

On the motion of Peter Edwards who is aggrieved by an entry in the property book for the year 1855, alleging that he is charged with turning slaves over and above the number with which he should have been taxed, and the Court being satisfied that the said error exists, and that the Applicant is entitled to relief, and it also appearing to the Court that the sum of Twelve Dollars has been paid to the Sheriff it is ordered that the said sum of Twelve be refunded to the said Peter Edwards; the Attorney for the Commonwealth was present defending this application.

The last Will and Testament of John Davis dec'd was, this day proved by the oaths of Joseph Barnes & David H. Jones two of the subscribing witnesses thereto and the same ordered to be recorded.

William Murfee who has been elected Commissioner of the Revenue for Nottingham Parish of this County for the term of two years to commence on the first day of January 1857, this day took the several oaths prescribed by Law, and with Jos. C. Gillotte his security entered into bond in the penalty of \$1000. - conditioned as the Law directs which bond was acknowledged by the obligor therein named and ordered to be recorded.

Ordered that the Estate of Eliza Thomas be exempt from the payment of all Taxes & levies on old negro Jeffrey & Isham in future, they being infirm.

On the motion of Ethelred Daughtery he is exempt from the payment of all Taxes & levies in future he being old & infirm.

On the motion of Benjamin Coggsdale he is exempt from the payment of all Taxes & levies in future he being old & infirm.

On the motion of John M. Gurley he is exempt from the payment of all Taxes & levies in future on his old negro Amos he being old & infirm.

On the motion of Polly Harris she is exempt from the payment of all Taxes & levies in future on her old negro Chama she being old & infirm.

William M. Biggs who has been elected Sheriff of this County for the term of two years commencing on the first day of January 1857, this day took the several oaths prescribed by Law and with John J. Kinross, Lewis Howell, James D. Bryant, Harrison D. Moore, William A. Hill, William D. Harris, L. R. Edwards, Geo. W. Lawrence, Wm R. Parker, and Thomas M. Biggs his securities, entered into bond in the penalty of Twenty Thousand Dollars conditioned as the Law directs; which bond was acknowledged by the obligor therein named and ordered to be recorded.