

Sept 20 1862  
Court House  
W. H. Phillips  
Judge

Brought on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July in the year 1862, in the said County, before John L. Murphy, Esq. Judge of the said County, and of the slaves Marion, Nathan, Gilbert, Dick, and Bob, the property of Mrs. Little is absent and escape from their master the said Mrs. Little was this day sent to the bar in custody of the Sheriff of the County, and, being arraigned pleaded not guilty. And the Court having had the evidence and non-evidence of opinion that the said Washington Brown is guilty of the offence wherein he stands charged. Therefore it is ordered by the Court that the said Washington Brown be sold into absolute slavery. It appearing to the Court that the said Washington Brown has committed an offence punishable by confinement in the penitentiary; it is ordered that the Sheriff of this County shall proceed to sell the said Washington Brown after the notice and in the manner prescribed for the sale of slaves contained in said report. And thereupon the said Washington Brown is remanded to jail.

On the motion of John W. Murphy who made oath according to law and together with H. D. Jose and Edward Evans his counsels (who testified on oath as to their sufficiency) entered into and acknowledged above article penalty of Eight Thousand Dollars each and according to law deposited in the said John W. Murphy for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of H. D. Jose Williams, deceased in his favor.

Ordered that Amos S. Jose, Davis Board, J. D. Story and A. K. Stephenson or any three of them being sworn before a Notary public for the purpose do appear at the place where a chancery of Wm H. Williams deceased may be produced to them and submit the said appointment to the Court of this County.

Ordered that the account of L. R. Edwards, Clerk of this Court amounting to \$7.00 be certified to the Judge of Probate a sum for his examination and payment.

Ordered that George W. Vick Sheriff of this County take into his hands the estate of Abagline Stephenson deceased to be administered according to law.

Ordered that the Sheriff of this County summon all the acting Justices of the peace of this County to the next term of this Court for the purpose.

Ordered that the Court be adjourned till the first day of the next term.

S. B. Phillips Prothon.