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November Term Wednesday Nov 11th 1903,

On the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Final settlement and
Abby L. Mann - a minor $\frac{3}{3}$ Discharge of J. S. Baker.

Now at this day comes J. S. Baker, former guardian and curator of said minor and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement. said J. S. Baker having tendered his resignation, as such guardian and curator which was by the Court accepted. And comes also Elijah M. Foley Jr. who was appointed successor in said guardian and curatorship, and waives the filing of an Exhibit, and notice of settlement, and enters his appearance. Whereupon said settlement is taken up and considered and by the Court approved. And said Elijah M. Foley Jr. having on the record receipted to said J. S. Baker for the sum of \$887.¹⁹ being the balance due the estate of said minor on said settlement, it is therefore ordered that said J. S. Baker be and he is discharged herein.

On the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Final settlement & distribution
James Peunt - deceased $\frac{3}{3}$

Now at this day comes Thomas A. Peunt, W. I. Peunt and John W. Meade, Executors of the last will and testament of said deceased and present their accounts and vouchers for final settlement. and it appearing to the Court that notice of said settlement has been published as required by law, that all the debts owing by said estate have been fully paid, and said estate fully administered according to the terms and conditions of the will of said deceased it is therefore ordered that said settlement be and same is approved. And the balance of \$63.¹⁶ remaining in the hands of said executors is ordered paid out and distributed to the following named legatees of said deceased as follows:

To Chas. A. Peunt	(Son)	\$21. ⁰⁵
" W. I. Peunt	(Son)	\$21. ⁰⁵
" May Meade	(Daughter)	\$21. ⁰⁵

And said executors having filed the receipts of said legatees for the amount due each of them. It is ordered that they be discharged herein.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock
Thomas R. Shaw - Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment - present Thomas R. Shaw Judge, and R. D. McBray, Sheriff when the following proceedings were had to wit:

In the matter of the estate of ³Final settlement & Discharge
Omer White - a minor ₃

Came now A. B. Koger, Curator of said minor and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement his ward having attained his majority. And comes also said Omer White, and in open court waives the filing of an exhibit, and notice of said settlement, and enters his appearance to the making of said settlement. Whereupon the Court proceeds to the examination of said settlement which is found to be correct and is by the Court approved. And it appearing from said settlement that there remains in the hands of said Curator due said ward, the sum of \$301.⁵² it is therefore ordered that said Curator pay to his said ward said sum of \$301.⁵² And now comes said Omer White and on the record receipts his said Curator for said balance. Wherefore it is ordered that said Curator be discharged herein.

In the matter of the estate of ³Order for private sale
Lorenzo E. McBrayer, Deced ₃

Now comes Walker McBrayer, administrator of said estate, and files his written application for permission to sell, about ten tons of timothy hay belonging to said estate, at private sale. And the Court being satisfied that it will be for the best interest of the estate, and not prejudicial to persons interested therein to sell the same at such sale, it is ordered that said administrator sell said property at private sale for not less than three fourths of the appraised value thereof, for cash, and that he report said sale to this Court.

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In the matter of the estate of } Order of suspension
John Albert Booraw, a minor }

Came now William D. Booraw, curator of the estate of said minor, and states to the court that since his appointment as such curator he has received for said minor from Nancy Prindle, administratrix of the estate of Albert Prindle, deceased, the sum of \$35.58 and that it is not likely any additional estate will come into the hands of said curator, for said minor that since his appointment he has paid out for necessities for said minor as follows:

One overcoat	\$ 8.40
" Pair shoes.	2.00
" " "	1.25
" suit clothes	5.00
Two Caps.	1.00
Underclothing	1.75
One hat 75¢ To Dr Taylor 75¢	1.50
One pair every day shoes.	1.25
That he has paid out each month fifty cents for washing for said ward.	4.00
For every day clothing.	3.75
Total Cash paid out.	\$ 29.90

That he has boarded and kept said minor since his appointment for which he asks an appropriation of the sum of \$5.68 and that he be permitted to pay the costs and that further settlement be dispensed with.

Wherefore by reason of the premises above stated it is ordered by the Court that the Curatorship of the estate of said minor be suspended, and that no further settlements or administrations therein be required unless further estate be discovered, or the Court for any reason order the same proceeded with.

In the matter of the Estate of }
Nellie E. Kunkaid Etal. minors }

Ordered that the 9th annual settlement this day filed by R. H. Alderson curator of the estate of said minors be approved and recorded.

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In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ ~~Continuance citation~~
A. H. Lierley. Etal - minors $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Wilson Lierley, Curator of the estate of said minors be continued to the February Term 1904, and that citation issue for said Wilson Lierley for failing to make settlement as required by law.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
Johnson Maffitt - a minor $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the 17th annual settlement this day filed by William C. Gilliland, Curator of the estate of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
J. J. & R. E. Muller - minors $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the fourth annual settlement this day filed by Philip Muller, Curator of said minors be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Final settlement & Discharge
William F. Mikels - a minor $\frac{3}{3}$

Now at this day comes Clarence O. Toland, Curator of the estate of said minor and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement. his said ward having attained his majority. And comes also said William F. Mikels, and in open Court examines the service of an exhibit and notice of said settlement, and enters his appearance. whereupon upon examination said settlement is approved, and the balance of \$475.75 remaining due said Wm. F. Mikels as shown by said settlement, is ordered paid him. And now comes said William F. Mikels, and receipts of his said Curator for said sum of \$475.75, and acknowledges satisfaction of record. It is therefore ordered that said Curator be discharged.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment. present
Thomas R. Shaw Judge and R. D. McCray Sheriff.
where the following proceedings were had to-wit:

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{2}{3}$ Order to pay into State
Mary B. Foster - deceased $\frac{3}{3}$ treasury.

Comes now Joseph R. Foster, administrator of said
estate, and represents and shews to the Court, that at the May
Term 1903, of this Court he made final settlement of the estate
of said Mary B. Foster deceased, that he has made dis-
tribution on said final settlement of the balance remain-
ing in his hands, as required by the order of this Court
to all of the distributees of said estate, and filed receipts
therefor, except to William M. Drummond, Albert George
Ada Hesler (heirs of as follows) Zora Hesler, Lela Hesler
Glor Hesler, Carl Hesler and Joseph Hesler, - May
Wynne (heirs of as follows) Eugene Wynne, Perry Wynne,
Madge Wynne, and Maurie Wynne, and to Myrtle Story.
That the distributees above named nor either of them
have appeared by themselves, or agent, to claim and re-
ceive their distributive share of said estate. That some
of said distributees, are minors, and non residents of
the state of Missouri, and are not in a situation to re-
ceive and give a discharge for their share of said estate.
Wherefore said administrator prays the Court to make an
order directing him to pay into the state treasury the money
thus remaining in his hands due said distributees, as
provided by sections 7381 & 7382 of Chapter 104, of the Revised
statutes of Missouri, 1899. And it appearing to the Court
from the records of this Court, that the amount due each
of said distributees is as follows:

To William M. Drummond	\$ 4.73
" Albert George	6.78
" Ada Hesler (heirs of as follows Zora Hesler Lela Hesler, Glor Hesler, Carl Hesler, & Joseph Hesler) or 80 cents due each of said heirs	4.93
" May Wynne, (heirs of as follows) Eugene Wynne Perry Wynne, Madge Wynne, & Maurie Wynne or \$4.00 due each of said heirs	18.09
" Myrtle Story	.83

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It is therefore ordered by the court that said administrator pay said sums, aggregating \$35.⁵⁶ into the state treasury of the State of Missouri, and upon filing the receipt of the state treasurer therefor, that he be discharged as to said distributees.

Estate of Thomas R. Lambert - dec'd.

Come now James Brunner, and presents to the court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$91.⁰⁰ founded on account, notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is therefore ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$91.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of Susan A. Gotschall. dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Come now Dr J. D. Dunham, and presents to the court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$10.⁰⁰ founded on account for professional services during last sickness. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$10.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the second class.

Estate of Thomas M. Mallory - dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Now comes the Farmers Exchange Bank and presents to the court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$145.⁴¹ founded on two notes executed by T. M. Mallory, and Scott Mallory. One of said notes dated August 29th 1902, due in two months, with eight per cent interest from maturity for \$50.⁰⁰ principal and interest now due \$54.³⁰ One note for \$85.⁰⁰ dated Sept 14th 1902, due in three months, with eight per cent interest from maturity, principal and interest now due, \$91.¹¹ Total of two notes this date principal and interest \$145.⁴¹ Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said Estate in said sum of \$145.⁴¹ at 8% and that it be assigned to the sixth class.

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Estate of James R. Ward - deceased

Comes now W. D. Haines, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$12.¹⁰ founded on account, notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$12.¹⁰ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

In the matter of the estate of
Susan A. Gotschall dec'd

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Robert E. Maupin Executor of said deceased be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of
Grace Kemp - a minor

Ordered that the sixth annual settlement this day filed by Joshua B. Scott, Curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the Estate of
Joseph H. Mallory - deceased

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Zeniah E. Mallory administratrix of said deceased be continued to the August Term 1904.

In the matter of the Estate of
Thomas M. Mallory - dec'd

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by May Mallory, administratrix of said estate be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the Estate of
John W. H. Oxford, a minor

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Joseph D. Wynn, Curator of said minor be continued to the February Term 1904.

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In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ continued
James L. & Earnest L. Pearson $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from
O. P. Hill, Curator of said minors, be continued to the
February term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
Robert E. Ramsey - a minor $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the thirteenth annual settlement this
day filed by E. O. Ramsey, Curator of the estate of said
minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Final settlement & discharge
Harvey S. Stretch - a minor $\frac{3}{3}$

Now at this day comes Rosa Stretch guardian and
curator of said minor and presents her accounts and
vouchers for final settlement - said ward having attained
his majority, and comes also said Harvey S. Stretch,
and waives the filing of an exhibit, and notice of said
settlement and enters his appearance whereupon the
said settlement is examined and approved, and said
Harvey S. Stretch having receipted his said guardian and
curator for the balance due him as shown by said
final settlement, said guardian and curator is
hereby discharged.

In the matter of Thelma & Mabel $\frac{3}{3}$
Thompson - minors $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the third annual settlement this
day filed by S. N. Best, Curator of the Estate of said
minors be approved and recorded.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment, present Thomas R. Shaw, Judge, and R. D. McGray, Sheriff when the following proceedings were had to wit:

Estate of William D. Hamilton dec'd {

Came now John W. McClaskey, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$12.²⁰ founded on account, notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$12.²⁰ and that it be assigned to the first class.

Estate of William D. Hamilton dec'd {

Now comes W. H. Etter Dry Goods Co. and present to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for seven dollars, founded on account, Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$7.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

In the matter of the estate of {
William D. Hamilton, dec'd {

Came now A. M. Irving, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$15.⁰⁰ founded on account, Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$15.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of Hiram J. Cook, deceased {

Now comes Francis Cook assignee, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand founded on a note for \$65.²⁰ Executed by deceased to W. P. Cook, dated, September 1st 1901, due one day after date with eight percent interest from date, Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$65.²⁰ and that it be assigned to the sixth class.

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In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{4}$ Appropriation to widow Francis M. McGrary - deceased $\frac{3}{4}$

Comes now Martha J. McGrary, widow of said deceased, and states to the Court that at the time of the taking of the inventory by the executors, there was not sufficient meat, vegetables, and groceries, for her support for one year next after the death of her husband allowed her by law. Wherefore she prays the Court to make a reasonable appropriation out of said estate to supply such deficiency. And the Court having considered said petition and evidence in support thereof finds that the sum of Eighty five dollars will be a reasonable amount ^{and} necessary to supply such deficiency. Wherefore it is ordered by the Court that said sum of \$85.⁰⁰ be and the same is appropriated out of the personal estate of said deceased for the purposes aforesaid.

In the matter of the Copartnership Estate of $\frac{3}{4}$ B. F. Rayston & Son.

Now at this day it appearing to the Court, that James D. Rayston, the surviving partner of said Copartnership firm of B. F. Rayston & Son, has neglected for the space of more than thirty days after letters of administration had been granted on the estate of Benjamin F. Rayston deceased, member of said firm, to give bond as required by law, to entitle him to retain possession of and administer the partnership effects, and the settlement of the affairs of said firm having devolved upon Robert E. Maupin, the administrator of the Estate of said Benjamin F. Rayston, said deceased partner. It is therefore ordered and adjudged by the Court, that the said Robert E. Maupin, be and he is hereby required to enter into bond to the state of Missouri, as administrator of said Copartnership estate of B. F. Rayston & Son in the sum of \$2200.⁰⁰ conditions according to law.

In the matter of the Estate of $\frac{3}{4}$ Continued Charles Stewart deceased $\frac{3}{4}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Rachel Stewart Executor of said deed be continued to February term 1904. for final settlement.

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In the matter of the estate of } Final Settlement,
Gertrude Stormer - a minor. }

Cornes now Preelio Wayer, guardian and Curator of said minor, and presents his accounts and vouches her for final settlement. His said ward having attained her majority, and having also intermarried with one Claud Groomer, and comes also said ward now Gertrude Groomer and in open court waives the filing of an exhibit, and notice of said settlement and enters her appearance to the making of said settlement. Whereupon the Court proceeds to the examination, and hearing of said settlement, which is found to be correct and is by the Court approved, and ordered spread of records. And it appearing to the Court from said settlement that there remains in the hands of said guardian and Curator a balance due said ward of \$553.52 it is therefore ordered by the Court that said guardian and Curator pay over to said minor said balance of \$553.52 shown to be due her by his said final settlement.

In the matter of the estate of } Continued Citation
Clarence Seddidge, a minor }

Ordered that the settlement this day due from William B. Wilson, Curator of said minor be continued to the February term 1904, and that citation issue for said Curator for failing to make settlement as required by law.

In the matter of the Estate of }
Anna M. Scott & Lucine }

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Charles L. Scott, guardian of said insane persons be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of }
Clara E. Snyder, a minor }

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by E. M. Wiley Jr. Curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

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In the matter of the estate of } Continued
George B. Ventrone, a minor }

Ordered that the settlement this day due from E. M. Foley Jr. Curator of said minor be continued to the Nov. term 1904, and now comes said curator and files his inventory of the estate of said minor which is approved.

In the matter of the estate of }
James P. Ward - dec'd }

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by William H. Orum, Executor of the last will and testament of said deceased be approved & recorded.

In the matter of the estate of }
James P. Ward, Jr. a minor }

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by William H. Orum, Curator of said minor, be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of } Continuance
Montie & Ray Morris, minors }

Ordered that the settlement this day due from John W. Morris, Curator of said minors be continued to the May term 1904

In the matter of the estate of }
Marion D. Murray, a minor }

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by E. M. Foley Jr. Curator of said minors be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the Estate of } Final settlement & Disch.
Edward C. Murray, a minor }

Comes now E. M. Foley, Jr. Curator of the estate of said minor, and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement, his said word having attained his majority, and comes also said Edward C. Murray and in open Court waives the filing of an exhibit and notice of said settlement, and enters his appearance to the making of said settlement, whereupon

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the Court proceeds to examine said settlement and is by the Court found to be correct and is approved. and said Edward C. Murray having accepted to his said curator for all balance found to be due him as shown by said final settlement. it is therefore ordered by the Court that said curator be and he is discharged as to said ward.

Ordered that Court adjourn until Monday Nov 16th 1903

Thomas A Shaw

Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment, present Thomas R. Shaw, Judge and R. D. McCray Sheriff, when the following proceedings were had to wit;

In the matter of the Estate of $\frac{2}{3}$ allowance
John S. James - Insane - $\frac{3}{3}$

Came now Hamilton & Dudley, attorneys, and present to the Court for allowance against said Estate a demand for \$100.⁰⁰ founded on account for professional services, notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of one hundred dollars and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of Napoleon B. Brown, deceased.

Came now John W. Meade president of the Farmers Exchange Bank, and on behalf of said bank presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$2002.²⁵ founded on a note executed by G. E. Brown, J. R. Bolin and Robert Hall by J. E. Bolin, and N. B. Brown, Dated May 11th 1903, due in six months with eight percent interest from maturity. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of Two thousand and two $\frac{25}{100}$ dollars, and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of Napoleon B. Brown, dec'd $\frac{2}{3}$

Came now The Farmers Exchange Bank by John W. Meade president of said Bank, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$2371.⁴⁴ founded on a note executed by Charles E. Brown and N. B. Brown, for \$2289.²⁵ Dated November 25th 1902, due in six months, with eight percent interest from maturity, principal and interest now due \$2371.⁴⁴ Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of Twenty three hundred and seventy one $\frac{44}{100}$ dollars, and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

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Estate of N.B. Brown, deceased. 3

Comes now the Farmers Exchange Bank by John W. Meade, president of said bank and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$233.²⁸ founded on a note executed by R.M. Brown and N.B. Brown dated Nov 10th 1902, due Nov 25th 1903, with eight per cent interest from maturity. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof of execution made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$233.²⁸ with interest at eight per cent from Nov 25th 1903, and that said demand be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of N.B. Brown, deceased. 3

Comes now the Farmers Exchange Bank by John W. Meade, president of said bank, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$958.⁶⁷ founded on a note executed by John N. Brown, and N. B. Brown, for \$922.³⁴ Dated Nov 19th 1902, due in six months, with interest at eight per cent from maturity, principal and interest now due \$958.⁶⁷. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$958.⁶⁷ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of N. B. Brown, deceased. 3

Comes now the Farmers Exchange Bank by John W. Meade, president of said bank, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$850.⁰⁰ founded on a note executed by Bolie & Hall, per J. R. Bolie, L. C. Brown, and N.B. Brown, dated Dec 8th 1902, due in six months, with eight per cent from maturity. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$879.⁸⁰ being the amount of principal and interest now due, and that said demand be assigned to the fifth class.

In the matter of the estate of 3 Appropiation for monument.
Jesse Baldwin - deceased 3

It is ordered by the Court that the sum of \$85.⁰⁰ be and the same is appropriated out of the estate of

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said deceased to purchase a monument to the memory of said deceased and it is ordered that the administrator with the will annexed of said deceased expend a sum not exceeding said amount of \$85.⁰⁰ to procure such monument and that he have credit therefor when said monument shall have been properly erected and paid for in his settlement of said estate.

On the matter of the estate of Receipts filed & partial Discharge
Mary B. Foster, deceased

Now comes Joseph R. Foster, administrator of the estate of Mary B. Foster, deceased, and files the receipts of the following named distributees of said estate for the amount due them respectively on final settlement of said estate made at the May Term 1902 of this Court, and is discharged as to said named distributees to-wit:

Porterfield Foster	\$108.54
Joseph R. Foster.	27.56
W. A. Foster.	27.56
V. C. Hill	27.56
James B. Foster	27.56
J. B. Drummond.	13.57
D. L. Dauthet	13.57
Lizzie Murray	13.57
J. F. George	6.78
Esther E. Baldwin.	4.93
Mary M. Barnett.	4.93
Ananda J. Musselmaus.	4.93
Margaret A. Mann	4.93
E. R. Drummond.	4.93
James M. Drummond.	4.93
J. K. Drummond.	4.93
A. J. Drummond.	4.93
A. R. Drummond.	.82
Alexander Drummond.	.82
Aggie J. Yates.	.82
Howard L. Yates. Guardian & Curator.	.82
Horner Drummond.	.82
Benie Spruell.	.82
Joseph Miller	4.93
James C. Goodbar.	4.93

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George C. Goodbar	\$ 4.93
Ellen Hays.	4.93
Jessie Reed.	4.93
Missouri A. Nickell	4.93
Joseph Goodbar	4.93
Laura A Smith	4.93
J. V. Goodbar	4.93
Robert H Goodbar.	4.93
Effie Elliston	18.09
Robert A. Miller	18.09
Mrs Maud Graham	18.09
R. H. Leach	10.85
J. D. Leach	10.85
Chapman Leach	10.85
W. H. Leach	10.85
A. J. Bayd.	<u>10.85</u>

In the matter of the Estate of Robert P. Johnson - a minor

Ordered that the third annual settlement this day filed by J. W. Alexander Curator of the estate of said minor, Robert P. Johnson be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of James Homer Knight.

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Joshua S. Hicklin, guardian of the person and estate of said James Homer Knight be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of William Ricker, deceased

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Lavinia Ricker, Executor of said deceased be approved and recorded.

Ordered that Court adjourn until Friday December 4th 1903.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge

In Vacation. November 23rd 1903.

In the matter of the Copartnership Estate
of Hamilton and Dudley - } Letters of Administration
William D. Hamilton, deceased

Now at this day comes Boyd Dudley, surviving partner of the late firm of Hamilton and Dudley, and shows to the Judge of Probate, that William D. Hamilton who was a member of said firm, and the owner of a one half interest therein departed this life September 29th 1903, wherefore said Boyd Dudley as such surviving partner makes application for letters of administration on said copartnership estate. It is therefore ordered that letters of administration on said copartnership estate issue to said surviving partner, and that as such administrator he enter into bond to the State of Missouri in the sum of Eleven thousand Dollars conditioned according to law, and with such security as the court shall approve. And now comes said Boyd Dudley and files herein said bond with John W. Meade, Homer Peunt, and E. D. Mann, as securities thereon which is accepted and approved. It is therefore ordered that Boyd Dudley, surviving partner as aforesaid take charge of said copartnership estate, and administer the same according to law.

It is further ordered that E. D. Mann & John W. Meade be and they are appointed witnesses to assist said surviving partner, in making an inventory of said estate.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

Bond.

We, Boyd Dudley, as principal, and John W. Meade, Homer Peunt, and E. D. Mann, as securities, are held and firmly bound unto the State of Missouri, in the sum of Eleven thousand dollars for the payment of which we bind ourselves firmly by these presents.

The condition of the above bond is, that if Boyd Dudley, surviving partner of the late firm of Hamilton & Dudley, shall use due diligence, and fidelity in closing the affairs of the late copartnership, apply the property thereof in legal allowances, the expenses of administration, the payment of the partnership debts, and in general to do and perform, all other acts and things, which are or

may hereafter be required of him by law, render an account annually upon oath to the Court, of all partnership affairs, including the property owned by the late firm, and the debts due thereto, as well as what may have been paid by the survivor towards the partnership debts, and what may still be due and owing therefor, and pay over within two years unless a longer time be allowed by the Court, to the administrator, the excess if any, there be beyond satisfying the partnership debts, and costs, and expenses in closing the affairs of the Co-partnership, then the above bond to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Witness our hands and seals this 23rd day of November 1903.

Bayd Dudley (seal)

John W. Meade (seal)

Howar Street (seal)

E. D. Mann (seal)

Taken and approved by me this 23rd day of November 1903, and I certify that this bond was signed and executed in my presence, and acknowledged by the parties thereto to be their voluntary act and deed.

(seal)

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate

Filed Nov 23rd 1903
Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate

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In the matter of the estate of 3
and last will and testament of 3 Will Probated Executors appointed,
Daniel J. Morris - deceased 3

Now on this day an instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Daniel J. Morris, deceased is offered for probate, and the Court having seen and examined said instrument of writing, and having also heard the testimony of J. C. Beasley, and E. M. Street the subscribing witnesses thereto, in relation to the execution of the same, does declare and adjudge said instrument

of writing to be the last will and testament of Daniel J. Morris deceased late of Daviess County, and orders the same admitted to probate as such. And comes now Mary Elizabeth Morris, who was named as executrix in said will, and makes affidavit as required by law, and makes application for letters testamentary upon said estate and being the widow of said deceased, and a suitable person for such trust, it is ordered that she be and is hereby appointed Executrix of said estate, and that letters testamentary issue to her thereon. And in as much as the testator requested in his will that the executrix named therein be not required to give bond, and no creditors or devisees appearing to the contrary it is deemed unnecessary to require a bond of said executrix hence.

It is further ordered that Henry Ward, and A.A. Mray be and they are appointed witnesses to assist said Executrix in making an inventory of said estate.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - November 28th 1903.

In the matter of the estate of George H. Curtis, deceased. Order refusing letters.

Now at this day comes Sarah A. Curtis, and shows to the court that she is the widow of George H. Curtis late of the County of Daviess, deceased, who died leaving at the time of his death, personal property in this state not greater in amount than is allowed by law as the absolute property of the widow. To the end therefore that the said Sarah A. Curtis, may be authorized and empowered, to collect sue for, and retain said property as her absolute property, as provided by law, it is ordered that letters of administration on said estate be refused unless on the application of creditors, or other parties interested the existence of further or other property be shown.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - November 30th 1903,

In the matter of the estate of ³ Letters of Administration Granted
Joshua D. Bennett - deceased ³

Came now Minnie Bennett, widow of said deceased and makes application for letters of administration on the estate of said Joshua D. Bennett, who died intestate, in Davies County Missouri, November 7th 1903, leaving at the time of his death, personal property of the probable value of Two thousand Dollars. It is therefore ordered by the Judge of Probate, that said Minnie Bennett, be, and she is hereby appointed, administratrix of said estate, and before entering on the duties of her office she is required to enter into bond to the State of Missouri, in the sum of \$4000⁰⁰, with two or more securities to be approved by the Court, conditioned for the faithful discharge of her duties as such administratrix according to law; And now comes said Minnie Bennett, and files here in her bond in said sum of Four thousand Dollars, with M. Emell, R. S. Hall, and L. J. Dale, as securities thereon, which is approved. It is further ordered that J. F. Prewett, and G. M. Inosper be and they are appointed witnesses to aid said administratrix in opening and examining the papers and money of said deceased and in making an inventory thereof.

Thomas R. Shaw,

Judge of Probate.

November adjourned Term. Friday Dec 4th 1903.

Court met pursuant to adjournment present Thomas R. Shaw Judge, and R. D. McCray, sheriff, when the following proceedings were had to-wit:

Estate of Douglas Taylor, deceased.

Comes now Dr W. L. Brosius, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$39.⁵⁰ founded on account for services during last sickness, notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$39.⁵⁰ and that it be assigned to the second class.

Estate of William S. Hamilton Dec'd.

Comes now McCabe and Henderson, and present to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$86.⁶⁵ founded on account for burial casket and other funeral expenses. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$86.⁶⁵, and that it be assigned to the first class.

In the matter of the estate of Joseph Offield - deceased. Distribution to Creditors.

Now at this day it appearing to the Court from the final settlement of James M. Offield, Executor of said deceased, filed at the August Term 1903, that there remains in his hands in cash the sum of \$809.⁵⁷ It is therefore ordered by the Court that said executor pay out and distribute said sum on the allowed demands against said estate in class six yet unpaid, and that he pay on each of said demands in said class 50% of the principal, as follows:

D. B. Ewing demand for	\$453. ⁹⁶	50%	=	\$226. ⁹⁸
Mary A. Ewing	" \$750. ⁰⁰	50%	=	\$375. ⁰⁰
Danvers County Sav. ass.	" \$334. ²⁰	50%	=	\$167. ¹⁰
J. W. Alexander	" \$80. ⁹⁸	50%	=	\$40. ⁴⁹

November Adjourned Term. Friday. Decr 4th 1903.

In the matter of the estate of Appointment of Administrator pendente lite
Francis M. McGary, dead.

Comes now Joshua F. Hicklin attorney for contestants and shows to the Court that the will of said deceased is now being contested in the circuit Court of Davis County Missouri, and moves the Court to appoint an administrator pendente lite. It is therefore ordered by the Court that Elijah M. Foley Jr. be and he is hereby appointed administrator pendente lite of the estate of said deceased and that as such administrator he is required to enter into bond to the state of Missouri in the sum of One thousand dollars with two or more securities to be approved by the Court, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties according to law. And now comes said Elijah M. Foley Jr. and files said bond in said sum of \$1000.⁰⁰ with E. D. Mann, John W. Meade and J. H. Weldon as securities therein which said bond is by the Court approved.

In the matter of the estate of Continuance
Joseph Offield, deceased.

Now at this day the Court takes up the objections filed herein to the final settlement of James M. Offield executor of said deceased, said settlement having been filed at the August term 1903 of this Court. And the Court being unable to complete the hearing of said cause, the same is by the Court continued to the February term 1904 hereof, for further hearing.

In the matter of the estate of
Mary B. Turner, a minor

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Gabriel Jones, curator of the estate of said minor be approved and recorded.

Ordered that Court adjourn until Court in course

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge

In Vacation December 10th 1903.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Order for Private sale.
J. D. Bennett - deceased. $\frac{3}{3}$

Now comes Minnie Bennett, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, and files her written application for permission to sell all the personal estate of said deceased, as described in the inventory, and appraisement of said estate. Except the notes, and cash, and accounts, and except also certain personal property in said appraisement described, taken by the widow of said deceased, at its appraised value, as part of her allowance of four hundred dollars, belonging to said estate, at private sale. And the Court being satisfied that it will be for the best interest of the estate, and not prejudicial to persons interested therein to sell the same at such sale, it is ordered that said administrator sell said property at private sale for not less than three fourths of the appraised value thereof for cash, or good bankable note, and that she report said sale to this Court.

Thomas A. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - January 6th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Widow files Election.
Lorenzo E. McBrayer. Dec'd $\frac{3}{3}$

Comes now Mary F. McBrayer, widow of said deceased, and files her election in writing as follows:

"Know all men by these presents, that I, Mary F. McBrayer, widow of Lorenzo E. McBrayer, late of Daviess County Missouri, deceased, do elect to take one half of the real and personal estate belonging to my said husband at the time of his death, absolutely, subject to the payment of his debts, in lieu of dower of the one third part of all lands, whereof my said husband, or any other person to his use was seized of an estate of inheritance, at any time during our coverture to hold and enjoy, during my natural life.

In Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 6th day of January, 1904

Mary F. McBrayer.

(Seal)

State of Missouri } ss.
County of Daviess }

On this 6th day of January 1904, before me personally appeared the above named Mary J. McBrayer, to me known to be the same person, described in, and who executed the above and foregoing instrument of writing and acknowledged the execution of the same to be her voluntary act and deed, for the purposes therein mentioned and expressed.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed my official seal at my office in Daviess County, the day and year first above written.
My term expires May 6th 1905.

(Seal)

N. D. Givens,
Notary Public for Daviess County.

In Vacation - January 11th 1904,

In the matter of the estate of } Public Administrator to
William Farnsworth, dead } take charge

Now at this day it having come to the knowledge of the Judge of Probate, that William Farnsworth, late of the County of Daviess, died intestate, on the 2nd day of January 1904 leaving property which is liable to be injured, wasted, or lost, and that said deceased does not leave a known widow or heirs in this state. To the end therefore that said property may be collected, preserved and disposed of according to law, it is ordered that E. M. Foley Jr., Public Administrator of Daviess County, take into his charge and custody, the estate of said William Farnsworth, deceased and administer the same according to law.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - January 12th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~ ³ Citation to administer,
Kendrick Johnson. dec'd

Comes now Ben A. Yates, and represents and shows to the Judge of Probate, that Kendrick Johnson. died testate, in Danvers County Missouri. on or about May 1901, his will having been admitted to probate on the 29th day of May 1901. That said Kendrick Johnson, left surviving him his widow Jane Johnson, and children as follows: Henry Johnson. Elbert Johnson. Eli W. Johnson. Nerva J. Walker, and the children of his deceased daughter Sarah McCulley. That more than two years have elapsed since the death of said deceased, and since the probate of said will, and that more of the above named persons have applied for letters of administration on said estate. Said Ben A. Yates further represents that he is interested in said estate, by reason of being a creditor thereof, said deceased having on the 19th day of April 1899, executed to Yates Brothers his note, for \$11.50 which is yet due and unpaid.

Wherefore he moves the Court, that a citation may issue to the parties above named, or any others who may appear to be entitled to administer on the estate of said deceased, to appear and qualify.

And the Judge of Probate having heard said petition and evidence in support thereof, and believing that the prayer thereof should be granted, It is therefore ordered that citation issue to those entitled to administer upon the estate of said deceased to appear and qualify for administration, and that said parties have ten days notice thereof.

Thomas A. Shaw
Judge of Probate

In Vacation - January 13th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of }
and last will and testament of } Will Probated.
Matthew R. Mann, deceased. }

Now on this day, an instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Matthew R. Mann, deceased, is offered for probate, and the Judge of Probate having seen, and examined said instrument of writing, and having also heard the testimony of John C. Leopold, R. M. Burnett and R. J. McLane subscribing witnesses thereto, in relation to the execution of the same does declare and adjudge said instrument of writing to be the last will and testament of Matthew R. Mann, deceased, late of Daviess County, and orders the same to be admitted to probate, and to be recorded.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - January 14th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of } Executor appointed & Bond filed
Matthew R. Mann, dec'd }

Now comes Joseph A. Mann who was named as executor in the will of said deceased, and makes affidavit as required by law, and makes application for letters testamentary upon said estate, and being a suitable person for such trust, it is ordered that he be, and is hereby appointed executor of said estate, and that letters testamentary issue to him thereon. And before entering on the discharge of his duties he is required to enter into bond to the State of Missouri, in such sum as the sum of Five thousand dollars, conditioned according to law. And now comes said Joseph A. Mann, and files herein said bond in said sum of Five thousand Dollars, with R. M. Burnett and E. A. Mann, as securities thereon, which is approved. It is further ordered that John W. Meade, and Homer Beart be and they are appointed witnesses to assist said executor in making an inventory of said estate.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - January 20th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~ Appointment of administrator of
Henry C. Smith, deceased ~~3~~

Now comes Ellen Smith widow of said deceased who died intestate, in Daviess County Missouri, December 22nd 1903, having at the time of his death personal property of the probable value of forty five hundred Dollars, and makes application for letters of administration on said estate, and being a suitable person for such trust, and entitled to administer said estate. It is therefore ordered that she be and is hereby appointed administratrix of said estate and that letters of administration issue to her thereon, and that as such administrator, she is required to enter into bond to the state of Missouri, in the sum of nine thousand dollars, with two or more securities to be approved by the Court, conditioned for the faithful discharge of her duties according to law.

And now comes said Ellen Smith and files herein her bond in said sum of nine thousand dollars, with R. V. Thompson, Jas R. Hardy, G. S. Price and Davis Hill as securities thereon which is approved.

It is further ordered that G. S. Price and R. V. Thompson be and they are appointed witnesses to assist said administratrix in making an inventory of said estate.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - February 6th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of Letters of Administration
Isaac C. Minnick, deceased

Now at this day comes William J. Minnick and makes application for letters of administration on the estate of Isaac C. Minnick deceased, who died intestate, in Daviess County Missouri, on the 30th day of December 1903. And it appearing that the said William J. Minnick is one of the distributees of said deceased, and a suitable and competent person for such trust; and it further appearing that Obedience Minnick the widow of said deceased has relinquished and renounced her right to administer upon the estate of said deceased. It is therefore ordered that said William J. Minnick be and he is hereby appointed administrator of the estate of said deceased and that letters of administration issue to him thereon. And before entering upon the duties of his office that he enter into bond to the State of Missouri as such administrator in the sum of Three thousand (\$3000) dollars conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties according to law. And now comes said William J. Minnick and files herein his bond in said sum of Three thousand dollars, with J. P. Minnick, G. W. Litton Sr. and B. A. Smith, as securities thereon which is approved. It is further ordered that John S. Brooks and Alexander Litton be and they are appointed witnesses to accompany and aid said executor in opening and examining the papers, money and other property of said deceased and in making an inventory thereof.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate

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Be it remembered that at a regular term of the Probate Court of Daviess County Missouri begun and held at the Court house in the City of Galatin, County and State aforesaid on Monday February 8th 1904, there was present Thomas R Shaw, Judge, and R. D. McGray Sheriff, where the following proceedings were had to wit:

Ordered that the bond of Joseph A. Mamm, as executor of the last will and testament of Matthew R. Mamm, deceased, taken in vacation, January 14th 1904 he and the same is approved, and his appointment, confirmed.

Ordered that the appointment of Mary E. Morris as executrix of the last will and testament of Daniel J. Morris, deceased, made in vacation November 25th 1903, he and the same is approved and confirmed.

Ordered that the bond of Boyd Dudley, as surviving partner of the copartnership estate of Hamilton & Dudley filed in vacation November 23rd 1903, he and the same is approved, and his appointment as administrator ratified and confirmed.

Ordered that the bond of Minnie Bennett, as administratrix of the estate of J. D. Bennett, deceased, taken in vacation, November 30th 1903, he and the same is approved, and her appointment ratified and confirmed.

Ordered that the bond of Elijah M. Foley Jr. as administrator pro ducte lite, of the estate of Francis M. McGray, deceased, taken in vacation December 4th 1903, he and the same is approved, & his appointment confirmed.

Ordered that the bond of Ellen Smith, as administratrix of the estate of Henry C. Smith deceased taken in vacation January 20th 1904, he and the same is approved and her appointment, ratified and confirmed.

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Ordered that the bond of William T. Minnick as administrator of the estate of Isaac C. Minnick, deceased, taken in vacation February 6th 1904, be and the same is approved and his appointment ratified and confirmed.

In the matter of the estate of $\int$ Judgment Establishing will Daniel J. Morris, deceased. $\int$

It being shown to the Court now here, that in vacation of this Court to-wit: on the 25th day of November 1903, an instrument of writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Daniel J. Morris, deceased, and attested by J. C. Beasley, and E. M. Street, as witnesses was produced before the Clerk of this Court, to be proved and admitted to record as the last will of said Daniel J. Morris deceased, and said Clerk proceeded to take the testimony of J. C. Beasley and E. M. Street, said attesting witnesses, which was by said Clerk reduced to writing, and signed by them respectively, and is now here produced in Court. And said Clerk having declared said will proved, granted a certificate of probate on said 25th day of November 1903. And the Court having inspected said will, and seen and heard the testimony of J. C. Beasley and E. M. Street, the attesting witnesses, so taken in vacation, as to the execution of said will, and being sufficiently advised; - It is ordered and adjudged by the Court that said instrument be considered proved, and the same is adjudged to be the last will of said Daniel J. Morris, deceased. And the said proceedings and action of the Clerk in the premises are in all things ratified and confirmed and that said will be admitted to record.

In the matter of the estate of $\int$ Judgment Establishing will Matthew R. Mann - Deceased. $\int$

It being shown to the Court now here that in vacation of this Court to-wit: on the 13th day of January 1904, an instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Matthew R. Mann, deceased, and attested by J. A. Selby, Milt Ewing, John C. Leopold, R. M. Barnett and R. J. McLane, as witnesses was produced before the Clerk of this Court to be proved and admitted to record as the last will of said Matthew R. Mann,

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deceased, and said clerk proceeded to take the testimony of John C. Leopard, R. M. Barnett, and R. J. McLane, three of said attesting witnesses, which was by said clerk reduced to writing, and signed by them respectively; and is now here produced in court. And said clerk having declared said will proved granted a certificate of probate on said 13th day of January 1904.

And the Court having inspected said will, and having seen and heard the testimony of John C. Leopard, R. M. Barnett and R. J. McLane, said attesting witnesses, so taken in vacation as to the execution of said will, and being sufficiently advised; - It is ordered and adjudged by the Court that said instrument be considered proved, and the same is adjudged to be the last will of said Matthew R. Mann, deceased. And the said proceedings and action of the clerk in the premises are in all things ratified and confirmed, and that said will be admitted to record.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Discharge of former Guardian
Warren Reed, an Insane person $\frac{3}{3}$

Comes now Elizabeth Reed, executrix of the estate of H. I. Reed, deceased, who was guardian of the person and estate of said Warren Reed, and files the receipt of E. M. Foley Jr. the present guardian of said Warren Reed for the balance due the estate of said Warren Reed from his former guardian H. I. Reed, as shown by final settlement of said Elizabeth Reed for and on behalf of said Henry I. Reed, said settlement having been made May 15th 1903, and the balance due said Warren Reed being \$259.⁰⁰ where it is ordered that the estate of the said Henry I. Reed be discharged as to said guardianship of said Warren Reed.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Final Discharge
John Robison, deceased. $\frac{3}{3}$

Comes now S. B. Yates executor of the last will and testament of John Robison, deceased, and files the receipt of E. E. Longfellow for the amount due him on final settlement of said estate, made at the February Term 1903 of this Court. The amount due said E. E. Longfellow

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being \$11.46. And said estate being fully administered said executor is discharged.

In the matter of the estate of 3 Partial Discharge.
John C. Pell. deceased. 3

Now at this day comes E. M. Foley Jr administrator of said estate and files the receipt of Birdie C. Pell and Rosa B. Black for the amount due them respectively on final settlement of said estate made on the 17th day of August 1903 of this Court. The receipt of the said Rosa B. Black being for the sum of \$5.66 and the receipt of the said Birdie C. Pell being for the sum of \$145.66 wherefore it is ordered that said administrator be discharged as to said distributees.

In the matter of the estate of 3 Discharge of administrator.
H. W. Githens - deceased. 3

Now at this day comes William M. Githens administrator of said deceased and files the receipts of all of the distributees of said estate for the amount due each of them on final settlement of said estate made at the November term 1903 of this Court. And said estate being fully administered. It is ordered that said administrator be discharged.

Estate of James W. Mann deceased.

Comes now Dr Charles Peppin and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$15.00 founded on account for services during last sickness, notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$15.00 and that it be assigned to the 2nd class.

Estate of James W. Mann, dec'd.

Comes now Dr S. F. Hannah and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$11.50 founded on account for services during last sickness. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate and assigned to class two.

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Estate of Sarah J. Wood, dec'd.

Comes now Joseph A. Wood, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$12.¹⁵ founded on account. Notice being waived in open Court, and affidavit and proof made it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$12.¹⁵ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of S. S. Meadows, deceased.

Comes now John C. Leopard, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$56.⁰⁰ founded on account for services as attorney in the case of S. S. Meadows against The Omaha & St. Louis Ry. Co. in Dancie's Circuit Court. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$56.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the sixth class.

Estate of S. S. Meadows, deceased.

Comes now Hicklin Leopard & Hicklin and present to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$175.⁰⁰ founded on account for services as attorneys in cases of S. S. Meadows against the Omaha Kansas City and Eastern Ry. Co. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$175.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the 6th class.

Estate of William D. Hamilton dec'd $\frac{2}{3}$

Comes now Farmers Exchange Bank, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$20.⁴⁰ founded on a note executed by Elmer Tucker and W. D. Hamilton, dated August 24th 1903, due in ninety days with Eight per cent interest from maturity. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of Twenty and $\frac{40}{100}$ Cents and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

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Estate of M. D. Hamilton deceased.

Comes now Mynes and Runnels and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$1.²⁶ founded on account, notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of Matthew R. Mann, deceased.

Comes now James A. Bowen, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$94.⁵⁰ founded on account for services as nurse to deceased during last sickness. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$94.⁵⁰ and that it be assigned to the first class.

Estate of James W. Mann, deceased.

Comes now James A. Bowen, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$43.⁵⁰ founded on account for services as nurse to deceased during last sickness. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate and that it be assigned to the first class.

Estate of Matthew R. Mann, deceased.

Comes now R. J. McLane and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$80.⁰⁰ founded on account for services as nurse to deceased during his last sickness. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum and that it be assigned to the first class.

Estate of B. F. Rayston, deceased.

Comes now Samuel H. Overly, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$6.⁵⁰ founded on account, Notice being

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waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate, and that it be assigned to the sixth class.

Estate of William Farnsworth dec'd.

Comes now Walter Halladay, and presents to the Court for allowance against said Estate a demand for \$24.²⁵ founded on account. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said Estate and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of William Farnsworth - deceased.

Comes now Dr H. E. Souger, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$3.⁰⁰ founded on account for services during last sickness. Notice being waived in open Court, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$3.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the second class.

In the matter of the Copartnership Estate of } Bond filed and
B. F. Rayston & Son. { B. F. Rayston dec'd. } approved.

Comes now Robert E. Maupin, administrator of the estate of B. F. Rayston, deceased, and in obedience to the order of this Court made at the November term 1903 thereof files his bond as administrator of the Copartnership estate of B. F. Rayston & Son, in the sum of \$2200⁰⁰ with Ben A. Yates and E. J. Rayston as securities thereon which is approved. which said bond is in words and figures following viz;

Bond

We Robert E. Maupin as principal and Ben A. Yates and E. J. Rayston, as securities, are held and firmly bound unto the state of Missouri in the sum of Twenty two hundred Dollars, for the payment of which we bind ourselves firmly by these presents. The condition of the above bond is, that whereas Robert E. Maupin is the administrator of the estate of Benjamin F. Rayston, deceased late a partner in the firm of B. F. Rayston & Son, and

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James J. Royston the surviving partner, has neglected for the space of thirty days after letters of administration had been granted to the said Robert E. Maupin, on the estate of said Benjamin J. Royston, as aforesaid, to give the bond required by law, to entitle him to retain possession of and administer the partnership effects, and the settlement of the affairs of said firm has devolved upon the said Robert E. Maupin as such administrator as aforesaid, of said Benjamin J. Royston, deceased. Now if the said Robert E. Maupin, administrator as aforesaid, shall faithfully execute such trust, and with no unnecessary waste or expense (and perform all other things touching such trust as required by law, or the order or decree of any court having jurisdiction) then this bond to be void, otherwise to remain in full force. Witness our hands and seals this 3rd day of February 1904.

Robert E. Maupin (Seal)

Ben A. Yates (Seal)

C. J. Royston (Seal)

Taken and approved this 8th day of February 1904

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge

State of Missouri 3ss.

County of Daviess 3 Be it remembered that on this 3rd day of Feb'y A.D. 1904 before the undersigned a Notary Public within and for the County of Daviess aforesaid personally came Robert E. Maupin Ben A. Yates, and C. J. Royston, who are personally known to me to be the same persons whose names are subscribed to the foregoing annexed instrument of writing as parties thereto and acknowledged the same to be their act and deed for the purposes therein mentioned

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal at my office in Pattonburg Mo the day and year first above written

(Seal) Term Expires Sept 4th 1907.

Jno P. Smith
Notary Public

Filed Feb'y 8th 1904.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

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In the matter of the estate of Order of sale of Real Estate
Sarah J. Wood - deceased.

Now at this day comes P. P. Doak, administrator of Sarah J. Wood deceased, and proves to the Court that the order of publication made by the Probate Court of said County upon his petition at the November term 1903 thereof has been published according to law, and due service thereof had on the heirs and devisees residing in said County, and moves for an order of sale, pursuant to said petition and notice, whereupon the Court proceeds to hear the testimony produced, and to examine the parties who appear touching the application of said administrator for the sale of real estate of said deceased as in said publication and petition mentioned. And it being proved to the Court that there is not sufficient personal estate, and effects of said deceased charged with the payment of debts, and sufficient assets in the hands of said administrator to pay the debts due and owing by said estate, it is ordered that said administrator first having the same duly appraised according to law do sell the real estate mentioned in said petition and hereinafter described, at public sale for the purpose of paying the debts due by said estate as aforesaid. Such sale shall be at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 14th day of April 1904, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Gallatin in said County of Daniels and during the session of the Circuit Court between the hours of nine o'clock in the forenoon and five o'clock in the afternoon of that day. Notice of such sale having been given by publication of notices, containing a particular description of the real estate to be sold, and stating the time terms and place of sale, in some newspaper published in said County of Daniels for four weeks prior to said sale; The undivided two fifths ($\frac{2}{5}$) interest in the West half of the North East quarter, and one half ($\frac{1}{2}$) acre off East side of South East quarter of North West quarter both in section three (3), and containing 83.44 acres, more or less. And the undivided two fifths ($\frac{2}{5}$) interest in all the South East quarter of the North West quarter lying South of Honey Creek, and East of Marnowood Creek in section (4) four, containing seven acres more or less, and all in Township fifty Eight (58) and Range

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Twenty seven (27) in Danciss County Missouri. And it is further ordered that said administrator sell the same for the purposes in said petition mentioned on the following terms to wit; Cash in hand, and said administrator is directed to make report of his proceedings in relation thereto to this court at its next term as required by law.

In the matter of the estate of } Order confirming sale.
John D. James. { Insane } }

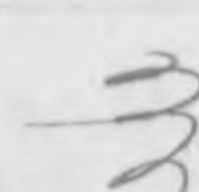
Now comes Elijah M. Foley Jr. guardian of said John D. James, and submits to the court his report of sale by which it appears that he did on the 8th day of December 1903 in obedience to the order of this court made at the August term 1903 thereof, sell at private sale to Elmer E. Guthens for the sum of Twenty nine hundred and sixty Dollars the real estate in said order of court and report particularly described viz: The North half of the North West quarter of section four (4) in Township sixty one (61) of Range twenty seven (27) containing 74 acres, at Forty Dollars per acre, cash in hand. And it appearing that said sale was legally and fairly conducted, pursuant to the order of the court, and in accordance with the statute, It is therefore ordered that the said sale, be and the same is hereby approved and confirmed, And the said guardian is ordered to execute acknowledge and deliver to said Elmer E. Guthens a deed in due form of law, conveying to the said Elmer E. Guthens, all the right title and interest which said John D. James had in and to said real estate.

In the matter of the estate of } Order confirming sale
Joseph D. McDaniel, minor } and Reinvestment,

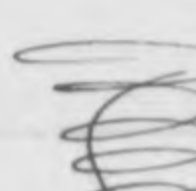
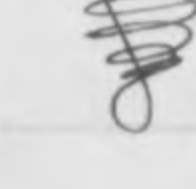
Now comes Robert J. McDaniel guardian and curator of said Joseph D. McDaniel, and submits to the court his report of sale by which it appears that he did on Wednesday November 11th 1903 in obedience to the order of this court, made at the November term 1903, thereof sell at private sale to Eliza J. Brewer for the sum of Fifteen Dollars in cash, and the further consideration that the said Eliza J. Brewer, and George Brewer her husband had conveyed to said minor

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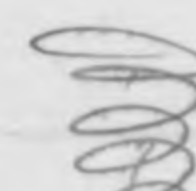
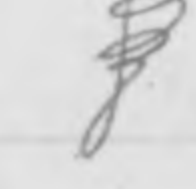
their undivided $19\frac{1}{4}$ interest in the North West quarter of the North East quarter of section 32. Township 62. and Range 29. in Daviess County Missouri, and the North East quarter of the South East quarter of section 29. Township 62 of Range 29. in Harrison County Missouri, all of said interest amounting to $10\frac{5}{8}$ acres. The real estate in said order and report particularly described viz: the undivided one eighth interest in and to the West half of the North West quarter of section 32. Township 62. of Range 29. in Daviess County Missouri, said interest being ten acres. And it appearing that said sale, and reinvestment was legally and fairly conducted pursuant to the order of the Court, and in accordance with the statute, it is therefore ordered that said sale and reinvestment, be and the same is, approved and confirmed, and said guardian and Curator is ordered to execute, as knowledge and deliver to said Eliza J. Brewer a deed in due form of law, conveying to her all the right title, and interest which said minor Joseph D. McDaniel had in and to said real estate.

In the matter of the estate of 
Solomon Brown. a minor 

Ordered that the fourth annual settlement this day filed by Jacob M. Brown Curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of 
Julia A. Buzard. Insane. 

Ordered that the fourth annual settlement this day filed by Perry A. Lilly, guardian of said insane person be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the Estate of  Continued
Margaret Brasins. dec'd 

Ordered that the settlement this day due from P. O. Oline Executor of said dec'd be continued to the May Term 1904 for final settlement.

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In the matter of the estate of Robert F. Bennett. decd

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by William J. Melton, Executor of said deceased be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of H. E. Bencumore. Et al minors

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Elijah M. Foley Jr. Curator of said minors be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of Effie A. Coulson. a minor

Ordered that the fourth annual settlement this day filed by Jackson Searcy guardian and curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of John L. Clark. a minor

Ordered that the second annual settlement this day filed by Elijah M. Foley, Curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of Alexander Gray - deceased Final settlement and order of distribution.

Now comes J. D. Yates, administrator with the will annexed of said Alexander Gray deceased and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement, and it appearing to the Court that said administrator has given notice as required by law of his intention to make final settlement of said estate, and it further appearing that all the debts due and owing by said estate have been fully paid, and said estate fully administered, it is therefore ordered that said settlement be and the same is approved and ordered recorded. And it appearing from said settlement that there remains in the hands of said administrator a balance of \$329.³⁵ for distribution to and among the heirs of said deceased, it is therefore ordered that said administrator distribute said

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sum of \$329.³⁵ to the heirs of deceased as follows;

To Francis Gray.	\$29.95
" Henry Gray.	29.95
" John Gray.	29.95
" Mary Brown.	29.95
" Susan Brown.	29.95
" Margaret Kirkpatrick.	29.95
" Alice Bell.	29.95
" William Gray.	29.95
" Ella Brown.	29.95
" Nancy Pugh.	29.95
" Fernelia Mills.	

And it further appearing to the Court that Enoch Gray a son of said deceased has by his agreement in writing dated February 10th 1902. and recorded in the office of the recorder of deeds of Duane's County Missouri in Book 84. at page 417. agreed to and with the remaining eleven heirs of said deceased that provided all of said remaining heirs joined by their wives and husbands should join in warranty deeds in usual form conveying to him 96 acres of land. belonging to said estate and described as follows: The West half of the North West quarter of section 9. and the East five acres of the South half of the North East quarter of the North East quarter of section 8. all in Township 59. of Range 27. then in consideration of such deeds said Enoch Gray agrees to execute and deliver to said eleven heirs warranty deeds conveying all his right title and interest in and to all the balance of the land of said Alexander Gray deceased at the time of his death. and to relinquish to them all his interest in and to his personal property. and to any claims or demands that he might have against the estate of his Father the said Alexander Gray. And it further appearing to the Court that in pursuance of said agreement the eleven heirs above named. joined by their husbands and wives executed a warranty deed to said Enoch Gray for the lands above described said deed being found of record in deed book 84. at page 85. and in return and in pursuance of said agreement said Enoch Gray and wife joined in the eleven deeds which were executed to the heirs for their respective shares of all the balance of the lands

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belonging to the estate of Alexander deceased. said deeds being found of record in deed book 84. at pages from 421 to 445 inclusive. It is therefore adjudged and decreed by The Court that the said Enoch Gray has no further interest in the estate real or personal of his father the said Alexander Gray deceased. and for said reasons. and in pursuance of said agreement the said Enoch Gray has been and is now omitted from the distribution of the said Estate of the said Alexander Gray deceased.

In the matter of the estate of ³ Final settlement & discharge
William L. Holmes - a minor ³

Now at this day comes Daniel Blackburn, and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement as curator of the estate of said William L. Holmes, who has attained his majority. And said William L. Holmes appearing in open court and waiving the filing of an exhibit and notice of said settlement. and entering his appearance to the making of said settlement. The same is upon examination approved and ordered recorded. And said ward having received the record in full for the balance found due him on said settlement to wit the sum of \$560. It is therefore ordered that said Curator be discharged.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock
Thomas A. Shaw
Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment, present
Thomas R. Shaw, Judge, and R. D. McCray Sheriff
when the following proceedings were had to wit;

In the matter of the estate of } Final settlement.
William E. Kirkaid, a minor }

Comes now R. H. Alderson, guardian and
curator of said minor, and presents to the court
his accounts and vouchers for final settlement
his said ward having attained his majority.
And it appearing to the court that said guardian and
curator filed his exhibit for said settlement as required
by law, and caused a copy of same together with
notice of the time when settlement would be made
to be served upon his said ward thirty days before
the present term of this court as required by law,
said settlement is therefore taken up, and considered
and approved. And the balance remaining in the
hands of said guardian and curator of \$547.³⁷
as shown by said settlement is ordered paid to
said William E. Kirkaid, and on filing his re-
ceipt therefore said guardian and curator to
be discharged.

Estate of Thomas M. Mallory, dec'd.

Comes now J. J. Vogelgesang, and presents
to the court for allowance allowance and class-
ification a demand for \$4.⁰⁰ being a balance due
on judgment and costs in the case of Hays, against
Thomas M. Mallory. Notice being waived in writing
and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered
that said demand be allowed against said estate
in said sum of \$4.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to class 6.

Estate of M. R. Maun, dec'd.

Comes now McCue and Henderson, and present
to the court for allowance against said estate a demand for
\$137.²⁵ founded on account for burial casket and burial
clothing. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit
and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be

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allowed against said estate and that it be assigned to the first class.

Estate of James W. Mann. deceased.

Comes now McCabe and Henderson, and present to the Court for allowance against said estate, a demand for \$90⁰⁰ founded on account for burial casket and other funeral expenses. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate and that it be assigned to the first class.

Estate of James W. Mann. deceased $\frac{2}{3}$

Comes now Howard Poye, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$67.⁵⁰ founded on account. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$67.⁵⁰ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of Sarah A. Deneal. deceased $\frac{2}{3}$

Comes now McCabe and Henderson, and present to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$157.⁰⁰ founded on account for funeral expenses. Casket &c Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$157.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the first class.

Estate of James W. Mann deceased $\frac{2}{3}$

Comes now D. W. Knight, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$87.³⁵ founded on a note executed by deceased dated November 30th 1901, for \$80⁰⁰ with interest at eight percent from maturity, due Jan'y 1st 1903. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$87.³⁵ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

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In the matter of the Estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
James W. Mann. deceased $\frac{3}{3}$

Comes now J. N. Knight and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$90.80 founded on a note executed by deceased for \$90.⁰⁰ dated April 27th 1903. due January 1st 1904. Interest from maturity at 8% per annum. affidavit and proof being made and notice being waived in writing. it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$90.⁸⁰ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Suspension
Dairy J. Chadwick. Etal. minors $\frac{3}{3}$

Comes now William J. Chadwick and presents to the Court his accounts and vouchers for his tenth annual settlement, which said settlement on examination is approved and ordered recorded. And it appearing from said settlement that the estate of said minors in the hands of said curator William J. Chadwick has been exhausted. it is therefore ordered that all further settlements be dispensed with and said curatorship suspended until such time as further assets shall be discovered. and until the Court shall order the curatorship continued.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
Hiram J. Cook. deceased $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by J. A. Selby, administrator with the will annexed of said deceased be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Continue
Law E. Curtis. deceased $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Laura J. Curtis. executrix of said deceased be continued to the May term 1904

In the matter of the Estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Continue
Katie Dobson. a minor $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Martha Dobson Curator of said settlement be continued to the May term 1904

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In the matter of the estate of } Suspension
George W. Donahy. (Insane) }

Comes now Almena Donahy. Guardian of said insane person and shows to the Court that said George W. Donahy departed this life March 16th 1903. That he left no estate whatever, and that the entire estate in the hands of said guardian has been exhausted. Wherefore it is ordered by the Court that all further administrations and settlements be dispensed with until the discovery of further assets.

In the matter of the estate of } Continued
James E. Dodd. deceased. }

Ordered that the settlement this day due from R. E. Dodd, administrator of said deceased be continued to the May term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of } Continued generally,
Charles M. Donaldson. Insane. }

Ordered that the settlement this day due from R. M. Pickell guardian of said Insane person be continued generally to pass of the docket no estate having come into the hands of said guardian, and more likely to be received by him.

In the matter of the estate of } Final settlement & Discharge
Andrew J. Culver. deceased }

Comes now James P. Baker executor of said deceased and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement, and it appearing to the Court that notice of said settlement has been published as required by law, that all the debts due and owing by said estate have been fully paid, said settlement is upon examination approved and ordered recorded, and it appearing from said settlement that there remains in the hands of said executor the sum of \$68⁰⁴ and that by the terms of the will of said deceased the personal property of said deceased is bequeath to Dianah Culver, the widow of said deceased, it is therefore ordered that said executor pay said balance to the said Dianah Culver, and upon filing her receipt therefor that he be discharged. And now comes

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said James P. Baker, Executor as aforesaid, and files the receipt of said Dianah Culver for said balance of \$68⁰⁴. and said estate being fully administered in accordance with the provisions of the will of said deceased, it is therefore ordered that said executor be discharged.

In the matter of the estate of Virgil Dixon, Etal. minors

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by R. V. Thompson Guardian and Curator of said minors be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of Educa Kaswall Etal - minors

Ordered that the fifth annual settlement this day filed by R. V. Thompson, guardian and curator of said minors be approved and recorded.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9. o'clock

Thomas R Shaw
Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment, present Thomas R Shaw, Judge, and R. D. McCoy, Sheriff, where the following proceedings were had to-wit;

Estate of William D. Hamilton dec'd $\frac{3}{3}$

Came now Dr W. L. Brasins, and presents to the court for allowance against said estate, a demand for \$9.⁰⁰ founded on account for medical services, notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made. it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$9.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of Sarah A. Darneal, dec'd. $\frac{3}{3}$

Came now Dr W. L. Brasins, and presents to the court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$71.⁵⁰ founded on account for services during last sickness and prior thereto. notice being waived in writing and affidavit, and proof made. it is therefore ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
James W. Mann, deceased $\frac{3}{3}$

Came now Dr M. A. Smith, and presents to the court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$115.⁰⁰ founded on account for medical services during last sickness. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made. it is therefore ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$115.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the second class.

Estate of James W. Mann, deceased $\frac{3}{3}$

Came now Smith and Lockridge, and present to the court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$27.¹⁵ founded on account. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made. it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of Twenty seven and 15/100 Dollars and that said demand be assigned to the fifth class.

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Estate of Matthew R. Mann dec'd $\frac{1}{2}$

Comes now Smith and Lockridge, and present to the court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$4.95 founded on account. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$4.90 and that it be assigned to the fifth class,

Estate of William D. Hamilton, dec'd $\frac{1}{2}$

Comes now Gus A. Lynn, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$42.87 founded on a note executed by Eli W. Toll, H. A. Pilcher, and Wm D. Hamilton. Dated Sept 21st 1895, with 8% per annum interest from date. Credited Nov 23rd 1895 \$15.⁰⁰; March 13th 1897 \$7.⁰⁰; January 15th 1899, \$8.⁰⁰; Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$42.87 and that it be assigned to the fifth class,

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{1}{2}$ Final Discharge
Mary B. Foster - deceased. $\frac{1}{2}$

Comes now Joseph R. Foster, administrator of said estate, and files the receipt of P. P. Williams, treasurer of the State of Missouri, for the sum of \$35.⁵⁶ being the aggregate amount due, Wm M. Drummond, Albert George the heirs of Ada Hesler, deceased. The heirs of May Wymd, and the amount due Myrtle Stone, as distributees of said Mary B. Foster deceased, on final settlement of said estate and by this court ordered paid into the State Treasury, at the November term 1903, and said estate being fully administered said administrator is discharged herein.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{1}{2}$ Order of Sale of Real Estate.
John Nichols, Sr. deceased. $\frac{1}{2}$

Now at this day comes Pheby Nichols, administratrix of deceased, and proves to the court that the order of publication made by the Probate Court of said county, upon her petition at the November term 1903, thereof, has been published according to law, and due service thereof had on the heirs and devisees residing in said

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county, and moves for an order of sale pursuant to said petition and notices; whereupon the court proceeds to hear the testimony produced, and to examine the parties who appear touching the application of said administrator for the sale of real estate of said deceased, as in said publication and petition mentioned.

And it being proved to the court that there is not sufficient personal estate and effects of said deceased charged with the payment of debts, and not sufficient assets in the hands of said administrator to pay the debts due and owing by said estate. It is therefore ordered that the said administrator first having had the same appraised according to law, do sell the real estate mentioned in said petition and hereinafter described at private sale, for the purpose of paying the debts due by said estate as aforesaid for not less than three fourths of the appraised value thereof, said real estate being described as follows to-wit: The West half of the South East quarter of section Eight, Township Fifty nine, Range Twenty six in Daviess County Missouri, said real estate being encumbered by a deed of trust for the sum of One thousand Dollars, dated November 11th 1901, due in five years, and bearing five per cent interest from date. And it is further ordered that said administrator sell said real estate subject to said incumbrance, and for the purposes in said petition mentioned on the following terms to-wit: for Cash, and said administrator is directed to make report of her proceedings in relation thereto to this court at its next term, as required by law.

In the matter of the estate of John Grant deceased Final Discharge of Executor

Came now George S. Grant, Executor of said deceased and files the receipt of J. J. Brown (who was appointed trustee for Nancy A. Brown by the Circuit Court of Daviess County Missouri) for the sum of \$373.⁸⁰, being the amount due the said Nancy A. Brown as a legatee of said John Grant deceased, as appears by the final settlement of said Executor made at the November Term 1900 of this court, said sum including \$20.⁰⁰ of accrued interest on said distributable

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share, and said estate being fully administered it is ordered that said Executor be discharged.

Estate of W. D. Hamilton deceased.

Davies County Savings Association
against $\frac{3}{3}$

G. H. Conklin, Jan. Pay, vs W. D. Hamilton.

Came now said Davies County Savings Association, and presents to the Court for classification against said estate of W. D. Hamilton, a duly certified transcript of a judgment of the Circuit Court of Davies County Missouri, rendered in the life time of said deceased for \$130.68. Notice of presentation of said demand having been waived in writing, and affidavit made, by agreement of parties, and as expressed in said waiver of service the sum of \$72.55 is allowed on account of said judgment, against said estate, and is assigned to the fourth class.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Continued.
George C. Deistelhorst, dec'd $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Austin Deistelhorst, administrator of said deceased be continued to the May term 1904, for final settlement.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
William B. Eads, a minor $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Louie J. McClune, Curator of said minor be continued to the May term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
Oscar L. Pitterer, a minor $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the 13th annual settlement this day filed by Mrs M. E. Fisher, Curator of the estate of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
Grover C. Gaines, a minor $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the 11th annual settlement this day filed by George J. Hunt Curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

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In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Continues
Oliver Giv. a minor

Ordered that the settlement this day due from George Lake, Executor of William Lake, deceased who was curator of the estate of said minor, be continued to the May term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
Georgia & Anna Hilbisch minors

Ordered that the 8th annual settlement this day filed by J. M. Brookshier, curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the Estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Final settlement & discharge
Anna Hilbisch, a minor

Now at this day comes J. M. Brookshier curator of said minor, and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement, his ward having attained her majority. And now comes also the said Anna Hilbisch and in open court waives the filing of an exhibit, and notice of said settlement and enters her appearance. Whereupon said settlement is taken up and considered and approved and it appearing that there is due said ward the sum of \$220.¹⁶ It is ordered that said curator pay over to this said ward said balance of \$220.¹⁶ together with all other property belonging to her. And now comes said Anna Hilbisch and receipts the record in full satisfaction of said balance. Whereupon it is ordered that said curator be discharged as to said ward.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
Henry C. Parberry, deceased

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by John R. Handy, administrator of said deceased be approved and recorded.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment. present Thomas R. Shaw. Judge. and R. D. McCray Sheriff when the following proceedings were had to wit;

In the matter of the estate of Tobias M. Henderson, deceased $\frac{3}{3}$ Partial Discharge

Comes now B. F. Koger, administrator of the estate of said deceased, and files the receipt of Franklin R. Henderson for the sum of \$10⁵⁷, being the balance due him as a distributee of said deceased on final settlement of said estate made May 13th 1903, wherefore said administrator is discharged as to said Franklin R. Henderson.

In the matter of the estate of Henry C. Parberry-deceased $\frac{3}{3}$ Order of distribution to heirs.

Comes now John R. Handy, administrator of said deceased, and represents, and shows to the Court that after making his first annual settlement he has on hand in cash the sum of \$7,100.⁰⁰ which will not be needed for the payment of debts or expenses of administration. wherefore he prays the Court to order the distribution of said sum to the heirs of said deceased. It is therefore ordered by the Court that said administrator distribute said sum to the heirs of said deceased as follows;

To Sarah J. Parberry	\$1100. ⁰⁰
" Mary C. Bleich	1500. ⁰⁰
" Eva L. Wharton.	1500. ⁰⁰
" Lilly M. Pundolfo.	1500. ⁰⁰
" Joseph H. Tate.	750. ⁰⁰
" Harley F. Tate.	750. ⁰⁰

In the matter of the estate (Copartnership)

of L. C. Dowell & Son. $\frac{3}{3}$ Final settlement and Discharge

Now at this day comes William Dowell, surviving partner of said Copartnership firm of L. C. Dowell & Son and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement. And it appearing to the Court that notice of

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said settlement has been published as required by law that all the debts owing by said copartnerships have been fully paid and said estate fully administered it is therefore ordered that said surviving partner be discharged hereinafter,

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{4}$ Continued
Philip Hess. deceased $\frac{3}{4}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from H. Margaret Hess. administrator of said deceased be continued to the May term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{4}$ Continued
James H. Haskins. dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Ordered that the final settlement this day due from Josephus Haskins administrator of said deceased be continued to the May term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{4}$
Thomas Henry deceased $\frac{3}{4}$

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Charles Henry and Martin Henry administrators of said estate be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{4}$ Continuance
John Jackson. Insane. $\frac{3}{4}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Philip Jackson. guardian of said insane person be continued to the May term 1904 and that citation issue for said guardian for failing to make settlement as required by law

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{4}$ Continuance
Anderson A. Lierley. a minor $\frac{3}{4}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Wilson Lierley. Curator of said minor be continued to the May term 1904 for final settlement

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{4}$
Nancy J. Lord. Insane. $\frac{3}{4}$

Ordered that the second annual settlement

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this day filed by Samuel A Lord guardian of said minor person be approved & recorded.

In the matter of the estate of
Ella Bell Robinson - a minor

Ordered that the third annual settlement this day filed by J. B. Yates guardian of the estate of said minor be approved and recorded. And it is further ordered that the sum of One Hundred Dollars be and the same is appropriated out of the estate of said ward in the hands of her said guardian, to be expended for the education of said ward for the year ending February 11th 1905.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock

Thomas R Shaw
Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment, present Thomas R. Shaw, Judge, and R. D. McGraw sheriff when the following proceedings were had to-wit:

Estate of H. F. McMeely, deceased.

Comes now Dr C. F. Martin, and presents to the court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$21⁵⁰ founded on account. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made. it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$21⁵⁰ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of John Nichols Sr. deceased. 3

Comes now John Nichols Jr. and presents to the court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$50.⁰⁰ founded on a note executed by deceased and said John Nichols Jr. to First National Bank of Gallatin for \$80.⁰⁰ Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made. it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$50.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

In the matter of the estate of 3
Clarence Hyatt, a minor 3

Ordered that the fifteenth annual settlement this day filed by Owen Edwards, Curator of the estate of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of 3 Continued
Virgil C. Miller, a minor 3

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Andrew Miller, Curator of said minor be approved. The same is continued to the May term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of 3 Continued
Jacob Earl Miller, a minor 3

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Mary J. Ford, Curator of said minor be continued to the May term 1904.

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In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
J. T. C. & N. P. McClune, minors $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the third annual settlement this day
filed by N. G. Crazen Jr. guardian and curator of said minors
be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Final settlement & distribution
Elizabeth Montgomery, dec'd $\frac{3}{3}$

Now at this day comes Benjamin Steel, administrator
with the will annexed of said deceased, and presents his
accounts and vouchers for final settlement, and it appear-
ing to the Court that notice of said settlement has been
published as required by law, that all the debts due
and owing by said estate have been fully paid, said
settlement is upon examination approved and ordered
recorded, and the balance remaining in the hands
of said administrator of \$122.³⁴ is ordered distrib-
uted according to the provisions of the will of said
deceased as follows:

To John Montgomery	\$ 20, 40
" George B. Montgomery	20, 40
" Miss Ann E. Harvey.	20, 40
" Emma J. Cary	20, 40
" Sarah M. G. Smith	20, 40
" Benjamin Steel, Trustee for Maurice Montgomery and Jesse Montgomery, {Grandsons}	20, 40

Trustee having this day filed his receipt is discharged as to said Maurice and
Jesse Montgomery.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ settlement approved & distribution
Henry J. McNeely, dec'd. $\frac{3}{3}$ of 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ % of on Class 5, demands.

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day
filed by Gabriel Jones, administrator of said Estate
be approved and recorded. And said administrator
having represented and showed to the Court that he has
on hands belonging to said estate, a sum sufficient to
pay 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ % per cent of the principal of all demands allowed
against said estate and assigned to the fifth class. It is
therefore ordered that said administrator pay 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ % per cent
of the principal on all demands against said estate in
class five.

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In the matter of the estate of 3
Francis M. McOrary. dec'd 3

It is ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Joseph McOrary and W^m H. Place executors of the last will and testament of said deceased be approved and recorded. And it appearing from said settlement that there is a balance in the hands of said executors due said estate of \$328.⁰¹ it is therefore ordered that said executors pay over said sum to Elijah M. Foley Jr. who has been by this Court appointed administrator pendente lite of said estate during the interval of the will of said deceased, and now comes said executors and file herein the receipt of said E. M. Foley Jr. for said balance of \$328.⁰¹ and it is therefore ordered that said executors be discharged.

In the matter of the estate of 3
John Nichols sr. dec'd 3

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Phoby Nichols, administrator of said deceased be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of 3 continued
Joseph Offield. deceased 3

Ordered that the final settlement of James M. Offield Executor of said deceased be continued to the May Term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of 3
John R. Richardson. Insane 3

Ordered that the second annual settlement this day filed by Robert Richardson, guardian of said Insane person be approved and recorded.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock
Thomas R. Shaw
Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment. present
Thomas R. Shaw, Judge and R. D. McCreary, Sheriff
when the following proceedings were had to-wit:

In the matter of the estate of ³Order to redeem Real Estate.
Alphons A. Day, deceased. ³

Comes now Ira Day, administrator of said estate
and shews to the Court that said deceased, died intestate
seized and possessed of the following real estate situate
in Danvers County Missouri to-wit:

S¹/₄ S¹/₄ NW¹/₄ Section 26, Township 61, Range 28, = 80. acres.

N¹/₄ NW¹/₄ Section 26, Township 61, Range 28 = 80. acres.

N. 50. acres S¹/₄ NW. 35. Township 61 Range 28 = 50 acres.

Containing in all 210. acres, which was incumbered
at the time of his death to the amount of \$3700. That
out of the personal property which amounted to \$4969.⁸⁸
he has paid all the debts, and liabilities of said deceased
so far as the same has come to his knowledge and that
he has now on hand after deducting an insolvent note
on A. H. Michael of \$88.²⁰ the sum of \$1401.⁴¹ and has in
pursuance of an order of this Court sold for cash the South
half of the South West quarter of Section 26, Township
61, and Range 28, for the sum of \$2500.⁰⁰ making in all
the sum of \$3901.⁴¹ that the deeds of trust above referred
to, now amount to \$3864.⁰⁰ and that it is for the best
interests of said estate, and will not in any way adver-
se creditors, to redeem said real estate from said liens.
Said Administrator further represents that the grand-
father of the children of said deceased has agreed
whenever necessary, to advance a sufficient sum to
meet any further liabilities of said estate.

Wherefore he prays the Court to make an order directing
him to redeem said land from said incumbrances

And the Court having heard and considered the said
petition and being fully advised, and satisfied that
it is proper to redeem said real estate, that it would
be to the best interests of said estate and not prejui-
dicial to creditors. It is therefore ordered that the said
administrator do redeem said real estate from the liens
of said incumbrances out of the personal assets of said
estate

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In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{2}$ Confirming sale of Real Estate.
Alphons F. Day - deceased $\frac{3}{2}$

Now comes Ira Day, administrator of said Alphons F. Day, deceased, and submits to the Court his report of sale by which it appears that he did on Thursday the 11th day of February 1904, in obedience to the order of this Court, made at the August term 1903, thereof, sell at private sale to John A. Blair, for the sum of \$2500.⁰⁰ the real estate in said order of Court, and report particularly described viz: The South half of the South West quarter of section Twenty six (26) Township sixty one (61) of Range Twenty eight (28) containing 80 acres, and it appearing that said sale was legally and fairly conducted, pursuant to the order of the Court, and in accordance with the statute, it is therefore ordered that the said sale be and the same is hereby approved, and confirmed, and that said administrator, execute, acknowledge and deliver to said John A. Blair, a deed in due form of law, conveying to said John A. Blair, all the right, title and interest which the deceased had in the same at the time of his death.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{2}$
Alphons F. Day, deceased $\frac{3}{2}$

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Ira Day, administrator of said deceased be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{2}$
Pearl M. Cray, et al. minors $\frac{3}{2}$

Ordered that the twelfth annual settlement this day filed by Elizabeth M. Cray, curator of said minors be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{2}$ Continued
John W. H. Oxford, a minor $\frac{3}{2}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Joseph S. Wymme, curator of said minor be continued to the August term 1904 for final settlement, at which time said ward will have attained his majority.

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In the matter of the estate of 
Oscar Place - a minor

Ordered that the 13th annual settlement this day filed by William H. Place, curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of 
John L. & Earnest L. Pearson.

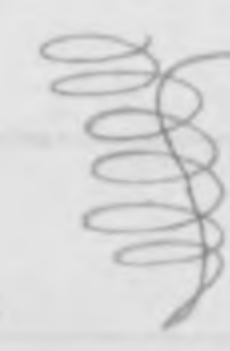
Ordered that the 12th annual settlement this day filed by O. P. Hill, Curator of said minors be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of  Final settlement & Discharge
John L. Pearson, a minor

Comes now O. P. Hill, Curator of said minor and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement said ward having attained his majority, and comes also John L. Pearson and waives the service of an exhibit and notice of said settlement, and enters his appearance to the making of said settlement, whereupon the court examines said settlement which is found to be correct and is by the court approved, and said ward having received the record in full for the balance found due him on said settlement to wit: the sum of \$28.⁸⁰ It is therefore ordered that said Curator be and is hereby discharged.

In the matter of the estate of 
Henry J. Reed, deceased.

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Elizabeth A. Reed, administrator of said deceased be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of 
William Ranney - deceased

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by James R. Heath, administrator of said deceased be approved and recorded.

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In the matter of the estate of Order of Distribution to heirs
William Rainey, deceased

Came now James R. Heath administrator of said estate and represents and shews to the court that he has on hand in cash belonging to said estate the sum of One thousand dollars which will not be needed for the payment of debts or expenses of administration, and prays the court to order the distribution of said sum to the heirs of said deceased, and the court having considered said petition and being fully advised, it is ordered that said administration distribute said sum to the heirs of said deceased as follows:

To Jacob Rainey.		125	00
" Eliza Rine.		125	00
" Elizabeth Heath.		125	00
" Alvin Rainey		31	25
" George Rainey		31	25
" Earnest Rainey	Heirs of Marion Rainey dead	31	25
" Eva Sweet.		31	25
" William Rainey.		62	50
" Nevada Timmons.	Heirs of Benj S. Rainey dead.	62	50
" Rollie Rainey.		20	83
" Dora Gardner.		20	83
" Mammie Day.	Heirs of Henry Rainey, dead	20	83
" Pearl Rainey		20	83
" Amanda O'Hare		20	83
" Daisy Rainey		20	83
" John B. Stapleton		20	83
" Peter Stapleton		20	83
" Doll Stapleton	Heirs of Melissa Stapleton dead.	20	83
" Emily Colvin		20	83
" Jane Stapleton		20	83
" Inez Stapleton		20	83
" James H. Stapleton		17	85
" George Stapleton		17	85
" Robert Stapleton	Heirs of Mary Stapleton dead.	17	85
" Ellen Rader		17	85
" Eliza Hughes.		17	85
" Mary Pettit		17	85
" Martha Severe.		17	85

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In the matter of the estate of } Final Settlement & discharge
Clarence Durdidge, a minor }

Comes now William B. Wilson, curator of the estate of said minor and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement, said ward having attained his majority, and now comes also said Clarence Durdidge, and in open court reads the filing of an exhibit, and notice of the making of said settlement, and enters his appearance. Whereupon the Court proceeds to examine said settlement which is found to be correct and is by the Court approved. And said ward having receipted the record in full for all sums and balances due him as shown by said settlement. It is therefore ordered that said curator be discharged hence.

In the matter of the estate of } Appropriation
Mabel and Thelma Thompson, minors }

Comes now C. F. Stephens, Step Father of said minors and makes application for an allowance for the support and maintenance of said minors for one year ending this date, and it appearing to the Court that said minors have made their home with said petitioner for the said year last past, and that said minors are of tender age, and unable to earn their support. It is therefore ordered and adjudged by the Court that the sum of Eighty four & 65/100. be and the same is appropriated out of the estate of said minors for that purpose, and that the Curator of said Estate be authorized to pay said C. F. Stephens said sum, and have credit therefor in his settlement of said Estate.

Ordered that Court adjourn until Monday Feb 15th 1904

Thomas A. Shaw
Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment present Thomas R Shaw Judge, and R. D. McGray Sheriff when the following proceedings were had to-wit:

In the matter of the estate of Appropriation for monument
Leander G. Wells, deceased

Came now the widow and heirs of said deceased and pray the Court to make an appropriation out of the personal estate of said deceased sufficient to purchase a suitable monument to the memory of said deceased, and the Court having considered said petition, and being fully advised as to the condition of said estate, it is ordered that the sum of one hundred and thirty dollars be appropriated out of said estate for the purposes aforesaid, and the administrator of said estate is authorized and directed to expend said sum in that behalf, and that he have credit therefor.

In the matter of the estate of
Mabel and Thelma M. Thompson
minors

Now at this day it having come to the knowledge of the Court, that said Mabel and Thelma M. Thompson have become non residents of the state of Missouri, and are now residents of the County of Sumner, and state of Kansas, and that M. M. Miller, a resident of said county and state, has been by the Probate Court of said County of Sumner and state of Kansas, appointed guardian of the estate of said minors, said guardian having produced satisfactory proof to this Court by certificates, according to the acts of Congress in such cases that he has given bond and security in the county and state in which he and his wards reside in double the amount of the value of the estate of said wards. It is therefore ordered and adjudged by this Court that Silas N. Best who is the Curator of the estate of said minors in Daviess County Missouri, he and he is required to make settlement of his accounts, as such Curator at the May term 1904 of this Court for the purpose of delivering

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and passing over the property and estate of said minors to the said M. M. Miller, the guardian of said minors in the County of Sumner and State of Kansas,

Estate of George M. Utz, deceased,

William J. Utz.

Plaintiff

against

Alfred E. Utz & Jasper J. Utz, administrators of
George M. Utz, deceased.

Dezember

James now William J. Utz, plaintiff in the above
entitled cause, and files a certified transcript of a judg-
ment rendered in the Circuit Court of Darius County, Mass-
and, on the 18th day of December 1903, in favor of plaintiff
and against said defendants, for the sum of Five hundred
Dollars principal and four & 75/100. Interest accrued there-
on, said cause having been appealed from this court.
Notice being waived thereon in open court, and affidavit
made, it is ordered that said Judgment be allowed against
said estate in said sum of \$504.75, and that it be as-
signed to the fifth class.

In the matter of the estate of ~~George M. Utz~~ George M. Utz deceased ~~deceased~~ appropriation for monument.

Now at this day comes the widow and heirs of said deceased and pray the Court to make an appropriation out of the personal estate of said deceased for the purpose of purchasing a monument to be erected to the memory of said deceased. And the Court having duly considered said petition and being sufficiently advised. It is ordered and adjudged by the Court that the sum of \$311.²⁵ be and the same is appropriated out of the estate of said deceased for the purpose aforesaid. And the administrators of said estate are authorized and directed to expend said sum in the purchase of said monument, and that they have credit therefor in their settlement of said estate.

In the matter of the estate of Francis M. Burnell, dec'd Partial Discharge

Comes now Frank B. Ray, one of the executors of said deceased, and files the receipts of the following

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named distributees of said deceased for the amount due them respectively on final settlement of said estate made May 18th 1901, viz;

Robert Burrell	\$22.06
Emma Bowen	11.03
Lester O. Burrell	22.06
Sarah L. Haggerty.	11.03
Mary C. Wards.	10.30
Martha Ray	22.06

Wherefore said executor is discharged as to said above named distributees.

In the matter of the estate of Isaac C. Minnick, dec'd Allowance in Lieu of provisions

Now this day comes Obedience Minnick, widow of said Isaac Minnick deceased and represents to the Court, that at the time of the death of said deceased that was not sufficient, grain, meat, vegetables, groceries or other provisions, on hand, and provided for the subsistence of herself and family for one year next after the death of her husband. Wherefore she prays the Court to make an allowance to her in lieu of provisions not on hand as aforesaid, as provided by law, out of the assets of the estate of said deceased. And the Court having considered said petition finds that the sum of Fifty Dollars would be a reasonable sum to supply such deficiency. It is therefore ordered by the Court that said sum be appropriated out of said estate for the purpose aforesaid. And that the administrators of said estate pay to said widow said sum out of any monies in his hands belonging to said estate.

In the matter of the estate of Maud H. Ewing, a minor Order of sale of Real Estate

Comes now John W. Meade, curator of the estate of said minor, and files his petition for the sale of Real Estate of said minor therein described. Setting forth that said minor is the owner of the undivided one sixth of the following real estate, situate in the City of Gallatin, Sanders County, Missouri, to-wit: The South half of

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Lot (11) Eleven, in Block (3) three West, and (2) two South in the City of Gallatin Missouri. said Curator further represents that there is a brick business house upon said real estate, and that the insurance, taxes and repairs thereon, together with the difficulty of keeping the same rented, makes the said real estate an undesirable investment for the funds of said minor. Wherefore he prays the Court for an order directing him to sell the interest of said minor in the real estate above described for the purpose of reinvestment. And the Court having heard and considered the said petition, and being fully advised, and satisfied that it is proper to sell said real estate for the purpose aforesaid, it is therefore ordered by the Court that said curator be, and is hereby authorized and empowered to sell the said real estate, at private sale (first having had the same appraised according to law) for not less than three fourths of the appraised value thereof, on the following terms to-wit: for cash, and that said Curator report said sale, and his proceedings therein to this Court at the next term thereof.

In the matter of the estate of
Rosa Ree Lierley - a minor

Ordered that the fourth annual settlement this day filed by Mary E. Lierley, curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of
Worthy D. Ray - a minor

Ordered that the tenth annual settlement this day filed by Frank B. Ray, curator of the estate of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of
Hannie Scott, et al. minors

Ordered that the sixth annual settlement this day filed by Joshua B. Scott, curator of the estate of said minors be approved and recorded.

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In the matter of the estate of $\int$ Continuance
Jacob A. Stitt deceased $\int$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from
Katie A. Stitt, Executrix of said deceased be continued
to the May term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of $\int$
Leander M. Stewart deceased $\int$

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day
filed by Anna M. Stewart, administratrix of said de-
ceased be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\int$
Lloyd S. Selby - a minor $\int$

Ordered that the eighteenth annual settlement this
day filed by S. W. Selby, Curator of the estate of said
minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\int$ Final settlement & discharge
Charles Stewart deceased $\int$

Comes now Rachel Stewart, Executrix of said de-
ceased and presents to the Court his accounts and vou-
chers for final settlement. And it appearing that
notice of said settlement has been published as required
by law, that all the debts owing by said estate have been
fully paid and said estate fully administered ac-
cording to law, and in accordance with the will of said
deceased, said settlement is upon examination
approved, and ordered recorded, and said executrix
discharged therein.

In the matter of the estate of $\int$
George M. Utz, deceased $\int$

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by
J. J. & A. E. Utz, administrators of said deceased be
approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of $\int$
John A. Mynne, deceased $\int$

Ordered that the settlement this day filed by John M. Mynne
administrator of said deceased be approved and recorded.

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In the matter of the estate of Lauder G. Wells, deceased

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Frank P. Wells administrator of said deceased be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of Lauder G. Wells, deceased Distribution to heirs.

Comes now Frank P. Wells and represents to the Court that he has on hand belonging to said estate the sum of Six Hundred Dollars which will not be needed for payment of debts and asks that said sum be ordered distributed to the heirs of said deceased. Wherefore it is ordered by the Court that said administrator distribute said sum to said heirs as follows to-wit:

To Frank P. Wells.	\$ 75.00
" Clarence R. Wells.	75.00
" Alice G. Wells.	75.00
" Homer W. Wells.	75.00
" Hugh E. Wells.	75.00
" Lillie M. McClure	75.00
" Harry R. Wells.	75.00
" Lauder A. Wells.	75.00

In the matter of the estate of Lauder M. Stewart, dec'd appropriation to widow

Comes now Anna M. Stewart widow of said deceased and represents to the Court that at the death of said deceased there was not sufficient grain, meal, vegetables & groceries on hand and provided for the subsistence of herself and family for one year next after the death of her husband. Wherefore she prays the Court to make an allowance to supply such deficiency as provided by law. And the Court having considered said petition finds that the sum of \$85¹⁸ would be a reasonable amount for said purpose. It is therefore ordered by the Court that said sum of \$85¹⁸ be appropriated out of said estate for said purpose.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock
 Thomas D. Sherr
 Judge

February Term Tuesday - Feby 16th 1904.

Court met pursuant to adjournment, present Thomas R. Shaw Judge, and R. D. McGray Sheriff when the following proceedings were had to-wit:

In the matter of the estate of } Confirming sale of Real Estate
Earnest L. Pearson, a minor }

Now comes O. P. Hill curator of the estate of said Earnest L. Pearson, and submits to the Court his report of sale by which it appears that he did on the 16th day of February 1904, in obedience to the order of this Court made at the August term 1903 thereof, sell at private sale to John L. Pearson for the sum of \$422.⁵⁰ the real estate in said order of Court, and report particularly described viz: The undivided one fourth interest in and to the North East quarter of the South West quarter of section Eight (8) Township sixty one (61) and Range Twenty nine (29) in Daviess County Missouri, said land being the undivided interest belonging to Earnest L. Pearson, the other undivided one fourth in said land, which is included in the petition for sale, and in the appraisement attached to said report, and in the order of sale of this Court having become fully vested in the said John L. Pearson, vendee as above set forth by reason of his having attained to the age of twenty one years, he being the said John L. Pearson mentioned in said order of sale, as a minor owning said one fourth interest in said land, And it appearing that said sale was legally and fairly conducted, pursuant to the order of the Court, and in accordance with the statute, it is therefore ordered that the said sale, be and the same is hereby approved, and confirmed, and the said curator is ordered to execute acknowledge and deliver to the purchaser John L. Pearson, a deed in due form of law, conveying to him all the right title and interest which said Earnest L. Pearson had in and to said real Estate.

In the matter of the estate of } Settlement approved &
Pearl O. & Charles L. Koch, minors } Guardianship suspended.

Ordered that the sixth annual settlement this day filed by William C. Gillham, curator of the

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Estate of said Pearl O. and Charles L. Koch be approved and recorded, and it appearing from said settlement that the estate of said minors has been exhausted and that no additional estate is likely to come into the hands of said Curator. It is therefore ordered that further settlements and advertisements be dispensed with and that said Curatorship be suspended until such time as additional estate shall be discovered and until the Court shall order said Curatorships proceeded with.

In the matter of the Estate of

Ordered that Court adjourn until Saturday Febury 20th 1904
 Thomas A. Shaw
 Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment. present Thomas R. Shaw Judge, and R. D. McCray Sheriff. when the following proceedings were had to-wit:

Estate of Thomas R. Laubert dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Comes now Robert E. Marpin, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$30.55 founded on account. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of Thomas M. Mallory, dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Comes now Thompson, Steele & Malone, and present to the Court for allowance and classification as judgment rendered against decedent in his life time. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit made, by agreement of parties the sum of \$35.00 is allowed on and in full of said demand and is assigned to the sixth class.

Estate of Lorenzo E. McCrayer, dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Comes now Mary F. McCrayer and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$80.00 founded on account for one bay colt which was appraised and sold by the administrators of said decedent, which said colt was the property of this claimant. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of James W. Mann, dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Comes now J. A. Mann, Executor of the estate of Matthew R. Mann, deceased, and on behalf of said estate presents to the Court for allowance against the estate of James W. Mann deceased a demand for \$400.00 founded on account for rent of farm. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against

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said estate in said sum of Two hundred Dollars and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{2}{3}$ Appropriation for support William D. Hamilton. Dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$ of Minor Child.

Now comes John A. Jordan, administrator of the estate of William D. Hamilton deceased and represents to the Court, the Genevieve Hamilton is a minor child and heir of W. D. Hamilton deceased, and as such is entitled to one half of his estate, after the payment of debts and expenses of administration. That said minor is wholly without means of support, that she is now attending school in the City of St. Louis Missouri, and that funds are needed for her support, wherefore said administrator prays the Court to make such appropriation for the support of said minor as may seem right and proper. And the Court having considered said petition, and being fully advised, It is ordered that the sum of One hundred and twenty five Dollars be and the same is appropriated out of the estate of said deceased for the support of said minor for three months from and after this date. And that the further sum of one hundred and twenty five Dollars be and is appropriated out of said Estate for the purpose aforesaid, for the three months ending August 20th 1904, and that the administrator of said estate have credit for said sums on the filing of proper receipts therefor.

Ordered that Court adjourn until Court in March
 Thomas R. Shaw
 Judge

In Vacation. February 27th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of } Appointment of administrators
Porterfield Foster, deceased }

Came now William N. Drummond, and George E. Goodbar, and make application for letters of administration on the estate of Porterfield Foster, deceased, who died intestate in Daviess County Missouri, on the 22nd day of February, 1904, having at the time of his death personal property (in addition to real estate) of the probable value of Seventeen hundred dollars, and it appearing that said Wm N Drummond, and George E. Goodbar, are distributees of said deceased, and are suitable and competent persons for such trust, it is therefore ordered that they be, and are hereby appointed administrators of said estate, and before entering on the duties of their office, they are required to enter into bond to the State of Missouri, as such administrators in the sum of Thirty five hundred dollars with two or more securities to be approved by the Court, conditioned for the faithful discharge of their duties according to law: And now comes said William N. Drummond, and George E. Goodbar, and file their bond in said sum of Thirty five hundred dollars with R. M. Barnett and E. D. Mann, as securities thereon which is approved. It is further ordered that J. E. Wilson, and J. D. Mann, be and they are appointed witnesses to accompany and aid said administrators in making an inventory of said estate.

Thomas A. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation March 4th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of }
John William Macrauder, } Appointment of Curator,
minor heir of America Francis }
Macrauder, deceased }

On this day appeared John William Macrauder, and it appearing to the Judge of Probate, that he is a minor, under twenty one, but above fourteen years of age, and resides in the County of Daviess, and has no curator, and being directed by the Judge of Probate to

chose a curator of his estate. he selected his Father John A. Macrauder, who being approved by the Judge of Probate is appointed curator of the estate of said John William Macrauder, and before entering upon the duties of his office, he is required to enter into bond to the state of Missouri for the use of said John William Macrauder, with two or more securities to be approved by the Court, in the sum of Three hundred dollars conditional for the faithful discharge of his duties according to law: Thereupon came said John A. Macrauder, and files herein his bond in said sum of three hundred dollars, conditioned as the law directs with John C. Leopard and M. A. Baker, as securities thereon which said bond was by the Judge of Probate approved

Thomas A. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - March 7th 1904.

In the matter of the Guardianship
of Nellie Pearl Blythe, and William
Edward Blythe, minor children
of Charles Blythe and Olive Blythe,

Now comes the "Childrens Home Society" of Missouri and states to the Judge of Probate, that Nellie Pearl Blythe born April 1st 1902, and William Edward Blythe born June 7th 1903, are the children of Charles Blythe, and Olive Blythe, that said children are now with their said Mother, Olive, in Gallatin, Dancers County Missouri, and were abandoned by their said Father, at said Gallatin Missouri the 29th of December 1903. That said Charles Blythe has failed to contribute any thing to the support of said Mother and children, since such abandonment, That the present whereabouts of said Charles Blythe is unknown to said wife or said petitioner, that said Charles is incompetent, and unfit for the duties of the guardianship of said children, that said Olive Blythe is fully surrendering all custody of said children in order that said petitioner may have contrall of said children as their guardians: Wherefore said "Childrens Home

Society of Missouri" prays that an order of this Court be made appointing said Society guardian of the person of said Nellie Pearl Blythe and William Edward Blythe.

And it appearing to the Judge of Probate that Olive Blythe the Mother of said Children, has in writing waived the service of notice of the application of said society for the guardianship of said Children. And the Judge of Probate having considered the application of said "Childrens Home Society" and the evidence in support thereof, and being satisfied that said society is duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Missouri, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 35 of the Revised Statutes of 1899. And being further satisfied of the ability and purpose of said society to properly keep and care for said minor children. It is therefore ordered by the Judge of Probate that said "Childrens Home Society of Missouri" be and is hereby appointed guardian of the person of said Nellie Pearl Blythe, and William Edward Blythe.

Thomas A. Shaw
Judge of Probate

In Vacation - March 16th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of
William Marion Matchett and
James Dewey Matchett, heirs of
Francis Matchett, deceased } Appointment of Curator.

Now on this day comes Charley A. Scott, and represents and shews to the Judge of Probate that he is a resident of the County of Jackson, and is the Step Father of William Marion Matchett, and James Dewey Matchett, aged seven and five years respectively, and praying the Court to appoint him Curator of the estate of said minors. And it appearing to the Judge of Probate that said minors own property of the probable value of Two hundred and fifty dollars, and that the said Charley A. Scott is a suitable and competent person for such trust it is ordered by the Judge of Probate that said Charley A. Scott be, and he is hereby appointed curator of the estate of said William Marion Matchett and James Dewey Matchett.

and before entering on the duties of his office he is required to enter into bond to the State of Missouri for the use of said minors in the sum of Five hundred and fifty dollars (\$550⁰⁰) with two or more securities to be approved by the Court, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties according to law: Thereupon comes said Charles A. Scott, and files herein his bond in said sum of Five hundred and fifty dollars, with William Snow, and John McKinley as securities thereon which said bond is approved.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - March 22nd 1904.

In the matter of the estate of ~~James L. Haynes~~ appointment of administrator,
James L. Haynes, deceased

Comes now Charles L. Knaus, and makes application for letters of administration on the estate of James L. Haynes, deceased who died intestate in Danvers County Missouri, February 4th 1904, having at the time of his death personal property of the probable value of Seven hundred dollars. To the end therefore that said property may be collected and preserved for those entitled thereto. It is ordered that said Charles L. Knaus be and he is hereby appointed administrator of said estate: and before entering on the duties of his office he is required to enter into bond to the state of Missouri as such administrator in the sum of Fifteen hundred Dollars with two or more securities to be approved by the Court conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties according to law: and now comes said Charles L. Knaus and files herein his bond in said sum of \$1500⁰⁰ conditioned as the law directs, with A. J. Ray and E. D. Mann as securities thereon, which said bond is approved. It is further ordered that J. A. Selby and J. J. Crain be and they are appointed witnesses to assist said administrator in making an inventory of said estate.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - March 22nd 1904.

In the matter of the estate of } Letters of administration Refused.
Laura Patton deceased }

Now at this day comes William R. Patton, and shows to the Judge of Probate, that he is the widower of Laura Patton, late of the County of Daviess, deceased who died having at the time of her death personal property in this state not greater in amount than is allowed by law as the absolute property of the widower. To the end therefore that the said Wm R Patton, as such widower may be authorized and empowered to collect sue for and retain said property as his absolute property as provided by law, it is ordered that letters of administration on said estate be refused unless on the application of creditors or other parties interested the assistance of other or further property be shown.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - March 23rd 1904.

In the matter of the estate of }
and last will and testament of } Will Probated.
Laura M. Frost - deceased }

Now on this day an instrument of writing heretofore filed herein, purporting to be the last will and testament of Laura M. Frost, deceased, is offered for probate, and the Judge of Probate having seen and examined said instrument of writing, and having also heard the testimony of F. D. H. Brown and J. M. Holmes, two of the subscribing witnesses thereto in relation to the execution of the same, does declare and adjudge said instrument of writing to be the last will and testament of Laura M. Frost, deceased late of Daviess County and orders the same admitted to probate.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate.

In Vacation - March 26th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of } Order Refusing Letters
George W. Rader, deceased. }

Now at this day comes Effra Rader, and shows to the Judge of Probate, that she is the widow of George W. Rader, late of the County of Daviess, deceased, who died having at the time of his death personal property in this state not greater in amount than is allowed by law as the absolute property of the widow.

To the end therefore that the said Effra Rader, as such widow may be authorized and empowered to collect, sue for and retain, said property as her absolute property as provided by law, it is ordered that letters of administration on said estate be refused, unless on the application of creditors or other parties interested the existence of further, or other property be shown.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate,

In Vacation - March 30th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of } Appointment of Admin. Public
William H. Cunningham, dec'd }

Now at this day it having come to the knowledge of the Judge of Probate, that William H. Cunningham, late of the County of Daviess, deceased, died on the day of December 1903, intestate, having at the time of his death personal property of the probable value of fifteen hundred dollars, and the heirs of said deceased entitled to administer upon said estate having filed herein their relinquishment and renunciation of their right to administer said estate. To the end therefore that said estate may be collected and preserved for those entitled thereto, it is ordered that E. M. Foley Jr. Public administrator of Daviess County Missouri take charge of and administer said estate according to law, and that letters of administration issue to him thereon.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate

In Vacation - March 30th 1904

In the matter of the estate of George Miller - deceased. Order Refusing Letters

Now at this day comes Elizabeth Miller and shows to the Judge of Probate that she is the widow of George Miller late of the County of Daviess, deceased, who died having at the time of his death personal property in this state not greater in amount than is allowed by law as the absolute property of the widow. To the end therefore that the said Elizabeth Miller, as such widow, may be authorized, and empowered to collect, sue for and retain said property as her absolute property as provided by law, it is ordered that letters of administration on said estate be refused, unless on the application of creditors, or other parties interested the existence of further or other property be shown.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate

In Vacation - April 2nd 1904.

In the matter of the estate of John H. Searey - deceased. Letters of Administration Granted.

Now at this day comes Jackson Searey, and makes application for letters of administration on the estate of John H. Searey deceased, who died in Daviess County Missouri, March 18th 1904, intestate, having at the time of his death in addition to real Estate, personal property of the probable value of Two thousand Dollars, and it appearing that the widow and heirs of said deceased have filed their relinquishment of their right to administer upon said estate, and it further appearing that said Jackson Searey is a suitable and competent person for such trust, it is ordered that he be and is hereby appointed administrator of said estate and before entering on the duties of his office he is required to enter into bond to the state of Missouri as such administrator in the sum of \$4000⁰⁰ with two or more securities to be approved by the Court Creditors according to law. And now comes said Jackson Searey and files herein his bond in said sum of \$4000⁰⁰ with G. L. Loep, Chas. D. Davis and V. E. Foxworthy as securities thereon which is approved. It is further ordered that J. R. Crowder and J. W. Whitman be and they are appointed witnesses to assist said administrator in making an inventory of said estate.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate

In Vacation, April 11th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of }
Corwin E. Miller, minor heir } Appointment of Curator
of Charles N. Miller, dec'd }

Now on this day comes Georgin A. Miller and represents and shews to the Judge of Probate, that she is a resident of the County of Davies, and is the Mother of Corwin E. Miller, who was six years of age on the 10th day of July 1903, and prays the Judge of Probate to appoint her curator of the estate of said minor, and it appearing that said minor owns property not derived from said Georgin A. Miller, and not exceeding in value the sum of one thousand Dollars, and that the said Georgin A. Miller is a suitable and competent person for such trust, It is ordered by the Judge of Probate that said Georgin A. Miller be and she is hereby appointed Curator of the estate of said Corwin E. Miller, and before entering upon the duties of her office, she is required to enter into bond to the State of Missouri for the use of said Corwin E. Miller, with two or more securities to be approved by the Court, in the sum of Two thousand Dollars, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties according to law. Thereupon comes said Georgin A. Miller and files herein her bond as such Curator in said sum of Two Thousand Dollars, with A. H. Woodruff, J. W. Woodruff and F. A. Woodruff as securities thereon which said bond was by the Judge of Probate approved.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate

In Vacation - April 14th 1904

In the matter of the estate of } Order Refusing Letters
Benjamin J. Perut dec'd }

Now at this day comes Sarah J. Perut, and shews to the Judge of Probate, that she is the widow of Benjamin J. Perut, late of the County of Davies, deceased, who died leaving at the time of his death personal property in this state not greater in amount than is allowed by law as the absolute property of the

widow: To the end therefore that the said Sarah D. Fierst as such widow may be authorized, and empowered to collect, sue for and retain said property as her absolute property as provided by law, it is ordered that letters of administration on said estate be refused, unless on the application of creditors or other parties interested the existence of other or further property be shown.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate

In Vacatur - April 22nd 1904

In the matter of the estate of Order Refusing Letters.
Earl V. Short - Deceased

Now at this day comes Nora Short, and shows to the court that she is the widow of Earl V. Short, late of the County of Davies, deceased, who died leaving at the time of his death personal property in this state not greater in amount than is allowed by law, as the absolute property of the widow. To the end therefore that the said Nora Short as such widow may be authorized and empowered, to collect sue for and retain said property as her absolute property as provided by law, it is ordered that letters of administration on said estate be refused, unless on the application of creditors or other parties interested the existence of other or further property be shown.

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge of Probate

In Vacation. April 25th 1904.

In the matter of the estate of
 William F. Lambert
 John C. Lambert, and
 Elmer D. Lambert, minor heirs
 of Thomas R. & Eliza Lambert, dec'd

Appointment of
 Guardian & Curator.

Now on this day comes Lewis M. Best, and shows to the Judge of Probate, that William F. John C. and Elmer D. Lambert aged as follows: William F. born November 25th 1893. John C. born September 25th 1898. Elmer D. born February 11th 1901, are minor children and heirs at law of Thomas R. Lambert and Eliza Lambert deceased, that said minors reside in the County of Daviess that they own property (personal) not exceeding in value the sum of One thousand dollars, and prays the Court to appoint him guardian of the person and estate of said minors. And it appearing to the Judge of Probate that the statements so made are true, and that the said Lewis M. Best is a suitable and competent person for such trust, it is ordered that he be and is hereby appointed guardian of the persons and estates of said William F. John C. and Elmer D. Lambert, and before entering upon the duties of his office, he is required to enter into bond to the State of Missouri, for the use of said minors in the sum of Two thousand Dollars with two or more securities to be approved by the Court conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties according to law. Thereupon comes said Lewis M. Best and files herein his bond as such guardian in said sum of Two thousand Dollars, conditioned as the law directs, with Robert C. Mapen, David Woodruff, and David B. Rogers as securities thereon which said bond is approved, and said guardian is ordered to enter upon the discharge of his duties.

Thomas R. Shaw
 Judge of Probate.

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State of Missouri } ss.
County of Danvers }

Be it remembered that at a regular term of the Probate Court of the County of Danvers, and State of Missouri, begun and held at the Court house in the City of Gallatin, County and State aforesaid on Monday May the 9th 1904, there was present, Pharoas R. Shaw, Judge of said Court, and R. D. McCreary, Sheriff, where the following proceedings were had to wit:

Ordered that the bond of William M. Drummond, and George E. Goodbar as administrators of the estate of Porterfield Foster, deceased taken in vacation February 27th 1904 be approved, and their appointment ratified and confirmed.

Ordered that the bond of Charles L. Knauer, as administrator of the estate of James L. Haynes, deceased, taken in vacation March 22nd 1904 be and the same is approved and his appointment ratified and confirmed.

Ordered that the appointment of E. M. Pacey Jr. as administrator of the estate of William H. Cunningham, deceased, made in vacation March 30th 1904, be and the same is ratified and confirmed.

✓ Ordered that the bond of Jackson Dearcy, as administrator of the estate of John A. Dearcy deceased, taken in vacation April 2nd 1904, be and the same is approved and his appointment ratified and confirmed.

Ordered that the bond of John A. Macrauder, as curator of the estate of John W. Macrauder, a minor, taken in vacation March 4th 1904, be and the same is approved and his appointment as such curator ratified and confirmed.

Ordered that the bond of Charles A. Scott, as curator of the estate of William M. Matchett, and James D. Matchett minors, taken in vacation March 16th 1904, be and the same is approved and his appointment as such curator ratified and confirmed.

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Ordered that the additional bond of Archie S. Goutray as guardian and curator of the person and estate of Lewis A. and Malinda M. Butler, minors taken in vacation March 26th 1904 be and the same is approved.

Ordered that the bond of George A. Miller as curator of the estate of Corwin E. Miller, a minor, taken in vacation April 11th 1904 be and the same is approved and his appointment as such curator, ratified and confirmed.

Ordered that the bond of Lewis M. Best as Guardian of the person and estate of William J. John C. and Elmer J. Lambert, minors, taken in vacation April 25th 1904 be and the same is approved and his appointment ratified and confirmed.

In the matter of the estate of } Judgment Establishing will
and last will and testament }
of Laura M. Frost, deceased }

It being shown to the court now here, that in vacation of this court, to-wit: on the 31st day of March 1903, an instrument of writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Laura M. Frost, deceased and attested by A. L. Nims, J. W. Holmes, and F. B. H. Brown, as witnesses, was produced before the Clerk of this court to be proved and admitted to record as the last will of said Laura M. Frost, deceased, and said clerk proceeded to take the testimony of F. B. H. Brown and J. W. Holmes two of said attesting witnesses, which was by said clerk reduced to writing, and signed by them respectively and is now here produced in court. And said clerk having declared said will proved granted a certificate of probate on the 23rd day of March 1904. And the court having inspected said will and seen and heard the testimony of F. B. H. Brown and J. W. Holmes said attesting witnesses, so taken in vacation as to the execution of said will, and being sufficiently advised: - It is ordered and adjudged by the court that said instrument be considered proved, and the same is adjudged to be the last will of said Laura M. Frost deceased. And the said proceedings and action of the Clerk in the premises are in all things ratified and confirmed, and that said will be admitted to record.

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In the matter of the estate of } Order discharging Curator
William E. Kirkade a minor }

Comes now R. H. Alderson, Curator of the estate of said William E. Kirkade, and files the receipt of his said ward properly receipted and acknowledged for the sum of \$547. Being the amount due said minor on final settlement of his estate made February 9th 1904. wherefore it is ordered that said Curator be discharged as to said William E. Kirkade.

In the matter of the estate of } Partial Discharge
John C. Pell, deceased }

Comes now E. M. Foley Jr. administrator of said estate, and files the receipt of Mauda M. Black, one of the distributees of said deceased for the amount due her on final settlement of said estate made August 17th 1903. wherefore it is ordered that said administrator be discharged as to said distributee.

In the matter of the estate of } Final Discharge
Alexander Cray, deceased }

Comes now J. B. Yates administrator with the will annexed of said deceased and files the receipts of all the legatees and distributees of said deceased for the amount due them on final settlement of said estate made at the February Term 1904 of this court. wherefore it is ordered by the Court that said administrator be discharged.

Estate of J. P. Ward, deceased. }

Comes now Minor and Press, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$227 founded on account, notice being waived in writing and affidavit and proof made it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$227 and that it be assigned to the 6th class.

Estate of Thomas R. Lambert deceased.

Comes now H. B. Dilley and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$9.⁰⁰ founded on account. Notice being waived

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in writing and affidavit and proof made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$9.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the 5th class.

Estate of Thomas R. Lambert. dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Come now "Pittsburg Mercantile Company" and present to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$12.¹⁵ founded on account for burial clothing for deceased. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$12.¹⁵ and that it be assigned to Class one.

Estate of B. F. Royston. Deceased. $\frac{3}{4}$

Come now C. M. Lowrey, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$15.¹⁰ founded on account. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$15.¹⁰ and that it be assigned to the sixth class.

Estate of J. M. Drummond deceased. $\frac{3}{4}$

Come now C. A. Calhoun, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$81.⁵⁰ founded on account for burial casket &c. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$81.⁵⁰ and that it be assigned to the first class.

Estate of J. S. Bennett deceased $\frac{3}{4}$

Come now S. C. Bailey and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$86.⁵⁸ founded on a note executed by deceased and S. J. Wilson for \$80.⁰⁰ dated Dec 18th 1891, due in one year at 8% interest from date principal and interest now due \$86.⁵⁸ Notice being waived in writing and affidavit made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of Eighty six Dollars and fifty eight cents and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

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In the matter of the estate of } Final settlement & discharge
Russell E. Mueller, a minor }

Came now Philip M. Mueller, curator of said minor and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement said Russell E. Mueller having attained his legal majority, and now comes said ward and in open court waives the service of an exhibit and notice of said settlement and enters his appearance whereupon said settlement is taken up and considered by the Court and is by the Court approved, and ordered recorded, and said ward having receipted his said curator for all money and property due him as shown by said settlement, and for all other property due him from his said curator It is therefore ordered that said Curator be discharged as to his ward the said Russell E. Mueller.

In the matter of the estate of }
William Lake, deceased }

Came now Bayd Dudley and J. A. Selby, attorneys for the contestants in the cause of Erow M. Lake, and Mary J. McGary, joined by her husband Rufus M. McGary, plaintiffs, against George W. Lake, and Teressa Lake, defendants, and moves the Court to grant letters of administration pendente lite, to some suitable person upon the estate of said William Lake, deceased for the reason that the validity of the last will and testament of said deceased is now being contested in the Circuit Court of Daviess County Missouri. It is therefore ordered by the Court that Elijah M. Foley Jr. be and he is hereby appointed administrator pendente lite, of the estate of said deceased, and that as such administrator he is required to enter into bond to the state of Missouri in the sum of Three Thousand Dollars with two or more securities to be approved by the Court, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties according to law. And now comes said Elijah M. Foley Jr. and files said bond in said sum of Three Thousand Dollars conditioned as the law directs, with Bayd Dudley, E. D. Mann and John W. Meade as securities thereon which said bond is by the Court approved.

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In the matter of the guardianship
of Ruth Lamb, minor heir of } appointment of Guardians
Harriet E. Lamb, deceased, and
Charles Lamb.

Now comes Joshua Rhoads, and represents and shows to the Court that he is a resident of Daviess County Missouri, and is the Grand Father of Ruth Lamb, and that his wife Margaret D. Rhoads, is the Grand Mother of said Ruth Lamb. That the said Ruth Lamb is the minor daughter of Charles Lamb and Harriet E. Lamb, and that the said Harriet E. Lamb, the mother of said Ruth died on or about April 3rd 1901. That said minor is now but little over three years of age, and has her domicile with her said grand parents in Daviess County Missouri. He further represents and shows to the Court that Charles Lamb, the father of said minor is unfit for the duties of guardianship for the reason that said Charles Lamb is reckless and improvident and has failed to provide for the support and maintenance of said minor. That he has no property with which to give said minor the advantages which she should have as she grows to womanhood. That he has no wife or home to which he could take said minor, and no person who could properly care for a child of such tender years. That he is a man of bad habits, and is intemperate and drinks to excess. Said petitioner therefore prays that the Court appoint a suitable person to act as the guardian of said minor. And it appearing to the Court that said Charles Lamb has had due and legal notice of the pendency of this proceeding as appears by the return of the Service of notice of the same by J. D. Jennings, Sheriff of Gentry County Missouri, showing that said notice was served upon said Charles Lamb April 7th 1904 thereby giving said Charles Lamb more than ten days notice of said proceedings before the present term of this Court. And the Court having heard said petition and the evidence in support thereof finds that the said Charles Lamb is unfit and incompetent for the duties of guardianship of the said Ruth Lamb. It is therefore ordered and adjudged by the Court that the said Charles Lamb be and he is hereby adjudged incompetent

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and unfit for the duties of guardianship of said minor Ruth Lamb, and that the care, custody and controul of said minor be taken from the said Charles Lamb.

And it is further ordered that Joshua Rhoades the grand father of said minor be and he is hereby appointed guardian of the person of said minor and before entering on his duties as such guardian, that he enter into bond to the state of Missouri for the use of said minor in the sum of One hundred Dollars, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties according to law.

And now comes said Joshua Rhoades, and files herein his bond in said sum of One hundred Dollars, with Charles A. Nixon, and J. A. Martin, as securities thereon which said bond is by the Court approved, and said guardian is ordered to enter upon the discharge of his duties.

In the matter of the estate of }
George E. Ashbrook Etal. }

Ordered that the fifth annual settlement this day filed by J. M. Keup curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of }
Jennie E. Baker, a minor }

Ordered that the third annual settlement this day filed by Charles H. Baker curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of } Final settlement, Distribution and
Margaret Provins decd. } discharge

Comes now T. P. Cline, Executor of the last will and testament of Margaret Provins, deceased, and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement, and it appearing that notice of said settlement has been published as required by law: That all the debts due and owing by said estate have been fully paid it is therefore ordered that said settlement be approved and recorded, and that the balance remaining in the hands of said Executor to-wit: the sum of \$631³³ be distributed to the legates of said deceased as provided by the last will and testament of said

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deceased as follows viz:

To Harvey S. Dunn the sum of	\$210.45
" Laura Mann Dunn " "	210.44
" Mrs. Maggie Laidley (formerly Maggie Dunn)	210.44

And now comes said Executor P. P. Clive and files the receipts of said above described legates for the sums due each of them respectively, and said estate being fully administered in accordance with the will of said deceased, said Executor is hereby discharged.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
Malinda M. Butler Etal. $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the third annual settlement this day filed by Archie S. Goutney, guardian and curator of said minors be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the Estate of $\frac{3}{3}$ Continued to Nov Term 1904.
Forest W. Blackburn Etal. $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the settlement this day due from W. E. Blackburn, Curator of said minors be continued to the November term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
Helen and Edward Barlow, minors $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Mrs. Rosa Barlow, Curator of said minors be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the Estate of $\frac{3}{3}$
Lew E. Curtis - deceased $\frac{3}{3}$

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by Laura J. Curtis, Executor of said deceased be approved and recorded.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock

Thomas R. Shaw
Judge

May Term Tuesday - May 10th 1904.

Court met pursuant to adjournment. present Thomas R Shaw Judge. and R.D. McCreary Sheriff when the following proceedings were had to-wit:

Estate of George Gotschall. dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Comes now W. J. Gillelan, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$4.15 founded on account, notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$4.15 and that it be assigned to the sixth class.

Estate of Mary Steffler. dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Comes now Clark Bros. and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$57.⁶⁰ founded on account for funeral expenses basket &c. Notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$57.⁶⁰ and that it be assigned to the first class.

Estate of George Gotschall. dec'd $\frac{3}{4}$

Comes now C. T. Rayston, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$7.⁰⁰ founded on account. Notice being waived in open Court, and affidavit and proof made. It is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$7.⁰⁰ and that it be assigned to the sixth class.

In the matter of the estate of $\frac{3}{4}$ Order on State Auditor George W. Walls - deceased. $\frac{3}{4}$

Comes now Myrtle Fergusson (nee Myrtle Walls) and represents and shews to the Court that she is a legatee and distributee of the Estate of George W. Walls. deceased final settlement of said estate and distribution and payment of legacies therein was ordered on the 14th day of May 1901. by this Court. That it appears in and by said order that petitioner is entitled to \$24.²⁸ as her distributive share and legacy. That said

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petitioners brother Franklin Wells (now deceased) was also a legatee of the estate of said George W. Wells deceased, and on said final settlement of said estate made as aforesaid was entitled to \$24⁷⁸ as his legacy and distributive share. Said petitioner further shows to the Court that she nor her brother Franklin Wells did not make claim to said money or legacy during the first year after the date of said order, and therefore by an order of this Court said money was paid into the treasury of the State of Missouri, where the same now remains: that since the date of said order of distribution, and since the payment of said money into the State treasury, the said Franklin Wells has departed this life, leaving said petitioner as his sole heir, and therefore entitled to his distributive share of the estate of said George W. Wells, as aforesaid. Wherefore she prays the Court to grant her a certificate under its seal certifying that she is entitled to said money as distributee of said George W. Wells in her own right, and to the money due the said Franklin Wells deceased as his sole heir. And it appearing to the Court that a copy of said petition has been duly served upon John A. Leopart prosecuting attorney of Dancos County, and said prosecuting attorney having filed his answer thereto And the Court having heard said petition and answer and the evidence in support thereof is satisfied that said Myrtle Ferguson is entitled to said sum of \$24⁷⁸ in her own right, and to said sum of \$24⁷⁸ due the said Franklin Wells, deceased as his sole heir and as distributee of George W. Wells deceased, as shown by the records of this Court. It is therefore ordered by the Court that the State Auditor be and he is hereby ordered and directed to issue his warrant on the State Treasurer for the sum of \$48.⁵⁶ payable to said Myrtle Ferguson (nee Wells).

Estate of John Nichols Sr. deceased

Came now Samuel Nichols Sr. and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$227.⁷⁴ founded on two notes executed by deceased, as follows: One for \$40.⁰⁰ dated Feby 27th 1895, due in twelve months, with eight per cent interest from date, principal and interest now due \$80.⁵³. One note for \$100.⁰⁰ dated April

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11th 1899, due in twelve months, with eight per cent interest from date, principal and interest now due, \$147.2¹ total of both notes \$227.74 Notice being taken in open Court, and affidavit made, it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$227.74 and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

In the matter of the estate of }
William M Matchett, and } Order of sale of Real Estate
James D. Matchett, minors }

On this day comes Charles A. Scott, curator of the estate of said minors, and files his petition for the sale of real estate of said minors, setting forth that said minors are the owners of an undivided one fourth interest in and to the North West quarter of the South East quarter of section twenty (20) and ninety rods off of the North East quarter of the South West quarter of section (20), twenty described as follows: Beginning at the North East corner of the South West quarter of section 20, running thence west three rods, along the line dividing the South West quarter from the North West quarter, thence south 30 rods; thence east 3 rods; thence North to place of beginning, all in Township 59, and Range 28, in Daviess County Missouri. Petitioner further states that there are no improvements of any value on the above described lands, that the fencing is insufficient to protect the same, and that he has no funds belonging to said minors to repair the same, that said real estate has been in the hands of tenants for many years, with no care or improvement of the same, that the interest of said minors is small being an undivided one fourth, the other three fourths belonging to three other parties all of whom are of age and who are about to convey their interest to one Flint Red, that the interest of these wards in said real estate is now worth \$275.00 and petitioner believes that it would be greatly to the interest of his wards, to sell their interest in said lands, and place the proceeds thereof at interest on good real estate or personal security. And the Court having heard the petition of said curator and the evidence in relation thereto is satisfied that said order should be granted. It is therefore ordered

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by the Court. that said curator be, and he is hereby authorized and empowered to sell the said real estate at private sale (first having had the same appraised according to law) on the following terms to-wit: Cash in hand, and that said curator report said sale and his proceedings therein to this Court at the next term thereof.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~
Edith V. Carter - a minor ~~3~~

Ordered that the first annual settlement this day filed by James J. C. Carter, Curator of said minor be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~ Continued
Anna E. Davis, deceased ~~3~~

Ordered that the settlement this day due from John W. Meade, Executor of the last will and testament of said deceased be continued to the August term 1904 for final settlement.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~ Continued
Lindia C. Dowell, Deceased ~~3~~

Ordered that the settlement this day due from William Dowell, Executor of said deceased be continued to the August term 1904, for final settlement.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~ Continued
William B. Eads - a minor ~~3~~

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Louie J. McClure guardian and Curator be continued to the August term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~ Continued
Thomas J. Fitch - a minor ~~3~~

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Joseph F. Fitch, Curator of said minor be continued to the November term 1904 for final settlement.

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In the matter of the estate of ~~Ray C. Gaines~~
Ray C. Gaines. Etal - minors

Ordered that the fourth annual settlement this day filed by R. E. L. Gaines, Curator of said minors be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of ~~Ann B. Godman~~ Continued
Ann B. Godman - minor

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Perry A. Godman, Curator of said minor be continued to the August term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of ~~James Guy~~ Final settlement & Discharge
James Guy - deceased

Comes now Ann F. Guy, administratrix of said deceased and presents her accounts and vouchers for final settlement. And it appearing to the Court that notice of said settlement has been published as required by law, that all the debts due and owing by said deceased have been paid as far as the assets will extend, and that said estate has been otherwise fully administered. It is therefore ordered that said settlement be approved and recorded and said administratrix discharged.

In the matter of the estate of ~~George Gotschall~~ Final Settlement.
George Gotschall, deceased

Comes now Edl Smith Executor of said deceased and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement. and it appearing that notice of said settlement has been published according to law: that all the debts owing by said estate have been fully paid, and said estate fully administered in pursuance of the provisions of the will of said deceased: it is therefore ordered that said settlement be and same is approved and the balance of \$40.⁰⁰ remaining in the hands of said Executor he is ordered to pay to Almira Gotschall widow of said deceased as provided by said will, and on filing her receipt therefor that he be discharged.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock
Thomas A. Shaw
Judge

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Court met pursuant to adjournment, present Thomas R. Shaw - Judge, and R. D. McCray, where the following proceedings were had to wit:

Estate of J. D. Bennett, deceased.

Comes now the "Columbus Hay and Cattle powder Co" and present to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand for \$22.50 founded on account, notice being waived in writing, and affidavit and proof made it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

In the matter of the estate of ~~J~~ appointment of administrator, Eliza P. Richardson, deceased.

Comes now Robert F. Richardson, and makes application for letters of administration on the estate of Eliza P. Richardson deceased, who died intestate in Daviess County Missouri, April 2nd 1904, having at the time of his death, property in this state of the probable value of One thousand Dollars. And said Robert F. Richardson being a distributee of said Estate, and a suitable and competent person for such trust, it is ordered that he be and is hereby appointed administrator of said estate, and before entering on the duties of his office he is required to enter into bond to the state of Missouri, in the sum of Two thousand Dollars with two or more securities to be approved by the Court, conditioned for the faithful discharge of his duties according to law; And now comes said Robert F. Richardson, and files herein his bond in said sum of Two thousand Dollars, with J. R. Eads, O. M. Thompson, and W. D. Minnick as securities thereon which said bond is by the Court approved. It is further ordered that J. D. Brookshire, and E. J. Dungan be and they are appointed witnesses to assist said administrator in making an inventory of said Estate.

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Estate of J. M. McGary - deceased.

Comes now the First National Bank of Hamilton Missouri, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate for \$227.³⁵, founded on two notes as follows: One note for \$78.⁰⁰ dated August 6th 1902. due in six months with eight per cent interest from maturity, and signed by J. M. McGary. One note for \$254.⁶⁷ dated September 8th 1902. due July 8th 1903. credited January 11th 1904 \$10.¹⁹ paid as interest on one half to July 8th 1904. and also credited July 11th 1904. with \$127.³⁴ making \$222.⁹⁵ principal and interest to July 13th 1904. with interest on same to this date. Notice being waived in writing and affidavit made. it is ordered that \$227.³⁵ be allowed on said demand and that it be assigned to the fifth class.

Estate of Thomas M. Mallory dec'd

Comes now J. J. Patton, and presents to the Court for allowance against said estate a demand founded on a note executed by deceased for \$25.⁰⁰ Dated March 11th 1904. due in ... bearing eight per cent interest from date Principal and interest now due \$29.⁵⁵ notice being waived in writing, and affidavit made. it is ordered that said demand be allowed against said estate in said sum of \$29.⁵⁵ and that it be assigned to the sixth class.

In the matter of the estate of Samuel Herschberger, Insane ³ Rept filed Administration ³ suspended.

Comes now D. M. Best, guardian of said Samuel Herschberger, and files the receipt of J. B. Prosper for the sum of \$40.⁵⁰ as per order of this Court made at its May term 1903. and on the 13th day of May 1903. wherefore in pursuance of said order, the further administration of said estate is suspended.

In the matter of the estate of Harry A. Horn - a minor

Ordered that the fourth annual settlement this day filed by L. T. Dale, curator of the estate of said Harry A. Horn, be approved and recorded.

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In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~ Final settlement & Discharge
James H. Houston. dec'd ~~3~~

Came now Josephus Hoskins, administrator of said estate and presents his accounts and vouchers for final settlement, and it appearing to the Court that notice of said settlement has been published as required by law, that all the debts owing by said estate have been fully paid, and satisfied, it is therefore ordered that said settlement be approved and recorded, and that the balance remaining in the hands of said administrator of \$562.¹⁷ be distributed to William Houston and Ira Hoskins the heirs of said deceased in equal parts, and now came said administrator and files herein the receipts of said William Houston and Ira Hoskins for the sum each of \$239.⁰⁰ and said estate being fully administered it is ordered that said administrator be discharged.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~
William H. Hartman - Insane ~~3~~

Ordered that the second annual settlement this day filed by Adam A. Hartman, guardian of said insane person, be approved and recorded.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~ Continuance
Philip Hess. deceased. ~~3~~

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Margaret Hess, administratrix of said deceased be continued to the August term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~ Continued
Grace M & C. P. Hamel. minors ~~3~~

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Eddie Hamel, curator of said minors be continued to August term 1904.

In the matter of the estate of ~~3~~ Continuance
John Jackson Insane ~~3~~

Ordered that the settlement this day due from Philip Jackson guardian of said Insane person be continued to August term 1904.

Ordered that Court adjourn until tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock
Thomas A. Shaw - Judge