

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

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Paid out for Ella Merrill
 the amount forty two dollars (\$42.00) for
 merchandise in the year of 1870
 J. P. S. A. Merrill
 in the

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TAX RECEIPT--Property in the County.

No. 14477

DALLAS, Oct 25 1870

Received Twenty two dollars and 00 cents from
Ella Merrill State and County Taxes for 1870
 on property in this county, as per Assessment Rolls of that year.

Ad valorem, \$ 22.00 Salary, \$.....
 Income, \$..... Poll, \$.....

County Tax, \$ 1.13

J. C. Sigurd
 A. & C. Dallas County, Texas.

Tax Receipt--Property in the County.

No. 14466

DALLAS, Oct 25 1870

Received Six dollars and 14 cents from
E. Merrill & S. A. Merrill State and County Taxes for 1870
 on property in this County, as per Assessment Rolls of that year.

Ad valorem, \$ 3.07 Salary, \$.....
 Income, \$..... Poll, \$.....

County Tax, \$ 3.07

A. and C. Sherry Dally Co.

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 on property in this county, as per Assessment Rolls of that year.

Ad valorem, \$ 22.00 Salary, \$.....
 Income, \$..... Poll, \$.....

County Tax, \$ 1.13

J. C. Sigurd
 A. & C. Dallas County, Texas.

Tax Receipt--Property in the County.

No. 14467

DALLAS, Oct 25 1870

Received two dollars and 00 cents from
Ella S. & S. A. Merrill State and County Taxes for 1870
 on property in this County, as per Assessment Rolls of that year.

Ad valorem, \$ 1.35 Salary, \$.....
 Income, \$..... Poll, \$.....

County Tax, \$ 1.35

A. and C. Sherry Dally Co.

Received of Mrs Sarah Merril in
 payment of Medical Bill per Daughter
 Lucy Twenty Two Dollars, Nov 21
 1871 -
 Saml W. Gilbert

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff of Dallas County--Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Israh A. Merrell, Guardian

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 ^{last} ~~first~~ Monday, the 28th day of September, 1868; then and there to answer the Plaintiff's petition, now filed, in a cause pending in said Court, in which to show

cause if any she has why she should not be required to file an Exhibit in writing of the conditions of her

estate, and *Ward's Estate* Heroin fair note but due return make according to law

Defendant, a certified copy of which petition accompanies this writ.



Witness, *S. P. Jones*... Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, and the impress of the Seal thereof hereon made, this 18th day of September, A. D. 1868.

S. P. Jones
Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County.

Herald Book and Job Print Dallas, Tex.

Bought of Sarah A. Merrell two cow marked crop and under bit in left ear I paid twenty seven dollars twenty four of which was paid to S. P. Adgens for Cha Merrell schooling three dollars paid for merchandise
B. A. Lilly

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff of Dallas County--Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Sarah A. Howell

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 last Monday, the 28th day of September, 1868...; then and there to answer the ~~"plaintiff's" petition~~

~~now filed in~~ ~~cause pending in said Court, in which~~ *Show cause if*
any she has ~~any~~ ~~cause~~ ~~in~~ ~~which~~ ~~she~~ ~~should~~ ~~not~~ ~~be~~ ~~required~~ ~~to~~ ~~file~~
an exhibit in writing of the contents of her Texas
Widow's ~~estate~~ *Estate* ~~wherein~~ ~~she~~ ~~is~~ ~~interested~~ ~~and~~ ~~to~~ ~~show~~ ~~cause~~ ~~if~~ ~~any~~ ~~she~~ ~~has~~ ~~any~~ ~~cause~~ ~~in~~ ~~which~~ ~~she~~ ~~should~~ ~~not~~ ~~be~~ ~~required~~ ~~to~~ ~~file~~
therein ~~make~~ ~~according~~ ~~to~~ ~~law~~ *wherein* ~~she~~ ~~is~~ ~~interested~~ ~~and~~ ~~to~~ ~~show~~ ~~cause~~ ~~if~~ ~~any~~ ~~she~~ ~~has~~ ~~any~~ ~~cause~~ ~~in~~ ~~which~~ ~~she~~ ~~should~~ ~~not~~ ~~be~~ ~~required~~ ~~to~~ ~~file~~

~~Witness~~ ~~my~~ ~~hand~~ ~~and~~ ~~seal~~ ~~this~~ ~~18th~~ ~~day~~ ~~of~~ ~~September~~ ~~1868~~ ~~A. D.~~ ~~1868~~...
Witness, *D. D. Jones* Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, and the impress of the Seal thereof hereon made, this 18th day of September A. D. 1868...

D. D. Jones

Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County.

"Herald" Book and Job Print, Dallas, Tex.

Copy
1868
County Court
of Dallas
County
at
Dallas
Sept 18th 1868
Sarah A. Howell
vs
Widow's Estate

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff of Dallas County--Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon

Sarah A. Hurrell Lewis Heirs of Hurrell

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 last Monday, the 30th day of *November*, 1868...; then and there to answer the Plaintiff's petition,

now filed, in a cause pending in said Court, in which *John Cause* if any she has why she should not be required to file an Exhibit in writing of the contents of Plaintiff's said *John's* *marriage* *Estate*.

Resolvent, a certified copy of which petition accompanies this writ.

Witness, *P. P. Jones* Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, and the impress of the Seal thereof hereon made, this 28th day of *October* A. D. 1868...

P. P. Jones

Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County.

Herold Book and Job Print, Dallas, Tex.

1896
County Court
vs 3 Exhibits
Sarah A. Hurrell
Heirs of Hurrell
Estate
Answered Sept. 18th 1868
P. P. Jones
Original

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the Estate of the Heirs of Ben Merril Sarah A. Merril Guardian of the Heirs of Ben Merril Dec'd has filed in the District Court of Dallas County an application for her annual Exhibit in writing of the Condition of Said Estate which will be heard at the next Term of said Court, commencing on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1872, at the Court House thereof, in the Town of Dallas, at which time all persons interested in the Estate of said Heirs of Ben Merril Dec'd may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

WITNES: JOHN M. LAWS, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County.

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Dallas, this 8th day of May

A. D. 1872.

John M. Laws

Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas.

By J. C. Bombs Deputy.

County Court
No 3 Probation
Sarah A. Merril, Exec
Dec'd Oct 28th 1868
J. P. Jones, etc.
Organize
Same to have same day
danger of recalled
from 4th of 1872 by
deposition to Sarah
A. Merril a true copy
of this writ
J. R. Mansfield
Sherrill, D. C.
By J. M. Brown
Deputy
Sherrill, J. C. 1.00
J. P. Jones 1.40
2.40

The State of Texas.

TO ALL PERSONS interested in the *Estate of the heirs of Ben Merrill s.c. do*
Sarah Merrill Guardian of the Estates of the heirs of Ben Merrill
deceased has filed in the District Court of Dallas County
 an application for *Annual Account Current with her said wards*
Estate which will be heard at the *Next* Term of said Court,
 commencing on the first Monday in *June* A.D. 187*1*, at the Court-House thereof,
 in the Town of Dallas, at which time all persons interested in *the Estate*
 of said *Minors heirs*
 may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

WITNESS: JOHN M. LAWS, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT
 at Office in Dallas, this *30* day of *April*
 A.D. 187*1*

John M. Laws
 CLERK DISTRICT COURT D. C. T.
J. G. Coombes Deputy

Ben Merrill
Guard of said Ben Merrill
deceased
 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 I, *John M. Laws*, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original filed in my office on the *30* day of *April*, A.D. 187*1*.
John M. Laws
 Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County

Guardians Notice

Sarah A Merrill has filed in my office
 her petition praying to be appointed
 Guardian of the Persons and Estates of
 Ella Merrill, Nancy E Merrill and Lucy L
 Merrill minor heirs of Ben Merrill deceased,
 This is therefore to notify all persons interested
 to be and appear at the next Term of the
 County Court Dallas County to be holden
 at the Court House in the Town of Dallas
 on the last Monday in June A.D. 1867. and
 contest the same if they think proper
 Jas. P. Thomas C.C.C.D.C.
 Dallas June 17th 1867.

No. 96

Sarah A Merrill
 Notice of filing
 Guardian's Annual Account
 Heirs of Ben Merrill dec'd

Issued April 3rd 1871

John H. Law Clerk
 By J. C. Cornick Deputy

Came to hand same day of this notice
 issued executed by posting one copy on the Court House
 door in the town of Dallas one copy at the Post Office
 in the town of Lancaster one copy at the
 Post Office in the town of Sezen the same
 being three of the most Public Places in the
 County and by publishing one copy for four
 successive weeks in the Dallas Herald a
 News Paper published in the town of Dallas
 Dallas County Texas April 20th 1871.

\$3.00

J. H. Brown
 Sheriff

The State of Texas.

TO ALL PERSONS interested in the *Estate of Ella Maxwell, a minor*
Sarah A. Maxwell, Guardian of the Estate of Ella Maxwell
a Minor has filed in the District Court of Dallas County
 an application for *the Sale of Eighty acres of Land belonging to*
Said Minor which will be heard at the *Next* Term of said Court,
 commencing on the first Monday in *February* A.D. 1871, at the Court-House thereof,
 in the Town of Dallas, at which time all persons interested in *the Estate*
 of said *Minor Ella Maxwell*
 may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

WITNESS: JOHN M. LAWS, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT
 at Office in Dallas, this *12th* day of *December*,
 A.D. 1871.

J M Laws

CLERK DISTRICT COURT D. C. T.

Publish 4 weeks successively

Dallas Dec 30th 1871
Received of Mrs Sarah
Maxwell, guardian of Ella
Maxwell, one more and copy
the property of the said Ella
Maxwell, valued at fifty
dollars, in full payment
of bond and portion of
Ella Maxwell from the
lot of Oct 1868 to the
1st of March 1869
W D Smith

The State of Texas } District Court
Dallas County } February Term 1870

To the Honorable Judge of the 14th Judicial District
of Texas

Now comes Sarah Merrill, Guardian of
the person and Estate of Ella Merrill a minor and rep-
resents to the Court, that the income of said minor's
estate is insufficient for her education and maintenance
Wherefore the Guardian asks an order to sell 80
acres off of the North end of the J. J. Murrenhan
survey in Dallas County, belonging to said minor
in order to raise means for the education and
maintenance of said Ella Merrill,

Sarah Merrill, Guard.

Ella Merrill, minor

By Columbus A. Brown,
Atty

Sarah A. Merrill
Guardian of the Estate of
Ella Merrill.

Original Notice

Came to hand same
day issued & copies
by posting one copy
up the Court house
door one copy on the
post office door
in the town of
Supine & one copy
on the Post office
door in the town
of Lancaster the
same being three
of the most public
places in Dallas
County & by publishing
the same in the
Dallas Herald a news
paper published
in Dallas County
for 70 or more
in weeks before
the first day of Court
1870. J. M. Brown
Sherriff Dallas
CO J. M. B.
file 610

Just A + I the legal guardian to be appointed
for benefit of Sarah A Merrill
Sarah A Merrill
Guardian + + +

has examined the defendant and
says, she knows of no reason why her
services should not be in all things
of merit as her duties - But she says
that should the Hon Court, please be
satisfied - She will not give any further
aid - she therefore appeals to the Court
to appoint, as her successor an honest
man, who will faithfully execute the
trust whereof she is thought now to be
deprived - She ^{is an ignorant woman} ~~is ignorant~~ ~~would not~~
knowing the intricacies, any creation of the
law, would most humbly ~~request~~
recommend as her successor in the guardianship
of her infant children, Mr Cornelius Merrill
uncle of her uncle

Attest & Myself
for Sarah Merrill

1896
Sarah Merrill
Ella Merrill
Petition to sell
Land
Dist. Court

Filed Dec 16th 1870
J. M. Davis

The State of Texas } On the District Court
County of Dallas) February Term A.D. 1871

To the Honble District Judge of the 14th Judicial
District of Texas. holding Sessions in and
for the County of Dallas
And Comes S A Merrell Guardian of Ella
Merrell and represents to the Court that in
the past year she sold at private sale
the following property belonging to her said
Ward's Estate to wit

2 Cows and Calves to G A Lilly	\$27.00
2 Yearlings to Cornelius Merrell	11.00
Total	38.00

All of which is respectfully submitted
under oath

Sarah A. Merrell
Sworn to & subscribed before me this 5th day of
January A.D. 1871

J. M. Saws Clerk
By J. C. Coombs deputy

* 85.
John H. & J. M. Cole
vs
Sarah A. Merrell

Application of
Sarah A. Merrell to
have Cornelius
Merrell appointed
as her successor

Filed Oct 19th 1871
J. M. Saws Clerk
By J. C. Coombs deputy

The State of Texas }
County of Dallas }

In the Probate Court
December Term 1869

To The Hon & Excellent County Judge of Dallas County

Your petitioner Sarah A. Meemell Guardian of the
persons and estates of Eda, Nancy E. & Lucy L.
Meemell minor heirs of Ben Meemell deceased

respectfully represents to your honor that in order to
raise funds for the support and maintenance of
her said wards she sold at private sale the
following property belong to her said wards. to wit

Property of Eda Meemell
One Iron Gray Horse 4 years old to Tho Mamo for \$45.00
One Two year old Steer. to Crockett Buchanan " 6.00
Total \$51.00

Property of Nancy Meemell.
One Six Year old mare sold Wm Carville for \$50.00
One Three Year old Cow " D. Buchanan " 7.00
\$57.00

Property of Lucy Meemell.
One Two year old heifer sold to D. Buchanan for \$6.00
Said Guardian further represents that she believes
that said property brought as much at said private as
could have been obtained for the same

Wherefore petitioner prays that her action had
as aforesaid in the sale of said property may

1296

Sarah A. Meemell
Guard & sole Bill
Eda Meemell

Filed Jan 8th 1871
J. M. Sawdust
By J. B. Coombes
Deputy

Recorded Book B. page 301.

be approved and in all things confirmed.

And she will ever pray &c.

Sarah A. Merrill
Guardian His of
Ben Merrill deceased

Sworn to and Subscribed before me
This 24th day of December A.D. 1869

J. S. Jones Clk

17046
 Sarah A. Merrill
 Guardian } Sale Bill
 His Ben Merrill
 Filed Dec 27th 1869
 J. S. Jones
 Clk
 Approved Dec 27th
 A. B. [unclear]
 County Judge
 D. Co
 P. [unclear]

The State of Texas } For the County Court
County of Dallas } July Term 1867

To the Hon^{ble} J. E. Cosmbe Judge of the County
Court in Dallas County Texas

The undersigned Sarah A. Merrill widow and
relict of Ben Merrill deceased, respectfully represents
that she is the mother of Ella Merrill, Nancy E.
Merrill, and Lucy E. Merrill, minors under the
age of 14 years - & Children of said Ben Merrill deceased.
That there is property belonging to said minors, of
considerable amount, consisting of Lands, Stock
horses, Stock Cattle, & other personal property - that
it is liable to go to waste, without the care
and attention of some one legally authorized to
take charge of & manage the same - That the
said property is of the probable value of Four
Thousand Dollars - And that said minors
have no Guardian at Law

The petitioner's consistent petition prays for letters
of Guardianship of the person & estate of the
said Ella, Nancy E., & Lucy E. Merrill - to be
granted to her - And as in duty bound she
subscribes herself
Sarah A. Merrill

W⁹⁶
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Sarah A. Merrill
Petition for
Letters of Guardianship
Wine of Ben Merrill

Filed Jan 17 1867
Geo. P. Thomas, CLK

Approved June
28 1867
Ellis Coomes
County Judge
D. C. S.

Notice given June 17
MS

The State of Texas

To all persons interested in The Estates
of the Minor heirs of Ben Merrell
deceased.

Sarah Atterrull Guardian
of the Estates of Ella, Nancy E.,
and Lucy Merrell minors has
filed in the District Court of Dallas
County an application for the Sale of
Seven Hundred and Seventy Acres
of Land belonging to Said Minors,
which will be heard at the next
term of the Honorable District Court of Dallas
County Texas to be held at the Court house in
the City of Dallas County of Dallas and State
of Texas, ^{now this business was begun in 1872} at which time all persons
interested in the Estate of Said
Minors may appear and contest the
same if they see proper.

Witness my hand and
the seal of said Court at office in the City of
Dallas, this 24th day of April A.D. 1872

John M. Laws.

Attest at Dallas Co. Tex
Ray & E. Cornbes deputy

Sarah A Merritt

Guard 3 Notice of sale
3

Ellis Merritt

Nancy E Merritt

Lucy Merritt

Issued April 24th 1872

J M Laws clk
Ray E Coombs Deputy

Notice to bond inventory
488 and 489 entered by
ordering this notice of sale
published in the Dallas
herald a news paper published
in the city of Dallas Dallas
County Texas for 14
successive weeks
beginning the 27th 1872
D. H. Brown
Notary Public in and for
Texas 1871
Subscribed 4 weeks

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No. 6

\$ 17⁴⁹

TAX RECEIPT.

No. 2374

Received of *M. B. Merrill*

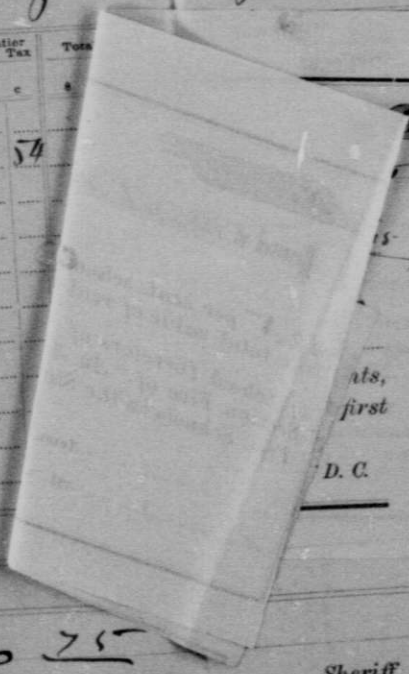
the sum of \$ *17⁴⁹*

in payment of Taxes for the year 1871, upon

the following described property, owned by *Miss Lucy Merrill*

To-wit:

Contract Number	LAND.	No. of Acres Paid on	Taxes			Total	County	Frontier Bond Tax	Total	Grand Total
			State Tax	County Tax	Frontier Bond Tax					
573	<i>Money loan M 2</i>	<i>175</i>								
577	<i>Merrill B</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>80</i>		<i>54</i>		
Total.										



Payment
 Dollars
 the Board
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 of Public
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 COUNTY.

Amount Paid, *17⁴⁹*

J. B. Jones
3
 1872

Sheriff *J. B. Jones*
 Dallas County.

No. 6

TAX RECEIPT.

\$ 17.49

No. 2374

Received of W. L. Merrill the sum of \$ 17.49 in payment of Taxes for the year 1871, upon the following described property, owned by Miss Lucy Merrill
 To-wit:

Abstract Number	LAND.	Quantity	Frontier Bond Tax			Total			Grand Total.					
			Acres	Cents	Fraction	Acres	Cents	Fraction	Acres	Cents	Fraction			
573	Merrill M 2													
577	Merrill B													
Total														

No. 68 Received of Miss L. Merrill the sum of 17.49

No. 68 SCHOOL TAX RECEIPT. \$ 1.35
 FIRST QUARTER, ENDING AUGUST 31, 1871.
 Dallas, Texas, Jun 3 1872
 Received of W. L. Merrill
00 dollars and 35 cents,
 being amount of his additional School Tax for the first quarter.
J. M. Brown Sheriff D. C.
 Marshal, Dallas, Texas

Payment
 Dollars
 the Board
 in
 of Public
 of
 COUNTY.

Jun 3 1872 Sheriff J. M. Brown Dallas County

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No. 6

\$ 17.30

TAX RECEIPT.

No. 2572

Received of *A. B. Merrill* the sum of \$ *17.30* in payment of Taxes for the year 1871, upon the following described property owned by *Ms Nancy Merrill*
To-wit:

TOWN LOTS.				State Tax	City Tax	Frontier Bond Tax	Total	Grand Total.
City or Town.	No. of Lot	No. of Block	Total					
	54							

Abstract Number	Original Grant
576	<i>Merrill</i>
577	

Received of *Ms A. B. Merrill* being amount of his additional School Tax for the first quarter, *35* dollars and *35* cents,
John B. ... Sheriff D. C.

No. 67
SCHOOL TAX RECEIPT.
FIRST QUARTER, ENDING AUGUST 31, 1871.
Dallas, Texas, *3* 1871.
\$ *1.35*

Ms A. Merrill the sum of *Two 20* Dollars; being the *2* instalment
er cent. school tax on *0.00* value of real and personal property), as levied by the Board
Directors of *Dallas* county, in accordance with
Five of "An Act to organize and maintain a system of Public
Schools in the State of Texas," approved April 24, 1871.
John B. ... Sheriff and Collector,
Dallas COUNTY.
2.50

DALLAS HERALD PRINT.

No. 6

TAX RECEIPT.

No. 2374

Received of *A. B. Merrill* the sum of \$ *12³⁸* in payment of Taxes for the year 187*7*, upon
 the following described property, owned by *Mrs. Ella Merrill*
 To-wit:

Abstract Number	LAND.	No. of Acres Paid on.	State Tax	County Tax	Frontier Bond Tax	Total.	No. of Lot	No. of Block.	TOWN LOTS.	State Tax	County Tax	Frontier Bond Tax	Total	Grand Total.
			\$ c	\$ c	\$ c	\$ c			City or Town.	\$ c	\$ c	\$ c	\$ c	\$ c
522	Merrill	170												
517	Merrill	80	3 80	7 60		35								
Total.														

~~\$ 1 ⁷⁰/₁₀₀~~

Number of
 Acres
 with
 Public
 No. of
 TOWNSHIP.

Amount Paid, *12³⁸*

J. B. Brown

J. B. Brown
 Sheriff *Dallas* County.
T. J.

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No. 6

TAX RECEIPT.

\$

No. 237

Received of *A. B. Merrill* the sum of \$ *12.38* in payment of Taxes for the year 187*7*, upon the following described property, owned by *Wm Ella Merrill*
To-wit:

Abstract Number	LAND.	No. of Acres Paid on.	State Tax	County Tax	Frontier Bond Tax	Total	TOWN LOTS.		State Tax	County Tax	Frontier Bond Tax	Total	Grand Total.
			\$ c	\$ c	\$ c	\$ c	No. of Lot	No. of Block.	\$ c	\$ c	\$ c	\$ c	\$ c
577	<i>Murrayham M., 170</i>												
577	<i>Merrill B.</i>												

\$ 1 ⁷⁰/₁₀₀

SCHOOL TAX RECEIPT.
No. 61
FIRST QUARTER, ENDING AUGUST 31, 1871.
Dallas, Texas
Received of *Wm Ella Merrill*
dollars and *95* cents,
being amount of his additional School Tax for the first quarter.
Wm Brown Sheriff D. C.

Total *12.38* Amount Paid, *12.38*

Wm Brown Sheriff *Hall* County.

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The State of Texas } In County Court
 County of Dallas } Dallas County
 Dec Term AD 1868

To the Hon A. Bledsoe County Judge

Your petitioner Sarah McNeill Guardian
 of the Person and estates of Nancy
 C. Allen and Lucy L. McNeill minors
 would respectfully represent that
 during the past year she has sold of
 the property belonging to her said
 wards at private sale as follows
 to wit

Edith McNeill's Property

one wagon sold Joseph Henderson	95.00
One Horse Delim Tho Warner	75.70
	110.00

Lucy McNeill's Property

One Horse Pompey sold to Amos Fisher for \$60.00

Nancy L. McNeill's Property

One Colt "Hugan Colt" sold Joseph Henderson	30.00
one Cooking Stone " C. L. Bailey	7.00
	37.00

Said Guardian represents that said property
 was sold to raise means to support said
 minors and brought more at said
 sales than they were appraised at and
 that this Guardian believes that she
 has promoted the interest of her said

wards by making said sales
considered ^{therefore premises} ~~with~~ ^{that her} ~~action~~ ^{may be approved by the Court}
in selling said property
and as in duty bound she will
ever pray to Sarah A. Merrill
Guard

I was to and subscribed before me
this 28th Dec. A. D. 1868

J. P. Jones Clerk

^{CP 96}
Sarah Mumell
Guaranty } Sale Bill
 }
Staney C. Mumell
Lucy L. Mumell
Ella Mumell

Filed Dec. 28th 1868
P. F. Jones clk

Approved Dec
the 28th 1868

John M. Rankin
H. Phelps

Sarah A. Merrill Guardian of the Persons and Estates of Nancy C., Cella & Lucy L. Merrill

In account current with said Estates

Nancy S. Merrill

To Real Estate as per Inventory	1200.00	By Real Estate on hand as per Inventory	\$1200.00
To Personally not sold "	353.00	By Personally " " " "	353.00
To amount of Sale Bill of Dec 38 th 08	37.00	By amount paid der Gilbert	10.00
To amount diff in app. & Sale	5.00	By Merchandise furnished ward	20.00
	\$1495.00	By amount paid for Board \$7.24 4/45	12.00
			<u>1495.00</u>

Cella Merrill

To Real Estate as per Inventory	\$1200.00	By Real Estate as per Inventory	\$1200.00
To Personally not sold "	194.50	By Personally not sold " " on hand	119.50
To amount of Sale Bill of Dec 38 th 08	110.00	By amount Board & Tuition paid Mr. Smith	44.00
	1504.50	By amount paid for Clothing	48.00
		By one Mass. Poll Lead	75.00
		By amount Board 12 mos	48.00
			<u>1504.50</u>

Lucy L. Merrill

To Real Estate as per Inventory	\$1200.00	By Real Estate as per Inventory	\$1200.00
To Personally as per Inventory not sold	325.00	By Personally not sold " " "	325.00
To amount Sale bill of Dec 38 th 08	60.00	By amount paid der D. H. Gilbert & wife	12.50
	\$1495.00	By amount paid for clothing	15.00
		By amount paid for Board	32.50
			<u>1495.00</u>

The State of Texas } I, Sarah A. Merrill Guardian of the Persons & Estates of Nancy C., Cella and
 County of Dallas } Lucy L. Merrill ^{consors & co} do solemnly swear that the foregoing is a true and
 correct exhibit of the ^{condition of the} Estates of said Minors so far as the same has come to my
 hands or knowledge

Sarah A. Merrill
Guardian

Sworn to and subscribed before me
 this 28th day of Dec. A. D. 1888. M. J. Jones. Clk

No 96
Sarah A. Merrill
Guard Annual Exhibit

Anney C. Merrill
Celia Merrill
Lucy L. Merrill

Filed Dec. 28th 1868
P. F. Jones clk

Approved
the 28th 1868

John M. Hudson
S. Phelps

Sarah A Merrill Guardian of The Person and Estate of Edda Nancy & Lucy Littlewell
 Administrators of Ben Merrill deceased
 In annual account current with her said wards estate

Nancy C Merrill

To Real Estate as per Inventory.	1200.00
To Personally not sold	196.00
To amount of Sale Bill Decr 25 th 1868	57.00
To amount diff of appraiser & sale bill	5.00
To amount of Sale Bill Decr 24 th 1869	57.00
	<u>1495.00</u>

By Real Estate on hand as per Inventory.	1200.00
By Personally " " " "	196.00
By amount paid Dr Gilbert.	10.00
By amount paid Wdge forward 1868	20.00
By amount paid for Board	7.00
By difference in Appraiser & Sale Bill	5.00
By amount paid for merchandise forward 1869	13.96
By Board 12 mos 1869	43.04
	<u>1495.00</u>

Edda Merrill.

To Real Estate as per Inventory.	\$1200.00
To Personally not sold	158.50
To amount of Sale Bill of Decr 25 th 1868	110.00
To amount of Sale " " " 24 th 1869	51.00
	<u>\$1519.50</u>
Bal due Guard ⁿ	\$93 ⁰⁰

By Real Estate as per Inventory	1200.00
By Personally not sold	83.50
By One Mare Poll dead	75.00
By Board & tuition paid Wd Smith	44.00
By amount paid for clothing 1868	48.00
By amount " Board 1868	19.00
By merchandise furnished 1869	59.30
Bal due Guard ⁿ	<u>63⁰⁰</u>
	1528.80

Lucy C Merrill

To Real Estate as per Inventory.	1200.00
To Personally not sold	329.00
To Sale Bill of Decr 25 th 1868	60.00
To Sale Bill " " " 24 th 1869	6.00
	<u>\$1495.00</u>
Bal due Guard ⁿ	\$44 ⁰⁰

By Real Estate on hand	1200.00
By Personally on hand	229.00
By amt paid Dr Gilbert.	12.50
By amount paid for clothing 1868	15.00
By amount paid for Board 1868	32.50
By clothing furnished 1869	8.45
	<u>1497.45</u>

State of Texas } I, Sarah A Merrill Guardian of the Person and Estate of the Heirs of Ben Merrill
 County of Dallas } do hereby solemnly swear that the foregoing is a true and correct Exhibit of the
 Condition of said estate

Sarah A. Merrill
 Guardian

Sworn to & subscribed before me
 this 25th Decr 1869
 S. J. Jones clk

1896
Sarah A. Merrill
Guard } Ant. Exhibit
Lucy & Muriel
Haley & Merrill
Ella Merrill
Filed Dec 27th 1869
S. J. Jones
ck
Approved Dec 27th
1869
A. B. Case
County Judge

Sarah E. Merrill - 3 In District Court - Dallas County
 Guardian - 3 Texas - Oct: Term 1872

To the Hon Hardin Hart -
 Judge of the 14th Judicial District -
 presiding at Dallas -

The undersigned - guardian
 of Nancy E. Merrill - Ella Merrill
 and Lucy Lee Merrill - minor children
 of Ben Merrill deceased - respectfully
 shows unto your Honor that in
 compliance with an order of the
 Hon District Court of Dallas County
 Texas - made at the ~~Term~~ term thereof
 A.D. 1872 - and after due adver-
 tisement according to law - she
 sold to the highest bidder - at the
 Court House door in the City of
 Dallas on Tuesday August 6th 1872
 the following described land - to in
 Dallas County - to the following ~~to~~
 named persons - at the following
 specified prices - to wit -

Three (3) tracts of 40 acres each -
 to W. R. Robertson - The price of
 the first tract being \$ 8.25 per acre
 of the second - \$ 8.10 per acre - of
 the third \$ 8.05 per acre - These

Three (3) tracts being a part of a tract of 192 acres belonging to Nancy E. Merrill - which was set apart to her in the partition of her father's estate & designated in the map or plot made by the commissioners of partition - as Lot No. 1 -

said three tracts being meted and bounded as follows - to wit -

Beginning at a rock the S. E. corner of a 320 acre tract patented to Ben Merrill April 17th 1855 - the patent being on record in Book F page 83. Dallas County Records -

Thence N. 950.4 varas to a stake in N. E. corner of said original survey -

Thence W. 950.4 varas to a stake in N. line of said original survey -

Thence S. 475.2 varas to a stake -

Thence E. 475.2 varas to a stake -

Thence S. 475.2 varas to a stake in S. line of said original survey

Thence E 475.2 varas to the beginning - containing 120 acres of land -

Also two (2) tracts - one of 40 acres & the other of 32 acres to E. W. Hunt - the price of the first tract being \$10.00 per acre -

of the 192 acres aforesaid belonging

and of the second - $\$7.70$ per acre
said two tracts being the remainder
of the 192 acres aforesaid belonging
to Nancy E. Merrell - The same
being meted and bounded as follows
to wit - Beginning at a stake in S. line
of original 320 acre survey mentioned
above - And 475.2 varas west from
its S.E. corner -

Thence W. with said S. line 665.28
varas to a rock - The same being Mr
Bunnell's S.E. corner

Thence N. with said Bunnell's E. line
950.4 varas to a stake in N. line of
said original 320 acre survey -

Thence E. 190.08 varas to a stake in
said N. line and at W.R. Robinson's
N.W. corner

Thence S. 475.2 varas with said Rob-
-binson's W. line to a stake in prairie

Thence E. 475.2 varas to a stake in
prairie the same being one of Rob-
-binson's corners of 120 acres

Thence S. 475.2 varas with Robinson's
W. line to the beginning -

Containing 72 acres of land -

Also two (2) tracts of 20 acres
each to J. G. J. Kendall - The price

of the first tract being \$5.50 per acre -
 and of the second - \$7.60 per acre -
 said two tracts being a part of a tract
 of 80 acres belonging to Ella Murrell -
 set apart to her in the partition of her
 father's estate and designated on the
 map or plot made by Commissioners of
 partition as Lot No. 16 - said two tracts
 being meted and bounded as follows -
 to-wit - Beginning at a stake in prairie -
 the N.E. corner of a tract of land known
 as lot No. 16 in map or plot of the
 partition of the Estate of Sam Murrell
 Deceased - & now on record in Book
 J page 589 Dallas County Records -
 from which a mesquit 5 in. diam. :
 bears N 6° W 36 links and a Post Oak 9 in. :
 diam. : bears S. 63½° W. 29.22 varas -

Thence S. 950.4 varas to a stake from
 which a Post Oak 4 in. : diam. : bears
 S. 71° E 20 links and a Post Oak 5 in. :
 diam. : bears N. 39½° E 39 links and a
 Red Bud 2 in. : diam. : bears S. 62° W 7 links
 Thence W. 237 varas to a Post Oak 20 in.
 diam. : marked as a corner

Thence N. 950.4 varas to the N. W. corner
 of said lot No. 16

Thence E. to the beginning 237 varas -

and containing 40 acres of land -

Also one (1) tract of 20 acres to W.P. Robbison at \$ 8.80 per acre. said tract being a portion of the aforesaid 80 acre tract belonging to Ella Merrill - and meted and bounded as follows - to-wit -

Beginning at the S. E. corner of the 40 acre tract described above at a stake from which a Post Oak 4 in: diam: bears S. 71° E 20 links - a Post Oak 5 in: diam: bears N. $39\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ E 39 links and a Red Bud 2 in: diam: bears N. 62° W 7 links

Thence W. with S. line of said 40 acre tract 237 varas to a Post Oak 20 in: diam: marked as a corner - being the N. W. corner of this 20 acre tract and the S. W. corner of said 40 acre tract -

Thence S. 475.2 varas to a stake from which an Oak 24 in: diam: bears N. 40° W 10 links - a Hackberry 5 in: diam: bears S. $86\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ E 19 links and a forked Oak 22 in: diam: bears S. $8\frac{1}{2}^{\circ}$ E 22 links

Thence E 237 varas to a stake in a thicket from which a Red Bud 2 in: diam: bears N. 80° W 11 links and a Pecan 12 in: diam: bears S. 8° W 45 links

Thence N. 475.2 varas to the beginning -
and containing 20 acres of land -

Also one (1) tract of 20 acres
to J. H. ~~Matthews~~^{marks} at \$6.25 per acre -
said tract being a portion of the
aforesaid tract of 80 acres belonging
to Ella Merrell - the same being
meted and bounded as follows - to-wit

Beginning at a stake - the S. E.
corner of the 20 acre tract above
described - from which a Red Rod
2 in: diam: bears N 80° W 11 links and a
Pecan 12 in: diam: bears S. 8° W 45 links
Thence S. with E. line of Lot No: 16
aforesaid 475.2 varas to its S. E. corner

Thence W. 237 varas with S. line of
said Lot No: 16 Thence N. 475.2 varas
to a stake from which an Ash 24 in:
diam: bears N 40° W 10 links - A Hackberry
5 in: diam: bears S. 86½° E. 19 links and
a forked Ash 22 in: diam: bears S.
8½° E 22 links

Thence E 237 varas to the beginning
and containing 20 acres of land -

All of which lands the
undersigned would respectfully
represent to your Honor brought a
fair price - and she therefor

asks that the sale be confirmed
and that she be allowed to make
conveyances to the purchasers —

The undersigned would
also respectfully represent unto your
Honor that the reason why the re-
mainder of land whose sale was
contemplated in the order of sale
under which three ^{sales} were made was
not sold was that there was at the
day of sale & is now pending a
suit in this Court to try the title
to said land. All of which is re-
spectfully submitted.

Joseph B. Bennett
Guardian

Sworn to and subscribed before me this
the 27th day of August 1872

J. M. Laws Clerk
By J. E. Coombes Deputy

#89.
Sarah E. Merrill
Guardian of
Nancy E. Ella &
Lucy L. Merrill

Account of Sale
of land belonging
to Nancy E. &
Ella Merrill

Filed Aug 27th 1872
J. M. Laws Clerk
Ray G. Coombes Deputy

553. 20 words

Recorded

Inventory of the property, both real and personal
 belonging to the estates of Nancy & Merrill, Ella Merrill
 Lucy & Merrill, minor heirs of Ben Merrill dec'd.
Estate of Harvey E. Merrill Trust

Lot 92	92 acres of land. Headright of Ben Merrill, Prairie	\$1200.00
Lot 80	80 " " Timberland "	
One Man Horse		50.00
One "	Kate	100.00
One "	Doll	50.00
One Colt	Hager's stud colt	35.00
	Lucy Cow & calf	12.00
	Bucks & 2 yr old kid	5.00
	1/2 of feather bed	7.50
	Cork Stone	7.00
	Barn ⁵⁰ & Tray 50	1.00
	Chair ¹⁵⁰ & Coffin, mill 50	2.00
	Sausage Mill 100 - White Counterspin 800	9.00
	2 Quilts 4.00 - 2 Blankets 3.00	7.00
	2 Shirts 1.50 - 1 Trunk 50	2.00
	1 Clock 2.50 - 4 Chairs 2.50	5.00
	1 Spinning wheel	2.50
	<u>Total</u>	<u>\$1495.00</u>

Property of Ella Merrill Trust

Lot 107	of 170 acres, Prairie land - of J. J. Montgomery headright	
" " 80	" " Timberland " - Ben Merrill "	
One Man	Pall @ 70.00 - Spanish bay mare 60	135.00
1	Salim Horse 70.00 - Gray stud colt 30	100.00
1	Lilly Cow & calf 12.00 - Strawberry Cow & calf 10	22.00
1/2	of feather bed 7.50 - Wagon 30	38.00
	<u>Total</u>	<u>\$1495.00</u>

Estate of Lucy E. Merrill

Lot 108 - 170 acres, Prairie land, of J. J. Montgomery headright \$1200.00
 Lot 107 80 " Timberland " of Ben Merrill "

Inventory Continued

Laney's Aunt Br. & farm	\$ 12.00.00
Wally mare, 85¢ - Key mare 70¢	155.00
Pompey horse 50¢ - Sarge's ^{young} stud colt 30¢	80.00
Pat cow & calf 12¢ - White lam & calf 10¢	22.00
1/2 of pasture land 72 - Mandrake 15¢ - Plain Pastures 2¢	24.50
Horse Pull 1¢ - 2 Saddle trees & chairs 3.50	4.50
Rec. gun 2¢ - 2¢ - 1.50 - Table 2.00	5.50
2 plain Combs 1¢ - Bible 1¢ - Shoe par 1.50	3.50
Total	\$ 149.50

Reconciliation

Laney's estate	\$ 1495.00
Ella's "	1495.00
Laney's "	1495.00
Total Amt	\$ 4485.00

The State of Texas }
 County of Dallas }

Personally appears in open Court, Sarah A. Merrill
 Guardian of the person and estate of Nancy E. Merrill, Ella
 Merrill, and Lucy E. Merrill, minor heirs of Benj. Merrill, and
 and made oath that the above and foregoing is a true
 and correct inventory of the property, both real & personal
 belonging to her said wards, ^{that has come to her hands as guardian} respectively, and that
 items of property are correctly set out to each, as
 decided by the Commissioners of partition, and turned
 over to this affiant by the exec^{rs} of the last will of
 said Ben Merrill dec'd. Sarah A. Merrill Guardian

Given to & subscribed in open
 Court this 29th day of May 1867
 Jas. O. Thomas Clerk of Court

1896
 Mrs Sarah A Merrill
 Executrix of
 Nancy E Merrill
 Ella Merrill &
 Lucy L Merrill
 Executors

Filed July 29th 1867
 Jas. P. Thomas Clerk

Approved Aug 26th
 A.D. 1867
 Ellis Coombes
 County Judge
 Dallas County
 Texas

Recorded Page 20 & 21
 M. Coy

The State of Texas know all men by these presents
 County of Dallas that we Sarah A Merrill as
 principal and John H Cole and James M Cole
 as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto the
 County Judge of said County of Dallas in the
 sum of eight thousand dollars, for the payment
 of which well and truly to be made, we bind
 ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administra-
 tors, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents
 signed and dated this 29th day of July 1867,
 the condition of the above obligation is such
 that whereas the above bound Sarah A Merrill
 has been appointed by the County Judge of
 Dallas County Guardian of the Persons and
 estates of Ella Merrill, Nancy E Merrill and
 Lucy L Merrill minor heirs of Ben Merrill
 deceased, Now if the said Sarah A Merrill
 shall well and truly perform all the
 duties required of her by law under said
 appointment, then this obligation shall be
 null and void, otherwise to remain in
 full force and effect

Sarah A Merrill
 John H Cole
 James M Cole

I Sarah A Merrill do solemnly swear that
 I will well and truly perform the duties
 of Guardian of the Persons and Estates of
 Ella, Nancy E, and Lucy L Merrill minor
 heirs of Ben Merrill said "so help me God"
 Sarah A Merrill

Sworn to and subscribed before me
 this the 29th day of July 1867
 Ellis Coombes County Judge

The State of Texas In the several District Courts
County of Dallas June Term A.D. 1872

To the Hon. Hardin Hart, District Judge
residing in and for the County of
Dallas

Sarah A. Merrill, who resides
in the County of Dallas, would show
unto the Hon. Court that she is the
lawful guardian of Ella, Nancy
E. and Lucy Merrill minors, and
the children of herself and her
late husband Ben Merrill deceased;
that said minors own no personal
property, nor have they any income
of any kind from which they can
be maintained and educated;
that the only kind of property they
own is an improved land situated
in Dallas County on the waters of
the Elm Fork of Trinity river, the
respective shares of the said lands
are as follows: Ella owns 170 acres
of Prairie and 80 acres timber, Lucy the
same amount of Prairie and timber

No 96.

Sarah A. Merrill
Guardian herein

Ben Merrill dec'd.

Bond of Guardian

Filed July 30th 1867

Jos. P. Shannon, Clerk

Approved July

31st 1867.

J. Ellis Coombes
County Judge
Dallas

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and Nancy owns 190 acres of Prairie
and 80 acres of timber.

Peltone further shews the Court
that she is quite poor, and for years,
has of her own means, maintained
and supported the said minors,
and paid for them all the Taxes
appertaining to their real estate, that
it was to pay their Taxes she
has been compelled to borrow money,
for the repayment of which she
is now sorely pressed, she further
represents that said lands if
sold now would bring a good
price, and furnish ample means
with which to maintain and
educate her said wards. She
therefore prays the Honorable Court
for an order authorizing the sale
of said lands on such
terms as to the Honorable Court may
appear best for her said wards
and be in any land she will ever
pray

Wm. T. Simpson
Att. for Peltone

1896

Sarah A. Merrill

Guardian of

Ella Merrill

Money E. Merrill

& Lucy Merrill

Application to see

Henry

Filed April 23rd

1872 J. M. Lane

clerk

Sarah A Merrill, Guardian of the persons & Estates of Ella, Nancy E. & Lucy S. Merrill, minors

Nancy E. Merrill

To real estate as per Inventory	1200.00
To personally as per last showing - 1869 on hand	74.00
To amt sales personally - Maria Kate & Maria	
Car "hugy" + Car + calf	136.00
To amt excess bondy on sale bill	26.00
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	1396.00

By real estate as land	1200.00
By personally as hand	74.00
By amt pd for goods for clothing for ward	10.00
By amt due Guard for board for 1871	40.00
By amt due Guard per last showing	54.52
By amt pd state, County, special + school taxes 1871	21.55
By excess bondy on sale bill	26.00
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	1386.07
amt cash on hand	79.93
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	1396.00

Ella

To realty as per Inventory	1200.00
To personally not sold	61.50
To Cash on hand as per last showing	18.97 1/2
To amt of sale of Spanish mare to W.R. Smith	50.00
To amt excess of bondy on sale	10.00
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Merrill

By Realty on hand as per Inventory	1200.00
By personally on hand	61.50
By amt pd for merchandise for clothing &c	18.00
By amt due Guardian for board &c for year 1871	20.00
By amt pd state, County, special + school taxes 1871	15.23
By amt excess bondy on sale	10.00
By Cash on hand	18.74 1/2
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	1340.47 1/2

Sarah A. Merrill

To amt Realty on hand	1200 00
To amt Personalty on hand	34 00
To amt sale of Personalty	167 00
To amt Excess Inventory on sale	28 00
	<u>\$ 1429 00</u>

By amt Realty on hand	1200 00
By amt Personalty on hand	34 00
By amt merchandise for Picy - clothing re	7 00
By amt due Guardians for board re 1871	40 00
By amt paid Doctor Gilbert medical services	22 00
By amt State, County, special & school taxes for the year 1871 pd & Mt Merrill, Pff	21 54
By amt 2 cars boot, on sale	25 00
By amt due Guardians as for last showing	61 05
By Cash on hand	15 41
	<u>1429 00</u>

The State of Texas } Personally appeared before the undersigned authority
 County of Dallas } Sarah A. Merrill, Guardian of the heirs of Ben Merrill
 deceased who upon oath says that the foregoing is a true
 and correct showing of the condition of the estate of her wards to the best
 of her knowledge & belief

Sarah A. Merrill

Given to and before me this 18th day of January
 1872 J. M. Laws
 Clerk of the Court

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Sarah A. Merrill,
Grand Niece Rev. Merrill

To 3 Annual Exhibit

Dist. Const.

J. L. D. Jan 13th 1892
J. M. Landolt

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Sarah A. McNeill Guardian of the Persons and Estates of Ella Nancy & Nancy L. McNeill
 Minor heirs of Ben McNeill Deceased

On account Current with her said Wards Estate

Dr
 1871

Nancy & McNeill Estate

To Realty as per Inventory	\$1200.00
To Personally not Sold	196.00
To amt Sale Bill Dec 26 th 1869	37.00
To Difference in Sale Bill and appraisement	5.00
To amt Sale Bill of Dec 24 th 1869	57.00
Total Debit	\$1495.00
Bal due Guardian	54.52
	<u>\$1549.52</u>

By Realty on hand as per Inventory	\$1200.00
By Personally " " " "	196.00
By amt paid for Merchandise for ward 1868	20.00
By " " " Board	7.00
By Difference in appraisement & Sale Bill	5.00
By amt paid for Merchandise for ward 1869	13.90
By 12 Mos Board 1869	43.00
By amt paid State 7 th day 1869	5.10
By amt " " " " 1870	2.70
By amt paid for Merchandise " 3. 1870	6.70
By amt paid for Board " 4. 1870	56.00
	<u>1549.52</u>

Ella McNeill's Estate

To Realty as per Inventory	\$1200.00
To amt of Sale Bill of Dec 28 th 1868	110.00
To amt of Sale Bill of Dec 24 1869	57.00
By personally not sold	\$195.50
By amt of Sale Bill of Jan 5 th 1871	638.00
	<u>\$1530.50</u>

By Real Estate as per Inventory	\$1200.00
By one Mare Poll Dead	75.00
By amt paid W B Smith Bear & hutton 1869	44.00
By paid for Clothing 1868	48.00
By amt paid Board 1868	19.00
By amt Merchandise furnished 1869	59.00
By amt paid for clothing by Guard voucher 1 1870	26.70
By amt " " Board & Clothing voucher 2 "	21.00
By amt paid State 7 th day 1869	6.30

By amt paid for clothing by ...
 By amt " " Board & Clothing Voucher 2 " 27.00
 By amt paid Taxes State & County 1869 yrs 3 63.75
 By amount paid Taxes year 1870 four 8.14
 Cash on hand 1511.52 1/2
 15.97 1/2
 1530.50

Lucy E Merrill Estate
 To Realty as per Inventory \$1200.00
 To personally not sold as per Inventory 229.00
 To Sale Bill of Dec 28th 1868 60.00
 To Sale Bill of Dec 24 1869 6.00
 Total amt chargeable 1495.00
 Bal due Grant 61.05
 1556.05

By Realty as per Inventory \$1200.00
 By personally not sold \$229.00
 By amt paid Dr Bulbert 1868 12.50
 By amt paid for clothing 1868 15.00
 By amt clothing furnished 1869 18.48
 By amt paid for Board 1868 32.50
 By amt clothing furnished 1870 5.50
 By amt and Guard for Board 50.00
 By amt paid Taxes 1870 8.07
 1556.05

The State of Texas }
 County of Dallas }

I Sarah A Merrill Guardian of the Persons and Estates of Ella
 Nancy & Lucy E Merrill Minors do Solemnly Swear that
 the foregoing is a true and correct exhibit of the condition of the Estate of her said Wards
 Sarah A Merrill
 Guardian

Sworn to and Subscribed before me this 5th day of January A.D. 1871
 D. McLaws clk.
 By J. E. Leombe Deputy.

No 96

Sarah J Merrile
Guardian

To } Annual Account

Rest Court

Filed Jan'y 5th 1870
J Mc Sams CLK
By J E Combes
deputy

Examined & found
Correct
J E Combes
Auditor

Revised