Henry Daniel

Recommended as

Commonwlths attd.

To his Excellency

Isaac Shelby Govr. of Kentz.

We beg leave to recommend Henry Daniel Esqr as a proper person to fill the office of States Attorney for the District of Montgomery, Bath, Greenup & Floyd.

Your Obt Servts.

Henry Payne

Jos H Hawkins

Thomas Metcalfe

Jas. Crutcher

W R Blackburn

Wm Caldwell

Rich Taylor

David Owen

L D Stockton

John Breathitt

Wm Williams

Wm Bell

Robt Lyon Owings

Robt B McAfee

Robt E. Yates

Chelton Allan

B. W. Patton

John T. Johnson

William Kenley

Thomas G Hanson

John Logan

Rob. Smith

Fr. Johnson

Henry Reinich

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Wm Williams
Wm Bell
Henry Reinich

W. R. Wier
James Ray
Benjn Shackleb
John Yantis
W. S. Hunter
Jas Hunter
Saml Touch
David Harte
E. A. Geoyer
John J. Crittenden
Joseph Eve
Thomas Dollarhide
Richd A. Buckner
John Emerson

A Hubbard
B H Reeves
Jno B Smith
A M Hatton
John Bates
Chs Helm
Ben Touch
James Mason
Wm Goode
R. S. Todd

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His Excellency Isaac Shelby Esq.
Governor of Kentucky
Frankfort

(To be left at the Secretary's office)

At a meeting of Sundry Citizens of the County of Montgomery at the House of Capt Cuthbert Banks in Mountsterling William Chiles was called to the Chair & Micajah Harrison appointed Clerk — Whereupon the appointment of Majr Nicholas as Judge to the Judicial District Composed of the Counties of Montgomery, Bath, Floyd & Greenup was taken into Consideration, and upon enquiry it was understood, that, independent of the numerous suits which are at Present on the Dockett of the Bath and Montgomery Courts, for and against Col Owings, & that from his own statement he has lately brought about forty distinct & separate Ejectments in Bath County — that many of the suits are important Chancery cases in which Colo Owings is interested — Some in which the estate of Colo George Nicholas Decd, & others in which the estate of John C. Owings Decd & the old united Iron Company are interested — None of which cases can be tried before

Majr

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Maj. Nicholas, on account of his interest & relationship to the Parties aforesaid — That the number of individuals interested, as Plaintiffs or Defendants in those suits, Particularly in the actions in Ejectment are so numerous, and the expense incident to a removal of this suit to another Circuit, will be so great and oppressive that without making any estimate of those suits which will be brought in future in the district, which for the same reasons will have to be removed, that in our opinion Maj. Nicholas ought not to be appointed Judge of this District —

Therefore Resolved that the foregoing statement be sent to the Governor and we earnestly entreat his Excellency not to make said appointment —

Resolved that so far as we are acquainted with the opinions of the Citizens of this District, we believe that Nineteen twentieths of their

them are, for the foregoing reasons, Solicitous that some other Person may be honoured with the office of Judge

Wm Chiles

Attest

N. C. Harrison Clk

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Recommendation for
Saml. V. Davenport
as Circuit Ct.

To his Excelency Isaac Shelby Gov.r of (Ky)

We the subscribers inhabitants of Montgomery County - would recommend Samuel T Davenport as Judge of the Judicial District Composed of the Counties of Montgomery Bath, Greenup & Floyd. We believe his appointment would give general satisfaction throughout the District -

We are acquainted with him, he has practised at the Bar for several years -

We know him to be a man of talents and legal information

R. McDonnald
John Crawford
N. Foster
James Crawford
Peter Mason
Joseph Simpson
Andrew Simpson
John Lyle
Will, Ouar
W. D. Haden
Chesley Glover
G. Johnson
W. C. Haydon
Peter Helmes
Wm Chiles
Enoch Smith

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