

Deed of Bargain & Sale from Seth & Spicy Grooms to W.
F. Bradshaw conveying real estate was admitted to
record September 7th 1875

On the motion of Charles Smith, it is Ordered that W. H. Briggs, Sheriff
of this County, take into his hands the estate of Patrick Reid dec.
and administer the same as the law directs.

On the motion of Wm. H. Briggs, Guardian of Martha S. Spence,
it is Ordered that the said Guardian be allowed to expend and pay a
J. M. Lawrence, the sum of Forty three ¹⁰⁰/₁₀₀ dollars, the amount of his
account, out of the principal of his said ward's Estate, for expenses
furnished her for the year 1875.

The J. Vaughan Foreman, B. T. McCann, Geo. W. Stephenson, James R. West,
J. G. Little & Wm. R. Drury were sworn a Special Grand jury of
Inquest for the body of this County, & having received their charge
retired, & after some time returned into Court & presented
an Indictment against Moore & Higgins for Felony, & true Bill.
An Indictment against Wm. Moore for Felony, & true Bill.
And the said Grand jury having nothing further to present were
discharged.

Elbert Branch who stands indicted of felony was led to the bar
in custody of the jailer of this Court & being thereof arraigned ple-
aded not guilty to the Indictment, and the panel of sixteen persons
summoned by the Sheriff, were examined by the Court, found free
from all legal exceptions and qualified to serve as jurors according
to law. Thereupon the accused summarily challenged four of the
jurors and the remaining twelve to wit, Geo. W. Gordon, Augustus Crumley,
J. H. Moore, J. L. Rippe, Fredrick Edwards, J. J. Haggard,
Edwin Williams, J. W. Williams, W. H. Stephenson, R. J. Williams,
Jm. G. Keller and R. B. Jeynes, who being elected tried and heard
the Court of and upon the evidence to speak & having heard the
evidence upon their Oaths do say, "That the jury find the Prisoner
guilty and ascertain his term five years in the Penitentiary."
And thereupon the said Elbert Branch is remanded to jail.

Letters of Geo. J. and Geo. J. Dyer, Commissioners of the Revenue for
District No. 1 & 2 in this County, made report to the Court in accor-
dance with the eighth section of Chapter 25 of the Acts of Assembly
of 1877 approved March 30th 1877, which reports and Orders to be
filed.

R. B. Drury Surveyor of the Road from "Pleasant Plain Church of
James Drury" filed to the Sign Post near T. R. Pord's this day tendered
his resignation which the Court accepts, and Thomas R. Pord is
appointed in his stead.