

Isaac H. E. J. Willis Admin^r Inventory

Additional Inventory of Sale of Personal property
of the Estate of James Willis Deceased sold
on the 26th day of February 1867 after having
submitted as the said direct

One half of a Cuckoo Saw sold to
W. B. Willis \$ 55.25
1/2 of pair of blackbirds to W. B. Willis for .05
1/2 of a Cuckoo Saw to W. B. Willis for .25
1/2 of a Cuckoo Saw to W. B. Willis for .05
1 rifle gun sold to W. B. Willis for 15.00
13.60

Isaac Willis Admin^r

Subscribed and sworn to
before me the 26th day of
February 1867 J. H. Smith Clerk

Read in open Court & received
and ordered to be recorded
February 26th 1867
J. H. Smith Clerk

State of Tennessee
Denton County, I, Nathan Boulden citizen
of said County & appearing to the Court
now in Session that Elizabeth Boulden has
been leaving in said County being satisfied as
to your claim to the administration and you
having given Bond & qualified as directed
by Court & the Court having ordered that
Letters of Administration be given to you
these are therefore to authorize & em-
power you to take in to your possession
& control all the goods & chattels
claims & papers of the said decedent
& return a true & perfect inventory thereof
to our next County Court to collect &
pay all debts & to do & transact all the
business in relation to said Estate which
I am fully & exclusively as you as administrator
& after having settled up said Estate
to deliver the residue thereof to them
who are lawfully entitled thereto
Justices of the County & Clerk of
said Court at office this 1st day of
1867
George Cummings J. Clerk

State of Tennessee
Denton County, I have a perfect account
of the sale of the personal property of
James Boulden deceased after adver-
tising according to law at the Wilson
Plumbers on the 11th day of Sept
1867 the following property was sold
to wit one yoke of Oxen to Elizabeth
Boulden for Twenty Dollars -
which was received by me
W. B. Cummings Admin^r
J. H. Boulden Recd

Shown to before me this 1st day of Nov 1867
George Cummings J. Clerk
Read in open Court & received & ordered to be
recorded
George Cummings J. Clerk

State of Tennessee
 VanBuren County } To George W. Spaulding
 Clerk of said County, It appearing to the
 Court that now in & for that George W.
 Spaulding has died leaving an will & the Court
 being satisfied as to your claim to the
 administration & your having given Bond
 & qualified as directed by Law &
 the Court having ordered that Letters of
 administration issue to you
 This is therefore to authorize & Em-
 power you to take in to your possession
 & controul all the goods chattels claims
 & papers of the said Estate & return a
 list & perfect inventory thereof to our
 next County Court to collect & pay all
 debts & to do & to have at all & to do
 in relation to said Estate which I hereby
 do hereby give you such authority
 & after receiving settlement of said Estate
 to deliver the residue thereof to those
 lawfully entitled,
 Witness my hand & Seal of said
 Court at Office this Decr 10th 1847
 Dea. Wm. B. Simpson
 Clerk

State of Tennessee
 VanBuren County } We the undersigned
 Commissioners after being duly sworn
 being appointed at the November Term
 of the County Court to set a part
 to set a part to Elizabeth Bouladen
 widow of Elshu Bouladen she &
 a good support due appropriate and
 set a part the following property and
 money viz, all the corn on hand
 Estimated at three hundred bushels
 fifteen hundred pounds of pork &
 three to make the same all the cotton
 on hand Estimated at five hundred
 lbs one barrel of salt that is on hand
 twenty five dollars to buy sugar coffee
 pepper spice ginger Soda &c one
 hundred dollars to buy shoes & other
 clothing for the family one cow
 or calf two he goats and other
 oats & green apples on hand one
 thousand birds of fowls one goose
 of over the money above named &
 money above named to come out of
 the first money in the Admors hands
 & all of which is respectfully sub-
 mitted this the 25th Nov 1847
 done to & subscribed & affirmed for us
 before me Dec 2nd 1847 William W. M. King
 Dea. Wm. B. Simpson
 Clerk

read in open Court confirmed &
 ordered to be recorded
 Dea. Wm. B. Simpson
 Clerk

In the honorable Court of
 Ventnor County now in Session I make
 to your worship the following report
 of all the property which came into my
 hands by virtue of my appointment as
 the last term of this Court as Guardian
 of Benjamin Hollensworth Legatee of Samuel
 Henry Dyer & Martha & W. P. Hollensworth
 Legatee of W. P. Hollensworth
 Decedent & I have a vested interest
 in a tract of land which was allotted
 to them out of the Estate of Daniel Hollens-
 worth Decedent. It is by Estimation
 494 acres with about 60000 cleared land
 on said tract but no other improvements
 It is expected that there will be some more
 land said heirs when the Estate of Daniel
 Hollensworth Decedent is wound up. The
 amount is yet unknown in all of
 which is respectfully submitted this
 2^d day of Decr 1867 J. W. Sparks man

J. W. Sparks man made oath before me
 that the foregoing report is true &
 true to the best of his knowledge & belief
 This Decr 2^d 1867 Dea. m. m. m. D. C. R.

Read in open Court & ordered
 to be recorded
 Decr 2^d 1867 Dea. m. m. m. D. C. R.

County Court clerk of Decr 2^d 1867

I Soil Smith clerk of Van Buren
 County Court have this day proceeded to make settle-
 ment with Geo Wood Executor of George Wood Decedent
 a final settlement as to the heirs of George Wood
 except Thomas Stike & formerly George
 Wood heir of the said George Wood as follows
 to wit I find him chargeable with the amount

of \$5009.54
 which amount being divided between
 the six heirs of the said George Wood
 each share is

therefore each of these heirs is entitled to \$801.66

The Executor is entitled to the following

Credit to wit

for cost this part of the cost is a sum with
 with Jonathan & Sons \$15.50

which taken from the amount leaves them entitled to \$486.16

when distributed between the said heirs

Stike's heirs named as follows to wit

George J. Stike George Stike Elizabeth Stike

Rachel Stike John Stike & Thomas Stike six

in number each heirs share is \$81.72

Elizabeth Norton formerly Elizabeth Stike

& her husband James Norton's share is \$82.92

Credit per receipt May 9th 1861 \$40.00

when taken from their share leaves \$41.72

Interest from the 1st April 61 to 16th

Decr 1861 1.50

added to the balance makes \$44.22

Or per receipt 16th Decr 1861 \$10.00

when taken from \$44.22 leaves \$34.22

Interest on \$34.22 from 16th Decr 1861 12.54

to Feb 20, 1867 is

when added to \$34.22 makes \$46.76

Or per receipt Feb 20th 1867 20.00

leaves a balance of \$26.76

Or per receipt July 2^d 1867 10.79

which leaves a balance due James & Elizabeth Stike

to which share for this settlement 83
 which leaves a final balance due
 James & Elizabeth Mosler \$16.14

Rachel Shively formerly Rachel Stike
 and her son Lewis Shively share \$82.72
 I find from the receipt filed by the
 Executor to the amount of 85.54
 which leaves a balance including the
 interest due Lewis & Rachel Shively \$10.14

Book of Stike share is \$82.72
 It will give the Executor all
 credits that he is entitled to her rights
 and a balance due Book of
 Stike which note is now due \$10.14
 to permit note with interest on the
 same up to the present date 7.21
 which leaves a balance due Book
 Stike of 2.45

G. W. Stike share \$82.72
 On her receipts filed Feb 15. 1862 54.00
 which leaves a balance of 32.72
 Interest from the 15th Feb 1862 to
 Feb 20th 1862 1.15
 added to 32.72 makes 33.90
 On her receipt filed Feb 20th 1862 \$10.00
 which leaves a balance of 23.90
 Interest from the 1st Oct 1862 to
 Feb 2nd 1867 6.68
 added to 23.90 makes a balance due
 G. W. Stike of \$30.58

As the share of Lewis 82.72
 his son's part for this settlement 83
 which being taken from 82.72 leaves 81.89
 a balance due John Stike
 Lewis to wit subscribed En Wm. Exr
 before me this 2nd Feb 1867
 J. Cummings J. Clark

Read in open Court confirmed and ordered to
 be recorded August 1st 1867
 J. W. B. Cummings
 J. Clark

State of Tennessee
 VanBuren county

J. W. B. Cummings
 A Citizen of said County, I appearing
 to the Court now in Session that Eliza
 Boulton has died leaving no will & the
 Court being satisfied as to your claim to the
 Adm in conjunction with Nathan Boulton
 I am giving you Bond & Qualification as
 Executor of said Estate the Court having ordered
 that Letters of Adm be given to you

There are therefore to authorize & empower
 you to take in to your possession & control
 all the goods, chattels, claims & papers
 of the said Estate in testate & to make a true
 & perfect Inventory thereof to the next term
 of our coming Court, to collect & pay all
 debts & to do & transact all the duties in
 relation to said Estate which lawfully
 devolves on you as Adm & after
 settling up said Estate to deliver the
 residue thereof to those who are lawfully
 entitled to

Witness my hand & Seal of said Court at Office this January 6th 1868
 J. W. B. Cummings
 J. Clark

County Court Clerk's Office
Van Buren County
January 11th 1868

I Remond Cummings being Clerk of the County Court for said County this day proceeds to make settlement with Wm D. Mooneyham Adm^r of the Estate of David Mooneyham Dec^d as follows to wit
I find the Adm^r charged for his inventory & report of Dec^d notes & sale Bill return
to said Jan 1st 1866 as good to the total amount of 67.75
plus good & beautiful to the amount of 169.52
plus I now reports an additional sale Bill which through a mistake was left out of his inventory as follows
to wit in Van Buren County
Jan 28th 1868 to

Scott Hale & Aug ^r	\$ 0.00
1 Iron wedge	60
1 drawing knife	50
1 hand saw	50
1 hand ax	1.00
1 padlock	80
1 log chain	1.20
1 steel trap & traps	1.25
2 chisels & 1 punch	50
1 Wagon Cover	1.50
1 Wagon	67.00
1 Rifle Gun	10.25
1 Bell	.25
for the same all to	\$ 80.00

Which amount being added to the amount of the first sale is \$ 147.80

Whereas I have submitted to the Court the account of the said Adm^r for the year 1865 & 1867. 2.00
and the same being approved by the Court I do hereby certify that the same is correct & true
2.00

paid atty for Bond & other papers	3.00
paid clerk for recording inventory	1.00
paid bond & register registered deed per receipt	1.35
paid Clerk State & County Tax on a petition to sell lands per receipt	6.00
paid Clerk fees for Dec ^d to sell lands per receipt	1.65
I now allow the Adm ^r for his services	20.00
paid Clerk for this settlement	1.50
total amount of credits	99.05
which being deducted from the available funds \$147.80	
leaves in the hands of the Adm ^r to be distributed between the 8 heirs	110.75
Wm D. Mooneyham & Thos. M. Mooneyham & Lucy Kate James & Mary Ann & John Mooneyham & John Mooneyham & Emma J. Mooneyham & David Mooneyham	
which gives to each heir	\$13.84
I have not as yet been able to collect any of the notes mentioned in my inventory & any part of them W D Mooneyham & Son have subscribed	
Wm D. Mooneyham & Son	
to 60 th	
read in open court	
approved & recorded to be	
recorded Feb 1 st 1868	
Leed Smith	
clerk	

6th of Great January 22nd 1868

I have with the estate of the late John Smith
great many things made at the estate of the
late John Smith, the great executor of William R.
Smith, deceased, as follows:

I found them charged on the books in
the estate of the late John Smith of \$55.44
Eight hundred and fifty five dollars and over
with the estate.

They are now entitled to the following:

1st of 1868

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$1.50
~~but her receipt for~~ \$25.00
paid for the late John Smith for the late John Smith
for the late John Smith of \$4.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$10.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$1.50

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$1.50

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$2.50

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$12.60

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$2.50

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$57.50

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$76

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$2.50

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$6.50

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$5.50

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$40.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$1.50

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$3.90

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$7.58

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$1.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$10.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$35.20

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$1.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$5.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$56.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$26.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$40.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$2.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$512.08

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$542.75

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$1.00

1st Receipt for the late John Smith from Mr. Smith
for the late John Smith of \$1.00

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for the late John Smith of \$1.00

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for the late John Smith of \$1.00

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for the late John Smith of \$1.00

Inventory of the personal Estate
of Elisha Boulden Dec. 23 also an account
of sales made of the personal property of the
Estate of the said Elisha Boulden Dec. 23
at his late residence in Van Buren County
Tennessee after having advertised according
to Law as follows to wit:

one Steel trap to J. Martin at	\$1.25
" Steel trap to W. Martin	2.25
" Steel trap to Jas. Hill	2.25
one Wood trap to James Selmons	2.00
one iron bar to Jas. Selmons	1.50
one Set of Machine boxes to Wm. Worthington	1.00
one Rice to J. Martin	1.75
one large Ball to Wm. Boulden	4.00
two axes one Spade to M. Boulden	1.00
one Rice to J. Martin	1.00
one lot of old skins to J. B. Hamrick	1.50
one lot of skins to William Boulden	1.00
one Saw to William Boulden	1.00
one Shovel & hoe to Margaret Boulden	1.00
one pair Scales to Wm. Worthington	5.50
one pair Scales to J. B. Hamrick	14.25
one Wagon to J. B. Hamrick	23.00
one Iron tooth Wagon to J. B. Hamrick	4.00
one hind Saddle to Curry Simmons	2.10
1 Bee Stove to G. W. Johnson	1.55
1 St. & upper part of a horse to widow Boulden	100.00
39 apples 1st row to M. White	2.75
37 apples 2nd row to M. White	1.53
56 apples 3rd row to Martin White	1.96
62 apples 4th row to Rowan Johnson	6.82
73 apples 5th row to Rowan Johnson	10.58 1/2
53 apples 6th row to B. B. Simpson	7.95
75 apples 7th row to John Sutherland	11.25
75 apples 8th row to John Sutherland	12.00
101 apples 9th row to John Sutherland	18.15
5 apples 10th row to Rowan Johnson	1.00
one lot of apples & pears to Jas. Hill	15.00
one Mel. of Ball to J. B. Hamrick	20.00

one horse to Eliza Boulden \$5.00
one Gun to Eliza Boulden \$16.00
one Turning Wheel to Rowan Johnson 2.75
I also debt on hand as follows
one note on F. H. Hamilton due 1st April 1861 18.00
not good
one note on Joseph Hall due 25 Dec 1868 \$25.00
considered doubtful.

one account on James Overton for which
give my note. Doubtful for 3.00
one Set of Black Smith tools not sold
which will hereafter be reported
also he report that one Set will
judicious one. But no profit

The above is a true & perfect inventory
of all the personal assets directed by Law
to be sold which have come to my hands
possession or knowledge or in the hands
or possession of any person for me to the
best of my knowledge & belief also a true
account of the sales made of the personal prop-
erty of the Estate of the said Elisha
Boulden Dec. 23 directed by Law to be
sold notes & goods & c. of about 12 months
after date were taken from the purchasers
this 23 day of November 1867

Wm. Boulden
Given & Subscribed at Court of E. Boulden
before me this 6 day of
January 1868

James Cummings & Co.
Notary Public in and for the State of Tennessee
received & returned to be recorded
James Cummings & Co.

State of Tennessee
Van Buren County
In the County Court
May Term 1868

To Henderson Clark
N. B. Cummings, Admors of Said County
It appears to the Satisfaction of the Court
that James Clark has died leaving no
will and the court being satisfied as to
your claim to the administration of
the Estate of the deceased and you having
Given Bonds with Security and qualified
as the Law directs, and the Court having
Ordered that Letters of Administration
be issued to you

There are therefore to authorize
and empower you, to take into your
possession ^{under the power} all the goods, Chattels
Claims and papers of Said Estate and
return a true & perfect inventory
thereof to our next County Court, to collect
pay all debts and to do and execute the
duties in relation to Said Estate which
lawfully devolve upon you as adm^r
and after having settled up Said Estate to
deliver the residue thereof to those who are
entitled. Witness Henry Cummings, Clerk
at office this May 5th 1868.

A true and perfect Inventory of the
Estate of J. W. Carter Deceased which have come
to my hands or possession or in the hands of
any other person or persons as follows

Supposed debt on hill Wickett now in
Law at the Circuit Court at Spartanburg
No personal property belonging to said
Estate, except one Hog of said little
not good as grain in or Mahan which is
in Law in the Chancery Court at Spartanburg
No other effects, I should say other effects
come to my hands I will hereafter report
it This 5 day of August 1868
H. W. Carter
H. W. Carter

Subscribed before me this 5. August 1868
Henry Cummings, Clerk
Reading open Court and received and
Ordered to be recorded
H. W. Carter

State of Tennessee
Van Buren County
An inventory of the personal Estate of James
Clark Deceased was an Accident of the sales
made of the personal property of said Estate
at the late residence of the said James Clark
Deceased in said County after having
advertised according to law

J. E. Clark 3 sheep at	4.00
Andrew Walling 3 sheep at	5.00
James Carter 2 sheep at	2.00
William Clark 2 Lambs at	5.00
E. Harper one pig at	675-
William Clark one pig at	4.00
Andrew Walling 1 Cow at	20.00
Mark Mitchell 2 Bad youngling	18.00
	63.25

State of Tennessee & County Court
 Van Buren County & June Term 1868
 To W. B. Cummings & Joseph Cummings
 Citizens of said County

It appearing to
 the satisfaction of the court that
 Joseph Cummings is deceased leaving a
 will, in which you are appointed
 executors, which has been duly approved
 in open court, & you having been
 qualified according to law & it having
 been ordered by the court that Letters
 Testamentary issue you
 therefore, therefore, empower you to
 enter upon the execution of said will
 & take into your possession all the
 property, & make to the next term
 of the county court, a perfect inventory
 thereof, & make due collection of all
 debts, & after paying all just demands
 against the testator and settling
 up the business of the estate according
 to law, you may pay over & deliver
 all property and effects that remain
 in your hands & all other things
 that may be required, according to
 the provisions of said will and the
 law of the State

Witness my hand & seal of said
 court at office this fifth day of June 1868

State of Tennessee & County Court
 Van Buren County & June Term 1868

To J. B. Cummings, citizen of said County
 It appearing to the satisfaction of the
 court that H. M. Stipe has died leaving
 no will & the court being satisfied as
 to your claim to the administration
 of the estate of the deceased and having
 given Bond with security & qualified
 as the law directs, and the court having
 ordered that Letters of Administration
 issue to you,

therefore, therefore, empower you to take into
 your possession & under your con-
 trol, all the goods, chattels, claims &
 papers of said estate, & deliver to the next
 county court, a perfect inventory thereof, & to collect & pay all
 debts, & to do & transact all the duties
 in relation to said estate, which you are fully
 authorized upon your oath as administrator
 and after having settled up said estate
 to deliver the residue thereof to those
 who are entitled
 Witness my hand & seal of said
 court at office this fifth day of June 1868

State of Tennessee
Vine Bureau County

An Inventory of the personal Estate of
James Clark Deceased also an Account
of the Sales made of the personal property of
the said Estate at the late residence of the said
James Clark Deceased in said County after
having advertised according to law

J. E. Clark to 3 sheep at	4.00
Andrew Walling 3 sheep for	5.00
James Knight 2 "	2.00
Madam Clark 2 Lambs at	.50
C. Harper one Bull "	6.75
Madam Clark one heifer at	8.00
Madam Clark one "	7.00
Andrew Walling one Cow	20.00
Mark Mitchell 12 Bull yearling	14.00
Saved James 1 Cutting Knife Cash	.25
George W. Blackman 1 hand saw cash	4.00
Madam Clark 1 lot of tools &c	3.00
James Hunter 1 Bell	.55
Madam Clark 2 Bells	.50
Madam Clark one Ox ring & staple	1.50
Madam Clark 1 Grindstone & Grate	2.50
Madam Clark 1 Mare & Colt	50.00

The Madam Clark gives into us the
following property that she has heretofore
used and made use of at the following
prices to wit

Marline White 1 York Oxen at	85.00
Mark Mitchell 1 horse Colt "	60.00
W. C. Hoston one Yearling	6.00
A. L. Parker 1 Cow	20.00
	171.00

The Madam further reports that she has
paid out the proceeds of the above named property
sold by her as above stated to the payment
of the following debts against the estate
of her said husband Deceased as

paid to J. C. Morgan on acct	\$11.50
paid W. C. Hoston	6.50
paid J. Durham	5.00

paid to Richard Meador	2.00
paid " William Gresson	3.00
" Dr J. C. Davis	24.00

The above is a true and perfect inventory
of all the goods and chattels right and credit
of the said James Clark Deceased
which have come to our hands possession
or knowledge Or in the hands of any
other person also the foregoing is a
true and perfect account of the sales of all
the personal Estate of James Clark
Deceased directed by law to be sold
note with good security one twelve months
after date were taken from the purchasers
this the 20th day of June 1868

W. B. Cannon } admr
Sworn to before me }
this the 6th day of July 1868 }
Levi Smith Clerk

Read in open Court record and declared
to be correct July 15th 1868
Levi Smith Clerk

An Inventory of the rents produced in
the year 1867 on the farm of W. R. Neal
Deceased and by Executors as the following
days and credit according to the will
to wit The wheat sold on the 30th of August
1867 on a credit of twelve months in
lots of 10 Bushels One and a half lot -
sold to William Strickley one lot at \$1.00
one half lot at 49- 14.45
for which we took his note with
Carroll Johnson security One and a
half lot to J. R. Willis one lot at \$1.00
one half lot at 49 14.75
note with W. L. Worthington A. L. Parker
security Six lots to W. Y. Strickley
1st lot at 90 & per Bus. Second lot at 88 & per
per Bushell Third lot at 90 & per Bus.

Fourth lot at 90¢ per Bu. Fifth lot at 88½¢ per Bu. Sixth lot at 88 cents
 Making in all 53.50
 Note with O. C. Crain and Claborn
 Graves security. Two lots to O. C. Crain
 First lot at 88 cents per Bu. Second lot
 88½ cents per Bu. Also to Crain one
 lot of Oats 350 bins at \$0.81 per hundred
 Note with Claborn Graves & U. G. Drake ^{11.12}
 security. The last lot of 20 Bushels
 to Claborn Graves for \$17.00 note
 with O. C. Crain & U. G. Drake security.
 The Corn sold on the 10th of April 1868
 on a credit of 12 months in lots of
 25 Bushels each. Two hundred Bushels
 to William Mabury. First lot at 46¢ per Bu.
 Second at 46¢ Third lot 50½¢ Fourth lot
 at 50½¢ Fifth lot at 50¢ Sixth lot at 46¢
 Seventh at 46¢ Eighth at 50¢ Making in all \$96.25
 for which we took his note with U. G.
 Murray security. Twenty Bushels to Thos.
 Grison at 50¢ and a
 sixty five at 48¢ per Bu. \$48.70
 John Harmon Walling security.
 Twenty five Bushels to S. Washington at
 46 cents per Bu. \$11.25
 for which we took his note fifteen Bushels
 at 48¢ per Bushel. P. Moore account for
 thirty six Bushels of shattered & rotten
 Corn at 11¢ \$3.96 to James Patton for
 we took his note four hundred & ninety bins
 of Oats to U. G. Drake for \$800 per hundred
 paid in Cash.

Total Corn \$167.26
 " Wheat \$119.53

At the 15 day of June 1868 To. Real Estate
 sworn to and subscribed before P. Howe
 me on the 15 day of July 1868

Levil Smith Clerk

Read in open court read and ordered to be
 recorded July Term 1868 Levil Smith Clerk

After giving the notice as was required in
 the Deed of trust made by Edmund Seals to
 Murray & Smith, I offered the described land
 for sale in said deed of trust at the Court
 house door in the town of Spencer Van Buren
 County Tenn. J. B. Murray & H. M. Smith became
 the purchasers at the sum of two hundred and
 twenty six Dollars and fifty cents the full sum
 amount of their debt & interest & all cost they
 being the highest & best bidders which was
 struck off to them.

Debt	\$200.00
Interest	15.81
Levil Smith Clerk fee	2.00
W. L. Steadley Trustee fee	10.69
	\$228.50

By me this 6 day of June 1868
 W. L. Steadley

Sworn to in open court
 this 6th day of July 1868

Levil Smith

Read in open court & ordered to be recorded
 July Term 1868

Levil Smith Clerk

Additional Inventory Elisha Bouldin Decedent's Estate
 Sale 15 August 1868

20 bu wheat to Elizabeth Bouldin	1.50	30.00
20 " " " "	1.55	31.00
20 " " " "	1.55	31.00
8 " " " "	1.53	12.24
16 " " " "	1.05	16.80
20 " " " "	.75	15.00
4 " " " "	.90	3.60
2 1/2 " " Jesse Martin	.50	1.25
One lot of Cabs to Perry Hamrick		1.75
182 kinds of Cabs to Ed Parsons		1.50
One Sile Whip Leather to Marion Coffey		5.00

\$ 146.22

Cash paid for all of the above Sale

Rebilled to Sept 1868

Also on debt in To Show for Ten Dollars Doubtful

N. B. Cummings

Nathan Bouldin

Administrators of E. Bouldin

Subscribed before me

This 15 day of Sept 1868

James A. Hill

J. Clark

Read in open Court Decedent's

will ordered to be recorded

September Term 1868

Levi Smith Clerk

State of Tennessee County Court
 Van Buren County November Term 1868

To W B Cummings a Citizen of said County It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Henry Cummings has died leaving no will and the Court being satisfied to your claim to the administration of the estate of the deceased and having given Bond and Security and qualified as the Law directs and the Court having Ordered that letters of administration issue to you

These are therefore to authorize and empower you to take into your possession and under your control all the goods and chattels claims and papers of said estate and return a true and perfect inventory thereof to our next County Court to collect and pay all debts and to do and transact all the duties in relation to said estate which lawfully devolves upon you as administrator and after having settled up said estate to deliver the residue thereof to those who are entitled

Witness J A Hill Spty Clerk of said Court at office in Spencer this Nov 5th 1868

J A Hill Spty Clerk

State of Lumpkin County Ga.
 vs. William M. Simpson } August Term 1868

To Thomas H. Smith a citizen of said County, it appearing to the satisfaction of this Court that William Simpson has died leaving no will and the Court being satisfied to give claim to the administration of the same and having given bond with security and qualification as the law directs & the Court having ~~ordered~~ that special letters of administration issue to you.

There are therefore to authorize & empower you to take into your possession & under your control all the goods and chattels claims & papers of said estate or so much thereof as may be sufficient to two certain debts one note payable to Thomas Simpson for about fifty Dollars for which said note security and one account to Thomas H. Smith for fifteen Dollars. And to return a true and perfect inventory thereof to our next County Court. To collect and pay those two debts and to do and transact all the duties in relation to said estate which lawfully devolves upon you as administrator & after having settled up said debts to deliver the residue thereof to those who are entitled.

Witness my hand & Clerk of said Court at office in Spencer this 10th day 1868.
 J. A. Hill & Clerk

State of Lumpkin County Ga.
 vs. William M. Simpson } November Term 1868
 To William M. Simpson Citizen of said County
 It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that Nicholas M. Simpson has died leaving a will in which you are appointed Executor which has been duly approved in Open Court and you having been qualified according to law and it having been ordered by the Court that letters testamentary issue you.

There are therefore to empower you to enter upon the execution of said will and take into your possession all the goods and chattels ^{lands and tenements} and papers and make a true and perfect inventory to the next term of the County Court and make due collections debts and after paying all just demands of the testator and settling up the business of the estate according to law you will pay over and deliver all property & effects that remain in your hands and all other things that may be required according to the provisions of said will and the law of the land.

Witness my hand & Clerk of said Court at office in Spencer this 10th day 1868.

J. A. Hill & Clerk

Will of M. M. Simpson
 In the name of God Amen I Nicholas M. Simpson of Murray County State of Georgia Being of sound mind and memory and considering the uncertainty of this frail and transitory life do therefore make Ordain ~~and~~ publish and declare this to be my my last will and testament that is to say first of my estate real and personal. I give bequeath and dispose

of as follows, to wit. To my nephew Edward J. Simpson those two tracts of Land lying and being in the 8th eighth District of the third Section of Originally Cherokee name Murray County in said State of Georgia which said two tracts or lots of land are known and designated in the Original plan of said district by the numbers thirty four (34) and thirty nine (39) containing one hundred and sixty acres more or less and having such shape form and marks as will appear from the plat and grants for the same it being the land bequeathed to me by Solomon Gant on the nineteenth day of November in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty three The said Edward J. Simpson father William M. Simpson to have of he share the benefit of the one half the above described tract of land during his natural lifetime for the purpose of assisting him to raise his family - I want my farm on Mathey Creek two miles above Rock Mills in Randolph County in the State of Alabama containing three hundred ~~and~~ ^{and} twenty acres more or less ^{and} the money appropriated to the paying my just debts and funeral expenses - I want to be buried at a respectable burying ground and in a respectable manner and a respectable Marble Monument erected over my grave with proper inscriptions engraved on it. The remainder of my estate real and personal ~~deceased~~ ^{deceased} equally amongst James M. Simpson's heirs Mary and West and Luverna Wood and my Brother William M. Simpson except Luverna Wood is to have two hundred and fifty dollars more than the rest of living for the purpose of buying her a good gentle nag and Buggy and if not living the two hundred and fifty dollars to be null and void But her heirs to draw her equal share

Likewise I make constitute and appoint my Brother William M. Simpson and Denny Cumming to be my executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made in writing whereof I have here unto subscribed my name and affixed my seal this 22nd day of June in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty eight
 W. M. Simpson

The above written instrument was subscribed by the said Nicholas M. Simpson in our presence and acknowledged by him to each of us and he at the same time published and the above instrument so subscribed to be his last will and testament and we at the Testator's request and in his presence have signed our names as his witnesses unto and written opposite our names our respective places of residence
 N. F. Burnett 8th District Sequalache County
 Isaac Hicks 6th " " " " " " " " " "

State of Tennessee personally appeared before Van Buren County, I Me J. A. Hill & Clerk of said County N. F. Burnett and Isaac Hicks the subscribing witnesses to the within will who being first sworn deposed and said that they are acquainted with Nicholas M. Simpson deceased and that he acknowledged the same in their presence to be his act and deed upon the day it bears date writing my hand at office this 10th 9th 1868

J. A. Hill & Clerk
 for said County

State of Tennessee Van Buren County

In the name of God Amen
 I, Joseph Cummings Sr being in feeble health
 of body but of a disposing mind and memory do make
 and publish this my last will and Testament hereby
 revoking all former wills by me at any time
 made. I commend my spirit to my merciful
 Creator Redeemer and Sanctifier and in
 the hope of a joyful resurrection.

I commit my body in Christian burial
 to the earth in the manner and form that my
 beloved wife may direct. I direct that all
 my just debts including funeral and all other
 expenses be paid out of the first monies that
 may come to the hand of my executor.

I bequeath to my beloved wife all my house
 hold and kitchen furniture all the provisions
 on hand and all of my stock of every kind
 that I may die possessed of and that my
 beloved wife may dispose of the same in any
 manner she may think right and just.

I will and direct that all my lands in
 in Civil District No 3 in the County and state
 above said be divided among the following named
 children in manner and form as follows viz

First lot of land to my son Joseph Cummings
 be laid off adjoining the lands of W B Cummings
 commencing at a point on my East boundary line
 running thence west to my west boundary line
 so as to include one hundred and one acres.

Second lot of land to my son Denney Cummings
 to commence at a point on my East boundary
 line running thence west to my west boundary
 line so as to include in value equal to the first
 lot adjoining and south of the first lot.

The remainder of my lands to be equally divided
 among my three daughters to wit Sarah C
 Whitley Margaret Cummings and Nancy Ann
 Cummings. I will and direct that a division
 of the above lands be not made until after
 the death of my beloved wife with authority

my children above named may cultivate the
 lands above laid off to each of them with and
 by the consent of my beloved wife so as to
 not deprive her of the possession of the house
 and enough land upon which to make her a
 support during her natural life. Should
 any of my children above named die with
 out issue his or her part of the lands above
 named and laid off be equally divided
 among his or her brothers and sisters above
 named. I hereby appoint W B Cummings & Co
 Cummings with full power to carry out this
 my will and to decide my children as I have
 directed without the aid of a court and to
 settle all disputes that may arise between
 my children about the division of my lands
 and other property and to do and perform
 all other duties that may be required of them
 in carrying out this my last will and testament.
 In witness whereof I have hereunto set my
 hand this 28th day of April 1868.

Joseph Cummings
 Signed by the said Joseph Cummings in and for
 his last will and testament and in the presence
 who at his request in his sight and presence
 and in the presence of each other have
 subscribed their names as attesting witnesses
 this the 28th day of April A D 1868

On C. Morgan
 G. M. Cummings

On Motion of W B Cummings it appears to the
 Court that Simon P. Dutton and Peter Carter Justices
 of the regular quorum are incompetent to act in
 this case - John J. Walker & James & Gaston Justices
 for said County are called to the bench in the room
 and stead of said Dutton and Carter where
 it appeared to the Court that Joseph Cummings Sr
 who last dwelt in Van Buren County has
 died leaving a last will and Testament
 duly signed witnessed and proved in
 open Court it is ordered that the will

be received as the last will and
testament of the said Joseph Cummings
deceased and that the same be recorded
Leol Smith clerk
By J. H. Hill & Co.

State of Tennessee
Van Buren County Clerk's office Dec Term 1868

Inventory of property of the estate
of Nicholas M. Simpson deceased
1 Gray horse sold for seventy two dollars
and fifty cents Greenback money \$72.50
1 Ring & 1 bracelet on hands
December 1st 4th 1868
Wm. M. Simpson Executor

Sworn to in open Court approved and
ordered to be recorded Dec 6th
1868
Leol Smith Clerk
By J. H. Hill & Co.

Clerk's office Sh. v. W. C. L. Jan. 4th 1869
I Leol Smith clerk of Van Buren County Court
have this day made settlement with Isaac H. Hoston
Administrator of the Estate of David Hoston deceased
as follows to wit

I find him chargeable in his last settlement
made on the 25th 1867 one hundred &
eighty five 82

Interest on same one year & 11 months \$145.82
making in all 205.79

By Daniel M. Hoston Per Rec'd
June 12th 1867 for 19.40
Interest on same 18 months 1.74

Arthur Mitchell Receipt April 21st
1868 for 19.50

Interest on same 4 months .78
Receipt for Arthur Mitchell Atty
per Isaac Dowd W. C. Hoston 19.00
April 21st 1868 Interest on same .78

By Rec'd of David Hoston Admin. here of
W. C. Hoston 3.25
" Rec'd of Samuel Hoston 5.25
Administrator for Services 5.00
Paid clerk fee 1.25
Leaving a balance in his
hands 72.45
155.34

Leol Smith clerk
By J. H. Hill & Co. clerk
Sworn to before me
this January 4th 1869

Robt. Hill & Co. clerk
Read in open Court and
Ordered to be recorded
Leol Smith clerk
By J. H. Hill & Co.

State of Tennessee
Van Buren County
County Court
January Term 1869

Is Dorcas Shockley & W. B.
Cummings

It appearing to the satisfaction
of the Court that Samuel Shockley deceased
leaving no will and the Court
being satisfied as to goods claimed
by the administration of the estate of
Samuel Shockley deceased and given
having given bond with security
and qualified as the law directs and
the Court having ordered that letters
of administration be issued to you

There are therefore to
authorize and empower you to take
into your possession and under
your control all the goods and chattels
claims and papers of said estate and
return a true and perfect inventory
thereof to our next County Court

I do certify and pay all debts and to do and transmit the duties relating to said estate which lawfully devolves upon me as administrator and after having settled up said estate to deliver the residue thereof to them who are entitled. Witness my hand and the seal of said County at office in Spencer Mass. January 7th 1869

L. A. Hill & Collier

Clerks office Spencer Term.

January 4th 1869

I Leila Smith Clerk of said County Court have this day made settlement with said J. W. Houston Administrator of the estate of David Houston deceased as follows to-wit

I find him charged for his last settlement made July 28th 1867 one hundred and eighty five dollars & 81/100
 185.82
 Interest on same 19.97
 Making in all 205.79

On

Received of M. G. Hoastons receipt in full 19.40
 Interest on same 18 months 1.74
 " Arthur Mitchell receipt April 21st 1868 19.00
 Interest on same 8 mos 78
 " Receipt from Arthur Mitchell atty for same in 1868 46.88
 Interest on same 8 mos 78
 " Receipt of David Houston balance due of J. W. Houston 32.5
 " David Houston 32.5
 " Balance due for his services 3.00

State of Maine 3 January 1869
 District Court County of Lincoln

Clerks office Lincoln
 Inventory of the goods and chattels rights and credits of Henry Cummings deceased which have come to my possession or in the possession of any other person for me also a true and perfect account of same by me as follows to wit One lot of books to Wm Wright Shookley for \$28.00
 One lot of hay to Joseph Cummings for \$16.55
 Joseph Cummings reports that Henry Cummings had paid in for the following property to wit

One horse	40.00
One wagon	6.00
" Cart	1.00
" Steers	15.00
" Hf of Bull	8.00
One County Claim for 371 for	84.17
" Account " 423 "	11.65
" " an. Stewart Clerk for	5.00
" " W. M. Simpson	1.00
Cash on hands	95.00

Reported this 5th day of January 1869

H. B. Cummings Adm.

Subscribed in open Court
 read approved and ordered
 to be recorded

Leila Smith Clerk
 by L. A. Hill & Collier

State of Virginia
 District Court of the Eastern District
 of the County of Loudoun
 In and for the County of Loudoun
 I, the undersigned, Clerk of the said Court,
 do hereby certify that the within and
 foregoing is a true and correct copy
 of the original of the within and
 foregoing as the same appears from the
 records of the said Court.

- Inventory of effects which have come to my hands
 as administrator of the estate of Abraham Drake
 Decr. April 21/66
- 1 note on E. C. S. note of J. S. Drake, dated April 21/66, payable to order of the administrator for \$100.00, date the 6th June 1866, twelve months after date.
 - 1 note on S. R. W. & Co. Adams Express Co. executed to Wm. H. Drake, Administrator, for the month after date & date April 25th 1866 per \$50.00
 - 1 note on J. D. Pomeroy, executed to Wm. H. Drake, August 3rd 1865 one day after date.

I cannot find but a list of J. D. Pomeroy in the note is considered worthless.

- 1 Account on C. S. Drake, note dated 1866 for \$100.00 and plank \$5.69
- 1 Account on W. S. Huddleston, note dated 1866 for \$100.00 and plank per late amount I cannot give
- 1 Receipt on C. S. Drake, Sheriff, given to Wm. H. Drake for a note on C. S. Drake, note dated 1866 for \$100.00 and plank per late amount I cannot give

Clerks Office February 1869

S. Leail Smith Clerk of Van Buren County Court have this day proceeded to Make Settlement with Elvira Page Administratrix of John S. Page deceased as follows after giving the Notice's required by law to wit

I find her chargeable in her Inventory and Report of Sale with the Amount of \$5493.74 Three Thousand four hundred and ninety three Dollars and seventy four cents

She is now chargeable with Interest Accrued to the Amount of \$5.69

Total Charges 3499.33

She is now entitled to the following Credits to wit,

Paid B.L. Simmons per tax Receipt in 1867	1.40
Paid Edwin Sparkman per tax Receipt in 1866	4.92
" J. H. Cameron " " " " 1868	3.73
" Charles Smith " " " " 1868	2.10
Paid J. J. Haston proven Act,	7.00
" Theodore Dearfind proven Act per Receipt	8.00
Paid Leail Smith Clerk per Receipt Aug 20/66	7.50
" B.L. Simmons per tax Receipt for 1868	1.90
" Stanley & Griswold per Receipt for	
Surging Clothes	30.57
" W.E.B. Jones Atty fee per Receipt in the case of John S. Page vs. Gittentine March 1st 1866	9.00
by Clarks Certificate to probate & Stamp	2.00
by Plunk per Jo Taylor for Coffin	1.50
on Settlement on Wm Dodson Act.	1.25
Paid John Hotterman per Receipt Smith Act,	1.00
Paid Holton Registering Deed in white County	2.10
Paid Charles Smith per tax Receipt in white County in 1866	2.66
Paid George Hark for Schooling in 1866/7/8	39.50
Paid Clarks per Certificate to L. Yorks Act.	.50
Paid John Frogg Adams of J.B. Smith	103.23
by act paid Asa Johnson in the year 1868	10.00
Paid Young & Penkins Attys in the case on W. Miller by the hands of Frogg	25.00
Paid H. M. Allen forty seven Dollars on Settlement of Act having reported an Act in her	

Inventory against said Allen which was said on of \$30.51 and said Allen proved an Act which over tax said Act the amount above named

I give her credit for the said Act Amount in all 66.00
 Cr on Settlement with Henry Thompson 99.18
 Paid A.P. M. Elroy Attorney fee for the Estate per Receipt dated Feb. 23, 1869 100.00
 Cr Amounting to \$427.99

Then the following debts and Accounts are uncollected and have been filed with the Adm^r of the respective debtors to wit

1 on John Duncan of	\$ 22.30
1 on Alexander Huff	1.00
1 on Fulvid Evans	2.50
1 on Ed. Franklin	2.00
1 on Andrew Higgins	37.88
1 on Alexander Huff	6.88
1 on Jerry C. Poore	10.17
1 on Geo. Upchurch	5.50
1 on Andrew Huff	11.00
1 on Wm. Poore	20.20
1 on John Williams Dec ^d by J.L. Wright Adm ^r	52.60
1 on Alexander Huff	8.00
1 on R.W. Hurt	49.16
1 on Abner Phillips	15.00
1 on Pleasant Miller	603.33
with Credits Amounting 260, due	343.33
1 on Madison Moore	10.00
1 on Syrus Billingsby	5.00

Accounts filed with Administrators Amounting to the sum of \$1228.11

Then the following debts have been levied on Land and is yet uncollected

1 On Rebecca Williams for	\$5.00
1 On Isaac D. Smith Land sold	36.76
1 On Samuel Palk	13.50
1 On Robert Gray	5.00
Amount levied on Land	\$60.26

Amount in Course of Collection \$129,57	
Then there is debt which the Administration reports Insolvent and worthless which is uncollected Amounting as follows to wit	
1 Oct, on James Finley	\$7,50
" " " Jackson Williams	5,00
" " " Hiram Crabtree	9,50
" " " Peter Singletary	4,64
" " " Armstrong Miller	10,00
" " " Thomas Hiley	22,50
" " " James Calaborn	,75
" " " George Moody	1,50
" " " Wm, C. Wood	1,60
" " " Joel Buttram	5,00
" " " Henry Luggle	5,00
" " " Jerry Poore	2,51
" " " Parker Young	1,75
" " " John Cager	9,50
" " " John Sherrell	5,00
" " " Samuel Nealy	12,00
" " " Thomas Trellly	3,00
" " " Squire Buck	3,75
" " " Arch Davidson	16,56
" " " Fleming Paty	10,00
" " " James Kagen	2,50
" " " Fredrick Highsaw	8,26
" " " Robert Nealy	2,50
" " " Ed, Franklin	2,00
" " " Robert North	15,00
" " " Charles Madewell	4,50
" " " Wm J. Baty	1,00
" " " David Smith	,50
" " " David C. Trarice	14,75
" " " Henry Whitehead	4,50
" " " John Young	11,00
" " " Nancy Taylor	2,25
" " " Nathaniel Price	9,00
" " " Wm D. Owens	1,87
" " " Thomas Huddleston	,65
" " " John Davis	3,00

" " Lewis Hoover	2,00
" " Wm Baty	10,00
" " Reuben Sreaddy	25,00
" " George Young	6,00
" " John P. Martin	4,00
" " Robert Kelly	13,00
" " John Wood	11,00
" " Caloway Poore	4,00
" " Joseph Crockett	,50
" " Ely Stanley	,50
" " Elijah York	10,00
" " Balem Stephens	32,00
" " Russ Hildreth	38,00
" " Solomon Northrup	41,26
" " James Latham	6,00
" " Andrew Northrup	10,00
" " Robert Brown	10,00
" " Chasly Prier	11,00
" " Washington Upchurch	5,50
" " John Smith	,50
" " Hiram Simpson	26,75
" " James Cowan	1,50
" " James B. Calaborn	16,00
" " John Reder	1,00
" " Susan Combs	4,00
" " Robert Walker	,50
" " Thomas H. Baty	4,60
" " Cammell Huddleston	1,00
" " George Stinson	5,00
" " Joseph Griffin	3,37
" " Joseph Poore	5,00
" " Wm Huchely	3,50
" " Thomas H. With	2,00
" " Andrew Canatsey	3,50
" " Morgan Canatsey	10,50
" " James Poore	3,00
" " Julius Johnson	8,96
" " Daniel Ball	1,50
" " Alcan Wright	39,25
" " John Ricks	4,00