

Andrew J Vick the administrator of James Vick *dec* having been dead more than three months and no person having applied for administration *de bonis non* on the estate of the said James Vick. On the motion of James Holmes it is ordered that the estate of the said James Vick unadministered by the said Andrew J Vick be committed to the hands of Wm W Briggs Sheriff of this County to be administered according to law.

The last Will and Testament of Ambrose W Matthews *dec* was proved according to law by the oaths of Joel A Wrenn, Algerson S. Parsons & W A Gwaltney the subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Ordered that two accounts of Charles Beale ^{Depe Johnson} one amounting to nine dollars and the other to five ^{40/100} dollars be severally certified to the Auditor of Public accounts for his examination & payment.

On the motion of Newell G Edwards who made oath according to law and together with Warren Edwards & Robert W Screws his securities (who justified on oath as to their sufficiency) entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of Five hundred dollars conditioned according to law, which bond is ordered to be recorded. Certificate is granted him for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of W B Edwards *dec* unadministered by Thomas A Briggs *dec* in due form.

Wm W Briggs Sheriff of this County with the consent of the Court doth appoint George M Hughes his deputy who took & subscribed the oath required by law. It appearing to the Court that the said Hughes is a man of honesty and good demeanor.

Benjamin F Hundley who stands charged on oath by Mary A Edwards an unmarried white woman of this County with being the father of a male bastard child of which she was delivered on the 21st June 1871, this day appeared in Court in discharge of his recognizance entered into before Salathiel Lewis a Justice of this County. And thereupon the said Mary A Edwards and divers other witnesses were sworn and examined and the said Benjamin F Hundley by his attorney fully heard. On consideration whereof it is the opinion of the Court that the said Benjamin F Hundley is not the father of the said bastard child. Therefore it is ordered that the said complaint be dismissed.

Wm A Dewry having made complaint to a justice of the Peace of this County that Robert Simmons is justly indebted to him in the sum of \$25.00 for rent of house which became due on the 1st day of January 1870 and that the said Robert Simmons intends to remove or is removing his effects out of this State so that there will probably not be therein sufficient effects to satisfy the said claim when judgment is obtained therefor should only the ordinary process of law be used to obtain such judgment which Attachment was this day returned with the following return thereon. Attached Feb 6. 1872 4 barrels corn valued at \$3. per barrel \$12 - 1 white sow valued at \$4. Three sheeps valued at \$1.50 each \$4.50. 1 Sow, white, 5.00. And the same is continued till the first day of the next term of this Court -