Plant and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Plant and that all the hands who formerly worked under said plant in future work under said Kirkland on said road which is established in the second class.

- (306) On motion of William Hooper, it is ordered by the court that James Hooper Senr be appointed overseer of the road in the room of William Hooper and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Wm. Hooper in future work under said James Hooper Senr on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Nathaniel Simpson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of C.N. Taylor and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said Simpson on said road which is established in the second class.

A paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Lucinda Spradlin was this day produced in open court and the due execution thereof proven by the oaths of Samuel Rogers and William Legate subscribing witnesses thereto and William J. Knight who was left executors of said will and testament appeared in open court together with Samuel Rogers and C.B. Harris his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said William J. Knight who was left executor of said will takes the oath as law directs it is ordered by the court that letters testamentary issue to the said Wm J. Knight on the estate of Lucinda Spradlin dead.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Joseph Wilson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of James Sabater and that William Atkerson and hands James M. Webster Nicholas Waggoner Samuel Leonard Orvel Leonard and James Legatee work on said road which road is established in the second class.

On motion of James Frewitt it is ordered by the court that James Frewitt be appointed guardian for Levisa John Lewis Anderson and Benjamin Prewitt minor orphan heirs of James Frewitt appeared in open court together with

John Frewitt his security thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of sixty dollars conditioned as the law directs which was received by the court.

(306) On motion of William M. Cooley and it appearing to the court that Joseph Dilday had been wrongfully charged on the Revenue Commissioners Tax list with the sum of thirty seven and half cents a pole tax it is ordered by the court that the said Dilday be exempt from paying twenty five cents County Tax and twelve and one half cents State Tax and that the collector do a credit with the Trustee of said County for twenty five in his settlement and 12 1/2 cents in his settlement with the Treasurer of the State for the same.

On motion of William Robertson it is ordered by the court that James Hooper Senn be appointed overseer of the road in the room of said William Robertson and that all the men's living in the bounds of said road and formerly worked under said Robertson in future work under said Hooper on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion of Epps Jackson it is ordered by the court that William G. Deshaize John Taylor Jacob Poland L. W. Bryant Samuel Epperson Joseph Teas Stephen Allen and Henry Crockett be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road to leave the old road at or near Samuel Epperson leading down Hurricane Creek to intersect the old road at or near William Paces the nearest and best way down said creek taking the individual a public good inconsideration and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of William McIlwain it is ordered by the court that John L. Spember Noble Add William Martin Isaac Adnerson and Charrof Thompson be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road from A. J. Williamson to cross Buffalo River at or near the meeting house on said river to intersect the Ferryville road at or near where Alexander Martins lives the nearest and best way and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

(307) On motion of Daniel Forsee it is ordered by the court that George Noland L. W. Bryant Samuel Epperson, William Black Joseph Teas Benjamin Epperson and William Teas be appointed a jury of view to view and more on alteration in the road on the lands of Martha Noland and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

William Rogers administrator of the estate of Murford Ford deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

John Falkner administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Franklin deed this day returned a supplemental inventory and account of sale of hire of the negroes of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion of W. C. Pullin it is ordered by the court that John Crowell Junr be appointed overseer of the road in the room of W. C. Pullin and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Pullin in future work under said Crowell on said road which is established in the second class.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

S. Epperson JP Albert Warren JC Wm. W. Moss JP

(308) State of Tennessee, Humphreys County. At a County court begun and held for the at the court house in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday it being the 8th day of Sept. A.D. 1847 present and presiding the worshipful Samuel Epperson W. W. Moss Albert Warren W. C. Pullin Esqrs Justices &c

B. B. Spicer administrator of the estate of Isaac McCastland deed this day returned a supplemental return of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

William J. Knight executor of the last will and testament of Lucinda Spradlin deed this day made returned an inventory and account of sale of the estate of said deed and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

he clerk of this court made a report of a settlement made with S. B. Reeves guardian for Amanda B. Reece deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

he clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with S. B. Reece guardian for Amanda B. Reece minor heir of Charles Reece deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

he clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with George Ridings administrator of the estate of Joel Ridings deed which report was examined by the court received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John W. Cernall and John K. Dyer executors of the last will and testament of Hubbard Cernall deed which was examined by the court received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement with John Taylor and Kinchen Taylor administrators of the estate of Edmond Taylor deed which said report was examined by the court received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement with John Falkner administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Franklin deed which report was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

(309) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Isaac Mitchell guardian for Mary McLead minor heir of Duncan McLead deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Daniel Jackson administrator of the estate of David R. Owin deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of John W. Lewis it is ordered by the court that John W. Lewis be appointed administrator of the estate of Mark Rushing deed and the said John W. Lewis appeared in open court together with P. P. Saunders H. George Ridings his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said John H. Lewis takes the oath of administrator as the law directs. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said John Lewis on the estate of Mark Rushing deed.

On motion of John W. Cearnall it is ordered by the court that the said John W. Cearnall be appointed guardian for Wm H. Rufus N. Montgomery D. Asa W. Catherine E. Leons and P.M. Parker minor heirs of John Patrick dead and the said John W. Cearnall appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris C.S. Cearnall and James M. Parker his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of six hundred and twenty dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

(310) Noble Ladd and others who was appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road at the last term of this court made a favorable report of the same it is ordered by the court that William Usury Thomas Owens Bollonon Owens Simon Martin William Miller Bryant Wilcox, Isaac Anderson and his bonds, Sher of Thompson Isaac Reece and Thomas White James Buchanan and all his hands living at said Buchanan Simpson Wiseman A.J. Williams John L. Spencer Marya Pearce William Martin Jesse Walker J.J. Dotson Herrod James and son John Johnson Nobles Ladd and hands T.J. Fowler and hands John Vanhook and Wm. McIlwain work on said road to open the same and that George W. Martin be appointed overseer of said road to open the same as viewed and marked by said jury to view which road is to be established in the second class.

On motion of Edwin Clark it is ordered by the court that George Tubb be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Edwin Clark and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work on said road under said Tubb which road is established in the second class.

On motion of Silvester Adams it is ordered by the court that William Hooper senior L.K. Hooper Isaac Turner J.R. Robbins and Westley Young be appointed a jury of view to view a road as cut out by said Silvester and Ichabod Adams taking the public good and individual advantage of said road in consideration and make report of the same to the next term of this court which road is established in the second class.

James Yeats Trustee of this county this day appeared in open court and entered into with Albert Warren H.B. Traylor and Samuel Eppeson his securities thereto and acknowledged the bond in the sum of one thousand seven hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs relative to the common school fund of said county which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

The court then proceeded to appoint a jury to serve all the December Term 1847 of Circuit Court of said County of Humphreys which is as follows to wit Thomas H. Latimer William McCooley Mason Box W.C. Poyner W.W. Waggoner George E. Clark Robert Vanhook G.W. Martin Alexander Winstead C.M. Lucas Brison Smith J.W. Cearnall D.R. Owen James M. Webster Edwin Clark Stephen P. Lumsden Benjamin Eppison James Fawcett Senr N.B. Pullen Henry Seamore J.W. Hedge Elijah Walker Hugh D. Brown and James Pitt and Thomas Lain and William McIlwain and Samuel L. Dunlap to serve as constables to wait on the court.

(311) On motion it is ordered by the court that William Dickson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Michael Shavers and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Shaver in future work under said Dickson on said road which is established in the second class.

Samuel Eppison John Taylor L.W. Bryant Henry Crockett and others who was appointed a jury of view at the last term of this court to view and

at the last term of this court to view and mark an alteration in the road leading down Hurricane Creek from Samuel Eppison to William Pages this day made a report that they had viewed and marked the same agreeable to said order.

On motion of H.B. Traylor it is ordered by the court that Allen Scholes Thomas Lain and Stephen O'Guin be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Alexander Brown one year from his death and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Richard Averett James Averett John Ratliff Joshua Y. Knight James Patterson J.N. Simpson be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road leading from J.M. Simpsons up Averett Branch and across the ridge to the head of Wells Creek and down said Creek by James Patterson and on to the County line so as to intersect the Stewart County road leading to the Bryan Forge in said Stewart County and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of John Scott it is ordered by the court that Samuel Larkins be appointed overseer of the road in the room of William Exum and that all the hands who formerly worked on the road under said Exum in future work on said Larkins on said road which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Walker Miller be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Millie Miller and that Willie Miller Willie Legate and E.G. Patten mark and said road under said Miller which road is established in the second class.

(312) On motion of John T. Scott it is ordered by the court that Isaac Anderson Westley Owen Aaron Roberts John Spencer and Noble Ladd be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road to leave the Buffalo road at or near A.S. Williams to intersect a road leading from Buffalo River to Tennessee River near Simpsons landing the nearest and best way and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion of W.W. Moss It is ordered by the court that Wm. W. Moss be appointed special administrator for his own benefit on the estate of John H. Marable dead and the said W.W. Moss appeared in open court together with Albert Warren his security thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said W.W. Moss takes the oath as special administrator on the law directs It is ordered by the court that special letters of administration issue to the said W.W. Moss on the estate of John H. Marable dead.

Court then adjourned until next court in course.

Wm. W. Moss JP S. Epperson JP Albert Warren JP

(313) State of Tennessee Humphrey County. At a County court begun and held at the courthouse in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday in October for the County aforesaid it being the 3rd day of October 1847 present and presiding the worshipful Samuel Epperson Harvey Nichols W.W. Waggoner H.B. Traylor W.W. Moss Esqrs Justices &c.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the said W.H. Gardner be released of \$2.37 3/4 State Tax \$4.75 County Tax for the year 1847 of bad debts which could not be collected and that he have a credit with the

the Treasurer of the State and County Trustee for the same.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with James C. Teas Guardian for George Elizabeth John L. and Margaret A. Robertson minor heirs of Elizabeth David Senr deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

C.H. Baker Guardian for Mary Ann Baker and Eibell J. Baker minor heirs of Edmond Tayler deed this day made report of his guardianship and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion of W.H. Knight and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the said W.H. Knight is rightfully charged on the Revenue Docket of said County with a pole tax it is ordered by the court that the said Wade H. Knight be released from paying twelve and onehalf cents state Tax for the year 1847 and twenty five cents county tax and that the collector have a credit of the same with the Treasurer of the State and Trustee of this County in his settlement.

On motion of Henry O'Donley it is ordered by the court that Henry Crockett be appointed overseer of the road in the room of the said Henry O'Donley and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road and formerly worked on said road under said O'Donley in future work under said Crockett on said road which road is established in the second class.

Joel Simon and others who were appointed at the last term of this court a jury of view to view and mark a road up Averetts Branch and across the ridge to the Stewart County line this day made a favorable report of the same it is ordered by the court that Alexander Owin Jnr be appointed overseer of the road to open the same as viewed and marked by said Jury of view and that all the hands living within two miles of said road work under said Owin is established in the second class.

Margaret Cooley Executrix of the last will and testament of William T. Cooley deed this day returned an inventory of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it was ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

(314) William Hooper L.K. Hooper Westley Young Isaac Turner who was appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration inroad on land of Silvester Adams and Chabod Adams this day made a favorable report of the same It is therefore ordered by the court that the road as viewed and termed by said administrator be considered a public highway in the county and that all the hands who formerly worked on the old road as viewed and marked by said jury of view which road is established in the second class.

(315) On motion of James H. Biles It is ordered by the court that James H. Biles be appointed administrators of the personal estate of William Gibson deed the said James H. Biles appeared in open court together with Joseph Teas and Samuel Eppison his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bonds in the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said James H. Biles takes the oath of administrator agreeable to the law. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said James H. Biles on the Estate of William Gibson deed.

Hugh L. Brown one of the administrators of the estate of Alexander Brown deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said Estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

(316) William A. Steel this day tendered his resignation as guardian for Thomas Box minor heir of Lindley Box deed which was read by the court and thereupon motion it is ordered by the court that Levi McCollum be appointed guardian for the said Thomas Box in the room of William A. Steel resigned and the Levi McCollum appeared in open court together with Eli White and George W. Taylor his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of twelve hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

On motion of George W. Taylor and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that he is the proper person to be appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattles rights and credits of William Ward deed and the said G.W. Taylor appeared in open court together with Andrew L. Taylor Levi McCollum and Eli White his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said George W. Taylor agreeable to law. It is thereupon ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said George W. Taylor on the estate of William Ward deed.

On motion of George W. Tabon It is ordered by the court that said George W. Taylor be appointed guardian for Elizabeth Taylor minor heir at law of William Ward deed and the said George W. Taylor appeared in open court together with Andrew J. Taylor Levi McCollum Luke Matlock Eli White Thompson B. Gowan and Ezekiel Beorn his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of six thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and approved by the same and so certified.

On motion of C.E. Harris it is ordered by the court that Hiram B. Traylor be appointed commissioner to make settlement with Coleman E. Harris Clerk of this court and guardian for Mary E. Bartlett formerly Mary E. Eby minor heir of Thomas Eby deed and make report of the same the next term of this court.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

H. Nichols JP S. Eppison JP Wm. W. Moss JP

(316) State of Tennessee. At a County Court began and held for the County of Humphreys at the courthouse in the Town of Mavely on the first Monday it being the first day of November 1847 present and presiding the worshipful Samuel Eppison W.W. Moss Thomas Lain Albert Warren W.W. Waggoner James Teas and H. Nichols Esqrs Justices &c.

Coleman E. Harris clerk of this court produced to the chairman of this Court the comptrollers receipt for the statement of the revenue by him collected for the year ending the first day of September 1847 which was due the State and the Treasurers receipt for the payment of the same and also the Trustees receipt for all the Revenue by him collected and due the county for the year ending the first day of September 1847 which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded in the Revenue docket and filed with other court papers of said County.

Richard Batson clerk of Circuit Court produced to the Chairman of this court the comptroller receipt for the statement of Revenue by him collected and due the state for the year ending the first day of September 1847 and the Treasurer receipt for the payment of the same which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded in the revenue docket of this County.

Hiram B. Traylor and U. Harris Revenue Commissioners to make settlement with the County officers for the year 1847 this day made report of a settlement made with C. H. Harris clerk of this court for the Revenue by him collected and due the county for the year ending the first day of Sept. 1847 which was examined by the court and ordered to be recorded in the revenue docket of this said county.

the clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with E.H. Baker Guardian for M. B. and E.J. Baker minor heirs of Edmond Taylor deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

(317) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William F. Beazley deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William Fortner Administrator of the Estate of Jesse May deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William H. Gardner Guardian for Hannah E. Newton T. Harvey H and Thomas McClure minor heirs of James McClure deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of Nathan Sparks it is ordered by the court that Isaac T. Foland be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Nathan Sparks in the room of Nathan Sparks and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said Foland on said road which is established in the second class is established in the second class.

On motion of Margaret E. McGee it is ordered by the court that the said Margaret E. McGee be appointed administratrix of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of Clabam McGee deed and the said Margaret E. McGee appeared in open court together with H.H. Marable and James Yeats his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of two hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs and the said Margaret E. McGee takes the oath of administratrix agreeable to law. It is ordered by the court that letters of administration issue to the said Margaret E. McGee on the estate of Clabam McGee deed.

On motion it is ordered by the court that James Yeats H.H. Marable and T.B. Guin be appointed commissioners to set apart and lay off a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Clabam McGee deed one year from his death and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

John Mackadoo this day tendered his resignation as guardian for Mary Spicer formerly Mary Box minor heir of Lyndley Box deed which resignation was read by the court and so certified.

(318) On motion it is ordered by the court that B.B. Spicer be appointed Guardian for Mary Spicer formerly Mary Box minor heir of Lyndley Box deed in the room of John Mackadoo resigned and the said B.B. Spicer appeared in open court together with Robert Smith H.H. Marable his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of five hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

Thomas Lain Allen Scholes and Stephen O'Guin who was appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Alexander Brown deed this day made report of the same which was read by the court and ordered by the same to be recorded.

On motion of Mason Box it is ordered by the court that Thomas Wylat be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Mason Box and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Box in future work under said Wylat on said road which is established in the first class.

On motion of B.B. Spicer it is ordered by the court that William Massey Joseph B. Massey John H. Damesworth John Hatcher Sollomon Adings and Elisha Turner be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the stage road on the lands of George Turner W.A. Adams and B.B. Spicer and make report of the same to the next term of the court.

(319) Margaret McCloud widow and relict of Sollomon McCloud subpoenas notifying the said Margaret McCloud to appear at the next county court and give new and counter security or give up the proceeds of said estate to be dealt with as the law directs.

Harvey Nichol an acting Justice of the peace this day tendered his resignation as a Justice which was received by the court.

Hiram B. Traylor Esqr and commissioner appointed to make a settlement with Coleman E. Harris clerk of this court and guardian for ME Bartlett formerly M.F. Eby this day made report of a settlement made by him as such which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

Whidbee White en Laben Hendrix securities for Margaret McCloud administratrix with the will annexed of Sollomon McCloud deed this day filed their petition to be released as securities from any further liabilities on oath as the law directs. It is therefore ordered by the court that the clerk of this court issue.

On motion of Henry O'Donley it is ordered by the court that Henry O'Donley be appointed guardian for Oliver Thomas William John and Elizabeth Beasel minor heirs of Caleb Beasel deed and the said Henry O'Donley appeared in open court together with C.E. Harris Nathaniel Page his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of six hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

Wm. W. Mass JP Albert Warren JP S. Epperson JP

(320) State of Tennessee. Humphreys County. At a county court begun and held for said county at the court house in the Town of Waverly on the first Monday

it being the 8th day of December 1847 present and presiding the worshipful James Yantis H.P. Traylor Albert Warren, W.W. Moss and Samuel Epperson Magrs Justices do.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Elias Saunders be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Wm. Berry and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said Saunders on said road which is established in the second class.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Nancy Dunlap Guardian for Hezekiah Dunlap minor heir of Samuel A. Dunlap deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John Marchbanks administrator of the estate of Allen Marchbanks deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William A. Steel guardian for Thomas Box minor heir of Lundley Box deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Stephen Allen administrator of the estate of Caleb A. Bissel deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Nancy Fortner administratrix of the estate of Levi Fortner deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with E.H. McNeely administrator of the estate of John B. Dillingham deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion of James M. Reeves it is ordered by the court that James J. Polard be appointed overseer of the road in the room of James M. Reeves and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road under said Polard which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John G. Harris be appointed overseer of the road in the room of C.S. Batson and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work on said road under said Harris which road is established in the second class.

The court then proceeded to appoint commissioners to take a list of the taxable property and polls in several districts of said County for the year 1848 the following Justices were appointed to wit, 1st District John D. Love 2nd district Urbane Harris 3rd W.W. Waggoner 4th district William Hudspeth 5th district John Edwards 6th District Wm. White 7th district Albert Warren 8th district J.H. Long 9th district W.C. Pullen 10th Dis. J.B. Wilson 11th district Thomas Linn and return the same as the law directs.

Andrew Jackson Saunders having applied to this court for certificate to his obtaining a license to practice as an attorney and counsellor at law in the several courts of law and equity in the State of Tennessee and the court being of opinion that the said A.J. Saunders is a young man of good character and that he hath obtained the age of twenty one years doth order that the same be so certified.

Margaret McCloud widowed relict of Solomon McCloud deed who filed her petition decedent from the last will and testament of Solomon McCloud deed at the last term of this court which was laid over until this term the cases being collected by the said Margaret and on her application. It is ordered that her decedent be allowed and entered of records.

B.E. Spicer sheriff of this county this day returned a subpoena issued at the last term of this court commanding Margaret McCloud administratrix with the will annexed of Solomon McCloud deed to appear and give new and counter security as administratrix of the estate of said McCloud deed or deliver the proceeds of said estate in the hands of her security where upon the security whidher "Hite L. Hendrix he prays to be released from any further liabilities thereon upon the said Margaret McCloud appeared in open court together with Ichabod Adams and Silvester Adams and Mathew Peley her securities thereto and gave a new bond as admr in the sum of five thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was received by the court and so certified.

On motion of Allen Box it is ordered by the court that William C. Jackson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of the said Box and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work on said road under said McCloud which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that G.W. McCloud be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Robert Taylor and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work on said road under said McCloud which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John R. Chambliss be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Levi McCollum and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work on said road under said Chambliss which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Black be appointed overseer of the road in the room of George Noland and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road under said Noland in future work under said Black on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that George Poland be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Richard Bryant and all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said Poland on said road which road is established in the second class.

Margaret McGee Administratrix of the estate of Cleben McGee deed this day returned an inventory of account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion of Alexander Gwin it is ordered by the court that James H. Patterson be appointed overseer of the road in the room of said Gwin who was appointed to open said road and that all the hands living on Averetts Branch John Patterson and Wells Blake and hands work on said road under said Patterson which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that David C. Rudolph be appointed overseer of the road in the room of J.G. Hinson and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road which is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Jacob Folks be appointed overseer of the road in the room of James W. Harris and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road in future work under said Folks which road is established in the second class.

Nathaniel Page this day appeared in open court and proved by his own oath that he had killed a wolf in the bounds of this county and the requisition of the acts of the General Assembly having been complied thereto being five acting Justices of the peace on the bench to wit, James Yeats W. Moss J. J. Wilson John Edwards and H. B. Traylor which was adjudged to be over the age of four months it is ordered by the court that a certificate of the same issue to the said Nathaniel Page.

On motion of Martha Cannon it is ordered by the court that the said Martha Cannon be appointed guardian for Leilda Cannon minor heir of Dennis Cannon deed and the said Martha Cannon appeared in open court together with Dennis Cannon and Kinchen Taylor her securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

On motion of Samuel Epperson it is ordered by the court that Samuel Epperson be appointed guardian for Hugh and Elizabeth Cannon minor heirs of Dennis Cannon deed and the said Samuel Epperson appeared in open court to ether with W. T. Moss Kinchen Taylor and Dennis Cannon his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of three hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

On motion of John W. Parker it is ordered by the court that the said John W. Parker be appointed guardian for Margaret and Mary Walker minor heirs of David Walker deed and the said John W. Parker appeared in open court together with John W. Connell James M. Parker and E. J. Warren his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

James Yeats and others commissioners appointed at the last term of this court to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Claban McFee deed this day made report of the same which was ordered by the court to be recorded.

On motion of Peter Harmon it is ordered by the court that Wyley Miller be appointed overseer of the road in the room of the said Harmon and that all the hands who formerly worked on said road in future work under said Miller on said road which is established in the second class.

On motion of Joel Smith it is ordered by the court that Joel Smith be appointed guardian for Isaac McCastland minor heir of Isaac McCastland minor heir of Isaac McCastland deed and the said Joel Smith appeared in open court together with B. F. Holland and George McCloud his securities thereto and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of eight

hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

Whidbee White L. Hendrix

vs

Margaret McCloud Adm^r

This day this cause came in for final leaving and the cause being considered by the court and the said Margaret renewed her bond as administratrix it is therefore considered by the court that the defendant pay all cost occurred on the suit and that execution issue for the same.

(325) The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Philander Priestly guardian for Hiram A. Summers minor heir of John Summers deed which report was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On petition of Allen Box Mason Samuel Epperson and James W. Martin who this day filed their petition by an attorney, praying the court that a jury of twelve free holders of this county be summoned to try the insanity of Henry Harmon for which is accordingly granted by the court it is ordered by the court that the clerk of this County issue a writ accordingly.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Willie Turner John W. Connell and E. D. Turner be appointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficiency of provisions to serve the widow and family of Solomon McCloud deed according to his situation in life one year from his death and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that William Ursery Thomas Owens Solomon Owens Simon Martin William Miller Bryant Wilcox Isaac Anderson and hands Sherrod Thomas son Isaac Reece Thomas White James Burchum and B. Simpson Norman A. D. Williams John L. Spencer Harideth Pearce William Martin Jesse Walker Herod Jones and son John Johnson Noble Ladd and hands John Wandook F. J. Rowler and hands William Holliman and G. W. Martin work on a road to open the same and that Benis Lins be appointed overseer to open said road which road was viewed and marked by Noble Ladd and others commissioners appointed to view and mark said road which road commences at or near A. J. Williams viewed and marked by said commissioners the nearest and that way from said Williamses to intersect the Perryville road at or near where Alexander Martin now lives which road is established in the second class and make return of the same at the next term of this court.

Court then adjourned until court tomorrow.

W. T. Moss JP S. Epperson JP Albert Harmon JP

(326) State of Tennessee. At a County court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the courthouse in the Town of Dover on the first Monday it being the 3rd day of January 1846 Present and presiding the worshipful Albert Warren W. White Urbane Harris J. H. Long J. D. Love H. B. Traylor J. B. Wilson W. W. Waggoner Thomas Linn W. C. Hedge John Edwards and Eli White esqs Justices &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Jacob Humble administrator of the estate of Edward Kringer deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with John Larkins guardian for the minor heirs of H.J. Seals deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Thomas Poyner be appointed overseer of the road in the room of John Wiley and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said Poyner on said road which road is established in the first class.

On motion of James M. Parker it is ordered by the court that Joseph W. McCracken be appointed overseer of the road in the room of H.D. Parker and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said McCracken on said road which is established in the second class.

C.C. Hudson Administrator of the estate of Mary Larkins deed this day made a supplemental return of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered by the court that the same be recorded.

(327) On motion of V.S. Allen it is ordered by the court that H. Marable be appointed overseer of the road in the room of said Allen and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said Marable on said road which road is established in the first class.

On motion of C.M. Parker it is ordered by the court that James F. Latimer John P. Madden James W. Madden E.M. Warren and Nathan Grice be appointed commissioners to view and mark a road leaving the road leading down Richland Creek to leave said road near where the widow Thompson now lives leading up Hills Creek so as to intersect the old Reynoldsburg road on the ridge near where the road leading from down to Waverly crosses the same and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Hiram J. Marbury be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Mason Box and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said Marbury on said road which is established in the first class.

Colman E. Harris clerk of this court presented to this court an account of fifty eight dollars and 16 cents for services rendered by him as clerk which is due him from said county for the year 1847 which was examined by the court and received and it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county pay to the said Harris the sum of forty eight dollars 16 cents out of any moneys in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

Richard D. Turner Willie Turner and J.L. Gearmull who was a pointed commissioners to lay off and set apart a sufficient of provisions to serve the widow and family of Solomon McCloud dead one year from his death this day made report of the same which was ordered by the court to be recorded.

(328) The court then went into an election to elect a chairman for the present year and on counting the votes it is declared by the court that A. Warren was duly and constitutionally elected chairman for the present year.

The court then went into an election to elect a quorum to attend the court for the present year and on counting the votes it was declared that Eli White Urbane Harris and Albert Warren was duly and constitutionally elected to attend the said court for said year.

The court then went into an election to elect Revenue commissioners to make settlement with the county officers for the present year and on counting the votes it is declared by the court that Urbane Harris and Albert Warren was duly and constitutionally elected to serve the present year.

The court then went into an election to elect a tax collector for the present year and on counting the votes it was declared that George R. McCrory was duly and constitutionally elected collector of the State and County Revenue for the present year.

On motion it is ordered by the court there being a majority of all the acting Justices on the bench and all voting in the affirmative that the Trustee of this county pay to Albert Warren eleven dollars Samuel Eppison twelve dollars W.W. Moss twelve dollars and M. Nichols one dollar for holding the County courts for the year 1847 out of any moneys in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

The court then proceeded to lay a tax for the present year for general county purposes which is as follows to wit on each White Poll 27 cents on each hundred dollars worth of property twelve and onehalf cents

(329) On motion it is ordered by the court that John Woods be allowed fifty dollars for keeping Lotty Bryant a poor person of this county one year from this date and that the Trustee of this county pay the said John Wood the above sum of fifty dollars out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

On motion of J.B. Wilson. It is ordered by the court that Friah Brown be appointed overseer of the road in the room of John H. Lemox and that all the hands who formerly worked under said Lemox with James Orrington Wm. Jackson and Nosh Cross work under said Brown on said road which road is established in the second class.

The court then proceeded Nathan Sheffield a poor person of this county to the lowest bidder and G.W. McCloud bidding the sum of fifty dollars that being the last and lowest bid it is ordered by the court that the Trustee of this county paid to the said G.W. McCloud the sum of fifty dollars at the expiration of twelve months from this date out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

The court then proceeded to appoint a jury to attend the circuit court at the next term of said court which is as follows to wit John W. Hall J.D. Love William Tubb Urbane Harris Isaac Mitchell William H. Gardner William Martin Isaac Anderson W.H. Guthrie Alexr Gwin A.L. Atkins Wm. Bartlett W.B. Hughey H.D. McCrory John Linn N. Leed J.R. Long L.B. Toland J.B. Young Wm. Habbis J.B. Wilson P.W. Burgess John Lewis James Thompson and N. Cross well T.M. Warren to serve as constables to attend the court.

G.W. Taylor administrator of the estate of Wm. Ward deed this day returned an inventory of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

(330) It is ordered by the court that a fine of five dollars be entered against H.L. Harmon for contempt of court and that execution issue for the same.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Kinchen Felt be appointed

overseer of the road from the forks of the road near George Kidings leading to Point Mason to where the old Reynoldsburg road leaves the Mason road & that J.P. Ridings D. Tomlinson W.J. & J.R. Felt work on said road under said Kinchen Felt which road is established in the second class.

The sheriff of this county this day returned a writ and verdict of a jury concerning the insanity of Henry Norman and the jury reports no agreement made.

On motion it is ordered by the court that the sheriff of this county be allowed the sum of fifty dollars for his ex officio services for the year 1947 and that the Trustee pay the said sum of fifty dollars to B.F. Spicer Sheriff out of any money in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

The court then adjourned until court in course.

Urbane Harris JP Albert Warren JP R.W. White JP

(351) State of Tennessee. At a county court begun and held at the courthouse in the town of Waverly for the county of Humphreys on the first Monday, it being the 7th day of February 1948 present and residing the worshipful Albert Warren Eli White Urbane Harris John D. Love and H.B. Taylor & Thomas Lait Esqrs Justices &c.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Levi McCollum Administrator of the estate of Dennis Cannon deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with M.M. Massey Administrator of the estate of Isaac H. Massey deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with M.M. Massey guardian for jointly Massey minor heir of Isaac H. Massey deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William Rogers Administrator of the estate of Pleasant Rogers deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Joshua Y. Knight guardian for J.T. M.A. Rufus and A. & C.F. Knight minor heirs of Edmund Wildredge deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with B.B. Spicer and W.S. Allen administrators with the will annexed of the estate of Isaac McCastland deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with W.B. & J.C. Dodson executors of the last will and Testament of Elijah Dodson deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

(352) M.M. Massey guardian for Isaac M. Massey minor heir of Isaac H. Massey deed this day made report of his guardianship and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that a fine of \$5 rendered against H.L. Harmon be annulled by the said Harmon paying the costs occurring on the same.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with W.F. Lucas executor of the last will and Testament of John Lucas deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with Jene Moon guardian for the minor heirs of William Boulton deed which was examined by the court and received and ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Samuel Fowler be appointed overseer of the road in the room of A.J. Williams and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work on said road under said Fowler which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that John Burgess be appointed overseer of the road in the room of John C. Dodson and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road work under said Burgess on said road which is established in the second class.

Whereas C.B. Harris clerk of the county court for Humphreys County has paid for a record book for the use of said county out of his own funds it is therefore ordered by the court that the Trustee of said County pay to said Harris the amt paid out for the use of the county aforesaid the sum so advanced for said county which is eight dollars.

It is ordered by the court that James E. Allison be appointed overseer of the road leading up Halls Creek and it is further ordered by the court that the hands in the bounds of said road work under said Allison and that he open and keep up said road from the widow Thompsons to the head of Halls Creek where it intersect the old Reynoldsburg road.

(353) It is ordered by the court that James Taylor be appointed overseer of the road in the stead of William Simpson and that all the hands within the bounds of said road work under said Taylor the road established in the second class.

It is ordered by the court that William Jernigan be appointed overseer of the road in the stead of B.C. Brown and that the hands in the bounds of said road work under the said Jernigan the said road established in the second class.

It is ordered by the court that N.S. Spradlin be appointed overseer of the road in the room and stead of David Carson and that all the hands within the bounds of said road work under said Spradlin said road being established in the second class.

Isaac Myers administrator by the right of his wife with the will annexed of the estate of Solomon McCloud deed this day made a supplemental return of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

Joel Smith guardian for Isaac McCastland Felix G. McCastland Nancy Ann McCastland and Samuel H. McCastland minor heirs of Isaac McCastland deed this day made a report of his guardianship and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

B.T. Spicer sheriff of this county this day returned in open court to wit issued vs H.L. Harmon at the last term of this court for contempt of a fine of \$5 endowed fine omitted by the court paid into office.

James Sneed guardian for Brittain Moore this day appeared in open court and entered in new bond with Robert Carter and R. Batson his security thereto in the sum of two hundred and twenty dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

- (334) James H. Biles administratrix of the estate of William Gibson deed this day returned an inventory and account of sale of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Robert Basley Will Simpson Jas. Shouse Brewery Taylor G.W. Williams be appointed a jury of view to mark an alteration from the forks of the creek near Brewery Taylors running the same the nearest and best way so as to intersect the old road near G.W. Williams and make report thereof to the next term of this court

On motion it is ordered by the court that Stephen Hornley be allowed twenty five dollars out of any money in the hands of County Treasurer not otherwise appropriated for clothing and maintaining Hugh Craig a poor person of this county for twelve months from this day.

On motion it is ordered by the court John Brown be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Wiley Chambers and that all the hands who live in the bounds of said road work under said Brown which is established in the second class.

Application being made the court to bind Pityl M. and Katherine E. Pries minor brphans of John Parker deed it is ordered by the same that said Pityl M. Parker be bound to James M. Parker and that Katherine E. Parker be bound to Robt E. Hunley they having entered into indenture for the same.

William M. Hendrix administrator of the estate of Andrew Hendrix deed this day made a supplemental return of said estate and oath having been made thereto it is ordered to be recorded.

On motion of Kinchen Taylor it is ordered by the court that David Prewitt William Edtheridge William Price N.H. Young Thomas Bowls and John Prewett be appointed a jury of view to view and mark a road to begin at the mouth of Cumblin Creek up said Creek be William Lebbens the nearest and best way taking the public good and individual advantage in consideration and make report of the same to the next term of this court.

Court then adjourned until court in course.

Urbane Harris JP Albert Warren JP Eli White JP

- (335) It is ordered by the court that John W. Hall James M. Parker and John H. Thomas be appointed judges and inspectors for the 1st District to open and hold an election for all the county officers to be elected on the first Saturday in March next and that Mason Box M.S. Smith and Richard Batson for the 2nd Civil District for the 3rd District W.H. Gardner Harrod Warwick and James J. Matlin for the 4th Dr Alex Martin Isaac Anderson and Jesse Rogers for the 5th dis. Silvester Adams Alex Givens and Alfred Edwards for the 6th dis. William Jones for the 7th Dis. Robert

Nelson Nathan Tubb and Ezekiel Brown for the 8th dis. William C. Deshaun Jacob Poland Henry Crockett for the 9th Henry Lator William Price and Norfleet K. Young for the 10th Dis. G.W. Williams Benj Holland and Thomas Simpson for the 11th William Brigham Hugh L. Brown and Elisha Crosswell.

U. Harris JP Albert Warren JP Eli White JP

- (336) State of Tennessee. At a county court begun and held for the County of Humphreys at the courthouse in the Town of Taverly on the first Monday it being the 8th day of March 1846 present and presiding the worshipful Albert Warren Eli White Urbane Harris William W. Moss Whidben White and D. Love and Thomas Lane Esqrs Justices presiding to.

William Y. McNeely administrator of the estate of John Cannon deed this day made a supplemental return of said estate and oath having been made thereto it was ordered to be recorded.

William Simpson and others who were appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road leading up Harriens Creek made a favorable report of the same. It is ordered by the court that the overseer of the road before changed in future work on said road as viewed and marked by said jury of view which road is established in the second class.

On motion it is ordered by the court that James C. Teas be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Isaac F. Poland and that all the hands living in the bounds of said road in future work under said Teas on said road which is established in the second class.

- On motion of J.P. Christian it is ordered by the court that the said J.P. Christian be appointed guardian for Alexander Christian minor heir of Thornton Perry deed and the said J.P. Christian appeared in open court together with James M. Webster and Edmund Vardin his securities thereto (337) and entered into and acknowledged their bond in the sum of four hundred dollars conditioned as the law directs which bond was examined by the court and received and so certified.

On motion it is ordered by the court there being unanimity of the acting Justices on the bench all voting in the affirmative that Benjamin E. Carter be allowed fifty dollars for keeping Martha Pickett a poor person of this county twelve months from this date out of any money in the hands of the trustee of this county not otherwise appropriated at the expiration of said time.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Solomon Fiddings B.F. Holland John Hatcher James A. Hatcher Joel Smith and Elisha Turner be appointed a jury of view to view and mark an alteration in the road on the lands of B.S. Spicer George Turner and W.W. Adams and make a report of the same to the next term of this court.

The clerk of this court made report of a settlement made with William Harris guardian for P.G. and W.A. Reece minor heirs of Charles Reece which was examined by the court and read and ordered to be recorded.

On motion it is ordered by the court that Peter Choat be appointed overseer of the road in the room of Ezekiel Brown and that all the hands