

An Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of George Hurley decd was returned and  
mailed to the records.

An Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Ann Bishop decd was returned and  
mailed to the records.

An Account Current and Commissioner's Report of Henry M. Butts' administration on the estate  
of Polly M. Butts decd was returned and continued for exceptions.

An Account Current and Commissioner's Report of Henry M. Butts' administration of the es-  
tate of Daniel Butts decd was returned and continued for exceptions.

An Inventory & appraisement of the Estate of Henry Garman decd was returned & ordered to be re-  
corded that James H. Schell, Totten M. Scott and Matthew Drake being first sworn before  
a Justice of the Peace for that purpose to appraise all the personal estate of James  
Garman decd. and return their appraisement under their hands to this Court.

In motion of George E. Gray, Commissioner of the Revenue for Newbury parish in this  
County, James Mordaugh is permitted to qualify as his assistant and thereupon the said  
James Mordaugh took the oath required by Law.

Benjamin Griffin, Gentleman, this day produced to the Court a Commission under the hand  
of the Governor of this Commonwealth, with the Seal of the Commonwealth thereto af-  
fixed, whereby he is commissioned to exercise the office of Sheriff of this County until  
the first Quarterly Term of the Court, for the next year, and who hath heretofore exe-  
cuted three several bonds with security, this day appeared in Court and took the oath of  
fidelity to the Commonwealth, the oath against duelling, the oath to support the Con-  
stitution of the United States; and the oath of Office.

An Account of Thomas Munday's Guardianship of Mary and Nancy C. Munday was  
returned and ordered to be recorded.

Levi A. Branch, Valentine Branch, Brown Branch, Gary Gay & George Gay in right of  
their Moors Nancy & Malinda children of Ethelreda Washington & Sally his wife formerly  
Sally Branch, James Davis son of James & Lizzy his wife formerly Lizzy Branch dau-  
ghter of B. Johnson, John Stephenson in right of his wife Lizzy, children of H. & J. Johnson,  
Henry & Robertson Johnson children of Hannah and James Johnson, formerly Hannah Branch, Miffs.

against

Polly Branch, widow of George Branch decd

In Chancery  
Deft

This day this cause was docketed and came on to be heard on the bill, answer & exhibits and was argued  
by counsel, whereon the Court with advice & decree that Eldred Gray, Dick Kello & Shadrach Boykin be appointed  
commissioners to carry into effect this decree, or any two of them, proceed to divide the Lands whereof George Branch decd  
possessed in the following manner, first, with the County Surveyor, assigning to the widow, Polly Branch for her dower,  
one third of said real estate with respect to quantity & value; and proceed to sell after giving sixty days notice of  
the time & place of sale, the lands in the bill mentioned, set the lands of which George Branch decd possessed subject  
to the widow's dower as aforesaid, on a credit of twelve months (save so much as shall be necessary to defray  
the expenses of this decree & the carrying it into effect, taking from the purchaser or purchasers bonds with approp-  
riate security & under the proceeds of said sale thus secured in the following, assigning, to Levi A. Branch one sixth, to Brown Branch  
one sixth, to Valentine Branch one sixth, to George & Gary Gay one sixth, James Davis Jr. one sixth, to Brown Branch  
one sixth, to John Stephenson in right of his wife Lizzy, Henry & Robertson Johnson The remaining sixth & report &c. &c.

Benjamin Barnes, Robert  
& Jacob D. Barnes infants  
was son of said Benjamin  
& Mary Barnes decd for  
minor decd.

against  
Levi Barnes

This cause this day  
was argued by counsel  
B. M. Wells, John Barnst  
sisters here appointed to  
Benjamin Barnes decd  
good security for the sum  
following bonds - namely  
Benjamin Barnes for 100  
was son of said Benjamin  
ninth to Robert T., Mar  
ninth reserving and the  
expenses of this suit &c  
over &c.

Sally Stephenson daughter of  
Mist and Sally Pratt  
Mist, Sally Mist Talbot  
decd who was son of  
against  
William Mist.

This day came the  
interlocutory decree made  
titled, this day made the  
decree made by the Court  
hundred and thirty-five,  
ing to Sally Barnes, a  
two the said commission-  
able to William Mist  
James & Jesse and  
one fourth part to  
decd. and having perfect  
hears for Eli Barker.  
it is decreed and ordered  
held firm and stable and

The last Will and Testa-  
ment of S. M. Barnes and William  
there being no executor  
and together with Jesse  
the specialty of the thousand  
him for obtaining letters  
his said Will annexed