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Witness the honorabel Benson Roberts one of the Justices of the Court of Ordinary this 6th day of August eighteen hundred and forty nine.

Wiley C. Mangham C.C.O.

STATE OF GEORGIA)
PIKE COUNTY

Clk's office court of Ordinary.

I Wiley C. Mangham clerk of said Court do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy from the minutes of said Court of the appointment of Thomas N. Willis & William J. Willis administrators of the estate of Joel J. Willis deceased and also a true copy of their original letters of administration of said estate issued to them. Given under my hand and seal of office at Zebulon in the County and State aforesaid this the 21st day of January A.D. 1852.

Wiley E. Mangham C.C.O.P.C.

STATE OF GEORGIA)
PIKE COUNTY

I John N. Mangham one of the Justices of the Inferior Court in and for said County do hereby certify that Wiley E. Mangham whose genuine signature appears to the above certificate is clerk of the Court of Ordinary in and for the County & State aforesaid duly commissioned and qualified and that all his official acts as such are entitled to full faith and credit and that the same is in due form of law. Given under my hand and seal this 21st day of January 1852.

John N. Mangham J. J. C. (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Office of Judge of Probate

Be it remembered that on the 6th day of March 1852 the foregoing instrument was filed for Record in this office & duly recorded on the same day of the same month & year in Record of Wills Vol 2. P. 292.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

JAMES E. HAYGOOD'S WILL

ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

December 19, 1851.

Know all men by these presents, that I, James E. Haygood, of the County and State aforesaid, being weak in body, but sound in mind do make this my last will and testament, revoking all others.

Article 1st. I design that my just debts be paid first.

Article 2d. I give my whole estate to my beloved wife, Mary Haygood, after all my just debts are paid; so long as she remains my widow, but she married, she must take her lawful share, that is the third of the real estate, and fifth of the personal property, and the balance is to be divided equally amongst all my children, namely, Lemuel D. Haygood, William K. Haygood, George F. Haygood, James P. Haygood, Mary T. E. Haygood.

Article 3d. I design after the death of my beloved wife, all the property, remaining of or belonging to the aforesaid estate, be equally divided amongst all my children.

Article 4th. I appoint my beloved wife Mary Haygood, my executor with out security.

Given under my hand and seal, this 19th December 1851.

Test: Joseph Greer } Jas. E. Haygood (seal)
Jes. E. Dawson }
O. H. P. Dawson }

Assigned, sealed and delivered, in the presence of the above named witnesses.

WILLIAM PULLIN'S WILL

I William Pullin, of the County of Chambers, State of Alabama, being of sound mind and disposing mind, memory and understanding, do make, publish, and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making null and void, all former last wills and testaments, and writings in the nature of last wills and testaments by me heretofore made.

My will is first, that my funeral charges and just debts shall be paid by my executor hereinafter named.

The residue of my estate and property, which shall not be required for the payment of my just debts, funeral charges, and the expenses attending the execution of this my will, and the administration of my estate, I give devise and dispose thereof, as follows, to wit: I give and devise to my beloved wife, Martha F. Pullin, all the residue of my estate and property, to be divided between my children, according to her best judgment.

Also, I desire her to control my property, to the best of her ability, for the purpose of educating and raising my children, and if it is necessary to dispose of any of the property, she can do so.

I do nominate and appoint my beloved wife Martha F. Pullin, to be the sole executrix of this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof, I, the said William Pullin, have here subscribed my name, and affixed my seal, this fourteenth day of February in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty two.

Signed, sealed and declared, by the said William Pullin, to be his last will and testament, in presence of us, who at his request, and in his presence, have subscribed our names as witnesses hereto.

J. S. Matthews }
Wm. H. Johnson }
Edmund H. Matthews }

JOSHUA J. GRIFFITH'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Item 1st. First, I, Joshua J. Griffith, do will and bequeath myself to God and his mercies, Amen.

Item the 2d. Secondly. I will and desire to bequeath the payment of all my just debts, out of my property.

Item the 3d. Thirdly. After my debts are paid, I will and bequeath the remainder of my property unto my brother Joel Griffith, and his heirs, to have and to hold, absolutely and forever.

In testimony of which, I hereby acknowledge, this to be my last will and testament, and do hereby sign and affix my hand and seal, this December the 8th in the year anno domini, one thousand eight hundred and fifty one, and lastly I do hereby appoint my brother Joel Griffith, my executor, on my estate.

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of Joshua J. Griffith (seal)
E. H. Mobley
James M. Smith
Barley Harris

MARY TRAMMELL'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

In the name of God, Amen.

I Mary Trammell of said State and County, being at this time of feeble body, but of sound and disposing mind, and knowing that life is but short and, uncertain, and death certain, do on this the sixth day of August, in the year of our Lord, eighteen hundred and fifty one, make and publish, this my last will and testament, in manner and form as follows, to wit:

Item first: I desire that all my just debts be paid.

Item second. I give and bequeath to my son, Dranford L. Trammell, the sum of one dollar, also to my grand children, the children of my daughter Milcah Stroud, who may be living at my decease, on dollar each. Also to my daughter Nancy Stroud, I give one bed, one bedstead and furniture.

Item third: I give and bequeath to my son John Trammell, the following named negroes to wit: Ray a woman and her three children, to wit: Colonel, Anderson, and Null, also Eliza and her two children, to wit: Missouri Butler, and John Quincy Adams. Also one bedstead, and furniture.

Item fourth. I give and bequeath to my son, Farr Harris Trammell, a negro man named America. Also all my land, it being about four hundred acres, be the same more or less. Also one bed, bedstead and furniture, also one chest.

Item fifth: I will and bequeath to Leah Maddox's children, my grand children, or their legal representatives each, one hundred dollars, to be paid by my executors in the following manner, to each of said children, (or their legal representatives,) fifty dollars to be paid eighteen months after my death, without interest, and fifty dollars to each of said children, (or their legal representatives) to be paid thirty months after my decease, without interest.

Item sixth: I give and bequeath, the balance of my estate, my household and kitchen furniture, my stock of horses, hogs, sheep and cattle, and all other property, I may have at the time of my decease, and not herein disposed of, to my two sons, John Trammell, and Farr Harris Trammell, to be equally divided between them share and share alike.

Item seventh. I do hereby revoke all other wills and testaments by me heretofore made, and do hereby appoint my two sons, John Trammell, and Farr Harris Trammell, my executors, to execute this my last will and testament.

In testimony of all which, aforesaid, I do hereto subscribe my hand and affix my seal, this the day and year first aforesaid.

Signed, sealed and published in the presence of us, as witnesses, August 6, 1851. her Mary K Trammell (seal)
G. W. Smartt }
Jacob L. Brown } mark
Gibson P. Hill }

ANNA REESE'S WILL

ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I, Anna Reese of the State and County aforesaid, being of a sound and disposing mind and understanding, and desiring to dispose of such worldly goods as I am possessed of, do make and ordain this my last will and testament, in manner and form following.

Item 1st. I give and bequeath to George Reese a certain negro girl, named Margaret in trust and for the sole use and benefit of Dr. A. H. Reese, during his natural life, and should he die leaving no lawful issue, then the aforesaid girl Margaret, with her increase, shall revert to his surviving brothers.

Item 2. I will and direct, that a boy named Derry, be sold, also a negro boy named Jim, a carpenter, also a negro boy named January also a carpenter be sold, (and I desire that neither of the above named negroes, be sold beyond the reach of their respective wives & family,) together with all my personal property, of every description and kind not otherwise disposed of.

Item 3d. I give to my daughter Mary S. Cherry, all the furniture I have in Pendleton, and I give to my daughter in law Mary A. Reese, all my furniture beds and books, that may be on hand, or in my possession at my death.

Item 4th. I will and bequeath, to the daughters of my son Horatio Reese, who may be living or alive at my death, to each the sum of forty dollars, to be paid one year after my death, and to Anna Ellis, my silver cup, if living at my death.

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Item 5th. I will and bequeath, to Mary S. Cherry, the sum of three hundred dollars, to be paid one year after my death.

Item 6th. I will and desire that the rest and residue of my estate, be equally divided between Susan Harris, David A. Reese, Geo. Reese, Thomas S. Reese, James H. Reese, the two together, to wit: William H. and Charles S. Reese to get together an amount equal to the share of any of my children, named in this clause, and the same to be divided equally between them, and to be paid one year, together with the rest of the legacies, after my death.

Item 7th. I desire that my executor or executors hand over to Dr. A. H. Reese, a certain note for two hundred & fifty two dollars, payable to Doct. G. H. Reese, dated 20th. May 1846, with a credit of two hundred and fifty three dollars & 63/100, dated 21st May 1846, the same I relinquish to him, with whatever interest may have accrued thereon.

I do hereby nominate and constitute, my sons Geo. Reese, and James H. Reese, my executors to this my last will and testament, revoking all former wills.

In testimony whereof, I have this day signed and set my seal, in presence of,
 James A. Cherry } this 23d of April 1849. Anna Reese (seal)
 Mary S. Cherry }
 William J. Witherspoon }

A. H. SCOTT'S WILL

In the name of God, Amen.

I, being of sound mind, of free bodily health, do make this my last will and testament.

1st. In the event that my wife Ann C. Scott, should survive me, I give and bequeath to her the following property, to wit: my negro man Alfred and his wife Nina, and Eleanor, and during her natural life, and at her death, to be sold or equally divided, if sold, the proceeds to be equally divided between my four sons, W. J. Scott, H. M. Scott, F. C. Scott, W. F. Scott, and my daughter Matilda J. Foster.

2d. I will to Anna A. Foster my grand daughter, and the heirs of her body, my girl Harriett, about seven years old.

3d. I will to F. C. Scott, my boy Henry, and one hundred dollars, to be paid out of the sale of my land in Georgia.

4th. I will to my son, W. F. Scott, my boy William and two hundred dollars, to be paid out of the sale of my land in Georgia.

5th. To my son, W. J. Scott, I will my boy Albert.

6th. I will to my son Henry M. Scott, my negro girl Mary Ella.

7th. I will the house and lands, where I now live, to my wife, Ann C. Scott during her natural life, and at her death, to be sold, and the proceeds divided equally between my sons F. C., and W. F. Scott, but I empower my wife to sell the said house and lands, at any time during her life, should she wish to move away, but one half of the proceeds of the sale, to go to my sons, F. C., and W. F. Scott.

I will at the death of my wife, Ann C. Scott, that all my household and kitchen furniture, (with the exception of one bed and furniture, to be given to each of sons W. F., & F. C. Scott,) to be sold, and the proceeds divided equally between any thing over, to be divided equally between Matilda J. Foster, W. J. Scott, and H. M. Scott. I will that all my real estate in Georgia, mostly lands, be sold to the best advantage, and I appoint W. J. Scott, and Henry M. Scott, as my agents either on or both of them, to sell the same, and make good fee simple titles, to any one that may purchase. I do this to avoid the expense of the formal manner of advertising and selling of said lands, after paying expenses, be equally divided between my children M. J. Foster, W. J. Scott, H. M. Scott, F. C. Scott, and W. F. Scott. I will the residue of my estate, consisting of notes, bonds and accounts, in the hands of my executors, and when collected to be paid over to my wife. I appoint W. J. Scott and H. M. Scott, my executors, to carry out this my will.

In witness whereof, I have set my hand and seal, this fifth day of May, 1852.

In the presence of
 G. E. Roadley, (seal)
 J. C. Carlyle (seal)
 D. E. Kay (seal)

A. H. Scott, (seal)

JEPHTHAH WILKERSON'S WILL

GEORGIA
 TROUP COUNTY

I, Jephthah Wilkerson, of the State and County aforesaid, desire to be thankful to our Heavenly Benefactor for his goodness & protecting care over me, in that I am at this time enjoying good health and blessed with the privilege of writing with my own hand, my desire relative to the management and distribution, of my property and effects, after my death. And as I know not what day nor hour, I may be taken from this world. I do hereby make and declare, the following to be my last will and testament, viz: That my beloved wife Ann Wilkerson, have full and unconditional control of every part and particle of my property both real and personal, to use, conduct, buy, sell, and carry on matters, relative to the family or property aforesaid, as in her own right, or as in her judgement she may think best, or most advantageous, during her life; and at her death, it is my will, that the whole of the property and effects aforesaid be equally divided among my children, viz: Elizabeth Jane Wilkerson, Susan Ann, Sophrona Wilkerson and James Milton Wilkerson, to be secured to them & their heirs of their body.

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Provided, however, that in case my wife Ann W. Wilkerson, should at any time, during her widowhood, or in case of her intermarriage should wish to have portion of said estate allotted to her in her own right, it is my will, that an equal division be made between her and my children aforesaid, each to receive an equal or distributive share of the whole estate.

And it is further my will, that my beloved wife, Ann W. Wilkerson, be my exrx. to attend to the execution of this my will, that immediately after my death, she have this will recorded; and have the whole estate appraised, according to law; and that she have said appraisement recorded; and that she make no other return or returns whatever; until it becomes necessary to make a division of the said estate, among the legatees as aforesaid; then for said division to be conducted & recorded according to law. And for the further execution of this my last will and testament, after the death of wife Ann W. Wilkerson, it is my will that James H. Montgomery, Jasper County, David F. Montgomery of Newton County, & Eldred Wilkerson of Troup County, be my executors, to complete the execution thereof.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 22d July 1843.
 Acknowledged in presence of Jephthah Wilkerson (seal)
 Thomas Jackson
 Gillum Walston }

DANIEL FRASER'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
 CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Daniel Fraser W. H. Whatley, & Wright Garrett, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 3d day of April 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Daniel Fraser, has been appointed administrator de bonis non, of the estate of Jesse P. Lindsey, deceased; now, if the said Daniel Fraser, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him, as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded, Daniel Fraser (seal)
 April 3, 1852. Wright Garrett (seal)
 Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate W. H. Whatley (seal)
 In the third instant

ANN W. AND ELDRED WILKERSON'S EXECUTOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
 CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Ann W. Wilkerson, and Eldred Wilkerson, principals and L. B. Phillips, and J. W. Carlisle, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twenty six thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 21st day of June 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Ann W. Wilkerson, and Eldred Wilkerson, have been appointed executrix and executor of the last will and testament of Jephthah Wilkerson, deceased; now, if the said Ann W. Wilkerson, and Eldred Wilkerson, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of them as such executors, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded, Ann W. Wilkerson (seal)
 June 21, 1852. Eldred Wilkerson (seal)
 Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate L. B. Phillips (seal)
 J. W. Carlisle (seal)

MARTHA J. PULLIN'S BOND. EXECUTRIX.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
 CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha J. Pullin, principal, and John S. Matthews, and John Williams, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 18th day of May 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Martha J. Pullin, has been appointed executrix, of the estate of William Pullin deceased; now, if the said Martha J. Pullin, shall well and truly perform all the duties, which are or may be by law required of her, as such executrix, then, the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved, and ordered to be recorded, Martha J. Pullin (seal)
 Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate J. S. Matthews (seal)
 John Williams (seal)

JAMES SHARMAN'S GUARDIAN BOND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James Sharman, principal, Richard Thurman, Ellison Blackman, and Robert J. Sharman, secutities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 18th day of May 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James Sharman, has been appointed guardian, of the estate of Clement B. Sharman minor heir of Clement Sharman deceased; Now, if the said James Sharman, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

James Sharman (seal)
Richard Thurman (seal)
Ellison Blackman (seal)
Robert J. Sharman (seal)

BENJAMIN JACOBS'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Benjamin Jacobs, principal, and Mordicai Jacobs Jr. and Charles McLemore, secutities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 9th day of April 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Benjamin Jacobs has been appointed guardian of the estate of Eleanor O. Jacobs, a minor daughter of said Benjamin Jacobs; Now, if the said Benjamin Jacobs shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

Benjamin Jacobs (seal)
Mordicai Jacobs (seal)
Charles McLemore (seal)

JAMES A. CHERRY'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James A. Cherry principal, and John T. Sheppard and Edwin A. Cherry secutities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of forty five hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 5th day of April, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James A. Cherry, has been appointed guardian, of the estate of Charles S., Samuel, Wm. B., James and Susan E. Cherry, minors & children of the said James A. Cherry; Now, if the said James A. Cherry, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

James A. Cherry (seal)
John T. Sheppard (seal)
Edwin A. Cherry (seal)

WM. RUSSELL'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

Know all men by these presents, that we William Russell, principal, and Nancy A. Veazy, Benjamin P. Harris, and E. Satterwhite, secutities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twenty five hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 3d day of April, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Russell, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Francis A. Veazy, deceased. Now, if the said William Russell, shall well and truly perform, all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise, to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded.)
Approved by me, April 5, 1852.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

Wm. Russell (seal)
Nancy A. Veazy (seal)
B. P. Harris (seal)
E. Satterwhite (seal)

MATILDA CHAPPELL'S BOND.

ADMINISTRATRIX

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Matilda Chappell, principal, and Daniel S. Robertson, Henry W. Todd, and Wm. B. S. Gilmer, secutities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of thirty thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 31st day of March, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Matilda Chappell, has been appointed administratrix, of the estate of Henry Chappell, deceased; Now, if the said Matilda Chappell, shall well and truly perform all the duties, which are or may be by law, required of her as such administratrix, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

Matilda Chappell, (seal)
Daniel S. Robertson, (seal)
Wm. B. S. Gilmer (seal)
H. W. Todd (seal)

A. M. PINCKARD'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Augustus M. Pinckard, principal, and Wm. T. Pinckard, James T. Pinckard, George S. Turner, and Booker Lawson Payton, J. Pinckard, secutities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twenty thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 9th day of March, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Augustus M. Pinckard, has been appointed guardian, of the estate of Francis A. Pinckard, Emory P. Pinckard, Mary E. Pinckard, Peyton Ann Pinckard, & Lucy B. Pinckard, minor heirs of Peyton Pinckard, deceased; Now, if the said Augustus M. Pinckard shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

Augustus M. Pinckard (seal)
William T. Pinckard (seal)
James T. Pinckard (seal)
George S. Turner (seal)
Booker Lawson (seal)
Peyton J. Pinckard (seal)

E. H. KINNEBREW'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Edwin H. Kinnebrew, principal, and Thomas J. Smith and E. H. Muse, secutities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of two hundred and twenty five dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 29th day of March 1852.

The condition of the obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Edwin H. Kinnebrew, has been appointed guardian of the estate of William E. Nelson, minor heir of William Nelson, deceased; Now, if the said Edwin H. Kinnebrew, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such guardian, then, the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

E. H. Kinnebrew (seal)
Thos. J. Smith (seal)
E. H. Muse, (seal)

JOEL HOUGH'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Joel Hough principal, and John C. Hough, Matthew Mullinax, Green B. Smith & Walton W. Wallis, secutities, of the County & State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of nine thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 17th day of March, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Joel Hough, has been appointed administrator, of the estate of Needham Hough, deceased; Now, if the said Joel Hough, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded.)
March 17, 1852.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

Joel Hough (seal)
G. B. Smith (seal)
Matthew Mullinax (seal)
John C. Hough (seal)
W. W. Wallis (seal)

JAMES M. GUNN'S BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Gunn, principal, and William Fuller and E. Satterwhite, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office in the penal sum of two thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 10th day of March, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James M. Gunn, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Abel L. Wilson, minor heir of Joseph A. Wilson, deceased; Now, if the said James M. Gunn shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him, as such guardian, then, the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) Jas. M. Gunn, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate William Fuller (seal)
E. Satterwhite (seal)

CAROLINE E. MCCANTS'S BOND. ADMINISTRATRIX

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we, Caroline E. McCants principal, & G. W. Allen, James Maddux, Saml. W. Harris and E. S. McCurdy, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of thirty thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 28th day of January 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Caroline E. McCants, has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Robert J. P. McCants, deceased; Now, if the said Caroline E. McCants, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such administratrix, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) Caroline E. McCants (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate G. W. Allen (seal)
James Maddux (seal)
Saml. W. Harris (seal)
E. S. McCurdy (seal)

Signed, sealed & delivered, in the presence of--John F. Jones, J.P., on the day above written.

SIMEON B. COPELAND'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Simeon B. Copeland principal, and Alphus F. Copeland and John T. Copeland securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 26th day of February 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Simeon B. Copeland, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Copeland B. Turner, minor heir of Samuel B. Turner deceased; Now, if the said Simeon B. Copeland, shall well and truly perform all the duties, which are or may be by law, required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) Simeon B. Copeland (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate John T. Copeland (seal)
Alphus F. Copeland (seal)

WM. P. ALLEN'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we William P. Allen, principal, & Eliza F. Mokey and John Carr, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of one thousand six hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 11th day of May, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William P. Allen, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Wm. P. Mokey, and Martha C. Mokey, minor heirs of James Mokey, deceased; Now, if the said William P. Allen, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him, as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) W. P. Allen (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate Eliza J. Mokey (seal)
John Carr (seal)

JOEL GRIFFITH'S BOND. EXECUTOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Joel Griffith, principal, & William W. A. C. Griffith, Silas Holtzclaw, and Wm. S. Harris, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of three thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 17th day of May, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Joel Griffith, has been appointed executor of the estate of Joshua J. Griffith, deceased; Now, if the said Joel Griffith, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executor, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) Joel Griffith (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate Wm. W. A. C. Griffith (seal)
Silas Holtzclaw (seal)
Wm. S. Harris (seal)

WILLIAM J. SCOTT'S BOND. EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we William J. Scott, principal, & Wiley McClendon and Saml. Pearson, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 28th day of June, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William J. Scott, has been appointed executor of the estate of Archibald H. Scott, deceased; Now, if the said William J. Scott, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executor, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) Wm. J. Scott (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate Wiley McClendon (seal)
J. M. Gunn (seal)

ANN SEGUR'S WILL

GEORGIA)
HENRY COUNTY

In the name of God, Amen.

I Ann Segur of the County and State aforesaid, being weak, in body, but of sound disposing mind and memory, do make and ordain, this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills.

Item 1st. My body, I wish buried in a decent Christian like manner; my soul, I commit to the keeping of my gracious Redeemer.

Item 2d. I wish my just debts to be paid as soon after my death, as can be done consistent, with the interest of my estate.

Item third. I desire that the whole of my estate, after the payment of debts, shall be divided into four equal parts, one of which, (that one fourth of my estate, I give and bequeath to Nathan Tally in trust for the use and benefit of my daughter Catherine Tally and her children, said property to be free from all liability, to the debts of the husband or my said daughter, one other fourth part of my estate I give and bequeath to my grand children Cornelia A. Segur, John A. Segur, Mary J. Segur, Hamden B. Segur, Ann Segur, the children of my son Dr. William Segur; and the other remaining fourth part of my estate, I give and bequeath to my grand children, the children of my son, John Segur, to them and their heirs.

Item fourth. Before the general division is made as aforesaid, I desire that four of my negroes to wit: Gely, Ned, Parker and Wade, shall be valued, and I hereby give and bequeath unto my grand daughter Ann Beatey, the one fifth of the value of the said four negroes.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this the 24th Oct. 1844.

Signed, sealed, acknowledged and published in presents of
F. B. Hanson her
Jo. Jackson Ann A Segur
David Dailey mark

GEORGIA) Court of Ordinary Nov. Term, 1846.

HENRY COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open court, Francis B. Hanson, and David Dailey, who after being duly sworn deposed and said, that they saw Ann Segur, sign, seal, publish and declare, the annexed writing to be, and contain her last will and testament; and they signed the same as witnesses, in presence of the testator, and of one another; and that she was at the time, of sound disposing mind and memory, and that she did the same freely and without compulsion, so far as they know or believe.

Sworn to and subscribed in open court, } F. B. Hanson
Nov. 2, 1846. } David Dailey
J. H. Low, C.S.O.

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GEORGIA
HENRY COUNTY)

I, John H. Low, clerk of the Court of Ordinary of said County, do hereby certify, that the above and foregoing is a true copy of the will and probate, of Ann Segur, from the record in my office.

Given under my hand and seal, there being no seal of office, this 20th day of January 1849.

John H. Low, C.C.O. (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Office of the Judge of Probate
Filed in office for record, November 15, 1852; and recorded on the same day,
in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 309 & 310.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

ROBERT REA'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA SS.
CHAMBERS COUNTY

In the name of God, Amen.

I Robert Rea of the County and State aforesaid, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and calling to mind the shortness of life, and the certainty of death, do ordain constitute and make, this my last will and testament as follows, that is to say,

Item 1st. I will my soul to God who gave it, and my body to its mother earth, to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner.

Item 2d. It is my will and desire, that after my death, all my just debts be paid, by my executors hereafter named.

Item 3d. I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Jane Rea, the following property to wit: A tract or parcel of land, lying in the County of Chambers, together with the stock of all kinds, farming tools, household and kitchen furniture thereon at the time of my death; the said tract of land being known and distinguished as my plantation in Chambers County, Alabama, adjoining Messrs Allen, Trammell and others. Also my house and lot in the town of LaFayette, Chambers County, and the lands attached to the same, known as the Brantly place. Also all the household and kitchen furniture thereon. My said wife to have the privilege and power of disposing of said household and kitchen furniture at any time she may think proper to do so; also I bequeath to her eight negroes, to wit--David and his wife Clarissa, Julia and her child Laura, Matthew a boy, George and his wife Fanny, Sally an old woman, during her life; and at her death, it is my will, that Julia and her child Laura, and increase, go to and become the property of my son Cornelius Rea, and the balance of said negroes and their increase be equally divided between my two sons Benjamin F. Rea and Cornelius Rea; and it is the consent of the said Benjamin F. Rea and Cornelius Rea, that the said wife, she may by the estate aforesaid devised to my said wife, upon such terms as may be deemed most proper and advisable, and the proceeds arising from the sale of said real estate most belong to her during her life time, and after her death, the said real estate or the proceeds thereof, if the same be sold during her lifetime, be equally divided between my said sons Benjamin F. Rea and Cornelius Rea.

Item 4th. I will and bequeath to my son Benjamin F. Rea, my two lots of land in Union County, Georgia, one of said lots, lying and being situate in the nineteenth district, known and distinguished as number sixty five; the other, being lot number sixty two in the eighth district; also the following named negroes, to wit: Washington a man, Eliok a man, Bill a man, Mat a boy, Joe a man, Alzarrah a woman, Sarah Ann a girl, Nancy a woman, Eugenia a girl, Adaline a woman, Harriet a girl, Phillip a boy, to him and his heirs forever.

Item 5th. I will and bequeath unto my son Cornelius Rea, the following real and personal estate, to wit: two lots of land, one lying in the thirteenth district of Early County, Georgia, known as number two hundred and thirteen; the other lying in Muscogee County, Georgia, known and distinguished as lot number seventy three in the eleventh district; also a certain tract or parcel of land lying in Butler County Alabama, containing three hundred and sixty acres, for which I hold a deed from Benjamin Cross, also the following named negroes, Abram a man, Big Henry a man, Lemona a woman, Seaborn a boy, Bob a man, Caroline a woman, Albert a boy, John a boy, Adam a man, Amanda and her child, Kaleb a boy, Emur a boy, Augustus a boy, Mary a girl, Emily a girl, Dock a boy.

Item 6th. I will and bequeath unto the three children of my daughter F. E. Moore dead, namely Robert Rea Moore, John F. Moore, Ida Park Moore, to their exclusive use and benefit, the following named negroes, to wit: Jesse a man, Lewis a man, Little Henry a boy, Little George a man, Ann a woman, Oscar a boy, John a boy, Anna a girl, Nancy a girl, Evelina a woman, Jim a boy, Kesirah a girl, Cordelia a girl, Edmond a boy, Margaret a woman, Eliza a girl, Charles a boy; to the exclusive use and benefit of said children, equally to be delivered to each of them upon their arriving at the age of twenty one years, or marry; until then, said negroes shall remain the property of my family.

Item 7th. I give and bequeath, to my two sons Benjamin F. Rea, and Cornelius Rea, the whole of my tracts of land, lying in Macon County, Alabama, containing twelve hundred and eighty acres, together with the crop and stock of all kinds, household and kitchen furniture, and farming tools, which may be on hand at the time of my decease and the same to be equally divided between, either by partition or sale, as may by then be deemed most proper and advisable.

Item 8th. I will and bequeath to my grand daughter Jane Rea, daughter of my son William S. Rea, deceased, and Ellen E. Rea, also dead, the following named negroes with increase, to wit: Louisa, a woman, Mahala a woman, William a boy, (together with those previously made hers by deed or gift,) the said negroes to remain in the possession of my executors, until the said Jane Rea marries or arrives at the age of eighteen years; and it is further my will and desire, and hereby expressly understood, that in the event the said Jane Rea die, leaving issue, the said negroes are to be divided equally among them; but if the said Jane Rea die, leaving no issue, then said negroes and their increase are to revert to my two sons Benjamin F. Rea, and Cornelius Rea, and my three grand children Robert Rea Moore, John F. Moore, and Ida Park Moore.

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Item 9th. I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my two sons, Benjamin F. Rea, and Cornelius Rea, my executors, to this my last will and testament, requesting them, after my decease, to execute the same according to the true intent and meaning thereof, and hereby revoking all former wills heretofore made by me.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this nineteenth day of July, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty two.

In presence of } Robert Rea, (seal)
James Hill
Alexander Pantoleon
Louis Mann }

DAVID HENDERSON'S WILL

GEORGIA
TROUP COUNTY)

In the name of God, Amen.

I David Henderson, of said State and County being of advanced age and knowing that I must shortly depart from this world, deem it right and proper, both as it respects myself and relatives, that I should make a disposition of the property, with which a kind providence has blessed me. I therefore make this my last will and testament hereby revoking and annulling all others heretofore made by me.

Item First: I desire and direct that my body be buried in a decent and Christian like manner, suitable to my circumstances and condition, my soul I trust shall return to rest with God, who gave it, as I hope for eternal salvation through the blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, whose religion I have possessed, and as I humbly trust enjoyed for many years.

Item second. I desire and direct, that all my just debts be paid, without delay by my executor hereinafter named, as I am unwilling my creditors should be delayed or their rights, especially as there is no necessity for delay.

Item third. I give and devise to Caroline Davidson, the wife of David Davidson, the only daughter of my sister Elizabeth Henderson, of the County and State aforesaid, my negro man Luke, about fifty years old, also his wife Rose, about the same age, also four of their children, Bil a man, about thirty-five years old, Jack a man, about thirty years old, Jsham a boy about seventeen years, and Frances a girl about fifteen years old, to her and her heirs forever.

Item fourth. I give and bequeath to my nephew David Henderson, of the state of Alabama, Macon County, my negro man Henry, about twenty seven years of age to him and his heirs forever.

Item fifth. I give and bequeath to Jane Reese the wife of William Reese, of the State of Alabama, Chambers County, and to her children by her present husband, free from the disposition of her present or any other future husband, my negro woman Jane about thirty years old; also her daughter Sarah Ann, a girl about fourteen years old, and her son John a boy, about ten years of age; and also two negroes which she had now in possession Giny a woman about sixty years old, and Caroline a girl about sixteen years of age, to the said Jane Reese, and her children forever, by her present husband, and I appoint my trusty and worthy friend Alfred Wilkerson of the State of Alabama, Chambers County, trustee for the property herein bequeathed to the said Jane Reese and her children.

Item sixth: I desire that David Davidson have my negro man Tom, about fifty five years of age, at his appraised value, the same to be appropriated as hereinafter stated; the value of said negro to be shown in with the rest of my property, and distributed as hereafter stated.

Item seventh: The rest of my property wherever and whatever it may be, I desire shall be sold, by my executor hereafter mentioned.

Item eighth: I give to my nephew Leroy Henderson, of the State of Alabama, Barber County, two hundred dollars, the rest of his brothers and sisters fifty dollars a piece.

Item ninth: I give and bequeath to my brother Samuel Henderson, children, fifty dollars a piece, provided such children shall be found.

Item tenth: I give and bequeath to my niece Rebecca, the daughter of my brother John Henderson, now the wife of not known by me, and to her children, fifty dollars, and I appoint David Henderson her brother of the State of Alabama, Macon County, trustee, for the money, and also five dollars to his half sister name not known.

Item eleventh: I give and bequeath to the Presbyterian Church at Long Cane, the sum of two hundred dollars, the interest of which only is to be appropriated for the support of the preaching of the Gospel, so long as it shall remain a church and provided the said Church, shall be dissolved, the interest of the same to be appropriated the Home Mission within the bounds of Flint River Presbytery.

Item twelfth: I give and bequeath the balance of the effects of my estate, if there should be any equally to all my brothers children.

Item thirteenth: I constitute and appoint my worthy friend David Davidson, executor to this my last will and testament, this February 26, 1850.

David Henderson, (L.S.)

Signed, sealed, delivered and published by David Henderson, as his last will and testament, in the presence of us, the subscribers, who subscribed our names hereto in the presence of said testator, and of each other, this February 26, 1850.

James Loyd
Rowland W. Hudson
Henry S. Morgan

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GEORGIA
TROUP COUNTY)

Whereas I, David Henderson, did on the twenty sixth day of February, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty, sign and publish and declare my last will and testament, in the presence of James Loyd, Rowland W. Hudson, Henry S. Morgan, who signed the said will and testament as witnesses. And whereas I am desirous of attesting and changing a devise in said will and testament, I therefore make and publish, this codicil to said will. First, Whereas in the providence of God, my negro man Henry which I give to my nephew David Henderson, of the State of Alabama, Macon County, in item the fourth of my last will and testament, has since that time, died. I therefore change and revoke item the sixth of my last will and testament, and give my negro man named Tom, about fifty six years old to my nephew David Henderson, of the State of Alabama, Macon County, in place of my negro man Henry which is dead; and also one hundred dollars which shall be paid to him out of my estate by my executor, David Davidson, September 3rd, 1851.

David Henderson.

Signed, sealed, declared and published, by David Henderson, as a codicil to his will and testament of the twenty sixth day of February eighteen hundred and fifty, in the presence of us, the subscribers who subscribed our names hereto, in the presence of said testator and of each other, this September 3, 1851.

James Loyd
J. D. Davis.GEORGIA
TROUP COUNTY) Court of Ordinary, February adjourned Term, 1852.

Personally appeared in open court, James Loyd, Rowland W. Hudson, and Henry S. Morgan, who being duly sworn, depose and saith, that they saw David Henderson, whose name appears to the within will, sign, seal, publish and declare, the said within will or instrument now presented to the Court, by David Davidson, as executor to the same, to be his said testator's last will and testament; that he did so freely, voluntarily and of his own accord, and without any compulsion or influence whatever; that at the time of the making of said will, said testator was of sound mind and disposing memory, that deponents signed said will as witnesses in the presence of the testator, and at his special instance and request, and also in the presence of each other. Sworn to and subscribed in open court, this 9th day of February 1852.

James Loyd
Rowland W. Hudson
Henry S. Morgan.GEORGIA
TROUP COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open court, James Loyd, and James M. Davis, the subscribing witnesses to the within codicil of the last will and testament of David Henderson, late of Troup County, deceased, and being duly sworn, saith that they saw and declare the said codicil to his will, to be a part or portion of his last will and testament; that he did so freely, voluntarily and of his own accord, and without any compulsion or influence whatever, that at the time of the making of said codicil to his last will, said testator was of sound mind and disposing mind and memory, that deponents signed said codicil as witnesses in the presence of the testator, and at his special instance and request, and also in the presence of each other. Sworn to and subscribed in open court, this 9th day of February 1852.

James Loyd
J. M. Davis

TROUP COURT OF ORDINARY, FEBRUARY ADJOURNED TERM 1852.

The last will and testament of David Henderson late of said County deceased, together with the codicil make thereto, having been propounded to the Court for Probate by David Davidson, the executor therein named, and the said will and testament and codicil attached thereto, having been regularly proven in open Court, upon the oaths of James Loyd, Rowland W. Hudson, and Henry S. Morgan, subscribing witnesses to said will; and James Loyd, and James M. Davis subscribing witnesses to said codicil. It is ordered by the Court that the said will and testament and codicil thereto made of David Henderson deceased, granted to the said executor.

Granted
Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary
Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary.

Recorded, 11th February 1852.

GEORGIA
TROUP COUNTY)

I Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary and Ex officer clerk, in and for said County, do hereby certify, that the foregoing transcript contains a true and correct exemplification from the records of file in my office, of the last will and testament, together with the codicil thereto attached, of David Henderson, late of Troup County, deceased. Given under my hand and seal of office, the day and year above written.

Filed in office for record, October 2, 1852; and Recorded, January 7, 1853, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 313, 314, 315, 316, & 317.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JAMES MADDOX WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, the Holy Trinity, Amen.

I, James Maddux of the State and County aforesaid, being now of sound and disposing mind, but disposed to make such an arrangement for the disposition of my worldly effects after my death as to me appears just and right, do make and declare this my last will and testament, and first:

I give my body to the Lord, to be decently and appropriately buried. And my soul, I commend to God, in hope of eternal life, through Jesus Christ my Lord.

Item. I give and bequeath to my wife Teresa, all my estate both real and personal, with the rights and credits, to have and to hold the same upon conditions, and with the limitations and reservations herein after specified. That is to say, My said wife Teresa shall have, keep and hold, all my estate (not otherwise disposed of,) all together, till the youngest of my children shall become of age or married. She may collect my dues and pay my debts, and sell and dispose of my tan yard in a near Oak Bowery with the appurtenances, also my shoe shop, with the stock of leather, in the village of Oak Bowery, except as is hereinafter provided for, or otherwise disposed of and the said property herein directed to be disposed of my wife may sell at either private or public sale, without application to, or order from any Court or legal tribunal.

Item. I also give to my wife Teresa, the house and lot now occupied by us in Oak Bowery, for her use and occupancy during her life; or if she desires it, she may sell the same and apply the proceeds to the repair of the house and adjoining grounds, with the grave yard on my plantation near Mt. Jefferson, which she may accept and hold as a dwelling place, in lieu of the possessions above named in this will.

Item. My will and desire is, that after she shall collect all monies due me, and pay all my debts, that my wife shall cause all the money that may be remaining on hand to be equally divided between her and my children, share and share alike; and that part or one sum that may fall to the children not of age or married, shall be lent out till, as they become of age or marry, then they shall receive such an amount of money as was originally given to my children, and if there shall be more than a support for my family, realized by my wife, then I desire the said surplus in money to be divided as above, every two years.

Item. In the event of the death or marriage of my said wife before the youngest child becomes of age or married, then all my negroes in her possession shall put into lots of equal value, and be divided amongst or between her and my children, share and share alike. And my real estate, and stock, and appurtenances of the plantation, and the tolls &c., shall also be sold, and the proceeds divided between my wife and children in equal proportions, as before expressed and directed.

Item. I desire and will, ordain and direct, in this my last will and testament, that my said wife Teresa, shall have, hold and possess all things as herein given, and do an perform all things herein directed to be done, without giving any bond or obligation, or security, for the performance of her duty, or for the proper execution of this my will, she being hereby constituted executrix of the same. Provided, however, in the event of my wife's becoming prodigal & wasteful of my estate, then upon complaint and due proof of the same by any of my children, I desire that she be divested of her office & rights as executrix, and the management and control thereof be committed by legal authority to the management and control of some other discreet & proper person.

Item. I do furthermore authorize my wife, to purchase with any monies that may come into her hands of my rights & dues, such a becoming carriage or buggy as she may wish.

Item. I hereby give off from my estate, the following bequests of property, (to wit): To my daughter Angelina Key, one young negro man, not less than fifteen nor more than twenty one years old, in addition of the portion already given off to her, and in her or her husband's possession.

Item. It is my will that each of my children, as he or she may become of age or marry, shall have (from my estate in possession of my wife, as before expressed and given to her,) five negroes a piece, of about the same age quality & value, as those give to their sister Angelina, at the time they were given. Also three hundred and fifty dollars in money, and one year's provisions, for about six or seven family individuals. Also one horse, two cows and calves, one bed & bedstead, eight counter-pins, five bed quilts, six sheets, a set of knives & forks, one set of common crockery ware, one stand of bed curtains, two stands valances or foot curtains, three table cloths, and ordinary cooking utensils. The bed above mentioned to be accompanied with bolster, pair of pillows, and two mattresses; and also a set of good tumblers, to accompany the crockery. And my children under age, shall each receive a suitable education.

Item. I will and desire, that my grand son James T. Key, son of my daughter Mrs. Samantha B. Key, deceased, shall be made equal in interest with my children, (with the right of support out of the common estate with my children, if he remains with, and shall be raised by my wife, and have a good English education) except fifteen hundred dollars which shall be abated & deducted from his said share and interest in my estate, that amount in value having been given to his mother in her life time, and still held by his father.

Item. The portions and property which I hereby give to my daughter, I give under the following restrictions, (viz) If they, or either of them shall marry and die without issue, leaving a husband; the husband shall be entitled to one half of the property herein given, and the other half shall revert, to my estate, and be divided as such.

Item. The estate or that portion of it, hereby given to my wife Teresa Maddux, I design shall be for her and the children's maintenance, & support & for the education of the children as before provided without charge or account on their part till distribution shall be made as herein directed and provided.

In testimony of the above and foregoing, and in confirmation of the same, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 9th day of April, in the year 1852.

Witness

Ninian H. Kead
Charles D. Crowell
G. W. Chatfield

James Maddux (L.S.)

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CODICIL.

I do hereby make and declare the following as alterations and amendments, to that part or those items in my foregoing will, to which they relate.

First: All the rights and property and bequests of property, which I have in my said will, made, given & bequeathed to my grandson James T. Key, I give under the following limitations & conditions, to wit: If the said James T. Key shall die or depart this life, without issue, or before he comes unto the rightful possession of his said interest in my estate, as therein directed and declared; then all that portion designed for him, and given to him, shall revert to and become a part of the original estate by me given, & be equally divided amongst my children & their mother.

Second: I direct that money arising from the sale of certain property by me directed to be sold in my foregoing will shall be divided & distributed as follows: that is to say, The same shall be divided amongst my older children, and that they have as much as the sum of one thousand dollars each; & the residue to be and remain at the use and service of my wife, and when my younger children & my grand son James T. Key grow up or marry, they shall draw a portion of the estate equal to the larger children, including the said sum of money above named; so that the share of each, at the time they receive it, shall be as nearly equal as can be ascertained.

This to be in lieu instead of the division of money, as directed in the item or my foregoing will.

May 24, 1852.

Test: Minian W. Kidd)

Charles D. Bilbro)

Charles D. Crowell)

James Maddux

(L.S.)

HENRY N. SPINKS' WILL

GEORGIA

JONES COUNTY

In the name of God, Amen.

I Henry N. Spinks of the State and County aforesaid, being sick of body, but of sound mind and disposing memory, do make this my last will and testament.

I bequeath my soul to Almighty God, hoping for a happy immortality, through the merits of his son Jesus Christ, my body I resign to the earth, to be buried at the discretion of my friends, and my worldly goods I dispose of in the following manner.

Item 1st. I give to my beloved wife Linea Spinks, forever my black mare Fan and barouch and harness.

Item 2d. I give to my beloved wife Linea Spinks, during her natural life, or widowhood, all my land and negroes and stock of all kinds, and at her death, equally divided between my children, to wit: William J. Spinks, Rolley H. Spinks, Sarah Ann Spinks, John E. Spinks, Mary R. Spinks, Nancy S. Spinks, Jane E. Spinks, and George W. Spinks; but if my wife should marry again, my property as then, to be equally divided between herself and the above named children.

Finally, I appoint, constitute and desire my wife Linea Spinks, my executrix, and my nephew Rolley S. Edwards my executor, to this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills by me heretofore made.

In testimony whereof, I hereunto set my hand and annexed my seal, this 24th day of November, in the year of our Lord, one thousand, eight hundred and forty two.

Attest: Henry N. Spinks (seal)

T. F. Gibson

William Merritt

his

Benjn. X Merritt

mark

GEORGIA

JONES COUNTY

Inferior Court, sitting for Ordinary purposes January Term 1843.

In open court personally appeared Taylor F. Gibson, and Benjamin Merritt two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing instrument of writing, and the said Taylor F. Gibson, and Benjamin Merritt, being duly sworn, say that Henry N. Spinks, the testator was unable to sign his own name, but Rolley Edwards, signed and sealed the same for him at his special request and that testator did publish and declare the foregoing instrument of writing to be and contain his true last will and testament, that testator did so reel, and without compulsion, and was at the time of the execution thereof of sound and disposing mind and memory, that deponents together with William Merritt subscribed their names as witnesses to said will, in the presence of the testator, at his request, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to and subscribed in open court this) Taylor F. Gibson

2d January 1843.) his

Test: Gilbert E. Thigpen) Benjamin A. Merritt

) mark

Recorded the 11th January 1843.

GEORGIA

JONES COUNTY

Office of the Court of Ordinary, in and for said County.

I Albert Hutchings, "Ordinary" in and for said County, do certify, that I act both as clerk and Judge of said Court, and that there is no other Judge of said Court, and I do further certify, that the above and foregoing two pages, contain a true exemplification of the last will and testament of Henry N. Spinks, deceased, together with the probate thereof, as taken from the records of file in my office, and which is attested by my hand and seal of office, herunto attached; and I further certify, that said attestation is in due form.

In testimony whereof, I have hereto set my hand and seal of office, this 15th day of September 1852.

Albert Hutchings, Ordinary,

JAMES M. SPEARS' RUN CUPATIVE WILL

I wish and desire that my dear wife, Sarah Spear after my decease shall the negro girl of my name July and during her life or widowhood; after which the said negro and her increase to be equally divided between her two children, namely Saphronia Burford Spear, and Margaret Ann Farrington Spear, also my other property to be sold, and after paying my debts, the remainder be equally divided between my wife and all my children.

November 23, 1852

John W. Chambers

Thomas Wilson

Jas. R. P. Chambers

Witnesses)

PATRICK F. JARVIS, WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)

CHAMBERS COUNTY

In the name of God, Amen.

I Patrick F. Jarvis, of the County and State aforesaid, being of sound mind and disposing mind and memory, do make and ordain this my last will and testament.

Item 1st. After my death, I desire that all my just debts be paid.

Item 2d. I give to my daughter Elizabeth A. Garrett, wife of John Garrett, two negroes, namely Big Ben and Little Ben, to be for her sole and separate use during her natural life, free from the debts or contracts of her husband, and at her death, to be equally divided among her children.

Item 3d. I give to my daughter Sarah M. Gray wife of James Gray, two negroes, (viz) Bacchus and Juley for her sole and separate use during her natural life, free from the debts or contracts of her husband, and at her death, to be equally divided among her children; and in default of children, to be the property of her husband James Gray, for his natural life, and at his death to become the property my grand children.

Item 4th. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Margrate Jarvis, all my personal property, not above enumerated, except my negroes Fanny and George, in which two last mentioned negroes, she is to have only a life estate; and at her death, I will and bequeath the negro George to my grand son Patrick F. J. Garrett, and the negro girl Fanny to my grand daughter Margaret Garrett. I also give to my wife during her natural life, all my real estate; and at her death, said real estate, (that is all the lands I may own at my death,) to be equally divided among my grand children.

Item 5th. I give and bequeath to my grand son Patrick F. J. Garrett, my rifle gun, and saddle and bridle.

Item 6th. The object and intention of this my last will and testament, is to give to my wife absolutely, all my property of every name kind and description, which is now given away to my daughters and grand children, under and by virtue of this will and testament, and a life estate in all the lands I may own at my death.

Item 7th. I hereby nominate and appoint my wife, Margrate Jarvis, my executrix to carry out this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof, I Patrick F. Jarvis have hereunto set my hand and seal, this the 13th day December, A.D. 1852.

For her natural life, interlined

before signing.

Signed and sealed in the presence of us)

Pat. F. Jarvis

(seal)

as witnesses

A. M. Presley

Jas. E. Reese

Robt. Baugh.

JAMES E. CHAMBERS' BOND, ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)

CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by presents, that we James E. Chambers principal, and J. W. Avery and James R. P. Chambers securities, of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 2nd day of December 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James E. Chambers has been appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of James M. Spear deceased: Now, if the said James E. Chambers, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded)

James E. Chambers

(seal)

December 2nd 1852.

J. W. Avery

(seal)

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

James R. P. Chambers

(seal)

GEORGIA
WALTON COUNTY)

By the Court of Ordinary for said County,
To all to whom these presents shall come,--greeting:
Know Ye, that on the 4th day of July, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty six, the last will and testament of John H. Walker late of said County, deceased, was exhibited in open Court and in common form of law, proved and admitted to record a copy of which is herewith annexed and administration of all and singular the goods, chattles, and credits of said deceased, was granted to Daniel Walker Mariah Walker, the executors in and by said will, named and appointed, having first taken the oath, and performed all other requisities required by law, by order of said Court, and by virtue of these presents, legally authorized to administer the good, chattles, and credits of the said deceased, according to the tenor and affect of the said will and testament and according to law.
And you are hereby required to render a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattles, and credits of the said deceased, and appraised and returned to this Court according to law, and to render a true and correct account to the said Court, of your actings and doings, yearly, and every year, until new administration is fully complete.
Witness the Honorable Dickerson T. Holliday, one of the Judges of said Court of Ordinary, this 4th day of July 1836.

Jesse Mitchell C.C.O.

THOMAS SMEDLEY'S WILL

In the name of God, Amen.
I Thomas Smedley of the County of Troupe and State of Georgia, being of sound mind and memory, and thanks be to Almighty God, on his mercy, do the tenth of March, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty two, make and ordain this my last will and testament, in manner and form following, (that is to say,)
First: I give to my son Thomas M. Smedley, my negro man Abram, more than an equal share with the rest of my heirs.
Second. I give to my daughter Navery Smedley, my negro woman Sarah, and her three children, Miles, Harriett and Emily and her increase, and then an equal share with the rest of my heirs.
Third. I give to my son John Smedley, and equal share with the rest of my heirs, with the exception of Thomas and Navery.
Fourth. I give to my daughter Nancy Thrush, an equal share with the rest of my heirs with the exception above mentioned; and hereby make and ordain Thomas M. Smedley, her guardian to act, and to do her and manage her part of my estate. I give to her for her own use, to be disposed of by her, as she see fit, and not to be subject to her husband, or at his disposal in any manner whatever.
Fifth. I give to my daughter Lucy Hudspeth, an equal share with the rest of my heirs, with the exception above named. I give it to her and her children exclusively, for their use and benefit, and not to be subject to her husband, or the payment of his debts. And I do hereby make and ordain Robert H. Reid her guardian to act and do for her, so far as respects her part of my estate.
Sixth. I give to my daughter Elizabeth Atkins an equal share with the rest of my heirs, with the above exception of Thomas and Navery, but there is two hundred and eighty five dollars to come out of her part of my estate, for her son Robert Smedley which I have given him already.
Seventh. I give to my son James H. Smedley's orphan children, to wit: William T. Smedley, Amsted B. Smedley, Eliza B. Smedley, now Eliza B. Johnson, Mary Ann Smedley James H. Smedley, Martha A. Smedley, and Julia Ann Smedley, an equal share with the rest of my heirs with the exception above mentioned, to be equally divided among them.
Eighth. I give to my daughter Beulah Harbison, an equal share with the rest of my heirs, except Thomas & Navery.
Ninth. I make and ordain my sons Thomas Smedley and Thomas M. Smedley, executors to this my last will, in trust for the intents and purposes, in this my last will contained.
In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, the day and year first above written.
Signed, sealed and declared by the said Thomas Smedley as and for his last will and testament, in the presents of us who were present at the signing, sealing and delivering thereof.

Attest: Thomas Cameron
his
Jesse A. Johnson
mark
John L. Hill

GEORGIA
TROUP COUNTY)

Court of Ordinary of said County Sept. Term 1852.
Personally appeared in open Court, Thomas Cameron, Jesse Johnson and John L. Hill, subscribing witnesses to the paper writing propounded as the last will and testament of Thomas Smedley, late of said County, deceased, who being sworn, saith that they saw the said Thomas Smedley, sign, seal, publish and declare, the said paper writing to be his last will and testament: that the said testator signed the same in their presents, and that they, each one signed the same in the presence of the testator, and of each other, and that the said testator at the time of signing the same was of sound and disposing mind and memory; and that he executed the same freely and voluntarily, without any undue influence or compulsion, so far as they know or believe.

Sworn to in open Court the 6th day of September 1852.

Thomas Cameron
his
Jesse A. Johnson
mark
Jno. L. Hill

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Thomas Smedley one of the executors of the last will and testament of Thomas Smedley deed., having propounded the same for probate and record, and the said will having been duly proven on the oath of Thomas Cameron, Jesse Johnson, and John L. Hill, the subscribing witnesses, thereto, it is ordered, that the same be admitted to record. It is further ordered, that Benjamin Shepherd, James Cottle, Thomas Cameron, Thomas Boyd, & William Boyd, be appointed appraisers to appraise said estate.
Recorded 8th September 1852. } Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary
Wiley H. Sims, Ordry.

GEORGIA } Ordinary's office, 19th February 1853.
TROUP COUNTY }

I, Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary and ex officio clerk in and for said County, do hereby certify, that the foregoing pages contain a true exemplification of the last will and testament of Thomas Smedley deceased, as appeared of record in my office.

Given under my hand and seal of office, the day and year above written.
Wiley H. Sims, Ordry. & ex-off. clerk.
Filed in office for record, April 18, 1853; and recorded, April 22, 1853, in record of will, vol. 2, pages 326, & 327.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

MOSES PENN'S WILL.

In the name of God, Amen.

I, Moses Penn of the County of Chambers and the State of Alabama, being of perfect mind and memory in all respects, do the fourteenth day of April Eighteen Hundred and forty five make and publish this my last will and testament in the following, that is to say:
In the first place I desire that all my debts be discharged as soon and as punctually as the circumstances of my estate will admit of.

2d. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Pernina Penn, all my estate both real and personal as well as all the notes, bonds and accounts of which I may die seized during her natural life, and in the event of her death, it is my will and desire that my sons Thomas L. Penn and Moses M. Penn, have each five dollars; and that my daughters Elizabeth Scott, Emeline S. Edge, and Rebecca Oats have each five dollars. And to my daughter Parmelia Penn, I give and bequeath the following property to wit: Two negro slaves to wit: One named Matilda, a woman about seventeen or eighteen years old and James K. Polk, a child about fifteen years old; two feather beds and furniture, two bedsteads to wit: One curtain bedstead, and one half posted bedstead, one cupboard, six split bottomed chairs, the above named and described property, which I have bequeath to my daughter Parmelia, I desire in the event of leaving no heirs of her body that the above named property be distributed between all my surviving children. I also give and bequeath to my daughter Parmelia two cows and calves.

3d. That if the certain negro girl slave named Matilda should give birth to another child after the date of this will, I desire that child to be given to my daughter Rebecca Oats, and if my daughter Rebecca, die without any heir of her body, that the said property which I have bequeath to her, be distributed between all my surviving children.

4th. It is my desire, that there be no executor or administrator be appointed to settle my estate. It is my express wish and desire that all concerns agree to have my estate settled, without the trouble and expense of the appointment of either administrator or executor; and that in the event of circumstances making it necessary, I desire that my son Thomas L. Penn be appointed that executor.

5th. It is my desire, that if the girl Matilda, give birth to the child spoken of, and which I desire to be given to Rebecca Oats, it shall not remain with Parmelia than two years from its birth, when the said Rebecca Oats will be required to take it into her possession.

6th. It is my desire, that my son Moses H. Penn, have my shot gun.

7th. It is my will that my grandson, the son of Thomas L. Penn, named James White Penn, have my silver watch.

Given under my hand and seal,
(this fourteenth day of April,
in the year of our Lord, One
Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty
Five.

Moses Penn

Washington Deacons

Daniel Dunham

Filed in office for record, March 22, 1853; and recorded April 29, 1853, in record of wills, vol. 2, pages 328, & 329.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

FERDINAND B. REEVES' WILL

In the name of God, Amen.

I, Ferdinand B. Reeves of the State of Alabama, Chambers County, being of sound mind and perfect memory, and calling to mind the mortality of my body, do make and ordain this my last will and testament in the manner following: That is to say, First: I recommend my soul to Almighty God who gave it, hoping at the general resurrection to receive full pardon for all my sins.

Secondly: I recommend my body to the direction of my executors, to be buried in a decent manner, and as touching my worldly estate wherein I have pleased Almighty God to bless me with, I give as follows: My desire is that all my just debts be paid; and all debts due to be collected as soon as convenient, by my executors.

Third. I give to my brother David M. Reeves fifty acres of land whereon he and my father now reside, and also my land warrant for forty acres of land. And I also give him three hundred dollars, to him and his heirs forever.

Fourthly. My will and desire is that, the balance of my estate be equally divided between my other brothers and sisters and neices and nephews.

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And lastly: I appoint my brother David W. Reeves, my executor of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof, I hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this 2d. day of November, 1852.

Signed, sealed published and declared
by Jeremiah B. Reeves, in the presence of us
J. Smith T.
J. M. Simms
N. M. Robertson

JEREMIAH B. REEVES (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Special court of probate, February 3d, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Personally appeared in open court, the within named J. Smith T., and N. M. Robertson, who after being duly sworn depose and saith on oath, that they each saw the within named Jeremiah Reeves, sign & seal, the within paper writing as and for his last will & testament; and that they each believe the said Jeremiah Reeves to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same; Affiants further say on oath, that they each signed their names to said paper writing, as subscribed in witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said Jeremiah Reeves; and that they also saw J. M. Simms sign the same, as a subscribing witness, at the request and in the presence of the said Jeremiah Reeves; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other. Sworn to and subscribed in open court

N. M. Robertson
J. Smith T.

Be it remembered, that on the 3d. day of February, A. D. 1853, the within will was duly proven in the probate court of the County aforesaid, upon the foregoing testimony of N. M. Robertson, and J. Smith T., two of the subscribing witnesses, and appointed, in record of Wills Volume 2, pages 329 & 330.

Saml. Pearson,
Judge of Probate.

SAMUEL MCCLENDON'S WILL.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Knowing that it is appointed unto all men once to die, and I Samuel J. McClendon, being now feeble in body, but of sound and disposing mind, do make and ordain, this my last will and testament, to wit:

First: After my death, I wish all my just debts be paid.

Second: I wish my carriage horses hogs cattle and stock of all kinds, tools of all descriptions & wagons sold for to raise means to pay my just debts.

Third: I wish all my house hold and kitchen furniture left on the place, for the use and benefit of my wife Sarah A. McClendon and my children Mary J. McClendon, Eliza Jane McClendon, and John S. McClendon.

Fourth: I wish my wife to have the right of remaining on my plantation with my children, Mary J. McClendon Eliza J. McClendon, and John S. McClendon, as long as she may think proper to do so, or until my youngest child John S. McClendon, becomes twenty one years of age; unless my wife Sarah A. McClendon should marry again.

Fifth: In the event, that my wife Sarah A. McClendon marries, I wish my property of all kinds sold, and an equal distribution on the proceeds made between my wife Sarah A. McClendon and oldest daughter Mary J. McClendon, and Eliza J. McClendon and my son John S. McClendon.

Sixth: If my wife Sarah A. McClendon should at any time after my death become dissatisfied to live on my plantation with my children Mary J. McClendon, Eliza J. McClendon and John S. McClendon, she has the right of making known such dissatisfaction to the executor of this will, to wit: William P. Allen.

Seventh: If my wife makes known to William P. Allen the executor of my will, that she wishes to leave the place where we now live, or does leave the place where we now live; in either case, it is my wish for the plantation to be sold and equal distribution of the proceeds made between my wife Sarah A. McClendon, and my children, namely, Mary J. McClendon, Eliza J. McClendon, and John S. McClendon.

Eighth: If it should become the duty of William P. Allen, the executor of this instrument, to sell the land where I now live, for a division, either from my wife Sarah A. McClendon being dissatisfied to remain where we now live; or that my wife Sarah A. McClendon marries; it is my wish for my wife Sarah A. McClendon to have for her own use, and to do whatever she pleases with all the house hold and kitchen furniture.

Ninth: If my wife Sarah A. McClendon, should not marry again, and should die before my youngest child becomes of age; in that event, I want my property sold and divided between my children, namely Mary J. McClendon, Eliza J. McClendon, and John S. McClendon.

Tenth: And last, I hereby and by these presents, make ordain, constitute and appoint William P. Allen my executor; and desire that he will act out my wishes as expressed in this instrument.

Signed, sealed and delivered in the presence of this the 12th day of April in the year of Lord 1852.

Samuel McClendon (seal)

Test: F. T. Roazman
Thomas McCollough
Michael W. Murphy.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Regular Court of Probate February 14th 1853.
Personally appeared before me in open court, Frederick T. Roazman, & Thomas McCollough, who after being duly sworn, depose each & say on oath, that they saw the above named Samuel McClendon, sign & seal, the within instrument as and for his last will & testament, on the day of this date; and that they believe the said Samuel McClendon to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, and that they each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request, and in the presents of the said Samuel McClendon; and that each saw Michael W. Murphy sign the same as a subscribing witness in the presents, and that the request of said Samuel McClendon; and that they all signed the same in the presents of each other. Sworn to & subscribed in open court

F. T. Roazman
Thomas McCollough

Be it remembered, that on the 14th day of February A. D. 1853, the within will was duly proven in the Probate Court of the County aforesaid, upon the foregoing testimony of Frederick T. Roazman and Thomas McCollough, two of the subscribing witnesses; and recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 331 & 332.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

ELIZABETH EBERHART'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Elizabeth Eberhart, principal, and Britton Stamps and John G. Gay, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of two thousand dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly, severally and finally, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elizabeth Eberhart, has been appointed guardian of Ann R. Eberhart infant child of David B. Eberhart late of Stewart County, Georgia, deceased. Now, if the said Elizabeth Eberhart, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; else to remain in full force.

Approved this 10th Jan. 1850.
M. Phillips, Judge O.C.C.C.

Elizabeth Eberhart (L.S.)
Britton Stamps (L.S.)
John G. Gay (L.S.)

LYLE & LIGGIN'S ADMINISTRATORS' BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Lewis B. Lyle and Noel N. Ligin principals, and George Shealey, Jesse S. Clark & J. S. Mitchell, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars: for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, finally by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this second day of October 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Lewis B. Lyle and Noel N. Ligin, have been appointed administrators of the estate of Dorothy Burnett deceased: Now, if the said Lewis B. Lyle and Noel N. Ligin shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them, as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void: otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded,
October 2, 1852.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

Lewis B. Lyle (seal)
Noel N. Ligin (seal)
Jesse S. Clark (seal)
George Shealey (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)

LYLE & LIGGIN'S ADMINISTRATORS' BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Lewis B. Lyle and Noel N. Ligin principals, and George Shealey, Jesse S. Clark & J. S. Mitchell securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of two thousand five hundred dollars: for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, finally by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the second day of October 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Lewis B. Lyle and Noel N. Ligin, have been appointed administrators of the estate of James W. D. Bisset deceased: Now, if the said Lewis B. Lyle & N. N. Ligin shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void: otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded,
October 2d 1852.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

Lewis B. Lyle (seal)
Noel N. Ligin (seal)
Jesse S. Clark (seal)
George Shealey (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)

JAMES M. HILL'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Hill, principal, and James E. Reese and Alfred Harrell securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of fifteen thousand dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 11th day of October 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James M. Hill, has been appointed administrator ad-collegendum of the estate of David Dunlap, deceased: now, if the said James M. Hill, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded)	James M. Hill (seal)
October 11th, 1852.	James E. Reese (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate	Alfred Harrell (seal)

OREY W. TAYLOR'S BOND ADMINISTRATRIX

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Orey W. Taylor principal, and Richard Boyd and James Taylor, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars: for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 15th day of November, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Orey W. Taylor, has been appointed administratrix of the estate of David Taylor, deceased: Now, if the said Orey W. Taylor shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such administratrix, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded)	Orey W. Taylor (seal)
Novr. 15, 1852.	Richard Boyd (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate	James Taylor (seal)

JOSEPH C. SALE'S BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Joseph C. Sale principal, and William E. Smith and Thomas R. Russell, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars: for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 15th day of July 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Joseph C. Sale, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary C. Hanes, deceased: Now, if the said Joseph C. Sale shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded)	Joseph C. Sale (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate	Walter E. Smith (seal)
	Thos. R. Russell (seal)

EVAN G. RICHARDS' BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Evan G. Richards, principal, and James T. Brook & Wm. J. Adams, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twenty two hundred dollars: for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this 9th day of August, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Evan G. Richards has been appointed guardian of the estate of Joel D., Sarah, Jesse, Eleanor, Jordan T., Delancy E., and Nancy K. Harris, minor heirs of Micaiah Harris, deceased: Now, if the said Evan G. Richards shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded.)	Evan G. Richards (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate	James T. Brook (seal)
	W. J. Adams (seal)

B. F. AND CORNELIUS REA'S BOND. EXECUTORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Benjamin F. Rea, and Cornelius Rea, principals, and John R. Slaughter, Jane Rea, Lewis Schuepler and James E. Reese securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of One Hundred and Twenty Thousand Dollars: for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this twenty fourth day of November, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Benjamin F. and Cornelius Rea have been appointed executors of the last will and testament of Robert Rea, deceased: Now, if the said Benjamin F. Rea and Cornelius Rea shall well and truly perform all the duties, which are or may be by law required of them as such executors, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded, November 24, 1852.	Benj. F. Rea (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate	Cornelius Rea (seal)
	John R. Slaughter (seal)
	Jane Rea (seal)
	Lewis Schuepler (seal)
	James E. Reese (seal)

GEORGE W. WEBB'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents that we George W. Webb, principal, & John Black and Edmund Webb security, of the county & state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 8th day of November 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound George W. Webb, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Parolee Henderson, deceased: Now, if the said George W. Webb, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded, Novr. 8, 1852.	George W. Webb (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate	John Black (seal)
	Edmund Webb (seal)

ALSTON B. CROFT'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Alston B. Croft, Elijah D. McKinley, John T. Sheppard and George Croft, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of sixteen hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this the eighth day of October 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Alston B. Croft, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Cornelius Horatio Croft, infant daughter of the said Alston B. Croft. Now, if the said Alston B. Croft shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded, October 23, 1852.	A. B. Croft (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate	E. D. McKinley (seal)
James M. Hill, J.P. (L.S.)	John T. Sheppard (seal)
	Geo. Croft (seal)

SARAH STRAHAN & T. A. TATON'S BOND. ADMINISTRATORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Sarah Strahan, and Thomas A. Taton principals, and Abel L. Robinson, Jesse B. Robinson, Andrew J. Dazier, & James Brooks securities, of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of forty thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seal, and dated the 2d day of August 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Sarah Strahan and Thomas A. Taton have been appointed administratrix and administrator of the estate of Samuel Strahan deceased: Now, if the said Sarah Strahan and Thomas A. Taton shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded August 2, 1852.	her (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate	mark (seal)
	A. L. Robinson (seal)
	J. B. Robinson (seal)
	Thos. A. Taton (seal)
	Andrew J. Dazier (seal)
	James Brooks (seal)

W. J. AND R. R. SPINK'S BOND. ADMINISTRATORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we William J. Spinks, and Rolley R. Spinks principals, and O. H. P. Dawson, Pleasant Macon, Jacob Moon and John E. Spinks securities, of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of forty thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 20th day of September, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William J. Spinks and Rolley R. Spinks have been appointed administrators, de bonis non cum testamento annexo, of Henry N. Spinks, deceased; Now, if the said William J. Spinks and Rolley R. Spinks shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be
recorded September 20th, 1852.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

Wm. J. Spinks (seal)
Rolley R. Spinks (seal)
O. H. P. Dawson (seal)
Pleasant Macon (seal)
Jacob Moon (seal)
John E. Spinks (seal)

GEORGE REESE'S BOND. EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we George Reese principal and James E. Reese and Thomas S. Reese, securities, of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 6th day of July 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George Reese, has been appointed executor of the estate of Anna Reese, deceased; Now, if the said George Reese, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executor, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to
be recorded,
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

George Reese (seal)
James E. Reese (seal)
Thos. S. Reese (seal)

N. B. TAYLOR'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we, M. C. B. Taylor, principal, and George F. Taylor and Abner Penton, securities, of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twelve thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 13th day of September 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound M. C. B. Taylor has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary T. Orion L. and Eden Phillips, minor heirs of John E. Phillips; Now, if the said M. C. B. Taylor shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved, & ordered to be
recorded September 13, 1852.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

M. C. B. Taylor (seal)
Geo. F. Taylor (seal)
Abner Penton (seal)

SARAH STRAHAN'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we, Sarah Strahan, principal and Thomas A. Tatom, J. B. Robinson, and L. L. Robinson, securities, of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 6th day of December 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Sarah Strahan has been appointed guardian of the estate of Thos. A., Martha C., Emily E., Susan C., and Samuel H. Strahan, minor heirs of Samuel Strahan deceased. Now, if the said Sarah Strahan, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such guardian then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be
recorded Decr. 6, 1852.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

her
Sarah A. Strahan (seal)
mark
Thos. A. Tatom (seal)
J. B. Robinson (seal)
A. L. Robinson (seal)

WILLIAM J. SPINKS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we William J. Spinks principal, and James E. Dawson and Strother Gains, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 27th day of Novr. 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William J. Spinks, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Walter R. Dawson and Louisa L. Dawson, formerly Louisa L. Griffith, minor heirs of Lewis Griffith dead.; Now, if the said William J. Spinks shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,
Nov. 27th 1852.
Elbert Harris
T. Shannon J.P.

Samuel Pearson,
Judge of Probate

Wm. J. Spinks (seal)
Jas. E. Dawson (seal)
Strother Gains (seal)

JOHN HUGULEY'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we John Huguley, principal, and Jacob Huguley and James M. Goldsmith securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 15th day of November 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound John Huguley, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Clinton Dallas minor and heir of George W. Dallas of Herringworth Co. Ga., deceased. Now, if the said John Huguley, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,
Novr. 15, 1852.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

John Huguley (seal)
Jacob Huguley (seal)
Jas. M. Goldsmith (seal)

JACOB MOON'S BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we Jacob Moon, principal, and G. M. Goldsmith and M. C. Goldsmith securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of eight thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this third day of December 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Jacob Moon, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Jesse M. Moon, James V. Moon, John T. Moon, Harrison A. Moon, and J. Moon, Joel C. Moon & Robt. P. Moon, minor heirs of Jesse Moon dead.; Now, if the said Jacob Moon, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded,
Decr. 3d 1852.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

Jacob Moon (seal)
G. M. Goldsmith (seal)
M. C. Goldsmith (seal)

LANGDON ELLIS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we Langdon Ellis principal, and Lee L. James and W. W. Wallis, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of fourteen thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 11th day of December 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Langdon Ellis has been appointed guardian of the estate of John L. Smith, Jasper Smith, Simeon Smith, Ruth Smith, and Eliza Jane Smith, minors and heirs of Levi Smith, dead. Now, if the said Langdon Ellis shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded,
Decr. 11, 1852.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

Langdon Ellis (seal)
Lee L. James (seal)
W. W. Wallis (seal)

E. D. MCKINLEY'S BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we E. D. McKinley principal, and John T. Sheppard, and Alex. H. Reese, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of seven hundred dollars: for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 19th day of July 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound E. D. McKinley has been appointed administrator of the estate of James Hart Jr. deceased: Now, if the said E. D. McKinley shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,
 Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate
 E. D. McKinley (seal)
 John T. Sheppard (seal)
 Alex. H. Reese (seal)

THOMAS L. PENN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas L. Penn principal, and T. M. Baugh, and _____ securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five hundred dollars: for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 22d day of July 1852. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas L. Penn has been appointed administrator of the estate of John W. Funderburk deceased: Now, if the said Thomas L. Penn shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,
 Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate
 Tho. L. Penn (seal)
 T. M. Baugh (seal)

MCCELLELAND RATCHFORD'S BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we McClelland Ratchford principal and James J. Tucker, Abner Webb, and John C. Selman securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of sixteen thousand dollars: for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 12th day of July 1852. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound McClelland Ratchford has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Ratchford decd.: Now, if the said McClelland Ratchford shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,
 July 19, 1852.
 Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate
 McC. Ratchford (seal)
 James J. Tucker (seal)
 Abner Webb (seal)
 John C. Selman (seal)

MCCELLELAND RATCHFORD'S BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these present, that we McClelland Ratchford principal, & Albert G. Danforth and James J. Tucker, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars: which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 30th day of August 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound McClelland Ratchford has been appointed guardian of the person & of the estate of Mary Yarborough & Elizabeth Yarborough, minor heirs of Jane Yarborough, deceased: Now, if the said McClelland Ratchford shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,
 Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.
 M. C. Ratchford (seal)
 James J. Tucker (seal)
 Albert G. Danforth (seal)

JAMES A. CHERRY'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James A. Cherry, principal, and Edwin Cherry and John T. Sheppard, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 10th day of July, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James A. Cherry, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary E. Cherry, decd. Now, if the said James A. Cherry, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,
 Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.
 James A. Cherry (seal)
 John T. Sheppard (seal)
 Edwin A. Cherry (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

I, Jesse Carpenter a Justice of the Peace, in and for said County, hereby certify, that on the 10th day of July 1852, personally appeared before me John A. Sheppard, & E. A. Cherry whose names are subscribed to the foregoing bond as security, and acknowledged that they signed their names as security, to the foregoing bond, on the day of its date, and for the purposes therein named.

Given under my hand and seal, this 10th day of July, A.D. 1852.
 Approved by me, & ordered to record, Sept. 24, Jesse Carpenter, J. P.

1852.
 Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

JAMES M. NORWOOD'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Norwood principal, and Britton Stamps, James S. Mitchell, and Pitman M. Lumpkin, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of thirty-five thousand dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 21st day of December 1852. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James M. Norwood has been appointed administrator, de bonis non, cum testamento annexo of the estate of Thomas M. Russell, deceased: Now, if the said James M. Norwood shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such administrator, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,
 Dec. 21, 1852.
 Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.
 James M. Norwood (seal)
 Britton Stamps (seal)
 J. S. Mitchell (seal)
 Pitman M. Lumpkin (seal)

JOHN R. ALFORD'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we John R. Alford, principal, and Thaddeus Beall, & P. M. Baugh, securities, of the County and State aforesaid are held, and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twenty-five hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 23d day of September 1852. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John R. Alford has been appointed administrator of the estate of Gilbert G. Hudson, deceased: Now, if the said John R. Alford shall well and truly perform, all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,
 September 23, 1852.
 Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.
 John R. Alford (seal)
 Thaddeus Beall (seal)
 P. M. Baugh (seal)

JOHN W. STEPHENS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we John W. Stephens, principal and James R. Stephens & Isaac Howell, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of sixteen hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 15th day of January 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound John W. Stephens, has been appointed guardian of the estate of John H. Stephens, minor heir of Jesse Stephens, late of Green County, Ga., deceased: Now, if the said John W. Stephens shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,
 January 5, 1853.
 John W. Stephens (seal)

HUGH A. HALL'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Hugh Hall, principal, and John R. Slaughter, and Miles Caldwell, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of six thousand five hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 18th day of December 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Hugh Hall, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Nancy F. E. S. Jackson, minor and heir of Isaac Jackson, late of Green County Ga., deceased: Now, if the said Hugh Hall shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him, as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded,	Hugh A. Hall	(seal)
Deor. 18, 1852	John R. Slaughter	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.	his	
	Miles A. Caldwell	(seal)
	mark	

GREEN W. CARLISLE'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Green W. Carlisle, principal, and Wm. Williams and Jefferson Falkner, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 7th day of January 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Green W. Carlisle, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Letitia Williams, infant child of Nancy J. Williams: Now, if the said Green W. Carlisle, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,	Green W. Carlisle	(seal)
January 7, 1853.	Wm. Williams	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.	Jefferson Falkner	(seal)

FRANCES ROSS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Frances Ross, principal, and Henry Ferguson, John J. Slaughter, William Trimble, D. A. G. Ross, and Rolley R. Spinks, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of forty thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 28th day of Decr. 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Frances Ross, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary Jane Ross, deceased: Now, if the said Frances Ross, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,	Frances Ross	(seal)
Decr. 28, 1852.	Henry Ferguson	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.	John J. Slaughter	(seal)
	D. A. G. Ross	(seal)
	Rolley R. Spinks	(seal)
	William M. Trimble	(seal)

RICHARDS & FALKNER'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Evan G. Richards and Jefferson Falkner, principal, and Alpha F. Copeland, John R. Alford, William W. Palmer, and Britton Stamps, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of forty thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 29th day of December 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Evan G. Richards and Jefferson Falkner have been appointed administrators of the estate of John Garrett deceased: Now, if the said Evan G. Richards, and Jefferson Falkner shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,	E. G. Richards	(seal)
Decr. 29, 1852.	Jefferson Falkner	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.	Alpha F. Copeland	(seal)
	John R. Alford	(seal)
	William W. Palmer	(seal)
	Britton Stamps	(seal)

WILLIAM J. SPINKS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we William J. Spinks, principal, & James N. Wright and Strother Gaines, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 3d day of January, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William J. Spinks, has been appointed guardian of the estate of George W. Spinks, minor heirs of Henry N. Spinks, deceased: Now, if the said William J. Spinks, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,	William J. Spinks	(seal)
January 3d, 1853.	J. N. Wright	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.	Strother Gaines	(seal)

MARCISSE C. RENN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATRIX.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Marcissa C. Rynn, principal, & George S. Emory and F. B. Holladay, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twelve hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 13th day of December 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Marcissa C. Rynn, has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Mark Rynn, deceased: Now, if the said Marcissa C. Rynn, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her, as such administratrix, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,	Marcissa C. Rynn	(seal)
Decr. 13, 1852.	George S. Emory	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.	F. B. Holladay	(seal)

ROSS' & TRIMBLE'S BOND. ADMINISTRATORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Frances Ross, D. A. G. Ross and William Trimble, principal, and John J. Slaughter, Michael Hinkle and John Jennings, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of eighty thousand dollars; for which payment, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 15th day of November, 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Frances Ross, D. A. G. Ross and William M. Trimble, have been appointed administratrix and administrators, of the estate of Wiseman Ross, deceased: Now, if the said Frances Ross, D. A. G. Ross, and Wm. M. Trimble, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administratrix & administrators, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded,	Frances Ross	(seal)
Novr. 15, 1852.	D. A. G. Ross	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate	William M. Trimble	(seal)
	John J. Slaughter	(seal)
	M. Hinkle	(seal)
	John Jennings	(seal)

JOHN P. LEMASTERS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we John P. Lemasters, principal, and Thomas E. Lemasters, Robert McKee, and George S. Emory, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 23d day of December 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound John P. Lemasters has been appointed guardian of the estate of Martha A., Martha J., and James L. Allen, minor heirs of John Allen deceased: Now, if the said John P. Lemasters shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded,	John P. Lemasters	(seal)
Decr. 23d, 1852.	Thomas E. Lemasters	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.	Robt. A. McKee	(seal)
	George S. Emory	(seal)

JAMES E. CHAMBERS' BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James E. Chambers, principal, and B. F. McInty & John Pearson, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of three thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 8th day of January 1853. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James E. Chambers has been appointed administrator of the estate of John W. Chambers deceased: Now, if the said James E. Chambers shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force. Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded, } James E. Chambers (seal)
January 8, 1853. } B. F. McInty, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } John Pearson, (seal)

SAMUEL L. HARRIS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Samuel L. Harris, principal, and James L. Williams & John C. Smith securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of nine thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 15th day of February 1853. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Samuel L. Harris, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Elizabeth W. and Catherine M. Whitaker minor heirs of O. D. Whitaker, deceased: Now, if the said Samuel L. Harris, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force. Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded, } Saml. L. Harris (seal)
February 15, 1853. } Jas. L. Williams (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate } John C. Smith (seal)

WM. & CELESTIA JOHNSON'S BOND. ADMINISTRATORS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we William Johnson, & Celestia Ann Johnson, principals and James A. Barber, James Johnson & Alexander Tucker, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 27th day of January 1853. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William Johnson, & Celestia Ann Johnson have been appointed, administrator & administratrix of the estate of Thomas W. Johnson, dead: Now, if the said Wm. Johnson & Celestia Ann Johnson, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force. Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded, } William Johnson (seal)
Approved January 27, 1853. } Celestia Ann Johnson (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } James A. Barber (seal)
James Johnson (seal)
his
Alexander K Tucker (seal)
mark

WM. & CELESTIA ANN JOHNSON'S LETTERS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, January 27, 1853.
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William Johnson, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said William Johnson and Celestia Ann Johnson, in and upon the Goods and Chattels, rights and credits of Thomas W. Johnson, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said William Johnson and Celestia Ann Johnson are authorized to be bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrators, to the said Thomas W. Johnson, deceased.
Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 27th day of January, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

ALPHEUS F. COPELAND'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Alpheus F. Copeland principal, & John F. Copeland and Simeon B. Copeland securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County and his successors, in office, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 28th day of January, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Alpheus F. Copeland has been appointed guardian of the estate of Simeon N. Ward, and Penelope Augusta Ward, minor heirs of Paschal B. Ward, deceased: Now, if the said Alpheus F. Copeland shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force. Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded, } Alpheus F. Copeland (seal)
Approved by me, Jan'y. 28, 1853. } John F. Copeland (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } Simeon B. Copeland (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, January 28, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Alpheus F. Copeland, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Alpheus F. Copeland, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Simeon N. Ward and Penelope A. Ward, minor heirs of Paschal B. Ward, dead; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Alpheus F. Copeland, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Simeon N. Ward and Penelope A. Ward, minor heirs of Paschal B. Ward, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 28th day of January, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77 year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JEREMIAH FARR'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Jeremiah Farr, principal, and George Forrester and James M. Smith securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of two hundred and twenty five dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 4th day of February, 1853. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Jeremiah Farr, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Frances Whaley, minor heir of Jane Whaley dead: Now, if the said Jeremiah Farr, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force. Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded, } Jeremiah Farr, (seal)
February 4, 1853. } George Forrester (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate } James M. Smith (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, February 4, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known, to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Jeremiah Farr, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship, to issue in favor of the said Jeremiah Farr, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Frances Whaley, a minor and heir of Jane Whaley dead, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Jeremiah Farr is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 4th day of February, A.D., one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

MARIAH WALKER'S BOND. EXECUTRIX

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we, Mariah Walker, executrix of John H. Walker, Gideon Leverett, and Samuel C. Black of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of seven thousand five hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this twenty sixth day of March 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Mariah Walker, has been appointed executrix of the estate of John H. Walker, deceased in Alabama, and being the executrix of said estate in the State of Georgia, said Mariah Walker, has recovered in a suit in the circuit court of Chambers County, as such executrix, a verdict against Benjamin L. Goodman and Robert Mitchell, for the sum of thirty seven hundred and sixty four dollars: Now, if the said Mariah Walker shall faithfully administer such recovery, and shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such executrix, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded,
March 26, 1853.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Mariah Walker (seal)
by her atty. in fact
Gideon Leverett,
Gideon Leverett (seal)
Saml. C. Black (seal)

WILLIAM DAVIS' LETTERS AS GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, February 12, 1853.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James Wilkins to my said Court, I have caused the Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of William Davis, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Samuel Prothro, minor heir of Samuel Prothro, deceased: and, in every case which occasion may require, the said William Davis is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful ex officio guardian, to the said Samuel Prothro, minor heirs of Samuel Prothro, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 12th day of February, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

WILLIAM JEFFRIES, DECD. TRANSCRIPT FROM GEORGIA.

GEORGIA,
WILKES COUNTY.

Monday, June 7, 1853.

The Court of Ordinary for the County of Wilkes, met according to law,
Present. Hon. G. G. Norman, Ordinary.

It appearing to the Court, that James T. Hackney, applicant for letters of administration on the estate of William Jeffries has given due and legal notice of his intended application at this term of the Court for letters of administration on said estate, and no objection being offered to his application. It is ordered, that letters of administration issue to him on said estate, upon his giving bond in the sum of four thousand dollars, with Lewis S. Brown, security, and he be permitted to give said Bond and qualify in vacation.

GEORGIA
WILKES COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James T. Hackney and Lewis S. Brown, are held and firmly bound to the Ordinary for said County and his successors in office, in the just and full sum of four thousand dollars, for the payment of which sum to the said Ordinary and his successors in office, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, in the whole and for the whole sum, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 26 day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty two.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that if the above bound James T. Hackney, admr. of the goods, chattels, and credits of William Jeffries late of this County, deceased, do make a true and perfect inventory of all and singular, the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased; which how or shall come to the hands, possession or knowledge on the said James T. Hackney, or in the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him, and the same so made, do exhibit in the said Court of Ordinary, when he shall be thereunto required; and such goods, chattels and credits, do well and truly administer according to law; and do make a just and true account of his doings and actings therein when he shall be thereunto required by the Court of Ordinary for said County; and all the rest of the goods, chattels & credits, which shall be found remaining upon the account of the said administration; the same being first allowed by the Court, shall deliver and pay to such person or persons, respectively as are entitled to the same by law; and if it shall hereafter appear that any last will & testament was made by the said decd., and the same be proved before the Court, and the Executors obtain a certificate of the Probate thereof; and the said James T. Hackney do in such case, as required, render and deliver up the said letters of administration, then, this obligation to be void; else to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged, before me,
G. G. Norman, Ordinary

James T. Hackney (L.S.)
Lewis S. Brown (L.S.)

Recorded, July 3, 1852.

GEORGIA
WILKES COUNTY)

By G. G. Norman, Ordinary for said County.

Whereas William Jeffries, late of this County, deceased, died intestate, having while he live, and at the time of his death, divers estates, real and personal, within the County aforesaid, by means whereof, the full disposition and power of granting the administration of the estate of the said deceased, and also a final disposition from the same to the Court aforesaid, does of right belong, they desiring that the same may be well and truly administered, and legally disposed of; do hereby grant, unto James T. Hackney, administrator, full power by the tenor of these presents, to administer the entire estate, both real and personal of said deceased, which to him in his life time and at the time of his death did belong; and to ask demand, sue for, recover and receive the same, and to pay the debts in which the deceased stood bound; so far forth as his assets will extend, according to law; and then the balance jointly to pay over to the legal heirs and distributees of the said deceased. And the said James T. Hackney having given bond and security and taken the oath, and performing all other requisites required by law, necessary to his just qualification, as administrator; he is by order of said court, and by virtue of these presents, ordained, constituted, and appointed administrator, of the whole estate, both real and personal of said deceased.

Witness G. G. Norman, ordinary, this second day of July, one thousand eight hundred and fifty two.

G. G. Norman, Ordinary.

STATE OF GEORGIA
WILKES COUNTY)

I, John H. Dyson, clerk of the Court of Ordinary, in and for said County, do certify, that the annexed and foregoing three pages, are true copies taken from the Record in my office.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the seal of said Court, at my office, in Washington this 26th day of March, 1853.

John H. Dyson, clerk C.O.T.C. (seal)

STATE OF GEORGIA
WILKES COUNTY)

I, Gideon G. Norman, ordinary in and for the County of Wilkes, and Judge of the Court of Ordinary of said State and County, do certify, that John H. Dyson, who has signed the above and foregoing certificate, is the Clerk of Ordinary, in and for said County, and that said signature purporting to be his, is genuine, and that said certificate is in due form of law.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and private seal, not having an official seal, this 26th day of March 1853.

Gideon G. Norman, Ordinary (L.S.)
& Judge of Court of Ordinary.THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Office of the Judge of Probate.

Be it remembered, that on the 13th day of September, A.D. 1853, the original of the foregoing transcript, was deposited in this office for record; and on the same day, recorded in Record of Deeds &c., Vol. 2, Pages 356, 357, & 358.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

MARY CRAYTON, DECD. WILL

In the name of God, Amen.

I Mary Crayton do make and publish this my last will and testament.

1st. I give to my grand daughter, Sarah B. Crayton, child of William L. Crayton my two negro slaves Sylvia a girl about thirteen years old, and Mariah a girl about eleven years old.

2d. I give to my grand daughter Nancy Crayton child of William L. Crayton, my two negro slaves Fanny a girl about five years old, and Lucy a girl about eight years old.

3d. I give to my daughter-in-law Martha Crayton wife of my son William L. Crayton to her separate, sole and exclusive use, my negro man slave Peter about thirty two years old; and at her death I give Peter to Nancy Crayton; said slave Peter to be free from, and not subject to the debts of the said William L. Crayton.

4th. I give to my daughter-in-law, Martha Crayton, to her separate, sole, and exclusive use, my negro slave Emeretta, for the life of said Martha, and at her death to Sarah B. Crayton, and as Emeretta has been for a long time a faithful servant, I request that she be well treated and taken care of.

5th. It is my will, that the above devised slaves be delivered by an executor to my son William L. Crayton, for the use of the decessor; the said William L. not being liable to account to any one for the hire or use of said slaves.

6th. I direct my executor to sell all the rest and balance of my property, both real and personal either privately or at public sale, as he may think best; and out of the proceeds after paying my debts and funeral expenses, to apply the sum of two thousand dollars, (if so much is realized,) to the purchase of negro slaves, (and if that amount is not realized, to so apply whatever sum is realized,) which slaves are to be delivered, to Mary Smith, wife of Newton G. Smith; and which slaves are to be to the separate, sole and exclusive use of the said Mary Smith, for her life, and at her death to her children.

7th. It is my will, that if Sarah B. Crayton should die, before she marries, that the slaves Sylvia and Maria, should go to Nancy Crayton; and if Nancy should die before her marriage, the slaves Fanny and Lucy, should go to Sarah B. Crayton; and if both Sarah B. and Nancy should die before marriage of either; all of said slaves shall go to and be the property of the four youngest children of my son William L. Crayton who may be living at that time.

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8th. If there should be any surplus after applying the sum of two thousand dollars as provided in the 6th clause; the sum so remaining is to be divided equally between William L. Crayton and Newton L. Smith.

9th. I appoint James T. Brook, executor of this my last will and testament.

her
Mary X Crayton
mark

Signed by John C. Smith for Mary Crayton in her presence; and by her direction; and in the presence of us as witnesses, who have subscribed our names hereto, in the presence of her, Mary Crayton, and in the presence of each other, and the said Mary Crayton has hereto made her mark to the name signed by John C. Smith. The words "to her separate, sole and exclusive use," in the 2nd. line of 3d clause, interlined before signing.

This sixteenth day of August, A.D. eighteen hundred and fifty three.

Jno. C. Smith
H. P. Perkins.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, } Special Court of Probate, December 17, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY.

Personally appeared in open Court, John C. Smith and H. J. Perkins, who being duly sworn, depose and say on oath, that they each saw Mary Crayton, whose name appears to the within and foregoing paper-writing, sign, seal, and publish the same, as and for her last will and testament, on the day the same bears date; and that they each believed the said Mary Crayton to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same; and they each signed the same as subscribing witnesses in the presence and at the request of said testatrix; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court, this 17th day of)
December 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Hilliard J. Perkins
Jno. C. Smith

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Be it remembered, that on the 17th day of December, A.D. 1853, the within will was duly proven in the probate Court of the County aforesaid, upon the foregoing testimony of John C. Smith and Hilliard J. Perkins, the subscribing witnesses; and recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 359, & 360.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

WILLIS KELLAM'S WILL.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

In the name of God, amen.

Being in a good state of health, and in my proper mind, I make this my last will and testament.

First: I wish all my just debts to be paid. I will to my daughter Mary, a negro girl by the name Nelly, and to the heirs of her body, and a bay mare, a bed and furniture.

I will to my daughter Sarah, and to the heirs of her body, a negro girl by the name of Lucy, a horse to be worth seventy dollars, and a bed and furniture.

I will to my daughter Susan Chaney a negro girl by the name of Dealy, a horse worth seventy dollars, and a bed and furniture, to her and the heirs of her body, to be delivered to Sarah and Susan Chaney when they come of age or marry; and to Mary at the proving of this will.

I will to my son John Dawson, a negro boy by the name of Ben, a horse worth seventy dollars, a bed and furniture. I will to my son Thomas a negro boy by the name of Daniel, a horse worth seventy dollars, a bed and furniture, and if any of the above negroes die before the one it is willed to receive it, that child shall come in at the division and have an equal share with the other children.

I will to each of my other sons, that is not of age, as they become of age, a horse worth seventy dollars, a good bridle and saddle.

And I now will the balance of my property to my beloved wife, during her life time, or as long as she remains a widow; but if she does marry, I will her an equal share with the children, and the property to be divided. My object in giving certain property to named children, is to secure them in that much; but they shall have no more until the other children receive as much as they have.

I appoint my wife Elizabeth Kellam as executrix and my son James W. Kellam, executor of this my last will and testament. November 8, 1848.

C. C. Forbes
E. H. Muse
Saml. Pearson
Willis Kellam.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

I, Willis Kellam, of the County and State aforesaid, do hereby make and declare the following as a codicil to the before-going last will and testament.

I give and bequeath unto my youngest daughter Susan Chaney Kellam, in addition to what I have before bequeathed to her in the foregoing will, a negro girl named Harriett, between four and five years of age, to her and the heirs of her body; said negro to be controlled, as the other property, bequeathed to my said daughter Susan Chaney, in the foregoing will.

Given under my hand, this 15th day of October, A.D. 1853.

Signed and acknowledged in the presence of us, and witnessed by us, at the request of Willis Kellam.

E. J. Bacon
J. F. Mitchell

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Special Court of Probate. November 28, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Personally appeared in open Court Elliott H. Muse, one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will of Willis Kellam, and after being duly sworn, depose and say on oath, that he saw the said Willis Kellam, sign, seal and publish the same, as and for his last will and testament; and that he believed the said Willis Kellam, testator aforesaid to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same; and that he deponent signed the same as a subscribing witness at the request and in the presence of the said Willis Kellam; and that he also saw C. C. Forbes, and Samuel Pearson, sign the same in the presence, and at the request of the said Willis Kellam; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other, also came E. J. Bacon and J. F. Mitchell, who being duly sworn, depose each and say on oath, that they saw the said Willis Kellam, testator as aforesaid, sign, seal and publish, the above and foregoing codicil, as and for a codicil to his last will and testament; and that they each believed the said Willis Kellam to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of the making of said codicil; and that they each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said Willis Kellam, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court & subscribed)
before me November 28th 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Elliott H. Muse
J. F. Mitchell
E. J. Bacon.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate November 28, 1853.

Be it remembered, that on this day, the within paper-writing was filed in this Court for Probate; and on the same day was duly probated upon the foregoing affidavit; as and for the last will and testament, and codicil to the same of Willis Kellam, decd.; and duly recorded in Record of Wills, Volume 2, Pages 361, 362 & 363.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

STOKELY EVANS' WILL

This will made by Stokely Evans, in the year of our Lord, eighteen hundred and fifty three. He willed his wife Almy Ann Evans, all her house furniture, cooking utensils and other property, together with the negroes she had when I married her, which was our agreement when we married. Also, the crop of cotton made in the present year. My own personal estate or real effects including my blacksmith tools, household furniture, sold with the exception of my close which I will to my son G. W. Evans. I want my debts paid, and what is left of my estate equally divided between my children. Witnessed and signed, the day and date above written.

M. W. Snipes
Jesse Bonar
James R. Barr.

Stokely Evans.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Special Court of Probate. November 28, 1853.

Personally appeared in open Court, M. W. Snipes, and James R. Barr, two of the subscribing witnesses to the above and foregoing paper-writing; and after being duly sworn, depose each and say on oath, that they saw Stokely Evans, sign seal and publish the same, as and for his last will and testament; and that they each believed the said Stokely Evans, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same; and deponents further say on oath, that they each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said Stokely Evans; and that they also saw Jesse Bonar as a subscribing witness; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other; and in the presence of said testator.

Sworn in open court before me,)
Novr. 28, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

M. W. Snipes
James R. Barr.

Be it remembered, that on the 28th day of November A.D. 1853, the within will was propounded to the Court of Probate of Chambers County, for Probate, and on the same day was duly probated upon the above affidavit of M. W. Snipes and James R. Barr, two of the subscribing witnesses to said will, and duly recorded in Record of Wills, Volume 2, Pages 363, & 364.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JOHN HOLT SENR. DECD. WILL.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that I, John Holt Senr. of the County and State aforesaid, being low in health, but perfectly of sound and disposing mind; and knowing that it is appointed unto man, once to die, &c., do make and ordain this my last will and testament.

1st. It is my will and desire that my beloved wife Mitchell Holt, shall have and keep all my property of every description, to wit: my land, household and kitchen furniture of every description; my stock of all kinds and every thing of which I am possessed, during her natural life, for her support and maintenance and also for the support and maintenance of my two single daughters, to wit Mary and Catharine Holt.

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2d. It is my will and desire, that after the death of my said wife Mitchell Holt, that all of my property of every description be sold, and divided amongst my children, on the conditions hereinafter expressed, to wit: my son Harrison Holt having had already a full share of my property, it is my wish, that he have nothing more until all the rest of my children shall have had as much as he has already had. Also my son James M. Holt, having already received forty dollars, it is my wish that all the other children receive that much before he receives any thing more. My sons William, James B., Joseph and my daughter Frances having each received a cow a piece, which is to be deducted from their share.

2d. It is my wish and desire, that my interest in the present crop, be retained for the use of my wife and my two daughters, Mary and Catherine, and for their support: my son Jesse Holt being entitled to all the crop, except a support out of it, for my family, in consideration of the services rendered by him to me.

4th. It is my wish, that my body be buried in a decent and Christian like manner; and my soul I give and commend to that God who gave it.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto, set my hands and seal, this 18th day of September, 1855.

In presence of } his
Noah Bass } John A. Holt Senr. (L.S.)
James M. Roberts, J.P. } mark

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Special Court of Probate December 5, 1855.

Personally appeared in open Court, Noah Bass and James M. Roberts, who being duly sworn, depose and say on oath, that they each saw John Holt, whose name appears to the within paper-writing, sign, seal and publish the same as and for his last will and testament on the day the same bears date; and that they each believed the said John Holt to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same; and that they each signed the same, as subscribing witnesses, in the presence, and at the request of said testator; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court this 5th } James M. Roberts
December 1855. } Noah Bass.

Be it remembered, that on the 5th day of December 1855, the within will was propounded to the Court of Probate of Chambers County, for Probate; and on the same day was duly probated upon the above affidavit of James M. Roberts and Noah Bass, the subscribing witnesses, to said will; and duly recorded, in Record of Wills, Volume 2, Pages 304, 305, & 306.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

PRISCILLA GREER'S WILL.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, amen.

I, Priscilla Greer, of the State and County aforesaid, knowing the uncertainty of life, and the certainty of death; and being of sound disposing mind and memory, do make and constitute this my last will and testament, revoking all other wills and testaments, heretofore made, (to wit:)

Article 1st. I design, as soon as convenient, after my decease, for all my just debts to be paid.

Article 2d. I design that my son Joseph Greer, be amply satisfied and compensated for his attention, trouble and expenses, with me while living with him, and especially during my last sickness.

Article 3rd. I design after the above named demands are paid, that all my property both real and personal be equally divided between all my children.

Article 4th. I hereby appoint my son Joseph Greer, trustee for my daughter, Margaret Burns, to take charge of her part of my estate; and apply it to her use, and to the use of her bodily heirs, in any way, he thinks best for their comfort and convenience.

Article 5th. I now constitute and appoint my son Joseph Greer, my sole executor without security.

Article 6th. I now with Christian fortitude and resignation, I trust, commit my body to the grave in a decent Christian manner of burial; and my soul to God who gave it.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, this 14th day of October, A.D. 1855.

In presence of } her
Calvin Presley } Priscilla F. Greer (L.S.)
W. J. Spinks } mark
Archd. McIntyre. }

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Court of Probate, December 12, 1855.

Personally appeared in open Court, Calvin Presley, one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will of Priscilla Greer, decd.; and after being duly sworn, depose and say on oath; that he saw the said Priscilla Greer, sign, seal and publish the same as and for her last will and testament, on the day the same bears date; and that he believed the said Priscilla Greer, testatrix aforesaid, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same; and that he represent signed the same as a subscribing witness at the request and in the presence of the said Priscilla Greer; and that he saw W. J. Spinks and Archibald McIntyre, sign the same in the presence and at the request of the said Priscilla Greer, as subscribing witnesses; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court & subscribed } Calvin Presley.

before me December 12, 1855.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. }

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Be it remembered, that on the 12th day of December, A.D. 1855, the within will, was propounded to the Court of Probate of Chambers County, for Probate; and on the same day was duly probated upon the above affidavit of Calvin Presley, one of the subscribing witnesses to said will; and duly recorded, in Record of Wills, Volume 2, Pages 366, & 367.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JESSE GUNN'S WILL

In the name of God, amen. I, Jesse Gunn Senr., of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being of feeble health, but of a sound mind and disposing memory; do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills and codicils by me heretofore made.

First of all. I resign my soul to God who gave it me; and my body to the earth to be decently interred.

Item 2. It is my will and desire, that my just debts and funeral expenses be paid so soon after my decease as practicable.

Item 3. I give and devise to my son James M. Gunn the house, lot and improvements; now in his possession, and upon which he resides in the village of Fredonia in said County; which lot was conveyed to me by John A. Hurst; but for which lot no charge is to be made against my said son James M., upon distribution of my estate as herein after provided for in item six.

Item 4. I give and devise unto my son John G. Gunn, a certain settlement of lands on Sandy Creek in said County of Chambers; and known in the plan of survey as follows, to wit: The west half of section fifteen township twenty one, of Range twenty five; conveyed to me by Seaborn B. Gray; the south east quarter of section sixteen, and a fraction off of the nor east quarter of section twenty one, in the township and Range above specified; which last parcels of land were conveyed to me by Henry McFinger; which settlement of lands, are in part as an advance, and in part upon other consideration; and for which my said son John G., is to be charged with; and to account up a division of my estate, as herein after provide, among my several legatees for the sum of five hundred dollars, which said sum of five hundred dollars, is to be charged against him upon said division.

Item 5. Upon a division of my estate as herein after provided for; my son George W. Gunn, is to be charged with the sum of three hundred dollars, for the horse hermit; and my son Daniel G. Gunn, is to be charged with the sum of six hundred dollars; balance upon a settlement situate in Morgan County, Georgia; upon which I resided prior to my removal to Alabama; which sums were advances to my said sons, and are to be accounted for upon division of my estate, as in item six.

Item 6th. It is further my will and desire, that at the close of the year in which I may be called hence by death; and so soon as the crop shall be housed; and circumstances will permit, that the slaves of which I may be possessed or own, shall be divided among my several children, Mary Lewis, my wife of Thomas May; Elizabeth Ann McGowan wife of Greenberry McGowan, George W. Gunn, Daniel G. Gunn, John G. Gunn, and James M. Gunn; that in said division of slaves, I desire that respect shall be had to families, as as not to separate them, where with prudence, families may be kept together; which division I desire made after the whole of said slaves; have been valued by disinterested persons, to be selected by the legatees, above named; or to be appointed by the Judge of Probate, in default of said selection; but in which division, my negro man Marshall, and his wife and their children, or such of them as may be living, at the time of said valuation and division, are to go to and become the property of my son George W. Gunn, or his heirs and in like manner my negro man Keuben, girl Leniah, woman Lucy, and the two younger children of Lucy, to wit: Lewis and Andrew, or such of them as may be living at the time above stated are to go to and become the property of my son John G. Gunn, or his heirs; that the future increase of said slaves, designated, to go to said George W. and John G., is also included, and so intended to be; and said slaves to be taken at valuation; to be made when my other slaves are valued; and upon said division, the inequality of the several lots to be remedied and equality produced, by means of the proceeds of the crop, and other of my estate; and if this cannot be done, then by an advance by him or her having the most valuable lots, so as to produce equality, between my several children herein before named. The balance of my estate real and personal, except as herein after specified, to be equally divided between my several children herein before named.

Item 7th. It is further my will and desire, and I hereby give to my executors herein after named, for the sole and separate use of my beloved wife, Eleanor Gunn, for and during her life, the one seventh part in value of my estate real and personal, (except the real estate given to James M. and John G.), which said one seventh part is to be a moneyed capital; and which with the interest, after the comfortable support and maintenance of my beloved wife, during her life, I desire of her death to be equally divided between my children named in the foregoing item, share and share alike; and where property is given in this will, and any legatee shall die before reaching the time to possession, the child or children of any deceased legatee, is to take the portion which his, her, or their deceased parent, would have taken, if living.

Item 8. My executors herein after named; or a majority or those of them who shall qualify; or may at any time be acting; shall be and they are hereby vested and fully authorized and empowered to sell any part, portion or all of my lands and personal property, not herein before disposed of, rights at public or private sale; as shall in their discretion best promote the interest of my several legatees, herein before named, without any order of Court; and they are also hereby fully authorized and empowered to make execute, seal and deliver, good and sufficient titles to the purchaser or purchasers: which sale of lands, (including the settlement upon which I now reside) as well as personal estate, may be had or made for cash or upon time, as in their discretion may best advance the interest of my legatees.

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Item 9th. I hereby nominate and appoint my sons George W. Gunn, Daniel G. Gunn, John G. Gunn, and James M. Gunn, executors of this my last will and testament, and intrust them with the duty of seeing that their mother is comfortably provided for, and that these my testamentary intentions are fully carried out, and in all things executed as herein provided: and as I have the most implicit confidence in their good faith, prudence and discretion, it is my will and desire that they give no bond as executors; or that they qualify without bond; that no inventory or appraisal be returned to Court, until the period provided for the division of slaves, in the sixth item of this my will.

In witness whereof, I Jesse Gunn Senr., have hereunto set my hand and seal, at my own house, on this the 23d day of March, A.D. 1853.

Jesse Gunn Senr., (seal)

The above and foregoing two pages, were signed, sealed, published and declared by Jesse Gunn Senr., the testator wherein named, as his last will and testament, on the dated above written; before us and in our presence.

Abner R. Hill,
Benjamin A. Hill,
William Fuller, J.P.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Probate Court, Special Term, November 17, 1853.

Personally appeared in open court, Abner R. Hill, Benjamin A. Hill, and William Fuller, the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, and after being duly sworn says on oath, that they each saw the testator, Jesse Gunn, sign & seal & publish the same, as and for his last will and testament; and that they each believed said testator, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same; and that they each subscribed their names thereto as witnesses; at the request and in the presence of the said Jesse Gunn, testator aforesaid, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court, this)
17th November, A.D. 1853.)

Abner R. Hill,
Benjamin A. Hill,
William Fuller.

Be it remembered, that on this 17th day of November, A.D. 1853, the foregoing will was propounded to the Court, of Probate of the County and State aforesaid for Probate; and on the same day was probated upon the above affidavit, of the three subscribing witnesses, and recorded in Record of Wills, Volume 2, Pages 367, 368, 369 & 370.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

AARON PITTS' WILL.

In the name of God, amen. I Aaron Pitts of the State of South Carolina & district of Newberry, being in tolerable good health of body and of perfect sound mind and memory, thanks be to God for his mercies, but calling to mind the mortality of this mortal life, and knowing that it is appointed for all persons once to die, do make and ordain this my last will & testament. In the first place I recommend my soul unto the hands of Almighty God, and my body of flesh to the grave to be decently buried, at the discretion of my executors, hereafter to be named; and as touching such worldly estate as God in mercy hath been pleased to bless me with, I give and dispose of in the form and manner following.

In the first place, I give to my beloved wife Nancy Pitts, one feather bed and furniture, one bureau and one woman's saddle, to dispose of at her will & pleasure. In the second place, I give to my sons Moses Pitts and Westley Pitts, one horse a piece, to be of the value of eighty dollars each.

Thirdly, I lend to my beloved wife during her lifetime, one third part of my lands, and one negro woman named Temp.

Fourthly, I lend to my beloved wife, all the rest of my estate, both real and personal, of all kinds, during her widowhood, and she is to pay all my last debts, and to raise and school my children, and when any of my children marries, she is to pay over to them such a part of my property, as she together with my executors shall think right and charge them with so much of their part read.

And fifthly, if my wife should marry, my will is, that all the property lent to her during her widowhood of all kinds, both real and personal be sold, and the money thence arising to be equally divided among all my children, namely Moses Pitts, Betsey, Westley, Lizzy, Nancy, Patsy and Brucilla Pitts, so that each shall have an equal share, in counting in what each one may have received; and the property above lent during life, is at her death, to be sold, and the money thence arising to be equally divided among all my children above mentioned.

I constitute and appoint my loving wife, Nancy Pitts and my son Moses Pitts, to be execs. & exors. to see to the prosecuting this my last will and testament; disannulling all other wills by me made, ratifying and confirming this as my last will & testament.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my and fixed my seal, this 17th day of January, A.D. 1817; and in the 1st year of American Independence.

Signed and acknowledged before us,
Charles Criffin
Nathan Pitts
her
Franky & Gary
mark

Aaron Pitts (I.S.)

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GEORGIA
JONES COUNTY

James Pitts came into Court, being sworn, saith that the written signature of Aaron Pitts is the hand writing of said Aaron Pitts decd.; as he was well acquainted with him and his writing, and that the signature of Nathan Pitts as a witness is his hand writing: he is also acquainted and believes the signatures of the other witnesses to be genuine.
Sworn to in open court 3d. May 1819,
James Smith C.C.O.
Recorded, 19th May 1819.

James Pitts.

GEORGIA
JONES COUNTY

Ordinary's office, 10th Novr. 1853.

I Elbert Hutchings, ordinary of the State and County aforesaid, acting Judge and Ex officio Clerk, do hereby certify, that the three foregoing pages, constitute a true exemplification, taken from my office, of the will of Aaron Pitts of the State and County aforesaid deceased; and formerly of Newberry District South Carolina; and of the probate thereof.

In testimony whereof, I hereto set my hand and seal of office, the day and year above mentioned.

Elbert Hutchings
ordinary Jones County Georgia.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Ordinary's term of Probate Court, November 14, 1853.

Be it remembered, that on this day, the within paper-writing has been admitted to probate in this Court, upon the testimony and authentication as annexed, from the Court of Ordinary of Jones County & State of Georgia, as and for the last will and testament of Aaron Pitts decd.; and duly recorded on the 20th day of January 1854, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 371, 372, & 373.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

HENRY M. GREER'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

August 19, 1853. The last will and testament of Henry M. Greer.

In the presence of GOD, Amen.

I Henry M. Greer, knowing that life is uncertain, and that death is certain; and being of a proper mind, do will and bequeath to my two eldest sons William and Frederick, certain portion of land, known and described as follows, to wit: it being a part of the south west quarter of section (24), twenty four, township (22) twenty two, range (27) twenty seven. The above mentioned parcel of land, being the entire portion of the above described quarter section of land, belonging to me, lying south of the road, known as the West Point and Lafayette road, except five acres, which will be taken off of the said tract or parcel; the line commencing at the road, eighty yards from my house, towards where Mr. S. Simpson, now lives; and running a straight direction towards the line between my land and Andrew J. Barrow's, leaving the above described five acres, between said line and the above mentioned road; also one and weighing twenty five lbs. furnished with one clothes as follows, to wit: two counterpane, as good as there is in my possession, at my death; also two bed quilts of medium quality, one blanket, and one trunk; also one third part of the crop of corn growing, and ready; and one half of the growing crop of cotton.

I do likewise will and bequeath to my wife Margaret P. Greer, the remaining portion of my estate, after disposing of a sufficient quantity, to pay my debts, during her natural life, and then to be equally divided between my children by her, the said Margaret P. Greer.

Test:
Andrew Jackson Barrow
Henry Meadors
W. S. Simpson

Henry M. Greer.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open court, Andrew J. Barrow, Henry Meadors, and William S. Simpson, the subscribing witnesses to the above and foregoing paper-writing, and being duly sworn, depose each and say, on oath, that they saw Henry M. Greer, whose name appears to the same, sign and seal the same, as and for his last will and testament; and that they each believed him the said Henry M. Greer, was of sound & disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same; and that they each signed the same at the request and in the presence of the said Henry M. Greer, and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed before me,
September 12, 1853.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

Henry Meadors
Andrew J. Barrow
W. S. Simpson.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Be it remembered, that on the 12th day of September, A.D. 1853, the foregoing will was probated on the testimony of Henry Meadors, Andrew J. Barrow and W. S. Simpson, the subscribing witnesses, and was duly recorded, on the 21st. day of January, A.D. 1854, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 373, & 374.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

In the name of God, amen.

I, Joseph Howell, of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being of sound mind and memory, and of a disposing disposition, do make and ordain this my last will and testament.

Item first: I give unto my daughter Nancy Mercer, my negro woman, Rose, one boy Reason, one boy Ben and one boy John; also one fourth part of my cattle, one feather bed and furniture, and also one horse. All the above named property, it is my will and desire should be and remain the property of my daughter Nancy Mercer; and for her own use and benefit, during her natural life; and after death to be equally divided between her children by Joel Mercer.

Item 2d. I give unto my son Abram Howell, one negro by the name of Nelson; and one negro by the name of Lillik; and one tract of land, in the County of Calhaws, and State of Georgia; and other property, all of which he has heretofore recd., which is his portion of my estate.

Item 3d. I give unto my son Isaac Howell, my negro man Washington, one man Elmariah, one woman Amy, one boy Breson, one boy Tom, and one man King. I also give my son Isaac Howell, the remaining portion of my cattle; all of my horse and sheep, and all of my stock or horses; together with all my household and kitchen furniture of every description; and also all my farming and plantation implements of every description.

Item 4th. All the crop, that may be on the farm at the time of my death, I leave to discharge and pay my just debts.

Item 5th. It is my will, that all of the above named property to remain on the farm for the present year.

Item 6th. I do hereby nominate and appoint my son, Isaac Howell, my lawful executor, to this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof, I set my hand, this 11th day of May, 1851.
Joseph Howell.

Test:
Larkin Floyd
Benjamin Simms
Jas. Simms.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Special Court of Probate, December 30, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Personally appeared in open Court, James Simms and Benjamin Simms, two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing paper-writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of Joseph Howell decd.; and after being first duly sworn, depose each, and say, on oath, that they saw said Joseph Howell, sign, seal and publish said paper-writing, as and for his last will and testament; and that they believed said testator to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same; and that they each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of said testator, and in the presence of each other; and that they saw Larkin Floyd sign the same as a subscribing witness in the presence, and at the request of said testator; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other. Sworn to and subscribed in open Court,
James Simms.
Benjamin Simms.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Be it remembered, that on the 30th day of December, A.D. 1853, the foregoing will of Joseph Howell, decd., was propounded for probate in the Court of Probate for Chambers County; and on the same day was duly probated upon the testimony of James Simms and Benjamin Simms, two of the subscribing witnesses, as appears above; and was on the 21st day of January, A.D. 1854, duly recorded, in record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 374, 375 & 376.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

WM. DAVIS LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION DE BONIS NON ON ESTATE OF BAILEY C. NEWMAN, DECD.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Court of Probate, November 14, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Michael Baker, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of William Davis, Sheriff of said County, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Bailey C. Newman, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said William Davis is authorized to bring suit as he sued, as the lawful administrator ex officio, to the said Bailey C. Newman, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 14th day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 76th year of American Independence.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

SALMON WASHBURN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Salmon Washburn principal, and Samuel C. Black and Jefferson Falkner securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five thousand five hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 19th day of December 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Salmon Washburn, has been appointed administrator, de bonis non, of the estate of Richard C. Baker, deceased. Now, if the said Salmon Washburn shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded,
Deer. 19, 1853.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Salmon Washburn (seal)
Saml. C. Black (seal)
Jefferson Falkner (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)

CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, December 19, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known, to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Salmon Washburn to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Salmon Washburn, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Richard C. Baker, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Salmon Washburn is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator de bonis non, to the said Richard C. Baker, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 19th day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 76th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THOMAS G. LYLE'S BOND.

GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas G. Lyle, principal, and James S. Mitchell, and James H. Reese, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of eleven thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 15th day of June, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas G. Lyle, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Francis H. Wheat,

Now, if the said Thomas G. Lyle, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded
June 15, 1853.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Thos. G. Lyle (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)
Jas. H. Reese (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)

CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, June 13, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern that on the application of Thomas G. Lyle, to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Thomas G. Lyle, in and upon the goods and chattels, right and credits of Francis H. Wheat a minor; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Thomas G. Lyle, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Francis H. Wheat minor as aforesaid.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 13th day of June, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three and the 76th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

OSCAR P. JONES' BOND.

ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Oscar P. Jones, principal and James H. Kennedy, and William S. Hill securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twelve hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 23d day of July 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Oscar P. Jones, has been appointed administrator of the estate of John A. Mooney, deceased.

Now, if the said Oscar P. Jones shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such administrator; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

O. P. Jones (seal)
James H. Kennedy (seal)
W. S. Hill (seal)

JOHN W. STEPHENS' GUARDIAN BOND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we John W. Stephens, principal, and James H. Stephens and Isaac Howell, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of thirty two hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 16th day of January 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John W. Stephens, has been appointed guardian of the estate of John H. Stephens minor heir of Jesse Stephens, late of Green County, Georgia, deceased; Now, if the said John W. Stephens, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded
January 16, 1854.

John W. Stephens (seal)
James H. Stevens (seal)
Isaac Howell (seal)

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JOHN C. HILL'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we John C. Hill principal and Elizabeth Hill, William Johnson, William Davis and John C. Selman, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twelve thousand dollars; for which payment, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 6th day of June, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound John C. Hill, has been appointed administrator of the estate of William Hill, deceased: Now, if the said John C. Hill, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } John C. Hill, (seal)
June 7, 1853. } Elizabeth Johnson (seal)
Samuel. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } Wm. Davis (seal)
John C. Selman (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, June 6, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of John C. Hill, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said John C. Hill, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of William Hill, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said John C. Hill, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said William Hill, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 6th day of June, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

MARION MOORE'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Marion Moore, principal, and Charles Holmes and James S. Mitchell securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 30th day of May, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Marion Moore, has been appointed guardian of the estate of John J. Jones, Wilburn Jones, Rebecca Jones, Eliza Jones, Angeline Jones, James Jones, and George W. Jones, minor heirs of Hardy Jones, decs.; Now, if the said Marion Moore, shall well and truly perform all the duties, which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } Marion Moore (seal)
May 30, 1853. } Charles Holmes (seal)
Sam. Pearson, Judge of Probate } J. S. Mitchell (seal)

E. G. RICHARDS' BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Evan G. Richards, E. H. Muse and J. W. Bachelder, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of eight thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 30th day of May 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Evan G. Richards, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Reed, deceased: Now, if the said Evan G. Richards, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such administrator; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } E. G. Richards (seal)
Approved May 30, 1853. } E. H. Muse (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } J. W. Bachelder (seal)

E. G. RICHARDS' LETTERS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, June 4, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Evan G. Richards to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Evan G. Richards, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Elizabeth Reed, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Evan G. Richards, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Elizabeth Reed, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 4th day of June, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

ROBERT BAUGH'S BOND ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Robert Baugh principal, and James S. Mitchell and Thornton M. Baugh, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 27th day of May 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Robert Baugh, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Martha Dunn deceased: Now, if the said Robert Baugh, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such administrator; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } Robert Baugh (seal)
May 27, 1853. } J. S. Mitchell (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } T. M. Baugh (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, May 27, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Robert Baugh, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Robert Baugh, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Martha Dunn deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Robert Baugh is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Martha Dunn, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 27th day of May, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THOMAS L. GRIMMETT'S BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we T. L. Grinnett principal, and Elizabeth Osborn and John M. Smith, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 17th day of May 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound T. L. Grinnett, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Susan Osborn minor and heir of Rolin Osborn, deceased: Now, if the said T. L. Grinnett, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him, as such guardian; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } T. L. Grinnett (seal)
May 17, 1853. } Elizabeth Osborn (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } John M. Smith (seal)

T. L. GRIMMETT'S LETTERS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, May 17, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Thomas L. Grinnett to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Thomas L. Grinnett, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Susan Osborn, minor heir of Rolin Osborn, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Thomas L. Grinnett, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Susan Osborn, minor heir of Rolin Osborn, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 17th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JOHN T. SHEPPARD'S BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we John T. Sheppard, principal, and William W. Sheppard and William Davis, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 16th day of May, 1893.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John T. Sheppard, has been appointed guardian of the estates of Mary E. Corporew, Samuel Corporew and Jane Corporew minor heirs of Wilson Corporew, deceased: Now, if the said John T. Sheppard, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded } John T. Sheppard, (seal)
May 18, 1893. } W. W. Sheppard, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } Wm. Davis (seal)

JULIUS H. COGBURN'S BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we Julius H. Cogburn, principal, and Charles McLemore and William Davis, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of two hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 7th day of February 1893.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Julius H. Cogburn, has been appointed guardian of the estates of Mary Ann, Martha J., Sarah F., & Emily R. Cogburn, minors & children of said Julius H. Cogburn. Now, if the said Julius H. Cogburn, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } Julius H. Cogburn (seal)
7th February 1893. } Charles McLemore (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } Wm. Davis (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA } Court of Probate, February 7, 1893.
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Julius H. Cogburn, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Julius H. Cogburn, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Mary Ann Cogburn, Martha J. Cogburn, Sarah F. Cogburn, and Emily R. Cogburn, minors and children of said Julius H. Cogburn; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Julius H. Cogburn is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 7th day of February, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

CICERO HEATH'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we Cicero Heath principal, and William J. Lee and Theo. McMurkin, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 18th day of February, 1893.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Cicero Heath, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Theodore Johnson, deceased: Now, if the said Cicero Heath, shall well and truly perform all the duties, which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise, to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded } Cicero Heath (seal)
Approved by me, Feb'y. 18, 1893. } William J. Lee, (seal)
Theo. McMurkin (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA } Court of Probate, February 18, 1893.
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Cicero Heath, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration, to issue in favor of the said Cicero Heath, in and upon the goods, and chattels, rights and credits of Theodore Johnson, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Cicero Heath is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrator to the said Theodore Johnson, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 18th day of February, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

DAVID W. REEVES' BOND. EXECUTOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we David W. Reeves principal and J. M. Reeves and Henry Griggs, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 18th day of February 1893.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound David W. Reeves, has been appointed executor of the estate of Jeremiah Reeves deceased: Now, if the said David W. Reeves shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded } D. W. Reeves (seal)
February 18, 1893. } J. M. Reeves (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } Henry Griggs (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA } Court of Probate, February 18, 1893.
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of David W. Reeves to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favor of the said David W. Reeves, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Jeremiah Reeves, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said David W. Reeves, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executor, to the said Jeremiah Reeves deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 18th day of February, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

STEPHEN CHAFFIN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA }
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Know all men by these presents, that we Stephen Chaffin principal, and William Reeves and H. W. Dent, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.

Sealed with our seals, and dated this 22d day of February 1893.
The condition of the above obligation, is such, that whereas the above bound Stephen Chaffin, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Stewart Boyington, deceased: Now, if the said Stephen Chaffin, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such administrator; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } Stephen Chaffin (seal)
February 22, 1893. } William Reeves (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } H. W. Dent, (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA } Court of Probate, February 22, 1893.
CHAMBERS COUNTY }

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Stephen Chaffin to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Stephen Chaffin, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Stewart Boyington, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Stephen Chaffin, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Stewart Boyington, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 22d day of February, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JOHN C. SELMAN'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we John C. Selmam, principal, and McClellan Hatchford and Abner Webb, his securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of six hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 7th day of March 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John C. Selmam has been appointed guardian of the estate of James M. Farley minor heir of James Farley, deceased: Now, if the said John C. Selmam, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.
Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } John C. Selmam (seal)
March 7, 1853. } W. C. Hatchford, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate } Abner Webb (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, March 7, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of John C. Selmam, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said John C. Selmam, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of James M. Farley, a minor heir of James Farley, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said John C. Selmam is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said James M. Farley minor as aforesaid.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 7th day of March, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

M. C. WILKINSON'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we M. C. Wilkinson principal, and C. W. Hanson and Wm. S. Wilkinson, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of seven thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 4th day of April 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound M. C. Wilkinson, has been appointed guardian of the estate of James F., and Martha Ann Wilkinson, minor heirs of H. L. Wilkinson, deceased: Now, if the said M. C. Wilkinson, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } W. C. Wilkinson (seal)
April 4, 1853. } C. W. Hanson (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } W. S. Wilkinson, (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of M. C. Wilkinson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said M. C. Wilkinson, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of James F., and Martha Ann Wilkinson, minor heirs of H. L. Wilkinson, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said M. C. Wilkinson is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 4th day of April, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

WM. C. ALLEN'S BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we William C. Allen, principal, and Ann Wilkinson, H. L. Wilkinson and Strother Gaines securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors, in office, in the penal sum of seventeen thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 4th day of April, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William C. Allen, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Thomas D., Lucy J., Louvina L., Sarah M., and Caladonia Wilkinson, minor heirs of H. L. Wilkinson, deceased: Now, if the said William C. Allen, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } William C. Allen (seal)
April 4, 1853. } Ann Wilkinson, (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate. }

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, April 4, 1853.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William C. Allen, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Wm. C. Allen, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Thomas D., Louvina L., Sarah M., and Caladonia Wilkinson, minor heirs of Henry L. Wilkerson, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Wm. C. Allen is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian, to the said minors.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 4th day of April, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

LOUISA C. KNIGHT & PETER MITCHELL'S BOND. ADMINISTRATORS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Louisa C. Knight and Peter Mitchell, principals, and Micajah Williamson, and W. L. Heflin securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twelve hundred dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 8th day of April 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Louisa C. Knight and Peter Mitchell have been appointed administrators of the estate of Elias Knight, deceased: Now, if the said Louisa C. Knight and Peter Mitchell, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them, as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } Louisa C. Knight (seal)
April 8, 1853. } Peter Mitchell (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } Micajah Williamson (seal)
W. L. Heflin (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, April 8, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Louisa C. Knight to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Louisa C. Knight and Peter Mitchell, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Elias Knight deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Louisa C. Knight and Peter Mitchell are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrators to the said Elias Knight, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 8th day of April, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three and the 77th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

ASA COX'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Asa Cox principal, and Thomas F. Cox, Benjamin F. Cox, John A. Hurst and Peter H. Rowland, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 15th day of August 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Asa Cox has been appointed guardian of the estate of Margaret R., Louisa F., Alexander M., and Harriett A. Cox, minor heirs of Wm. E. Cox, deceased:

Now, if the said Asa Cox, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded } Asa Cox (seal)
August 15, 1853. } T. F. Cox (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. } Benj. F. Cox (seal)
John A. Hurst (seal)
Peter H. Rowland (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, August 15, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Asa Cox to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Asa Cox, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Margaret R., Louisa F., Alexander M., and Harriett A. Cox, minor heirs of William E. Cox, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Asa Cox is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor heirs of Wm. E. Cox, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 15th day of August, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78 year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

BENJAMIN F. REA'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Benjamin F. Rea, principal, and Jesse Kinsey and Cornelius Rea, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 20th day of August, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Benjamin F. Rea, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Wm. H. Moore, deceased: Now, if the said Benjamin F. Rea, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded }
August 20, 1853. }
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. }
Benj. F. Rea, (seal)
Jesse Kinsey, (seal)
Cornelius Rea, (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,) Court of Probate, August 20, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Benjamin F. Rea, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Benjamin F. Rea, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of William H. Moore, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Benjamin F. Rea, is authorized to bring suit, and be sued as the lawful administrator, to the said William H. Moore, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 20th day of August, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

MILTON M. MARCUS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Milton M. Marcus principal, and William D. Harrington, Jonathan W. Williams, Thomas A. Penn, and L. B. Sherrill, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of forty thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 27th day of August 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Milton M. Marcus has been appointed guardian of the estate of Augustus H. Brown and Charles H. Brown, minor heirs of Thos. D. Brown deceased: Now, if the said Milton M. Marcus shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded }
August 27, 1853. }
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. }
M. M. Marcus (seal)
Wm. D. Harrington (seal)
Jonathan W. Williams (seal)
Thos. A. Penn (seal)
L. B. Sherrill (seal)

JAMES T. HACKNEY'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James T. Hackney, principal, and Jas. B. Reese and Thomas A. Reese, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 13th day of September 1853. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James T. Hackney, has been appointed administrator of the estate of William Jeffries, late of Wilkes County, Geo., dead, by the Court or Ordinary of said County of Wilkes: Now, if the said James T. Hackney, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him, as such administrator; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded }
Sept. 13, 1853. }
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. }
James T. Hackney (seal)
Jas. B. Reese (seal)
Thos. A. Reese (seal)

JESSE CARPENTER'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Jesse Carpenter principal, and Allison Allen and Vincent A. Peirson, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of six hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 22d day of July 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jesse Carpenter, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary F. P. Threadgill, deceased: Now, if the said Jesse Carpenter shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him, as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded }
July 22, 1853. }
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. }
Jesse Carpenter (seal)
Allison Allen (seal)
V. A. Peirson, (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,) Court of Probate, July 22, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Jesse Carpenter to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Jesse Carpenter, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Mary F. P. Threadgill, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Jesse Carpenter, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Mary F. P. Threadgill, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 22d day of July, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

E. G. MARABLE'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Erasmus G. Marable, principal, and Samuel G. Black and M. C. Blanchard securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 30th day of July, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Erasmus G. Marable, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Henry L. Threadgill, deceased: Now, if the said Erasmus G. Marable shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded }
July 30, 1853. }
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. }
E. G. Marable (seal)
Saml. G. Black (seal)
M. C. Blanchard (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,) Court of Probate, 30 July 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Erasmus G. Marable, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Erasmus G. Marable, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Henry L. Threadgill, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Erasmus G. Marable, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator, to the said Henry L. Threadgill, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 30th day of July, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

WM. DAVIS' LETTERS: EX OFFICIO ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, 30 July 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William S. Northern, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration, to issue in favor of the said Wm. Davis, Sheriff of Chambers County, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John S. Walker, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said William Davis, Sheriff, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said John S. Walker, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 30th day of July, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

DAVID MCCARLEY JR.'S WILL.

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
In the name of God, amen, I, David McCarley Jr., being of sound mind and judgment, and being about to die; and desiring to make a just and lawful disposal of my estate, real and personal, do make and ordain this my last will and testament.
First. I will and bequeath a sufficient portion of my property to the payment of my just and lawful debts; and desire they should be paid.
Second. I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Sarah McCarley, all my real and personal estate, to be hers, and for to hold and manage so long as she remains in an unmarried state. In the event she should marry again, it is my will that all the property shall be jointly and equally divided between her and my children; said division to take place, so soon as she marries.
Executed and signed, this twenty first day of January, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty four.
In presence of) his
David K. McCarley Jr.)
J. B. McCarley,) mark

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Special Court of Probate, February 20, 1854.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Personally appeared in open court, William H. Smith, and John B. McCarley, who after being duly sworn, depose and say on oath, that they saw the within named David McCarley Jr., sign and seal, the within instrument, as and for his last will and testament, on the day of its date; and that they believed the said David McCarley Jr., to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same; and that they each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said David McCarley Jr., on the day of its date; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.
Witness, W. H. Smith
John B. McCarley.
Be it remembered, that on the 20th day of February 1854, the within will was propounded to the Court of Probate of Chambers County, for Probate; and on the same day was duly probated upon the above affidavit of William H. Smith and John B. McCarley, the subscribing witnesses, to said will; and duly recorded, in Record of Wills, Volume 2, Pages 358, & 359.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JOSEPH GREER'S LETTERS. EXECUTOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, December 12, 1853.
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Joseph Greer, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favor of the said Joseph Greer, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights, and credits, of Priscilla Greer, deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Joseph Greer, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executor to the said Priscilla Greer, deceased.
Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 12th day of December, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JONATHAN W. WILLIAMS' GUARDIAN BOND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we Jonathan W. Williams principal and William Strozier security of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of one hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 13th day of October 1853.
The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jonathan W. Williams has been appointed guardian of the person and of the estate of Martha L. Smith, a free woman of colour. Now, if the said Jonathan W. Williams shall faithfully take charge of, and faithfully to account, for all such effects, goods and monies or such free person, as may come to his possession and pay and deliver the same over to such free person of colour, whenever demanded; and shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him, as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.
Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) Jonathan W. Williams (seal)
October 13, 1853.) Wm. Strozier (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Court of Probate, October 13, 1853.
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Jonathan W. Williams, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Jonathan W. Williams, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits & of Martha L. Smith, a free woman of colour; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Jonathan W. Williams is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian, to the said Martha L. Smith, free woman as aforesaid.
Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 13th day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

SARAH & JOHN A. PARK'S BOND. ADMINISTRATORS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we Sarah Park, and John A. Park, principals, and Allen L. Bailey and Jacob A. Flournoy, securities, of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twenty thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 10th day of October, 1853. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Sarah Park and John A. Park, have been appointed administratrix and administrator of the estate of John Park, deceased; Now, if the said Sarah Park, and John A. Park, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administrators; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.
Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) J. A. Park (seal)
October 10, 1853.) L. Park, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) A. L. Bailey (seal)
Jacob A. Flournoy (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Court of Probate, October 10, 1853.
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Sarah Park and John A. Park, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration, to issue in favor of the said Sarah Park and John A. Park in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John Park, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Sarah Park, and John A. Park, are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrators, to the said John Park deceased.
Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 10th day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78 year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

DIVINITY MULLICAN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATRIX.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we Divinity Mullican principal, and Peyton P. Pinckard and Perry D. Yancy, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of two thousand five hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 1st day of August 1853.
The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Divinity Mullican has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Isaac Mullican deceased; Now, if the said Divinity Mullican, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her, as such administratrix, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.
Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) Divinity Mullican (seal)
August 1, 1853.) Peyton P. Pinckard (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) P. D. Yancy, (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Court of Probate, August 1, 1853.
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Divinity Mullican to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Divinity Mullican, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Isaac Mullican, deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Divinity Mullican is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administratrix, to the said Isaac Mullican, deceased.
Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 1st day of August, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three; and the 78 year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JAMES TAYLOR'S BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James Taylor, principal, and Thomas Taylor and Daniel Taylor, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of thirty five hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 12th day of September 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James Taylor has been appointed guardian of the estate of Isabella C. Taylor, Emma Jane Taylor, and William D. Taylor, minor heirs of David Taylor, deceased. Now, if the said James Taylor, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded)
September 12, 1853. }
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

James Taylor (seal)
Thos. Taylor (seal)
Danl. Taylor (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, 12th September 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James Taylor, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said James Taylor, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Isabella C. Taylor, Emma Jane Taylor, and William D. Taylor, minor children of David Taylor, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require the said James Taylor, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor heirs of said David Taylor, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 12th day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three; and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

ALFRED D. BAYNE'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Alfred D. Bayne principal, and J. H. Cordle, Peter C. Frederick, and Charles M. Bayne, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars; for which payment, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 14th day of September 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Alfred D. Bayne, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him, as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded)
approved by us, September 14, 1853. }
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Alfred D. Bayne (seal)
J. H. Cordle (seal)
Peter C. Frederick (seal)
Charles M. Bayne (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, September 14, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Alfred D. Bayne, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Alfred D. Bayne, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of William Bayne, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Alfred D. Bayne, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator, to the said William Bayne, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 14th day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three; and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

LEE L. JAMES' BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Lee L. James principal, and William James, Walton W. Wallis, and Langdon Ellis, securities, of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of fifty thousand dollars; for which payment, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 14th day of September 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Lee L. James has been appointed administrator of the estate of Sylvester James, deceased; Now, if the said Lee L. James shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded)
September 14, 1853. }
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Lee L. James (seal)
William James (seal)
W. W. Wallis (seal)
Langdon Ellis (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, September 14, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Lee L. James, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Lee L. James, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Sylvester James, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Lee L. James is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator, to the said Sylvester James, deceased.

Witness Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 14th day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JAMES M. ROBERTS & LUCY HOLT'S BOND. ADMINISTRATORS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Roberts, and Lucy Holt principals, and John Burkhalter, Crawford Downs, Joseph Holt, Joshua Downs and Charles W. Holt securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 19th day of September 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James M. Roberts, and Lucy Holt have been appointed administrator and administratrix of the estate of James M. Holt, deceased. Now, if the said James M. Roberts and Lucy Holt shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded)
September 19, 1853. }
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

James M. Roberts (seal)
Lucy A. Holt (seal)
John Burkhalter (seal)
Crawford Downs (seal)
Joseph Holt (seal)
his (seal)
Joshua K. Downs (seal)
Mark (seal)
Charles W. Holt (seal)

Signed in my presence, this 19th of September 1853.

David S. Williams, J.P.

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, September 19, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James M. Roberts and Lucy Holt, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said James M. Roberts and Lucy Holt, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of James M. Holt deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said James M. Roberts and Lucy Holt are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator & administratrix, to the said James M. Holt, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 19th day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JASON S. MEADORS' BOND. ADMINISTRATION

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Jason S. Meadors principal, and James Blakely and John H. Barnes securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 21st day of September 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Jason S. Meadors, has been appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Henry H. Greer, deceased. Now, if the said Jason S. Meadors, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded)
September 21, 1853. }
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Jason S. Meadors (seal)
James Blakely (seal)
John H. Barnes (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, September 21, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Jason S. Meadors, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Jason S. Meadors, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Henry H. Greer, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Jason S. Meadors, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Henry H. Greer, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 21st day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

ANGUS FERGUSON'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Angus Ferguson principal, and Stephen Chaffin and James H. Foreman securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 29th day of September, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Angus Ferguson, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Norman Ferguson, deceased: Now, if the said Angus Ferguson, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him, as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) Angus Ferguson (seal)
September 29, 1853. Stephen Chaffin (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. James H. Foreman (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, September 29, 1853.

Be it remembered and made known, to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Angus Ferguson, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Angus Ferguson, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Norman Ferguson, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Angus Ferguson, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Norman Ferguson, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 29th day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

DANIEL H. MCCOY'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Daniel H. McCoy, principal, and G. P. Browder and Leroy McCoy securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of fourteen hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 4th day of October 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Daniel H. McCoy, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Rebecca Norman, deceased: Now, if the said Daniel H. McCoy, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) D. H. McCoy (seal)
Approved, Oct. 4, 1853. G. P. Browder (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. Leroy McCoy (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, October 4, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Daniel H. McCoy, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Daniel H. McCoy, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Rebecca Norman, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Daniel H. McCoy, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Rebecca Norman, deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 4th day of October, A.D., one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

WILLIAM P. COLLIER'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we William P. Collier, and Willis S. Johnson and Isaac P. Collier, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 25th day of October 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William P. Collier, has been appointed guardian of the person and of the estate of Wm. S. N. Greer, and Frederick E. Greer, minors and heirs of Henry H. Greer, deceased: Now, if the said William P. Collier, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded) William P. Collier (seal)
October 25, 1853. Willis S. Johnson (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. Isaac P. Collier (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, October 25, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William S. N. Greer, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of William P. Collier, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the person and property of the said William S. N. Greer, and Frederick E. Greer, minor heirs of Henry H. Greer, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said William P. Collier is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said William S. N. Greer, and Frederick E. Greer, minors as aforesaid.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 25th day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

WILLIAM P. ALLEN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY.

Know all men by these presents, that we William P. Allen principal, and John B. Price and John Carr, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 2th day of October, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William P. Allen has been appointed executor of the estate of Samuel McClellan, deceased: Now, if the said William P. Allen shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executor, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) W. P. Allen (seal)
October 2, 1853. John B. Price (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. John Carr (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Court of Probate, October 29, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William P. Allen, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters Testamentary to issue in favor of the said William P. Allen, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Samuel McClellan, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 29th day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

G. W., D. G., J. G., & J. M. GUNN'S, LETTERS. EXECUTORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate, November 17, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of George W. Gunn, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favor of the said George W. Gunn, Daniel G. Gunn, John G. Gunn, and James M. Gunn, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Jesse Gunn, deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said George W. Gunn, Daniel G. Gunn, John G. Gunn and James M. Gunn, are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executors, to the said Jesse Gunn, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 17th day of November, A. D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.