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Present, VALENTINE PEYTON, DANIEL OWSLEY, THOMAS PETTIS and BENJAMIN DUNCAN, Justices.

p.429, Inventory and appraisal of the estate of ROBERT GAINES, dec'd, was returned by THOMAS PETTIS, one of the appraisers, and the same is ordered recorded.

p.429, The last will of PETER YOUNG, dec'd, was proved by JOHN WITHERS, GARLAND WITHERS and JOHN SMITH, witnesses thereto, and ordered recorded. Administration is granted to JAMES McFERRAN, the executor named therein, who entered into bond of \$500 with John Withers as his surety.

p.430, The persons, appointed to view the way to turn the road leading from Stanford to Danville near WILLIAM CROW's, made their report, and the persons through whose land the proposed way would pass having appeared and made no objections, it is ordered that the way be established.

p.431, WILLIAM HAMILTON, Sheriff executed his bond for the collection of the public revenue and County Levy collectable in 1808, with HENRY BAUGHMAN and BENJAMIN DUNCAN as his sureties.

p.431, EDWARD PLEASANTS is granted a license to keep a tavern at his house at the Crab Orchard for one year, he have executed his bond with JAMES DALLAM as his surety.

p.431, THOMAS BALL, WILLIAM WARREN, SR., WILLIAM WARREN, JR., and HOWSON DUNCAN, or any three of them, are to make appraisal of the personal estate of PETER YOUNG, dec'd.

p.431, Administration on the estate of JACOB ORTKIES, dec'd, is granted to HENRY ORTKIES, who executed his bond of \$400 with THOMAS BALL and JOSHUA BARBEE as his sureties. LUKE ROBERTSON WILLIAM WARREN, SR., JOHN WARREN and JOHN WITHERS, or any three of them, are to make appraisal of the personal estate of the decedent.

p.431, HENRY ORTKIES is appointed guardian to Henry Ortkies, infant son of JACOB ORTKIES, dec'd, and he executed his bond of \$400 with JOHN BLAIN as his surety.

p.431, Certificates were produced as to WILLIAM CARSON and JOHN WITHERS having taken the oaths as Justices of the Peace, and filed. Whereupon both took their seat on the Court.

p.434, RICHARD GAINES, THOMAS PETTIS, JESSE LOWE and JAMES T. WORTHINGTON are appointed, or any three of them, to examine and settle the accounts of the administration of JOSEPH HALL and ROBERT RAYBURN for the estate of DAVID STEPHENSON, dec'd.

p.434, JUDITH ATKINSON, an orphan daughter of JOEL ATKINSON, dec'd, came into Court and made choice of WILLIAM GOOCH as her Guardian, whereupon Gooch executed his bond with JOHN BLAIN and WILLIAM D. GOOCH as his sureties.

p.435, Administration on the estate of JOHN PINER, dec'd, is granted to JUDITH PINER, who executed her bond of 1,000 pounds with WILLIAM PINER and ACHILLES PERRIN as her sureties. JOB GRESHAM, WILLIAM McELWEE, JOSEPH DAVIS and JAMES DAVIS, or any three of them, are to make appraisal of the personal estate of the decedent.

p.435, The persons, appointed to view the way to turn the road leading from Stanford to Carpenter's Station around WILLIAM MONTGOMERY's field, made their report, and it appearing to the Court that the road will pass through no other person, it is ordered that the road be established.

p.435, On the motion of WILLIA BRUCE, it is ordered that REUBEN SMITH, JOEL NOEL, JAMES SUTTON and JOSEPH HELM, or any three of them, do view the best way to turn the road leading from BUFORD's upper ford to Danville around the plantation of the said Bruce.

p.436, WILLIAM GOOCH is appointed guardian to ELIJAH ATKINSON, HENRY ATKINSON, CHARLES ATKINSON, JOHN ATKINSON, JEFFERSON ATKINSON, VINEY ATKINSON, JOEL ATKINSON and JEPHTHA ATKINSON, infant orphans of Joel Atkinson, dec'd, and he executed his bond of 2,000 pounds with JOHN BLAIN, WILLIAM D. GOOCH and NICHOLAS GOOCH as his sureties.

p.436, SARAH PIERCEFIELD is allowed \$8.00 for the maintenance of BETSEY HUBLE, an aged, poor, and infirm woman, until the time of the laying of the next Levy.

p.436, JAMES WHITESIDES, son of JOHN WHITESIDES, dec'd, aged 16 years on November 6th last, is ordered bound out by the Clerk of the Court to WILLIAM MASTERSON to learn the trade of a house joiner and carpenter, until he is 21 years of age.

p.436, MARY GARRETT, widow of BARTHOLOMEW GARRETT, dec'd, certified to the Court her desire that administration on the estate of her late husband be granted to CHARLES STEWART. Whereupon Stewart executed his bond of 200 pounds with WILLIAM CARSON and SAMUEL DYSART as his sureties. Mary Garrett's certification was witnessed by JAMES THOMPSON. JAMES DYSART, JOHN TAYLOR, MEREDITH THOMPSON and DAVID CARSON, or any three of them,

p.476, Upon the petition of sundry inhabitants, it is ordered that JAMES MAGILL, JAMES PENICK, ROBERT KING and JOHN T. FARIS, or any three of them, do view the best way for a road from Robert King's, who lives about four miles from MCKINNEY, to intersect the road leading from Stanford to Somerset at the house of REUBEN LEACH.

p.476, DAVID SHANKS, Deputy Sheriff, exhibited a list of insolvents for 1807, which is ordered certified.

p.476, JOSEPH LEWIS, late Constable, exhibited an account for arresting criminals, in the amount of \$8.00, which is ordered certified.

p.476, JONATHAN LEESE, to whom THOMAS SPRATT was ordered to be bound to learn the trade of a blacksmith, declares he will not receive an Indenture of apprenticeship for the said Thomas Spratt. Whereupon it is ordered that Thomas Spratt be bound to HARBERT KING to learn the art and trade of a tailor.

Court adjourned until the next Court in course.

November 21, 1808

Present, WILLIAM SMITH, JAMES LOGAN, BENJAMIN DUNCAN, THOMAS PETTIS, WILLIAM CARSON, DANIEL OWSLEY and VALENTINE PEYTON, Justices.

p.477, The Court proceeded to lay the County Levy for the present year.

To WILLIAM HAMILTON for burying DAVID BELL, a poor old man, \$10.00.

To SAMUEL DAVIDSON for maintaining POLLY HOCKER, an aged, poor and infirm woman, from March 1, 1807 until now, \$15.00.

To ISAAC McROBERTS for building the stray pound as per order, \$18.00.

To THOMAS MONTGOMERY, Clerk of this Court, for services, \$40.00.

To WILLIAM SMITH, DAVID SHANKS, JOHN SHANKS, WILLIAM WARREN, REUBEN MENEFEE, various amounts for wolf scalp bounties.

To WILLIAM HAMILTON, Sheriff, for sundry accounts in the capacity of jailor, as per account, \$18.78 1/2.

To JOHN SHANKS and DAVID SHANKS, assignees of sundry persons as guards over criminals, as per account, \$112.50.

To WILLIAM HAMILTON, Sheriff, for salary, \$40.00.

To JAMES LOGAN, superintendent of the last General Election and of the election for electors of President and Vice President of the United States, \$6.00.

To THOMAS PETTIS as superintendent of the last General Election, \$3.00.

To WILLIAM PEARL as superintendent of the election for

p.481, Administration of the estate of JOHN MAY, dec'd, is granted to NANCY MAY, widow and relict of the decedent, and JAMES MONTGOMERY, and they executed their bond with JACOB MAY and NELSON A. THOMPSON as their sureties. Ordered that STEPHENSON HUSTON, GEORGE MURRELL, JAMES GIVENS and THOMAS PEMBERTON, or any three of them, make appraisal of the personal estate of the decedent.

p.481, THOMAS MONTGOMERY, Clerk of the Court, exhibited an account of taxes collected on law process, of \$116.37 1/2, which is ordered certified. Also an account for attending called Courts, which is ordered certified. And he is to be allowed \$10.00 for examining the Commissioners's books and tax lists.

p.481, LEVI BALDOCK, a Constable, exhibited an account of certain services in criminal prosecutions, which is ordered certified.

p.482, Inventory and appraisal of the estate of JOHN MOBLEY, dec'd, was returned and recorded.

p.482, On the motion of SAMUEL DAVIDSON, one of the sureties of WILLIAM GOOCH and JESSE SPRAGGINS for the administration of the estate of JOEL ATKINSON, dec'd, it is ordered that summons issue against William Gooch and Jesse Spraggins to show cause why they should not give counter or other security for the administration aforesaid.

p.482, On the motion of VALENTINE DAY, it is ordered that ARMSTRONG KERR, JOSEPH HALL, WILLIAM FINDLEY and CHARLES ADAMS, or any three of them, do view the best way to turn the road from Gilmore's Lick to Stanford around Day's plantation.

p.482, JOHN SHANKS, Deputy Sheriff, exhibited a list of delinquents and insolvents for the County Levy and the public revenue, which is ordered certified.

p.482, The Court orders the following additions to the County Levy laid for this year.

To SALLY PIERCEFIELD for maintaining her mother, Mrs. HUBBLE, a poor, aged woman, the last year, \$12.00.

To WILLIAM MCELWEE for two days hauling with his team, for one of the public roads, \$2.00.

To JOSEPH EAST, in part, for building a bridge near and below Stanford, \$5.00.

To DANIEL HUNTER for maintaining Daniel Hunter his son, an infirm boy, for the last six months, \$3.00.

To the Sheriff, additional for collecting, \$1.55.
Ordered that the Sheriff collect 9 mills additional from each tithe.

Court adjourned until the next Court in course.