

Bill of Sale of
the property belonging
to the Estate of Jno. Robinson
Dec 22 -
Apr. Term 1864 -

A list of property
sold of the property
of John Robinson
Decr. 22nd of

December 22nd 1843

A Voucherbill of the property of John
Robinson Decr 22 -

J. B. Hogue	1 Plough	62	4
do	1 do	1,30	
John Crockett	1 Log Chain	25	
Mary Robinson	4 Pork Hogs	5.00	
John Hickman	5- Head of Pork Hogs	6.00	
Stephen Campbell	10- head of Hock hogs	4.25	
John & Jane	1- Cow and calf	5.25	
Stephen Campbell	11- head of stock hogs	7.12 1/2	
John Mc Craig	1- Cow and calf	3.62 1/2	
John & Jane	1- Cow and calf	4.37 1/2	
John Crockett	1- Yoke of Oxen	11.25	
Stephen Campbell	3- head of small cattle	4.12 1/2	
J. D. Finer	5- Barrels of Corn	7.50	
A. Culberson	6- do	9.75	
James Robinson	10 do	15.00	
John B. Hogue	8 do	13.00	
R. B. Brown	10 do	15.00	
Curry W. Barber	10 do	16.12	
Fredrick Carpenter	1 Negro Boy	375.00	
W. S. Harriß	1 Negro Girl	365.00	
Benjamin Robinson	1 Bull Horse	5.62	
James Hark	1 Waggon	81.00	
Samuel Robinson	1 Boy Calf	6.00	
John Jane	1 Black Horse	17.50	
James J. Ross	1 Mule	45.12 1/2	
		1224 79	

Benjamin Robinson	1 Man's saddle	6.00	989.
R. B. Brown	1- Hack Saddle	3.07	1226.79
W. S. Harriß	1- Hack Saddle	3.00	
William Robinson	1 Hack Saddle	4.00	
A. Crockett	1 do	62 1/2	
David Bright	1 Hack Saddle	3.00	
Henry Mapin	1 Lot Tobacco	12.25	
do	1 do do	22.50	
Austin Mapin	200 Pounds seed cotton	4.62	
Thomas Buchanan	100 Pounds seed cotton	2.06	
Aaron Culberson	200 Pounds do	4.12 1/2	
Wm. J. Robinson	1 Whip law	10.62 1/2	
William Calhoun	1 Man's saddle	4.82	
David Garison	1 Side Saddle	3.25	
Mary Robinson	1 Lot of Brack	1.00	
Bey. Robinson	1 Gun	5.00	
Stephen Campbell	1 Gun	50	
Austin Mapin	1 Hatter Chain	50	
William Robinson	1 Hack Chain	25	
William Calhoun	1 Broad Ax	47	
William Robinson	1 Lot tools	50	
Henry Mapin	2 hoes, 2 axes	62 1/2	
do	1 Cutting Knife	50	
William Robinson	1 Lot of Planes	45	
John B. Hogue	1 Lot of drawing Chain	1.00	
One note on William Mansberg	Not good	18.07	
1 Note on James Robinson		2.00	
1 Note on James B. W. Harriß, 75 cents		3.75	
1 account on Henry Mapin		2.40	
1 account on G. H. Brown		2.80	
1 account on William Buchanan		1.25	
Balance of Cash on hand after leaving the		89.43	
Wendover's dollars to save her occupant		1462.31	

Mary Robinson Exr.
Benj Garrison Exr.

Inventory of the property
of the Estate of
John Robinson decd

May Term 1844-

An Inventory of the
property of the Estate of
John Robinson decd

1843- Decr. 22nd

1 Negro Boy, 1 Negro Girl
1 Wagon y Head of Pork Hogs, 21 Head of Stock
hogs, 1 York of Oxen, 3 Cows and calves, 3 head of
Small Cattle, 2 Bloughs 41 Barrels of corn
1 Ball Horse, 1 Bay Colch, 1 Black Horse, 1 mule
2 Many Saddles 3 Hacks fodder, 1 Whip saw
1 Side Saddle, 1 Lot of Potatoes, 2 Guns, 1 Walter
Chain, 1 Lot of plow 1 Broad at, 1 Lot of Boots
1 Cutting Knife 1 Lot of drawing chains, 1 Sythe
and cradle, 1 pair of Saddlebags, 1 pr. of Strachan
3 Raw Hides, 1 Grindstone, 1 Shuck collar 2
Feather Beds, 2 Tracts of land, 1 Lot of plank

Mary Robinson Exr
Benj Garrison Exr.

Bill of Sale of the
Property of John
Robinson decd

May Term 1844-

James Caldwell
John Crockett
Mary Robinson
James Hurb

A list of the property
sold of the property of
John Robinson decd
22nd of January 1844-

to one hundred pounds cotton 218
1 Sythe & Cradle 1.00
1 Cotton Patch 4.00
1 pr Saddlebags 1.50
8.98

Shelby Teater	1 pair of Strachan	62 ²
William F. Robinson	3 Raw Hides	3.00
James Robinson	1 Grindstone	06
William F. Robinson	1 Shuck collar	06 ²
Benjamin Robinson	1 Feather Bed	6.00
William F. Robinson	1 Feather Bed	8.00
William F. Robinson	1 Tract of Land	200.00
Mary Robinson	1 Tract of Land	50.00
Archibald Lowrie	A remainder of corn	1.50
A Crockett	1 Lot of Plank	2.50
		<u>280.43-</u>

(corrected by clerk)

Benj. Garrison Exr

Mary Robinson Exr

(280 42²)

Sup Inv. of the
Effects of James
McNeely decd

May Term 1844

A list of Claims in
favor of the estate of
James McNeely decd

E L Bramblett

to James

McNeely decd or -

on a Receipt to the amt of
Anclum McNeely

373.13

To James McNeely decd or
on the Balance of an a/c in his hands to
collect -

36.52

J. B. Martin

To James McNeely decd or
to the Balance on note for
amt of open account,

3.25

3 06²

The above accounts and claims considered
all doubtful

Thomas P. McNeely

Administrator of the Estate of J. McNeely
decd

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Henderson & Wright &
George C. Boggs
Magistrates Commission
May Term 1844

State of Tennessee
To all who may see
these presents, greeting
Know ye that we do
Commission Henderson

Wright and George
C. Boggs, of the County of Obion Justice of the
Peace in and for said County, and do author-
ize and empower them to execute and fulfil
to duties of Justices of the Peace in said County,
agreeable to the Constitution and laws of this
State, with all the powers, privilege, and
incoluments thereto appertaining -

In Testimony whereof I James
C. Jones Governor of the State afore-
said have herunto set my hand &
caused the Great Seal of the State to
be affixed at Nashville, the 8 day
of April 1844 -

By the Governor
James C. Jones

John S. Young
Secretary of State.

Saml Williams
Admin Bond
A. J. Polk Secy
May Term 1844 -

State of Tennessee
Obion County.
We Saml Williams
and James H. Guy
are held and
firmly bound unto

James C. Jones, Governor of the State of
Tennessee for the time being and his suc-
cessor in office in the penal sum of Six
Hundred Dollars for which payment

well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves
our heirs executors and administrators jointly and
severally jointly by these presents, sealed with our
seals, and dated this 6th day of May 1844 -

The condition of the above obligation is such
that if the above bounden Samuel Williams Admin-
istrator with the Will annexed of all and
singular the goods and chattels right and
credits of Alexander F. Polk deceased, do
make or cause to be made, a true and perfect
inventory of all and singular the goods and
chattels right and credits of the said deceased
which have or shall come to the hands possession
of knowledge of him the said Saml Williams
or into the hands and possession of any other
person or persons for him, and the same so
made, do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to
the next County Court, where orders of admin-
istration passed, and the same goods and
chattels of the said deceased, at the time of
his death or which at any after shall come
to the hands or possessions of the said Saml
Williams, or into the hands or possession
of any other person or persons for him, do well
and truly administer according to law
and further do make or cause to be made
a true and just account of his said ad-
ministration, within Two years after the
date of these presents, and all the rest and
the residue of said goods, chattels and
credits which shall be found remaining
upon the said Administrator account
the same being first examined and allow-
ed by the County Court shall deliver and

pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be ~~pay~~ unto pursuant to law and if it shall appear that any last will and testament was made by the deceased, and the executor or executors therein named, do exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and approved accordingly, if the said Samuel Williams abovebound being thereto required, do render and deliver the said letter of administration (approbation of such testament being first had and made) in the said Court, then this obligation to be void and of none effect, or else to remain in full force and virtue -

Given under our hands and seals this
6th day of May 1844 -

S. Williams (Seal)
J. H. Gray. (Seal)

B. J. Pulliam
Adm Bond
Nancy Pulliam Secy
May Term 1844 -

State of Tennessee
Obion County
we Benjamin J. Pulliam
Saml C. Gray are held
and firmly bound unto

James G. Jones Governor of the State aforesaid for the time being and his successors in office in the penal sum of one Hundred & Twenty five Dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, our heirs & executors and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 6th day of May 1844 - The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Benjamin J. Pulliam deceased, do make

or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased, which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of him the said Benjamin J. Pulliam or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court where order for administration passed and the same goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death or which at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said Benjamin J. Pulliam, or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law, and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of his said administration within two years after the date of these presents, and all the rest and the residue of said goods, chattels and credits, which shall be found remaining upon the said Administrators account, the same being first examined and allowed by the County Court, shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due unto, ~~such person or persons~~ pursuant to law, and if it shall appear that any last will and testament was made by the deceased, and the executor or executors therein named, do exhibit the same into Court making request

to have it allowed and approved accordingly, if the said Benjamin J Pullman above named being thereunto required do render and deliver the said letter of Administration (approbation of such testament being first had and made) in the said Court. then this obligation to be void and of none effect, or else to remain in full force and virtue -

Given under our hands and seals this
6th day of May 1844

B J Pullman *(Sd)*
Saml C Henry *(Sd)*

one years allowance
to Widow of Urias
Reeves Decd -

May Term 1844

April the 27th 1844 -
We the undersigned
called upon to lay off
and set apart one
year provision to the
Widow of Urias Reeves

Decedent. do set apart the following
articles to wit, - 15 Barrels of corn or all
that in the crib the balance on hand is
not more than she will use in support
of her family in this year. we also
give her 4 bushels of wheat now on
hand, and say she shall have 50th of
Coffee and 50th of sugar and what
spinning cotton on hand, and one
Sack of Salt, and hope the Court will
Grant same &c -

Norton Parker
Woodard Howell
St W Wright

the amount of Sale of M Reeves Decd
is thirty one dollar & Eighty seven cents
Saml Reeves -

B. J. Hubbard

resignation as Const

May Term 1844 -

The worshipful County
Court, at the May Term
1844 - The subscriber
would present to your
Worship that he was sworn

in as constable at the last March Term
of your said Court, and that finding that
he has other business of attend to which pre-
vents his attending to the business of constable
now presents this his resignation to your
Worship. May 6th 1844

Respectfully
B J Hubbard

An Inventory and
account of Sale of
the property of
William H Dolly.
May Term 1844 -

Account of Sale and
inventory of the property
of William H Dolly Decd
on the 30th of April 1844 -

Articles Sold
one Drip coat.

one Foot summer clothing

one Pocket Knife & comb.

Cash -

Purchasers names & price
William Harper \$7.50

M. D. Harper 1.50

Imo N. Whitehead 50

50
\$10.00

I certify that the above is a true Inventory
and ~~copy~~ of Sale of the property of
Wm H Dolly Decd.

This 6th day of May 1844 - John N. Whitehead

James R. Hodges
resignation as const.
May Term 1844

To the worshipful
County Court of Obion
County, I hereby res-
pectfully tender my
resignation as constable
in District No. 9 this 6th of May 1844
James R. Hodges -

Saml C. Henry
resignation as Justice
of the Peace

May Term 1844 -

State of Tennessee
Obion County
To the Worshipful County
Court at the May Term
1844 -

The undersigned a
Justice of the Peace for said County offers
this to your worship, as his resignation as
Justice of the Peace. May 7th 1844 -

Respectfully
Saml C. Henry

Scale of 1240 poles per inch -

20 miles 7 1/34 poles

320 poles

State of Tennessee I have surveyed by running
Obion County and marking the line dividing
the counties of Obion Gibson
and Weakley Counties. Beginning at a point
where the Range line dividing ranges 3 & 4 - and
the Section line dividing sections 5 & 6 cross each
other, or at the South West corner of Range 3 - of
Section 6 - Running thence East 42° 45' North
With the Section line crossing the Road leading
from Trenton Tennessee to the Iron Bank
or Columbus in Kentucky at 90 poles a branch
Running to the left at 138 poles, an other branch
running to the left 276 poles, the water of the
South fork in all 320 poles to a white oak

marked on the North West Side of said tree with the letter Q.C. for Obion County, Sugar tree standing West with a blaze, this tree stands 78 paces West of where the corner had been to have been made for the County of Weakley & Obion thence North 5 degrees West by the needle at 180 paces, crossed a branch running to the right at 218 paces, crossed the same branch to the left at 266 poles, struck the bottom of the South fork at 454 poles, crossed the big blue, the South bank of the Obion river at 578 poles, the North bank at 531 poles, the South fork of Obion river is 13 poles wide at this place, at 522 1/2 poles passed the corner of Weakley County, crossing the section line dividing the sections 67 & 7 at 1660 poles, Mud Creek at 5 miles, 180 poles, the Dresden and Iron Road at 5 miles, 268 poles, Cone Creek at 6 miles, 72 poles, Cypress Creek at 10 miles, 268 poles, the road from Stovall to Gardner at 10 miles, 272 poles, the South bank of the North fork at 13 miles, 294 paces, to the North bank of the North fork at 13 miles, 310 poles, the North fork is 6 poles wide, at this place the bottom of the North fork on the North side is one & a half miles wide, Harris fork at 15 miles, 306 poles, crossing the road from Dresden to Muddy Point at 16 miles, 148 poles in all (20) Twenty miles, 130 poles to a Red oak in the line dividing the State of Tennessee and Kentucky, marked O.C.I. and W.C.I. for the corner of Obion and Weakley County surveyed from the 5th to the 13th of June 1843 -

John Johnston jr & {s.c.} John Castets {s.c.} W. W. Watson lawyer
Gronrod Brown Master for Obion County -

Suggestion of the
Insolvency of the
Estate of C. Shelby dec'd
June Term 1844

State of Tennessee
Obion County

To the worshipful
County Court of said County
& State aforesaid now holding

and sitting at its June Term 1844 - Your orator John Groves & John S. Shelby would represent to your worshipful body that at the December term 1842 of your court, your orator Administrator on the Estate of Brown Shelby deceased late of said County, that your orator after entering into Bonds &c. - proceeded to enter upon the goods & chattels rights & credits of said decedent's Estate & to make due returns as required by law that upon making sale of all of the effects of said Estate they find to amount to five hundred dollars as the returns of your orator make to your Worshipful Court, will more specially show that from the amount of claims debts and demands against said Estate presented to your orator & that your orator, are fully satisfied that the Estate is insolvent & unable to pay the debts and demands, against the same & your orator, would show to your worship that the said Estate of the said Decedent is over the sum of Five Hundred Dollars, therefore your orator would respectfully suggest to your Worshipful Court the Insolvency of said estate & pray your worship to receive this suggestion & make all orders &

do all acts and things required by Acts of 1833 & 1837 - & other acts in such cases made & provided & that said estate be settled pro Rata as required in such cases & your petitioners further pray, all such relief and benefits as contemplated by law & your petitioners as in duty bound will ever pray. this 3rd June 1844 -

John Crockett
Thos S Shelly
Administrators of Estate
Shelly Dec 3 -

James Hart
Do 3 Apr 13 on
Jas Davis
June Term 1844

State of Tennessee }
Obion County }
I James Davis
Chairman of the County
Court of Obion County
by the directions of the
Court and in there behalf

do hereby bind Nancy Loyd an orphan of the age of Thirteen years to James Hart with him to live and work as an apprentice until she attains to the age of Eighteen years, during which time said Nancy Loyd shall obey the lawful commands & faithfully serve the said James Hart & be in all respects subject to his authority & controul according to law & her duty as an apprentice, and the said James Hart on his part covenants that he will teach and instruct the said Nancy Loyd in the trade and occupation of Spinning sewing and weaving & to read & write or cause the same to be done if she have sufficient

capacity, and he will also constantly find for the said Nancy Loyd sufficient such lodging washing and apparel & other necessaries suited to an apprentice both in her keep and in health & also take care of her morals and treat her with humanity and at the end of the time will give her one good Shethen Bed & furniture
this 3rd day of June 1844

James Hart (and)
Jefferson & Legate (and)

Jefferson & Legate
Do 3 Apr 13 on
Jas Davis & Char

June Term 1844

State of Tennessee }
Obion County } I James
Davis Chairman of the County
Court of Obion County by the direction
of the Court and in their
behalf do hereby bind Elizabeth

Loyd an orphan of the age of Eleven years to Jefferson & Legate with him to live and work as an apprentice until she attains to the age of Eighteen years during which time said Elizabeth Loyd shall obey the lawful commands and be in all respects subject to his authority and controul according to law & her duty as an apprentice. And the said Jefferson & Legate on his part covenants that he will teach and instruct the said Elizabeth Loyd in the trade and occupation of Spinning sewing and weaving & to read & write or cause the same to be done if she have sufficient capacity, and he will also constantly find for the said Elizabeth Loyd sufficient such & lodging washing and apparel & other necessaries suited to an apprentice both in her keep and

in health & also take care of her morals and
treat her with humanity and at the end of
the time will give her one good feather bed
& furniture, This 3^d day of June 1844 -

Jefferson & Lyate (Clerk)
James Nash. (Seal)

County Court June
Term 1844 -

Know all men by these
presents that we Polly
Darr William Caldwell
& W. Dutton all of the

State of Tennessee, and County of Obion are
thoroughly held and firmly bound unto James
Davis Chairman of the County Court of said
County, and his Successors in office in the
sum of Two Hundred dollars for the paymen-
ent of which well and truly to be made
we bind ourselves our heirs executors and
Administrators jointly severally firmly
by these presents, sealed with our seals &
dated this 3rd day of July 1844 -

The condition of the above obligation are
such that whereas the County Court of
Obion County has this day granted to the above
bound Polly Darr the right & privilege of
establishing and keeping a public ferry on
the Obion river in the State & County aforesaid
near her residence now if the said Polly
Darr shall well and truly keep good &
sufficient boats & other water craft for
the purpose of setting over people horses

and other stock, also waggons & other vehicles
and that the said Polly shall well and
truly attend at all times for the purpose of
setting over all such people carriages horses
& other cattle in due time & keep the Boats
of the river in repair & pay all such damages
as may occur to individuals or the public in
case the said Polly shall fail to perform
the conditions of this Bond according to
the provisions of the law then this bond is
to be null and void otherwise to remain
in full force and effect, given under
our hands and seals the day & date above

May Darr (Seal)
W. Dutton (Seal)
W. Caldwell (Seal)

Roland Campbell
Const.

Bond

June Term 1844

Know all men by these
presents that we Roland
Campbell Henry Campbell
Jas R. Hodges James
McWalker & McDavidson
R. B. Brown binding

W. H. Buckley R. F. Caldwell are held and
firmly bound unto James L. Jones Esqr.
Governor of the State of Tennessee and
his Successors in office in the just and
full sum of Four Thousand dollars for
the payment of which well and truly to be
made we and each of us bind ourselves
our heirs executors and Administrators
jointly, severally and firmly by these pre-
sents sealed with our seals, and dated

this 3rd day of June 1844-

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Roland Campbell has been duly elected to serve as constable for the county of Boone & State of Ohio in Civil District No. 9. Now if the said Roland Campbell shall will and truly pay and satisfy such persons to whom the same may be due all sums of money by him received by virtue of any process put into his hands for that purpose & shall in all things belonging to his office well and truly demean himself during his continuance therein then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue -

Rolland Campbell (Seal)
 Stephen Campbell (Seal)
 James R. Hodge (Seal)
 Same, McWhorter (Seal)
 D. McDavidson (Seal)
 R. B. Brown (Seal)
 Wm King - (Seal)
 W. A. Buckley (Seal)
 R. P. Caldwell (Seal)

Bill of Sale of the
 property of Robert
 H. Crockett Dec. 7

June Term 1844

Terms of the Sale
 the highest bidder to
 be the purchaser all
 persons buying prop-
 erty will be required

to give there notes with approved security
 to be due on the twenty fifth day of

December 1844 - all sums under Two dollars
 cash in hand this 13th day of May 1844 -

Names of the Articles	#	cts	Purchaser's Name
Looking Glass	41		J. L. Camp
Lot of Articles	25		R. P. Caldwell
Large Pocket Book	75		Wm. A. Marshall
do do	15		J. P. Butler
Blank Note Book	12		do do
Act of Tennessee	30		John Blanton
2 Books	15		Wm. A. Marshall
Map	18		Wm. A. Brown
Lot of Sundries	31		A. Crockett
Pocket Book	19		R. P. Caldwell
Bolton & 2 Potters	1.95		J. L. Camp
12d Map	5		Wm. A. Brown
Four Corner Case	9		do do
Lot Boxes	15		R. P. Caldwell
Lot of Locks	25		J. P. Butler
or Small Scales	30		do do
Lot of Sundries	20		do do
Lot of Boxes	2		do do
W. Weight	6		do do
2 Scales	26		Wm. A. Brown
pair of Scales	4.65		J. P. Caldwell
boxes of S. & S.	2		J. L. Camp
lot of Mountain	3		J. P. Butler
Meat	16		J. H. McEacham
Apothecary Shop	30		J. P. Butler
Lot Sack Needles	30		Wm. A. Brown
2 Papers of Sacks	12		do do
Pea cock Tail	15		G. McKee
2 Shuttles	20		J. H. McEacham
2 putter Prostate	5		Samuel Williams
	12.35		

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Names of the articles
 1 Saw set 72 Chisels
 3 Chisels
 3 Trunk Locks
 2 Locks & one Bolt
 1 Bot of Sundaries
 1 Trunk
 1 Barrels of Articles
 1 Lot of lead
 1 Keg of Gunpowder
 3 Chains
 1 Lot of Steel Drives

of
 12 3/4
 29
 13
 20
 3 40
 2 1/2
 50
 38
 18 1/2
 80
 15
 18 93

Purchase names
 Wm A Ford
 do do
 J. Plutler
 J. L. Camp
 Wm A. Brown
 H. B. Brown sr
 Jas A Marshall
 W. P. Ford
 Jas A Marshall
 Jas A Marshall
 J. L. Camp

May 29th 1844-

1 Lot of Cloth
 1 Cloth Brush
 1 Sand Bot
 2 Pillow Cases, 1 Towel
 1 Shuck
 2 Blankets
 1 1/2 Bed Stead
 2nd do do
 3rd do do
 4th do do
 5th do do
 6th do do
 7th do do
 8th do do
 9th do do
 10th do do
 11th do do
 12th do do
 13th do do

25
 50
 25
 25
 50
 25 1/2
 200
 210
 230
 2 40
 2 25
 2 53
 7 00
 2 53
 2 50
 2 30
 2 75
 2 55
 2 80
 18 32

Wm Ford
 David Bright
 J. P. Plutler
 Wm A Brown
 J. L. Camp
 Wm A Brown
 W. C. Mide
 Tho Allison
 Jas B. Hogue
 C. W. Sipton
 Jas A Marshall
 R. B. Brown sr
 J. P. Plutler
 C. W. Sipton
 David Bright
 W. C. Mide
 Jas A Marshall
 David Garrison
 H. B. Westbrook

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16 1/2 do do
 15 do do do
 1 Cap
 2nd asp
 1 Book
 2nd Book
 3rd Book
 2 Books
 Razor & Strip
 2 Shirts
 1 sack

26 1/2
 24 1/2
 5
 15 1/2
 11
 12 1/2
 20
 12 1/2
 100
 8 1/2
 5 1/2
 53 6 3/4
 18 93
 72 58 1/2

R. B. Brown
 H. B. Westbrook
 Wm A Brown
 J. B. Hogue
 Wm A Brown
 J. P. Plutler
 J. P. Plutler
 J. P. Plutler
 D. Bright
 W. A. Brown

The following Bill of Sale & Inventory is respectfully submitted to the Honorable County Court at its June Term 1844-

H. A. Brown
 Adm^r

One year support to
 Widow of Frederick
 Taylor &c
 June Term 1844

State of Tennessee
 Obion County
 We the undersigned
 -red Commissioners
 having been appointed

by the County Court of said County, at the October Term 1843- to lay off one year provision for Mary Taylor widow of Frederick Taylor &c we have impartially set a path the following articles to wit-
 Sixty barrels of Corn & Fifteen Hundred pounds of pork, Twenty bushels of Wheat the use of two milk cows Eighty pounds of Coffee & one Hundred & fifty pounds of Sugar one Barrel of salt & what

Wool & Cotton is on hand & all the potatoes that
is on hand and side of goat leather &
one side of upper leather that is on hand,
& four dollar to buy shoes & three dollar &
50 cents to pay for mending shoes & five dol-
-lar to pay buy spice & paper & other little
necessaries with —

The above we deem as sufficient, this
21st of October 1843 —

M. J. Harper
C. M. Carter
Lewis Hutchinson

Gracy Crockett &
John Crockett Rept
do
A Crockett
June Term 1844 —

Recd May 21st 1844
Eighty Seven dollar
and fifteen cents bal-
-ance due for an
Estate due as guar-
-dian —
Gracy Crockett
John Crockett

G. W. Bright
Rept
John James Adams

Received of John
James, Administrator
of Edmund James
estate, as the Guar-
-dian of Sarah H.
James & Elizabeth
James Twenty Two dollar
G. W. Bright

P. H. Mearberry
Guard Bond
Susan Mearberry and
Mary Eason
July Term 1844 —

State of Tennessee
Obion County
Know all men by
these presents that we
Pleasant H. Mearberry,
William W. Edmonds

and Walter H. Caldwell of the County of Obion
and State of Tennessee, are held and firmly
bound unto James Davis Esq. Chairman of
the County Court for the County aforesaid and
his successors in office, or legal assigns in the
penal sum of Two Thousand Dollars in
trust for the use and benefit of the children
hereinafter named, and committed to the
tutelage of the said Pleasant H. Mearberry, for
which payments well and truly to be made,
we bind ourselves our heirs executors and
administrators, jointly and severally firmly
by these presents sealed with our seals and
dated this 2nd day of July A.D. 1844 —

The condition of the above obligation is
such, that whereas the above bounden Pleasant
H. Mearberry are constituted and appointed
Guardians to Susan Eason and Mary Eason
minor orphans and heirs of Carter J. Eason decd.

Now if the said Pleasant H. Mearberry shall
faithfully execute his guardianship by re-
-curing and improving all the estate of
the said Susan and Mary Eason that
shall come into his possession for the ben-
-efit of the said minor until they shall
arrive at full age and shall also, at
the next County Court held for the
County aforesaid exhibit an account

upon oath of all the estate of said or-
 phans, which he shall have received into
 his hands or possession and shall there-
 after exhibit annually before the justice of
 said court his account and state of prop-
 erty, and disbursement of the estate of said
 orphans upon oath, and make annual sub-
 stantments as required by law, then this
 obligation to be void otherwise to re-
 main in full force and virtue -

of H. Mearns *Deal*
 W. W. Edmonds *Deal*
 W. H. Caldwell *Deal*

Wilson R. Hogan
 Guard Bond
 of Stokes heirs

July Term 1844

State of Tennessee
 Obion County
 Know all men by
 these presents that we
 Wilson R. Hogan John
 I. Abington and
 William Crittendon

of the county of Obion, and State of Ten-
 nessee are held and firmly bound unto
 James Davis Esqr Chairman of the County
 Court for the County aforesaid, and his
 successors in office or legal assigns,
 in the penal sum of six hundred
 dollars in trust for the use and benefit
 of the children hereinafter named
 and committed to the tuition of the
 said Wilson R. Hogan for which pay-
 ment, well and truly to be made
 we bind ourselves, our heirs, exec-
 utor and Administrators

jointly and severally firmly by these presents
 sealed with our seals and dated the first
 day of July A.D. 1844 -

The condition of the above obligation is
 such that whereas the above bounden Wilson
 R. Hogan, are constituted and appointed
 Guardian to Mary J. McR. Stoker and Nancy
 C. Stoker minor orphans and heirs of John
 Stoker deceased - Now if the said Wilson
 R. Hogan shall faithfully execute his Guar-
 dianship by securing all the estate of the
 said Mary J. McR. Stoker and Nancy C.
 Stoker that shall come into his possession
 for the benefit of the said minors untill they
 shall arrive at full age and shall also
 at the next county court held for the county
 aforesaid exhibit an account upon oath
 of all the estate of said orphans which he
 shall have received into his hands or pos-
 session and shall thereafter exhibit an-
 nually before the justice of said court
 his account and state of profits and
 disbursements as required by law, then
 this obligation to be void otherwise to remain
 in full force and virtue -

W. R. Hogan *Deal*
 Wm Crittendon *Deal*
 John I. Abington *Deal*

James Davis Adm
 Bond
 William Patton Decd
 July Term 1844

State of Tennessee
 Obion County
 we James Davis
 E. M. Fipton and
 J. Mc King are

held and firmly bound unto James L. Jones, Governor of the State aforesaid, 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 our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this first day of July 1844.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden James Davis Administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of William Patton Dec'd do make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased, which have or shall come to the hands, possession or knowledge of him the said James Davis or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and and the same do made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court, where order for administration proper, and the same goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased, at the time of his death or which at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said James Davis or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law, and further do make or cause to be made, a true and just account of said Administration within two years after the date of these presents

and all the rest and the residue of said goods, chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said administrators account the same being first examined and allowed by the County Court. Shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons, respectively as the same shall be due unto, pursuant to law and if it shall appear, that any last will and testament was made by the deceased, and the executors therein named, do exhibit the same into Court, making request to have it allowed and approved accordingly, if the said James Davis above bound being thereunto required do render and deliver the said list of administration (approbation of such list being first had and made) in the said Court, then this obligation to be void and of none effect or use to remain in full force and virtue - Given under our hands and seal, this first day of July 1844 -

James Davis *Seal*
 E. L. Tipton *Seal*
 J. M. King *Seal*

Marcus L. Glover
 Constable

Bond

July Term 1844 -

State of Tennessee
 Obion County -

Know all Men by these presents, that we Marcus L. Glover Jesse Glover Hubert Glover John E

Jarr John McCraig, George W. Mosier John Glover and Archibald Kersey all of the County of Obion and State of Tennessee, are held & firmly bound unto

James C. Jones Governor of said State, for the time being and his successors in office, in the sum of four thousand dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made we bind our selves our heirs Executors and Administrators, jointly and severally firmly by their presents sealed with our seals and dated this first day of July 1844.

The conditions of the above obligation are this that whereas, as appears from the certificate of the Sheriff of said county the above bound Marcus L. Glover, was on the first Saturday in June 1844 - duly and constitutionally elected constable in district No. 3 - to act as constable in and for said District & County of Obion for two years then next ensuing -

Now if the said Marcus L. Glover shall well & truly account for and pay over all monies by him collected by virtue of his said office to the person or persons authorized to receive the same & shall also account for all property claims & demands that shall come to his hands or possession as constable to the proper person or persons and in all things do and perform all the duties of constable faithfully, during his continuance in office agreeable to the laws of the State of Tennessee, and of the United States, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue -

M. L. Glover (Sd)

Jesse Glover	(Sd)
Habersh Gloor	(Sd)
John C. Farr	(Sd)
John McCreig	(Sd)
G. W. Morris	(Sd)
John Gloor	(Sd)
Alverson	(Sd)

Susan Mearberry
Do & up with Guard
P. H. Mearberry Guard
July Term 1844 -

Susan Mearberry
Do P. H. Mearberry or
Do amt. of her account
with P. H. Mearberry & Co
for the year 1843 - \$ 8.50

Do amt. paid Jas. Marshall for 1 side
saddle & Bridle

24.75

1841 & 1842 - amt paid Turner & Co

73.80

\$107.05

all of which is respectfully submitted
to the worshipful County Court of Obion &c -
3rd July 1844 -

P. H. Mearberry
Guard

P. H. Mearberry, Guard
of C. J. Cason, his
Inventory & Co
July Term 1844

State of Tennessee
Obion County
Pleasant W. Mearberry
Guardian of Susan
& Mary Cason Minors

& Co - returns to Court the amt. of his said
Marriage effects, which came to his hands on
the 7th day of November 1843 -

Deed of the Anne of Carter & Cason Estate \$377.64

all of which is respectfully submitted

to the worshipful County Court now in
session. This 2nd July 1844,
P. H. Marberry
Guard

P. H. Marberry Guardian account with his Ward July Term 1844	Mary Casore 1841 & P. H. Marberry or 1842. Is amt. of her age with Currier & Co \$ 13.95 amt. Paid J L Camp for schooling 3.00 1843- amt. p'd P. H. Marberry & Co 7.36 \$ 24.31
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All of which is respectfully sub-
mitted to the worshipful County Court
of Obion County &c
2nd July 1844 -

P. H. Marberry
Guard

Susan Mothurnal
Guardian
Bond
Aug Term 1844

State of Tennessee
Obion County -
Know all men
by these presents
that we Susan

Mothurnal, William C. Mothurnal and David
Bright of the County of Obion and State of
Tennessee are held and jointly bound
unto Daniel Davis Esqr Chairman of the
County Court for the County aforesaid and
his Successor in office or legal assigns
in the penal sum of Seven Thousand
(7000.00) dollars in trust for the use
and benefit of the children hereinafter

named and committed to the tuition of the said
Susan Mothurnal for which payments will and
truly to be made we bind ourselves, our heirs
executors, and administrators jointly and
severally firmly by these presents sealed with
our seals and dated the fifth day of August
A.D. 1844 - The condition of the above obligation
is such, that whereas the above bounden Susan
Mothurnal is constituted and appointed Guardian
to Susan Francis Mothurnal minor or-
phan and heir of John Mothurnal deceased,

Now if the said Susan Mothurnal shall
faithfully execute his guardianship by
securing and improving all the estate of
the said Susan Francis Mothurnal that
shall come into her possession for the ben-
e-fit of the said minor until they shall
arrive at full age, and shall also at the
next County Court held for the County afo-
resaid exhibit an account upon oath
of all the estate of said orphan, which
he shall have received into his hands
or possession and shall thereafter exhibit
annually before the justices of said County
his account and State of profits and
disbursements of the estate of said orphan
upon oath and make annual settlements
as required by law then this obligation
to be void otherwise to remain in full
force and virtue -

Susan Mothurnal Seal
Wm C Mothurnal Seal
David Bright Seal

Sarah Carter
Guardian
Bond
Aug Term 1844

State of Tennessee
Obion County, -
Know all men by
these presents, that we
Sarah Carter, William C

Edwards, James M. Guy and William S. Harris
all of the County of Obion, and State of Tennessee
are held and jointly bound unto James Davis
Esqr. Chairman of the County Court, for the
County aforesaid, and his successors in office
or legal assigns in the penal sum of Two
Thousand dollars in trust for the use and
benefit of the children hereinafter named
and committed to the tuition of the said
Sarah Carter, for which payment will
and truly to be made, we bind ourselves
our heirs executors and Administrators
jointly and severally firmly by these
presents, sealed with our seals and
dated the 5th day of August A.D. 1844.

The condition of the above obligation
is such, that whereas the above bounden
Sarah Carter is, has been heretofore con-
stituted and appointed Guardian
to Joseph S. Carter, Hannah C. Carter, William
McCart, James L. Carter & Wesley C. Carter
minor orphans and heirs of ~~Elizabeth~~ Carter
Decd. - Now if the said Sarah Carter
shall faithfully execute her guardianship
by securing all the estate of the said
Joseph S. Carter, Hannah C. Carter, William
McCart, James L. Carter and Wesley
C. Carter, that shall come in her
possession, for the benefit of the said

minors until they shall arrive at full age
and shall also, at the next county court held
for the County aforesaid, exhibit an account up-
on oath of all the estate of said orphans, which
he shall have received into his hands, or pos-
session and shall thereafter exhibit annually
before the justices of said Court his account and
state of profits and disbursements of the estate
of said orphans upon oath and make annual
settlements as required by law. Then this ob-
ligation to be void, otherwise to remain in
full force and virtue -

Test
James Davis
J. L. Camp

Sarah Carter Car
James M. Guy Car
William C. Edwards Car
James S. Harris Car

James Elder Adm^r
Bond
Simon Bond Ad^r
Aug. Term 1844 -

State of Tennessee
Obion County, - we
James Elder Miller
Caldwell and William
C. Edwards, are held &
jointly bound unto

James C. Jones Governor of the State aforesaid
for the time being and his successors in office
in the penal sum of Eight Hundred dollars
for which payment well and truly to be
made, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors
and Administrators, jointly and severally
firmly by these presents, sealed with our
seals and dated this fifth day of August 1844.

The condition of the above obligation is
such that if the above bounden James
Elder Administrator of all and singular

the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Simon Bondel deceased, do make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased, which have or shall come to the hands, possession or knowledge of him the said James Elder, or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same so made, do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court, where order for administration passed, and the same goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased, at the time of his death or which at any time afterwards shall come to the hands or possession of the said James Elder or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him, do well and truly administer according to law, and further do make or cause to be made, a true and just account of his said administration within two years after the date of these presents, and all the rest, &c. The residue of said goods, chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said administrator's account, the same being first examined and allowed by the County Court shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due unto, pursuant to law, and if it shall appear that any last will and testament was made by the deceased, and the executor or executors therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and approved, accordingly, if the said

James Elder above bound being thereunto required, do render and deliver the said letters of administration (approbation of such testament, being first had and made) in the said Court, then this obligation to be void and of none effect, or else to remain in full force and virtue - Given under our hands and seals this fifth day of August 1844 -

James Elder (leg)
Willis Caldwell (leg)
William Caldwell (leg)

Edmond Zellars
do { Administrator
Bond
Mary J. Zellars sec'd
Aug Term 1844

State of Tennessee
Obion County
We Edward Zellars &
Franklin Longley &
A Crockett, are held
and firmly bound
unto James C. Jones

Governor of the State of aforesaid, for the time being, and his Successors in office in the sum of Four Hundred Dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and Administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated this fifth day of August 1844 -

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Edward Zellars Administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Mary Jane Zellars dec'd, do make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits

of the said deceased which have or shall come to the hands possession of any other person or persons for him and the same so made do or cause to be exhibited to the Next County Court where order for administration ~~passed~~ and the same goods chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of her death or which at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said Edward Bellis or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of his said administration within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and the residue of said goods chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said administrator's account the same being first examined and allowed by the County Court shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due unto pursuant to law and if it shall appear that any last will and testament was made by the deceased and the executor or executors therein named do exhibit the same into Court making request to have it allowed and ~~approbation~~ ^{approval} of such approved accordingly if the said Edward Bellis above ^{being} ~~being~~ therunto required do render and deliver the said letters of administration (approbation of such Testament being first had and made) in the said Court then this obligation

to be void and of none effect, or else to remain
in full force and virtue -

Given under our hands and seals this fifth
day of August 1844

Edward Bellamy

A Long by Real

A. Brockett (Red)

Last Will & Testament
of Samuel Mill^r

August Term 1844 -

In the Name of God
Amen, I Samuel Mills
of the County of Obion
and State of Tennessee
being of Sound Mind

and memory, and knowing the certainty of death
and the uncertainty of life and that all men have
once to die, and being desirous to make a just
distribution of this world's goods, that it has pleased
God to bless me with, do make and publish this my
last will and testament in manner & form follow-
ing to wit, first I give and bequeath my
soul to god who gave it, and my body to it,
author to be decently Interred -

Secondly I direct that my funeral Expenses and all my debt be paid as soon after my death as possible out of money coming to me and my wife from South Carolina. Thirdly I leave and bequeath to my Beloved wife Mary, all my personal property whatsoever and all the Balance of money coming from South Carolina after paying debt as above directed, and to be disposed of at her death as she may fit & proper. I likewise Bequeath to her the plantation on which I now live during her lifetime and after her death

I will and Bequeath the same to my two sons viz John Sunonton, & Samuel Jackson, to be equally divided between them, and Fourthly I now nominate and appoint my beloved wife Mary my executor to carry into effect the above in witness whereof I have set my hand to this my last will and Testament and have also affixed my seal this 1st day of June in the year of our Lord 1844 -

Samuel Meitz Seal

Signed sealed and published in our presence and we have subscribed our names hereunto in presence of the Testator, this 1st day of June 1844 -

Wm Calhoun
Thos G. Anderson

Mary Meitz
Executor
Bond
Saml Meitz Decd
Aug. Term 1844

Know all men by these presents that we Mary Meitz James S. Moffatt & Thomas G. Anderson are held and firmly

bound unto James C. Jones Esqr Governor of the State of Tennessee and his successors in office in the full and full sum of Two Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made we and each of us bind ourselves our heirs executors and Administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this fifth day of August 1844

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Mary Meitz has this day taken upon herself the burden and execution of the Will of Samuel Meitz deceased, now if the said Mary Meitz shall well and truly execute the same by paying first the just debts of the said deceased, and then the legacies contained in the said will, as far as the assets may come into her hands, will execute and discharge her and make a true and perfect inventory of the goods and chattels of the deceased, and return the same in the time prescribed by law, then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue -

Mary Meitz Seal
James S. Moffatt Seal
Thos G. Anderson Seal

Susan Motheral
Guard
I do and also a/c
against her ad ward
August Term 1844

State of Tennessee
Obion County -
I Susan Motheral
Guardian of
Estate's Susan
Motheral minor
heir of James Motheral Decd do hereby
certify the following to be a true & per-
fect Supplement Inventory of the
effects of my said wards Estate that
has come into my hands since my last
return as follows to wit, The propert-
-conable part of the estate of Robert
Motheral Decd also of the heirs of

Boy Oliver for three months \$ 319.³⁷
 one note for hire of Boy Jack for the
 year 1843- on Jacob G. Smith. &
 Manquin & Samuel B. Shores for 75.⁰⁰
 one note for hire of Boy Jack for the
 year 1844- on W. S. Harris, W. H. Guy
 and John B. Carter for 75.⁰⁰

Susan Motheral

State of Tennessee I Susan Motheral
 Obion County Guardian of Arma-
 = ci; I Motheral minor
 heir of James Motheral Dec'd do hereby
 certify the above to be a true account
 of the disbursement of my said ward
 which has originated since my last
 return to work for boarding & clothing
 \$100.⁰⁰

Susan Motheral

B. J. Pulliam
 Adm^r
 account of sale &c
 August Term 1844

Account of sale of
 Property belonging to
 the estate of Nancy
 Pulliam Dec'd sold
 July the 6th 1844-
 sold for cash-

Edward G. Pulliam	1	Coverlid	1.00
Robt. G. Pulliam	1	Coverlid	1.00
B. J. Pulliam	1	Quilt	1.12 ¹ / ₂
B. J. Pulliam	9	head of gun coats	2.25

B. J. Pulliam Adm^r

Jmo J Abington
 Bond for
 Common School fund
 Aug Term 1844

\$1596.⁰⁰

Know all men by
 these presents that we
 John J. Abington & J.
 Nord & W. S. Harris all
 of the State of Tennessee
 and County of Obion are held and jointly co-
 =und unto the Superintendent of public in-
 =struction Mc Wilson Treasury of Tennessee
 and his successors in office in the sum of
 Fifteen Hundred and Ninety six dollars
 & 26 cents for the payment of which will
 and truly to be made we bind ourselves
 our heirs executors and administrators
 jointly and severally jointly by these pres-
 =ents sealed with our seals and dated
 this fifth day of August A.D. 1844-

The condition of the above obli-
 =tion are such that whereas the above
 bound John J. Abington Trustee of the
 County of Obion is bound by law to re-
 =ceive of the Superintendent of public
 instruction for the State of Tennessee
 all the money coming to the County
 aforesaid for the use of common
 Schools & whereas the said Trustee is
 bound by law to disburse the same
 Now if the said John J. Abington
 Trustee as aforesaid shall well &
 truly pay over all monies that may
 come to his hands for the use of com-
 =mon Schools agreeable to the acts of
 the general assembly in such case
 made & provided then this bond

to be null & void otherwise to remain
in full force and effect -

Given under our hands and seals
this day & date above

J J Abington (seal)
A S Nord (seal)
W S Harris (seal)

James H Whiteside
Constable
Bond

Sept. Term 1844

Know all men by
these presents that
we James H Whiteside
Jonathan Whiteside
George H Long John
L Long John J.

Abington Moses D. Harper and Allen L.
Nord, are held and jointly bound unto
James G. Jones Esqr Governor of the State of
Tennessee, and his Successor in office in
the full and full sum of Four Thousand
Dollars for the payment of which well
and truly to be made, we and each of
us bind ourselves our heirs executors &
administrators jointly severally & jointly
by these presents sealed with our seals
and dated this 2nd day of September 1844.

The condition of the above obligation
is such that whereas the above bound
James H. Whiteside, has been duly elected
to serve as Constable for the County of Obion
and said State and in district No. 7 -
for the next ensuing two years, now
if the said James H. Whiteside, shall
well and truly pay and satisfy such
persons to whom the same may be

due all sums of money by him received by
virtue of any process put into his hands for
that purpose, and shall in all things belong-
ing to his office, well and truly demean him-
self during his continuance therein then
this obligation to be void otherwise to remain
in full force and virtue

James H Whiteside (seal)
Jonathan Whiteside (seal)
George H. Long (seal)
John L. Long (seal)
John J. Abington (seal)
M. D. Harper (seal)
A. S. Nord (seal)

William Lancaster
Last Will and
Testament

Sept. Term 1844

I William Lancaster
do hereby publish
this my last will
& Testament, first

I direct that my
funeral Expenses &
all my debts be paid as soon after my death
as possible out of any money that I may
die possessed of or may first come into the
hands of my Executor. Secondly I give &
bequeath to my children who are living on
the same tract of land on which I now
live being my sons Thomas H. Lancaster &
Henry Lancaster & my daughters Nancy
Golden Elizabeth Caroline Lancaster the
tract of land on which I now live contain-
ing by estimation one hundred & twenty
five acres, lying & being in in the County
of Obion & State of Tennessee, on the head

Water of Grove creek to be divided equally between them the division to take place or be made by all my children together or by men chosen by them for that purpose & to her I give & bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth Caroline my boy, Mary named Sal & to my sons Thomas, H & Henry & my daughter Elizabeth Caroline one bed & bedding each & further this condition is to take place in the division of the land namely that the improvements made on said land by Wm L Golden & Thomas H Lancaster is not to be taken into consideration in the above division.

& Thirdly I give & bequeath unto my daughters Anna Kingsdale Lucinda Kingsdale all the remainings of my personal property to be divided equally between them after the manner as the above division of the land & further if there is not enough of personal property to make the amount of those two last named daughters equal with those that share the land those that share land shall bear an equal proportion in making it up as my earnest desire is that all my children share equally in my property though in different property. In witness whereof I do set my hand & seal to this my will. this 8th day July 1844 -
Signed sealed & published William H Lancaster
in our presence & we }
have subscribed our names hereunto in the presence of the testator this 8th day of July 1844
J. M. Rowland
G. L. Coleman

Henry Carter
Guardian
Bond
Mary Carter
Sept Term 1844 -

State of Tennessee
Obion County
Know all men by these presents that we Henry Carter William H. Gray and William G. Carter of the County of Obion and State of Tennessee, are held and firmly bound unto James Davis Esqr Chairman of the County Court of for the county aforesaid & his Successors in office or legal assigns, in the penal sum of Three Hundred and fifty dollars in trust for the use and benefit of the children hereafter named and committed to the tuition of the said Henry Carter for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally jointly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the second day of September A.D. 1844 -

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bounden Henry Carter was constituted and appointed Guardian to Mary G. Carter minor orphan and heir of Egebral Carter deceased now if the said Henry Carter shall faithfully execute his Guardianship by securing and improving all the estate of the said Mary G. Carter, that shall come unto his possession for the benefit of the said minor until she shall arrive at full age and shall also at the next

County Court held for the County aforesaid exhibit and account upon oath of all the estate of said orphan which he shall have received into his hands or possession and shall thereafter exhibit annually before the Justice of said Court his account and state of profits and disbursements of the estate of said orphan upon oath and make annual settlements as required by law, then this obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue -

Henry Carter (Seal)
 Wm. H. Gay (Seal)
 Wm. C. Carter (Seal)

Henry Phillips
 Adm
 Bond
 Pinkney P. Phillips, Sec
 Sept. Term 1844 -

State of Tennessee
 Obion County
 we Henry Phillips,
 James B. Harper
 Henry Dyer
 and Allen S. Ford

are held and firmly bound unto James B. Long Governor of the estate aforesaid for the time being and his successors in office in the penal sum of Eight Hundred and twenty dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made we bind our selves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 2^d day of September 1844.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden

Henry Phillips, administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of Pinkney P. Phillips, deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased, which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of him the said Henry Phillips, or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court where orders for administration probate and the same goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death or which at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said Henry Phillips, or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law & further do make or cause to be made a true and just account of his said administration, within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of said goods, chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the said administrator's account the same being first examined and allowed by the County Court, shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due unto pursuant to law, and if it shall

appear that any last will and Testament was made by the deceased and the Executor or executor, therein named do exhibit the same into court, making request to have it allowed and approved according to the said Henry Phillips above bound being therein required to render and deliver the said letter of Administration (approbation of such testament being first had and made in the said court, then this obligation to be void and of none effect or else to remain in full force and virtue. Given under our hands and seal this second day of September 1844-

Henry Phillips *Adm*
 J. B. Harper *Secy*
 Henry Phillips *Adm*
 A. D. [unclear] *Adm*

William S. Harris
 Adm
 Bond
 John B. Carter Secy
 Sept Tenn 1844

State of Tennessee
 Obion County
 we William S. Harris
 James B. Harper
 George O. Sheek
 James Davis, Moses

J. Harper Archibald Crockett & Samuel C. Henry are held and firmly bound unto James C. Doug, Governor of the State aforesaid for the time being and his successor in office in the penal sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs, executors and Administrators

jointly and severally firmly by their presents sealed with our seals and dated this second day of September 1844 -
 The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound William S. Harris administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John B. Carter deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to the hands, possession or knowledge of him the said William S. Harris, or into the hands and possession of any other person or persons for him and the same do make do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next county court where orders for administration passed and the same goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death or which at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said William S. Harris or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a true & just account of his said administration within two years after the date of these presents and all the rest and residue of said goods ~~and~~ chattels & credits which shall be found remaining upon the said Administrator account

The same being first examined and allowed by the County Court, shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as the same shall be due unto, pursuant to law and if it shall appear that any last Will and testament was made by the deceased, and the executor or executors therein named do exhibit the same unto Court making request to have it allowed and approved accordingly if the said William S. Harris above bound being then =unto requested do render and deliver the said letter of administration (after =ation of such testament being first had and made) in the said Court. Then this obligation to be void and of none effect or else to remain in full force and virtue— Given under our hands and seals this second day of September 1844

W. S. Harris (Seal)
 J. B. Harper (Seal)
 Geo. Sheets (Seal)
 James Davis (Seal)
 McJ. Harper (Seal)
 A. Crockett (Seal)
 Daniel C. Henry (Seal)

Edmond Zeller
 Adms
 Bond
 Geo Zeller Secy
 Sept June 1844

State of Tennessee
 Obion County
 we Edmond Zeller
 Franklin Longley
 Archibald Crockett

are held and firmly bound unto James L. Jones Governor of the State aforesaid for the time being and his successors in office in the penal sum of Two Hundred dollars for which payments well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 2^d day of September 1844— The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bounden Edmond Zeller administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of George Zeller deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to the hands, possession or knowledge of him the said Edmond Zeller, or into the hands or possession or knowledge any other person or persons for him and the same do make do exhibit or cause to be exhibited to the next County Court where order for administration passed and the same goods chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death or which at any time after shall come to the hands or possession of the said Edmond Zeller or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him do well and truly administer according