

Dallas County, Texas Probate Cases 1846 – Early 1900's

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of *Dallas* County—GREETING;

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON *David R. Cameron*

to be and appear before the County Court of Dallas County, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the town of Dallas, on the ~~first~~ ^{Last} Monday, the *26th* day of *July* 1869; then and there to answer the Plaintiff's petition, ~~now filed, in a cause pending in said Court, in which~~ *and* ~~show cause if any he has why a fine~~ *of fifty dollars entered against him at the last Plaintiff, and regular of the County Court held Probate and other like purposes, for contempt of Court, should not be made final.* Defendant, a-certified copy of which petition accompanies this writ.

Witness, S. S. JONES, Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, and the impress of the Seal thereof hereon made, this *12th* day of *July* 1869.

S. S. Jones
Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, Texas.

["HERALD" PRINT, DALLAS, TEXAS.]

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

You are hereby notified, to be and appear before the County Court of Dallas County, in the State of Texas, at the next term thereof, to be held for probate and other like purposes, at Dallas in said county, at the Court House thereof, on the last Monday in *March* instant, (the same being the *29* day thereof,) then and there to show cause, if any you have, why ~~Letters of~~ *Martha Ann Wilson* ~~a minor~~ *should not be bonded to* *David R. Cameron* late of said county, deceased, should not be granted to _____ who has this day filed with me *his* application in terms of law, praying that the same may then and there be done. This *5th* day of *March* A. D. 18 *69*

S. S. Jones
Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, Texas.

Herald Print, Dallas, Texas.

The State of Texas?
Dallas County?

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Dallas
County, Texas:

You are hereby commanded to take the
body of Nancy Ann Wilson, a minor under
the age of 14 years, if to be found in your
County and deliver the said minor into the
custody of Mary Wilson the Mother of said
minor forthwith.

To view said writ, but due return made of this
writ, at the next term of the Probate, to be held
on the last Monday of July 1869, showing how
you have executed the same.

Witness my hand and seal of office
this 15th day of July A. D. 1869.

J. J. Jones
Clerk Probate
Dallas

County Court
Dallas
D. R. Cameron
Judge
Came to hand July 13 1869
by J. J. Jones
D. R. Cameron
Clerk
by J. J. Jones
D. R. Cameron
Clerk

David R. Hanson
) Application to Said
) Nancy Ann Wilson
) minor
 County Judge

In the Probate Court
 April Term A.D. 1869

And now comes Mary ~~Ann~~ Wilson who resides in the County of Dallas and State of Texas and controls the custody of the said minor to the Applicant David R. Hanson, because she says that she is the mother of said minor, that she is able and willing to maintain and provide for the said minor in a manner suitable to her condition in life and that said minor shall not become a charge upon the public.

Wherefore premises considered the Contestant prays that the application of David R. Hanson be dismissed and that your honor order the said minor into the custody of this Contestant and in the alternative if your honor should judge that said minor should be bound Contestant prays that said minor may be bound to this Contestant

And she will ever pray &c
 Mary Wilson
 By her attorney
 G. C. Leominer,

The amount \$12.50
 of 1869
 Village of Dallas
 City of Dallas
 Dallas for same to take his
 for any assistance in taking

Joseph R. Foster
 Careyville
 Cause to have the
 same day issued and
 location by taking the
 body of the said Mary
 Ann Wilson and
 of her name the same to
 her mother Mary Wilson
 this the 5 of July 1869

Shelton July 5 1869
 Nancy Ann Wilson
 by her attorney
 G. C. Leominer

The State of Texas } In Probate Court
 County of Dallas } March Term 1869.
 To the Hon. A. Blewett County Judge
 of the County of Dallas and State of Texas
 The undersigned David R. Cameron, a
 resident of Dallas County Texas, would
 represent that there is at his house and
 in his family, and Nancy Ann Wilson, a
 minor under the age of fourteen years, a
 child of our Hiram Wilson and Mary Wilson
 his wife, that said child was placed under
 the care and protection of petitioners by
 her said parents, on or about the 1st day
 of July 1869, in an almost destitute con-
 dition, that the father of said minor is
 almost blind, so much so that he is entirely
 unable to make a support for himself &
 family, being not only blind, but otherwise
 afflicted - that he has no means of support
 and is now living upon the bounty of his
 brother, who is also in very moderate cir-
 cumstances himself - that since said
 minor was placed with petitioners, her mother
 has left her husband, the father of said minor,
 and has remained away ever since, with
 the intimation of a final separation, that
 the said Mary Wilson, mother of said minor, as
 aforesaid is in indigent circumstances, and
 has no means of support herself - that she
 is wholly incapable of taking care of and
 providing for the wants of said minor
 that the said Hiram Wilson is incapable of

David R. Cameron

Answer of
 Mary Wilson
 County Judge

Filed May 31st 1869
 D. R. Cameron
 Clerk

Taking care of, and providing for the wants and necessities of said minor -

That it is the wish and desire of the said Hiram Wilson, father of said minor as aforesaid that petitioner, should, take charge of, manage, control, provide for, and protect the said Nancy Ann Wilson, minor as aforesaid, and have the same bound to him by due course of Law - All of which will appear by reference of a writing to that effect, signed by said Hiram Wilson, which is herewith filed marked exhibit it ~~and~~ made part of this petition

The petitioner prays for notice &c. and for an order of your Honor Court binding the said Nancy Ann Wilson to him under the provisions of the Laws of the State of Texas, for a term to wit until she shall arrive at the age of twenty one years, or until she may marry, in case she should marry under that age He prays for all orders in the premises that may be necessary to carry out the intent of the Law and this petition &c &c

February 18th 1869

Mr Cameron I want you to take care of my little girl and keep her in defiance of any person and her in appoint you her guardian and from this you can have her heard to you with my approbation

Nancy Ann Wilson

Hiram Wilson

David R. Cameron
 D. S. Petition to have
 Nancy Ann Wilson
 a minor bound to him

Filed March 5th 1869

S. J. Jones clerk

June 1st 1869.

Application said
 R. Cameron dismissed
 and the child Nancy
 Ann Wilson ordered
 into the custody of
 Mary Wilson by said
 R. Cameron.

It is further ordered
 by the court that the costs
 be paid for costs.

J. H. Pleasor
 W. C. Conroy