said Henry S Hawkins by his deceased father Smith Hawkins - also a tract or part of a tract or parcel of land called Hog Range, supposed to contain 50 acres more or less @ $10 per acre, real value $500 - also a tract or part of a tract or parcel of land called Saturdays Work supposed to contain 200 acres more or less @ $8 per acre, real value $1600.

Given under our hands and seals this 13th day of September 1831.

John B. Wills (Seal)
Robt. Guest (Seal)
Charles Cox (Seal)
John D. Hanson (Seal)

And thereupon the said John Matthews Guardian as aforesaid in his own proper person prosecuted and acknowledged out of the County Court here, the into of the State of Maryland of Venditioni Exponas, in the words and of the tenor following to wit "Charles County Court The State of Maryland to the Sheriff of Charles County Greeting. Whereas at a County Court begun and held at Port Tobacco in and for Charles County aforesaid on the third Monday in March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty eight a certain John Matthews Guardian of Robert L Young by the judgment of the same Court recovered against a certain Henry S. Hawkins late of Charles County yeoman as well the sum of twenty thousand dollars certain damages which he had sustained as well by reason of the taking and unjust detention of the goods and chattels of him the said John Matthews Guardian as aforesaid as the sum of one hundred and forty seven dollars and ninety three and two third cents for his costs and charges by him about his suit in that behalf laid out and expended whereof the said Henry S Hawkins is convicted as it appears of record. And whereas also on the eighth day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty one, command was given to you, that of the goods and chattels land and tenements of the said Henry S Hawkins being in your bailiwick, you should cause to be made the damages costs and charges aforesaid, and that you should have those sums of money before the said County Court to be held at the town aforesaid on the third Monday in March then next to render unto the said John Matthews Guardian as aforesaid for the damages costs and charges aforesaid - on which said third Monday in March you make return thereof to the said Court, that by virtue of the said writ to you directed for that purpose, you had taken all the said Henry S. Hawkins right title claim and interest whether at law or equity of in and to the following tracts or parts of tracts or parcel of land lying and being on or near Zachia Swamp in Charles County to wit, a tract or part of a tract or parcel of land called Hawkins Smith Ford, a tract or part of a tract or parcel of land called Smoots Venture, a tract or part of a tract or parcel of land called Smoots Doight, a tract or part of a tract or parcel of land called Smoots Swamp, a tract or part of a tract or parcel of land called Tomax's Addition and a tract or part of a tract or parcel of land called The Brothers, supposed to contain in the whole 600 acres which said lands or parts of tracts or parcels of land were devised to the said Henry S. Hawkins by his deceased father Smith Hawkins, also a tract or part of a tract or parcel of land called Hog Range supposed to contain 50 acres more or less, also a tract or part of a tract or parcel of land called Saturdays Work supposed to contain two hundred acres more or less, in your bailiwick being to satisfy unto the said John

Matthews Guardian as aforesaid the damages costs and charges aforesaid in the said writ mentioned, which said lands and premises remained in your hands unsold, so that the damages costs and charges aforesaid you could not have as by the said writ you were commanded. Therefore you are hereby commanded that the said land and premises so as aforesaid taken you expose to sale, and the money thereupon arising you have before the Judges of the said County Court to be held at the Town aforesaid on the third Monday in August next to render unto the said John Matthews the damages costs and charges aforesaid, and have you then and there this writ. Witness the Honorable John Stephen Esq. Chief Judge of the first Judicial District of Maryland the 6th day of June anno Domini 1832.

Issued the 25th day of June 1832.

S. P. John Hamer Clk.

At which mentioned third Monday in August being the twentieth day of the same month in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty two, comes into the County Court here the said John Matthew Guardian as aforesaid in his own proper person and the Sheriff of Charles County to wit, Thomas Perry gentleman, to whom the said writ was in form aforesaid directed, makes return thereof to the Court here thus endorsed (viz) "In compliance with the annexed writ, after giving the notice required by law, I offered at public sale at the time and place appointed, all the right title interest and claim of Henry S. Hawkins in and to the following tracts of land lying and being near Zachia Swamp in Charles County, viz, a tract of land called Hawkins Smith Ford, a tract of land called Smoots Venture, a tract called Smoots Swamp, a tract of land called Tomax's Addition, and a tract of land called The Brothers supposed to contain six hundred acres, which said lands were devised to the said Henry S Hawkins by his father Smith Hawkins by his last will and testament duly executed and recorded, also all the right title interest and claim of the said Henry S Hawkins in the following tracts of land, viz a tract of land called Hog Range, and a tract of land called Saturdays Work supposed to contain together two hundred and fifty acres more or less, at which sale John B. Wills and William B Stone (by their agent William B Stone Esq) became the highest bidder and purchaser at and for the sum of seventy one hundred dollars. Sale made the 3d day of December 1832.

Tho Perry Shff.

And now here comes into Court Elizabeth E. R. Hawkins a minor, heiress of the said Henry S. Hawkins by Walter A Smoot her next friend by Vernon & Dorsey, Peter W Crain, John M. S. Causin and Gerard A Causin her attorneys and suggests to the Court here that the said Henry S. Hawkins before this day term at the County aforesaid, hath departed this life, and the same is not denied, and the said Elizabeth E. R. Hawkins by Walter A Smoot her Guardian and next friend by her attorneys aforesaid, prays the Court to quash the Venditioni exponas in this cause and to set aside the sale under and execution, and filed in Court here the following reasons to wit.

Richard Mitchelson Ex.
use of Sarah C Reynolds
use of William B. Stone.
vs
Henry S. Hawkins.

In Charles County Court.