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are in danger of suffering damages by reason thereof and praying the Court for relief. His order is that the said Deht Butts be summoned to the next Court to show cause if any he can why he should not be ruled to give the said James M. Foster and Henry Duggs assets of Robert Nicholas as good counter security.

Ordered that Master Commissioner Keith examine state and settle an account current of George Whitfield's administration on Rebecca Whitfield's Estate and report the same to the Court.

The last Will and Testament of William Bailey dec^d was proved by the oaths of Thomas D. Heath, Wyatt Hancock and John D. Inman witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. And Elizabeth Warley the executrix therein named refusing to take upon herself the burden of the execution of the said will, on the motion of Walter Spradley who made oath and together with Nicholas M. Bailey, John Nicholas and Thomas D. Heath his securities entered into and acknowledged abroad in the penalty of Seven hundred dollars conditioned according to Law certificate is granted the said Walter Spradley for obtaining letters of administration on the said William Bailey's estate, with will aforesaid annexed in due form.

Ordered that James M. Arguehart, Silas Sumner, Merit M. Ely, Arthur Holliman, John Harris and Byrd Hamwell or any three of them being first sworn before a Justice of the Peace for that purpose do appraise all the personal estate of William Bailey dec^d and return the appraisement under their hands to Court.

The last will of John Nicholas guardian to Minerva, Jane, and Elliott Birdsong orphans of John Birdsong dec^d and thereupon the said John Nicholas with John G. Mason and Henry Duggs his securities entered into and acknowledged abroad in the penalty of five thousand dollars conditioned as the Law directs.

On the motion of Thomas Leffler who made oath and together with Roderick Harrison and John Womack his securities entered into and acknowledged abroad in the penalty of Two hundred dollars conditioned as the Law directs certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of David Griffin dec^d in due form.

Ordered that Benjamin Griffin, Allen Edwards, Jordan Joyner and Lawrence Joyner or any three of them being first duly sworn before before a Justice of the Peace for that purpose do appraise all the personal Estate of David Griffin dec^d and return the appraisement under their hands to Court.

On the motion of Jacob Beale who made oath and together with Caleb Edwards and Cullen Edwards his securities entered into and acknowledged abroad in the penalty of One hundred dollars conditioned as the Law directs, certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on Lydia Beale's Estate in due form.

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