

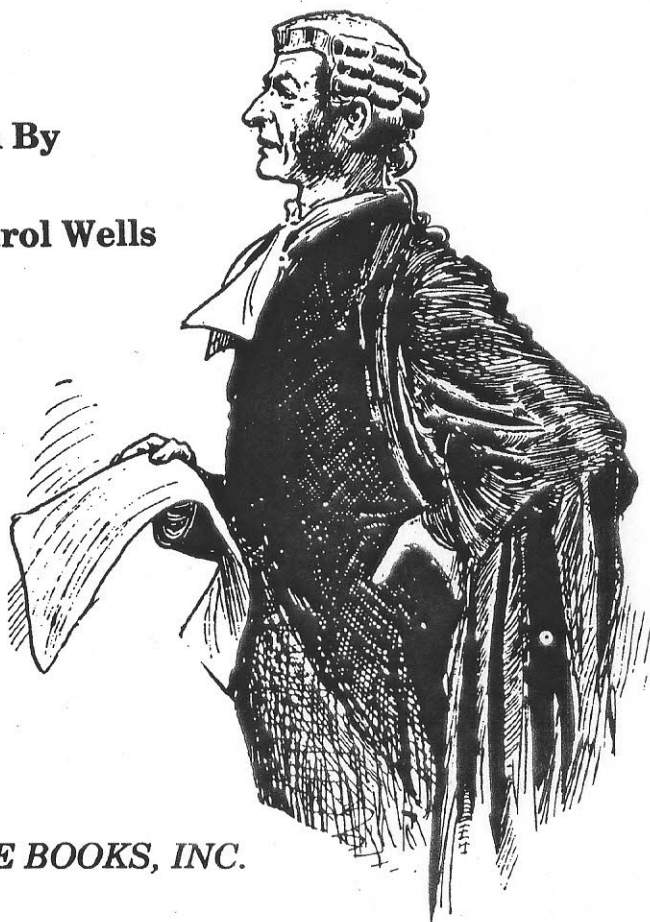
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Dickson County, Tennessee

County and Circuit Court
Minutes, 1816-1828
and Witness Docket

Abstracted By

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HERITAGE BOOKS, INC.

APRIL 1826

Def^t prays appeal; granted. Appearance bond \$500 with Holliway N Merrett, W^m Brasier \$250 each.

p.-- State vs Esom Breeding. A&B. Jury John B Brown, Joseph Larkins, Thomas Medlock, W^m Ward, Elijah Dodson, Ge^o W Highland, Sam^l Russell, Robert Larkins, Allin Bowen, Jn^o B Carr, Pleasant Crews, Moses Lankford, who find def^t guilty; fined \$1 and pay cost

State vs Epps Jackson. A&B. Nole prosequi entered; defendant to pay costs

State vs Jacob Bright. A&B. Jury James Tatom, Plummer Williams, Jo^s B Highland, Ja^s Roberts, Skelton Choate, Absolam Tribble, Ephriam Roy, Josiah Davidson, Hugh McNeely, Wodson Dannel, Charles Jones, Joseph Handlin who find def^t guilty; fined \$1 and pay cost of prosecution

State vs Thomas W Forbes. Defendant made default. State to recover ag^t def^t \$200, amount of his bond, and on motion ag^t his securities unless he makes appearance next court

State vs Thomas Cox & Moses Ellis. Forfeiture. Def^{ts} called to bring Thomas W Forbes on charge of bastardy, came not. State to recover ag^t them \$200 each, amount of their bond

State vs Samuel Petty. Bastardy. Def^t found guilty of begetting a child on Nancy Reding. Samuel Petty and Gabriel Petty bond \$100 each condition s^d bastard should not become chargeable to county. Def^t Samuel Petty and Gabriel Petty assumes to pay support of s^d child: \$40 first year, \$30 second year, \$20 third year, and also cost of prosecution

p.-- Robert and Francis Squires vs Esom Breeding. Pl^{ts} by att^{ys} order suit dismissed. Def^t in proper person to pay all cost.

Christopher Robertson vs Phillip B Noland. Appeal. Def^t in proper person confesses he owes pl^{tf} \$45. Pl^{tf} is to recover \$45 and cost

Hicks & Shearon vs John Mcadoo. Debt. Def^t in proper person confesses judgment for \$64.81 3/4 debt and interest. Pl^{tf} to recover sum and cost

Robert West, Jn^o C Collier, Martin H Burton, Samuel Turner & Rich^d D Sandsom to lay off to Polly Dickson her distributive share of the personal property of late John Dickson dec^d

p.-- Deed Montgomery Bell to Anthony W Vanleer 19 tracts of

State

vs

Samuel Petty

Came to hand

and executed

by H. Myatt

State of Tennessee to any lawfull officer to Execute. We whereas James
Dixon County Redding hath on Examination before us James Eason &
David Smith two acting Justices of said County said that she has a
Child which Child is a bastard and become Chargeable to the County
and that Samuel Petty is the father of said Child These are therefore
to Command you to take the body of him the said Samuel and
bring him before some two Justices of said County to answer
said Charge and further be delt with according to Law in such
Cases given under our hands & seal this 3rd day of January 1826

James Eason JP

D. Smith JP

State of Tennessee The Examination of Nancy Redding Single
Dixon County woman taken before us James Eason & David
Smith two Justices of said County that she has a Child
which Child is a bastard and become Chargeable to the County
and that Samuel Petty is the father of said Child
Sworn to and subscribed before us this 3rd of January 1826

James Eason JP

D. Smith JP

Nancy Redding