

State of Alabama } I Ariah. A. Nesmitto an
Blount County } acting justice of the
peace in and for said county, hereby
certify that I am acquainted with Eliu
R. Murphrees family and know them to
be in verry indigent circumstances &
that he has a verry helpless family has
all small children & said children I
believe are all afflicted which is caused
from bleeding whenever the skin is broken
and I also believe that said family needs
help from some source or other
~~this is a true~~ this the 6th day of November
1859 Ariah. A. Nesmitto

I Daniel Murphree here by
certify that I have visited
the house of Eliza R. Murphrees
family frequently & know the
statement of the within certificate
to be correct Nov 6th 1859
Daniel Murphree

