

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS
(Schweninger Collection)
WASHINGTON COUNTY REGISTER OF
WILLS (Petitions and Orders) Petition of
Virginia Jenkins: bill 22 September 1846
Free black woman (though her color is not
indicated) asks to be released from jail
because she had been arrested for leaving and
returning to the state "contrary to law"
[MSA T450-1, 01/64/01/36]
MSA SC 4239-32-7 M 11027

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WASHINGTON COUNTY REGISTER OF
WILLS (Petitions and Orders) Petition of
James Biays: bill 11 May 1847; court order
[1848]
Sale and distribution of estate slaves
[MSA T450-1, 01/64/01/36]
MSA SC 4239-32-8 M 11027

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WASHINGTON COUNTY REGISTER OF
WILLS (Petitions and Orders) Juliet
McKinley vs. N. McKinley: bill 12 October
1847; bill 1848; order of the court 2
December 1847; docket of appeal 21 March
1848
Case involving slaves belonging to an estate
[MSA T450-1, 01/64/01/36]
MSA SC 4239-32-9 M 11027

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WASHINGTON COUNTY REGISTER OF
WILLS (Petitions and Orders) Daniel Huyett
vs. Edward Gaither 16 November 1847: bill
16 November 1847
Creditors to an estate charge that estate
administrator sold some slaves to Matilda
Gaither "only to gratify the requirements of
the Orphans Court in making his return of the
sales at the property time"; in fact the
administrator was the purchaser of the slaves
[MSA T450-1, 01/64/01/36]
MSA SC 4239-32-10 M 11027

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WASHINGTON COUNTY REGISTER OF
WILLS (Petitions and Orders) Petition of
George Scheley and James A. Dall: bill 14
December 1847
Executors of estate of large number of blacks
ask permission to keep the property until the
spring of 1848, and "perhaps for a longer
period", so that they can be most beneficial to
the parties interested in the estate
[MSA T450-1, 01/64/01/36]
MSA SC 4239-32-11 M 11027

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WASHINGTON COUNTY REGISTER OF
WILLS (Petitions and Orders) Petition of
Edward Gaither: 1 February 1848; exhibit A
[1848]; appeal 17 February 1848
Estate administrator accused to hiring slaves
out for his profit
[MSA T450-1, 01/64/01/36]
MSA SC 4239-32-12 M 11027