



Nancy Peltier wife of Samuel Peltier of Tullahoma  
 County Richard Cramer — David Lindsey — Richard  
 Lindsey of Bibb County Mary Mann wife of Samuel  
 Mann of Coosa County — William Lindsey —  
 Nancy Reynolds wife of William Reynolds of St. Mary county  
 Rebecca Lindsey and Jane Lindsey of Bibb County —  
 Polly Lindsey — Guardians of the Infant heirs of Elijah Lindsey  
 viz — Eleanor Lindsey Elijah Lindsey Martha Lindsey Mary Lindsey Rachel Lindsey Catherine Lindsey  
 Margaret Lindsey —  
 David Lindsey (son of Elijah Lindsey) Rebecca Cramer wife of  
 Richard Cramer — Lydia Stearns —  
 Rebecca Fulton wife of David Fulton —  
 Polly Smith wife of Patrick Smith of Coosa county  
 The above contains a list of all the heirs of said  
 David Lindsey among whom the said tract of  
 lands must be divided being left them and to  
 some of them — the necessity of it also must be  
 apparent and your petitioners pray that  
 the necessary order may be made to effect  
 the object — and they will ever be  
 Yours sincerely  
 John Lindsey  
 David Lindsey

To the Hon James Woodruff Judge of the orphan  
Court of Shelby County Alabama

your Petitioner Mary Lindsey respectfully represents  
that she is the widow of David Lindsey late of D.  
County Ala. that her said husband died seized and  
possessed of the following described tract or parcel  
of land viz North West fourth of Section no twenty  
Eight of Township no twenty one of Range no  
three West containing fifty nine 28/100 acres  
that her said husband resided on said land at  
the time of his death this therefore is to pray  
Dower in the land above described that a  
Writ may issue to the Sheriff commanding  
that five Dowers be allotted her by metes  
and bounds and that all things herein  
touching the premises may be done &c  
and as my duty bound your Petitioner  
will ever pray &c

9<sup>th</sup> June 1837

Mary Lindsey

May 4, 2003 ... This is a true digitalized copy of the Estate Papers filed in Shelby County Alabama. The original copies became missing prior to security procedures set by the Shelby County Museum & Archives. Bobby Joe Seales [President: Shelby County Historical Society, Inc.]

IN ADDITION: See Will Book D, Page 315, 316 and 317  
Final Settlement of the Estate of David Lindsey, dec. ... 7 February 1842

The State of Alabama

To the Sheriff of Shelby County Greeting

Whereas at the July term 1857 of the orphans court  
for Shelby County an order was made on the petitions  
of Mary Lindsey widow of David Lindsey dec<sup>d</sup> to  
have her dower allotted to her coe command you  
to summon six discreet free holders as commissioners  
connected with the parties neither by consanguinity  
or affinity and entirely disinterested and then  
duly swear and charge to allot and set off  
by meets and bounds to the said Mary Lindsey  
one third part according to quantity & quality  
of the following described tract of Land (to wit)  
the North west fourth of section twenty eight  
Township twenty one Range three west in  
the Tuscaloosa Land District so as to include  
the dwelling house of her said deceased  
husband where he was living at & before  
his death and put the said Mary Lindsey  
in possession of her said dower as by  
you allotted and make due Returns of  
your proceedings according to Law

Witness O B Havis clerk of our  
said court at office the 26<sup>th</sup>  
day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1857

O B Havis ckr