## **Excerpts From Rutherford County Tennessee Probate Records**

- Book 2 Pg. 68 Estate of James McFerrin Inventory of Sales rec'd. 12 Jan. 1809. Purchasers: John Gillespie, James Gillespie, James, John, Samuel, Mary & William McFerrin.
- Pg. 230 Inventory of John Thompson Demand Notes Apr. 1 1813: **Daniel Potts \$2.76 Robert Potts \$1.50** recorded 8 Nov. 1813 in probate record.
- Pg. 255 Estate of James Espey 24 Nov. 1813 Note on John Winsett for \$24.75. Estate sale purchasers: Thomas Whitsett, Joseph Whitsett.
- Pg. 284 Estate of William Knox. Joseph Beleu & Margaret Knox administrators. Purchasers: Jas. Beleu 1 saddle \$7.25, Joseph Beleu 1 razor \$1.16 1/4.
- Book 3 Pg. 71 & 72 Estate of James Walker sale. Purchasers: **Auswell Potts** one bell \$1.40, **William Potts** one curry comb \$.25 one pan wood car\_ \$.76 one iron kettle \$5.21, Thomas Potts one bottle \$?, one tin bucket \$1.50.
- Pg. 81 Joseph Bellew(Bilyeu), adm. Est. of William Knox inventory returns to Jan 1816 session.
- Pg. 91 & 170" " " " " " " " " 1816 " . Additions to earlier returns and judgements. Purchasers: Joseph Bilyeu 1 saddle \$7.25 1 razor \$1 6/4.
- pg. 191 Inventory of Thomas Washington dec'd. Accounts to Dec. 1818 term: **Danl. Potts** \$2.00 William Winsett \$?.
- Pg. 195 Estate of William Ranson Sales recorded 31 July 1816. Purchasers: **Thomas Potts** 1 smoothing iron \$1.62 1/2, **Abner Potts** 1 saddle \$10.00.
- Book 4 Pg. 83 Settlement of the Estate of Jane Laughlin 17 Apr. 1817. Heirs: Richard Stephens, William McFerrin.
- Pg. 132 Sales of the Estate of William Heiflin returned to Mar. term 1818. Purchasers: **Abner Potts** on churn \$.56.
- Pg. 154 Sales of the Estate of William Gable 8 Apr. 1818. Purchasers: David Belew.
- Pg. 191 Accounts on the books of Thomas Washington dec'd. December term 1818: William Winsett \$1.75 **Danl. Potts** \$2.00
- Pg. 264 Estate of Thomas Erasly? or Grasly? sale 6 & 7 June 1820. Purchasers: **William Potts** 1 spinning wheel & canvas, 1 pot, 1 pr. saddle bag, 1 pr. spurs, Total \$7.75.
- Pg. 269 Estate of Isaac Renshaw 22 Sept. 1818 Received of Joseph Balleu \$.12 1/2.
- Book 5 General Record Pg. ? Estate of Isaac Renshaw. Accounts on David Balleu \$.12 1/2,

Joseph Balleu \$.12 1/2, Burton L. McFerrin \$.12 1/2, William McFerrin \$.12 1/2. March Term 1819.

Pg. ? Estate of David Jones returns to June term 1819. Sale Mar. 31, 1819, buyers: John Gillespie 2 hoes \$.27 1/2, **Robert Potts** 2 chizzels \$.62 1/2, 1 kettle \$2.00, 1 pail \$.12 1/2, 1 cow & calf \$22.43 3/4, 1 spur \$6 1/4, 1 bedstead \$2.00, 1 stack of fodder \$5.50. Amos Winsett 1 umbrella \$2.56 1/4. Willie Winsett \$5.18 3/4, 1 heifer \$5. 87 1/2.

Pg. 89? Commissioners appt. by James Washington executor of est. of Thomas Washington - George W. Oliver, JP, James Sharp, JP, **Abner Potts**, JP. 28th Dec. 1820. Recorded May 1821.

Pg. 140? Sales of Estate of David Jones. Expenses to **Stringer Potts** \$3.00, Daniel Potts \$1.75. June term 1821.

Pg. 276 Inventory of sales for the Estate of John Kirk 19 Nov. 1822. John Bellah 1 Brashear plow \$4.62 1/2. Other purchasers were Henry Norman & Isaac Jetton.

Pg. 279 Account of sales of the estate of William Henderson 21 & 22 Nov. 1822. Purchasers John Bellah 1 Falling hoe \$1.31 1/4, 1 Falling axe \$1.25, Samual Bellah 1 Red Steer \$14.25. Notes due the estate - Samuel Bellah's account doubtful \$.75. Recorded 12 Mar. 1823.

Pg. 307 Inventory of property, goods, etc. of the estate of Joseph Morton, 19 Apr. 1823. Notes taken on account of perishable items 10 & 11 Feb. 1823. **Stringer Potts** \$27.74, **Daniel Potts** \$13.87, John Reed \$14.60.

Pg. 309 Sale of property for the William Henderson estate 20 Feb. 1823. Moses Bellah 1 bell \$.37 1/2 and several bags total \$4.57, 1 wagon cloth \$3.87.

Pg. 312 **John & Daniel Potts** & Audey Homes were in charge of providing the widow's years provisions from the estate of John Manning.

Book 6 Pg. 13 Inventory & Account of sales for the Estate of James G. Laughlin, 27th Nov. 1823. Joseph Ballew bought one pair of steelyards for \$4.25.

Pg. 59 Will of Nathan Baker. Left entire estate to wife Elizabeth & named her as executor. Dated 10 Sept. 1824, proven in court Nov. 5, 1824.

Pg. 77 Est. of David Ledbetter Inv. & Account of Sales Jan. term 1825. Purchasers:

**Daniel Potts** 5 sheep 6th choice for \$6.00

Pg. 108 & 109 Est. of Abraham Prein Inv. & Acct. of Sales Apr. term 1825. Purchasers: **William Potts** 1 pr. pot hooks \$.56 1/4. **Stringer Potts** 2 weeding hoes \$.73, 1 sorrel mare \$70.06 1/4. William H. Ballew 1 stack of oats \$2.60, 1 large hogshead \$1.12 1/2.

Pg. 121 Will of Andrew Freeman.7 Apr. 1825. Named his good friends William H Ballew and

Leut Brown as executors.

Pg. 184 Est. of James Y. Laughlin settlement Jan term 1826. Payable to Joseph Ballew a/c \$9.00 pg. 201 Minor heirs of John Warren guardian accounts 21 May 1825. Payments to Moses Bellah for schooling of Benjamin & Peterson Warren \$2.50.

Book 7 Pg. 9 Est. of David Moore & Margaret Moore 13 Oct. 1827. John Bellahs Rct. \$3.00. Pg. 74 Est. of Henry Windrow Sales 8 Dec. 1826. Purchasers: **W. Potts** one lot of wheat \$5.00, do \$4.50, **A. Potts** one cow & calf \$7.00, **S. Potts** one sorrel horse \$75.50, 1 Pole \$1.8 1/4,

R. Potts one stack of fodder \$1.75.

Pg. 77 Est. of Samuel McMurray Inv. of Accounts & Notes 26 Dec. 1827: Samuel Bellah's due 8th May 1827 \$3.75, Joshua Morgan's account from sale 31 July 1827 \$3.00.

pg. 150 John Kirk Est. Sale settlement 13 Apr. 1827. Purchasers: John Bellah one brashear plow \$2.00.

pg. 170 Est. of Robert Ketton Inv. dated 18 May 1829. Note on Samuel Bellah \$3.00, Note on John Bellah \$2.62 1/2.

Pg. 177 & 178 Inv. of the property of Moses Bellah dec'd. John Bellah exr. 19 negros, 1 family bible, numerous other items. No date - appears between June & Nov. 1828 entries.

Pg. 234 Est. of Cornelius Flynn. Amount of claims on **Potts**, Lamb & Barnwell all insolvent \$14.37 25 Feb. 1829

Pg. 262 Est. of David Ledbetter settlement 22 Aug. 1829. **Daniel Potts** \$9.00

Pg. 295 & 296 Will of Moses Bellah of Rutherford Co., Tn.. 2 Oct. 1827. Wife Elizabeth, son John Bellah, Daughter Nancy Gibson, son Samuel Bellah, gr.son Moses Gibson gr.dtr. Elizabeth A. Bellah. Sons were joint executors. Witnesses: James. G. Henderson, John W. Jetton, Ephraim Jetton. Proven in court Aug. term 1828.