

On the motion of Otho Charles who made oath according to law and together with Orris Charles & Edward Charles his securities (who justified on oath as to their sufficiency) entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of two 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 Joseph O. Charles in due form.

On the motion of Dennis Bryant the Executor named in the last Will & Testament of Wm. T. Bryant dec^d heretofore proved and recorded in this Court, who made oath according to law and together with Augustus Smith his Security, who justified on oath as to his sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of two hundred dollars conditioned according to law ^{which bond is ordered to be recorded} Certificate is granted the said Dennis Bryant for obtaining letters of a Probate of the said Will in due form.

On the motion of Jacob Eley who made oath according to law and together with Calum Edwards, Kit Bicket, Joe Eley & James H. Scott his securities, who justified on oath as to their sufficiency, entered into and acknowledged a bond in the penalty of four hundred dollars conditioned according to law and which bond is ordered to be recorded and in which they waived the benefit of the homestead exemption. Certificate is granted the said Jacob Eley for obtaining letters of administration on the estate of Joseph Ashley dec^d in due form.

Ordered that J. L. Rore, Giles Raiford & J. L. Council being first sworn according to law for the purpose, do appraise all the goods or chattels of Jacob Eley dec^d which may be produced to them and return the same under their hands according to law.

Satisfactory evidence has been exhibited to this Court that James Griffin was a Prisoner of the United States, residing at Joseph Griffin in the County of Southampton State of Virginia and died on the thirteenth day of October 1871. and that he left no widow but the following children who are his only heirs at law to wit: Jesse, George, Katy the wife of Eley Bradshaw, James & Joseph Griffin and that Willis Bradshaw adm. is acting in this matter at the request of all the said heirs.

Wack Ricks, Dary Story, Albert Jones, Willis Scott & Joshua Mann here in Court acknowledged themselves to be indebted to the Commonwealth of Virginia in the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars to be levied of their respective goods & chattels lands & tenements for the use of the said Commonwealth. But to be void if John Edgar Ricks shall personally ^{stand as pharoged with} appear in this Court on the first day of November Term next Surrender himself into Custody and not depart without leave of the said Court.

To D. E. C. Barrett Physician appointed to attend the prisoners confined in the jail of this County from time to time twenty five dollars are allowed for the quarter ending the 21st day of September 1872.

Fulgence de Bordenave ^{who more than two years ago} a native of France, in this Court, declared his intention to become a citizen of the United States, this day applied to the Court to be admitted such citizen and all the facts necessary being proven to the