

Present Nathaniel South About Henry Briggs Sen.<sup>r</sup>  
 On the motion of David Ferguson (who made oath according to law) for administration on  
 the estate of Joel Edwards sen.<sup>r</sup> the same is granted him on his giving bonds and security  
 whereupon the said David Ferguson with John Briggs and Nathan Williams Sen.<sup>r</sup>  
 severally entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of Ten thousand dollars  
 conditioned as the law directs.

Ordered that Lewis Worrell, Owen Dolphin, William Ferguson and James Barwick  
 or any three of them being first sworn before a justice of the peace for this county or  
 appraisers in current money the slaves of any and personal estate of Joel Edwards sen.<sup>r</sup>  
 and return the appraisement to the court.

About Peter Tommerville and Jeremiah Collier } Kitchener  
 Deed James Jones and George King }

Elizabeth Naughtan is by the court appointed guardian to Martha Thomas, Legmore Deley,  
 and William Naughtan orphans of Seymour Naughtan sen.<sup>r</sup> whereupon the said Elizabeth  
 Naughtan with William Mills and John Mills her securities entered into and acknowledged  
 their bond in the penalty of Ten thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs.

Robert S. Simmons is by the court appointed guardian to Thomas S. Parikh and Mary  
 Parikh orphans of William Parikh sen.<sup>r</sup> whereupon said Robert S. Simmons with  
 William Woodard and Joseph Richards his securities entered into and acknowledged their  
 bond in the penalty of Ten thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs.

William Woodard is by the court appointed constable in the lower district of Attorney  
 Parish in the name of Jordan Williams sen.<sup>r</sup> whereupon the said William Woodard with  
 Edward Rochelle and James Rochelle his securities entered into and acknowledged their  
 bond in the penalty of Ten thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs and thereupon the  
 said William Woodard took the several oaths prescribed by law.

The last will and testament of William Polard sen.<sup>r</sup> was proved in court by James Belle  
 one of the executors thereof named proved by the oath of James Rochelle and William  
 Woodard the witnesses thereto and the court records were proved by the oath of John S. Blew  
 the witness thereto and ordered to be recorded and James Belle one of the executors thereof  
 named personally in court and refused to take upon himself the burden of the execution  
 thereof on the motion of James Belle who made oath according to law and together with  
 Peter Polard Ormias Turner of (James Polard and William Phillips his securities  
 entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Ten thousand dollars conditioned  
 as the law directs. whereupon granted the said James Belle obtaining letters of administration on  
 the said decedent's estate with the will aforesaid annexed in due form.

Ordered that John Fort, James Ferguson, both Kitchener, and William Woodard or any three  
 of them being first sworn before a justice of the peace for this county or appraisers in current  
 money the slaves of any and personal estate of William Polard sen.<sup>r</sup> and return the appraisement  
 and to the court.