Virginia, to wit:

At a County Court of Augusta, continued and held at the Court-house thereof on Tuesday the 28th day of February A.D. 1854

Present.

James Crawford, Pres^t. Elijah Hoghead, William Wilson, Henry Eidson jr. and Samuel McCune } Gent. Justices

The following order was entered — to wit: It is ordered to be certified that this Court, which is a court of record having a seal, is satisfied from the evidence of John B. Breckinridge and James F. Patterson, that Absalom H. Brooks the father of John S. Brooks (who was a member of Fannin's regiment in the Texan war,) has departed this life, having first made his last will and testament, which is of record in this Court — that Norborne C. Brooks, Henrietta Brooks, Mary A. Brooks and Hannah E. Brooks were his only surviving children and were brother & sisters to said John S. Brooks — That Mary A. Brooks intermarried with Charles Reins, and has departed this life leaving two infant children to survive her, to wit: John Malcom Reins and Mary J. Reins.

And at another day, to wit: At a Court continued and held for the County —