

The Guardianship Records of the minor children of Louisa Moore Rainwater
Hamilton Co., Texas

Probate Records 1870-1916
Hamilton Co., TX. County Court
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Rainwaters John et al minors

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Emma Rainwater
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Mary F. Rainwater
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In the matter of Estate of Emma Rainwater, A. J. Rainwater, Mary F. Rainwater, Ruth A. Rainwater, Martha A. Rainwater, John T. Rainwater minors.
In this case it is ordered by the court that the report of John Potts Guardianship of one hundred and fifty dollars in hand be approved and that the same be paid over to A. Rainwater Guardian of the [unreadable] of said minors, except the cost therein and one sixth paid to M. Emma Loyd now of age.

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July Term 1881
J. T. Rainwater et. al
John Potts guardian of estate of
This day in this cause came John Potts guardian of estates of said minors and reports to the court the sum of 90\$ in hand belonging to said minors and it is ordered by the court that he pay over to A. Rainwater guardian of the persons of said minors the sum of 90\$ less amount sufficient to

cover all costs including cost of final settlement.

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State of TX, Co. of Hamilton

In [unreadable] Hamilton Co., A.D. 1876

The petition of Abner Rainwater, a resident citizen of said county to honorable D.C. Smith judge of said county shows unto your honer that he is the father of the following minors to wit.: Emma J. Rainwater, John T. Rainwater, Alex F. Rainwater, Mary F. Rainwater, Ruth A. Rainwater and Marthy H. Rainwater. That all except Emma J. and John T. Rainwater are under the age of 14 years, that they have come into theirs as heirs of their mother about \$100 in the state of Georgia, that they have no legal guardian of said inheritance, that their mother is dead, that they all reside in this county, therefore petitioner asks that he be appointed guardian of the estate of said minors under the age of 14 that citation be posted, that the same be contested if such proper, that citation issue to the two named minors over the age of 14 to appear at said time and choose them a guardian as petitioner will ever ask. Abner Rainwater
Filed in my office Oct 21, 1876

The State of Texas, Co. of Hamilton

To the sheriff of [unreadable] constable of Hamilton Co.

Greetings. Whereas application has been [unreadable] filed in my office by A. Rainwater for guardianship of the estate of the following minors to wit. Alexander F. Rainwater, Mary F. Rainwater, Ruth A. Rainwater and Marthy H. Rainwater
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The State of Texas, Co. of Hamilton

Know all men by these presence that we John Potts as principal and J.W. Campbell and T.Vaughn as sureties are held and finely bound unto the county Judge of Hamilton Co. and his [unreadable] successors?) in office in the sum of four hundred dollars conditioned that the said John Potts will faithfully discharge all the duties of guardianship of the Estates of Emma Rainwater, A. F. Rainwater, Mary F. Rainwater, Ruth A. Rainwater, Martha A. Rainwater and John T. Rainwater minors.

Witness our hands this the 6th day of July 1877

John Potts

J.W. Campbell

T.Vaughn

Approved this the 11th day of July A.D. 1877

D.C. Smith, County Judge HC

State of Texas

Hamilton Co.

I John Potts do solemnly swear that I will faithfully discharge all the duties as guardian of the Estate of Emma, A. F., Mary F., Ruth A., Martha A., and John T. Rainwater

John Potts

Sworn to and subscribed before me this Nov. 29, 1877

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Clerk Co. Crt. H.C.

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