

This day Samuel Wells produced an account of his services as a Commissioner of the Revenue and the Court have considered that twenty five days were requisite for the Commissioner to perform the service aforesaid.

Ordered that Master Commissioner Webb examine State and settle an account of the transactions of Arthur C. Maget as administrator of Mary J. Maget dec^d and report the same to the Court with any matters specially stated deemed pertinent by himself or which he may be required to state.

On the motion of Matthew Wells who made oath and together with Allen Edwards and John Rove his securities entered into and acknowledged a bond 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 Mason Seyner dec^d in due form.

Ordered that Nathan Turner, Thomas Hunley, William Harris and Joseph Seyner among three of them being first duly sworn before a Justice of the Peace for that purpose do ascertain and the personal estate of Mason Seyner dec^d and return the appraisement under their hands and seals.

The Registers of Joe Nichols, Susan Newsum and Amey Newsum free negroes were examined and certified to be truly made.

For reasons appearing to the Court it is ordered that John Dearbrough Jr. guardian to the person of James Riggett dec^d pay to the widow of said James Riggett the amount in his hands & in his power as guardian for the purpose of supporting and clothing said orphan.

On the motion of John Little who produced the Sheriff's receipt for the Tax imposed by law and which William J. Schell has security entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of two hundred and fifty dollars conditioned as the law directs a license is granted him to keep an ordinary or saloon in Jerusalem Hill May Court next. The Court being of opinion that the said Little is a person of good character and not addicted to drunkenness or gaming.

On the motion of John C. Turner and Selah Ellsworth against William Holt executor of John Holt for counter security. This day came the said parties by their attorneys who being fully sworn it is ordered that the said Holt give the said Turner and Ellsworth good counter security in the sum of five hundred dollars for each purpose is to be in the penalty of fifteen hundred dollars and conditioned as the law directs and thereupon the said William Holt with Mills Epps and Bennett S. Whitfield his securities entered into a bond made payable to the said John C. Turner and Selah Ellsworth according to law.

Ann Eliza Ricks, Virginia Ricks, Mary Ricks and Caroline Ricks infants by Elizabeth R. Edwards their next friend
against
Robert Ricks administrator of Adam Ricks and Maria Ricks

This day came the parties by their counsel and the Commissioners appointed by the interdictory decree made in this cause at November Court 1855 to set apart and divide the defendant Maria Ricks one full and equal third part of the slaves of which her husband