

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

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THE STATE OF TEXAS, }  
 County of Dallas. }

TO THE SHERIFF OF DALLAS COUNTY--GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO CITE John W. Record

Record Administrator of the Estate of M. J. Johnson deceased

to be and appear at the next term of the County Court, to be holden at the Court-house in the town of Dallas, on the last Monday in September A. D. 1868, then and there to show cause, if any, why

he should not be required to attend to this Court, as provided by the provisions of the conditions of said estate as regulated by Law

And have you then and there this writ. *Hecum fulfil act, but due return make as required by law.*

Given under my hand, and the Seal of the County Court, this, the 29 day of September A. D. 1868.

S. S. Jones  
 Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, Texas.  
*By J. H. Thomas, C. J.*

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Dallas County—GREETING:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED TO SUMMON

J. W. Record Admin<sup>r</sup> of the Estate of M. J. Johnson deceased  
 to be and appear before the County Court of Dallas County, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the Court House in the town of Dallas, on the ~~first~~ last Monday, the 29 day of November 1869; then and there to answer the Plaintiff's petition, now filed, in a cause pending in said Court, in which

Show Cause if any he has why he should not be required to file an Exhibit in writing of the conditions of said estate Plaintiff, and likewise fulfil not but due return make of this writ as the law directs.

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

Witness, S. S. JONES, Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, and the impress of the Seal thereof hereon made, this 4<sup>th</sup> day of November 1869.

S. S. Jones

Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, Texas.

## The State of Texas.

TO ALL PERSONS interested in the Estate of Mr. Johnson  
W. record administrator of the Estate of Mr. Johnson  
deceased has filed in the District Court of Dallas County  
his annual account Current of said deceased  
Estate which will be heard at the next Term of said Court,  
 commencing on the first Monday in June A.D. 1871, at the Court-House thereof,  
 in the Town of Dallas, at which time all persons interested in The Estate  
 of said Mr. Johnson deceased  
 may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

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

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE SEAL OF SAID COURT  
 at Office in Dallas, this 1<sup>st</sup> day of April,  
 A.D. 1871.

John M. Laws  
 CLERK DISTRICT COURT D. C. T.  
By J. C. Coombs deputy

No 2  
 County Judge  
No 3 Notation  
G W Record, Adm  
 Issued Nov 4<sup>th</sup> 1869

original  
 came to hand same day  
 about 10<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 10<sup>th</sup>  
 1869, by delivering to  
 defendant G. W. Record  
 in pet box a true copy  
 of this writ

A. H. Haggard Sheriff  
by W. J. Brown Deputy  
the 11<sup>th</sup> day  
Notation  
W. J. Brown 100  
120  
220

No 2  
 County Court  
Lo 3 Seign  
Geo. W. Record  
advised Aug 29<sup>th</sup> 1865  
Lat 3<sup>rd</sup> Division of the  
land  
 came to hand the 1<sup>st</sup>  
 day of Sept 1865 and after  
 with G. W. Record  
 a true copy of the  
 within said to the  
 day of Sept 1865.  
 this September 20<sup>th</sup>  
 1865. W. J. Brown  
 Sheriff  
1865  
 Filed Sept 20<sup>th</sup> 1865  
 W. H. Masten  
 clk

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To all persons interested in the Estate of W. J. Johnson Dec'd  
Geo W Record Administrator of the Estate of  
W. J. Johnson Dec'd has filed in the District Court of Dallas County  
his Annual Exhibit in execution of the  
Administration of Said Estate which will be heard at the next Term of said Court,  
commencing on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1872, at the Court House thereof,  
in the Town of Dallas, at which time all persons interested in the Estate  
of said W. J. Johnson Dec'd  
may appear and contest said application, if they see proper.

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

Given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office  
in Dallas, this 8<sup>th</sup> day of May  
A. D. 1872.

John M Laws  
Clerk of the District Court of Dallas County, Texas.  
By J. B. Combes Deputy.

W. J. Johnson Dec'd  
Geo W Record  
Admin of Estate of  
W. J. Johnson Dec'd  
Dec'd April 1871  
Geo W Record's Clerk  
J. B. Combes Dec'd  
Came to hand Sunday  
8<sup>th</sup> & next  
and caused by  
order of the court from  
one copy on the 8<sup>th</sup> day  
of January one copy of  
the same to be given  
to the Town of Dallas  
The County of Dallas  
one copy in the State  
Archives in the Town of  
Austin, Texas April 1871  
J. B. Combes  
Clerk

*Notice*

Geo. W. Meard has filed in my Office his  
Petition Praying for Letters of Administration  
on the Estate of Marshal J. Johnson late of  
Dallas County, dec'd. This is therefore to notify  
all persons interested to come forward at the next  
Term of the County Court, to be holden at the Court  
House in the Town of Dallas on the last Monday  
in January 1866, and contest the same if they  
think proper.

Dallas Jan 11<sup>th</sup> 1866. Geo. W. Laws, C. C. J.

170  
W. W. R. Reed  
Notice of filing  
Saw 3 Paul Cox  
M. J. Johnson dec'd  
Issued J. J. 878  
J. W. Laws C. C. J.  
Rep. J. J. 878

Case to be heard  
by posting a copy of the  
within notice on the  
Court House door  
in Dallas one copy  
on the post office before  
in Dallas one copy  
on the post office  
down in the counties  
they being three of the  
most public places  
in Dallas Co. Tex  
all of the 11<sup>th</sup> of Jan  
1866

Dallas Texas Jan 27<sup>th</sup> 1861  
 State of Texas  
 County of Dallas  
 In County Court, Jan Term 1861  
 To the Hon J. M. Patterson Chief Justice  
 The Undersigned your petitioner would respectfully represent to your Hon. that there is 500  
 lbs of some kind of produce, Tobacco & other articles  
 that are subject to waste, & to be destroyed. The  
 premises considered your petitioner  
 calls for an order of Court, to sell said  
 property for cash in hand, at the Court  
 House in Dallas, on the 9<sup>th</sup> day Feb 1861,  
 and as in duty bound he will ever pray  
 &c,  
 J. M. Patterson

To The Hon. J. M. Patterson Chief Justice &c.

The undersigned your Petitioner  
would respectfully represent to your Honor,  
that Marshal Johnson late of Dallas County  
is deceased, and that he is owing debts, & that  
there is other unsettled business, which it  
will become necessary to settle by an administration  
I therefore ask that Letters of administration  
be granted to the undersigned Petitioner of the  
Estate of said Marshal Johnson at the next  
Term of your Honorable Court, & as in duty  
bound, he will ever pray &c.

Geo. M. Record



G. W. Record Adm'r. of the Estate of M. J. Johnson and  
 In Annual ac Current with said Estate  
 For amt sale Bill 9<sup>th</sup> Feby, 1866 \$ 86.20  
 " " " " 9<sup>th</sup> " 1866 530.58  
 " " " " 2 April 1866 205.00  
 Total amt of sales \$ 821.78

For 1 Treasury Warrant no 1584 dated 8/24/66 \$ 107.50  
 " 1 " " no 1500 " 1/2 1866 70.00  
 Total Appts. \$ 177.50

The undersigned would respectfully represent, that  
 the above sales were made on twelve months  
 credit, and no money has been collected or  
 paid out, the Treasury Warrants are still  
 on hand; and the total amount now due  
 the Estate amounts to \$ 1352.28 cents -

all of which is respectfully submitted,  
 under oath,

G. W. Record Adm'r  
 Subscribed and sworn to  
 before me this 29<sup>th</sup> April 1867

Geo. W. Laws Clerk  
 Rev. W. H. Thomas, Deputy

Pleasantville, Tenn.

Jan. 18. 1887.

J. County Court Clk.

Dallis P.O. County seat of  
Dallis Co. Texas.

Dear Sir: I wish to call your attention to the records of the county Court in the year 1861. or thereabouts requesting you to search carefull, the records of Marshall J. Johnson, and see if you can find out what became of his estate. He was a brother of mine who left Williamson County Tenn. a few years before the war, and went to the state of Texas. (Not remembering the exact date) He accumulated some property in that section, consisting of two town lots situated in Dallis, also a very large number of cattle and other property not mentioned.

I know not whether there was  
ever an administrator appointed  
or not. If you will be likely to  
find him out. If so please  
give me his name & address.

I enclose stamped envelope for  
which you will please reply if  
property is recorded or not.

This is a matter of importance  
and you will please see after it  
& not letting it be known by any  
one until further information.  
And oblige.

Yours truly,  
Martha J. Hughes

The State of Texas } In County Court  
 County of Dallas } March Term 1861.

Now comes Geo. W. Record administrator  
 of the estate of M. J. Johnson deceased  
 and makes this return of a sale bill of  
 the property of the Deed. Made according  
 to an order of the court, at its Feb. Term  
 A.D. 1861. on a 12 months credit

Articles	Purchaser	
1 Deringer Pistol	by Geo. W. Cochran	\$ 1.30
1 Six Shooter "	" " " "	16.25
1 Rifle Gun & Douch	" Ed. C. Boarder	14.75
1 Saddle & Blanket	" Geo. W. Laws	7.50
1 Wagon & Harness	Geo. H. Daniel	53.00
2 Do. Gear	" Chas. Thompson	3.75
1 Mare mule	" Geo. W. Laws	157.00
1 Black Horse	" Geo. W. Record	67.00
1 White Mule	" J. B. Bookman	57.00
1 Yellow Mule	Geo. W. Laws	59.00
1 Brown Mule	L. G. Donatson	106.00
		\$530.55

I Geo. W. Record do hereby certify that the  
 above & foregoing is a true & correct  
 Sale Bill of the property of M. J. Johnson  
 deceased sold on the 9<sup>th</sup> day of Febr 1861.

Geo. W. Record  
 Admin

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of March  
 A.D. 1861 W. Harris Clerk

The State of Texas, } County Court Pertaining to Estates,  
 Dallas County. } *January Term, 1861*

To all to whom these Presents may come--Greeting:

Know Ye, That *I George W. Record,* as  
 principal, and *M. M. Thompson, G. B. Knight & Geo. N. Laws*  
 as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto  
 the Chief Justice of the county of *Dallas* in the sum of  
*Two thousand*  
 Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made unto the said Chief  
 Justice, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and sever-  
 ally, firmly by these presents. Signed with our hands, and sealed with our seals,  
 the seals being scrolls, the *Twenty eighth* day of *January*  
 A. D. 1861.

THE CONDITION OF THE ABOVE OBLIGATION IS SUCH That whereas the above  
 bound *George W. Record* has been appointed  
*Administrator* of the Estate of *Marshal Johnson deceased*

Now, if the said *George W. Record* shall well and truly  
 perform all the duties required of him under said appointment, then this obligation  
 shall be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.

*G. W. Record* SEAL  
*M. M. Thompson* SEAL  
*G. B. Knight* SEAL  
*Geo. N. Laws* SEAL  
 SEAL

THE STATE OF TEXAS, } ss.  
 Dallas County. }

I, *George W. Record* do solemnly swear that  
 I will well and truly perform all the duties devolving upon *me*  
 as ~~guardian~~ administrator of the Estate of *M. J.*  
*Johnson, deceased.*

Sworn to and subscribed before me, *Geo. N. Laws* Clerk of said county, this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of

*January* A. D. 1861, *Geo. N. Laws* Clerk

The State of Texas } Know all men by these  
County of Dallas } presents that I Marshall  
Johnson of the County <sup>of Dallas</sup> and State of Texas for and  
in Consideration of One hundred dollars together  
with the further Considerations hereinafter mentioned  
the said one hundred dollars to me in have paid  
by J. S. Smith, and the receipt whereof is hereby  
acknowledged - have this day and do by these  
presents bargain sell and convey unto John  
M. Laws, in trust for the benefit of the said  
J. S. Smith, the following described Lot, Tract or  
Parcel of Land, situate, lying and being in  
the County of Dallas, and State of Texas, and  
known and designated as being "fractional Lot  
No. 16, and Lot No. 17" in the "W. Caruth & Bro's  
addition to the town of Dallas;" Do have and to  
hold the same, together with all and singular  
the improvements thereon, and all the appurtenances  
thereunto pertaining unto the said John M. Laws  
as trustee aforesaid, in trust for said J. S. Smith -  
And I further warrant and ~~and agree to defend~~  
that I will, and my executors and Administrators  
shall forever warrant & defend the title to said  
above described Lots for the uses herein before  
set forth, against the claim of any and all  
Persons claiming or to claim the same or any  
part thereof, by, through, or under me, or otherwise  
Provided, however, and this conveyance is made  
upon the express agreement that if I, being indebted  
to the said J. S. Smith in the sum of Eighty dollars  
by note bearing date the 15<sup>th</sup> day of April 1860  
due and payable on day after the date thereof  
shall will and truly pay to said J. S. Smith  
the said sum of Eighty dollars together with

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Legal interest thereon, on or before the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October next, then and in that case the above and foregoing deed to be null and void, otherwise should I fail so to pay or cause to be so paid to said Smith said sum of money & interest, on or before said 15<sup>th</sup> Oct 1860. then and in that case the said Laws as trustee as aforesaid shall, after giving thirty days notice, in writing posted up proceed to sell said described lots or tracts of land, on the 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday of some month thereafter at the Court house door in the town of Dallas, to the highest bidder for cash in hand, and the first moneys arising from said sale to be paid over to said Smith for the discharge of said sum of Eighty Dollars & interest, and the remainder if any after discharging said debt to be paid over to me. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and scrawl for seal this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April A.D. 1860

M. J. Johnson

The State of Texas Personally appeared before the County of Dallas undersigned authority M. J. Johnson who is to me well known and acknowledged the execution of the within & foregoing deed of trust to be his own true act and deed for the purposes and considerations therein specified, In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand & official seal at Dallas this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April A.D. 1860.

A. H. Masten C. C. J. J.  
By Geo. W. Laws J. J. C. C.

*W. H. Record, Administrator of the Estate of  
 M. Johnson Deceased  
 In Annual Acct. Current with said Estate*

1865  
 Sept. 24 To Amt. due as per Showing } 1212.43  
 Dated Feb. 20<sup>th</sup> 1864.  
 To Int. on 1000 Warrants }  
 for 1854 & 1855 } 34.50  
 Total Credits } \$1246.93

1865  
 Sept. 24 By Amt. Paid J. Thomas, Va. No. 10, #120.00  
 " " " " " " " " " " " " " " 9.00  
 " " " " " " " " " " " " " " 58.33  
 " " " " " " " " " " " " " " 27.65  
 Total Debits } \$234.98  
 To Amt. paid down to Balance } 1011.95  
\$1246.93

*All of which is Respectfully Submitted  
 Under oath this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1865*

*W. H. Record Adm.*

*Subscribed before me  
 this 24<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1865  
 J. K. Hoastler clk  
 By Jas. P. Thomas Sfty*



*Chas. W. Russell's Share of the Estate of M. J. Russell deceased -*

1861

<i>To Current Account with said Estate</i>		<i>By Cash paid for limited stock</i>	
<i>5/1/61</i>	<i>to Cash Bal. Bk. 200.00</i>		
	<i>do do do 500.00</i>	<i>Cash No 1</i>	<i>206.40</i>
	<i>do do do 200.00</i>	<i>do do 2</i>	<i>19.15</i>
	<i>do do do 800.00</i>	<i>do do 3</i>	<i>15.40</i>
	<i>do do do 400.00</i>	<i>do do 4</i>	<i>12.00</i>
	<i>do do do 50.00</i>	<i>do do 5</i>	<i>1.25</i>
	<i>do do do 1382.25</i>	<i>do do 6</i>	<i>1.00</i>
		<i>do do 7</i>	<i>1.00</i>
		<i>do do 8</i>	<i>2.65</i>
		<i>do do 9</i>	<i>4.63</i>
			<i>139.83</i>
			<i>1382.25</i>
			<i>1382.25</i>

*All of which is my property and independent  
of the estate of M. J. Russell deceased  
Chas. W. Russell*

*Witness my hand and seal this 10th day of Aug 1861  
Chas. W. Russell*

The State of Texas In Court Court  
 County of Dallas 3 April Term 1861  
 To the Hon J. M. Patterson Chief  
 Justice, Sec. Sec. Comes, Clerk Record, Administrator  
 of the Estate of M. Johnson deceased, and appears  
 to the Court, that in accordance with an order  
 granted by the Court, to sell the following Real  
 Estate to wit Lot No 16, fractional Lot, No 17, & a  
 part of Lot No. 9, in 22 Caruth's Bm, addition  
 to the town of Dallas, of

Name of Purchaser,	Town Lots,	Conts
A. W. Morton -	Lot, No. 16, & 1/2	Sold for \$156.00
J. Wigginton	Part of Lot, No. 9	" " 52.00
		\$208.00

The State of Texas I Sec. W. Record Admin  
 County of Dallas of the Estate of M. Johnson  
 deceased do hereby Certify, that the within foregoing  
 is a true & correct sale Bill of the  
 Property belonging to said Estate, and  
 sold by order of the Court, on the 2<sup>nd</sup>  
 day of April 1861,  
 W. Record  
 Admin

Sworn to & Subscribed  
 before me this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of April 1861  
 Geo. W. Laws C. J.

George W Record Administrator of the Estate of Marshal Johnson deceased  
 In Annual account current with said estate -

To Amount of Sale Bill made Feby 25 <sup>th</sup> 1861.	86.20	By amt paid J L Smith note & bill = voucher No 1	86.40
To Amount of Sale Bill made <del>May</del> July 25 <sup>th</sup> "	530.55	By amt paid voucher No 2,	17.15
To Amount of Sale Bill made April 2 <sup>nd</sup> "	208.00	By amt paid voucher No 3,	13.42
To Amount of Cash for Treasury Warrants,	527.50	By amt paid voucher No 4,	10.00
To Amount of Interest on Treasury warrants	54.50	By amt paid voucher No 5,	17.2
	<u>1352.25</u>	By amt paid voucher No 6,	1.00
		By amt paid voucher No 7	1.00
		By amt paid voucher No 8,	2.55
		By amt paid voucher No 9,	4.52
		By amt paid J Thomas voucher No 10	120.00
		By amt paid Jas Cole voucher No 11	9.00
		By amt paid Geo W Record voucher No 12	58.33
		By amt paid Geo W Laws clerk geo voucher No 13,	51.65
		By amt paid Geo W Baird on his note " " 14	50.00
		By amt paid Judgment in favor of M Paterson " 15,	23.53
		By amt of <sup>claims</sup> notes on hand not collected	899.92
			<u>\$ 1352.25</u>

I George W Record Administrator of the Estate of M J Johnson deceased do solemnly swear that the above is a full fair and complete Exhibit of the condition of said estate to the best of my knowledge and belief as help me God,

G W Record  
 Administrator

Sworn to & subscribed before me  
 this 26<sup>th</sup> day of November 1866  
 Jas. P. Thomas Clerk

Geo H Reed's Admrs. M. J. Johnson Deceit in Annual Account Current with said estate

To cash sale bill July 25 <sup>th</sup> 1864	\$ 86. 20
" " " Mar. 25 <sup>th</sup> 1864	530. 65-
" " " April 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1864	208. 00
" " Cash Confederate money on Treasury warrants.	527. 50
	<u>\$1352. 35-</u>

By amt paid as per vouchers 1 to 15 inclusive	\$452. 33
" " " & H Reed's Confederate money in December 1864 on note against said estate & per vouchers 16.	157. 31
" " 3 <sup>rd</sup> self for fifteen days extra services in gathering debts & other profits at \$2 <sup>00</sup> per day Confederate money.	30. 00
" " Commission on receiving	\$62. 50
at 5 per cent.	48. 12
" " Commission in paying out \$639 <sup>43</sup>	
at 5 per cent.	31. 97
" " Confederate money & Cash notes on hand - Confederate money. \$242. 88	
Cash notes. 387. 74	632. 62
	<u>\$1352. 35</u>

State of Texas  
Dallas County  
New Court Geo H Reed's admrs. & says that the above is a full & fair & correct exhibit of the condition of the estate of his decedent. He says the \$242<sup>88</sup> Confederate money on hand is the balance that he received on the sale of Treasury warrants in his hands. He says that said warrants at the date of this sale was not as valuable as Confederate money and the sale was, he thought for the benefit of said estate that he paid out all said money that he could. sworn to & subscribed this 25<sup>th</sup> day of April A.D. 1868.  
G. W. Record  
J. P. Jones Clk. co. et. de. Tex.

Geo. W. Record, Adm<sup>r</sup> of the Estate of  
M. J. Johnson De<sup>d</sup> -

In Probate Court - Jan'y Term 1870 -

To the Hon. A. Pleasor, Judge & Co -  
The undersigned Adm<sup>r</sup>, would respectfully  
represent to your Honor - that he has not  
received or paid out anything for said  
Estate - & that there is no change in said  
Estate since his last Annual Exhibit -  
And respectfully asks, that this be received  
as his Annual Exhibit - for the present year -  
And as in duty bound will ever  
Pray & Co - Geo. W. Record

Sworn to & Subscribed before  
me this 31<sup>st</sup> day of Jan'y 1870  
J. Jones  
clerk of the Court

A. Pleasor

G. W. Record Adm<sup>r</sup> of estate of M. J. Johnson (decd) in annual account current with said Estate.

No account sale bill Feb <sup>y</sup> 25 <sup>th</sup> 1864	86.20	By Cash paid as per vouchers from 1 to 15 inclusive	452.33
" " " " Mar 25 <sup>th</sup> 1864	530.65	" " " by G. W. Record Confederate money in	
" " " " April 2 <sup>nd</sup> 1864	208.00	December 1864 on note against said	
" " Confederate money received		estate as per vouchers 16.	157.51
for procuring warrants.	527.50	" " " Self for fifteen days extra services	
	<u>\$1352.35</u>	in gathering mules & other property	
		at \$2.00 per day Confederate money	30.00
		" " Commission on receiving \$962.50	
		at five per cent.	48.12
		" " Commission on paying out 639.53	
		at five per cent.	31.97
		" " Confederate money on hand.	242.85
		" " Cash notes on hand.	241.69
		" " " (49) on hand.	148.05
			<u>\$1352.35</u>

State of Texas

Wallas County I now certify G. W. Record administrator of the estate of M. J. Johnson (decd) & says that the above and foregoing is a full and fair & correct exhibit of the condition of the estate of his decedent, except a small amount paid for taxes, the amount he does not now remember, which is not embraced in the above account. Sworn to, and subscribed this the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January A. D. 1871.

G. W. Record Adm<sup>r</sup>

Sworn to and subscribed before

me this 25<sup>th</sup> January 1871

J. M. Laws Clerk

By J. E. Crook Deputy

L. M. Record, Adm. of estate of M. J. J.

To Cash	July 25 <sup>th</sup> 1861.	86. 20.
" "	" March 25 <sup>th</sup> 1861.	530. 65.
" "	" April 2 <sup>o</sup> 1861.	208. 00.
" "	Confederate money received for various amounts.	527. 50
		<hr/> 1352. 35

The State of Texas  
 Dallas County } sworn to by L. M. Record, adm. of  
 above and foregoing is a full and fair receipt of his  
 except a small amount paid for taxes. This and he do  
 the above certify. Sworn to and subscribed before

Johnson, David, in annual acct with sd estate.

By amt paid as per vouchers from	
1 to 25 in alimony,	252. 35
" " " I. W. Record Confederate	
money in Dec 1864 on note	
against sd estate on per	
voucher no 16.	157. 31.
" " Self for fifteen day extra	
board in gathering mules	
other property, at day in	
Confederate money.	30. 00
" " Commission on receiving	
\$962. 50, at 5 per cent	48. 12 1/2
" " Commission on paying	
out \$639. 50, at 5 per cent.	31. 97 1/2
" " " Confederate money on hand,	242. 88.
" " " Cash notes on hand	241. 68
" " " " (S. B.) on hand	148. 05 -
	<u>\$1352. 35</u>

The estate of My G. Johnson, David, and says that the  
 list of the condition of the estate of his in estate, 4 -  
 as and over same when, which is not included in  
 in and, this 25th day of Dec, 1872.

Sworn to & Subscribed 26th Record  
 before Me this 8th day  
 Feb 1872 I M. Laws cler



The State of Texas In County Court  
County of Dallas Feb Term 1861,

To the Honorable J. W. Patterson Chief  
Justice, etc.,

I have the honor to acknowledge your petition  
received respectfully represent to your Honor & say  
that he has been regularly appointed Administrator  
of the Estate of Marshall J. Johnson deceased,  
& that there is one standing claim against said  
decedent's estate to the probable amount of about  
Six or Seven Hundred dollars; & would respectfully  
represent to your Honor, that it is necessary for the payment  
of said liability to sell all the perishable property  
belonging to said estate; & would respectfully call  
for an Order of Court, to sell four Mules & one Horse  
one weapon, Rifle Gun Pistol & all other  
perishable property belonging to said estate, on a credit  
of 12 months at the Court House door in the town  
of Dallas, on the 9 day of ~~March~~ <sup>April</sup> 1861

Your petition would further represent to your Honor,  
that it will be necessary to sell the following to wit a  
parcel of land, to wit, it being a part of Section 9, in  
T. 36 North R. 13 West, Addition to the town of Dallas,  
a description of which is given is made to Book 11, Page  
148, of Dallas County Record of Deeds, &c.  
And would respectfully call for an Order of Court  
to sell the above described land on the 1st day of April  
1861, on a credit of 12 months, at the Court House  
door in the town of Dallas,

All of which is respectfully submitted under  
Oath, this 28 day of February A. D. 1861

Seen to this order to be on the 28th of  
February 1861  
Geo. T. Davis Clerk

J. W. Patterson  
Administrator

The State of Texas ) In County Court  
 County of Dallas ) 4th Term Oct 1841,

vs The Hon of M Pattersons Chief Justice  
 of Dallas County, Now Comes Geo W Record, Admin-  
 istrator of the Estate of Marshal of John W. ...  
 & presents to the Court, that in accordance with  
 an Order heretofore granted by this Court, he proce-  
 ded to sell at the Court House door, the following  
 property belonging to said estate, to-wit:

Name of Purchaser,	Articles	Amts	
E. Pettit	25 Apple Trees,	7/4	1 81/4
Geo W Laws	25 " "	8/2	2 15/2
E. Pettit	25 " "	7	1 75
W. A. Gold	25 " "	7	1 75
Sam M Burford	16 " "	7/2	1 20c
Geo W Laws	25 " "	10	2 50
W. M. Cochran	25 " "	11	2 75
Geo W Laws	25 " "	11/2	2 87/2
" " "	25 " "	15	3 25
Sam M Burford	25 " "	12/2	3 12/2
Geo W Laws	25 " "	11/2	2 87/2
" " "	25 " "	11 3/4	2 93 3/4
Sam M Burford	25 " "	11/2	2 87 1/2
Geo W Laws	25 " "	12 3/4	3 06 3/4
Harris	35 " "	11 1/2	2 87 1/2
Sam M Burford	25 " "	10 1/4	2 56 1/4
" " "	35 " "	10 3/4	2 56 3/4
J. M. Laws	25 " "	7/2	2 37 1/2
J. J. Carrins	25 " "	16	4 00
W. H. Hughes	25 " "	11 1/4	2 81 1/4
" " "	25 " "	10 1/2	2 62 1/2
J. M. Laws	25 " "	13 1/2	3 37 1/2

And forward,

Act. M. Burford	25 Apples Trees,	11	2 75
J. M. Laws	25 " "	11	2 75
M. M. Thompson	16 " "	14	2 34
Act. M. Burford	25 " "	10	2 30
G. W. Knight	25 " "	11	2 75
Geo. W. Laws	1 Pine Bush	10	10
Joseph McCommel	1 " "	25	25
Joseph Griffin	1 " "	20	20
J. M. Laws	1 " "	12 1/2	12 1/2
Geo. W. Laws	2 " "	9	18
H. H. Hughes	1 Bushel Small Peaches		2 65
Geo. W. Laws	1 " " "		2 70
H. H. Hughes	1 " " "		2 65
" " "	1 " " "		2 75 1/2
John Horton	Balance of Peaches,		1 50
H. H. Hughes	1 Bell		30
John S. Smith	Set of Tobacco		1 80
			<u>486 70</u>

The State of Texas  
 County of Dallas  
 I Geo. W. Record Adm<sup>r</sup> of the  
 Estate of J. J. Johnson, dec'd, do hereby certify  
 that the within foregoing is a true and  
 correct sale Bill of the property, belonging  
 to said Estate, & sold, by Order of Court,  
 on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of July 1861.

G. W. Record  
 Administrator

Seen & Subscribed  
 before me this 25<sup>th</sup> day of July  
 1861 Geo. W. Laws Adm<sup>r</sup>

*Inventory & Appraisement of the Estate of  
Marshall Johnson dec'd.*

1 Town Lot, fractional lot, in County of Bos,	}	200.00
addition to Dallas No. 87 June, 1862.		
1 Town Lot in County of Bos, addition	}	20.00
No. in Block 9		
1 Black Horse		55.00
1 A Mare Mule		100.00
1 Bay Horse Mule		75.00
1 Yellow " Mule		65.00
1 Gray " Mule		40.00
1 Cow Horse Wagon & Harness		50.00
3 Bushels Dist. Prachus @ 3.00		9.00
1 Pistol "S. Shooter" & Case		10.00
1 Saddle		8.00
1 Rifle Gun		10.00
Lot of Tobacco, Sundries		2.50
500 Appl. Ins.		50.00
		<u>694.50</u>

The State of Texas } Personally appeared before  
County of Dallas } the undersigned Authority,  
W. H. Hughes, C. B. Knight & Joseph Turner, Appraisers  
appointed by the County Court, of said County, at its  
January Term of said Court, and being duly  
sworn say upon oath, that the above is a true  
and correct Inventory & appraisement of all  
the property belonging to the Estate of M. Johnson  
dec'd, so far as the same has been shown to  
them by the Administrator,

W. H. Hughes  
C. B. Knight  
Joseph Turner

Sworn to & subscribed before  
me this 5th day of Jan'y 1861,  
Geo. W. Law, Clerk,

The State of Texas Personally appeared before  
 the undersigned Authority, Geo. W. Reed Esq.,  
 of the Estate of Johnston dec'd and being duly  
 sworn says upon his oath, that the within and  
 foregoing Inventory & appraisement of the Estate of  
 said decedent, contains a full & complete statement  
 of all the property belonging to said Estate so far as the  
 same has come to his hands or knowledge —

Geo. W. Reed

Sworn to & Subscribed  
 before me this 29<sup>th</sup> day of Jan'y 1861  
 Geo. P. Lewis Clerk,