

Amos & Amos & Co - City. heard & done as per decreed

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The last Will & Testament of James Bell age 70 was proved by the oath of John A. Tucker & James J. Jackson two of the witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded. & Edward Balle who was named refusing to qualify as such on the motion of the said Edward Balle who made oath & gave bond & security as the law directs Certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of the said James Bell with the usual appraisement in due form.

Parker & Parker & City. Done as per decreed & of

Alfred Riches foreman, Joseph C. Murdough, Abner Gardner, Arrington Gardner, Benjamin Cobb, Elijah Joyner, Arrington Vick, Jesse Leandall, Jesse D. Vick, Miller Willows, Parr H. Rollins, John Williams, Simon T. Westbrook, Asst. Surinam, Almer R. Stephenson, Jacob D. Bryant, William D. Breda, Orman M. Bryant, John D. Bost, John E. Deale, & Angel Bryant were sworn a grand jury of inquest upon the body of this County having received their charge with law & after sometime returned & presented (the worst the presentment) and having nothing further to present was discharged.

Ordered that the presentment made by the grand jury above, be certified to a justice of the peace for the County.

For reasons appearing to the Court the indentures by which Sam. Allen Williams Chappell are bound to James Bell are hereby transferred to Mrs. Bell the widow of James Bell as according to law.

About Joseph T. Chas. Present. Elements Rochelle Ant.

Ordered that Bath Brown, Joshua Taylor, Joseph D. M. Balle & any 2 of them let to the Court undertaker the repairs or rebuilding of the little bridge at the <sup>middle</sup> of the bridge across the canal when completed & in the report.

The last Will & Testament of Anthony Vaughn age 70 was proved by the oath of J. D. Murphree, John Moore Jr. & Harrison Cobb the witnesses thereto & ordered to be recorded. The said & Eben Churchman named refusing to take upon themselves the burden of the execution thereof. On the motion of Martha Matilda Vaughn who made oath & gave bond & security according to law. Certificate is granted her for obtaining letters of administration on the said Anthony Vaughn's estate with the usual appraisement in due form.

Ordered that James W. Murphree, John Moore Jr. Wm V. Edwards & Harrison Cobb or any 3 of them approve Anthony Vaughn's estate & return the appraisement & of

The last Will & Testament of Sarah Johnson age 70 was proved by the oath of Joseph Briggs one of the subscribing witnesses thereto.

On motion of Nancy Gardner who made oath & gave bond & security as the law directs Certificate is granted her for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of Lemuel R. Gardner dec'd in due form.

Ordered that Meredith Holland, Thomas Hancock, Josiah C. Smith & James W.