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The State of Texas,
COUNTY OF DALLAS.

TO THE SHERIFF OF DALLAS COUNTY—Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO CITE

A. H. Darnell admr.
of A. S. Harris. decd.

to be and appear at the next term of the County Court, to be holden at the Court House in the town of Dallas, on the last Monday in *March*, 1860, then and there to show cause, if any, why *you should not, make a full & complete exhibit in connection with your former exhibits of the condition of said estate & show cause why you should not be required to pay a certain sum, in favor of Leonard Randall as prayed for in petition now on file - in his office.*
And have you then there this writ. Herein fail not, but due return make as required by law.

Given under my hand, and seal of the County Court of Dallas County, this the *22nd* day of *March* A. D. 1860.

W. H. Martin
Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, Texas.

By Geo. W. Laws Jy. C. M.

State of Texas } To the Honorable James M.
County of Dallas } Paterson Chief Justice &c
The undersigned admr of the Estate of
A. S. Harris decd would respectfully
represent unto your Hon. that he did in
accordance of an order of your Hon Court
Sept Term 1856, proceed to hire out the
po Boy James, at public outcry at the
Court house door in the town of Dallas on
the 13th day of October last, for the term of
six months, and whereas at the aforesaid time
Mrs Harris widow of said decedent being the
highest bidder for the same, she bidding the
sum of forty dollars, all of which is resp.

Sworn to & subscribed & fully submitted by *A. H. Darnell*
before me Oct 31st 1856. *W. H. Martin* Jy. C. M.

Notice

A. H. Darnell has filed in my office his petition to the Hon County Court of Dallas County - praying for letters of Administration upon the Estate of Albert S. Harris decd. Therefore all persons interested are hereby notified to attend at the next term of said Court to be holden in the town of Dallas on the last Monday in August next and contest the same if they think proper

W. H. Martin
County Court
Dallas County Tex
August 21st 1860

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.)

County of Dallas.

TO THE SHERIFF OF ^{Forstom} DALLAS COUNTY---GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO CITE *N. H. Darnell*

Administrator of the Estate of A. L. Harris deceased

to be and appear at the next term of the County Court, to be holden at the Court-house in the town of Dallas, on the last Monday in *February* A. D. 1867, then and there to show cause, if any, why *he should not be removed from all powers as Administrator of the Estate of A. L. Harris deceased and why his powers as such Administrator of said Estate should not cease & determine why judgment for cost should not be rendered against him in this behalf for fees & costs of writ* And have you then and there this writ. *Herein fail not, but due return make as required by law.*

Given under my hand, and the seal of the County Court, this the *5th* day of *February* A. D. 1867.

Jas. P. Thomas
Clerk of the County Court, Dallas County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.)

County of Dallas.

TO THE SHERIFF OF ^{Forstom} DALLAS COUNTY---GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO CITE *N. H. Darnell*

Administrator of the Estate of A. L. Harris deceased

to be and appear at the next term of the County Court, to be holden at the Court-house in the town of Dallas, on the last Monday in *December* A. D. 1866, then and there to show cause, if any, why *he should not be required to return to this Court an annual by his heirs or assigns properly authenticated of the condition of said estate as required by Law* And have you then and there this writ. *Herein fail not, but due return make as required by law.*

Given under my hand, and the Seal of the County Court, this, the *30th* day of *December* A. D. 1866.

Jas. P. Thomas
Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, Texas.

County Court
W. B. Citation

*N. H. Darnell admr
A. L. Harris decd*

*Issued 25th March 1860
Geo. W. Foster Jy Clerk*

Original

*Come to hand March 25th
1860 Executed by delivering
to N. H. Darnell a true copy
of the within on the 25th
day of March 1860*

*J. M. Sheppard Jy Clerk
Dallas City Tex*

*Subd to N. H.
N. H. Darnell
Admr
of A. L. Harris decd
To J. H. Darnell
Negro Boy*

*Julia Oct 31st
1866*

N. H. Master cin

*Jury here approved
this 24th day of
November 1866*

*J. M. Patterson
Chief Justice
D.C.T.*

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State of Texas
County of Dallas
Know all men by these presents that the said N. H. Darvell as principal and J. C. Harp & James B. Poy as sureties are held and firmly bound unto the Chief Justice of the County of Dallas in the penal sum of Twelve thousand dollars for the payment of which sum well and truly to be made in kind ourselves our heirs Executors and Administrators jointly and severally from the date hereunto signed and sealed using seals for said N. H. Darvell this 5th day of October AD 1854

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bounden N. H. Darvell has this day been appointed by the Chief Justice of the County of Dallas Administrator of the Estate of Albert G. Harris Deceased Now if the said N. H. Darvell shall well and truly perform all the duties required of him under said appointment then this obligation shall be null and void otherwise to remain in full force and effect

N. H. Darvell
J. C. Harp
James B. Poy

I do solemnly swear that Albert G. Harris Deceased died without having any lawful will so far as I know or believe and that I will well and truly perform all the duties of Administrator of the Estate of Albert G. Harris Deceased
Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 5th day of October AD 1854
N. H. Darvell

County Court
To & alias citation
N. H. Darvell
Issued Feby 5th 1867
Geo. P. Thomas clk
original

Received in office
Feb 14th 1867
J. Executive on the
13th day of Feb 1867
by delivering to the
within named
N. H. Darvell in
person a true copy
of the citation
Geo. P. Thomas
J. C.
Filed Feby 21st 1867
Geo. P. Thomas clk

Darvell's fee \$ 1.00

County Court
To & alias citation
N. H. Darvell

Issued Feby 30th 1866
Geo. P. Thomas clk
original

Sherriff's office
Warrant in N. H. Darvell
6th day of Dec 1866
And executed the same
by the Sheriff
J. C. Harp
Sworn a true copy of the
Geo. P. Thomas
By the Sheriff's office

Sherriff's fee \$ 1.00
Filed, acc. to 1866
Geo. P. Thomas clk

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State of Texas }
 County of Dallas } In County Court
 August term 1854

To the Hon Ch. Justice of Dallas County.
 The undersigned, would respectfully represent
 unto Your Honor, that heretofore to wit:
 on the day of 1854 Albert G.
 Harris formerly a resident of Dallas County
 departed this life. that he left an estate
 worth about the sum of
 that he left no will or testament that petition
 is aware of, & that his widow & children survive
 him -

Your petition would further represent that at
 the special instance & request of the widow
 of sd intestate, (which fact will be shown to
 the court) he asks your Honor to grant him
 Letters of Administration upon the Estate of
 sd Albert G. Harris & for such other & further
 orders as to your Honor may seem right and
 proper -

N. H. Farrell
 p/p ~~W. H. Farrell~~

N. H. Farrell
 Co } Bond
 Chief Justice
 Filed 2^d Oct 1854
 Approved this 30 day of
 October 1854
 J. M. Pelton
 Chief Justice
 207

Recorded 18 Nov
 1854
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State of Texas }
 County of Dallas } Court Court
 In Vacation

To the Hon. J. W. Patterson Ch. Justice Dallas
 County -

The undersigned would respectfully represent as in his petition filed previous to the August term of your Hon. Court, asking for letters of Administration upon the estate of A. G. Harris decd.

The undersigned would further represent that the interest of sd estate, as petitioner will show to your Honor, requires the immediate appointment of an Administrator, with such powers as the circumstances of the case may require - The premises being considered petitioner asks your Honor to grant him letters of administration pro tem, that thereby he may save sd estate from any loss or detriment & for any order which may seem to your Honor right & proper and as in duty bound he will ever prove -

A. W. Arnell
 J. W. Meloy & Nicholson
 attys

1195 & 1163 & 1164 -
#5611

The State of Texas County Court,
County of Dallas Sep. 3rd 1856

Hon. James M. Patterson Ch. J. do.

Your petitioners Julian Field
& Henry Harris respectfully represent
that they hold claims for money against
the estate of A. L. Harris, dec'd, as follows
to wit: Said Field holds a claim

amounting to	\$ 25.39
Said Harris' do. do.	71.67
	\$ 95.06

That these claims have been accepted by
the Administrator & approved by the Chief
Justice, but they are still unpaid, wherefore
they pray that the Administrator of said
estate be cited to appear at the next regular
term of yr honorable court, & make an ex-
hibit in writing, under oath to the court,
setting forth, fully, in connection with the
other exhibits, the condition of the estate he
represents. That if there is money in the
hands of said Administrator he be or-
dered to pay off said claims, if there is no
money in his hands & a necessity ex-
ists they pray that enough of the proper-
ty of said estate be sold for cash to pay
off said claims. And they will ever
pray &c.

Crackshell & Co. Attys
for petitioners

The State of Texas & the County of Dallas and
 County of Dallas & March Term 1858
 To the Hon. J. D. Williams
 Chief Justice of the State of Texas
 Your petitioner Abraham
 Randall who resides in the County of
 Sanita and State of Texas. Complaining
 of H. H. Hamble who resides in the County
 of Dallas and State of Texas. Being of the
 Estate of A. B. Hamble are respectfully
 aware that herefor to wit on the 18th day of
 July 1858 he did take from said
 Hamble to H. H. Hamble same as afore-
 said a claim against the Estate of his in-
 debted which he has shown to the Court
 Prothonotary and from that time forth
 the same has been accepted by said Hamble on
 the 17th day of July 1846 and approved by
 the Chief Justice of Dallas County Texas where
 said claim was and still is admitted to
 in and by his approval July 18th 1858
 That the amount due on said claim has
 been often demanded of said Hamble but
 to pay the same or any part thereof through
 legal requisition he has failed and refused
 to pay the same and that said Estate is in-
 debted to him
 He further charges that if not collected
 then on long claims due said Estate
 which said Hamble refuses to collect
 and pray that he be allowed to appear and
 make and exhibit in writing under oath to the

[Faint, illegible handwritten text in cursive script]

The State of Texas In County Court
Dallas County No Term 1855

To the Hon J W Patterson Chief Justice
& Judge of the County Court in and for
Dallas County

Your Petitioner A H Darwell
Adm^r of the Estate of A G Harris dec^d
would respectfully represent unto your
Honor that there is an Exhibit due from
sd Estate at the present term of the
County Court. that the Atty^y of your
Petitioner is absent from the County. so
that he will be wholly unable to present
the sd Exhibit at this term. your petitioner
would further represent that he is at
present prostrated upon a bed of affliction
and entirely incompetent to transact
any business whatever. the premises con-
sidered he therefore prays for an order of
continuance in this cause until the
next term of your Honor Court & as in
duty bound he will ever pray

A H Darwell Adm^r
Estate of A G Harris

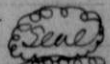
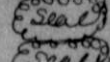

Simon Russell

A H Darwell
Adm^r of the Estate
of A G Harris dec^d
Petitioner

Filed July 28th 1860
Geo W. Lawless C.M.

Know all men by these presents that we A. H. Warrnell as principal and J. C. Haupe and Paul B. Poyer as sureties are held and firmly bound unto the Chief Justice of Dallas County in the sum of _____ dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents, signed and sealed using scrabls for seals this 12th day of Sept 1874

Whereas the above bounden A. H. Warrnell has this day been appointed by the Chief Justice of said County Administrator Pro-tem of the Estate of Albert G. Harris deceased. Now therefore the conditions of the above obligation are such that if the said A. H. Warrnell shall well and truly perform and discharge all the duties required of him by said unwar said appointment then this obligation shall be null and void otherwise to be and remain in full force and virtue in said

A. H. Warrnell 
 J. C. Haupe 
 Paul B. Poyer 

I A. H. Warrnell do solemnly swear that Albert G. Harris dec^d died without leaving any lawful will so far as I know or believe and that I will well and truly perform all the duties of Administrator Pro-tem of the Estate of said A. G. Harris dec^d


Inwitness whereof Subscribed before me this 12th Sept 1874
 A. H. Warrnell
 J. H. Cook clk

State of Texas } County Court
County of Dallas } Nov. Term 1854

To the Hon Chief Justice of Dallas County -
Com Petitioner N H Samuell Adm^r of
the estate of A B Harris Decd. would represent
that he procured an order at the term
of your court for the sale of certain personal
property on the day of 1854 -

He further represents that he proceeded to sell
& found many articles going for less than their real
value, on account of which he stopped the sale
& would now ask your Honor to grant him
an order to sell the remainder of sd articles
which the former order authorized him to sell
at the late resid^{ue} in^{er} of A B Harris Decd in the
Town of Dallas after giving 15 days notice -
& as in duty bound he will ever pray
N H Samuell adm^r

N H Samuell
Adm^r Pet^r

To  J. B. Burt
Chief Justice

Filed 13th Sept 1854
A. J. Park etc

Approved 25th Dec^r 1854
J. M. Patterson
Chief Justice
J. C. J.

The State of Texas In the County Court

County of Dallas, December Term A.D. 1854

John Wm J. Patterson, Sheriff and
Judge of the County Court in and for the County aforesaid

Your petitioner, Administrator of the Estate of Albert G. Harris Dec'd. would most respectfully represent unto your Honor that there is now belonging to the Estate of said Dec'd. one half of a certain Steam Saw mill, in Dallas which was appraised at the Sum of Twenty five hundred Dollars - that there is no timber land belonging to said Estate in the vicinity of the mill - And that said mill is erected upon Land which does not belong to the Estate of said Dec'd. and in connection with another person who has a joint interest in the same, And that from the peculiar circumstances by which this interest is surrounded, your petitioner regards the same as perishable property - Your petitioner further represents that the same could now be sold at public auction for cash and the proceeds on this per cash and the proceeds ^{on this per cash and the proceeds} be a credit of twelve months for an amount equal to or greater than the amount to which the same was appraised, by the Appraisers herein before appointed to appraise the property belonging to said Dec'd's Estate.

In view of the aforesaid facts and circumstances, your petitioner would pray your Honor to grant a Writ of Order for the sale of said one undivided half of the aforesaid Steam Saw mill belonging to the said Estate, as mentioned and of Record in your Honors Court, ^{on this per cash and the proceeds} upon a credit of twelve months - and such other time and conditions as by your Honor may be required - And do such like matters and things as the premises may be right and proper. And as in duty bound he will ever pray

J. H. Darrell
By McKey & Nicholson
his attorney

Hon J. M. Patterson
Chief Justice Dallas Co

We the undersigned Commissioners appointed at the May Term of the County Court of Dallas County to partition and distribute the residue of the estate of A. G. Harris deceased consisting of 640 acres of Land, situated in Dallas County, about 10 1/2 miles S.W. from Dallas, and known on the Map & Records in Land Office of said County, as Sec 23, Town 1 S. 4 G. Range 2 W located by virtue of Peter Clay Certificate No. 520 Vol. 3, issued the 8th day of May 1850 & transferred to said Decedent 17th June 1852, beg leave to ——— Report. ———

That we did on the 16th June 1860 divide said 640 acres of Land equally as is described in the Sketch and Field Notes herewith filed & made by W. St. Thomas Surveyor, who we called to our aid which Sketch and Field Notes, we make a part of our report, into two Tracts of 320 acres each, marked & described as Lots No 1 & 2. And that we set apart the Middle the West half of said Tract containing 320 acres and marked on said Sketch Lot No 1 - which we valued at Twelve Hundred & Eighty Dollars. And we would further represent to your Honor, that the East half described as Lot No 2, is not capable of an equal share division among the said Minors without material damage to their interest, and we appraise said Lot No 2 of 320 acres at Twelve Hundred & Eighty Dollars.

All of which is respectfully submitted
Subscribed and sworn to before

On this 22 June 1860.

J. M. Patterson J. P. Clerk

J. C. Hampe
Jail Robinson
J. B. Hester

State of Texas
 Dallas County



And also of the Division
 and Partition of two acres of
 Land by an order of the County
 Court of Dallas County, made at the
 May Term thereof in favor of
 James B. Harris against A. H.

Sammil Adair of A. G. Harris Decedent, said
 Land lying in Dallas County at Mountain Creek
 about 10 1/2 miles S.W. from Dallas, and known as
 Section No. 23, Township No. 13, Range 34, in the
 Map of Dallas County

Lot No. 1

Beginning at the S.W. Corner of said Section, Stake
 near a Small Arroyo, which is in the S.E. 1/4, and
 then West 18m 10 1/2" N 77 1/2" W Thence East 95 1/2"
 N. to Stake in South Boundary of the original
 Survey, Thence at 1500m Corp West Fork, in
 all 1900 1/2" N to Hackberry line for a corner, on the
 North boundary of the original Survey, Thence West
 95 1/2" N to the original S.W. Corner of same, Thence South
 1900 1/2" N to the Beginning Containing 3 1/2 acres Land

Lot No. 2

Beginning at S.E. Corner of the original Survey, Stake
 from which Spanish Oak 34, is S 33 1/2" W 10 1/2" N another
 18m 55 1/2" N 19 1/2" W Thence South crossing West Fork
 1900 1/2" N to Stake in prairie, the original S.E. Corner
 of said Survey, Thence W 95 1/2" N to Stake in the
 South Boundary of same, & S.E. Corner of Lot No. 1
 Thence at 1900 1/2" N to Hackberry corner on the S.W. line
 of original Survey and S.E. Corner of Lot No. 1 Thence
 East 95 1/2" N to the Beginning Containing 3 1/2 acres Land

Dallas Texas
 June 16th 1860

W. A. Summers
 Surveyor

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff of Dallas County Genting

You are hereby commanded to cite A. H. Samuell
Administrator of the Estate of A. S. Harris
to be and appear before the Hon.
the County Court for said County on the
first day of the next Term thereof, to be
holden at the Court House in the Town
of Dallas on the last Monday in July 1855
then and there to answer the petition of
Alexander Kirkell now filed in said
Court to certify copy of which accompanies
this writ.

Witness My Hand & Seal of said Court
and the seal thereof this 25th
day of July 1855

W. H. Peate Clerk of Court
By Cole & Burdick Deputys

Report of Commissioner
in Distribution
of the Estate of A. S. Harris

J. C. Harp	\$4.00
Jas. Harp	\$4.00
Paul Robinson	\$4.00
W. H. Thomas	9.00

Filed July 19th 1860
W^m Harris spt'g clk.

Approved this 30th July
1860

J. H. Peterson
Chief Justice

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The State of Texas } In County Court
 County of Dallas } March Term 1860
 To the Hon J. W. Patterson, Chief Justice
 and Judge of the County Court, in and for the County
 of Dallas and State of Texas.

The undersigned would most respectfully represent that at the Oct Term 1859, he, as the Adm^r of the Estate of A. G. Harris Dec^d, made and presented to your Honor's Court, a full and true exhibit of the true situation of said Estate so far as the same has come to my hands or knowledge, that since which time I have received nothing belonging to said Estate, - that since which time I have instituted suit upon the remainder of the notes then in my hands as Adm^r which suit is now pending ^{& undetermined} in the District Court of Dallas County Texas - that the debts said upon ^{what collected} are amply sufficient to pay all the debts due from said Estate, known to me, and that no sale of other property, is necessary therefore that I have no moneys, belonging to said Estate, in my hands, but have paid out, on claims, more than the amount received as will appear by said last mentioned exhibit All of which is respectfully submitted

Sworn to & subscribed
 in open Court this 29th March
 A. D. 1860 -
 Geo. W. Laws Jy Clerk

Adm^r Estate of A. G. Harris Dec^d
 J. H. Darrell

Dr D
1854 to 1859

N. H. Darnell Admt. of the Estate of A. G. Harris Deceased In Ac Current with said Estate

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To Aunt Kate Bill Nov. 18 th 1854.	\$491.35
Dec. 23 rd - - - -	487.50
Feb 6 th 1855	12.00. -
Sept 4 th - - -	1.000. -
Nov. 8 th - - -	28.50
To Aco of property not sold as per Inventory	2,950. -
To - - Cash from Payer & Cameron	100. -
To - - Hire of Farmus (slave)	80. -
To - - Cash from R. P. Ayres	7.50
To - - Hire of Farmus (note on Reck)	60. -
To Household & Kitchen furniture ' Est apart to Widow }	117.80
To Aunt Cash from Cooknell (hire for Farmus)	12.50
To - - for hire of Farmus (from N. H. Darnell)	80. -
To - - for - - - - 1858	60. -
To - - for - - - - 1859	40. -

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Due Admt. 136. 97
\$7,152.12
\$7,152.12

1854 to 1859 -

By 200 acre land homestead set apart to Widow	\$2,250. -
By 440. - - balance homestead - on hand	117.80
By Household & Kitchen furniture - 20 boxes to Widow	300. -
By one year provisions set apart to Widow	51.05
By Rent for Cooknell	35. -
By - - - - Moon & Marquis	50. -
By -	50. -
By - - - - for gathering Crops of 1854	15.25
By - - - - Taxes	25.50
By one horse bought by J. S. Smith - dead	30. -
By corn shot on first sale Bill	41. -
By error in Sale Bill - one wagon	20. -
By Aunt for Cests of Court	59.50
By - - - - Cooknell	88.65
By - - - - Gold & Donaldson & ward	65.31
By -	1859.26
By - - - - N. H. Darnell	25. -
By - - - - M. Cay & Nicholson	14.67
By - - - - Taxes for 1857	9.90
By - - - - Cooknell	8.75
By - - - - Parker	1.00. -
By - - - - Widow balance of year allowed	550. -
By One Slave Farmus on hand	180. -
By 2 lots in Dallas on hand	1. -
By Rent for land patent	53.60
By -	6.75
By - - - - J. M. Smith & Co.	189.80
By - - - - Gold & Donaldson	5.16
By - - - - Daniel Robinson	10.84
By - - - - W. Camette & Bro	12.52
By - - - - Fields & Huston	24.89
By - - - - Jacob Riley	82.15
By - - - - O. B. Harris	6.07
By - - - - Taxes for 1856	1892.96
By - - - - Taxes - 1858	6.07
By notes on hand	<u>7,152.12</u>

The State of Texas,
Dallas County } Personally appeared before the undersigned Clerk of the County
Court in & for the County & State aforesaid N. H. Darnell Admt. of the estate of
A. G. Harris Deceased & made oath that the above foregoing is a true exhibit of the
true situation of said estate so far as the same has come to his hands or
Knowledge

N. H. Darnell Admt.

Sworn to & Subscribed before me this 29th day of October 1859.
Geo. M. Laws J. C. C. / 116

N. H. Darnell Adm^r of the

Dr
 1854-5, 6-7, 8th amt Sale Bill Nov. 1854-1854 - \$491.35
 " " " " Dec 23 " - 1187.50
 " " " " Feb 6, 1855 - 1500.00
 " " " " Sept 4 " - 1000.00
 " " " " Nov 8 " - 28.50
 To prop not sold as for Inventory 2950.00
 " Cash from Byers & Lamson 100.00
 " Hire of Ham, (a Slave) 80.00
 " Cash from B. P. Byers - 7.50
 " Hire of Lamons, (note on back) 60.00
 " House hold & Kitchen furniture & 20th hogs
 turned over to widow 117.80
 " Cash from Coakrell (hire of Lamons) 12.50
 " Hire of Lamons (N. H. Darnell 12. mo) 80.00
 \$6915.15
 " To Hire of Lamons Slave for 1855, 60.00
 \$6975.15
 Amt over paid by Adm^r 177.97
 \$7053.12

The State of Texas } Reasonably appeared before the
 County of Dallas } undersigned Authority, N. H.
 Darnell Adm^r of the Estate of A. S. Harris &
 makes oath in due form of Law, that the
 foregoing is a true and correct exhibit of
 the Condition of the Estate he Represents to
 the best of his belief. N. H. Darnell Adm^r
 Subscribed & sworn to
 before me this 1st Feb of A. S. Harris Adm^r
 1855. J. K. Masten clls

W +
 N. H. Darnell Adm^r
 Estate of A. S. Harris Adm^r
 In 3rd amt Current
 for 1859 -
 With said Estate
 Filed Oct 29th 1859
 Jas. H. Law, J. P. Dallas
 Approved this 1st
 day of November
 1859
 J. W. Patterson
 Sheriff

Estate of A G Harris

Said Estate,

Cr

1854.5-6.7.8, By 200 Acre Land including homestead set apart to widow upon order of Ct. Oct. 1854.	
By 400 Acre bal. head Right of 640 on hand	3350.00
" 20 head hogs, 4 th N ^o & Kitchen furniture to widow,	117.80
" one year allowance to widow by order Ct,	300.00
" amt paid Cockrell, Voucher No. 1 -	51.05
" " " Moon & Magyis " 2	35.75
" " " " " " Parking for Gravel 3 -	50.00
" " " Gathering Crop 1854 -	15.20
" " " Taxes 1853 & 1854 -	15.25
" " " one horse bot of J. H. Smith died before delivery	35.50
" " " Corn short in first sale Bell	30.00
" Error in sale bull as to waggon	41.00
" Cost of Court -	20.20
" Paid Cockrell	595.00
" " Gale & Donaldson & Ward	88.65
" " " " "	65.31
" " J. H. Darnell	1009.26
" " McCoy & Nicholson	25.00
" " Taxes for 1817 -	14.67
" " Cockrell	9.90
" " Parker	8.75
" " widow bal years allowance	100.00
" Slave on hand (Lamarous)	550.00
" 2 Sets in Dallas on hand	150.00
" Paid for Land Patent	1.00
" " Liphart	53.60
" " J. H. Smith & Co	6.70
" " Gale & Donaldson	189.06
" " Daniel Robinson	55.10
" " H. Canette & Wm	10.34
" " Fields & Masten	12.52
" " Jacob Riley	24.89
" " A. G. Harris	53.58
" " Taxes for 1816	0.07
By bal due on Note against Mrs. Norris & J. H. Darnell from amt	552.96
" " " " " " " " " " " "	640.00
	7253.12
	16975.15
	24228.27

N. H. Darnell Adm^r of the Est
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1854, 5, 6, 7	To amt. of sale Bill Nov 11. 1854	\$ 491.35
" " " "	" Dec 21 1854	287.50
" " " "	" Feb 6. 1855	1500.00
" " " "	" Sept 4. 1855	1000.00
" " " "	" Nov. 8. 1855	28.50
	To amt. of sale of property	2950.00
	To Cash from Byers & Cameron	100.00
	To hire of Famous (a slave)	80.00
	To Cash from B. P. Byers	7.50
	To hire of Famous (note on Book)	60.00
	To Household & kitchen furniture & 20 h ^o hogs turned over to widow	117.80
	To Cash from Corbitt (hire of Famous)	12.50
	Total Amt.	\$ 6,835.15
	To Hire of Famous (N. H. Darnell) 12 mos	80.
	Total	\$ 6,915.15
	Adm ^r pd out more than rec ^d	230.90
		\$ 7,046.05

Claims rejected since last exhibit
 claim of Geo Butler for \$182.25

The State of Texas }
 County of Dallas } Personally appeared in open Court
 and made oath that the above is a true & correct exhibit
 so far as the same has come to his hands or knowledge
 Subscribed & sworn to in open Court

Estate of A. H. Harris Dec'd
 & with 5^d estate -

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1854. 5. 6. 7. By 200 acres of land, including homestead, Set apart to widow as per order of Ct Oct 1854	}	\$ 2,250 00
By 440 acres bal of Head right of 640. on hand		
" 20 h ³ of Hone H ³ & kitchen fur. turned to widow		127 80
" amt of one yrs allowance to widow by order of Ct.		300 00
" amt pd Corbitt's purchase 1st / -		51 25
" amt pd Corbitt's purchase 2nd / -		35 00
" amt pd 20 " " " " " " " " " " " "		50 00
" amt pd getting crop 1854		15 00
" amt pd Taxes for yrs 1853 & 4		15 25
" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "		25 50
" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "		30 00
" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "		41 00
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" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "		640 00
" " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "		
Total		\$ 7146 85

A. H. Sarnell Administrator of the estate of A. H. Harris Dec'd
 of the true situation of the estate of said A. H. Harris Dec'd
 this 26th day of October A.D. 1857 - A. H. Sarnell
 A. H. Master, ecc. o. c. s.

The State of Texas } In the County Court
 County of Dallas } Sept. Term 1856 -

To the Hon. J. M. Patterson Chief Justice of

The undersigned having been cited at the present term of this court to show cause why I, as Administrator of the Estate of A. G. Harris dead, should not pay off certain claims therein specified &c. &c. would answer said petition and citation, that there are no means in my hands wherewith to discharge said claims - that there are debts due said estate, when collected will be sufficient to discharge all the indebtedness of said estate, so far as is at this time known to exist - & that therefore, there exists no necessity for a sale of other property of said estate - ~~that no opening is~~ ^{that no opening in the facts considered, may} ~~be made~~ ^{be made} that said petition of Field and Harris be dismissed at the costs of the petitioners & he have judgment thereon and as in duty bound he will so advise -

A. H. Jarnell Advt.

The undersigned would pray for an order to hire a negro man slave named James belonging to said decedent's estate, for 6 months - on such term as may be right & proper -

A. H. Jarnell Advt.
 Oct 2nd 1856 -

A. H. Jarnell
 Adm. of the Estate of
 A. G. Harris decd -
 In } 3rd Annual Exhibit
 of the
 Estate of A. G. Harris
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Filed Oct 28th 1857
 W. K. Masten Clerk
 approved this 28th
 day of October 1857
 J. M. Patterson
 Chief Justice

A. H. Darnell Adm. of the Est.
Inquisition of Cur

1854, 5 & 6	To Amount of Sale Bill Nov. 15 th 1854.	\$491.35
To	" " " " December 23 rd 1854	487.50
To	" " " " February 6 th 1855.	1575.00
To	" " " " Sept. 4 th 1855.	1075.00
To	" " " " Nov. 8 th 1855.	25.50
To	" " Property not sold, as per Inventory	2,950.00
To	" " of Cash, from Ryan, and Comersod,	100.00
To	" " of Hire of James (admir)	80.00
To	" " of Cash received from D. D. Ayres	7.50
To	" " " " Hire of James, (note on Book)	60.00
To	20 head hogs, Household & Kitchen furniture turned over to widow - appraisers to	117.80
	<u>Total Amt</u>	<u>\$6,822.65</u>
To	Rec'd from Collins hire of James	12.57
	<u>Total Amt.</u>	<u>\$6,835.15</u>
	Amt paid by adm. more than collected	58.72
	Said Estate & adm. Amt.	<u>\$6,893.87</u>

Claims presented since last annual exhibit and accepted -

M. S. Johnson for \$200.00 - C. W. Adams for \$180.00 about Leonard Randall debt \$200.00 - W. W. Peck \$45.00

State of Texas }
 County of Dallas } Personally appeared in open Court A. H. Darnell
 is a true and correct exhibit of the true situation of the Estate of
 or knowledge

Subscribed and sworn to in open Court this 21st
 A. H.

ato of A. G. Harris Deceased
 with said Estate

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1854, 54	By 200 acres of land, including homestead, set apart to widow <small>as per order of Court October Term 1854</small>		
	By balance of headright of 200 acres, land on hand		\$2350.00
	By 20 head hogs, & household & kitchen furniture set apart to widow.		177.80
	By amount of year allowance to widow &c as per order of Court		300.00
	By amount paid age of Cockrell	month - 1	51.00
	By amount p ^d Moore & Maquess - Coffin	2	35.00
	By - p ^d - do - do - Paling	3	50.00
	By - p ^d for gathering crop of 1854	4	15.00
	By - p ^d Taxes for the year 1853 & 1854	4	15.25
	By one horse bought by J. D. Smith, dies before selling		25.00
	By amt of com short on first sale Bill		30.00
	By amt of error in sale Bill as to major		41.00
	By - p ^d Costs of Court	5	20.20
	By - p ^d A. Cockrell	6	590.00
	By - p ^d J. Ward (sold to Donaldson)	7	88.65
	By - p ^d Gold & Donaldson	8	65.34
	By - p ^d W. H. Darnell, (to Mrs. Harris)	9	1200.00
	By - p ^d Wiley & Nicholson	10	25.00
	By - p ^d Taxes for the year 1855	11	14.67
	By - p ^d A. Cockrell	12	9.90
	By - p ^d J. R. Parker	13	8.75
	By - p ^d Widow balance of year allowance	14	100.00
	By - 2 notes on Mr. Harris on hand, one dated 10 months to		1000.00
	By - note on W. C. Hump		200.00
	By - (appraised) Slave James on hand		850.00
	By - 2 lots in Dallas		150.00
	By - amt cash paid for paint of dead lands		1.00
			\$6,893.88

A. G. D.

Admin. of the Estate of A. G. Harris Deceased, and made oath that the above
 is said A. G. Harris Deceased, or far as the same has come to his hands

A. H. Darnell Administrator

2 day of October A.D. 1856.

Master etc

On or before the 1st day of August AD 1854
 I promise to pay to Alexander Cockrill
 or bearer Five Hundred Dollars for
 value Received, with 12 per Cent per Annum
 interest thereon until paid, this 3rd day of
 April AD 1854
 A. G. Harris

State of Texas } Personally appeared before the
 County of Dallas } undersigned Notary Public in & for sd county,
 Alex^m Cockrill who after being duly sworn & after
 deposit & say, that the annexed note for five hundred
 Dollars is just, due & owing from the estate of A. G.
 Harris dec'd & that all credits, offsets, & discounts known
 to affiant have been allowed -
 Alexander Cockrill
Notary

Sworn to & subscribed before me, witness my
 hand & official seal this 23rd day of May 1854
 E. S. Nicholson N.P.

J. H. Darnell
 Adm^r of the Estate of
 A. G. Harris dec'd

In 3rd Annual Exhibit
 with
 Estate of A. G. Harris
 Deceased

Witness Oct 2nd 1856
 N. K. Mastin, clk
 approved this 2nd day
 of October 1856

J. M. Fallanca
 Chief Justice

M. G. N.

N. H. Darnell adm. of the Est

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 1854 + 5) Dr Amt of Sale Bill of Novr 18th 1854 - \$491.35
 Dr - - - - - Decr 23rd 1854 - 487.50
 Dr - - - - - July 6th 1855 - 1.50
 Dr - - - - - Sept 4th - 1.00
 Dr - - - - - Novr 8th - 28.50
 Dr Amt of property not sold. as per Inventory - 2,950.00
~~Dr - - - - - Rent of farm - 60.00~~
 Dr - - - - - Indgt on Byans + Camron - 100.00
 Dr - - - - - Wm. of Hamus - 80.00
 Dr - - - - - Cash Rec^d from B.P. Hayes - 7.50
 Total Amt. \$6,449.85

Claims presented + accepted

Note Fields + Maston	\$23.29	Note McCoy + Nicholson	\$25.00
- A Cockrell	500.00	ap Ellis + West	5.30
- S. Kephart	40.00	Note Jacob Rulley	20.00
ap W. Camth + Bro	5.00	ap - - - - -	3.50
- W. D. + Donaldson	60.28	- A Cockrell	8.80
do do do	73.84	- J.R. Parker	8.10
- A Cockrell	51.05	- Bannet, Seung + Harwood	42.86
Note N.H. Darnell	865.00	- Moon + Marques	35.00
S.B. + C.R. Pryor	25.00	- O.A. Harris Dec ^d	71.67
2 nd class claim Wm. Robertson	4.50		
	<u>\$1,643.16</u>	Total Claims accepted	<u>\$1,863.39</u>

The State of Texas }
 Dallas County } Personally appeared in open Court N. H. Darnell
 oath that the above contains a true, full, + perfect exhibit of
 hands or knowledge -

Sworn to + subscribed in open Court this 2nd day of January 1856
 N. H. Darnell

Estate of A. G. Harris Dec'd.
Annual of Current with said Estate

1854 & 5. Pay 200 acrs land including homestead set apart to Widow as per order of Court Oct. Term 1854	
Pay balance of headright, said on hand of executor	2,257.00
Pay 20 head of hogs @ appraisement	57.00
Pay Household & kitchen furniture as per appraisement	65.00
Pay Rent of years allowed, as per order of Court	300.00
Pay - P. J. [unclear] [unclear]	25.00
Pay - p ^o of p ^o by Cockrill to Haught. W. I.	51.00
Pay - p ^o Moon & Margness. Coffin &c	35.00
Pay - p ^o - - - for Paling	25.00
Pay - p ^o for gathering Crop	15.00
Pay - p ^o Taxes of 1850 & 1854	15.25
Pay - of Hones bought by Smith, died before delivery	25.50
Pay - of Corn short. of first sal Bill 20	30.00
Pay - Error in Sal Bill as to Wagon	40.00
Pay un ^d p ^o Costs of Court	20.00
Pay - notes, & property on hand	3,719.55
	<u>\$6,644.85</u>

Balance

Claims presented & Rejected

of Ira, Henry, Isabella, Harris, & S Mauldin and others	5.25
- - Isabella Harris	139.00
- - S. G. Austin	10.00
- - H. Davis	79.32
- - H. C. Duffett	8.50
- - - Thompson	8.25
	<u>270.07</u>

Total claims rejected

James Adm. of the Estate of A. G. Harris Dec'd, and made the true situation of said Estate, so far as the same has come to his knowledge

V. H. Darnell
Adm

Chief Justice

The State of Texas
 County of Dallas
 Know all men by these presents that I A. G. Harris for and in consideration of the sum of Five Hundred dollars to me in hand paid, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, have granted and sold unto Alexander Cockrell of the County and State aforesaid, One negro girl 'Anni' aged 18 years, and a slave for life, To have and to hold, the said slave Anni unto the said Alexander Cockrell his heirs and assigns forever, Provided however, and this instrument is executed upon the express understanding that if the said A. G. Harris shall will and truly pay or cause to be paid to said Alexander Cockrell the sum of Five Hundred dollars with interest at the rate of 12% per annum from date until paid, on or before the 1st day of August A.D. 1854 - then and in that case this instrument in writing to be null and void otherwise to be in full force and effect -

In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and scrawl for seal this 3rd day of April A.D. 1854 - A. G. Harris

H. Barnes
 Estate of
 Harris dec'd
 1st
 Annual
 Exhibit with
 Decedent's Estate
 Filed Jan'y 2nd 1856
 Wm. F. K. Clerk
 of the County
 of Jan'y 1856
 M. P. Hester
 at test

H. C. Hester

Sale Bill of real property
 belonging to the Estate of A. G. Harris dec'd.
 made at the Court house door in the Town
 of Dallas on Tuesday the 4th day of Sep-
 -tember A.D. 1860

320 acrs of Land of the tract
 of Richard Wilson and known as
 the Lot No. 2. designated on the plat
 accompanying the report of the
 Commission appointed to partition
 the real estate amongst the heirs, by
 the Probate Court of Dallas Co. Texas
 Sold to Jerome B. Harris for \$320.00

The State of Texas }
 Dallas County } 3

Personally appeared before
 the undersigned County Clerk of Dallas Co
 Texas, J. H. Darnell, Adm. of the estate of
 A. G. Harris dec'd. and made oath that the
 above is a true & correct Sale Bill of real
 estate, belonging to the estate of said dec'dent.
 And that the same was made by him at the
 Court house door in the Town of Dallas
 County of Dallas and State of Texas, after
 giving legal notice thereof, and in accordance
 with an order of the Probate Court, for the same
 for Cash, - On the 1st Tuesday the 4th day
 of September A.D. 1860 between the hours
 prescribed by Law, on said day

J. H. Darnell Adm.
 Given to & Subscribed before me this 4th Sep^r 1860
 Geo. W. Davis Clerk

Sale Bill of the interest of the Estate of Albert
 G. Harris, ^{decd} in Steam Mill in Dallas, made on
 Tuesday, the 12th day of February A.D. 1855, in
 the town of Dallas, County of Dallas and State
 of Texas, To-wit

All the interest of in and to a Steam
 Saw mill, and appurtenances, situate
 in the town of Dallas, County of Dallas
 and State of Texas, of the Estate of
 A. G. Harris decd. - being the one undivided
 half of said mill and appurtenances

Sold for

Jerome B. Harris \$1500.00

The State of Texas
 County of Dallas

Personally appears before me the
 Clerk of the County Court in and for the County of
 Dallas and State of Texas, Nicholas H. Darnell
 Adm^r of the Estate of Albert G. Harris Decedent
 and made oath that the above is a true and
 correct Sale Bill of property sold as the property
 of the Estate of A. G. Harris decd, and that said sale
 was made on Tuesday, the 12th day of February A.D. 1855
 between the parties prescribed by Law and in accordance
 with Law and the order of the Hon^{ble} the County Court
 in Relation thereto and on the following Terms
 To-wit, "One third Cash, and the balance of the purchase
 money in twelve months from the day of sale"
 Given to and subscribed before
 me this 16th day of February
 A.D. 1855

N. H. Peak Clk

N. H. Darnell
 Adm^r

Sale Bill of Property belonging to the Estate of
A. G. Harris dec'd. South

One Negro woman "Anni"
sold to Mrs Lurann B. Harris for \$1,000.00

State of Texas } Personally appeared before the Clerk
County of Dallas } of the County Court, in and for the
County and State aforesaid, N. H. Darnell, Adminis-
trator of the Estate of A. G. Harris dec'd. and made
oath that the above and foregoing is a true & correct
Sale Bill of the property belonging to the Estate of
said dec'dent, made by him on Sunday the fourth
day of September A.D. 1855, between the hours prescribed
by Law, on said Day, at Public Auction, at the
town of Dallas in the County & State aforesaid
on a credit of six months, after giving due
notice thereof.

Sworn to & subscribed before N. H. Darnell Adm'r.
me this 10th day of September
A.D. 1855

J. H. Peck, clk

Sale Bill

Estate of A. G. Harris
dec'd

Filed July 26th 1855

J. H. Peck, clk

Approved this 26th day of
February, 1856

J. M. Patterson
Chief Justice
1856

Recorded ^{March} 1855
J. H. Peck, clk
By W. H. Howard deputy

The State of Texas } To the Sheriff
 County of Dallas } of Dallas County
 Greeting

You are hereby Commanded to Cite N. B. Darnell Administrator of the Estate of A. G. Harris to be and appear before the Honorable the County Court of Dallas County at its next Term, to be holden at the Court house in the Town of Dallas on Monday the 29th day of September Inst, then and there to show cause if any he can why he should not make an exhibit in writing under oath of the condition of said Estate, and further to show cause if any he can why an order should not be made to sell for cash sufficient property of said Estate to satisfy the claims of Susan Child. & Henry Harris, amounting to the sum of \$45.00. therein fail not but due Return make as required by Law -

Given under my hand & official seal this the 6th day of September AD 1856.

W. H. Master clk. Coct. 2, 600,

A. M. Darnell adm ✓
 Et A. G. Harris decd

In Case Bill
 County Court

Filed 13th Sept 1855

W. H. Master clk

Approved this 25th
 day of September
 1856 -

J. M. Patterson
 sh. of Justice

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The State of Texas In County Court
County of Dallas July Term A.D. 1855

To the Honorable Chief Justice of Dallas County
Your Petitioners, Alexander Carrell, would
respectfully represent unto Your Honor that the late
Albert S. Harris died, on the 3^d day of April A.D.
1854, ^{ditto} made execute and deliver to Your Petitioners
his promissory note for the sum of five hundred dollars
with 12 per cent interest due & payable on or
before the 1st day of August 1854.

Petitioners further represents that on the
said 3^d day of April A.D. 1854 - The S^r Harris
made, execute and deliver to your Petitioners
a Mortgage upon a Negro Girl "Ann" aged about
18 years, then the Property of said Harris &
now belonging to his Estate. Which said note and
Mortgage are herewith filed and made a part
of this petition marked Exhibit "A & B"

The Petitioner prays and your Petitioners
prays an Order for the sale of S^r Slave "Ann"
for Cash, to liquidate S^d note. That A. H. Hamill
Adm^r of S^r Harris' Estate, be served with a Copy
of this petition and with a Citation requiring
him to appear and answer this Application,
and as in duty bound he will ever pray
Alexander Carrell

County Court ✓
To } Citation
N. H. Darnell

Suma sept. 6th 1856,
W. H. Master Clerk

Original

Executed by delivery
of a copy of this citation
to the party
on Sept 17th 1856

W. H. Hamill or
A. H. Hamill

A. H. Hamill

The State of Texas } In County Court
 County of Dallas } May Term 1860
 To the Hon J. M. Patterson
 Chief Justice, and Judge of the County Court
 in, and for the County of Dallas and State
 of Texas -

The undersigned Administrator of the
 Estate of A. G. Harris dec'd. would most
 respectfully represent unto your Honor
 by way of answer to the petition of J. B. Harris
 heretofore filed, asking for a partition &c of
 the property of the estate of said Decedent,
 among all the legal heirs of said estate,
 that there are in his hands, a sufficient
 amount of means, in the character of promissory
 notes, which are now in suit, & which
 collected, to discharge all the known liabilities
 against said estate. That there is no necessity
 for a sale of other property of said estate
 for the discharge of the liabilities of the said
 known to him - He having no cause to
 show, why a partition as prayed for, should
 not be made, very respectfully defers the
 Court to his last Exhibit heretofore, on the
 day of 1860, filed, for a
 true exhibition of the condition of the Estate
 of said Decedent. All of which is respectfully
 submitted May 30th 1860

A. H. Darnell Adm'r
 By McCoy & Nicholas
 Attorneys

Inventary & Appraisalment List of the Property
 belonging to the Estate of A. G. Harris Dec'd as
 taken by the Administrator of said Decedent's
 Estate on the 19th day of Oct A.D. 1864

To Wth

List of Property

Valuation

		Valuation
500	W th Room	\$ 25
2	Long chains & a lot of old Iron	10
3	Ploughs	16
2	Pair of Plough Gears @ \$2.50	5
1	Rifle Gun	20
1	Double barrel Shot Gun	25
1	Pair Large Stueyards	4
1	Crop cut Saw	6
1	Grind Stone	5
1	Hand saw Crop cut	6
1	Bay bolt 3 yrs old	50
1	do	25
1	Old Bay Horse	20
1	Gray Horse	90
1	Wagon	25
1	Pistol (Colts Revolver)	40
1	do (Beringer)	8
640	Acres Land (Homesite) +	2,350
1	Wagon W th Man (Ann)	1100
1	Wagon Man Thomas (Hanna) +	550
2	Box Cotes	20
2	Town Lots (1847) in Blk 39 +	150
1	Gold Watch	100
1	Land Certificate for 640 acres Mex colony	320
1	Clock	10
35	Head of Hogs	100
	House hold & Kitchen furniture, many articles	60
1/2	Interest in the said Mill	25.00
	Whole amt	\$ 7,872.00

✓
 N. H. Darnell Adm^r
 Estate of A. G. Harris Dec'd
 To S. Anson Co
 To 3 Petition for partition
 Estate of A. G. Harris Dec'd
 Filed May 30th 1860
 Wth Harris Dpty Adm^r
 me

State of Texas } Before the undersigned authority
 Dallas County } personally appeared A. H. Darnell
 adm^r of the Estate of Albert G. Harris
 dec'd and made oath that the within Inventory
 of the Property belonging to said decedent's Estate
 is just true and correct so far as the same
 has come to his hands or knowledge

Sworn to & Subscribed before me this 28th Oct 1852 }
 J. J. Prater clk } A. H. Darnell adm^r
 of the Estate of A. G. Harris dec'd

State of Texas } Before the undersigned authority
 Dallas County } personally appeared Pleasant R. Snow and
 Young A. Robinson appraisers appointed to
 appraise the property belonging to the Estate
 of A. G. Harris dec'd and made oath that
 the within list is a just true and correct
 appraisement list of the property belonging
 to said decedent's Estate as shown them by
 the administrator thereof

Sworn to & Subscribed before me this 28th Oct 1852 } Pleasant R. Snow
 } Young A. Robinson
 }
 J. J. Prater clk

A Sale Bill of the Personal Property
of the Estate of A. G. Harris Decd made in Con-
formity with Law and the Order of Court -
Sale made on the 18th Nov 1854 as follows.

Inventories & appraisement ✓
Est A. G. Harris Decd
To
County Court
Filed 28th Oct 1854
A. N. Peck Clk
Approved 30th day of
October 1854
M. P. ...
Chief Justice
B. C. D.
Records

Property	Purchaser	Amt	
		7	2
1 Three Plough	W. Eatins	1.	12 1/2
1 1/2 do do	Silas Rodgers	1.	00
1 1/2 Stretchers & double tree	Wesley Cochrill	1.	65
1 Double Tree	W. J. Hughes		50
1 Plough & clevis (large)	John Winn	6.	05
1 Log chain (large size)	Joseph Robinson	3.	00
1 do do (small size)	L. Chinger	1.	12 1/2
2 Stables & set of wagon boxes	P. R. Snow		60
1 Chisel & square	John Winn		20
1 Lot of old Irons	Daniel Robinson	2.	00
1 Crosscut Saw	Joseph Robinson	5.	75
1 grind Stone	Thos Chicher	5.	25
1 Co Bearing	J. B. Reed	1.	40
1 do do	J. B. Reed	1.	50
1 Ox Yoke	W. Thomas	1.	10
1 do do	P. R. Snow		40
1 Rifle Gun	W. W. Beak	20.	00
1 Shot Gun (double barrel)	A. Darnell	18.	00
15 Bu Corn (at 1 per Bu)	Gas W. Lane	25.	00
25 Bu Corn (at 95 per Bu)	Gas W. Lane	23.	75
3 Hogs (\$5.25 per head)	A. Darnell	15.	75
9 do (\$3.25 per head)	Do Do	29.	25
25 Bu Corn (at \$1 per Bu)	Wm James	25.	00
25 do do (at \$1 per Bu)	Gas W. Lane	25.	00
25 do do do \$1 do do	Wm James	25.	00
25 do do do \$1 do do	Silas Rodgers	25.	00
25 do do do \$1 do do	James W. Lane	25.	00
25 do do do \$1 do do	A. Darnell	25.	00
		1300	170

Property	Purchaser	Am't
	Am't Brought over	305 00
25 Bu corn at 81-	gas W Lane	25 00
25 Do do at 100	A. Darnell	25 00
25 Do do at 950	Wm James	23 75
25 Do do at 900	A. Darnell	22 50
1 Bay Colt	P. R. Snow	20 00
1 Bay Colt 3 years old	P. R. Snow	10 00
		<u>440 05</u>

State of Texas
 Dallas County } Personally appeared before
 the undersigned County Clerk for the County
 aforesaid, N. H. Darnell administrator of the
 Estate of A. J. Harris Deceased & made oath in due
 form of Law that the above and foregoing is
 a just true & correct Sale Bill of the personal
 property belonging to the Estate of said
 Decedent as made as aforesaid

N. H. Darnell

Sworn to & subscribed before
 me this 25 day of 1854
~~C. H. [unclear]~~
 C. H. [unclear]

Sale Bill of property belonging to the Estate of
H. Harris dead, sold on the 8th day of Nov 1855
to wit

One Bay mare sold to S. Coats for	\$ 16.00
One pair steel yards - - - - - La ^d Horton -	1.50
One Wagon - - - - - J. C. Hauf -	11.00
	<u>\$ 28.50</u>

The State of Texas
County of Dallas

Personally appeared before the clerk of
the County Court in and for the County of Dallas
and state aforesaid, N. H. Darnell Adm. of the Estate
of H. Harris dead, and made oath that the above
is a true and correct Bill of the sale of the above
specified articles belonging to the Estate of said
Decedent, made by him on the 8th day of Nov^r
AD 1855, between the hours prescribed by Law ^{and}
said day, on a credit until the 1st day of ^{December} ~~January~~
AD 1855 - N. H. Darnell Adm.

Sworn to & subscribed before
me this 21st day of Nov^r
AD 1855. W. W. H. H. H.

N. H. Darnell Adm.
Est. of H. Harris
Sale Bill

Filed Nov 25 1855
Ed. G. W. W. W. W.

Approved this 26th day of
December 1855
J. M. Pittman
Clerk of Court

Recorded 27th Dec 1855
A. W. H. H. H.

Sale Bill of the Personal Property of the Estate
of A. G. Harris Decd. made on the 23rd day of
December A.D. 1854 Book

One Pistol	sold to	W. H. Darnell	\$40.-
One do	"	W. Burville	10
One Horse	"	J. S. Smith	25.50
One Gold Watch	"	Simon W. Harris	59.-
One Good acm. Mram. long land cut pie	"	J. C. Hawk	305.-
One Wagon	"	A. W. Mauldin	41.-
One Clock	"	D. Y. Ellis	7.-
			<u>\$487.50</u>

The State of Texas
Dallas County Personally appeared before the Clerk of
the County Court N. H. Darnell admr. of the Estate of
A. G. Harris Decd. and made oath that the above
is a true and correct Sale Bill of the property
belonging to the Estate of said Decedent as
made by him in Dallas on the 23rd day
of Decr 1854 on a credit of 12 months - said
Sale in every way conducted according to Law

Done to & Subscribed before me
this 25th Decr 1854
Edw. C. Pearson Dep. Clerk

N. H. Darnell
Admr.

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N. H. Darnell
Admr Estate A. G. Harris Decd

Ev³ Sale Bill
\$28.50

Filed Decr 31st 1855.
W. W. Peak Atk

App. over the
31st day of Decr
1855 by W. W. Peak
clerk of the court

May 20
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Return of the Hiring of one Negro Man
belonging to the Estate of A. S. Harris dec'd?
Hired on the 15th January 1856 for 6 Months

as follows

One Negro Boy hired to }
Samuel Beck for } \$60.-

State of Texas
Dallas County Before the undersigned
Authority solemnly appeared A. S.
Beckle agent Estate of A. S. Harris
deceased and made oath that the
foregoing is a true & correct report of
the hiring of one Negro by belong-
ing to said deceased Estate in
conformity with an order of the
Hon. County Court of Dallas County

A. S. Beckle
agent of the Estate
of A. S. Harris dec'd

Came to & subscribed before me this
16th February 1856
A. N. Peake clerk

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Sale Bill
Estate of A. S. Harris
dec'd
Dec 23rd 1854 \$457.50

Filed Dec 28th 1854
Edw. C. Bondy, Clerk

Approved this 25th day
of December 1854

J. M. Patterson
Chief Justice
D. C. T.

Recorded 25 Dec
1854 J. W. Harwood
Dpt. Clerk

T. N. Samuel Clerk

Report of Mining & Geology
Do

County Court

Filed 16th July 1856

W. W. Peak et al

Appointed this 25th
day of February
1856

J. M. Patterson
Chief Justice

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THE STATE OF TEXAS.)

County of Dallas.

TO THE SHERIFF OF DALLAS COUNTY---GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO CITE ^{Freestone} Jerome B
Harris Guardian Heir of A. G. Harris deceased

to be and appear at the next term of the County Court, to be holden at the Court-house
in the town of Dallas, on the last Monday in March A. D. 1867,
then and there to show cause, if any, why she should not be dismissed
and why judgment for costs in this behalf should not be rendered against her
as Guardian aforesaid for gross neglect of duty, as
failing and refusing to make out and return to this
Court an Annual Exhibit, properly authenticated of the
condition of said wards estate, as required by Law.
And have you then and there this writ. Return fail not, but due return make as required
by law.

Given under my hand, and the seal of the County
Court, this the 5th day of March
A. D. 1867.

Jas. B. Thomas

Clerk of the County Court, Dallas County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.)

County of Dallas.

TO THE SHERIFF OF DALLAS COUNTY---GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO CITE ^{Freestone} Jerome B
Harris Guardian Heir of A. G. Harris deceased

to be and appear at the next term of the County Court, to be holden at the Court-house
in the town of Dallas, on the last Monday in May A. D. 1867,
then and there to show cause, if any, why she should not be dismissed
as Guardian aforesaid for gross neglect of duty,
and for failing and refusing to make out and return
to this Court an Annual Exhibit of the condition of
her said wards estate, as required by Law.
And have you then and there this writ. Return fail not, but due return make as required
by law.

Given under my hand, and the seal of the County
Court, this the 8th day of May
A. D. 1867.

Jas. B. Thomas

Clerk of the County Court, Dallas County, Texas.

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Notice

Jerome B. Harris has filed in my office her petition praying for letters of Guardianship of the person & estate of Charlotte Harris Nicholas A. Harris & Albert P. Harris minor heirs of A. Q. Harris Decd. This is therefore to notify all persons interested to be and appear at the next term of the County Court to be held at the Court House in the Town of Dallas on the Last Monday in May A. D. 1860 & vouch the same if they see proper.

This 12th of May 1860
W. M. Masten C. C. J. 203

The State of Texas.

COUNTY OF DALLAS.

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TO _____ SHERIFF OF ~~DALLAS~~ COUNTY—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, That you summons *Jerome B Harris* Guardian of the Estate of the Heirs of *A. Q. Harris* deceased to be and appear at the next term of the District Court, to be held in and for the county of Dallas, at the Court House in the Town of Dallas, County of Dallas, and State of Texas, on the first Monday in *February*, A. D. 187 *0*, then and there to file *his* Annual Return, in writing, and show cause, if any *she* ha *S*, for not having made said Return according to law.

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 *16* day of *December*, A. D. 187 *0*.

J. M. Laws

Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas.

By *J. C. Coombes*, Deputy.

County Court
203 Citations
Jerome B Harris
Issued March 5th 1867
Jas. S. Thomas C. C. J.
original

Filed April 12th 1867
Jas. S. Thomas C. C. J.

County Court
203 Citations
Jerome B Harris
Issued May 20th 1867
Jas. S. Thomas C. C. J.
orig

Recd in office by
24th 1867
Robert Murray
Sheriff Freestone
co Texas

Search made and
not to be found in
Freestone County
Robt Murray Sheriff

Filed June 24th 1867
Jas. S. Thomas C. C. J.

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The State of Texas,

COUNTY OF DALLAS.

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Prayer
SHERIFF OF ~~DALLAS~~ COUNTY—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED That you summons *Jerome B Harris*
Guardian of the Estate of the heirs of A G Harris Dec'd
to be and appear at the next term of the District Court, to be held in and for the county of Dal-
las, at the Court House in the Town of Dallas, County of Dallas, and State of Texas, on the first
Monday in *February*, A. D. 187*9*, then and there to file *his* Annual Return,
in writing, and show cause, if any *he* *had*, for not having made said Return according to
law.

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 *16* day of *December*,
A. D. 187*0*.

J M Laws
Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas.

By *J E Leavelle*, Deputy.

Harsh, Print, Dallas, Texas

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1877 #3
Jerome B Harris
Guardian of the Estate
of Heirs of A G Harris Dec'd

Original Citation

Issued Dec 16 1870
J M Laws Clerk
By J E Leavelle
Deputy

Came to hand this
the 28th day of Decem
ber 1870 and returned
on the 10th day of Jan 1871
was claim not in my
county

W B Forman
Sheriff of B Co.

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Mr. Darnell
 Dear Sir I Learn that land of
 Mrs. Harris's Heirs is to be sold to day
 if so you need not buy on My acct
 or My Brothers as we are satisfied that
 the Court can not give a title that is
 good the Supreme Court has over ruled that
 you ~~can~~ no I was to have the refusal of all
 provided there could be a satisfactory deed
 or title made so I found there could not
 be a good right made to the Miners part
 & wished to be done with it but Mrs
 Harris wished me to take her part I done so
 much to the dissatisfaction of My Brother
 as he wanted all or none he has had the
 best counsel he could get & all tell him
 the heirs can recover it when the time of day
 My Brother has him trying to sell it
 & cant be spent all one hundred dollars
 to take it of his hands he spent that a
 mount at the start to Mrs. Harris when
 she made the deed I Bot for him at the
 start there is so much wast land on it
 makes it very high land the balance of
 the money will be ready to the day or before
 if necessary I hope all will be satisfactory
 with you & Mrs. Harris yours very respectfully
 Sep 4th 1860
 W. Jordan

V. 77 X 3.
 Jerome B Harris
 Guardian of the Estates
 of the Heirs of
 W. J. Harris Deceased
 Copy of Citation

Miss Harris has no Faculty of Reason
 and the Status of her children once attained their laws
 are such & suitable under the laws of Texas

The State of Texas In County Court
 County of Dallas } May Term 1860

To the Hon J. M. Patterson Chief Justice
 and Judge of the County Court, in and for Dallas
 County in the State of Texas

The undersigned your Petitioner, being the
 widow of A. G. Harris Decd. and also the Guardian
 of the minor heirs of said decedent, would most
 respectfully represent that there are means and effects
 belonging to said estate, more than sufficient to
 discharge all indebtedness and liabilities of the
 same. and consequently subject to distribution &
 partition among the heirs of said decedent -

She therefore prays, in her Capacity as Guardian
 of said ^{estate} and also as one of the heirs of said Decd. that
 N. H. Darnell Adm^r of the Estate of P. A. G. Harris, as
 also all the heirs, devisees, and legatees, of said
 decedent's estate be cited to be and appear at
 the May Term 1860 of your Honors Court. to show
 cause, if any they can, why the residue of
 said estate, after retaining in the hands of the said
 Administrator, a sufficiency for the discharge of all
 debts and liabilities against the said estate, should
 not be partitioned & distributed among the heirs of P. A. G.
 Harris. To wit Jerome B. Harris, Charlotte, Harris, Nicholas P. Harris and
 Albert Harris according to Law - She prays for citation
 as to all, and that the Court may do such other matters &
 things in the premises as may be equitable & right, and as in
 duty bound she will ever pray &c
 J. A. Harris

The State of Texas }
 County of Tarrant } Dear Term 1865
 To the Hon A. Blodson Chief
 Justice &c

The undersigned guardian of the minor
 heirs of A. G. Harris dead, would
 respectfully represent that she has
 not ^{property} in her hands as such guardian
 belonging to said minor children, that
 the property formerly consisted in slaves
 which have since, by the proclamation
 of the President of the United States, been
 liberated & set free

She therefore asks that this report be
 taken as her annual exhibit, and
 that this case stand continued &c &c

L. B. Harris Guard
 By J. C. McCoy atty

M 77
 I waive all necessity
 of process herein, and
 accept service of the
 within - May 28th 1860
 N. H. Darnell Adm
 By McCoy & Nicholas atty

I individually and as the
 guardian of the heirs of A. G.
 Harris dead, waive all
 necessity of process herein
 and accept service of the
 same - for myself &
 all said heirs - May
 28th 1860 - J. B. Harris
 Guardian

M 77 X 3.
 Lerona B. Harris
 vs } Petition for
 Distribution &c
 Estate of A. G. Harris

Filed May 30th 1860
 J. B. Harris Dptylk

May Term A.D. 1866 (Wednesday 30th 1866)

W. H. Darnell ^{ADM^r} Now at that time comes
 Jerome B. Harris &
 A. C. Harris presents to the court
 his petition heretofore filed praying
 that sd Administrator be cited to appear
 and show cause why the residue of
 said Estate should not be partitioned &
 distributed among the legal heirs of said
 decedent, to wit Jerome B. Harris Charlotte
 Harris Nicholas H. Harris, & Albert C.
 Harris after retaining a sufficient
 amount to discharge the indebtedness
 of said Estate. Whereupon comes said
 Administrator by his attorney Geo. C.
 McCoy, and having waived service
 upon said application by way of answer
 represents to the court, that there is in his
 hands a sufficient amount of means
 in the character of ^{promissory} notes when collected
 to discharge all the known liabilities
 against said Estate and the court being
 satisfied that legal notice has been given
 for partition & distribution. It is there-
 fore ordered adjudged and decreed
 by the court that the residue of said
 Estate which consists of Realty only &
 described as follows to wit Dallas

County about $10\frac{1}{2}$ miles $S 81^{\circ} W$ from Dallas
 being section No 33 of Township No 15
 of the first base line Range No 2 W of the
 1st meridian known as Survey No 146 C
 by virtue of certificate No 520 Vol 3
 Issued by Jas^{ts} Wrd Ward Commissioner
 of Peters Colony on the 8th day of May
 1850 and transferred to said Harris on
 the 17th day of June 1852. Beginning at
 the N. E. corner of section No 33 a Stake
 from which a Spanish oak 3 ft in dia
 brs. $S 28^{\circ} 4'$ $10\frac{1}{2}$ Varas another 18 In dia brs
 $S 54^{\circ} 4'$ $19\frac{1}{2}$ Var. Thence S at 40 Varas a
 Slough at 375 Varas the W. Fork in all 1200
 Vs to a stake in large prairie. Thence W. 1900
 Vs. to a stake in prairie near a small drain
 an ash 5 In dia brs $N 51^{\circ} E 30$ Vs. Cotton
 wood 18 in dia bears $N 65^{\circ} W 99$ Vs. Thence
 at 950 Vs to West Fork 1900 80 Vs. to a Fork
 Haw 4 In dia the S. W. corner of Perry Survey
 Survey No 158 C from which a leaning
 Elm 16 in dia brs $N 61^{\circ} E 4$ Vs a Locust
 10 In dia brs $S 34^{\circ} W 6\frac{1}{2}$ Vs. Thence E. with
 the S boundary of said Survey and
 passing its S. E. corner at 950 1/2 Vs and
 1900 8 Vs. to the beginning containing 640
 acres Bearings marked & be partitioned
 according to Law between the aforesaid
~~parties~~ ^{parties} in the following manner One

half to the Widow and the other half
 to be divided equally between the afore-
 said ^{minor} heirs and that S. C. Hoopes
 M. L. Swing Joseph Robinson J. H.
 Horton & David Gordon be and they
 are hereby appointed commissioners
 to partition and distribute the realty
 among the aforesaid heirs and report
 your action to this Court under
 oath at its next regular Term
 as required by Law. It is further ordered
 adjudged and decreed by the Court
 that Mr. Harris be and he is hereby
 appointed Guardian ad Litem, to
 represent the minor heirs of said
 decedent in the partition and distri-
 bution of said Estate as required by
 Law.

Given under my hand &
 the seal of said Court
 this 9th day of June A.D.
 1860. W. H. Masten c. c. c. c.
 By Wm. Harris Dpty. Clk

County Court ✓
Ex. Order
W. C. Hauke et al.

Issued June 9th 1860
Wm. Harris Dpty. clk.

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of the whole or any part of the land
conveyed to said ^{parties} without prejudice & damage
to some you will exhibit the facts & with
the return thereof

The State of Texas In District Court
County of Dallas February Term 1873

To the Hon. Horace Hart Judge of
14th District of Texas

Your Petitioner Jerome
B. Harris a resident of Tarrant County Texas
respectfully represents that she is the widow
of Reuben B. Harris deceased who died in
estate in Dallas County Texas in the year
1854 leaving real and personal property
situate in said County and State that at the
death of her said husband they had three
children the issue of their marriage to wit
Nicholas Harris now residing in Dallas
County Texas and Albert G. Harris now resi-
ding in Tarrant County Texas both now
14 and under 21 years of age also Charlotte
Harris who of her own free will and consent
with William Perry that the said Charlotte & William
Perry both died in 1875 with the year 1875 lea-
ving issue Horatio S. Perry now about 4 years of
age and residing with petitioner that there
is real estate in Dallas County Texas to wit
320 acres of land and 2 Towns both in the City of

of the ~~trustable~~ value of \$1500
 Dallas, to which said Nicholas and R. G. Har-
 ris and Horatio S. Perry are entitled as the
 heirs of the said R. G. Harris deceased and
 a guardianship of their property is necessary
 to protect and secure the same against
 trespasses and illegal sales. Wherefore
 of and she prays your Honor to grant
 her letters of Guardianship of the prop-
 erty and persons of said minors together
 with such other and further relief as to
 the Court may seem meet and proper to

Wood & Bower

Atty. for Plaintiff

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No. 3.
Erasmus B. Harris

The State Court

Petition for Guardian
Ship of the persons and
property of

Nicholas Harris
Albert G. Harris
Horatio S. Perry Harris

Filed Feb 7th 1873

J. M. Laws Clk.
By J. E. Coombes deply

Order granted and Bond
found at \$3000⁰⁰

Recorded
G. W. Brown

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The State of Texas

To all persons interested in the Estate of Nicholas Harris, Albert G. Harris and Horatio S. Perry, minors

Jerome B. Harris has filed in the District Court of Dallas County an application for letters of Guardianship of the persons and property of Nicholas Harris, Albert G. Harris and Horatio S. Perry, minors, which will be heard at the present term of the District Court of Dallas County now in session, two days after the expiration of this notice, at the Court House then in the City of Dallas, at which time all persons interested in said Guardianship, may appear and contest said application if they see proper.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court at Dallas, Texas, this 19th day of July, 1919.

John W. Lewis, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County.

John W. Lewis, Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County.

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From W. Harris
 3 pieces of filing
 3 Petition for Letters
 of Administration
 of W. Harris's
 H. & Perry -
 District Court

Assisted by W. Harris
 J. M. Lewis Clerk
 by C. Coombs Scribe

came to hand Sunday
 of 55 and executed by posting
 one copy on the wall there
 above one copy on the first office
 door - in the first office
 door - toward Lane corner
 one copy on the first
 office door - in the town
 of - Span the same
 being three of the
 most public
 places in Dallas
 County Feb. the
 11th 1873
 W. M. Brown
 S. Herrick

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The State of Texas In County Court
 County of Dallas } May Term 1860.

To the Hon J. M. Patterson Chief
 Justice and Judge of the County Court, in
 and for the County of Dallas and State of Texas

The undersigned would respectfully
 represent unto your Honor that she is the
 widow and relict of A. G. Harris dec'd and
 that she is the mother of the following named
 children and heirs of S. A. G. Harris dec'd -
 to wit Charlotte Harris, Nicholas A. Harris
 and Albert G. Harris, all of whom are
 minor heirs under the age of fourteen
 years. That she as such widow is also an
 heir of said estate, She would further represent
 that there is no Guardian at Law for said
 minor heirs, and she, being the next of Kin,
 is desirous to be appointed Guardian of the above
 named heirs, And she further represents that there
 is a necessity for the appointment of a Guardian
 in order that a partition & distribution of said
 estate may be made, She therefore prays
 that legal notice of this application be
 given, and that, at your next Term of
 your Court, she may be appointed Guardian
 of the person & estate of said minor heirs -
 and for such other & further orders in the premises
 as may be right, &c &c.

J. M. Harris

The State of Texas
County of Dallas To the Hon. J. M. Patterson
Chief Justice &c

The undersigned your petitioner, would respectfully represent to your honor, that she is one of the principal Legatees of the Estate of A. G. Harris dec'd. and pray your Hon to cite A. A. Darnell Adm'r. of said Estate, to be & appear at the next term of the Court, to be holden at the Court House in the Town of Dallas on the last Monday in May 1860, and show cause if any why the residue of said Estate, should not be partitioned according to Law, among the heirs of said decedent, to wit, Jerome B. Harris Charlotte Harris Nicholas A. Harris & Albert G. Harris

After retaining in the hands of said Adm'r. a sufficient portion of said Estate, to pay all debts of every kind against the Estate, & and that said heirs be cited according to Law, & as in duty bound will ever pray
&c

April 30th A.D. 1860

Jerome B. Harris

1179 X3.
Jerome B. Harris
Petitioner for
Sitting of Guardianship
Person & estate of the
heirs of A. G. Harris dec'd.

Filed May 10th 1860

M^{rs} Harris's Ex^{rs}

The State of Texas } Know all men by these
 County of Dallas } presents that Jerome R. Harris
 as principal and Samuel B. Pryor & Wm. H. Carter
 as sureties are here and firmly
 bound unto the Chief Justice of the County
 of Dallas in the sum of one thousand
 Dollars; for the payment of which, well and
 true to be made, we hereby bind ourselves, our
 heirs executors and administrators jointly
 and severally, firmly by these presents; signed
 and sealed with our seals the seals being
 scrawls; this 20th day of May A.D. 1860.
 The condition of the above obligation
 is such that whereas the above bounden
 Jerome R. Harris has been appointed by
 the County Court of Dallas County
 Guardian of the ^{Person of} Estate of ^{the heirs of} A. G. Harris dec'd
 to wit Charlotte Harris Nicholas A. Harris and
 Albert G. Harris.

Now if the said Jerome R. Harris shall well
 and truly perform all the duties required of her
 by law under said appointment then this obliga-
 tion shall be null and void otherwise to be and
 remain in full force and effect.

J. B. Harris *[Signature]*
 Samuel B. Pryor *[Signature]*
 Wm. H. Carter *[Signature]*

I, Jerome B. Harris do solemnly swear
that I will well and truly perform all the
duties of Guardian of the person and estate
of the minor heirs of O. H. Harris DeCD
J. B. Harris

Subscribed & sworn to
before me this 31st day of
May A.D. 1860

J. Whittenton
Chief Justice

177 *3.
Jerome B. Harris
Guardian of
A. H. Harris DeCD
to Guardian
Bond

Filed May 31st 1860
Mr. Harris J. B. Clerk

Approved this 30th
May 1860
J. Whittenton
Chief Justice

Recorded on Page 144