

Republic of Texas. }
Colorado County. }

To the Honorable Kidder Walker
Judge of the Court of Probate in and for the
County aforesaid.

The humble petition of
Elizabeth Adair would most respectfully represent to your Honor that Joseph Adair, late of the County aforesaid departed this life on or about the 18th day of November Anno Domini 1840 Intestate as it is said, and without having in any manner disposed of the Estate of which he died possessed, that subsequent to the Death of the said Intestate, administration of the goods, Chattels and effects of the said Joseph was collusively and surreptitiously obtained, by one Isabella Cummings claiming and representing herself to be the widow of the said deceased Intestate, when in truth and in fact your petitioner is the widow and Heir of the said Joseph Adair and as such entitled of right and by Law to the Custody and Administration of all the Estate whether Real or personal of the deceased, and that the said Isabella hath neither right nor color of right to the Administration granted to her as aforesaid. Whereupon your petitioner prays that the said Isabella Cummings, (calling herself Isabella Adair) be Cited to appear at the next Term of your Honorable Court, to be holden at Columbus, in and for the County aforesaid on the last Monday of May 1841. To account for all her acting and doing as Administratrix of Joseph Adair deceased, and to shew Cause if any she can why the said Letters of Administration ^{shall not} be revoked and Cancelled, and all such other relief, as to your Honor may seem meet.

Elizabeth Adair
by A. Butler, Her
Att'y.

I. accept service on the within April 28th 1841

J. S. Babcock
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Probate Court for
the County of Colorado.

To May Term 1841
minimum

Elizabeth Adams

Isabella Cunningham
also prob. Adams
Petitioner

Filed on this, the
2^d of April 1841

in the office of
the Probate Court
in and between
County

Attest
J. S. Babcock
Clerk
pro. J. S. Babcock