

The State of South Carolina } In the Court
Newberry District } of Ordinary.
To A. K. Boyd Esquire Judge of the Court
of Ordinary for said district.

The petition of Henry Darby, John
Darby, James Darby, Nancy Wood, Francis
Darby, Henry Sater and Susan his wife,
and Mary his wife, &
Asa Darby sheweth:

That Rebecca Darby died
intestate on the 5th of June 1850, seized
and possessed in fee simple of a tract
of land lying in the district of presic
containing one hundred & thirty nine
acres more or less adjoining lands of
George Turnipseed, Asa Darby, John Darby,
John of Samuel Hatcher; and
leaving as her only heirs and next of
kin her sons and daughters, your petitioners
Henry Darby, John, James, Nancy, Francis,
Susan, and Mary, and Asa, and
one family of grand children, the children
of Elizabeth Ballentine, deceased daughter
of said intestate, ^{as follows:}
namely, William Ballentine, Edward
Ballentine, Lauren Ballentine, Jane
Ballentine, Leander Ballentine and
Warren Ballentine all of whom are
infants under twenty one year of age.
And that the said tract of
land is worth not exceeding one thousand
dollars and remaining to be partitioned
among the said heirs of the said
Rebecca Darby.

Wherefore your petitioners pray
that the said William, Edward,
Lauren, Jane, Leander and Warren Ballentine
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may be made partition defendant to
this suit and that partition may be
made of the said tract of land among
the said heirs of the said. Rebecca
Darby deceased according to their
respective rights and interests:

Jesse P Poole

Henry Darby
Henry & Road
mark

George Blair

James Darby
John Darby
Francis Darby
mark
Asa Darby
Henry Subor
this
Susannah & Darby
mark

J. W. McCallis

The State of South Carolina
Newberry District

In the Court of Ordinary
To H. N. Boyd Ordinary of

Newberry District -

The petition of Asa Darby Shewett
that his mother Mrs Rebecca Darby departed this
life on the 5th day of June 1855. Intestate, having
her domicile in the District aforesaid and State
of South Carolina at the time of her death -
leaving her surviving as her only heirs and
distributees your petitioners, Henry Darby, John-
James, Nancy, Francis, Mary Darby and one family
of grand children the children Elizabeth Ballentine
deceased. His in answer -
That the said dec^d was possessed of a small
personal property which has not as yet been
administered upon -

Wherefore your petitioners
prays that Administration of all singular
the goods & chattels, rights & credits which were
of the said dec^d may be granted to him
and that letters do issue -
December 2^d 1855 -

Asa Darby

State of South Carolina

District of Greenville & Whereas Rebecca Darby late of Newberry District died in said District of Newberry, leaving an estate both real and personal, And whereas Nancy Wood one of the heirs of the said Rebecca Darby has died without receiving her share of said estate; And whereas we Benjamin F. Goodlett and Rebecca F. Goodlett wife of said Benjamin F. Goodlett are the sole surviving heirs of the said Nancy Wood and are entitled to the distributive share of the said Nancy Wood in the estate both real and personal of the late Rebecca Darby-

Now know all men by these presents that we the said Benjamin F. Goodlett and Rebecca F.

Goodlett wife of the said Benjamin F. Goodlett both of Greenville District and the State aforesaid by and under good causes and considerations as merchants moving have made, constituted and appointed James Darby our lawful Attorney, for us in our names and in our behalfs to bring to a reckoning, and to adjust and settle accounts with all and every person and persons whomsoever, and especially with the ordinary of Newberry District, who is or are or shall be indebted to us on account of the estate of the late Rebecca Darby deceased; And by all lawful ways and means to demand, recover and receive all such sums of money, as now are or shall become due and payable to us from any person or persons whomsoever as aforesaid; And upon receipt thereof or any part thereof in our names to execute and deliver sufficient acquittances, discharges and receipts for the same,

And further to do all lawful acts and to do
whatsoever concerning the premises as aforesaid and
effectually in every respect in our names as
we could do if we were personally present
hereby ratifying and confirming all and
whatsoever our said Attorney-at-Law (Darby)
shall lawfully do or cause to be done in our
names in and about the premises.
In testimony whereof we have hereunto set
our hands and seals this 4th day of October
in the year 1832

B. F. Goodlett

Abner F. Goodlett

State of South Carolina
Crawville District
I, John W. Wooten
a Magistrate in and for the District of Craw-
ville and State aforesaid, do hereby certify
unto all whom it may concern, that
Benjamin F. Goodlett and his wife Rebecca
F. Goodlett did this day appear before me
and sign, seal, and affix their wet and due
delivered the foregoing power of attorney of or in
his and purports therein specified,
Given under my hand and seal
this 4th day of October in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and
thirty two and in the seventy seventh year
of the sovereignty and independence of the United States,
John W. Wooten
M. G. P.

The Estate of Rebecca Darby Dec^d in
 1850. Made up to the first of Jan^y
 Sept 6. Paid John Glynn on
 account for Dying. App^d 1840
 you swear that the above Return is
 sworn to before me
 June 23rd 1852
 C. P. Lake
 O. N. D

A. Settlement on the Estate of Rebecca (u
 1850 Paid out as per Return 1840
 Add 2^{yr} coins
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 \$ 18.56

Districtees names & parts of

1 Mary, Suber, wife of	Elkins	\$ 93.23
2 Rebecca, Goddard, wife of	Dwy, Goddard	\$ 93.23
3 Susan Suber, wife of	Henry, Suber	\$ 93.23
4 Francis Darby		\$ 93.23
5 Henry, Darby		\$ 93.23
6 John, Darby		\$ 93.23
7 James, Darby		\$ 93.23
8 Asa, Darby		\$ 93.23
9 children of Elizabeth Balentine		
1 William Balentine		\$ 15.54
2 Edward Balentine		\$ 15.54
3 Larrison Balentine		\$ 15.54
4 James Balentine		\$ 15.54
5 Sander Balentine		\$ 15.54
6 Warren Balentine		\$ 15.54

in acct with Asa. Derby. Administrator
June 1852

is just to the best of your knowledge & belief
i Yrs L. V. S. by
J. D. K. R.

a Derby Dec 1852 Asa Derby Admin.
By Amaint. of Sale Bill

Recd 1 Dec. 1857	889.48
Deduct 2 1/2 c. coms	<u>22.23</u>
	867.25
Deduct contra payment	<u>18.86</u>
	848.39

Add interest on \$848.39 from

1 Dec. 1857. To 1 June 1852	\$29.67
Deduct 2 1/2 c. coms	<u>74.28.95</u>
	\$877.34

Deduct 2 1/2 c. coms for paying out	<u>21.94</u>
	\$855.40

Deduct H. K. Boyd. money fees	\$8.25
" E. P. Lake "	<u>8.00</u>
	16.25
Amount Due 1 st June 1852	\$839.15