

To the Honorable the Judges of Montgomery
County Court

The Petition of Henry B. Waring of said County

Sheweth

That Petitioner's Sister Anna Maria Waring, now dwelling with your Petitioner, has been for a considerable period of time, and still is, labouring under a great ~~and~~ imbecility of mind & is non compos mentis, and unable to manage her own affairs -

That said Anna Maria Waring is possessed of or entitled to considerable personal property -

That she is physically and mentally unable to appear personally before your Honors, and in Petitioner's judgment it is necessary for the preservation of her property that a Trustee or Committee should be appointed to secure it for her future maintenance and support -

That the next of kin of said Anna Maria Waring are your Petitioner, and his Brother John P. Waring, and his Sisters Mary Ann Brooke, Eliza Waring, ^{Josephine Waring} and Matilda Hardy -

Your Petitioner therefore prays your Honors to issue a Commission de ^{lunaticis} ~~idiotis~~ inquirendo to a jury to enquire into the state of mind of said Anna Maria Waring and that such further proceedings may be had in the premises as to your Honors may seem fit -

And your Petitioner will ever
pray &c.

H. B. Waring