STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

KNOW ALL MEN BE THESE PRESENTS,That we, Samuel Williams, Aaron Williams and Willimson Ferrell are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphan's Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of Five Hundred Dollars, to which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs executors and administrators firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of September A. D. 1833.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above Samuel Williams being duly appointed administrator of the estate of Aaron B. Williams, Deceased.

Now if said Samuel Williams shall well & 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. Else remains infull force & virtue.

Witness our hands & seals the day & date above written.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged) Samuel Williams (seal)
in open Court this 2 day of Sept) Aaron Williams (seal)
1833.) Williamson Ferrell(seal)

Test. Jos. G. Williams, Clk.

Approved & ordered of record 2
Sept. 1833.

J. Thompson, Judge

Samuel Williams administrator of Avington B. Williams, Deceased,
State of Alabama.

By the Orphans Court of Chambers County.

Whereas it has been made known to said Court that Avington B. Williams late of Chambers County, lately died intestate, & that that the right of granting of administration of his estate by the laws of said state, doth pertain to said Court.

To the end, therefore, that the goods & chattels, rights & credits which were of said Avington B. Williams at the time of his death, may be well & truly administered, we by these presents give to Samuel Williams of Chambers County, (in whose fidelity in this behalf we much confide,) full power & authority to administer all & singular the goods & chattels, rights & credits which were of the said Avington B. Williams at the time of his death, to ask, receive, & recover the same, pay the debts in which said deceased stood bound, so far forth as his goods & chattels, rights & credits will extend,according to their rate & the order of law, the said Samuel Williams having been duly sworn to make a true inventory of said goods & chattels, rights & credits, and to exhibit & retain the same into the clerk's office of said Court, at or before the expiration of three calender months from the date hereof-And we thereby require the said Samuel Williams to render to said Court, according to law a just & true account of his said administration.

Witness the honorable James Thompson, Judge, of said Court, at office, the second day of September A. D. 1833.

Joseph G. Williams, Clerk

Issued day of

LEROY GRESHAM ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we Leroy Gresham, Moses Jones, Peter Dudley, John D. Stephens, Jonathan Musick, Franklin M. Lemore, John F. Bellamy, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, in the sum of Five Thousand Dollars: For the due payment whereof we bind ourselves, & our executors & administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals & dated this third day of March A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & Thirty Four. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas said above bound Leroy Gresham has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Lettleberry Gresham within the County of Chambers in the State of Alabama. Now if said Leroy Gresham shall well & 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.

Signed, sealed & delivered by said Leroy Gresham, Moses Jones, Peter Dudley, John D. Stephens, Jonathan Musick, Franklin M. Lemore & John F. Bellamy. In my presents.
--- J. Thomson, Judge

Leroy Gresham (seal)
Moses X (his mark) Jones (seal)
Peter Dudley (seal)
John D. Stephens (seal)
Jonathan Musick (seal)
Franklin M. Lemore (seal)
John F. Bellamy (seal)

The above mentioned administration set aside, on motion of Lemuel Gresham, & by consent of said Leroy Gresham, same day.

Test J. Thompson, Judge.

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LEROY GRESHAM & GREENBERRY GRESHAM, ADMINISTRATION BOND

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that we Greenberry Gresham, Leroy Gresham, Franklin M. Lemore, Joseph Van, Gedion Christian, Baxter Taylor, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of Orphans Court of Chambers County in the State of Alabama, in the sum of Six Thousand Dollars: for the due payment, whereof we bind ourselves our executors & administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presence: sealed with our seals & dated this third day of March A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & Thirty Four.

The condition of the above obligation in such that whereas said above bound Greenberry Gresham, & Leroy Gresham, have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Littleberry Gresham within the County of Chambers in the State of Alabama.

Now if the said Greenberry Gresham & Leroy Gresham shall well & truly perform all the duties which are or maybe by law required, then the above obligation to be void. Otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged, by Leroy Gresham, Greenberry Gresham, Franklin M. Lemore, Joseph Van, Gedion Christian, before me.
J. Thompson, Judge.

Leroy Gresham (seal)
Greenberry Gresham (seal)
Franklin M. Lemore (seal)
Joseph Van (seal)
Gedion Christian (seal)

Signed, sealed & acknowledged, by said Baxter Taylor, this 4 of March 1834. in open court & approved.

Baxter Taylor (seal)

Test. J. Thompson, Judge

LITTLEBERRY GRESHAM, DECEASED, ADMINISTRATOR'S REPORT,

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

The undersigned, administraors of the estate of Lettleberry Gresham deceased within this County, make the following report.

That said estate is not in debt except a small sum & that the property besides the slaves is sufficient to pay that sum and the expense of the administration.

We pray the Court to appoint Commissioners to make division & distribution of the slaves belonging to said estate among the following named legatees or legal representatives of said deceased, viz, Elizabeth Gresham, (widow) Lemuel Gresham, Felix Gresham, William Gresham, Greenberry Gresham, Pascel Gresham , Leroy Gresham, & Young Quincy Gresham, sons of said deceased, & John B. Whatley, in right of his wife Cinthia, Simeon Harper, in right of his wife Nancy, & Anthony Cozart in right of his wife, Elizabeth, & as in duty & C. 22nd March 1834

Granted & ordered of record same day
J. Thompson, Judge of Orphans Court

Leroy Gresham
Greenberry Gresham

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we Leroy Gresham, Edward D. Croft, Peter L. Neal, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama: & his successors in office in the penal sum of Five Hundred Dollars, to which payment well & truly to be made, we & each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs executors & administrators firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals & dated the seventh day of November A. D. 1833.

The condition of the above obligation are such, that whereas the above Leroy Cresham, has been duly appointed administrator of Sally, an indian, deceased.

Now if the said Leroy Gresham shall well & 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. Else to remain in full force & virtue.

Witness our hands & seals the date above written.

Test J. Thompson

Approved & ordered of record
J. Thompson, Judge

Leroy Gresham (seal)
E. D. Croft (seal)
Peter L. Neal (seal)

Inventory of the estate of Sally, an indian, late of Chambers County, deceased, said decedent had at the time of her death no estate so far as has come to my possession or knowledge except that I believe that she is entitled to a Half section of land in the Creek Nation which so far as I know has not yet been designated.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I, Leroy Gresham, administrator of the estate of Sally, an indian, above mentioned do solemly swear, that the foregoing statement is true sworn to & subscribed this 31st day of January January 1834

Test James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court,
Ordered of record 31st of January 1834
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court.

Leroy Gresham

Needham Lee, deceased Admrs.Bond of Reubin Stillwell & Isaac McWhorter

State of Alabama)   Orphans Court 13th day of November 1834
Chambers County)

Know all men by these presents that we Reubin Stillwell, Isaac Mc Whorter, Joseph Yarbrough, Casper M. Amos, & Luke Robinson, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama and his successors in office of the penal sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, to which payment well & truly, to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves, our executors & adminstrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated this 13th day of November 1834. Now the condition of the above obligation, is such that whereas the above bounden Reubin Stillwell, & Isaac McWhorter have been duly appointed adminstrators of the estate of Needham Lee, late of this County deceased. Now if said Reubin Stillwell & Isaac Mc Whorter shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required by them as such adminstrators then the above obligation to be void.- else to remain in full force & virtue.

Taken & acknowledged in open Court 13th Nov. 1834
Test Jos. J. Williams clerk

Reubin Stillwell (seal)
Isaac McWhorter (seal)
Joseph Yarbrough (seal)
Casper M. Amos (seal)
Luke Robinson (seal)

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JOSEPH KELLY, DECEASED, EXECUTORS BOND OF DANIEL HORTON .

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Daniel Horton, John Howard, Edward Howard, David Gregory, Samuel Croft, Dicy Kelly, & Susannah Kelly, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars to which payment well & truly to be made, we & each of us do bind ourselves,& our heirs executors & administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals & dated 4 day of September 1834.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Daniel Horton hath been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of Joseph Kelly late of Chambers County, deceased.

Now if the said Daniel Horton shall well & 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. Else to remain in full force & virtue.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by S. Daniel Horton, John Howard & Edward Howard in open court 4 Sept. 1834.
Test Jos. J. Williams clerk,
Signed, sealed & acknowledged before me this 5 of Sept. 1834 by said, Samuel Rotch J.P. (S.S.)

Daniel Horton (seal)
John Howard (seal)
Edward T his X mark Howard (seal)
David W. Gregory (seal)
Samuel Croft (seal)
Dicy her X mark Kelly (seal)
Susannah her X mark Kelly (seal)
(seal)

WESTLY FORBS,DECEASED. ADMINISTRATION BOND OF W. M. FORBS, & JOSEPH J. WILLIAMS.

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Winfred M. Forbs, Joseph J. Williams, John J. Williams, John S. Prather,& William Atkins, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Five Hundred Dollars to which payment well & truly to be made, we & each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, & dated the fourth day of February A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Winfred M. Forbs, & Joseph J. Williams have been duly appointed administratrix & administrator of the estate of Westly Forbs, deceased.

Now if the said Winfred M. Forbs & Joseph J. Williams shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such administratrix & administrator then the above obligation to be void. Else remain in full force & virtue.

Signed, sealed,& acknowledged before me & approved by me.
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court

Winfred M. her X mark Forbs (seal)
Jos. J. Williams (seal)
John J. Williams (seal)
John S. Prather (seal)
Wm. Atkins (seal)

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NE, HAR, LOCCHO, DECEASED, ADMINISTRATORS BOND OF JOSEPH F. HENRY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we Joseph F. Henry, Ezekial Henry & John D. Saunders, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Two Hundred Dollars: for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the thirteenth day of March A. D. 1835.

Now the conditioned of the above above obligation in such, that whereas the said Joseph F. Henry has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Nehar, Loccho (an indian) deceased. Now if the said Joseph F. Henry shall well & truly perform all the dutis which are, or may be by law required of him as such administrator then the above obligation to be void. Else remain in full force & virtue. Witness our hands & seals the date above written.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged before.
Signed, sealed and acknowledged before me, and approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court.

Joseph F. Henry (seal)
E. Henry (seal)
J. D. Saunders (seal)

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NEE, OTHAK, EMATHER, WILL & TESTAMENT.

HORSE PATH, NOVEMBER 25, 1818

Now all men that this is my last will and desire, that I leave Oake, Tul, ka, malth, as my agent to take care of my property for my wife Polotoke as long as she lives, & when she dies he is to do as he pleases with it, I hope my family will clame none none of it and make no talk about my property for none of them hope me to make it I leave it to them that assisted me in getting of it, to Nogoose, me, matther I leave two cows & calves,

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John Car and spoke malth is as agents to see and assist Oake, tulk, kee, math, I appoint the three to assist each other in taking care of all of my property after my death as witness my.

William McIntosh Nimrod Doyle — Nee, Othak his X mark Emather

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NEEOTHAK, EMATHER, ADMINISTRATION BOND OF L. B. ROBERTSON'S

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Lemuel B. Robertson, Thomas R. Russel, Henry T. Dawson & Wiley Newberry, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court for the said Courty, for the time being & his successors in office in the penal sum of Nine Thousand Dollars: for the due payment whereof we bind ourselves, & our heirs, executors & administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 4th day of November 1834. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Lemuel B. Robertson, has been duly appointed administrator with the will annexed of Neeothak, Emather.

Now if said Lemuel B. Robertson should well & truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator with the will annexed, then the above obligation to be void. Otherwise to remain in full force.

Test
J. Thompson, Judge & c. — L. B. Robertson (seal)
Approved 4th November 1834 — Thomas R. Russel (seal)
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court — H. T. Dawson (seal)
Wiley Newberry (seal)

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THOMAS TAYLOR GUARDIAN OF MYRICK HARRELL BOND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Taylor, Asa R. Cone, Leroy Gresham, are held and firmly bound unto the Honorable James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court for the County of Chambers, in the State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Two Thousand Dollars; for the due payment whereof we bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this eighth day of April A. D. 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas Taylor has been duly appointed guardian of Myrick Harrell, infant child of William Harrell, deceased. Now if the said above bound Thomas Taylor shall faithfully discharge the duties of his said office and trust then the above obligation to be void. Else to remain in full force and virtue.

Taken and approved by me
J. Thompson Judge of Orphans Court — Thos. Taylor (seal)
Asa R. Cone (seal)
Leroy Gresham (seal)

DICY KELLY GUARDIAN OF RACHEL KELLY, BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Orphans Court, the seventeenth day of September 1834.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Dicy Kelly, Susannah Kelly, Edward Howard, & Williamson Ferrel are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson esqr. Judge of the Orphans Court for Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of three hundred dollars, to which payment, well & truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this seventeenth day of September 1834.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Dicy Kelly hath been duly appointed guardian of Rachel Kelly infant child of Holly Kelly deceased (infant grandchild of Joseph Kelly deceased). Now if said Dicy Kelly shall and will faithfully execute her office and trust as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, Else to remain in full force & virtue.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged, by said Dicy Kelly, Susannah Kelly, & Edward Howard, before me.
J. Thompson, Judge

Dicy her O mark Kelly (seal)
Susannah her X mark Kelly (seal)
Edward X (his mark) Howard (seal)
Williamson Ferrell (seal)

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged by S. Willimson Ferrell this 8th day of April 1835. Before me and approved by me.
J. Thompson, Judge.

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MARY MOORE WILL AND TESTAMENT

In the name of God Amen.

I Mary Moore of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama being mindful of my mortality, do this fifth day of September, in the year of our Lord, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Four, make and publish this my last will and Testament in the name and form following viz.

First, I desire to be decently and privately buried, whenever my surviving friends thinks proper, without any funeral pomp, and with as little expense as may be.

2ndly I give and bequath to my son Neil Strahan, one negro girl by the name of Polly Ann, about nine years of age.

3dly I give and bequath unto my son Samuel S. Strahan, one negro girl, by the name of Lotty about six years of age.

4thly I give & bequath unto my daughter Elizabeth Ramsey and her heirs five dollars.

5thly I give and bequath unto my daughter Ann Ramsey and her heirs five dollars.

6thly I give and bequath unto my daughter Mary Groom and her heirs five dollars.

The above five dollars to each of my daughters is to be paid to them or their heirs respectfully, so soon as one year after my decease shall be expired.

7thly I give and bequeath unto my daughter Darcas Humpkins two cows and calves and my household furniture, provided she is living, if she is dead, I bequeath unto her heirs five dollars only, and the cows and calves and household furniture aforesaid mentioned shall belong to my son Samuel S. Strahan.

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And all the residue of my personal estate, whatsoever, of what nature kind and quality soever the same maybe and not herein before given and disposed of after payment of my debts,legalies and funeral expenses, I do give and bequeath in addition to what I have already given, unto my son Samuel S. Strahan as his heirs. And I do hereby constitute and appoint my son Samuel S. Strahan sole executor of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have here/unto set my hand and seal the day and year first above written.

Signed, sealed published and declared by the said Testatrix as and for her last will and testament in our presence who at her request,in her presence have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

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Mary X Moore (L.S.)
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John A. Hurst (L.S.)
Sarah M. Hurst (L.S.)
John Eason (L.S.)
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Unity X McDonald (L.S.)
mark

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ENEHE MATH LO CHE, DECEASED, ADMR. BOND OF THOS. K. SMITH.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Thos. K. Smith, Caleb Holloway & **Alpheus** Thomason, are held and signed firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars, for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these present, sealed with our seals & dated the twenty third day of March A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said Thomas K, Smith has been duly appointed adminstrator of the estate of Ene. he, math, lo, che, deceased.

Now if the Thomas K. Smith, shall well & 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, else remain in full force & virtue. Witness our hands & seals the day above written.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me.
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court.

Thomas K. Smith (seal)
Caleb Holloway (seal)
A. Thomason (seal)

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JACOB BEAVERS, DECEASED, ADMINISTRATORS BOND OF MESHAC MADDOX

THE
STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Meshac Maddox, James Maddox, & Berden Stroud/are held/& firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, Alabama, in the penal sum of Two Thousand Dollars; for the due payment whereof we bind ourselves our heirs, executors & administrators, jointly & severally firmly by these presents: sealed with our seals & dated this 26th day of March 1835 ($2,000)

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Meshac Maddox has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jacob Beavers, an

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indian, late of Chambers County, deceased, Now is the said Meshac Maddox, shall well & 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.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court.

Meshack Maddox (seal)
James Maddox (seal)
Beden Stroud (seal)

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TOLOWAR, DECEASED, ADMINISTRATION BOND OF J. J. WILLIAMS & G.P. GILDER

THE
STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, William Van, John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, Leroy Gresham, & John V. Dunn, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge, of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars,for which payment will & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents. sealed with our seals and dated the sixth day of April, A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Talowar an indian late of said County, deceased. Now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well & 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. Else remain in full force. Witness our hands & seals the day above written.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged before me, & approved.
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (seal)
G. P. Gilder (seal)
Wm. Van (seal)
John Taylor (seal)
Baxter Taylor (seal)
Leroy McCoy (seal)
N. H. Greer (seal)
Leroy Gresham (seal)
John V. Dunn (seal)

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KOTCHAR YOHOLO DECEASED ADMINISTRATION BOND OF JOHN J. WILLIAMS AND G.P. GILDER.

THE
STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams Gilford P. Gilder William Van John Taylor Baxter Taylor Leroy McCoy Nathaniel H. Greer John V. Dunn and Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County Alabama & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred dollars for which payment well & truly to be made we and each of us bind our selves, our heirs executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now if the <u>codition</u> of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder have been duly appointed administrators of the estate Kotchar Yo Holo an indian deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them, as such administrators then

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the above obligation to be void, Witness our hands & seals the day above written.

Signed, & acknowledged before me & approved	John J. Williams	(seal)
by me.	G. P. Gilder	(seal)
J. Thompson, Judge	Wm. Van	(seal)
	John Taylor	(seal)
	Baxter Taylor	(seal)
	Leroy McCoy	(seal)
	N. H. Greer	(seal)
	Leroy Gresham	(seal)
	John V. Dunn	(seal)

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ARLAR HO KAR DECEASED ADMINISTRATORS BOND OF JOHN J. WILLIAMS AND G. P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, William Van, John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, Leroy Gresham & John V. Dunn are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge, of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we & each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now/the Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Arlar ho kar an indian late of said County deceased. Now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well & 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, else to remain in full force and virtue witness our hands and seal the day & date above written.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me	John J. Williams	(seal)
& approved by me	G. P. Gilder	(seal)
J. Thompson Judge	Wm. Van	(seal)
	John Taylor	(seal)
	Baxter Taylor	(seal)
	Leroy McCoy	(seal)
	N. H. Greer	(seal)
	Leroy Gresham	(seal)
	John V. Dunn	(seal)

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IFAR NE TUSTUNUGGEE DECEASED ADMINISTRATORS BOND OF JOHN J. WILLIAMS & G. P. GILDER.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, William Van, John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, Leroy Gresham, John V. Dunn, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars for which payment well and truly to be made we and each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals & dated the sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J.

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Williams & Gilford P. Gilder has been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Ifar ne Tustunuggee deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder 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, else to remain in full force and virtue.

Witnessed our hands and seals the date above written .

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me &	Wm. Van	(seal)
approved by me	John Taylor	(seal)
J. Thompson Judge	Baxter Taylor	(seal)
	Leroy McCoy	(seal)
	N. H. Greer	(seal)
John J. Williams (seal)	Leroy Gresham	(seal)
G. P. Gilder (seal)	John V. Dunn	(seal)

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SALLOSTER DECEASED, ADMINISTRATORS BOND OF JOHN J. WILLIAMS & G. P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams Gilford P. Gilder William Van, John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, Leroy Gresham, and John V. Dunn, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred dollars for which payment well and truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this the sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder has been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Salloster, an Indian deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder 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, else remain in full force & virtue

Signed, sealed & acknowledged before	John J. Williams	(seal)
& approved by	G. P. Gilder	(seal)
J. Thompson, Judge	Wm. Van	(seal)
	John Taylor	(seal)
	Baxter Taylor	(seal)
	Leroy McCoy	(seal)
	N. H. Greer	(seal)
	Leroy Gresham	(seal)
	John V. Dunn	(seal)

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NAR HOLE, DECEASED ADMINISTRATORS BOND OF JOHN J. WILLIAMS & G. P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, William Van, John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, John V. Dunn and Leroy Gresham are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal

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sum of four hundred dollars which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated the sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Nar Ho le an indian deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be required of them as such administrators then the above obligation to be void. Else to remain in full force & virtue.

Witness our hands and seals the day above written.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me

J. Thompson Judge

John J. Williams (seal)
G. P. Gilder (seal)
Wm. Van (seal)
John Taylor (seal)
Baxter Taylor (seal)
Leroy McCoy (seal)
N. H. Greer (seal)
Leroy Gresham (seal)
John V. Dunn (seal)

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LICOOCHE DECEASED ADMINISTRATORS BOND OF JOHN J. WILLIAMS & G. P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY))

Know all men by these presents that we John J. "Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, William Van, John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, Leroy Gresham & John V. Dunn, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama & His successors in office in the penal sum of four hundred dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves. our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated the sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such whereas the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Licooche an indian deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, 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. Else remain in full force & virtue. Witness our hands & seals the date above written.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me

J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (seal)
G. P. Gilder (seal)
Wm. Van (seal)
John Taylor (seal)
Baxter Taylor (seal)
Leroy McCoy (seal)
N. H. Greer (seal)
Leroy Gresham (seal)
John V. Dunn (seal)

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HOLOTAR YOHOLO, DECEASED ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND OF JOHN J. WILLIAMS, & G. P. GILDER,

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS That we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, Wm. Van, John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, Leroy Gresham, and John V. Dunn, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars for which payment, well and truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated the sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder has been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Holotar Yoholo, an Indian deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams, and Gilford P. Gilder 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. Else to remain in full force & virtue.

Signed & acknowledged before me & approved by me

J. Thompson Judge

John J. Williams (seal)
G. P. Gilder (seal)
John Taylor (seal)
Wm. Van (seal)
Baxter Taylor (seal)
Leroy McCoy (seal)
N. H. Greer (seal)
Leroy Gresham (seal)
John V. Dunn (seal)

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CHARSE HADJO OR MAD BEAVERS DECEASED ADMINISTRATORS BOND OF JOHN J. WILLIAMS & G. P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, William Van John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, John V. Dunn, Leroy Gresham are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama and his successors if office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we & each of us bind ourselves, our heirs , executors & administrators,firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated the sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the a bove obligation is such, that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder has been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Charse Hadjo or Mad Beavers deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well & perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void else remain in full force & virtue Witness our hands & seals the date above written

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me

J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (seal)
G. P. Gilder (seal)
Wm Van (seal)
John Taylor (seal)
Baxter Taylor (seal)
Leroy McCoy (seal)

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N. H. Greer	(seal)
Leroy Gersham	(seal)
John V. Dunn	(seal)

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SIAR DECEASED ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND OF JNO. J. WILLIAMS & G. P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS, That we John J. Williams Gilford P. Gilder, William Van, John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, John V. Dunn, and Leroy Gresham, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphan's Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we & each of us bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated the sixth day of April A. D. 1835

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder has been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Siar an indian deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, 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, else remain in full force & virtue.

Signed & acknowledged before me & approved by me	John J. Williams	(seal)
	G. P. Gilder	(seal)
J. Thompson Judge	Wm. Van	(seal)
	John Taylor	(seal)
	Baxter Taylor	(seal)
	Leroy McCoy	(seal)
	N. H. Greer	(seal)
	Leroy Gresham	(seal)
	John V. Dunn	(seal)

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KONOKE DECEASED ADMINISTRATORS BOND OF JNO. J. WILLIAMS & G. P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, John Taylor, William Van, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, John V. Dunn, Leroy Gresham, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars, for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, having duly appointed administrators of the estate of Ko no ke and Indian deceased.

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Now if said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well & truly perform all the duties which are or may to by law required of them as such administrators then the above obligation to be void. Witness our hands & seals the day above written.

Signed & acknowledged before me & approved by me	John J. Williams	(seal)
	G. P. Gilder	(seal)
J. Thompson Judge	Wm. Van	(seal)
	John Taylor	(seal)
	Baxter Taylor	(seal)
	Leroy McCoy	(seal)
	N. H. Greer	(seal)
	Leroy Gresham	(seal)
	John V. Dunn	(seal)

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TUSSIKIAH HADJO DECEASED ADMS. BOND OF JNO. J. WILLIAMS & G. P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, William Van, John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy Nathaniel H. Greer, Leroy Gresham, & John V. Dunn, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers, County, Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Tus se kiah Hadjo, an Indian deceased.

Now if said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, shall well & 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. Witness our hands & seals the date above written.

Signed & acknowledged before me & approved by me.	John J. Williams	(seal)
J. Thompson Judge	G. P. Gilder	(seal)
	Wm. Van	(seal)
	John Taylor	(seal)
	Baxter Taylor	(seal)
	Leroy McCoy	(seal)
	N. H. Greer	(seal)
	Leroy Gersham	(seal)
	John V. Dunn	(seal)

AR TAR WI CHE, ADMS. BOND OF JNO, J. WILLIAMS & G. P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, Wm. Van, John Taylor, Baxter Taylor, Leroy McCoy, Nathaniel H. Greer, Leroy Gresham & John V. Dunn are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs executors & admininstrators firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals & dated the sixth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Ar tar wi che an Indian deceased.

Now if said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well & 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 else remain in full force & virtue. Witness our hands and seals the day & date above written.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before &	John J. Williams	(seal)
approved by	G. P. Gilder	(seal)
J. Thompson Judge	Wm. Van	(seal)
	John Taylor	(seal)
	Baxter Taylor	(seal)
	Leroy McCoy	(seal)
	N. H. Greer	(seal)
	Leroy Gresham	(seal)
	John V. Dunn	(seal)

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TULSE HADJO DECEASED ADMS. BOND OF JNO. J. WILLIAMS,& G.P.GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams Gilford P. Gilder & Williamson Ferrell & John Phipps, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of four hundred dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs,executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated the day of March A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Tulse Hadjo an Indian deceased.

Now if said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well & 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. else remain in full force & virtue. Witness our hands and seals the date above written.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me	John J. Williams	(seal)
this 14 day of April 1835	G. P. Gilder	(seal)
Samuel Rotch J.P. (L.S.)	Williamson Ferrell	(seal)
	John Phipps	(seal)

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TUSKEHENE HAW DECEASED ADMS. BOND OF ARNOLD SEALE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Arnold Seale, John Garrett, & John Taylor, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama,& his successors in office in the penal sum of One Thousand dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said Arnold Seale has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Tus Kehene/haw an Indian deceased.

Now if the said Arnold Seale shall well & 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 else remain in full force and virtue. Witness our hands & seals the date above written.

Signed & acknowledged before	Arnold Seale	(seal)
Test. J. Thompson,Judge	John Garrett	(seal)
Approved	John Taylor	(seal)
J. Thompson		

Said seal. Garrett & Taylor consent for the spelling of the name to be changed to "Tuskehenehaw " and for Thomason's & Vanns name to be stricken from the bond--which is done and the bond approved by there consent

J. Thompson

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AR BOO CHE DECEASED,ADMS.BOND OF DAVID LAWSON 7TH APRIL 1835

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we David Lawson, Robert P. Rogers, & William W. Carlisle, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of Four hundred dollars, for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the seventh day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such , that whereof the said David Lawson has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Ar boo che an Indian late of said County deceased.

Now if the said David Lawson shall well & 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 else remain in full force & virtue. Witness our hands & seals the date above written.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before, &	David Lawson	(seal)
approved by me.	Robert P. Rogers	(seal)
J. Thompson Judge	W. W. Carlisle	(seal)

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ENE HE MAT LA, AN INDIAN DECEASED ADMS. BOND OF ARNOLD SEALE 8TH APRIL 1835

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Arnold Seale, John Taylor, & John J. Williams, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars, for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the eighth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said Arnold Seale has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Ene he mat la an Indian deceased.

Now if the said Arnold Seale shall well & 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. Else remain in full force & virtue.

Witness our hands & seals the date above written. Arnold Seale (seal)
Signed & acknowledged before & approved by John Taylor (seal)
J. Thompson Judge John J. Williams (seal)

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CHITTO AN INDIAN DECEASED ADM. BOND ARNOLD SEALE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Arnold Seale, John Taylor, John J. Williams are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the eighth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said Arnold Seale has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Chetto an Indian deceased.

Now if the said Arnold Seale shall well & 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. Else remain in full force & virtue.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged before &
approved by J. Arnold Seale (seal)
John Taylor (seal)
J. Thompson Judge John J. Williams (seal)

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FOSTER DECEASED ADM. BOND OF JOHN J. WILLIAMS 8th April 1835

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Arnold Seale & John Taylor, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars, for which payment well & truly to be made, /we & each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals & dated this eighth day of April 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder have been duly appointed administrators of estate of

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Foster deceased.

Now if said John J. Williams shall well & 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, else to remain in full force & virtue.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged before me & John J. Williams (seal)
approved by me Arnold Seale (seal)
J. Thompson, Judge John Taylor (seal)

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COWETA HADJO DECEASED ADM. BOND OF JNO. J. WILLIAMS 8th April

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Arnold Seale, & John Taylor, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we & each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the eighth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said John J. Williams, and Gilford P. Gilder, have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Coweta Hadjo, deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be law required of them as such administrators then the above obligation to be void else remain in full force & virtue, witness our hands & seals the date above written.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me John J. Williams (seal)
Test J. Thompson Arnold Seale (seal)
approved J. Thompson, Judge John Taylor (seal)

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WASHINGTON DECEASED, ADMRS. BOND JNO. J. WILLIAMS 8th April 1835

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams Arnold Seale and John Taylor are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars, for which payment well & truly to be made we & each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated the eighth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams have/been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Washington an Indian deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, shall & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such administrator then the above obligation to be void else remain in full force & virtue. Witness our hands & seals the date above written.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before & John J. Williams (seal)
approved by J. Thompson Judge Arnold Seale (seal)
John Taylor (seal)

TUSTUNUCK COO CHE, DECEASED ADM. BOND OF JNO. J. WILLIAMS 8th April

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John J. Williams, Arnold Seale, and John Taylor, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars; for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 8th day of April 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Tustunuck Coo Che, an Indian deceased.

Now if said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, shall well& truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administrators then the above ogligation to be void. Else remain in full & virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before & approved by J. Thompson, Judge — John J. Williams (seal), Arnold Seale (seal), John Taylor (seal)

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SER O CO BEE, DECEASED ADM. BOND OF JNO. J. WILLIAMS 8th April 1835

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Arnold Seale, and John Taylor, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars; which payment well and truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the eighth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Ser. O. Co bee an Indian deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void. Else remain in full force & virtue

Signed sealed & delivered in presence of — John J. Williams (seal)
Test J. Thompson — Arnold Seale (seal)
approved---J. Thompson, Judge — John Taylor (seal)

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KO HO PE DECD. ADM. BOND OF J. J. WILLIAMS 8th April 1835

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Arnold Seale, & John Taylor, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the County Court of Chambers County State of Alabama and his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars--for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated the eighth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, have been duly appointed administrators of the estate

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of Ko. ho. pe. an Indian deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams, shall well & 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. Else remain in full force & virtue. Witness our hands & seals the date above written

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me, & approved by me J. Thompson Judge — John J. Williams (seal), Arnold Seale (seal), John Taylor (seal)

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MICHE BARNARD, DECEASED ADM. BOND OF JNO. TAYLOR JNO. WILLIAMS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John Taylor, John J. Williams, Arnold Seale, Williamson Ferrell, Albert F. Wallis, & Thomas Taylor, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Eight Thousand Dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, the eighth day of April A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John Taylor, & John J. Williams have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Miche Barnard an Indian deceased.

Now if the said John Taylor, & John Williams, shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required as such administrators then the above obligation to be void. Else remain in full force & virtue. Witness our hands & seals the date above written.

Signed & acknowledged before & approved by J. Thompson Judge — John Taylor (seal), John J. Williams (seal), Arnold Seale (seal), Williamson Ferrell (seal), A. F. Wallis (seal), Thos. Taylor (seal)

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LEMUEL WELCH DECEASED ADM. OF JESSE WELCH JOSEPH L. HOWARD

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Jesse Welch, Joseph L. Howard, John Phipps, John W. Thomas, & John J. Williams, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of twelve hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs, &c firmly by these presents--Sealed with our seals, and dated the fifth day of May 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bounded Jesse Welch & Joseph L. Howard have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Lemuel Welch deceased: Now if said Jesse Welch & Joseph L. Howard 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--Else to remain in full force and virtue. Witness our hands & seals the date above written.

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Signed sealed & acknowledged by said | Jesse Welch (seal)
Jesse Welch & Joseph L. Howard before me | Joseph L. Howard (seal)
J. Thompson | Jno. Phipps (seal)
Signed sealed & acknowledged by J. Phipps, | John W. Thomas (seal)
Thomas, & Williams this sixth day of May 1835. | John J. Williams (seal)
& approved by me

J. Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court

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THOS. WATTS, DECEASED ADM: BOND OF SAME. WILLIAMS 16th May 1835

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men that we Samuel Williams, John V. Dunn, and Boyakin Lee, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of Three Hundred Dollars for which payment well and truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this Sixteenth day of May A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the said Samuel Williams has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Thomas Watts deceased. Now if the said Samuel Williams 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. Else remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me | Samuel Williams (seal)
& approved by me | John V. Dunn (seal)
James Thompson, Judge | Boykin Lee (seal)
of the County Court

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MARY MOOR DECEASED EXRS. BOND OF S. S. STRAYHAN 15th May 1835

The State of Alabama)
Chambers County)

Know all men by these presents that we Samuel S. Strayhan, William Thaxton, and Leroy McCoy, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of the County aforesaid, in the sum of three thousand dollars to be paid to the said James Thompson or to his successors in office, to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly severally and firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this fifteenth day of May 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound S. S. Strayhan has been duly appointed Executor of the last will and testament of Mary Moore late of Chambers County deceased. Now if the said Samuel S. Strayhan 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in open Court | Samuel Strayhan (L.S.)
before me, & approved by me, 16 May 1835 | William Thaxton (L.S,)
J. Thompson Judge | Leroy McCoy (L.S.)

HO, TAR. TAR, YOHOLO, DECEASED ADMS. BOND OF MALVERY STROUD

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Malvery Stroud, Ethen Stroud, & Lemuel B. Robertson, are and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of four hundred dollars for which payment well and truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heir, executors and Administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this twenty third day of May A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the Malvery Stroud has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Ho tartar Yoholo, deceased.

Now,if, the said Malvery Stroud shall well & 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, else remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before said | Malvery Stroud (seal)
Malvery Stroud & Ethen Stroud | Ethen Stroud (seal)
J. Thompson | L. B. Robertson (seal)
approved J. Thompson, Judge

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In the name of God Amen. I, Wm. Floyd, of Chambers County and State of Alabama being very sick and weak in body but, of perfect mind and memory, thanks be given unto God; calling unto mind the mortality of my body, and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make and ordain this my last will and testament, that is to say, principally and first of all, I give and recomend my soul unto the hand of Almighty God that gave it, and my body I recomend to the earth, to be buried in decent Christian burial, at the descretion of my executors; nothing doubting but at the general resurection I shall receive the same again by the mighty power of God, and astouching such worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to bless me in this life, I give demise, and dispose of the same in the following manner and form. First I give and bequeath to Elizabeth my dear beloved wife all my real; with my personal estate to manage and control during her natural life or widowhood; except certain property that shall be specifyed and pointed out.

Item 2nd. I give to my beloved Daughter Evaline M. Anderson, the wife of Moses Anderson one negro girl by the name of Barbary about twelve years of age, which negro she has in possession, with a mare, cow and calf, bed, and bed. Clothes,&c, also my interest in a grice mill which mill is equally owned by me and Neal Floyd.

Item 3rd. I give, to my beloved Son Larkin one Negro Boy by the name of Jesse with a horse, worth seventy dollars, cow and calf, bed and bed cloths with other articles suitable for house keeping to be given into his possession at the age of twenty one years.

Item 4th. It is my will, that on conditions my wife Elizabeth should choose to marry a second husband; at her marriage let the property by equally divided she taking one third of the whole, otherwise for her to keep possession of all until her death, save what has been pointed out unless it may be her choice to give off more to the children; then let the distribution be equal.

Item 5th. It is my will that my lands shall be equally divided when Larkin becomes twenty one years of age between my wife and children.

Item 6th I will that all my debts be paid out of the moneys due me as soon as collection be made the amount over sufficient to discharge them I wish equally divided

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between wife and children.

Item 7th I will that my beloved wife Elizabeth Floyd . Assisted by Robert Floyd. Acts as executrix and Executor, in mangering my estate or executing this my last will and testament; In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 7th day of May in the year of our Lord (1835) One thousand eight and thirty five. signed and sealed in the presence of

Attest William Floyd (L.S.)

Jesse Stanley

Wm. Myrick

F. T. Boazman

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AR TOO E CHE DECEASED ADMRS. BOND OF WILLIAMS & GILDER JUNE 1st 1835.

The STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, Samuel R. Moss, William Van, & Charles W. Lemore, an held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of four hundred dollars for which payment well truly to be made, we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated first day of June A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said John J. Williams,& Gilford P. Gilder have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Ar too e che, deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, shall well & 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. Else remain in full force & virtue.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge of said court.

John J. Williams (seal)
Gilford P. Gilder (seal)
Samuel R. Moss (seal)
Wm. Van (seal)
Charles W. Lemore (seal)

LI GO CHE,ALIAS,LI COO CHE DECEASED ADM. BOND OF J.J. WILLIAMS,G.P.GILDER JUNE 1st 1835

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, Samuel R. Moss, William Vann, & Charles W. Lemore, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama and his successors in office in the penal sum of four hundred dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we & each of us bind ourselves, our heirs executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the first day of June A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Li go che (alias Li coo che) deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, shall well & 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. else remain in full force & virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me
J. Thompson Judge

John J. Williams (seal)
Gilford P. Gilder (seal)
Samuel R. Moss (seal)
Wm. Van (seal)
Charles W. Lemore (seal)

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SFARNE TUSTUNNUCHEE, DECEASED ADM. BOND WILLIAMS & GILDER.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, Samuel R. Moss, William Vann, & Charles W. Lemore, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of four hundred dollars for which payment well & truly to be made, we & each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the first day of June A. D. 1835.

Now the condition fo the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Sfarne Tus tun nuck ee, deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams, & Gilford P. Gilder, shall well & 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. else remain in full force & virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me.
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (seal)
Gilford P. Gilder (seal)
Samuel R. Moss (seal)
Wm. Van (seal)
Charles W. Lemore (seal)

TOLOWAR HADJO, DECEASED ADM. BOND OF JNO. J. WILLIAMS & G. P. GILDER,

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Gilford P. Gilder, Samuel R. Moss William Van, & Charles W. Lemore, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of four hundred dollars for which payment well and truly to be made we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this day of May A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams,& Gilford P. Gilder have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Tolowar Hadjo deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams,& Gilford P. Gilder, shall well & 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. Else remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me this first day of June 1835 & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (seal)
Gilford P. Gilder (seal)
Samuel R. Moss (seal)
Wm. Van (seal)
Charles W. Lemore (seal)

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STIL LI PI KE CHARTEE, DECEASED ADM. BOND OF WM. VAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William Vann, Samuel R. Moss, & John J. Williams, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of four hundred dollars for which payment well and truly to be made, we & each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated first day of June A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the said William Vann has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Stil li pi ke Chartee deceased.

Now if the said William Vann shall well & 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 Else remain in full force & virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me
J. Thompson Judge

Wm. Van (seal)
Samuel R. Moss (seal)
John J. Williams (seal)

TULSE HADJO DECEASED ADM. BOND OF THO. B. ERWIN June 1835

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas B. Erwin Leroy Gresham & Augustine Owen are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors of office in the penal sum of four hundred dollars for which payment well & truly to be made we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors & administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated day of June A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said Thomas B. Erwin has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Tulse Hadjo deceased.

Now if the said Thomas B. Erwin shall well & 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. Else remain in full force & virtue.

Acknowledged before me & approved by me.
J. Thompson Judge

Thomas B. Eriwn (seal)
Leroy Gresham (seal)
Aug. Owen (seal)

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FUS HATCH CHE, DECEASED ADM: BOND OF GEO. W. TRAMMELL.

Know all men by these presents, that we George W. Trammell, Charles W. Lemore, and John Trammill, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the sixth day of June 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, That whereas the above bounden George W. Trammell has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Fus hatch che deceased:

Now if said George W. Trammell 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--Else to remain in full force and virtue.

Witness our hands and seals, the date above written

Signed Sealed & acknowledged in Open Court & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

G. N. Trammill (seal)
Charles W. Lemore (seal)
John Trammill (seal)

8--9 June 1835.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Orphans Court 8th day of June 1835
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we George D. Hooper, Benjamin Lloyd, Wm. L. Crayton, P. T. Richardson, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of eight thousand dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made we and each of us bind ourselves, and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 8th day of June 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound George D. Hooper has been duly appointed administrator ad collegendum of the estate of William Coggins deceased.

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

Signed sealed & acknowledged as to P. T.	George D. Hooper	(seal)
Richardson in presence of E. G. Richards	Wm. L. Crayton	(seal)
acknowledged by G. Hooper, Crayton & Lloyd before me	Benjamin Lloyd	(seal)
this 9th June 1835 & approved	P. T. Richardson	(seal)

J. Thompson Judge

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TAL, LA, POO, CHEE, DECEASED, ADMINISTRATION,BOND OF JOHN C. WEBB.

Know all men by these presents, That we John C. Webb, Peter Dudley, & William C. Morgan are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars, to which payment, well & truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents--Sealed with our seals, and dated the fifteenth day of June 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation obligation is such, that whereas the above bounden John C. Webb,has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Tal, lo, poo, chee of Tallipsahaga town deceased. Now if said John C. 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 and virtue.

Witness our hands and seals, the date above written.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before	John C. Webb	(seal)
& approved by me	Peter Dudley	(seal)
J. Thompson, Judge	Wm. C. Morgan	(seal)

THE STATE OF ALA.)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I, Nanth. H. Greer, Adm, &c, on the estate of Estipolata, an indian, deceased, do hereby state that from the best informati n that he has been enabled to collect is that there is no effects whereon to administer, and I do further state that from the best information that I have been enabled to collect, that the government in assigning lands to the indians recognize no indian of that name, April the 9th 1835.

Nanth. H. Greer, Adm.

The State of Alabama)
Chambers County)

Nathaniel H. Greer, being duly sworn deposeth & saith that the facts set forth, in the foregoing statement are true, sworn to & subscribed this ninth day of April A. D. 1835.

Test. J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court — Nath H. Greer

: :

INVENTORY OF THE PERSONAL ESTATE OF AR, BOO, CHE, AN INDIAN LATE OF CHAMBERS COUNTY, DECEASED.

There is not nor was there at the time of the death of the said Ar, boo, che, any goods or chattels, rights of,or debts due or accuring to said Ar, boo, che, so far as has come to the possessions or knowledge of David Lawson, the administrator.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

David Lawson, being duly sworn deposeth & saith that the facts set forth in the foregoing statement are true,sworn to & subscribed this 17th day of June 1835.

Test

James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court — David Lawson

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INVENTORY OF THE ESTATE OF NEE,O,THAK,EMATHER, DECEASED.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

As administrator of the estate of nee,o,thak, Emather late deceased of said County whose duty exefficio, it was to collect the effects belonging to said decedant in his own right at the time of his death and to make our & return an inventory of the same, In accordance with said requisition, I have to return that no lands, tenements goods chattels, right or rights of debts due to or accuring to the testator at the time of his death have come to my possession or knowledge under the impression from heresay report that there may be effects which belonged to the testater at the time of his death & in the hands of third persons, I have instituted an action in the circuit court for the recovery of the same.

L. B. Robertson, Administrator

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Lemuel B. Robertson, Administrator of the estate of Nee,o,thak, Emather, late of Chambers County, deceased being duly sworn deposeth & saith the within contains a true inventory of all the personal estate of said decedant at the time of his death so far as has come to his possession or knowledge. Sworn to & subscribed this second day of June 1835, in open Court.

Test--Jos. J. Williams Clerk. Lemuel B. Robertson

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JOSEPH GRIFFIN, DECEASED. PAPER ORDERED OF RECORD NOT AS HIS WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen. I Joseph Griffin of the State & County aforesaid do make & declare this my last will & testament in manner and form following first I resign my soul to Almighty God hoping & believing in a remission of sins by the merritts and mediation of Jesus Christ and my body I commit to the earth to be burried at the discretion of my Executor herein after named and my worldly estate I give & devise as follows:

First I give & devise to my Grand Daughter Jane Patterson half of my preemption right on the south East quarter of Section number thirty four township twenty three Range twenty Eight.

Also I give & devise unto my son-in-law Joshua Pemberton the remaining half of my preemption claim on the south East quarter of section number thirty four Township twenty three Range twenty Eight.

Also I give & devise to my Daughter Elizabeth Pemberton one bed and furniture.

Also I give & bequeath to my son Andrew Griffin one half of my lot of land lying in Cherokee County Georgia which I drew in the land lottery it being a part of number two hundred & Eighty seven in the sixth District & second section.

Also I give & bequeath to my daughter Rachael Waldrup one quarter of my land in Cherokee County Georgia drawn by me in the lottery & being a part of number two hundred & Eighty seven in the sixth District & second section .

Also I give and devise unto my Grandson William Pemberton the remaining quarter of my land in Cherokee County Georgia drawn by me in the lottery & being a part of number two hundred & Eighty seven in the sixth district & second section.

Also I give & devise unto my Grand Daughters Manda/Melvia Fely Alen & Mary Ann Pemberton one half of my Gold Lot drawn by me in Cherokee County Georgia & being a part of number seven hundred & eight in the third district & firth section.

Also I give & devise unto my Great Grand Children Martha Ann Patterson Thersey Elizabeth Patterson the remaining part of my Gold lot in Cherokee County Georgia drawn by me in the lottery and being part of Lot number seven hundred and Eight in the third District and fourth section.

Also I give & devise to my Daughters Mary Johnson & Margret Ivy Eight dollars each.

And I do hereby constitute & appoint Joshua Pemberton & John Patterson sole

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Executors of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal January the 8th 1835.

Signed sealed published & declaed by the said testator, as and for his last will & testament in our presence who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as Witness thereto.

Joseph his X mark Griffin (L.S.)

John M. Russell (L.S.)
Ely her X mark Nawn (L.S.)
Isaac X (his mark) Muldrew (L.S.)

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JOSEPH GRIFFIN, DECEASED, WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen. I Joseph Griffin of the state & County aforesaid do make & declare this my last will & testament in manner & form following first I resign my soul to almighty God hoping & beliveing in a remission of my sins by the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ and my body I commit to the earth to be buried at the discretion of my executors hereinafter named and my worldly estate I give & devise as follows

First I give & devise to my grand daughter Jane Patterson half of my preemption right on the south east quarter of section number thirty four township twenty three range twenty eight.

Also I give & devise unto my soninlaw Joshua Pimberton the remaining half of my preemption claim on the South east quarter of section number thirty four township twenty three range twenty eight.

Also I give & devise to my daughter Elizabeth Pemberton one bed & furniture.

Also I give & bequeath to my son Andrew Griffin one half of my lot of land lying in Cherokee County Georgia which I drew in the land lottery it being apart number.

Also I give & bequeath to my daughter Rachael Waldrup one quarter of my land in Cherokee County Georgia drawn by me in the lottery & being a part of number.

Also I give & devise unto my grand son William Pemberton the remaining quarter of my land in Cherokee County Georgia drawn by me in the lottery & being a part of number.

Also I give & devise unto my grand daughters Amanda Malvi Fitzalen & Mary Anne Pemberton one half of my gold lot drawn by me in Cherokee County Georgia & being a part of number.

Also I give & devise unto my great grand children Martha Anne Patterson Thursey Elizabeth Patterson the remaining part of my gold lot in Cherokee County Georgia drawn by me in the lottery and being part of number.

Also I give & devise to my daughters Mary Johnson & Margaret Ivy eight dollars cash.

An I do hereby constitute & appoint Joshua Pemberton & John Patterson sole executors of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I have hereunto set my

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hand & seal January the 8th 1835.

Signed sealed published & declared by the said testator as & for his last will & testament in our presence who at his request in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witness thereto

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Joseph X Griffin (L.S.)
mark

John M. Russell (L.S.)

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Ely X Nawn (L.S.)
mark

his
Isaac X Muldrew (L.S.)
mark

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CYNTHIA MANGAM, DECEASED, ADMINISTRATION BOND OF SEABORN B. GRAY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
) Orphans Court 30th day of June1835.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Seaborn B. Gray, Lewis Daniel, & James Germany, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents--sealed with our seals, and dated the thirteenth day of June 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Seaborn B. Gray, has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Cynthia Mangam, late of Chambers County, deceased.

Now if the said Seaborn B. Gray, shall well & 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 remain in full force,

Signed, sealed & acknowledged, in open Court & approved
J. Thompson, Judge

S. B. Gray (seal)
Lewis Daniel (seal)
James Germany (seal)

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WILLIAM FLOYD, DECEASED, EXECUTRIX'S BOND OF ELIZABETH FLOYD

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
) Orphans Court day of June 1835.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Elizabeth Floyd Giles C. Pitts, Charles Simpson, John J. Johnston, & Robert Floyd, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twelve thousand dollars, to which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents--Sealed with our seals, and dated the 27th day of June 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elizabeth Floyd has been duly appointed Executrix of the last will and testament of William Floyd, late of said county of Chambers, deceased.

Now if the said Elizabeth Floyd shall well & truly perform all the duties which are/ may be by law required of her as such executrix then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said

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Elizabeth Floyd, Charles Simpson, & Giles C. Pitts, before me,
J. Thompson, Judge
Signed, & acknowledged by said John J. Johnston, Robert Floyd, this 27th of June 1835. before me and approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

Elizabeth Floyd (seal)
Giles C. Pitts (seal)
Charles Simpson (seal)
John J. Johnston (seal)
Robert Floyd (seal)

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WILLIAM COGGINS, DECEASED, ADMINISTRATION,BOND OF A. COGGINS, C. M. LEMORE, & T. COGGINS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
: Orphans Court fourth day of July 1835.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Asahel Coggins, Charles M. Lemore, William Atkins, Elijah Holtzclaw, Cary Cox, Thomas Coggins, Lemuel B. Robertson, & Agustus Ownes, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County,State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of Eight thousand dollars to which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves our heirs, &c, firmly by these presents--sealed with our seals and dated the fourth day of July 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Asahel Coggins, & Charles M. Lemore, & Thomas Coggins, have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of William Coggins, late of Chambers County,deceased.

Now if the Asahel Coggins, & Charles M. Lemore and Thomas Coggins, 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.

Signed,Sealed & acknowledged by S. Asahel Coggins, Charles M. Lemore, William Atkins, Elijah Holtzclaw, Cary Cox, & Thomas Coggins, before me
J. Thompson,
Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Lemuel B.Robertson, Augustus Owen, before me
Uniah Dunn
approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

Asahel Coggins (seal)
Charles M. Lemore (seal)
Wm. Atkins (seal)
Elijah Holtzclaw (seal)
Cary Cox (seal)
Thomas Coggins (seal)
L. B. Robertson (seal)
Aug. Owen (seal)

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JONATHAN ROBERTS, GUARDIAN OF MARTHA H. JONES, BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
: ORPHANS COURT 6th day of July
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jonathan P. Roberts, Arnold Seale, & Jonathan Johnston, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of three thousand dollars; to which payment well and truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves our heirs, &c, firmly by these presents--Sealed with our seals, and dated sixth day of July 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jonathan P. Roberts has been duly appointed guardian of Martha H. Jones, infant child

of Jesse Jones, late of Montgomery County, Alabama, deceased.

Now if the said Jonathan P. Roberts, 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in open Court & approved. — Jonath P. Roberts (seal)

J. Thompson, Judge — Arnold Seale (seal)

Jonathan Johnston (seal)

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NO,CO,SE,MATTA,ALIAS,NO,COTCH,E,MATTA, ADMINISTRATION BOND OF WILLIAM BARKLEY.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) ORPHANS COURT 16th day of July 1835

Know all men by these presents that we William Barkley, James W. Cooper & William L. Crayton, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars, to which payment well & truly to be made, we and each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the sixteenth day of July 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Barkley, has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of No,co,se,mattalias, No,coch,e,matta,

Now if the said William Barkley, 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before me & approved. — Wm. Barkley (seal)

J. W. Cooper (seal)

J. Thompson, Judge — Wm. L. Crayton (seal)

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SPENCER J. McMORRIS GUARDIAN OF MARTHA H. MCMORRIS, BOND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Orphans Court, the thirty first day of May 1834.

Know all men by these presents, that we Spencer J. McMorris, Leroy Gresham, James T. Levingston, William H. House, Nathaniel H. Greer, & Benjamin Lloyd are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, esqr, Judge of the Orphans Court for Chambers County, State of Alabama and his successors in office, in the penal sum of Eight thousand dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this thirty first day of May 1834.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas the above bound Spencer J. McMorris, has been duly appointed guardian of Martha H. McMorris, infant child of said Spencer J. Morris.

Now if the said Spencer J. McMorris shall and will faithfully execute his office and trust as such guardian, as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, before me, & approved by me, & ordered of record — S. J. McMorris (seal)

Leroy Gresham (seal)

James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court — James T. Levingston (seal)

William H. House (seal)

Benjamin Floyd (seal) — N. H. Greer (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Spencer J. McMorris, Leroy Gresham, Lemuel B. Robertson, Nathaniel H. Greer, Benjamin Lloyd, Aug. Owen, David Anderson, Samuel R. Moss, and Stephen Daniel are held & firmly bound unto James Thomspon, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of Fourteen thousand dollars, to which payment well & truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this ninth day of March A. D. one thousand eight hundred & thirty five.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bounden Spencer J. McMorris has been duly appointed guardian of Martha H. McMorris, infant daughter of Spencer J. McMorris, (and has beenrequired to give new bond in the above named sum, on account of the estate being larger than was at first supposed by the Judge of said County.)

Now if the said Spencer J. McMorris shall well & 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.

Acknowledged the 9th March 1835 before me — S. J. McMorris (seal)

Leroy Gresham (seal)

Geo. D. Hooper J.P. — Lemuel B. Robertson (seal)

approved 14th March 1835. — Nath. H. Greer (seal)

J. Thompson, Judge — Benjamin Lloyd (seal)

Aug. Owen (seal)

D. H. Anderson (seal)

Saml. R. Moss (seal)

Stephen Daniel (seal)

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WILLIAM NORRIS INSANE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before James Thompson Judge of the County Court of said County, James M. Spurlin who being duly sworn deposeth & saith that he has cause to believe and does verily believe that William Norris of said County has lately become & now is lunatic--and that his (said Norris) wife is in danger of being killed by him is he is permited to go at large. Sworn to and subscribed this 16th day of June 1835.

Test. J. Thompson Judge — J. M. Spurlin

Said Spurlin also solemnly swars that said William Norris declared he fears that he is about to be killed by persons unknown and that he wishes to be committed to Jail for the purpose of being secure from being murdered by them. Sworn to & subscibed this 16th day of June 1835.

Test J. Thompson Judge — J. M. Spurlin

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VENIRAFACIAS OR INQUIRY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

To the sheriff of Chambers County greeting. You are hereby

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commanded to summon twelve good, descent and lawful men of your County, and neighborhood of the residence of William Norris, to be and appear before the honorable the Judge of the Orphans Court of said County at a special Orphans Court to beheld for said County at the Court house in the town of LaFayette, on this 17th day of June 1835. then and there to enquire and truly to say an oath whether William Norris be lunatic or non Compos mentis, or in his right mind herein fail not and have there then this writ with the names of the men you shall have summoned as aforesaid. Witness Joseph J. Williams Clerk of said Orphans Court of Chambers County this 17th day of June A. D. 1835.

Jos. J. Williams Clerk

Rec. 17th June 1835 and executed by summoning the following named persons as Jury to wit: Thomas R. Russell, John Farley, James Stogner, Wily Newberry, Lemuel B. Robinson, Meshac Maddux, John R. Alford, William Clements, Culhbert G. Hudson, Spencer J. McMorris, Milton Stephens,Michael B. Headen, John Atkins.

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JA. M. SPURLIN GUARDIAN OF WM. NORRIS (INSANE) BOND

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Spurlin, John Atkins & Benjamin Lloyd are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we and each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs, &c, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the seventeenth day of June 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bounded James M. Spurlin has been duly appointed guardian of William Norris, who has been pronounced by the virdict of a Jury to be insane or not in his right mind. Now if said James M. Spurlin 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--Else to remain in full force and virtue.

Witness our hands and seals, the date above written.

Signed sealed and acknowledged	J. M. Spurlin	(seal)
before & approved by	John Atkins	(seal)
J. Thompson Judge	Benjamin Lloyd	(seal)

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DAVID BERNARD ADMINISTRATOR OF WILLIAM BARNARD, DECEASED.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) : Orphans Court day of

Know all men by these presents that we David Barnard (alias David Barnett) Tus, ke, he, ne, haw, Thlocko (alias Big Fellow) and Tus, tun, nuckee--Emath,lar,alias Jim Boy, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, & his successors in office in the penal sum of Four thousand dollars, to which, well & truly to be made, we and each of us do bindourselves and our heirs &c, firmly by these presents--Sealed with our seals and dated the third day of July 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound David Barnard (alias Barnett) has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of William Barnard late of Chambers County, deceased.

Now if the said David Barnard (alias David Barnett) shall well & truly perform

all the d ties 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.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged	David X Barnard (his mark)	(seal)
Attest.		
Thos. J. Abbott	Tus,ke,he,ne haw X Thlocko (his mark)	(seal)
approved 2 Sept. 1835	Tus tun nu ok ee X (his mark) Emather	(seal)
J. Thompson, Judge		

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PARHOSE HADJO, DECEASED, ADMINISTRATION BOND OF J. C. WEBB

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) :

Know all men by these presents that we John C. Webb, Eldridge H. Mobley, William C. Morgan, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Four hundred Dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us bind ourselves our heirs &c, firmly by these presents--Sealed with our seals, and dated the second day of September A. D. 1835. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John C. Webb has been duly appoi ted administrator of the estate of Parhose Hadjo, late of Chambers County, deceased.

Now if the said John C. Webb shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged	John C. Webb	(seal)
before me & approved by me	Eldridge H. Mobley	(seal)
J. Thompson, Judge	Wm. C. Morgan	(seal)

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RICHARD BAUGH, DECEASED WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) :

Know all men by these presents that I, Richard Baugh of the County & State aforesaid, being of sound mind, and memory do make this my last will & testament.

Item 1st. I bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Baugh six negroes (to wit) Launzo, Albert, Ted, Lucy, Easter, & Ann, Four hundred acres of land, that is to say the north half of section six, Township twenty one, range twenty seven, and eighty acres joining the notheast corner of said half section.

Item 2nd. I give unto my daughter Virginia Riley one hundred dollars which with what I have heretofore given her, will make an equal distributive share of my estate.

Item 3rd. I give to my son Robert Twenty five hundred dollars in cash, one bed & furniture, my horse & sulky and three lots in the village of LaFayette, Ala.

Item 4th I give to my son Edward and Peter nine negroes (to-wit) Henderson, Alfred, Washington, Peter, Jinny, Junior, Isabella, Lemon, & Henry, one bed & furniture to each one fourth part of all the stock, an equal proportion of all my corn & fodder, and the same proportion of all my plantation tools, Two tracts of land in Baker County,Georgia,(viz) No (141) one hundred & forty one in the third destrict, the other No (33) in said destrict,likewise all my stock of

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cattle in sd County my steer wagon, also the south half of section six, in Township twenty one & range twenty seven, in the county of Chambers, the north half of section seven Township twenty one & range twenty seven, Also one thousand dollars to be divided equally between them.

Item 5th. I give unto my daughter Martha six negros (viz) Rachel, Anderson, Madison Nelson, Toney & Emeline, one bed & furniture & one thousand dollars in cash

Item 6th. I give my son Thornton, one negro woman named Sal, & Charles, & Jim, & Sam, bed & furniture and five hundred dollars in cash, and when he the said Thornton arrives to the age of Twenty is to have possession of one half the lands herein devised to my wife, and at her death the other half, the property devised in this item is to kept in possession of my wife until my son Thornton arrives to age of twenty one, in consideration of which she is to board his genteely and give him a liberal education and cloth him.

Item 7th. I give to my two daughters Sarah & Mary, the following negroes (to-wit) Finchy, Rinor, Hal, Sandy, Amanda, Gilbert, Pat, Phillis, Margarett, Crawford, Ceasor, Isaac, & Joe. One bed & furniture each, one thousand dollars to be paid by their Mother, to be equally divided between them when they arrive at age or marry, the negroes devised in this Item are to be kept in possession of my wife until sd. daughters arrive at age or marry, and for and in consideration of their services, together with the use of the above thousand dollars she sd. my wife is to board cloth & educate sd. Sarah & Mary.

Item 8th. All my effects not herein disposed of, I give unto to my wife Elizabeth.

Item 9th. All the property herein devised to my beloved wife Elizabeth I hereby will and direct, shall be, at her decease, equally divided between all my children, or their issue.

Item 10th. As a codicil, to this my last will and testament, I bequeath unto my son Robert, all my lands not herein disposed of.

Item 11. Likewise I give unto my son Peter my set of surveying instruments.
Item 12. Also I give unto my son Thornton a large brass bell.
Item 13 I hereby appoint my sons, Robert & Edwin my executors, to carry into effect this my last will & Testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this nineteenth day of May in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & thirty five.

Witness. C. G. Hudson — Richard Bough (seal)

J. Caldwell Jr.

Thos. K. Smith

BENJAMIN WILLIAMS TO HARDY JONES, APPRENTICESHIP

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

This Indenture made this twenty ninth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & thirty five, between James M. Spurlin overseer of the poor for beat company number ten of said count of the one part, and Hardy Jones of said County of the other part, Witnesseth, that the said James M. Spurlin overseer of the poor as aforesaid by virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of the aforesaid County bearing date the twenty eighth day of July 1835. Hath put placed & bound and by the presents doth put place and bind Benjamin Williams (son of the wife of Jacob Lewis of the age of about nine years, to be an apprentice with the said Hardy Jones, an as an apprentice with him the said Hardy Jones to dwell from the date of these presents until the said Benjamin Williams shall come to the age of twenty one years according to the act the General assembly in that case made and provided; by & during all which time & term the said Benjamin Williams shall the said Hardy Jones his said master will & faithfully serve in all such lawful business as the said Benjamin Williams shall be put into by said Master according to the power wit & ability of him the said Benjamin Williams, and honestly & obediently in all things shall be have himself towards his said master & honestly & orderly towards the rest of the family of the said Hardy Jones. And the Hardy Jones for his part for him self his heirs executors & administrators doth hereby promise & covinent to and with the said overseer of the poor his executors & administrators and his successors for the time being & to and with the said Benjamin Williams that he the said Hardy Jones, shall the said Benjamin Williams in the craft mistery & occupation of a farmer, which the said Hardy Jones now useth after the best manner that he can or may teach instrct & inform or cause to be taught instructed or informed as such as thereunto belongeth or in any wise appertaineth and that the said Hardy Jones shall also find & allow unto the said apprentice sufficient meal drink apparel washing boarding & all other things needful or meet for an apprentice during the time aforesaid and also that he the said Hardy Jones shall teach or cause to be taught to the said Benjamin Williams, reading writing & common Arithmetic, including the rule of three and will moreover at the expiration of said time furnish the said Benjamin Williams with two new complete suits of clothing.

In witness whereof the parties to these presence have interchangeably set their hands & seals the day & year first above written. The word "company" erased before signed, and the word "craft" entertained before signed.

Signed, sealed, & delivered — J. M. Spurlin (seal)
in presence of — Hary Jones (seal)
James Thompson, Judge
of the Orphans Court

JAMES WILLIAMS TO HARDY JONES, APPRENTICESHIP.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

This Indenture made this twenty ninth day of July in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred & thirty five, between James M. Spurlin overseer of the poor for beat company number ten of said County of the one part, and Hardy Jones of said County of the otherpart, Witnesseth that the said James M. Sprulin overseer of the poor as aforesaid by virtue of an order of the Orphans Court of the aforesaid County bearing date the twenty eighth day of July 1835. Hath put placed & bound, and by these presents doth put place and bind James Williams (son of the wife of Jacob Lewis of the age of about eleven years to be an apprentice with him the said Hardy Jones; as an apprentice with him the said Hardy Jones to dwell from the date of these presence until the said James Williams shall come to the age of twenty one years, according to the act of the General Assembly in that case made and provided by & during all which time & term the said James Williams shall the said Hardy Jones his said Master will & faithfully serve in all such lawful business as the said James Williams shall be put unto by his said Master according to the power wit & ability of him the said James Williams, and honestly & obediently in all things shall behave himself towards his said Master & honestly & orderly towards the rest of the family of the said Hardy Jones.

And the said Hardy Jones for his part for himself his executors & administrators doth hereby promise & covenant to and with the said overseer of the poor his executors & administrators and his successors for the time being and to & with the said James Williams, that he the said Hardy Jones shall the said James Williams in the craft mystery & occupation of a farmer which the said Hardy Jones now useth after the best manner that he can or may teach instruct & inform or cause to be taught instructed & informed as much as there unto belongeth or in any wise appertaineth, and that the said Hardy Jones shall also find & allow unto the said apprentice sufficient meat drink apparel washing lodging & all other things needful or meek for an apprentice during the time aforesaid and also that he the said Hardy Jones shall teach or cause to be taught to the said James Williams reading writing & common arithmetic, including the rule of three; and moreover will at the expiration of said time furnish the said James Williams with two complete new suits of clothing.

In witness whereof the parties to these presents have interchangable set there hands & seals the day & year first above written.

The word "Craft" interlined before signed

signed, sealed & delivered in presence	J. M. Spurlin	(seal)
of James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court	Hardy Jones	(seal)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Sarah Harrell Thomas Taylor & Henry G. Slaughter are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of Two Thousand dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c, firmly by these presents,

Sealed with our seals and dated the tenth day of September 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Sarah Harrell has been duly appointed guardian of Martha Harrell infant child of William

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Harrell, late of said County deceased now if the said Sarah Harrell 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged by said Thomas Taylor & Henry G. Slaughter	Sarah her X mark Harrell	(seal)
before me.	Thomas Taylor	(seal)
J. Thompson, Judge	Henry G. Slaughter	(seal)

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said
Sarah Harrell this 12th day of September
before me.
Merick Harrell

Approved 5th Oct. 1835.
J. Th ompson Judge

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Robert Baugh, Edward Baugh, Cuthbert G. Hudson, Evan G. Richards, George Shealy, Thos. K. Smith, Wm. L. Crayton, I. W. Bachelder, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of forty two thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals, and dated the thirteenth day of September A. D. 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Robert Baugh and Edward Baugh have been duly appointed executors of the last will & testament of Richard Baugh late of Chambers County, Alabama, deceased. Now if the said Robert Baugh and Edward Baugh shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such executors as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, Otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged	Robert Baugh	(seal)
Approved 7 Oct. 1835	Edward Baugh	(seal)
J. Thompson Judge	Cuthbert G. Hudson	(seal)
	Evan G. Richards	(seal)
	George Shealy	(seal)
	Thos. K. Smith	(seal)
	W. L. Crayton	(seal)
	I. W. Bachelder	(seal)

GIDEON RICKS GUARDIAN OF JOHN O. CHEE BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :
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Know all men by these presents that we Gideon Ricks Arnold Seale, & Nat Macon Thornton, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of twenty five hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals, and dated the thirteenth day of October 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Gideon Ricks has been duly appointed guardian of John O. Chee, infant child of Washington, an Indian late of said County deceased. Now if the said Gideon Ricks shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved 27th October 1835.

J. Thompson, Judge

Gideon Ricks (seal)
Arnold Seale (seal)
Nat Macon Thornton (seal)

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GILBERT S. GAY GUARDIAN OF JOHN G. GAY, BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :
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Know all men by these presents, that we Gilbert S. Gay, James Pate, & Francis Pearson are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the second day of November 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Gilbert S. Gay has been duly appointed guardian of John G. Gay, infant child of said Gilbert S. Gay, now if the said Gilbert S. Gay, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force

Signed & acknowledged in open Court
Jos. J. Williams Clerk

Gilbert S. Gay (seal)
James Pate (seal)
Francis P. Pearson (seal)
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TAL LO LOO CHE, DECEASED ADM. BOND OF BOOKER LAWSON

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :
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Know all men by these presents, that we Booker Lawson, David Lawson, & Joseph Ned, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and date the fourth day of November 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Booker Lawson has been duly appointed administator of the estate of Tal lo loo che, and Indian late of said County, deceased, now if the said Booker Lawson shall well and truly performall the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such administrator as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealedand acknowledged before & approved by me.

J. Thompson, Judge

Booker Lawson (seal)
David Lawson (seal)
Joseph Neal (seal)

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SALLY AN . INDIAN DECEASED ADM. BOND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :
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Know all men by these presents, that we Leroy Gresham, Young Q. Gresham, & Spencer J. McMorris are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of seventeen hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors, and aministrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: sealed with our seals and dated this eighth day of October 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the Orphans Court of said County of Chambers has duly authorised the sale of certain real estate of Sally, an Indian, late of said County deceased, which real estate has been duly sold for the sum of eight hundred & twenty seven dollars and the sum of eight hundred & twenty seven dollars thereof received by said Leroy Gresham, administrator of said estate, Now if said Leroy Gresham shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from such sale according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged before me & approved by me.

J. Thompson, Judge

Leroy Gresham (seal)
Young Q. Gresham (seal)
S. J. Mc Morris (seal)

Georgia Troup County Novbr. 15th 1835
To the Honourable Court of Chambers County.
I make known by request unto you that it is my wish that Samuel B. Turner should be the Guardian for my children namely Martha Elizabeth & Francis & James W. & Willard H. Turner and Mary Turner request the said Samuel B. Turner to be her guardian and J Richard Q. Lane the Administrators of said Estate and W. B. Turner being the other Administrator request the said Samuel B. Turner be there Guardian James W. Turner about Eleven years old & Mary is fifteen & Francis eight years old Willard H. Turner is six Elizabeth ten years old and Clabron can state his age to the court &c.

Mary Turner
Mary P. Turner
Richard Q. Lane
Admtr

N. B. The amount of the estate I think is about Three Thousand five hundred dollars as near as I can estimate it &c.

Richard Q. Lane
Adm.

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SAMUEL B. TURNER GUARDIAN OF THE CHILDREN OF ESOM TURNER BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Samuel B. Turner, John Trammell, Jordan Thornton, William R. Miller & Farr H. Trammell are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County state of Alabama, in the penal sum of eight thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the fourth day of January 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Samuel B. Turner being duly appointed guardian of Claibourn A. Turner, Martha Elizabeth Turner, Francis Turner James W. Turner, Hillard H. Turner and Mary Turner infant children of Esom Turner late of Troup County State of Georgia deceased now if the said Samuel B. Turner shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void. Otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Samuel B. Turner in presents of
J. Thompson.
Signed sealed & acknowledged by said John Trammell
B. L. Harper
Signed sealed & acknowledged by sd J.Thornton in presents of
Joshua Adams
Signed sealed & acknowledged by said William R. Miller in presents of M. Turner
Signed sealed & acknowledged by F. Trammell in presents of
Thomas J. Trammell

S. B. Turner (seal)
John Trammell (seal)
J. Thornton (seal)
WM. R. Miller (seal)
Farr H. Trammell (seal)

approved 8th January 1836 J. Thompson, Judge

INVENTORY OF THE ESTATE REAL & PERSONAL OF MARTHA HARRELL
Infant daughter of William Harrell deceased in the hands of Sarah Harrell guardian viz. Cash received of Thomas Taylor Sheriff administrator of the estate of said William Harrell deceased Two hundred & fifty seven dollars & twenty five cent 257.25
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Sarah Harrell guardian of Martha Harrell Infant child of William Harrell deceased, being duly sworn deposeth & saith that the foregoing inventory amounting to two hundred & fifty seven dollars & twenty five cents is all of the estate of said Martha either real or personal that has come to the possession of said Sarah Harrell, or of which she has taken possession or received, sworn to and subscribed this fifth day of January 1836.

Test
James Thompson, Judge of the county Court.

Sarah her x mark Harrell

ordered of record
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court.

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THOMAS E. DEEN GUARDIAN OF LEWIS LEVETT BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas E. Deen William Waldroup & John J. Johnston are held and fimly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of five hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the fourth day of January, 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas E. Deen been duly appointed guardian of Lewis Leverett infant child of Lewis Leverett, late of Lawrence District of South Carolina deceased. Now if the said Thomas E. Deen shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void. Otherwise to remain in full force

Signed & acknowledged before me & approved by me.
James Thompson, Judge

Thomas E. Deen (seal)
Wm. Waldroup (seal)
John J. Johnston (seal)

N. B. Yarbrough guardian of christopher T. Coggins Mary Ann Coggins Ebenezer T. Coggins.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Orphans Court 3rd day of August 1835

Know all men by these presents that we Nemrod B. Yarbrough, Willis Kellam Leroy McCoy, John Blackstone are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama and his successors in office in the penal sum of five thousand dollars to which payment, well & truly to be made we and each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the third day of August 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Nimrod B. Yarbrough has been duly appointed guardian of Christopher T. Coggins Mary Ann Coggins, & Ebenezer T. Coggins infant children of William Coggins late of said County, deceased.

Now if the said Nemrod B. Yarbrough 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

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge of said County

Nimrod B. Yarbrough (seal)
Willis Kellam (seal)
Leroy McCoy (seal)
John Blackstone (seal)

ELIZABETH GRESHAM DECEASED ADM.BOND OF Y.Q. GRESHAM

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Young Q. Gresham, John Atkins & Leroy Gresham & Joshna S. Mitchell are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of fifteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the tenth day of October 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Young Q. Gresham has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Gresham late of Chambers County, deceased.

Now if the said Young Q. Gresham shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be required of him as such administrator then the above obligation to be void. Otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed,sealed & acknowledged by said Young Q. Gresham & John Atkins.
Signed sealed & acknowledged by said Leroy Gresham this 30th day of October 1835. before J. Thompson.
Signed sealed & acknowledged by said Mitchell this 3 day of December 1835 before me & approved by J. Thompson, Judge.

Young Q. Gresham (seal)
John Atkins (seal)
Leroy Gresham (seal)
Joshna S. Mitchell (seal)

AR TUS SAR DECEASED ADM.BOND OF JOHN J. WILLIAMS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams William Vann & Joseph Neil are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama & his successors in office in the penal sum of four hundred dollars for which payment well & truly to be made we and each of us bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this fourth day of August A. D. 1835.

Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the said John J. Williams has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Ar tus sar, an Indian late of said County deceased.

Now if the said John J. Williams shall well & 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 & virtue.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged before me & approved by me.
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (seal)
Wm. Van (seal)
Joseph Neil (seal)

EMATLAR YOHOLO DECEASED ADM. BOND OF JNO. J. WILLIAMS & SU

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, Sanders R. Vann John Phipps William Vann, Samuel Williams are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the twelfth day of August 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John J. Williams & Sanders Vann have been duly appointed administrators of the estate of Ematlar Yoholo late of said County, deceased, Now if the said John J. Williams & Sanders R. Vann 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.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged Samuel Rotch J.P.
approved 31 Aug. 1835
J. Thompson, Judge.

John J. Williams (seal)
Sanders R. Van (seal)
John Phipps (seal)
Wm. Van (seal)
Saml. Williams (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Gidion Ricks, Nat Macon Thornton,& Arnold Seale are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of twenty five hundred dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and dated the 27th day of October 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Gidion Ricks has been duly appointed Guardian of Yar che, Infant son Of Sal lo ster late of this County deceased.

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

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LI GO CHE DECEASED ADM. BOND OF WILEY THAXTON
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUTNY)

Know all men by these presents that we Wiley Thaxton, John V. Dunn & Joseph Neil are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama in the penal sum of four hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the seventh day of December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Wiley Thaxton has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Li go che an Indian late of said County deceased. Now if the said Wiley Thaxton shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of as such administrator then the above obligation to be void. Otherwise to remain in full force

Signed, sealed & acknowledged in open court
J. Thompson Judge

Wiley Thaxton (seal)
John V. Dunn (seal)
Joseph Neil (seal)

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WEBB KIDD GUARDIAN OF NILLAR HUM GAR, INFANT CHILD OF TALOWAR HADJO
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Webb Kidd, Nat Macon Thornton, & Ninian W. Kidd, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of fifteen hundred dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the seventeenth day of December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Webb Kidd has been duly appointed guardian of Nillar, Hum gar, infant child of Tallowar Hadjo, late of said County, deceased;

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

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, by said Webb Kidd at the date hereof and by said Ninian this 16th of January 1836.
J. Thompson
approved 16th Jan. 1836.

Webb Kidd (seal)
Nat Macon Thornton (seal)
Ninian W. Kidd (seal)

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WEBB KIDD GUARDIAN OF HAR TAR PA GER, & OTHERS INFANT CHILDREN OF YELCOR HADJO
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men ny these presents,that we Webb Kidd, Nat Macon Thornton, & Ninnian W. Kidd, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Fifteen hundred dollars to which payment, well & truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the seventeenth day of December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Webb Kidd has been duly appointed guardian of Har tar pa ger, Che par ne looco, Ars lo cool ka, & Ful li ji cha, infant children of Yel cor Hadjo, late of said county deceased. Now is the said Webb Kidd shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of as such guardian of aforesaid. then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged by said Webb Kidd at the date hereof and by said Ninian this 16th of January 1836.
J. Thompson,

Webb Kidd (seal)
Nat Macon Thornton (seal)
Ninian W. Kidd (seal)

APproved 16 Jan. 1836.
J. Thompson, Judge.

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WEBB KIDD GUARDIAN OF SAR CHAR KA, INFANT OF KOTCHUR YOHOLO
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CYAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Webb Kidd, Nat Macon Thornton, & Ninian W. Kidd, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Fifteen hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind our selves, our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the seventh day of December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Webb Kidd has been duly appointed guardian of Sar char ka, infant child of Kotchar Yoholo, late of said County, deceased; Now if the said Webb Kidd shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, by Webb Kidd, at the above date & by said Ninian this 16th Jan. 1836.

Webb Kidd (seal)
Nat Macon Thornton (seal)
Ninian W. Kidd (seal)

J. Thompson
approved 16 Jan. 1836
J. Thompson Judge

GIDEON RICKS GUARDIAN OF YAR CHA, AN INFANT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all man by these presents, that we Gideon Ricks, Nat Macon Thornton, & Arnold Seale, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Twenty five hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves our heirs &c. firmly by these presents sealed with seals, and dated the 27th day of October 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Gideon Ricks has been duly appointed guardian of Yar cha, infant son of Sal to ster, late of this County, deceased, Now if the said Gideon Ricks shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as guardian aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged G. Ricks (seal)
Nat Macon Thornton (seal)
Arnold Seale (seal)

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BENJAMIN WALDRUP GUARDIAN OF SALLY GRIFFIN & LOUISA GRIFFIN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Benjamin Waldrupt, George Naron, John Patterson, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Sixteen hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us bind our selves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the fourteenth day of January 1836. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Benjamin Waldrip has been been duly appointed guardian of Sally Griffin and Louise Griffin, infant children of Rachel Griffin now Rachel Waldrip.

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

Signed, sealed and acknowledged by said Benjamin Waldrip & George Naron before me
J. Thompson

Benjamin B Waldrip his mark (seal)
(seal)
George Naron (seal)
Samuel Doster (seal)
John Patterson (seal)

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said John Patterson and before me. Test.
Thos. Doster

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said John Patterson this 19th January 1836 before
J. Thompson

Approved 19th January 1836
J. Thompson, Judge

JONATHAN P. ROBERTS GUARDIAN OF DAVID JONES, FREE BLACK

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jonathan P. Roberts, Arnold Seale & William Vann are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of one thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be maid we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the fifth day of December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jonathan P. Roberts has been duly appointed Guardian of David Jones, a free man of colour of said County, now if the said Jonathan P. Roberts, Shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of as such Guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged this second day of February 1836 before and approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

Jonathan P. Roberts (seal)
Arnold Seale (seal)
Wm. Vann (seal)

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ARNOLD SEALE GUARDIAN OF SAR HOLE CAR SA MES IL ECAR SI CO SAR PE BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Arnold Seale William Vann, John Taylor & Jonathan P. Roberts, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of three thousand dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the Eighth day of December 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Arnold Seale has been duly appointed guardian of Sar hole Car Sa Misel Ecar & Si Co Sar pe infant children of Tusekiah Hadjo late of said County deceased. Now if the said Arnold Seal shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged this second day of February 1836 before & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

Arnold Seale (seal)
Wm. Vann (seal)
John Taylor (seal)
Jonathan P. Roberts (seal)

JACOB YOUNGBLOOD GUARDIAN OF ELIZABETH YOUNGBLOOD. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Jacob Youngblood William Williams & Abner Still are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the first day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jacob Youngblood infant child of James Youngblood late of Edgefield District in the State of South Carolina.

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

Signed, sealed and acknowledged by said Jacob Youngblood & William Williams before me

J. Thompson

Jacob Youngblood (seal)
Wm. Williams (seal)
Abner Still (seal)

Signed, sealed and acknowledged by said Abner Still, before me this 2nd of March 1836.
Test Samuel Wasson
Approved 2nd March 1836 J. Thomspon Judge

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JOHN J. WILLIAMS DECEASED, ADMINISTRATOR AD COLLEGENDUM BOND OF OROON D. WHITAKER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Oroon D. Whitaker, Samuel Thompson, Benjamin Lloyd, Jonathan Johnston, L. G. Dawson, & John C. Towles, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of thirty two thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the fifth day of August, 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Oroon D. Whitaker has been duly appointed administrator ad collegendum of the estate of John J. Williams late of Chambers County, deceased. Now if the said Oroon D. Whitaker shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of as such administrator ad collegendum then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force, signed, sealed and acknowledged by said Whitaker & Lloyd before me

J. Thompson

O. D. Whitaker (seal)
Samuel Thomson (seal)
Benjamin Lloyd (seal)
Johnathan Johnston (seal)
L. G. Dawson (seal)
John C. Towles (seal)

Approved 5 Aug. 1836
J. Thompson Judge

JOHN J. WILLIAMS DECEASED ADMINISTRATOR BOND OF O. D. WHITAKER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we Oroon D. Whitaker Thomas C. Russell Thomas B. Erwin John Taylor William Atkins Spencer J. McMorris Lemuel B. Robertson William Vann & John Coldwell, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of thirty two thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty second day of August. A. D. 1836

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Oroon D. Whitaker been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John J. Williams late of Chambers County deceased now if the said Oroon D. Whitaker shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of as such administrator then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, & approved in open Test.
Jos. J. Williams Clerk

O. D. Whitaker (seal)
Thomas C. Russell (seal)
Thomas B. Erwin (seal)
John Taylor (seal)
Wm. Atkins (seal)
S. J. McMorris (seal)
L. B. Robertson (seal)
Wm. Vann (seal)
John Coldwell (seal)

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JOHN VINCENT GUARDIAN OF ELLINGTON JONES ALARIAH JONES & JEFFERSON JONES.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we John Vincent and Isham Nelson & William B. Howard, are held and firmly bound unto James Thomspon, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of seven hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the first day of September A. D. 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Vincent has been duly appointed guardian of Ellington Jones Mariah Jones & Jefferson Jones infant children of William L. Jones, late of Troup County, Georgia. Now if the said John Vincent shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged by said Vincent & Howard before J. Thomspon Judge
Approved J. Thompson, Judge

John Vincent (seal)
Isham Nelson (seal)
William B. Howard (seal)

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KOTCHAR YOHOLO DECEASED, ADMRS. BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John J. Williams William Vann Arnold Seale Sanders R. Vann James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thomspon, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of

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Alabama, in the penal sum of thirteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder administrators of the Estate of Kotchar Yoholo late of sd. county deceased. The orphans Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Kotchar Yoholo late of said County deceased which has been sold for the sum of six hundred & fifty dollars whereof the sum of six hundred & twenty nine dollars has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before me & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Arnold Seale (L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann (L.S.)
James Maddux (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Leroy Gresham (L.S.)

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AR LAR HO KAR DECEASED ADMRS.BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John J. Williams, William Vann Arnold Seale Sanders R. Vann James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of six hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder administrators of the estate of Ar lar ho kar late of said County deceased, the Orphans Court of said County has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Arlarhokar late of said County deceased; which real estate has been sold for the sum of two hundred & nineth dollars whereof the sum of two hundred & seventy six dollars & twenty cents, has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder. Now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithfull payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged, before me & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Arnold Seale (L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann (L.S.)
James Maddux (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Leroy Gresham (L.S.)

SIAR DECEASED ADMRS. BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams William Vann Sanders R. Vann Arnold Seale James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of two thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder administrators of Siar late of said County deceased the Orphans Court of said County has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Siar late of said County deceased: Which real estate has been sold for the sum of nine hundred & seventy five dollars whereof the sum of nine hundred & forty seven dollars & fifty cents has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder. Now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithfull payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, before me & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Arnold Seale (L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann (L.S.)
James Maddux (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Leroy Gresham (L.S.)

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EMARTHLAR YOHOLO DECEASED ADMRS. BOND FOR MONEY FOR LAND SOLD

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams Sanders R. Vann, William Vann Arnold Seale James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of three thousand six hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Sanders R. Vann administrators of the estate of Emarthlar Yoholo late of said county, deceased, the Orphans Court of said county, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Emarthlar Yoholo late of said county deceased: Which real estate has been sold for the sum of eighteen hundred dollars, whereof the sum of seventeen hundred & sixty dollars has been received by the said John J. Williams & Sanders R. Vann now if the said John J. Williams & Sanders R. Vann shall well truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full

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force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before me & approved by me.

J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams	(L.S)
Sanders R. Vann	(L.S.)
Wm. Vann	(L.S.)
Arnold Seale	(L.S.)
James Maddux	(L.S.)
Charles McLemore	(L.S.)
Leroy Gresham	(L.S.)

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CHARSE HADJO DECEASED ADMRS. BOND FOR MONEY FOR LAND SOLD

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams William Vann Arnold Seale, Sanders R. Vann, James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of seven/teen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, administrators of the estate of Charse Hadjo the Orphans Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Charse Hadjo, late of said county/ deceased, which real estate has been sold for the sum of eight & one hundred/dollars: whereof the sum of seven hundred & seventy three dollars has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and Acknowledged before me & approved by me.

J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams	(L.S.)
Wm. Vann	(L.S.)
Arnold Seale	(L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann	(L.S.)
James Maddux	(L.S.)
Charles McLemore	(L.S.)
Leroy Gresham	(L.S.)

ARTUS SAR DECEASED ADMRS BOND FOR PROPER APLICATION OF MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams William Vann, Arnold Seale, Sanders R. Vann James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of eighteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams administrator of the estate of Ar tus sar, late of said county deceased the Orphans Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Ar tus sar, late of said County, Deceased: which real estate has been sold for the sum of nine hundred dollars: whereof the sum of eight hundred & seventy four dollars has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder Now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree: then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before me & approved by me.

J, Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams	(L.S.)
Wm. Vann	(L.S.)
Arnold Seale	(L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann	(L.S.)
James Maddux	(L.S.)
Charles Mo Lemore	(L.S.)
Leroy Gresham	(.L.S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John J. Williams, Wm. Vann Arnold Seale Sanders R. Vann James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of five hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder administrators of the estate of Ko no ke late of said County deceased the Orphans Court of said county, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Ko no ke late of said county deceased, which real estate has been sold for the sum of two hundred & thirty dollars; whereof the sum of two hundred & seventeen dollars & forty cents has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before me & approved by me.

J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams	(L.S.)
Wm. Vann	(L.S.)
Arnold Seale	(L.S.)

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Sanders R. Vann (L.S.)
James Maddux (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Leroy Gresham (L.S.)

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TUSTUNNUCK KOO CHE DECEASED ADMRS. BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John J. Williams William Vann Arnold Seale Sanders R. Vann James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of fifteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally--firmly by these presents; Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, administrators of the estate of Tustunnuck Koo Che, late of said county, deceased the Orphans Court of said county, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Tustunnuck Koo Che, late of said county, deceased: which real estate has been sold for the sum of seven hundred & ten dollars: Whereof the sum of six hundred & eighty seven dollars & eighty cents has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged
before me & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (L.S.)
Wm Vann (L.S.)
Arnold Seale (L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann (L.S.)
James Maddux (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Leroy Gresham (L.S.)

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AR TOO E CHE DECEASED ADMRS BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams William Vann, Arnold Seale, Sanders R. Vann James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of three thousand six hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents; sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder administrators of the estate of the estate of Artoo e che late of said county deceased the Orphans Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Artoo e che late of said county, deceased: which real estate has been sold for eighteen hundred dollars: whereof the sum of seventeen

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hundred & sixty dollars has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the fi al decree: then the above obligation to be void. Otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Signed, sealed and acknowledged
before me & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Arnold Seale (L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann (L.S.)
James Maddux (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Leroy Gresham (L.S.)

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SFARNE TUSTUNUGGEE DECEASED ADMRS BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John J. Williams William Vann Arnold Seale, Sanders R. Vann James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of fifteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, administrators of the estate of Sfarne Tustunuggee late of said county, deceased, the Orphans Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the of certain real estate of Sfarne Tustunuggee, late of said county, deceased: which real estate has been sold for the sum of seven hundred and five dollars; whereof the sum of six hundred & eighty two dollars & ninety cents has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sales according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Signed, sealed and acknowledged
before me & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Arnold Seale (L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann (L.S.)
James Maddux (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Leroy Gresham (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams William Vann, Arnold Seale Sanders R. Vann James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of twelve hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder administrators of the estate of Nar ho le late of said County, deceased the Orphans Court of Said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Narho le late of said County deceased: Which real estate has been sold for the sum of five hundred & sixty dollars whereof the sum of five hundred & forty dollars & eighty cents has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree; Then the above obligation to be void: Otherwise to remain in full and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged, before me & approved by me.
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Arnold Seale (L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann (L.S.)
James Maddux (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Leroy Gresham (L.S.)

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TALOWAR HADJO DECEASED ADMRS. BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Williams, William Vann Arnold Seale Sanders R. Vann, James Maddux Charles McLemore & Leroy Gresham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of sixteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 29th day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, administrators of the estate of Talowar Hadjo, late of said county deceased the orphans Court of said, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Talowar Hadjo, late of said County, deceased, which real estate has been sold for the sum of eight hundred dollars: whereof the sum of seven hundred & seventy six dollars has been received by the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, now if the said John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, before me & approved by me.
J. Thompson, Judge

John J. Williams (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Arnold Seale (L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann (LS.)
James Maddux (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Leroy Gresham (L.S.)

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TUSSEKIAH DECEASED ADMINISTRATORS BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Gilford P. Gilder William Vann, John Taylor, Arnold Seale, & Tatum Menifee are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of forty hundred dollars $4600. to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and admininistrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 22nd day of August 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, administrators of the estate of Tussekiah Hadjo, deceased the Orphans Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of said Tussekiah Hadjo deceased and said real estate has been sold & the sum of twenty two hundred & sixty four dollars received by said Gilford P. Gilder, surviving administrator of the estate of said Tussekiah Hadjo deceased Now if the said Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in open court & approved
J. Thompson, Judge

G. P. Gilder (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
John Taylor (LS.)
A. Seale (L.S.)
T. Menifee (L.S.)

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TUSKEHENEHAW DECEASED ADMRS. BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Arnold Seale, William & Jonathan Johnston are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in th penal sum of six thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals and dated the ninth day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of Arnold Seale, Administrator of the estate of Tuskehenehaw, late of said County, deceased the Orphans Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of said Tuskehenehaw deceased, viz section nineteen, T. 21 R.28 and said land has been sold & the sum of two thousand six hundred & forty four dollars & thirty five cents (including thirty nine dollars 35 cents interest) has been received by the said Arnold Seale Now if the said Arnold Seale shall well and truly make faithful payment

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and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, by said Seale & Vann before me
J. Thompson
Approved J. Thompson, Judge

Arnold Seale (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Jonathan Johnston (L.S.)

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ENEHE EMARTHLA DECEASED ADMINISTRATORS BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Arnold Seale, William Vann & Jonathan Johnston, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of fourteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs,& executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents; Sealed with our seals and dated the ninth day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of Arnold Seale, administrator of the estate of Enehe Emarthla late of Chambers County deceased the Orphans Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of the said decedant which real estate viz the N½ of section 34, T 22, R 28 in said county which has been sold for cash for the sum of six hundred & five dollars which said sum has been received by the said Arnold Seale administrator as aforesaid. Now if the said Arnold Seale shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, by said Seale & Vann
J. Thompson
Approved J. Thompson, Judge

Arnold Seale (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Jonathan Johnston (L.S.)

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SANDERS R. VANN GUARDIAN OF ARCHIPE BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Sanders R. Vann, William Vann & James Maddux are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 30th day of March 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Sanders R. Vann been duly appointed guardian of Archipe, infant child of Black Dirt now if the said Sanders R. Vann shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged, in open court & approved by the court
J. Thompson, Judge

Sanders R. Vann (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
James Maddux (L.S.)

JOHN GARRETT DECEASED ADMRS BOND OF THADDEUS BEALL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Thaddeus Beall, John R. Alford & Cuthbert G. Hudson are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of sixteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents; Sealed with our seals and dated the tenth day of September 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thaddeus Beall has been duly appointed administrator ad collegendum of the estate of John H. Garrett, late of this county, deceased now if the said Thaddeus Beall shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of as such administrator ad collegendum then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, before & approved by
J. Thompson, Judge

Thaddeus Beall (L.S.)
John R. Alford (L.S.)
Cuthbert G. Hudson (L.S.)

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FUS HATCH EE, DECEASED ADMR. BOND OF JOHN McCRIMMON

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John McCrimmon, William Lee & Isaiah Durham are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphand Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the second day of May 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John McCrimmon has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Fus hatch ee, an Indian, late of said county, deceased now if the said John McCrimmon shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of as such administrator then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force. Signed, sealed and acknowledged, before & approved by me
J. Thompson Judge

John McCrimmon (seal)
Wm. Lee (seal)
Isaiah Durham (seal)

KONOKE DECEASED ADMINISTRATION BOND OF GILFORD P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :)

Know all men by these presents, that we Gilford P. Gilder, Samuel R. Moss, William Vann & Sanders R. Vann are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty seventh day of October 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Gilford P. Gilder & one John J. Williams were duly appointed & qualified as administrators of the estate of Konoke deceased, and said Williams hath since departed this life and said Gilder hath been required to give new bond with such condition according to law as will make the securities in the new bond liable for the administration of said Williams & Gilder admininistrators, & said Gilder surviving administrator & to released John Taylor from liability as one of the securities of said Williams & Gilder admrs.

Now if the said Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such surviving administrator and also John Taylor harmless against his said securityship for said Gilder & Williams then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force .

Signed, sealed and acknowledged by said Gilder & Moss this 28th of October 1836 before me
J. Thompson

Gilford P. Gilder (seal)
Samuel R. Moss (seal)
Wm. Vann (seal)
Sanders R. Vann (seal)

Signed sealed & acknowledged by said Wm. & Sanders this 26th of November 1836, & approved
J. Thompson, Judge

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AR TAR WI CHE DECEASED, ADMINISTRATION BOND OF GILFORD P. GILDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :)

Know all men by these presents, that we Gilford P. Gilder, Samuel R. Moss, William Vann & Sanders R. Vann are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty seventh day of October 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, whereas the above bound Gilford P. Gilder & one John J. Williams were duly appointed and qualified as administrators of the estate of Ar tar wi che deceased and said Williams hath since departed this life and said Gilder hath been required to give new bond with such condition according to law as will make the securities in the new bond liable for the administrator of said Williams & Gilder administrator & said Gilder surviving administrator & to release John Taylor from liability as one of the securities of said Williams & Gilder administrators.

Now if the said Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such surviving administrator & also save said Taylor harmless against his securityship for said Williams and Gilder then

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the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, by said Gilder & Moss this 28th of October 1836 before me.
J. Thompson

Gilford P. Gilder (seal)
Samuel R. Moss (seal)
Wm. Vann (seal)
Sanders R. Vann (seal)

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Wm. & Sanders this 26th of November 1836.
J. Thompson, Judge

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GIDEON MATHEWS DECEASED ADMINISTRATION BOND OF HANNAH MATHEWS & JOSEPH YARBROUGH

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :)

Know all men by these presents, that we Hannah Mathews, Joseph Yarbrough, Beverly Walker Joshua Mitchell are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of twelve thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the ninth day of November A. D. 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Hannah Mathews & Joseph Yarbrough have been duly appointed administratrix & administrator of the estate of Gideon Mathews late of Chambers County, deceased now if the said Hannah Mathews and Joseph Yarbrough shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such administrix & administrator then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in open court & approved
Test Joseph J. William, clerk

Hannah her x mark Mathews (seal)
Joseph Yarbrough (seal)
B. Walker (seal)
Joshua S. Mitchell (seal)

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THO J. BROOKS, GUARDIAN OF MARVELL McLENDELL, BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas J. Brooks, Seaborn B. Gray & William C. Germany are and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of six hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty seventh day of December 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas J. Brooks has been duly appointed guardian for Marvell S. McLendell, infant child of Loving McLendell late of Jones County, Georgia now if the said Thomas J. Brooks shall well and truly perform all the duties, which are, or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in open court and approved . J. Thompson, Judge

Thomas J. his x mark Brooks (seal)
Seaborn B. Gray (seal)
William C. Germany (seal)

ALEXANDER SIMPSON DECEASED ADM. AD,COL BOND OF WALTON W. WALLACE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Walton W. Wallace, James Blakely & Warner W. Meaddors are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the fourteenth day of December 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Walton W. Wallace has been duly appointed administrator ad collegendum of the estate of Alexander Simpson, late of Chambers County deceased now if the said Walton W. Wallace shall well and truly perform all the duties which are,or may be by law required of him as such administrator ad collegendum then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged & approved	W. W. Wallace	(seal)
J. Thompson, Judge	James Blakely	(seal)
	Warner W. Meaddors	(seal)

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BARTHOLOMENE CROWDER DECEASED ADMR. BOND OF GARRETT P. CROWDER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Garrett P. Crowder, Josiah King & Peter Ussery & Robert Hammond are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the fourteenth day of November 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Garrett P. Crowder has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Bartholomene Crowder late of Chambers County, deceased now if the said Garrett P. Crowder 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before me	Garrett P. Crowder	(seal)
and approved by me	his Josiah X King mark	(seal)
J. Thompson Judge	Peter Ussery	(seal)
	Robert Hammond	(seal)

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WM. FERRELL GUARDIAN OF HIS CHILDREN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Ferrell, Gilbert D. Ansley & Anderson Satterwhite are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of sixteen hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind our selves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals,and dated the nineteenth day of December 1836.

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The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Ferrell has been duly appointed guardian of Margaret Comilla Aramenta, Maria Jerlins & Palmond Ferrell, infant children of the said William Ferrell now if the said William Ferrell shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such guardian of said five children then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force

Signed, sealed and acknowledged	William Ferrell	(seal)
and approved	G. D. Ansley	(seal)
J. Thompson, Judge	A. Satterwhite	(seal)
The Orphans Court		

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WILLIAMSON BAKER DECEASED ADMIX BOND OF ELIZEBETH BAKER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all these presents, that we Elizebeth Baker John G. Baker & Peter Ussery are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of five hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents,sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty sixth day of September 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elizebeth Baker has been duly appointed administratrix of the estate of Williamson Baker late of said County deceased now if the said Elizebeth Baker 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

Signed, sealed and	her Elizebeth X Baker mark	(seal)
acknowledged by said Elizebeth	John S. Baker	(seal)
Baker & John S. Baker before me	Peter Ussery	(seal)
J. Thompson		

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WM. A. SHAW GUARDIAN OF DAVID J. JOHNSON BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William A. Shaw, Robert Shaw William Fannin & James N. Wright are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs,&c. firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the thirty first day of December 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William A. Shaw has been duly appointed guardian of David J. Johnson & Willis M. Johnson, infant children of Dempsy Johnston late of Cowetta County State of Georgia, deceased now if the said William A. Shaw shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then then the above obligation to be void,otherwise to remain in full force

Signed, sealed and acknowledged	W. A. Shaw	(seal)
in open court & approved by me	Robert Shaw	(seal)
J. Thompson, Judge	William Fanin	(seal)
	James N. Wright	(seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
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CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that whereas Martha More & Daniel M. Jackson have made application to the Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County for letters of administration on the estate of William More lately deceased, know ye, that we Wiley J. Bean, Thomas D. Garden, Charles McLemore & Joseph Mursik have made consitituted and appointed & by these presents do make constitute & appoint Evan G. Richards our true & lawful Attorney for us and each of us & in our room & stead to assign our names as security for the said Martha More & Daniel M. Jackson as administrators as aforesaid to any and all such bond or bonds as may be necessary in taking out & obtaining said letters of administration on said estate, hereby ratifying, allowing and holding firm and effectual, all such signatures of our names made by Evan G. Richards as aforesaid, as if made by us and each of us in our proper person & signed with our own hands. In witness whereof we and each of us have hereunto set our hands and seals this the third day of June in the year of Our Lord one thousand, eighty hundred & thirty six

13 day of June 1836.

Jonithan Johnston J.P.

Wiley J. Bean (seal)

his
Thos. X D. Gordan (seal)
mark

Joseph Musik (seal)

Charles McLemore (seal)

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WM. MORE DECEASED MARTHA MORE & DANIEL M. JACKSON ADM. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha More, Daniel M. Jackson, Wiley J. Bean, Thomas D. Gordan, Charles McLemore & Joseph Musick are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of sixteen hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the fourth day of June 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Martha More & Danil M. Jackson have been duly appointed administratrix & administrator of the estate of William Moore late, of Chambers County deceased now if the said Martha Moore & Daniel M. Jackson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of as such administratrix & administrator then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before me & approved by me in open Court

J. Thompson, Judge

her
Martha X Moore (seal)
mark

his
Daniel M. X Jackson (seal)
mark

Wiley J. Bean by his attorney in fact

E. G. Richards (seal)

Thomas D. Gordon by his attorney in fact

E. G. Richards

Charles McLemore by his attorney in fact (seal)

E. G. Richards (seal)

Joseph Musick by his attorney in fact

E. G. Richards (seal)

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WM. HANSON, LATE OF MORGAN COUNTY, GEORGIA DECEASED TRANSCRIPT OF WILL

GEORGIA MORGAN COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen.

I William Hanson of the County and State aforesaid being afflicted in body but of sound and disposing mind and memory & being desirous to dispose of my estate by Will do make ordain & publish this as my last Will & testament in manner and form following to wit Item 1: First of all i will and desire that all my debts be paid: Item 2: I will and desire that the tract of land where I now live contining about five hundred and thirty acres shall be sold I have one other tract of land of two hundred two and half acres in Decature County that I want sold I have one other of land containing about five hundred acres in Richmond County that I also wish sold Item 3: It is my will that my sone Thomas C. Hanson shall have two negroes to wit Abran a boy and other boy by the name of Allen Item 4: I will to my Daughter Martha M. Wood formally Martha M. Hanson two negro girls one by the name of Lucy and an other by the name of Mariah and it is farther my will that after the deat of my aforesaid Daughter Martha M. Wood that the aforesaid negroes Lucy and Mariah with there increase shall return back to her bodily heirs if any and if none to the nearest of blood kin. Item 5: I will to my sone Samuel T. Hanson two negroes boys one by the name of Henry and the other by the name of Kitt Item 6: I will to my daughter Annializa Lampkin two negroe girls one by the name of Marthann and the other by the name of Themy and it is further my will that after the deat of my afforesaid daughter Annaliza Lampkin that the afforesaid negroes Marthann and Thena with there increase shall return to her bodily heir or heirs if any and if none to return back to the nearest of Blood; Item 7: I will to my Daughter Emily C. Hanson a negroe woman by the name of Miny with her two children one by the name of Sanfred and the other by the name of Gilford at the death of my afforesaid daughter Emily C. Hanson it is my will that the afforesaid Negores with there increase whall revert to her bodily heirs if any and if not to be equaly divided between her brothers and sisters; Item 8: I will to my daughter Susanah B. Hanson a negroe woman by the name of Harritt and her two children one by the name of Sarah and the other by the name of Maloina at the death of my afforesaid daughter Susanah it is my will that the afforesaid negroes with there increase shall avert to her heirs if any and if none to be equally divided between her brothers & sisters; Item 9: I will to my daughter Mary S. Hanson two negroes to wit a girl by the name of Marandy and a boy by the name of Richmond at the death of my afforesaid daughter Mary it is my will that the afforesaid negroes with there increase shall avert to her bodily heir or heirs if any and if none to be equally divided between her brothers and sisters; Item 10th: I will to my son William J. W. Hanson two negroe boys, one by the name of George and the other by the name of Nathan.

Item 11th: It is my will and desire that my wife and children that are not married shall move to the State of Alabama Chambers County and live on land that I own there together with the whole of the estate that I have not willed together with the negroes that I have willed to my children that are not of age it is further my will and desire

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that as fast as my children becomes of age or marries that they have their negroes as provided for by the foregoing provision of my will; Item 12: It is moreover my will and desire that my wife and children with the whole of my estate not willed together with the negroes that I have willed to my children that are not of age shall be kept together so long as my Executor shall think that course will best promote the interest of my wife & children but if my Executors shall think that a destribution will best promote the interest of my heirs then and in that case it is my will that my wife Peggy Hanson shall have two hundred acres of land including the houses together with three negroes(to wit) a man by the name of Harry and two women one by the name of Becca and the other by the name of Winny during her natural life together with a sufficient of stock of all kinds for her use at the death of my wife it is my will that this property given her shall be equally divided between my children; Item 13th: It is my will that my Executors shall sell my present crop of cotton and apply it to discharge of my debts and it is further my will that my Executors shall not be accountable for interest for any moneys received by them till after the expiration of six months; Item 14th: In order that the provisions of my will may be well and fairly fairly executed I do hereby appoint as my Exectutors John W. Hanson, George W. Hanson and my son Thomas C. Hanson in witness were of I have hereunto subscribed my name in presence of

W. Stallins W. Hanson

D. B. Lane

W. H. C. Lane

Cadesile I further will and direct that in the event of one or more of the negroes which I have willed to my children should die before they are reduced to possession then and in that event I wish the same to be made up to said child or children as the case may be by my Exectutors out of any property not disposed of or the proseeds thereof in witness where of I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 28th Feb. 1836.

Eligah E.Jones J J C W. Hanson

Wm. Stallings

G. Garner

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GEORGIA MORGAN COUNTY Inferior Court setting for Ordinary purposes March 21 1836. Personally appeared in open Court William H. C. Lane one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing instrument, in writing purposting to be the last will and testament of William Hanson decd. Who being duly sworn saith he saw the testator sign seal and deliver the same for the purposes therein expressed,and that they believed he was of sound and disposing mind and memory and that he tested the same in his presence and saw William Stallings and Dawson B. Lane the other subscribing witness do so likewise sworn and subsribed in Open Court day and date above written.

John W. Porter C C O Wm. H. C. Lane

Personally appeared in Open Court Eligah E. Jones & Samuel M. Garner subscribing witness to the Codicil of the foregoing will who being duly sworn saith that they saw the testator sighn the same for the pruposess therein mentioned and believed he was of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time and that they tested the same as witness in his presence sworn and subscribed in Open Court day and date above written

John W. Porter C C O Elijah E. Jones

Samuel M. Garner

GEORGIA MORGAN COUNTY INFERIOR COURT Setting for Ordinary purposes adjourned Term 21 March 1836. The last will and testament of William Hanson decd. was this day proved and allowed of and ordered by the Court to record, George W. Hanson and Thomas C. Hanson nominated Executors was qualified in Open Court

GEORGIA MORGAN COUNTY I, JOHN W. PORTER, Clerk of the Court of Ordinary for said County and State do certify that the foregoing contains a true copy of the last will and testament of William Hanson deceased together with the probate and qualification of the Exeautors to said will given under my hand and seal of office September 5th day 1836.

John W. Porter C C O (seal)

GEORGIA MORGAN COUNTY I, William S. Stokes one of the Justices of the Inferior Court for said County setting as a Court of Ordinary do certify that John W. Porter Esquire is Clerk of our said Court of Ordinary; & duly commissioned that due faith & credit should & ought to be given to his official attestation as such, and that the foregoing certificate to which his name is attached is in due form of law given under my hand and private seal this 5th day of September 1836.

Wm. S. Stokes (seal)

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WM. HANSON DECEASED EXECTUTORS BOND OF GEO. W. HANSON, THO. C. HANSON

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)

CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all me by these presents, that we George W. Hanson, Thomas C. Hanson, Farr. H. Tramell Samuel B. Turner & John Tramell are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of sixteen thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the fifteenth day of September 1836.

The above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George W. Hanson & Thomas C. Hanson have been duly appointed exectutors of the last will & testament of William Hanson late of Morgan County Georgia, deceased, so far as respects the property within the State of Alabama now if the said George W. Hanson & Thomas C. Hanson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such exectutors as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, by said George W. Hanson & Thomas C. Hanson before me

James Thomspon

George W. Hanson (seal)

Thomas C. Hanson (seal)

Farr. H. Tramell (seal)

S. B. Turner (seal)

Signed, sealed and acknowledged by said John Tramell (seal)
Farr. H. Tramell
Samuel B. Turner & in presence of approved
16 Sept. 1836.

J. Thompson, Judge

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SAMUEL WILLIAMS GUARDIAN OF **LUCY** BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Samuel Williams, Elisha Rea, & M. B. Haden & John Garrett are **held** and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of three hundred dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the sixth day of December 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Samuel Williams has been duly appointed guardian of Lucy, infant child of Emath la co chukenee an indian late of said County deceased now if the said Samuel Williams shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of as such guardian then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved 6 Dec. 1836.

J. Thompson, Judge

Saml. Williams	(seal)
Elisha Ray	(seal)
Mick. B. Haden	(seal)
John Garrett	(seal)

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THOMAS TAYLOR GUARDIAN OF SEABORN HARRELL & HARDY HARRELL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas Taylor Henry G. Slaughter, & Stewart Boynton are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly, to be made, we each of us bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the tenth day of September 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas Taylor has been duly appointed guardian of Searborn Harrell & Hardy Harrell, infant children of Williams Harrell, late of said County, deceased, now if the said Thomas Taylor shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law requiied of him as such guardian then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, by said Thomas Taylor & Henry G. Slaughter before me

J. Thompson, Judge

Thomas Taylor	(seal)
Henry G. Slaughter	(seal)
Stewart Boynton	(seal)

Signed, seal & acknowledged by said Stewart Boynton this 2nd day of January 1837

J. Thompspon Judge

Approved 2nd Jan. 1837

J. Thompson, Judge

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Parmelia Heard, John D. Saunders, Woodson. Heard, Joseph Neel & John R. Humphris are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of sixteen thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the tenth day of March 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Parmelia Heard & John D. Saunders have been duly appointed administratrix & administrator of the estate of Joseph C. Heard, late of Chambes County deceased now if the said **Parmelia** Heard & John D. **Saunders** shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administratrix & administrator then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in open Court and approved

J. Thompson, Judge

Permelia Heard	(seal)
John D. Saunders	(seal)
Woodson Heard	(seal)
Joseph Neel	(seal)
John R. Humphris	(seal)

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HENRY G. SLAUGHTER GUARDIAN OF MARY HARRELL & LOUISA HARRELL BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Henry G. Slaughter, Thomas Taylor Robert Knowles & Mark Andrews are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four thousand dollars to which payment well and truly, to be made, we <u>eoh</u> of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents--sealed with our seals, and dated the <u>the</u> tenth day of September 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Henry G. Slaughter has been duly appointed guardian of Mary Harrell & Louise Harrell, infant children of William Harrell, late of said county, deceased now if the said Henry G. Slaughter 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

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, by said Henry G. Slaughter & Thomas Taylor before me

J. Thompson, Judge

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Robert Knowles 13 Oct. 1835.

J. Thompson, Judge

Henry G. Slaughter	(seal)
Thomas Taylor	(seal)
Robert Knowles	(seal)
Mark Andrews	(seal)

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Andrews this 14th of November 1836 & approved.

J. Thompson, Judge

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Booker Lawson, Thomas Taylor, & Willis Kellum, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Eight Hundred Dollars to which payment well & truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, Executors, & administrators, jointly & severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the 23rd day of January 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of Booker Lawson, administrator of the Estate of Tallollooche an Indian late of Chambers County deceased, the Orphans Court of said County, has ordered & decreed the sale of Certain real estate of said Tallollooche which has been sold and the sum of Three Hundred & Eighty two Dollars, been received by the said Booker Lawson, as administrator as aforesaid. Now if the said Booker Lawson as administrator as aforesaid shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force & virtue.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged in open Court and approved
J. Thompson, Judge

Booker Lawson (L.S.)
Thos. Taylor (L.S.)
Willis Kellum (L.S.)

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WILLIAM HARRELL DECEASED, BOND OF ADMINISTRATION, TAYLOR FOR LAND MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas Taylor (Sheriff) Jonathan Johnson, George. W. Gunn, & Henry T. Dawson are held and firmly bound unto James Thomspon, Judge of the Orphan's Court of Chambers County, County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents; Sealed with our seals, and dated the 24th day of January 1837. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of Thos. Taylor (sheriff) Administrator of the Estate of William Harrel late of Chambers County, deceased.

The Orphan's Court of said County, has ordered & decreed the sale of certain real Estate of said William Harrel deceased, and the sum of one Thousand Three Hundred & Ninety four Dollars been received by the said Thomas Taylor administrator as aforesaid, shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sail, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Signed, sealed, & Acknowledged in open Court and approved
J. Thompson, Judge

Thos. Taylor (L.S.)
Jonathan Johnson (L.S.)
G. W. Gunn (L.S.)
H. T. Dawson (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas Taylor (sheriff) Jonathan Johnson, George W. Gunn, & Henry. T. Dawson, are Held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County/ County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Three Hundred Dollars, to which payment well & truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, our Executors & Administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals & dated the 24th day of January 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of Thomas Taylor Sheriff Administrator of the Estate of William Pritchett late of Chambers County, deceased, The Orphan's Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of said William Pritchett, and the sum of one Hundred forty nine Dollars been received by the said Thomas Taylor, Administrator as aforesaid. Now if the said Thomas Taylor Administrator as aforesaid shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise remain in full force & virtue.

Signed, sealed, & Acknowledged, in open Court & approved
J. Thompson, Judge

Thos. Taylor (L.S.)
Jonathan Johnston (L.S.)
G. W. Gunn (L.S.)
H. T. Dawson (L.S.)

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LEGOCHE, DECEASED, BOND OF THAXTON, ADMINISTRATOR FOR LAND MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Wiley Thaxton, Willis Kellum & Henry Kellum are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphan's Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Two Hundred Dollars, to which payment well & truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, Executors, & administrators jointly & severally, firmly by these presents; Sealed with our Seals and dated the 31st day of March 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of Wiley Thaxton Administrator of the Estate of Legooche an Indian, late of said County, deceased. The Orphan's Court of said County, has ordered & decreed the sale of certain real estate of the said Legooche, which has been sold & the sum of Ninety Dollars received by the said Wiley Thaxton, shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged, by said Wiley Thaxton before me
J. Thompson, Judge

Wiley Thaxton (L.S.)

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged by said Willis Kellum & Henry Kellem, before me and approved,
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court

Willis Kellam (L.S.)
Henry Kellam (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas B. Erwin, Nathaniel G. Owen, & John D. Saunders, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Six Hundred Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, our heirs, our executors & Administrators, jointly & severally, firmly by these presents; Sealed with our seals and dated the 24th day of April 1937.

The condition of the above obligation, is such, that whereas on the petition of Thomas B. Erwin administrator of the Estate of Tulse, Hadjo late of said County, deceased, The Orphans Court of said County, has ordered & decreed the sale of certain real estate of the said Tulse Hadjo deceased, which has been sold & the sum of Two Hundred & Eighty five Dollars, of the proceed whereof received by the said Thomas B. Erwin, Administrator as aforesaid.

Now if the said Thomas B. Erwin Administrator as aforesaid shall well & truly make faithful payment & application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void, otherwise remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged in open Court & approved by the Court
J. Thompson, Judge

Thomas B. Erwin (L.S.)
N. G. Owen (L.S.)
Jno. D. Saunders (L.S.)

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ARON D. LOCKHART GUARDIAN OF CHO PO LOT KAR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Aron D. Lockhart, John Vincent & William B. Howard, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphan's Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum Eight Hundred Dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves, & our heirs, our &c. firmly to these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the Thirteeth day of November A. D. 1836, The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above Aaron D. Lockhart has been duly appointed Guardian of Cho po lat kar infant child of Fushatch ee, deceased shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be required of him as guardian then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before me and approved.
J. Thompson Judge

A. D. Lockhart (L.S.)
John Vincent (L.S.)
William B. Howard (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Samuel Williams William Vann & William Fannen are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of six Hundred Dollars, to which pyament well & truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, Executors & administrators, jointly & severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals, & dated the seventh day of December 1836. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of Samuel Williams administrator of the Estate of Mathla Co. chuckenee late of said County deceased, The Orphans Court of said County, has ordered & decreed the sale of certain real estate of said decedent and the said real estate has been sold & the sum of Two Hundred & Eighty two Dollars received by the said Samuel Williams administrator as aforesaid. Now if the said Samuel Williams shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Approved
J. Thompson Judge

Samuel Williams (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
William Fannen (L.S.)
(L.S.)

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WYATT WHATLEY, DECEASED, WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that I Wyatt Whatley, of the County, and state aforesaid, being of sound mind & memory & desposing to make this my last will & testament.

Item 1st. I give unto my beloved wife Elizabeth during her endeared life, the following property (to-wit) All that portion of the Tract of land whereon I now live lying north & northwest of the little Osalega Creek all the House hold furniture except so much as may be necessary to be given to my son Wyatt H. & Sarah M, to their equal to what I have given my other Children, Individually, likewise half of my Kitchen furniture, together with the following negroes, Old Giney, George, Sarah, Smith, Mariah, & Lucy, Also half of my stock of cattle, Hogs, Horses, & plantation tools,

Item 2nd. I give unto my Daughter Eliza Devaun the Negroes (to wit) Mariah, Sally, & Maryan.

Item 3rd. I give unto my son Burmell the following negroes (to wit) Henrietta, Randy, Charles, Mariah, & Jim, Item 4th. I give unto my Daughter Mary Hale, the following negroes (to wit) Kisea & Amelia also Two Hundred Dollars in money.
Item 5th I give unto Daughter Margaret Strong the following negroes (to wit) Peter & Squire. Item 6th I give unto my daughter, Mahala Harrel the following negroes (to wit) Joe, Charity, Martha, provided Martha dies in her Infancy she is to have Cyntha.
Item 7th I give unto my son Wyatt H, The following Negroes (to wit) Giney, Washington, & Young, Item 8th I give to my daughter Sarah M, the following negroes (to wit) Rose, Sealey John & Agga, Item 9th The ballance of my Property both real & personal

not herein devised to be sold at the Executors Disposal & the proceeds thereof Equally divided among my Lawful heirs, Item 10th At the death of my wife Elizabeth the property herein devised to her shall be sold to the Hiest bidder & the proceeds equally divided among my Lawful heirs. Item 11th I hereby appoint my son Wyatt, H. Whatley Bow Whatley David Strong, Stewart Devaun & Alfred Harrel & William Hales my Executors to carry into effect this my last will and testament in witness whereof I here unto set my hand and seal this 27th of January 1837.

Signed, and sealed, in presence of

Test. Charles W. Harris

J. Thornton

Stephen Venters

his
Wyatt X Whatly
mark

Proved & admitted to record 7th Feb. 1837

J. Thompson Judge

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ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

We B. O. Whatley & Hawkins Whatley hereby relinquish our Executorship on the Estate of Wyatt Whatley Decd. into the hands of Alfred Harrel & David E. Strong Feb. 4th 1837.

Bow Whatly

Wyatt H. Whatly

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

To the Honorable James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court in & for the County aforesaid.

Sir. I, Elizabeth Whatley the widow & Relict of Wyatt Whatley, late of Chambers County decd. do hereby inform you Honor that I as widow aforesaid concent for the will of said Whatley deceased to be proven.

This 6th day of Janry. 1837.

Test
C. W. Harris

her
Elizabeth X Whatley
mark

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WYATT WHATLEY, DECEASED, EXECUTORS BOND OF DAVID, E. STRONG & A. HARRELL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these that we David E. Strong, Alfred Harrel, Stewart Devane, William Hale, Charles W. Harris, Jordan Thornton, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Twenty four Thousand Dollars, to which payment, well & truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs &c.firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals & dated the seventh day of February A. D. 1837. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound David E. Strong, & Alfred Harrell, have been duly appointed executors of the last will & testament of Wyatt Whatley late of said County, deceased, Now if the said David E. Strong & Alfred Harrell, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be required of them as such Executors as aforesaid, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged in open Court & approved by me

J. Thompson Judge

David E. Strong (L.S.)
Alfred Harrell (L.S.)
Stewart Devan (L.S.)

William Hales (L.S.)
J. Thornton (L.S.)

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WYATT WHATLEY DECEASED, INVENTORY & APPRAISEMENT

INVENTORY & APPRAISMENT of the personal property belonging to the estate of Wyatt Whatley, late of Chambers County, Alabama, deceased

	$ C
George	1000.00
Jenney	400.00
Mariah & Child Lucy	900.00
Sarah	800.00
Smith	600.00
Rose	700.00
John	450.00
Sealy	450.00
Aaggy	450.00
Jack	800.00
Nelson	1000.00
Creasa & child Mahala	650.00
Hannah	350.00
Jane & 2 children Irya, Martin	1000.00
1 Bay Horse	125.00
D. Do Filley	75.00
Do Bay Horse	85.00
Do Do	30.00
5 cows & 2 Yearlines	50.00
Stock Hogs	35.00
50 lbs of corn	200.00
4 Stacks	55.00
12 Grown Sheep	24.00
1 lot of plows	8.00
1000 lbs of Meet at 14 cts.	140.00
6 bushels of peas	6.00
1 lot of jars	3.00
50 lbs of lard at 14 cts. per lb.	7.00
1 cag	1.00
2 Grubing hors	2.00
Kitchen furniture	
2 beds & furniture	75.00
Do	75.00
2 Tables, 2 Glasses, 1 chest 1 bureu	13.00
	$10565.00

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AMOUNT BROUGHT OVER	$10565.06
11 chairs	2.00
1 Cupboard & table & chest & crockery	23.62
2 Wedges & 2 Hoes	5.00
2 saddles	12.00
2 pens of shucks	10.00
1 hand saw & pail	1.00
1 lot of books	8.00
Fayatt	350.00
Syntha	300.00
1 lot of tools	15.12
14 Sheep	28.00
1 cart & steers	60.00
40 lbs Corn	160.00
1 lot of Fodder	12.75
1 of Tools	3.50
1 of Hogs	33.33
	$11619.32 3/4

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before James Thompson Judge of the County Court of said County, Joseph Barrow William C. Germany & Mark Stroud who being first duly sworn depose & say that the foregoing shows a true valuation and appraisement of the property therein mentioned to the best of their skill and judgment.

Sworn to & subscribed this fourth day of April 1837
J. Thompson Judge of the County Court

Josephus Barrow
William C. Germany
Mark Stroud

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before James Thompson Judge of the County Court of said County. David E. Strong & Alfred Harrell Executors of the last will and Testament of Whatt Whatley, late of said County deceased, who being duly sworn, depose & say that the foregoing inventory amounting to eleven thousand six hundred & nineteen dollars 32 3/4 cents contines a full inventory of all the goods, & chattles, rights of debts due or accruing to the said Whatt Whatley at the time of his death, which have come to their possessions of knowledge, except cash, on hand, & notes, & other debts or debts due, sworn & subscribed this fourth day of April 1837.

A test
J. Thompson Judge of the County Court

David E. Strong
Alfred Harrell

Ordered of record 4 April 1837.
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court

THOS.E. DEAN, GUARDIAN OF LEWIS LINVELL,

Inventory of the estate of Lewis Linvell in the hands of Thomas E. Dean his guardian 2nd Jan. 1837.

The sum received of the Commissioner in Equity in Lawrens District in the state of South Carolina One hundred & seventy four Dollars & Fifty cents. $174.50

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before James Thompson Judge of the County Court of said County, Thomas E. Dean guardian of Lewis Linvell, who being duly sworn deposeth & saith that the above contains a full inventory of all the estate both real & personal belonging to his said ward, Lewis Linvell so far as has come to his possession or knowledge.

Sworn to & subscribed this second day of Jan. 1837 Thomas E. Dean
Test James Thompson, Judge of the County Court
Ordered of record 2nd January 1837
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court

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SAMUEL B. TURNER, GUARDIAN OF E. TURNER'S CHILDREN

Account of sale of the slaves belonging to Claibourn A. Turner, Martha Elizabeth Turner Frances Turner, James W. Turner, Hillard H. Turner & Mary Turner, infant children of Esmon Turner, deceased, sold by Samuel B. Turner, guardian of said infants on the second day of January 1837 on a credit of twelve months, small notes with security

Mary Turner purchaser	
Boy, George W. Three Hundred Dollars	$ 300.00
Mark Stroud, purchaser, B. Walker security	
Boyd Jack, Thirteen Hundred & one dollars	1301.00
Emery Carlton purchaser, C. McLemore security	
Boy, Peter, Six Hundred & ninety dollars	690.00
Elijah M. Turner purchaser	
Girl Thmar four hundred & eighty three dollars	483.00
Beverly Walker purchaser, Mark Stroud security	
Boy Toby Twelve hundred & sixty five dollars	1205.00
Elijah M. Turner, purchaser	
Girl Ananett, four hundred & ten dollars	410.00
Larkin Turner purchaser, Tho. Wiley security	1300.00
making in all five thousand seven hundred & forty nine dollars	5749.00

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before James Thompson, Judge of the County Court of Chambers County, Samuel B. Turner guardian of the above named infant children of Esmon Turner deceased, who being first duly sworn deposeth & saith that the foregoing amounting to five thousand seven hundred & forty nine dollars contains a true account of the sale of the slaves belonging to the said infant children, Sworn to & subscribed this 26th of January 1837

Test James Thompson, Judge of the County Court Samuel B. Turner
ordered of record 26th Jan. 1837
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court

BENJAMIN WALDRIP, GUARDIAN OF S. & L. GRIFFIN

Inventory of the estate of Sally Griffin & Louisa Griffin infant children of Rachel Griffin in the hands of Benjamin Waldrip their guardian

The sum of seven hundred dollars being their share of the proceeds of the sale of the land belonging to them & their two sisters $700.00

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before James Thompson, Judge of the County Court of said County, Benjamin Waldrip guardian of Sally Griffin & Louisa Griffin infant children of Rachel Griffin, who being duly sworn deposeth & saith that the foregoing contains a true & full inventory of all the estate real & personal of said Sally & Louisa which he has received, or taken possession of

Sworn & subscribed this 31st day of January 1837. Benjamin B his mark Waldrip

Test James Thompson, Judge of the County Court

Ordered of record 14 Feb. 1837.

J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court

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B. CROWDER DECEASED, A/C SALE OF TOM

Additional account of sale of personal property belonging to the estate of Bartholomene Crowder, deceased, sold 11th February 1837 on a credit on nine months Henry T. Chivers purchaser of negro man Tom $1221.00

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before James Thompson Judge of the County Court of said County, Garrett P. Crowder administrator of the estate of Bartholomene Crowder deceased, who being duly sworn, deposeth & saith that the foregoing shews a true account of the sale of the negro man Tom, the property of said estate. Sworn to & subscribed 25th day of March 1837.

Attest Garrett P. Crowder

James Thompson Judge of the County Court

Ordered of record, 25th of March 1837

J. Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court

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ALFRED HARRL GUARDIAN OF SARAH WHATLEY, BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Alfred Harrel, Stewart Devane & David E. Strong, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Seven Thousand Dollars, to which payment, well & truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs &c. firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, & dated the seventh day of February A. D. 1837.

The condition of the above is such that whereas the above bound, Alford Harrell has been duly appointed guardian of Sarah Whatley infant child of Wyatt Whatley late of Chambers County deceased, Now if the said Alfred Harrell, shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

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Signed, sealed & acknowledged in Open Court & approved by me
J. Thompson, Judge

Alfred Harrel (L.S.)
David E. Strong (L.S.)
Stewart Devane (L.S.)

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ACCOUNT OF CASH ON HAND & DEBTS DUE THE ESTATE OF WYATT THATLEY DECEASED

Notes

1 on W. H. Whatley due 25 Dec. 1835	$ 7.00
1 on Willia Williams & David Smith due 25 Dec. 1836	150.00

Judgments

2 Judgments in Justices Court of Newton County, State of Georgia, against William Hales in favor of C. S. Mitchell

The Execution in possession of sd. decedent each for $25.00 debt & Interest from 21st June 1833 & $1.56¼ cents making for both debt 50.00

Interest to 21st April 1837	7.00
Cost	3.12½

Cash----------

This sum cash on hand one Hundred Dollars	100.00

Accounts

1 account on Thomas McLane	10.00
1 account on Wm. McLane	10.00
	337.78½

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before James Thompson Judge of the County Court of said County David E. Strong & Alfred Harrell Executors of the will and testament of Wyatt Whatley deceased, who being first duly sworn, depose & say that the foregoing contains a full inventory of all the debts due or accuring to the said testator at the time of his death & all the cash on hand at that time, which have come to their possession or knowledge

Sworn to and subscribed this 22nd day of April 1837. David E. Strong

Attest Alfred Harrel

James Thompson Judge of the County Court

Ordered of Record 22nd April 1837

J. Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court

GEORGE W. COTTON DECEASED, INVENTORY & APPRAISMENT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before James Thompson Judge of the County Court of said County, William C. Morgan, Green Talbot, & Charles H. Bostick who being duly sworn, depose & say that they will to the best of their skill & judgement truly appraise the personally property belonging to the Estate of George, W. Cotton, deceased & return a true valuation thereof to the Executor & Executrix, so far as the property may be exhibited to them.

Sworn to & subscribed this 13th day of April 1837 — Wm. C. Morgan

Attest — Green Talbot

James Thompson Judge — C. H. Bostick

of the County Court

Inventory & appraisement of the personal property belonging to the Estate of George W. Cotton late of Chambers County deceased.

1 Negro Boy Nathan	$ 600.00
1 " girl Mary	450.00
1 lot of books	25.00
1 silver lever watch	35.00
1 Rayon & strop	1.00
2 Hair trunks	6.00
1 set of knives & forks	1.00
1 hammer & 2 smoothing irons	1.00
1 pair saddle bags	3.00
1 mans saddle, bridle & blanket	15.00
1 sive & boiler	.75
1 young Bay Horse	65.00
1 Brown Bay Mare	100.00
1 side saddle & Blanket	10.00
2 Cows & Calves	25.00
4 yearling cattle	16.00
1 Band Box & steelyards	1.50
1 pair 4 plate eliptec spring 1 sell Barouch joints, props & slat irons, 1 dash frame & 1 set Barouch handles, all north	34.25
	$ 1389.50

Appraised this 15th April 1837

Wm. C. Morgan

Green Talbot

C. Bostick

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appreared before James Thompson Judge of the County Court of said County James Cook & Elizabeth Cotton Executor & Executrix of the last will & Testament of George W. Cotton deceased, who being first duly sworn depose & say that the foregoing amounting to thirteen Hundred & Eighty nine Dollars & Fifty Cents contains afull,& full inventory of all the personal property belonging to said George W. Cotton deceased, at the time of his death, which have come to their possession or knowledge, Except cash on hand, & some debts, due, & one small tin box sworm to &

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subscribed, this 29th day of April 1837

Attest

James Thompson Judge — James Cook

of the County Court — E. Cotton

Ordered of Record 29th day of April 1837

J. Thompson Judge of the

Orphans Court

: :

WM. A. SHAW, GUARDIAN OF D. J. & W. M. JOHNSON;

Inventory of the Estate of David J. Johnson & Willis M. Johnson, infant children of Dempsy Johnson, late of Coweta County Georgia deceased, in the hands of William A. Shaw, their guardian, received from Elizabeth Johnson, Administratrix of the Estate of said deceasant Nine Hundred & four Dollars &Seventy five cents, 30 January, One Thousand Eight Hundred & Thirty seven.

The presise time not recolledted but believe to be 30th January 1837----$904.75

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before James Thompson Judge of the County Court of said County William A. Shaw, Guardian of David J. Johnson & Willis M. Johnson infant children of Dempsy Johnson deceased who being duly sworn, deposeth & saith that the foregoing inventory of Nine Hundred & Four Dollars & seventy five cents contains a full & true inventory of all the Estate, both real, & personal of the said infant children, which he has received or taken possession of.

Sworn to & subscribed this — William A. Shaw

28th day of April 1837

James Thompson Judge of

the County Court

Ordered of Record 28th April 1837

J. Thompson Judge

of the Orphans Court

: :

MOSS & NEWBERRY, CONVEYANCE TO L. & Y. T. GRESHAM

See Deeds + Conveyances

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

This Indenture made this Tenth day of May in the year of Our Lord One Thousand, Eight Hundred & Thirty seven, Between Wily Newberry & Samuel R. Moss of the County & State aforesaid of the first part & Leroy Gresham and Young Q. Gresham of the place, of the second part. Witnesseth, that the said Wily Newberry & Samuel R. Moss for and in consideration of the sum of Seven Hundred, & Twenty five Dollars, to them in hand paid at & before the signing & sealing (& sealing) of these presents, the Receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, hath bargained, sold & conveyed by these presents, do bargain sell & convey unto the said Leroy Gresham & Yound Q. Gresham, of the said second part One Town Lot, lying & being in the Town of LaFayette in the County & State aforesaid, Known & destinguished in the plan & survey of the Town of Chambersvill originally, but now

NATHANIEL G. OWEN, GUARDIAN OF TULSE HADJO'S CHILDREN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Nathaniel G. Owen, Thomas B. Erwin & Fleming A. Smith, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of five Hundred dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs &c. firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the sixteenth day of June A. D. 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Nathaniel G. Owen, has been duly appointed guardian of Hos Hootee, Si Jaka, Soos Choleka, Saber loo eche, & Taller he cher, infant children of Tulse Hadjo, an indian late of this county deceased.

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

Signed,sealed & acknowledged before me and approved by me J. Thompson Judge — N. G. Owen (seal); Thomas B. Erwin (seal); F. A. Smith (seal)

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ALEXANDER SIMPSON, DECEASED, BOND OF ADMINISTRATOR ROBT. J. SIMPSON

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Robert J. Simpson, Walter W. Wallis, & John B. F. McMorris, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama; in the penal sum of Two Thousand dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c. firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, & dated the twentieth day of June A. D. 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bounden Robert J. Simpson has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Alexander Simpson late of Chambers County, deceased.

Now if the said Robert J. Simpson shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be law required of him as such administrator as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged, in open Court & approved J. Thompson Judge — R. J. Simpson (seal); W. W. Wallis (seal); John B. F. McMorris (seal)

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GILFORD P. GILDER SURVIVING ADMINISTRATOR OF SALLOSTER D BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Gilford P. Gilder, Samuel R. Moss William Vann & Sanders R. Vann, an Held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four hundred dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs

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&c. firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty seventh day of October A. D. 1836.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Gilford P. Gilder and one John J. Williams were duly appointed and qualified as administrators of the estate of Salloster deceased and said Williams hath since departed this life and said Gilder hath been required to give new bond with such condition according to law, as will make the securities in the new bond liable for the administration of said Williams & Gilder administrators & said Gilder surviving administrator and to release John Taylor from liabity as one of the securities of said Williams & Gilder administrators. Now if the said Gilford P. Gilder shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such surviving administrator and also save said John Taylor harmless against his said securityship for said Williams & Gilder then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Gilder & Moss this 28th of October 1836. before me J. Thompson — Gilford P. Gilder (seal); Samuel R. Moss (seal)

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Wm. &. Sanders. This 26th November 1836 & approved J. Thompson Judge — Wm. Vann (seal); Sanders R. Vann (seal)

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N. A. ROBISON ADMINISTRATOR OF B. ROBISONS DECD. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that Nipper A. Robison, Caleb Fields, & Jonathan Johnston, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Three Thousand Dollars to which payment, well & truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs &c firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty fourth day of July 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Nipper A. Robison has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Benjamin Robison late of Chambers County deceased, now if the said Nipper A. Robison, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such administrator as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged in open Court & approved by the Court Joseph J. Williams, Clerk — N. A. Robison (seal); Caleb Field (seal); Jonathan Johnston (seal)

OBEDIENCE ROBISON GUARDIAN OF B. ROBISON'S CHILDREN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Obedience Robison Samuel Pierson Williams Hicks, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of sixteen Hundred Dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves, and our heirs &c firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty fourth day of July 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such whereas the above bound Obedience Robison has been duly appointed guardian of James H. Robison, Mary Robison, Sarah Robison, Moses Robison, Aanon Robison, Robert Robison, & Diadenea E. Robison, infant children of Benjamin Robison, deceased, Now if the said Obedince Robison shall well and truly perform all the duties, which are, or may be by law required of her as such guardian aforesaid, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged in open Court & approved by the Court
Joseph J. Williams Clk.

her
Obedince X Robison (seal)
mark
Samuel Pierson (seal)
Williams Hicks (seal)

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JOSEPH E. CARMICHAEL, DECD. ADMINISTRATRIX & ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Harriet Carmichael Hugh W. Carmickael, Thomas Scott, & Henry T. Dawson, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of eight Thousand Dollars to which pyament, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves, and our heirs &c firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals, & dated the twenty fourth day of July 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Harriet Carmichael & Hugh W. Carmichael have been duly appointed administratrix & administrator of the estate of Joseph E. Carmichael, late of Chambers County, deceased: Now if the said Harriet Carmichael & Hugh W. Carmichael, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such administratrix & administrator, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged, in open Court & approved by the Court
J. Thompson

her
Harriet X Carmichael (seal)
mark
Hugh W. Carmichael (seal)
Thomas Scott (seal)
H. T. Dawson (seal)

HUGH WALLACE GUARDIAN OF LARKIN FLOYD, INFANT CHILD OF W. FLOYD BOND,

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Hugh Wallace Cornelius Floyd & John Floyd, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of five Thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the seventh day of August 1837.

The condition of the above obligation, is such that whereas Hugh Wallace has been duly appointed guardian of Larkin Floyd, infant child of William Floyd, late of Chambers County deceased. Now if the said Hugh Wallace, 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.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged in open court and approved by me
J. Thompson Judge

Hugh Wallace (seal)
Cornelius Floyd (seal)
John Floyd (seal)

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HANNAH MATTHEWS, GUARDIAN OF CHARLES GIDEON THAXTON BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Hannah Matthews, Joseph Yarborough, Thomas Farrar & Thomas Smith, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of three thousand dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs &c firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty eighth day of August 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Hannah Matthews has been duly appointed guardian of Charles Gideon Thaxton, infant child of Charles Thaxton late of Butts County Georgia. Now if the said Hannah Matthews shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of her as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Hannah Matthews, Joseph Yarborough, Thomas Farrar & Thomas Smith before me this 4th day of September 1837.
John R. Lawson J.P.

her
Hannah X Matthews (seal)
mark
Joseph Yarborough (seal)
Thomas Farrar (seal)
Thomas Smith (seal)

approved 7th Sept 1837
J. Thompson Judge

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Ezekiel Ratchford, Seabourn B. Gray, Dollerson Day, & Peterson T. Richardson & Wm. L. Crayton, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves, our heirs &c, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the ninth day of June A. D. 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Ezekiel Ratchford has been duly appointed guardian of McClellan Ratchford, John Ratchford, and Elizabeth Ratchford, infant children of said Ezekiel Ratchford and Sarah Ratchford his former wife which sd. Sarah is now dead, which said Sarah was the daughter of James Anderson, now deceased. Now if the said Ezekiel Ratchford shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him, this such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged, before me & approved by me in open court
James Thompson
Judge of the Orphans Court

Ezekiel Ratchford (seal)
Seabourn B. Gray (seal)
Dollerson Day (seal)
P. T. Richardson (seal)
Wm. L. Crayton (seal)

: :

THOMAS DIXON, GUARDIAN OF S. J. DIXON BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Thomas Dixon, Bryant Dixon, Hickman Dixon, Jordan Thornton, & William L. Crayton, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four Hundred Dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs, &c firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, & dated the second day of September 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas Dixon, has been duly appointed guardian of Sarah Jane Dixon, infant child of the said Thomas Dixon.

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

Signed, Sealed & acknowledged, in open Court & approved
J. Thompson
Judge

Thos. Dixon (seal)
Bryant Dixon (seal)
Hickman Dixon (seal)
J. Thornton (seal)
Wm. L. Crayton (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Mary Bilbro, Charles D. Bilbro, William Holland, William A. Chisolm & John Chisolm are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of seven thousand dollars to which payment well & truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs,&c firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the eleventh day of September 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Mary Bilbro & Charles D. Bilbro have been duly appointed executrix & Executor of the last will and testament of Thomas Bilbro, late of Chambers County, deceased.

Now if the said Mary Bilbro & Charles D. Bilbro shall well & truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such executrix & executor, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged in open court & approved.
J. Thompson, Judge

Mary Bilbro (seal)
Charles D. Bilbro (seal)
Wm. Holland (seal)
Wm. A. Chisolm (seal)
John Chisolm (seal)

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WYATT WHATLEY DECEASED BOND OF THE EXECUTORS FOR PROCEEDS OF LAND SALE

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we David E. Strong Alfred Harrell William Graggs & Josephus Barrow, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of sixteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents; Sealed with our seals and dated the second day of October 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of the said David E. Strong & Alfred Harrell executors of the last will & testament of Wyatt Whatley late of Chambers County deceased.

The Orphans Court of said County has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of the said Wyatt Whatley, deceased to-wit all that part of section thirteen township twenty-two, range twenty-seven that lies on the east & south side of Little Osaligee Creek, lying & being in the County of Chambers.

Now if the said David E. Strong & Alfred E. Harrell shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged, before me & approved by me.
J. Thompson, Judge

David E. Strong (L.S.)
Alfred Harrell (L.S.)
William Graggs (L.S.)
Josephus Barrow (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Donald Ferguson Luke Noble & James W. Carlisle are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of four hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals and dated the twenty-eighth day of October A.D. 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Donald Ferguson has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John Beaty late of Chambers County, Alabama deceased, Now if the said Donald Ferguson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in open court and approved
J. Thompson, Judge

Donald Ferguson (seal)
James W. Carlisle (seal)
Luke Nobles (seal)

: :

JAMES BEATY DECEASED ADMINISTRATION BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John Beaty, William Halsey & David McCarley are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of twelve hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the thirty-first day of October 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Beaty has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of James Beaty late of Chambers County deceased. Now if the said John Beaty 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in open court this second day of November 1837 & approved
J. Thompson, Judge

John Beaty (seal)
William Halsey (seal)
David McCarley (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) ORPHANS COURT 10th DAY OF NOVEMBER 1837

Know all men by these presents that we George W. Gafford William Atkins John Atkins John C. Towles Huckey L. Townes Wiley Dorman & William Towles are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama and his successors in office in the penal sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we and each of us do bind ourselves our heirs &c firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the tenth day of November A. D. 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George W. Gafford has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John S. Walker late of Chambers County deceased.

Now if the said George W. Gafford shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as suchadministrator then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged by the said George W. Gafford William Atking John Atkins John C. Towles & Huckey L. Townes in open Court
J. Thompson Judge

Signed sealed & acknowledged this 11th November 1837 by the said Wiley Dorman before
J. Thompson

Signed sealed & acknowledged by the said William Towles this 16th of November 1837 before
J. Thompson Judge

Approved 16 Nov. 1837 J. Thompson Judge

George W. Gafford (seal)
William Atkins (seal)
John Atkins (seal)
John C. Towles (seal)
H. L. Townes (seal)
Wiley Dorman (seal)
Wm. Towles (seal)

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TO THE HONORABLE JAMES THOMPSON JUDGE OF THE ORPHANS COURT OF THE COUNTY OF CHAMBERS IN THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

The petition of Arnold Seale respectfully sheweth that Sam Charley Amy & Nancy minors under the age of fourteen years & children of Sally Alias Lucy an free persons of color. And he respectully prays that Letters of Guardianship of the person and estate of said Sam Charley Amy & Nancy be granted to him on his giving bond and security according to law.

Arnold Seale by
G. D. Hooper Atty.

Bond $1,000

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Arnold Seale John Garrett George D. Hooper & William Vann are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama and his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we and each of us do bind ourselves our heirs & firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the twentieth day of November 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Arnold Seale has been duly appointed guardian of Sam Charley Amy and Nancy infant children of Sally Alias Lucy (said Sam Charley Amy & Nancy being free persons of color). Now if the said Arnold Seale shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me & approved
J. Thompson Judge

Arnold Seale (seal)
John Garrett (seal)
Geo. D. Hooper (seal)
Wm. Vann (seal)

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JAMES COOK EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Orphans 5 day of February 1838

Know all men by these presents that we James Cook Charles Rutledge, William R. Russell & John B. Trimble are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama and his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we and each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the fifth day of February 1838.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Cook has been duly appointed executors of the last will and testament of George W. Cotton deceased & has been required to give a new bond as such executor.

Now if the said James Cook 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.

Signed sealed and acknowledged in open Court & approved by the Court
Jos. J. Williams Clerk

James Cook (seal)
Charles Rutledge (seal)
Wm. R. Russell (seal)
John B. Trimble (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John Patterson, David Smith & Benjamin Smith are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama in the penal sum of sixteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the ninth day of February 1838.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Patterson has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Joseph Griffin late of said County deceased. Now if the said John Patterson shall well and truly perform all the duties that 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me. Jos. J. Williams, clerk

John Patterson (seal)
David Smith (seal)
Benjamin Smith (seal)

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WILLIAM BARTON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William Barton, Lloyd T. Cooper & James Cook are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of four thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the twenty-first day of February A.D. One Thousand eight hundred & thirty-eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William Barton has been duly appointed guardian of <u>Beththeny</u> Barton infant child of Presley Barton late of Morgan County, Georgia, deceased. Now if the said William Barton shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be required of him as such guardian as aforesaid, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged in open court & approved
J. Thompson, Judge

William Barton (seal)
L. T. Cooper (seal)
James Cook (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James Cook, John S. Saunders & William Barton are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of twenty-two hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of February A. D. 1838.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of Elizabeth Cotton executrix & James Cook executor of the last will and testament of George W. Cotton, late of said County deceased the Orphans Court of said County has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of the said George W. Cotton which has been sold for the sum of One Thousand & seventy-eight dollars one-half payable 25th December 1837 & the other half the 25th of June 1838 & the sum of five hundred & ten dollars of the amount due 25th December 1837 has been received by the said Cook as sole executor of the said Will and the notes payable 25th of June 1838 amounting to five hundred and thirty nine dollars have been received by the said Cook as such executor. Now if the said James Cook shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in open court & approved — James Cook (L.S.)
J. Thompson, Judge — Jno. D. Saunders (L.S.)
William Barton (L.S.)

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RESIGNATION OF ELIZABETH STERNS FORMERLY ELIZABETH COTTON WIDOW OF G. W. COTTON, D, EXECUTORIX OF G. W. COTTON

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) : TO the Honorable James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court :

This is to certify that I Elizabeth Sterns formerly Elizabeth Cotton, widow of George W. Cotton Deceased has this day residned my authority as executrix of George W. Cotton and desire to be discharged therefrom, this third day of January 1838.

(signed) E. Sterns

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Personally appeared before me Green D. Brantly an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said County of Chambers Elizabeth Sterns who being duly sworn deposeth & saith that she as executrix of George W. Cotton Deceased has received no personal property which was of George W. Cotton, Deceased, except a negro boy named Nathan, neither has she received money or other effects of said deceased but that the same is in the possession James Cook of said decedent

Sworn and subscribed before me this third day of January 1838

G. D. Brantly, J.P.

E. Sterns

Ordered of record Jany. 13 1838.

J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court.

In the of God Amen. I Joshua S. Mitchell of the County of Chambers & State of Alabama being in my usual mind, and being aware that this life is uncertain, & desirous to dispose of my earthly estate do publish & declare this my last & testament,

I commit my soul to God who gave it, & my body to be buried at the discretion of my executors,

I wish my just debts paid.

I wish Mr. Benjamin H. Cameron to continue the care of the hands with him & complete the public buildings of Tallapoosa County & then to make a fair settlement with & payment to my executors.

I wish my beloved wife Mary H. Mitchell to continue in possession of the house and lands & to raise our children.

I wish her to have one fifth of the personal property and her absolute right in a settlement with any of the children by the executors.

I wish the children to have good English education. After deducting one fifth for my wife I wish the balance of my personal equally divided among my children, Richard M, William M, A. Mary A. E. Robert P. Joshua J. Eliza Jane, & Thomas S. to be divided to them as they arive at mature age, provided that my son Richard's part shall remain at the disposal of my Executors for his benefit, until he shall be restored to bodily health, & the right exercise of his mind and memory. I wish my beloved wife to remain in possession of the house and land, during her life & then they to be sold and the proceeds after allowing to my friend William L. Crayton liberal compensation for his survices as one of my Executors and as Guardian equally divided amony my children above named.

I do hereby appoint my beloved wife Mary H. Mitchell and my respected friend William L. Crayton Guardian for all my children above named. I do hereby appoint my beloved wife Mary H. Mitchell & my respected friend William L. Crayton Executors of this my last will & testament, & do revoke all former & other wills. Given under my hand & seal this twenty second day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred, & Thirty Eight.

The words "& as guardian" interlined before signing.

Signed, sealed, published & declared as & for the last will & tesament of said Joshua S. Mitchell the 22nd day of January 1838, in presence of Cuthbert G. Hudson
John Stilwell
Aug. Owen
J. A. Frazer

Joshua S. Mitchell (seal)

It is wish that all the stock of horses, cattle & household furniture H H should be kept together for the use of the family at the descretion of the executors. Given under my hand & seal this 22nd of January 1838.

Attest
C. G. Hudson
John Stilwell
Aug. Owen
J. A. Frazer

Joshua S. Mitchell (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George W. Gafford, Charles M. Lemore, William Atkins, & Thomas K. Smith, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars to which payment, well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind our selves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty third day of October A. D. 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George W. Gafford has been duly appointed guardian of William/S. Northern, infant child of Eplraim Northern late of Jones County, State of Georgia, deceased.

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

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, in open Court, and approved
J. Thompson, Judge

George W. Gafford (seal)
Charles McLemore (seal)
Wm. Atkins (seal)
T. K. Smith (seal)

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SARAH HARRELL, GUARDIAN OF MARY, LOUSA, & MARTHA HARRELL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Orphans Court, the first Monday April 1835.

Know all men by these presents, that we Sarah Harrlel & Thomas Taylor, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Esquire, Judge of the Orphans Court for Chambers County State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of six thousand dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administratros, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents; sealed with our seals, and dated this sixth day of April 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, tha above the above bound Sarah Harrell has been duly appointed guardian of Mary, Louisa and Martha, three infant children of William Harrell deceased.

Now if the said Sarah Harrell shall and will faithfully execute her office and trust as such guardian as aforesaid, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged by the said Sarah Harrell before me
J. Thompson .

Sarah her X mark Harrell (seal)
Thos. Taylor (seal)

Signed, sealed & acknowledged be said Thomas Taylor this 8th day of April 1835 before me
J. Thompson

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Hannah Mathews, Joseph Yarborough, William L. Crayton, & Thomas Smith are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of nine thousand dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the the eighth day of March A. D. 1837.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Hannah Mathews & Joseph Yarbrough have been duly appointed guardians of William, Isaac, Charles Gabriel Mathews, James Alexander Mathews, Dour. Gideon Mathews, Elizabeth Mahula Mathews & Solomon Mathews, infant children of Gideon Mathews late of this County deceased.

Now if the said Hannah Mathews & Joseph Yarbrough, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, by said Hannah Mathews Joseph Yarbrough, & William L. Crayton in open Court
J. Thompson, Judge

Hannah her X mark Mathews (seal)
Joseph Yarbrough (seal)
Wm. L. Crayton (seal)
Thomas Smith (seal)

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Thomas Smith this 13th day of April 1837 before me
J. Thompson, Judge

Approved 13 April 1837
J. Thompson, Judge

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ANDREW COOPER DECEASED ADMR. BOND OF ALEY COOPER & EZEKIEL RATCHFORD

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, CHAMBERS COUNTY Orhans Court 27th day of January 1838.

Know all men by these presents, that we Aley Cooper, Ezekiel Ratchford, Seaborn B. Gray, Dolison Day, & Abner Webb, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, and his successors in office in the penal sum of four thousand dollars, to which payment, well and truly to be made we and each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated twenty seventh day of January 1838.

The condition of the obligation is such that wher as the above bound Aley Cooper & Ezekiel Ratchford have been duly appointed administratrix and administrator of the estate of Andrew Cooper, late of Chambers County deceased.

Now if the said Aley Cooper & Ezekiel Ratchford shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such administratrix & administrator then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force. Signed, sealed and acknowledged in open Court & approved
J. Thompson, Judge

Aley Cooper (seal)
Ezekiel Ratchford (seal)
Seaborn B. Gray (seal)
Dollerson Day (seal)
Abner Webb (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John T. Sheppard, James M. Lyon, & William Holstum, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of seven hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind our selves and our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this eleventh day of April A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John T. Sheppard has been duly appointed guardian of William B. Sheppard, infant son of the said John T. Sheppard, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be required of him as such guardian as aforesaid, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, acknowledged in Open Court &
Approved by the Court
Jos. J. Williams Clk.

John T. Sheppard (L.S.)
James M. Lyon (L.S.)
William Holstum (L.S.)

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DEMARIS LEE, GUARDIAN OF B. H. LEE S. J. LEE, & N. R. LEE,

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Demoris Lee, Isaac McWhorter & William Meroy, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of eight hundred dollars for the due payment whereof we bind ourselves, our heirs executors, & administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals & dated this second day of April A. D. 1838.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Demeris Lee, has been duly appointed guardian of Brayant H. Lee, Sarah Jane Lee, & Needham R. Lee, infant children of Needham Lee, late of Chambers County, deceased. Now if the said Demaris Lee 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.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said
Demaris Lee, & Isaac McWhorter in Open Court
J. Thompson, Judge

Demaris Lee (seal)
Isaac McWhorter (seal)
Wm. Meroney (seal)

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged by said William Merony before me this 4th day of April 1838.
J. Thompson, Judge

Approved April 4th 1838.
J. Thompson, Judge of the
Orphans Court

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Thomas Rainey, James M. Lyon, & William Holstun, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Twelve hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this eleventh day of April A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas Rainey has been duly appointed guardian of David Thomas Rainey, infant son of the said Thomas Rainey shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged, in
Open Court & approved by the Court
Jos. J. Williams Clerk

Thomas Rainey (L.S.)
James M. Lyon (L.S.)
William Holstun (L.S.)

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WINIFRED TARPLEY, GUARDIAN OF B. F. TARPLEY & W. C. TARPLEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these that we Winifred, James Weed, Charles Mc Lemore, & Ewel McCoy, are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of five thousand dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us bind ourselves & our heirs &c. firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the eighteenth day of January 1838.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Winifred Tarpley, has been duly guardian of Benjamin Franklin Tarpley & William Crawford Tarpley, infant children of William Tarpley, late of Talbot County Georgia, deceased. Now if the said Winfred Tarpley, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such guardian as aforesaid to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged in
Open Court and approved
J. Thompson, Judge

Winiford Tarpley (seal)
James Weed (seal)
Charles McLemore (seal)
Ewel McCoy (seal)
(seal)

ALEXANDER McDONALD DECEASED, ADMINISTRATORS BOND OF UNITY McDONALD, & JOHN A. HURST

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Unity McDonald, John A. Hurst, Jordan Thornton, & Thomas J. Trammell, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of seven thousand dollars, to which payment well & truly to be made, we each os us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this nineteenth day of April A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Unity McDonald & John A. Hurst, have been duly appointed administratrix & administrator of the estate of Alexander McDonald, late of this County, deceased. Now if the said Unity McDonald & John A. Hurst shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as administratrix & administrator then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in Open Court and approved
J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court

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Unity X McDonald (L.S.)
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John A. Hurst (L.S.)
J. Thornton (L.S.)
Thos J. Trammell (L.S.)

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MOSES WHEAT ADMR. OF FRANCES A. WHEAT BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Moses Wheat, Thomas K. Smith, & Green D. Brantly, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us, do bind ourselves our heris, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed, with our seals and dated this twenthieth day of April A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty eight.

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

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged, before and approved by me on the day of the above date as recollected by me and as shown by the minutes of the Court made on that day.

Moses Wheat (L.S.)
Thos. K. Smith (L.S.)
G. D. Brantly (L.S.)

Given under my hand this 26th day of May 1838.

J. Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court

MARY WOOD, DECEAED, ADMINISTRATION BOND OF ZACH. GOODWIN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Orphans Court 6 August 1838.

Know all men by these presents, that we Zachariah Goodwin, William Langley, & Francis G. Culpepper are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Two hundred dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this sixth day of August A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Zachariah Goodwin has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Mary Wood, late of this County deceased. Now if the said Zahariah Goodwin 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, itherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in Open Court and approved by the Court
J. Thompson, Judge

Z. Goodwin (L.S.)
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William X Langley (L.S.)
mark
Francis G. Culpepper(L.S.)

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GILFORD P. GILDER, ADMINISTRATOR OF SALLOSTER BOND FOR LAND MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Gilford P. Gilder, William Vann, & Charles McLemore are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Twenty four hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated the seventh day of August 1838.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, administrators of the estate of Salloster, deceased, the Orphans Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Salloster, an indian, late of said County, deceased: Which real estate was duly sold for the sum of Eleven hundred & sixty five dollars and the said sum of Eleven hundred & sixty five dollars, was on the second day of February 1836 duly received by the said Willliams & Gilder. Now if the said Gilder surviving administrator as former surviving administrator, shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged,in Open Court & approved by the Court

Gilford P. Gilder (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :) Orphans Court August 16th 1838.

Know all men by these presents, that we James Farley, John Farley & William Fannin are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of fifteen hundred Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this sixteenth day of August A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James Farley has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Martha Farley, late of this county deceased. Now if the said James Farley shall well and 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open Court & approved by the Court.
Jos. J. Williams Clk.

James Farley (L.S.)
John Farley (L.S.)
William Fannin (L.S.)

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JAMES W. CHRISTIAN DECEASED ADMINISTRATRIX BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :) ORPHANS COURT AUGUST 15th 1838.

Know all men by these presents, that we Caroline Tabitha Christian, James House & Stephen Williams are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this fifteenth day of August A. D. One Thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Caroline Tabitha Christian has been duly appointed administratrix with the will annexed of James H. Christian late of this Coutny deceased. Now if the said Caroline Tabitha Christian shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such administratrix with the will annexed then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in opne court & approved by the court
Jos. J. Williams

Caroline Tabitha Christian (L.S.)
James House (L.S.)
Stephen Williams (L.S.)

ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :) June 4th 1838

In the name of God, Amen. I Sennot Gilder of the County and State aforesaid do make and declare this my last will and testament manner and form following.

First I resign my soul into the Hands of the Almighty God, hoping and believing in a remission of my sins by the merit and mediation of Jesus Christ. And my body I commit to earth to be buried at the descrition of my Executor herein after naned--and my worldly estate I give & devise as follows.

First I devise that all my Just debts may be paid.

Also I give and devise that my son Martin L. Gilder have five hundred dollars in cash to be paid twelve months after my death out of my estate.

Also I give and devise unto Wm. Costly in right of his miss patience H. Costly my daughter to have five hundred dollars in cash to be paid twelve months after my death out of my estate. Also one bed and furniture when she leaves her mothers house.

Also I give and devise that my son George P. Gilder have ten dollars in cash to be paid twelve months after my death, out of my estate.

Also I give and devise unto John Parke in right of Sarah Parke his wife my daughter ten dollars in cash to be paid twelve months after my death our of my estate.

Also I give and devise that my son Gilford P. Gilder have ten dollars in cash to be paid twelve months after my death out my estate.

Also I give and devise that my son Wm. C. Gilder have ten dollars in cash to be paid twelve months after my death out of my estate.

Also I give and devise that my wife Francies Gilder have the sum of Seven Hundred Dollars out of my estate at the expiration of twelve months after my death.

Also I give and devise that my daughters Rebrecah L. Gilder & Mary A. M. Gilder have the sum of six hundred dollars each paid them in cash as they respectfully become of age provide it can be done without forcing a sale of the property of my estate.

Also I give and devise that my sons Sennot J. Gilder & James L. Gilder and Jacob H. Gilder & Ruben F. Gilder have the sum of Seven Hundred dollars in cash paid them each as they become of age provid it can be done without fourcing a sale of the property of my estate.

Also I will and hordain that my Executrix of this my last will and testament for and towards the proformance of my said Testament I desire that my property to wit the land whereon I know live being the West half of Section fourteen Township Twenty and Range Twenty five in Chambers County, Ala. Also my negroes Thom, & Selvey, Nancy Ransome, Handy Farrah, Frank and Charles and all my stock Horses, Cows and Hogs & Sheep House hold and Kitchen furniture, also all the notes and accounts due me also I do hereby authorise and inpower and direct that my wife Francies Gilder have the controle and management of all my estate herein named to be use to the best advantage for the Educating & raising of my children that I had by her until the youngest child becomes of age at which time, I do desire that the Remainder part of my property if any at that time be equally divided beturixt my wife Francies Gilder and her Children that she had by me, & I do hereby constitute and appoint my said Wife Francies Gilder Executrix and William Costly Executor of theis my last will and Testament in Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this day and year first above written. Interlined before

signed
Signed, sealed, published & declared by the said Testator as & for his last will and Testament in our presents who at his request
in his presence have subscribed our names as
Witness thereto Sanford Thornton
Noah Nelson
Charles Gregory

NB Also I do desire that my friend Sanford Thornton be empowered & he is hereby requested to take conzance of the way in which my estate is managent by my Executrix & Executor of this my last will and Testament that there be no on nessary wastage of my property.

Sinot Gilder

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THOMAS DIXON DECD. WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, Amen. I Thomas Dixon of the County and State aforesaid viewing life uncertain and death sure being desirious to settle my worldy affairs whelst I have my mind strength and capacity so to do. do made and publish this my last will and Testament. And first & principally of all I commit my soul into the hands of my Creator who gave it, and my body to the earth to be intered at the descretion of my friends and as to such worldly estate wherewith it hath please God to intrust me with I dispose of the same as follows.

1st. It is my bequath and will that all my property to be sold except the negro girl Sarah and she is to go to my wife Mariah M. Dixon and she is to take her at the rate of Two Hundred dollars and at my wifes death the said Negro Girl & her increase if any to be divided equally among my three children Sarah Jane, William Briant, Katharine Burnes Dixon.

2nd. That after my property is sold, and my Just debts is paid all the balance of my money to be equally divided amony my wife and three children except the two Hundred dollars which is to be taken out of my wife's distributive share for the negro girl.

3rd. I bequath and will unto my wife exclusive of the above bequath one bed and furniture and provision sufficient to do her and the children twelve months.

4 I hereby appoint my wife Mariah M. Dixon and John Fielder as my Executrix and Executor to my last will and Testament.

5 I hereby declare and make known that this is my last will and testament, and revoking all others in Witness I have unto set my hand and seal this 23rd of July 1838.

Witness
James W. Richards
Felix Gresham
John T. Hackney

his
Thomas X Dixon (seal)
mark

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these, that we Mary H. Mitchell, William L. Crayton, & John A. Frazer, George D. Hooper, Elijah Holtzclaw, Joseph Yarborough, Silas Holtzclaw, Thomas C. Russell, Thomas Smith, William Fannin, Robert Baugh, & Archeson Finlay, & Edward Baugh, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of forty thousand dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs &c. firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the thirteenth day of March 1838.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Mary H. Mitchell, William L. Crayton, & John A. Frazer, have been duly appointed administratrix and administrators with the will annexed of Joshua S. Mitchell, late of this County, deceased.

Now if the said Mary H. Mitchell, & William L. Crayton, & John A. Frazer, have been duly appointed administratrix & administrators with the will annexed of Joshua S. Mitchell, late of this County, deceased. Now if the said Mary H. Mitchell, & William L. Crayton & John A. Frazer, 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.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged, by said Mary H. Mitchell, William L. Crayton, and John A. Frazer before me
J. Thompson, Judge

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged by said George D. Hooper this fifth day of March 1838.
J. Thompson, Judge

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Elijah Holtzclaw, & Joseph Yarborough this 9th day of April 1838 before me
J. Thompson, Judge

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Silas Holtzclaw & Thomas C. Russell this 10th day of April 1838 before me
J. Thompson, Judge

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Thomas Smith this 12th day of April 1838 before me
J. Thompson, Judge

Signed, sealed, & delivered by said Wm. Fannin and Robert Baugh on the 16th instant before me
J. Thompson, Judge
16th April 1838

her
Mary H. X Mitchell (seal)
mark
Wm. L. Crayton (seal)
John A. Frazer (seal)
George D. Hooper (seal)
Elijah Holtzclaw (seal)
Joseph Yarborough (seal)
Silas Holtzclaw (seal)
Thos. C. Russell (seal)
Thomas Smith (seal)
William Fannin
Robert Baugh (seal)
A. Finlay (seal)
Edwd. Baugh (seal)

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Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said
Archeson Finlay & Edward Baugh, & approved
by me this 18th day of April 1838.
J. Thompson, Judge
of the Orphans Court

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FRANCIS WHEAT DECEASED, ADMINISTRATION BOND OF MOSES WHEAT
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Moses Wheat, Robert McCurry, Thomas G. Lyle, and Thomas K. Smith are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson, Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of eight thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this twenty third day of June A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Moses Wheat has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Francis A. Wheat, late of this county, deceased. Now if the said Moses Wheat 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 void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open court and approved
J. Thompson Judge

Moses Wheat (L.S.)
Robert M Curry (L.S.)
Thomas G. Lyle (L.S.)
Thos. K. Smith (L.S.)

: :

JAMES McLAIN DECEASED ADMINISTRATION BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Maris McLain, John McLain, James W. Richards, Drury Ridgeway, James Howze, & John L. Pogen, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of ten thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs exucutors, and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this eighteenth day of May A. D. One Thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Maria McLain & John McLain have been duly appointed administratrix & administrators of the estate of James McLain, late of this County, deceased.

Now if the said Maria McLain & John McLain shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administratrix & administrator then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open court and approved by the court.
J. Thompson, Judge

her
Maria X McLain (L.S.)
mark
John McLain (L.S.)
James W. Richards (L.S.)

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Drury Ridgeway (L.S.)
James House (L.S.)
John L. Rogen (L.S.)

: :

THOMAS DIXON DECEASED EXECUTORS BOND OF MARIA M. DIXON OF JOHN J. FIELDER
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Orphans Court August 20th 1838

Know all men by these presents, that we Maria M. Dixon, John J. Fielder Baxter Taylor, William S. Thornton & James H. Darden are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of six thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this twentieth day of August A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Maria M. Dixon & John J. Fielder have been duly appointed executrix & executor of the last will & testament of Thomas Dixon late of this county, deceased. Now if the said Maria M. Dixon & John J. Fielder shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such executrix and executor then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open Court & approved by the court
Jos. J. Williams Clerk

her
Maria M. X Dixon (L.S.)
mark
John J. Fielder (L.S.)
William S. Thornton (L.S.)
Baxter Taylor (L.S.)
James H. Darden (L.S.)

: :

SENOT GILDER DECD. EXECUTOR'S BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Frances Gilder, William Costly, Sanford Thornton, Thomas R. Russell, Robert Stewart D. B. Culberston are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of eleven thousand two hundred dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this twenty seventh day of October A. D. One Thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Frances Gilder, & William Costly have been duly appointed executrix & executor of the last will & testament of Senot Gilder, late of this county, deceased.

Now if the said Frances Gilder & William Costly shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such executrix & executor then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged, by said
Costly, Thornton, Russell & Stewart in open court

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J. Thompson Judge

Signed sealed & acknowledged by D. B. Culbertson this 17th day of Nov. 1838 before me

Jos. J. Williams Clerk

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by Frances Gilder the 19th day of November 1838

J. Thompson Judge

Approved Nov 19 1838,

J. Thompson Judge

Francis Gilder (L.S.)
William Costly (L.S.)
Sanford Thornton (L.S.)
Thos. R. Russell (L.S.)
Robert Stewart (L.S.)
D. B. Culbertson (L.S.)

: :

JACOB GUARDNER DECEASED ADM. BOND OF GREEN TALBOT

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Green Talbot, Eldridge Mobley & William Gardner are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of four hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this twelfth day of November A. D. One Thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Green Talbot has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Jacob Gardner late of this county deceased. Now if the said Green Talbot shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged by said Green Talbot before me

James Thompson, Judge

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Eldridge Mobley & William Gardner before me

James Gardner

Approved Nov. 13 1838

J. Thompson Judge

Green Talbot (L.S.)
E. H. Mobley, Secty. (L.S.)
Wm. A. Gardner (L.S.)

EDMUND HORTON DECEASED ADMR. BOND OF MARTHA HORTON & HUGH W. HORTON

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha Horton & Hugh W. Horton, Ezekial Taylor & James R. Hodge are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, Stateof Alabama in the penal sum of three thousand dollars ($ 3000) to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this twenty sixth day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Martha Horton & Hugh W. Horton have been duly appointed administratrix & administrator of the real estate of Edmund Horton deceased. Now if the said Martha Horton & Hugh W. Horton shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administratrix & administrator then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in open Court & approved by the Court

Jos. J. Williams Clerk

Martha Horton (L.S.)
Hugh W. Horton (L.S.)
Ezekiel Taylor (L.S.)
James R. Hodges (L.S.)

: :

JOHN PATTE SON'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Patterson Elizabeth Pemberton & Anderson Satterwhite & James Brooks, are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of One Thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this third day of September A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Patterson has been duly appointed guardian of William Pemberton, Amanda M. F. Pemberton late of this county, deceased.

Now if the said John Patterson 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said John Patterson & Elizabeth Pemberton before me

J. Thompson Judge

John Patterson (L.S.)
her
Elizabeth X Pemberton (L.S.)
mark
Anderson Satterwhite (L.S.)
James Brooks (L.S.)

Said Satterwhite signed, sealed, and acknowledged this 13th day of December 1838. before Jos. J. Williams Clerk. Signed, sealed & acknowledged by James Brooks this fifth day of January 1839, & approved by the Court.

Jos. J. Williams Clerk

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Harris Sterns, James Cook & Charles Rutlidge are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of twelve hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and seveally firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals and dated this twenty sixth day of November A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the aboev bound Harris Sterns has been duly appointed guardian of Amelia Ann Cotton infant child of George W. Cotton late of this County, deceased. Now if the said Harris Sterns shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation tobe void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in open Court & approved by the Court
Test Jos. J. Williams Clerk

Harris Sterns (L.S.)
James Cook (L.S.)
Charles Rutledge (L.S.)

: :

JOHN F. SHARP GUARDIAN OF GOODWIN ADCOCK & THOMAS ADCOCK BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John F. Sharp, Charles McLemore, William Fannin & John C. Towles are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of three thousand six hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this fourth day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John F. Sharp has been duly appointed guardian of Goodwin Adcodk & Thomas Adcook infant children of John Adcock late of Harris County in the State of Georgia deceased. Now if the said John F. Sharp shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open court & approved by the court
Jos. J. Williams Clerk

John F. Sharp (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Willian Fannin (L.S.)
John C. Towles (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Carmichael, Hugh W. Carmichael, Harriet Carmichael Nathaniel Baber & Miles Garrett are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Three thousand two hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this seventh day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James M. Carmichael has been duly appointed guardian of Wilson Lumpkin Carmichael, Ann Eliza Carmichael, Epsy Lumpkin Carmichael, & Elizabeth Ady Carmichael, infant children of Joseph E. Carmichael, late of Chambers County deceased. Now if the said James M. Carmichael shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged by said James Hugh Harriet & Nathaniel in open Court
Jos. J. Williams Clerk
Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Miles Garrett in open Court this 8th day of January 1839 & approved by the court
Jos. J. Williams Clerk

James M. Carmichael (L.S.)
Hugh W. Carmichael (L.S.)
her
Harriet X Carmichael (L.S.)
mark
Nathaniel Baber (L.S.)
Miles Garrett (L.S.)

: :

A. JACKSON'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that I Absolom Jackson while in my proper mind without the perwation of Emoy person or persons what so ever do bequeath unto my daughter Phebe one feather Bed and furniture allso do bequeath unto my daughter Abigal one fether bed and furniture all so I doo bequeath unto my daughter Mary one fether bed and furniture and I further doo bequeath to my wife Abigal Jackson two Sorrell horses one four years old and the other three years old las Spring allso one cart and yoke of oxens, and all the ballance of the cattle and hogs and all so the crop that is now growing on the place whereon I now live for the use of my wife Abigal and family that now lives with me and her all so and to remain on this place whereon I and also all the house hold and Kitchen furniture now live and to be supported by Hideans and Richard Moon so long as she that is my wife Abigal lives or remains a widow and the two horses and Yoke of oxen and cart with all the ballance of the cattle and hogs or so much as remains at her death or marriage then to be sold and equally divided between all my lawful heirs and all the ballance of my property to be sold according to law with the exception of two forty acre lots of sand in the Cherrokee County in Georgia that is iff Jefferson Brooks will go and sell them according to a provies contract between him and me and return the one half of the price to be divided between between all the heirs and the ballance soald and equally divided to gether with all the

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debts due to me after all of my debts is discharged (enter sine before assigned)

Know all men by these presents tha I Absolom Jackson doo hereby appoint my wife Abigal Jackson and John F. Sharp my executors and administrators assigned, sealed, and acknowledged in the presence of us this the 29th day of August 1838.

Test

Thompson eeves

Edmond Jackson

Richmond Gordon

his
Absolom X Jackson
mark

: :

A. JACKSON DECD. EXECUTRIX & EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Abigal Jackson, John F. Sharp, Thomas J. Brooks & Richmond Gordon are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of seventeen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with seals dated this fifth day of October A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Abigail Jackson & John F. Sharp have been duly appointed executrix & executor of the last will & testament of Absolom Jackson, late of this county deceased. Now if the said Abigail Jackson & John F. Sharp shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such executrix & executor then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open Court & approved

J. Thompson Judge

her
Abigail X Jackson (L.S.)
mark
John F. Sharp (L.S.)
his
Thomas J. X Brooks
mark
Richmond Gordon (L.S.)

: :

DOLLERSON DAY GUARDIAN OF JOHN C. SELMAN & THOMAS B. SELMAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Dollerson Day Ezikiel Ratchford Allen Castleberry & Larkin Selman are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of twelve thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administra ors jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this seventh day of January A. D. One Thousand eight hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Dollerson Day has been duly appointed guardian of John C. Selman & Thomas B. Selman infant children of Benjamin Selman late of Morgan County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Jolluson Day shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as a oresaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

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Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open Court & approved

J. Thompson Judge

Dollerson Day (L.S.)
Ezekiel Ratchford (L.S.)
Allen Castleberry (L.S.)
Lakin C. Selman (L.S.)

: :

EDMUND HORTON DECEASED EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James Sims, Isaac Howell, William Mercer, John Freeney, John Finch & Ezwkiel Taylor, John Taylor are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of thirty six thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this twenty sixth day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James Sims has been duly appointed executor of the last will & testament of Edmund Horton late of this county deceased. Now if the said James Sims shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executor as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged by said Sims, Howell, Murcer, Freeney, Finch & Taylor in open court.

Test Jos. J. Williams Clerk

and acknowledged by Martha G. Whorter in open Court this 5th February 1839.

Evan G. Richards Judge Orphans Court

Jas. Sims (L.S.)
Isaac Howell (L.S.)
William Mercer (L.S.)
John M. Feeney (L.S.)
Ezekiel Taylor (L.S.)
Martha G. Horton (L.S.)

: :

JAMES C. KEY GD. OF MALISSA J. & ET AL BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James C. Key Ann Key John Appleby & Benjamin L. Goodman are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of thirty thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and ad inistrators, jointly a d severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this twenty first day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James C. Key has been duly appointed guardian of Malissa J. Key Madison M. Key Tandy W. Key Elizabeth Key & Thomas Key infant children of Tandy Key late of Russell County Alabama, deceased 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.

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Signed, sealed, and acknowledged & approved by & before me this the 21st day of January 1839.
Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court

James C. Key (L.S.)
Ann Key (L.S.)
John Appleby (L.S.)
B. L. Goodman (seal)

: :

JONATHAN D. WILLIAMS DECEASED ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas J. Williams, Jefferson Strenger, Richard Kemp & Wm. Maroney are held and frimly bound unot Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of two Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this thirty first day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas J. Williams & Jefferson Strenger have this day been appointed administrators of the estate of Jonathan D. Williams, late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said William & Stringer 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open Court & approved by me this 31st January 1839
E. G. Richards Judge of Orphans Court

Thos. J. Williams (L.S.)
Jefferson Stringer (L.S.)
Richard Kemp (L.S.)
Wm. Maroney (L.S.)

: :

CHARLES HARRIS DECD. ADMRS. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Tabitha Harris Phillip M. Sheppard & Joshua Smith are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of three thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this fifth day of February A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Tabitha Harris widow of Charles Harris late of Chambers County, deceased, have been this appointed Administratrix of the estate of Charles Harris late of said County County, deceased. Now if the said Tabitha Harris 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open Court & approved by the Court this 5th day of February 1839.

Tabithal her X mark Harris (L.S.)
Phillip M. Shepard (L.S.)
Joshua Smithe (L.S.)

Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James T. Wafer, Madison C. Davis & Jesse Boring are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this twenty first day of February A. D. One Thousand eight hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James T. Wafer has this day been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Richard M. Davis late of Chambers County Ala. deceased. Now if the said James T. Wafer 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged and approved in open Court this 21st February 1839.
Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court

James T. Wafer (L.S.)
M. C. Davis (L.S.)
Jesse Boring (L.S.)

: :

WM. BUCKALEW DECD. ADMRS. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Wiley Dorman, William B. Buttes and Joseph Yarbrough are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this fourth day of March A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Wiley Dorman has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of William Buckalew late of this County deceased. Now if the said Wiley Dorman 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged & in Open Court & approved this 4th March A. D. 1839.
Evan G. Richards, Judge of the Orphans Court

Wiley Dorman (L.S.)
Wm. B. Butler (L.S.)
Joseph Yarbrough (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents; that we Daniel N. Hudman Hezekiah Hudman & Walton W. Wallis are hled and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of twelve thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this ninthe day of February A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Daniel N. Hudman has been duly appointed administrator of Garrett Hudman late of Chambers County Ala. Deceased. Now if the said Daniel N. Hudman 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in Open Court & approved this 9th February 1839.
Evan G. Richards Judge of Orphans Court

Daniel N. Hudman (L.S.)
Hezekiel Hudman (L.S.)
W. W. Wallis (L.S.)

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WOODSON HEARD GUARDIAN OF--------------JOSEPH C. HEARD BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Woodson Heard, John D. Saunders, & Thomas A. Heard are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of four thousand ____________ Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this seventh (7th) day of February A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty ________nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Woodson Heard has been duly appointed guardian of the estate of Joseph C. Heard infant child of Joseph C. Heard late of Chambers County Alabama deceased.

Now if the said Woodson Heard 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged & approved in Open Court this 8th February 1839.
Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court

Woodson Heard (L.S.)
Jno. D. Saunders (L.S.)
Thomas A. Heard (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all me. by these presents, that we Gilbert S. Gay, Aaron Strother & Joseph Yarbrough are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this seventeenth day of September A. D. One Thousand eight hundred and thirty Eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Gildert S. Gay was on the second day of November 1835 duly appointed guardian of John G. Gay infant child of the said Gilbert S. Gay & gave bond according to law with James Pate & Francis Pearson his securities and whereas the said Gilbert S. Gay is desirous to release the said James Pate from further securityship for him. Now if the said Gilbert S. Gay shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged by said Gilbert S. Gay & Aaron Strother before me J. Thompson
Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Joseph Yarbrough this 20th day of September 1838.
Jos. J. Williams Clerk
Approved Sept 22nd 1838
J. Thompson Judge

Gilbert S. Gay (L.S.)
Aaron Strother (L.S.)
Joseph Yarbrough (L.S.)

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G. P. CROWDER GUARDIAN OF D. C. CROWDER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Garrett P. Crowder, James B. Moon & Earl McCoy & Mary Crowder are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of theOrphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of three hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we,each of us,do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this second day of July A. D. One Thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Garrett P. Crowder has been duly appointed guardian of Daniel C. Crowder, infant child of Bartholomew Crowder, late of this county, deceased. Now if the said Garrett P. Crowder shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be ovid, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in Open Court & approved by the Court
Test John A. Frazer D.C.

Garrett P. Crowder (L.S.)
James B. Moon (L.S.)
Ewel McCoy (L.S.)
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Mary X Crowder (L.S.)
mark

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, That we Mary Crowder, James B. Moon & Ewel McCoy & Garrett P. Crowder are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in th penal sum of Sixteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors, and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this second day of July A. D. One thousand Eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Mary Crowder has been duly appointed guardian of Overstreet W. Crowder, John C. Crowder, Hannah L. Crowder Sarah J. Crowder, Joseph E. Crowder & Rebecca B. Crowder infant children of Bartholomew Crowser late of this county deceased. Now if the said Mary Crowder shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such Guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in Open Court & approved by the Court
Test John A. Frazer D.D.

Mary her X mark Crowder (L.S.)
James B. Moon (L.S.)
Ewel McCoy (L.S.)
Garrett P. Crowder

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THOMAS FARRAR GUARDIAN OF C. G. THAXTON BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas Farrar, Joseph Yarbrough, Isaiah Durham & Benjamin Lloyd are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of two thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administratros, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this fourth day of June A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty Eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas Farrar has been duly appointed guardian of Charles G. Thaxton, infant child of Charles Thaxton late of Butts County, Georgia, deceased.

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

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in presence of in open Court) Except B. Lloyd John A. Frazer, D. Clerk and approved by the court this 4th day of June

Thomas Farrar (L.S.)
Joseph Yarbrough (L.S.)
Isaiah Durham (L.S.)
Benjamin Lloyd (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Davis, John Freeman, David D. Davis John D. Saunders, G. D. Brantly, Jonathan Johnston, Joseph Lloyd & Lanier Bankston are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of forty five thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with seals and dated this tenth day of May A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Davis has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of Bud Davis late of Chambers County, Alabama, deceased. Now if the said John Davis shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged by John Davis, John Freeman, & David D. Davis in the presence of John A. Frazer
Signed, sealed & acknowledged by John J. Saunders on the 11th May 1838 in presence of
John A. Frazer
Signed sealed, & acknowledged by Green D. Brantly, Jonathan Johnston & Joseph Lloyd 12th May 1838 in the presence of
John A. Frazer
Signed, sealed & acknowledged this 14th day of May 1838
J. Thompson Judge

John Davis (L.S.)
John his X mark Freeman (L.S.)
David D. Davis (L.S.)
Jno. D. Saunders (L.S.)
G. D. Brantly (L.S.)
Jonathan Johnston (L.S.)
Joseph Lloyd (L.S.)
Lanier Bankston (L.S.)

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SEABORN B. GRAY GUARDIAN OF ELIZABETH MANGHAM BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Seaborn B. Gray, William C. Germany & Stephen Williams are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama in the penal sum of sixteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this thirteenth day of October A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Seaborn B. Gray has been duly appointed guardian of Elizabeth Mangham infant child of Wiley Mangham & Cynthia Mangham both deceased. Now if the said Seaborn B. Gray shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before me & approved be me
J. Thompson,Judge

Seaborn B. Gray (L.S.)
William C. Germany (L.S.)
Stephen Williams (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Patterson, David Smith, Benjamin Smith & Gideon Arthur are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of One Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs Executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this twenty third day of June A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty Eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Patterson has been duly appointed executor of the last will & testament of Joseph Griffin late of this County, deceased. Now if the said John Patterson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executor as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in Open Court & approved

J. Thompson Judge

John Patterson (L.S.)
David Smith (L.S.)
Benjamin Smith (L.S.)
G. Arthur (L.S.)

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EDMOND HORTON DECEASED WILL

In the name of God Amen.

I Edmund Horton of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being of sound mind and memory and of a disposeing disposition do make and ordain this my last will and testament. Item the first.

I give unto my son Hew W. Horton a negro man by the name of Henry at the value of six Hundred Dollars as a part of his legacy. I also give unto him the west quarter section of the half section land he now leves on value at twelve Hundred Eighty Dollars Item 2nd. I give unto my Daughter Martha Hodge one negro woman by the name of Minty at the value of five hundred dollars.

Item 3rd. The remainder of my lands on which I now live, it is my desire to remain in common stock with my wife during her natural life. I also leave all my negro property in one common stock, and as each one of my children become of age or marry, it is my desire that each child shall have one negro to the value of those above given.

Item 4th It is my will provided the circumstances of the family will admit, when my negroes grow up, that some more of my negroes be given to such of my children as is married or of full age also all my stock, and house hold furniture to remain on my farm

Item 5th I give unto my wife my four wheeded carriage as her own.

Item 6th It is my desire at the death of my wife that an equal division of my property be made with each one of my children I do hereby nominate and appoint Dozier Thornton Senr. and James Simms as my lawfull executors to this my last will and testament In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand this 18th day August 1838.

Test William Mercer
Jos. Howell

Edmund Horton

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen. I Thos. Bilbro of the State & County aforesaid, do hereby make this my last will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say,

1st. I desire that my Beloved wife Mary Bilbro take Charge of all my estate Both real & personal after the payment of all my just debts & Funeral Expences & to dispose of it as to her,it may seem best that is to my children

2ndly & lastly do hereby constitute and appoint my Beloved Wife Mary Bilbro and my son Charles D. Bilbro Executors of this my last will and testment hereby revoking all other former wills or Testaments which may be by me heretofore made. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 19th day of April 1836. Signed sealed published and declared as and for, the last will and testament of the above named Thomas Bilbro in presence of us

Thos. Bilbro (seal)

John A. Hurst
Mary Law
Sarah M. Hurst

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EDWARD D. CROFT GUARDIAN OF FERRELLIS CHILDREN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Edward D. Croft, Williamson Ferrell & George P. Gilder are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama in the penal sum of four thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals and dated this twelfth day of October A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Edward D. Croft has been duly appointed guardian of William B. Berrell, Thaddras C. Ferrell, Alfred P. Ferrell, Beattrip F. Ferrell & Susaunah D. Ferrell, infant children of John Ferrell, deceased. Now if the said Edward D. Croft shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open Court & approved by the Court

Jos. J. Williams Clerk

E. D. Croft (L.S.)
Williamson Ferrell (L.S.)
Geo. P. Gilder (L.S.)

BENJAMIN WALDRIP GUARDIAN OF SALLY GRIFFIN & LOUISA GRIFFIN NEW BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Benjamin Waldrip Lemuel Doster, George Naron & Henry D. Knight are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama, in the penal sum of sixteen hundred Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this second day of July A. D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Benjamin Waldrip has been duly appointed guardian of Sally Griffin & Louise Griffin infant children of Rachael Griffin and has been duly required to give new bond with securities as such guardian. Now if the said Benjamin Waldrip shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged, by said Benjamin Waldrip Lemuel Doster & George Naron in Open Court

J. Thompson

Benjamin his X mark Waldrip (L.S.)
Lemuel Doster (L.S.)
George Naron (L.S.)
Henry D. Knight (L.S.)

Signed, sealed & acknowledged by said Henry J. Knight in Open Court this 21st day of July 1838 & approved by the Court
Test Jos. J. Williams Clerk

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HARDY PACE EXECUTORS BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know, all men by these presents, that we Low Jackson Thomas C. Russell, & Solomon Land of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Three thousand two hundred dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves and our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals, and dated the 18th day of March A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Low Jackson has been appointed Executor of the Estate of Hardy Pace deceased. Now, if the said Low Jackson 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

Signed sealed & approved in open Court this 18th March 1839.
Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court

Low Jackson (L.S.)
Thos. C. Russell (L.S.)
Solomon Land (L.S.)

E. D. CROFT GD. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Edward D. Croft, William George, & William A. Gray are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly ans severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this 20th day of March A. D. One Thousand eight hundred and thirty nine. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Edward D. Croft has been duly appointed guardian of William B. Ferrell, Thaddias C. Ferrell, Alfred P. Ferrell, Beattrep Ferrell & Susannah D. Ferrell infant children of John Ferrell deceased. Now if the said Edward D. Croft shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in open Court & approved by me this 20th March 1839
Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court

E. D. Croft (L.S.)
William George (L.S.)
Wm. A. Gray (L.S.)

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JOHN REED DECEASED LAST WILL & TESTAMENT
GEORGIA)
PIKE COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen. I John Reed Senior being for advanced in age and know that is ordained one for all men to die and in attecepation of my own decease do make this my last will & testament First I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary Reed two negroes a woman by the mane of Lucinda and her daughter Alowissa which two negores I gave to my said wife Mary Reed to do as she pleased with after my decease. Secondly I give and bequeath to my daughter Anna T. George a negro woman by the name of Bilsey, Thirdly I give and bequeath to my son Andrew Reed a negro girl named Letta and one hundred acres of land to be taken out of my settlement of land in Pike County. Fourthly I give and bequeath to my son Robert Reed a negro boy by the name of Washington. Fifthly I give & bequeath to my two sons Robert Reed & John W. Reed a negro woman by the name of Sally and her two children one a boy the name of Charles and the other an infant girl not yet named which said then negroes is given to my two said sons in trust for my daughter Elizabeth Reed hereby creating them trusts for the legal management and control of said negroes for the use and benefit of said daughter Elizabeth Reed. Sixthly I give and bequeath to my son John W. Reed a negro boy by the name of Jacob, and one hundred acres of land to be taken out of my settlement of land in Pike County which said one hundred acres is not to include the houses. Seventhly I give and bequeath to my daughter Margaret Wilson Allen a negro girl by the name of Siloy. Eightly I give and bequeath to my son Alexander O. Reed a negro boy by the name of Bob and one hundred acres of land to be taken of my settlement of land in Pike County not to include the pesent buildings. Ninth I give & bequeath to my son William H. Crawford Reed a negro boy by the name of Toney and in case the said negro boy Toney

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dies before the arriving at age of my said son William H. Crawford Reed then & in that event my executors hereinafter named is hereby authorized and required to pay to the said William H. Crawford Reed out of my estate not hereby willed as much money as the said negro boy Tony would be reasonably worth if alive and in health at the time of the arriving at age of the said William H. Crawford Reed and I also give and bequeath to my said son William H. Crawford Reed one hundred acres of land to be taken out of my settlement of land in Pike County not included the. Tenthly I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary A. Reed a negro girl by the name of Harriet and in case the said negro girl Harriet dies before the arriving at age of or marriage of my said daughter Mary A. Reed then & in that event it is my will and desire that my executors hereinafter named shall pay to my said daughter Mary A. Reed at her arriving at age or marriage as much money as the said negro girl Harriet would be reasonably worth if alive and in health. Eleventh It is my further will and desire that my wife Mary Reed shall have the use and possession my two negro fellows Rube & Jim during her life for the prupose of assisting to support her and to assist her in raising and educating my young children and at the death of my said wife two said negroes to fall back and become part of my estate and it is my further will and desire that all my land in Pike County not before hereby willed shall remain in the possession of my wife Mary Reed for her support and for the support and education of my children not yet of age during the life of my wife Mary Reed and in case she dies before the arrival at age or marriage of my young children then and in that event the said land to remain in the possession of my executors until th arriving at age or marriage of my young children for their support.

lastly I do hereby nominate and appoint my two sons Robert M. Reed & John W. Reed my executors to this my last will and testament and it is also my will wish and desire that the balance of estate both real and personal not here y specifically willed after the payment of all my just debts shall be equally divided at the death of my said wife Mary Reed between all my children except Elizabeth Reed and that portion which would full to her. I give and bequeath to my two sons Robert M. Reed and John W. Reed in trust & for the use of said daughter Elizabeth Reid.

Wingate Jackson

Hugh Porter

James Neal J.J.C

Court of Ordinary in Chambers this 3rd day of April

1837. Present their Honors William Harris &) : Justices
Robert Walker)

The last will & testament of John Reed late of said County deceased was brought in by John W. Reed one of the Executors named in said will & was duly proven as his will by James Neal, Hugh Proter & Wingate Jackson the then subscribing witness to said will this 3rd April 1837.

Robert Walker J.J.C.

Test H. G. Johnson C.C.D.

Georgia)
Pike County) :

I John W. Reed do solemnly swear that this writing contains the true last will of the within named John Reed deceased so far as I know or believe that I will well & truly execute the same by paying first the debts & then the legacies contained in said will, as far as his goods and chattels will thereunto extend & the law charge me & that I will make a true & perfect inventory of all such goods & chattels so help me God.

Sworn to & subscribed in open court this 1st May 1837

John W. Reed

H. G. Johnson C.C.O.

Georgia)
Pike County) : Court of Ordianry May Term 1837.

The last will & testament of John Reed having been proven in vacation on 3rd April last by subscribing witnesses as above stated & now at this term the executor John W. Reed having qualified ordered that the same be admitted to record.

Test H. G. Johnson C.C.O. Robert Walker J.J.C.

Georgia)
Pike County) : Clerk of the Court of Ordianry's office I Hugh G. Johnson Clerk of the Court of Ordianry in and for said County do hereby certify that the above & foregoing contains a true copy of the last will & testament(& the probate thereof) of John Reed late of said county deceased, as copied from the Records in my office. Given under my hand & seal of office this 29th day of April 1839.

Hugh G. Johnson C.C.O.
P.C.

Georgia)
Pike County) : I James Beckom one of the Justices of the Inferior Court in & for the County & State aforesaid, do certify that Hugh G. Johnson, whose name appears to the above foregoing certificate, is clerk of the Court of Ordianry for said County, & that full faith & credit ought to be had & given to his attestation as such & that the same is in due form. Given under my hand & private seal this 29th day of April 1839.

James Beckom J.J.C. (L.S.)

The State of Alabama S.S Chambers County Clerks office.

Be it remembered that on the 15th day of May A. D. 1839 The original of the foregoing will & testament was deposited in this office for Record certified as above and on the 17th day of May 1839 Was duly recorded in Record of Wills Bonds &c. Volumn 1st Pages 222,23,23,&25.

Jos. J. Williams Clerk

JOSHUA S. MITCHELL DECEASED ADMRS. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that, that we William L. Crayton, John A. Frazer, Thomas Smith, Edward Baugh, Achison Finday & Robert Baugh are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Forty Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ourselves and our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this fifteenth day of April A. D. One thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Wm. L. Crayton who together with Mary H. Mitchell & John A. Frazer applied for & obtained Letters of Administration with the will annexed of Joshua S. Mitchell, decd. on the 24th day of April 1838. And the said Frazer & Mary M. Mitchell having resigned their administrations and the said William L. Crayton having been required to give a new Bond as sole administrator of said Joshua S. Mitchell, estate with the will annexed Now if the said Wm. L. Crayton 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged on 15th April 1839. Jos. J. Williams Clerk
Edward Baugh, A. Finlay & Robert Baugh,
Signed and acknowledged Bond on the 27th April 1839.

Evan G. Richards Judge
of the Orphans Court

Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)
J. A. Frazer (L.S.)
Thomas Smith (L.S.)
Edward Baugh (L.S.)
A. Finlay (L.S.)
Robert Baugh (L.S.)

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WILLAIM DAVIS DECEASED ADMRS. BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Hill John C. Webb & James E. Scott are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of One Thousand Dollars to which pyament well and truly to be made, we, each of us, do bind ours lves and our heirs, Executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this twenty seventh day of March A. D. One thousand Eight hundred and Thrity nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James M. Hill have this day been duly appointed administrators of the Estate of William Davis late of Chambers County Ala. 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged & approved by me in Open Court this 27th day of March 1839.

Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court

James M. Hill (L.S.)
John C. Webb (L.S.)
Jas. E. Scott (L.S.)

HARDY PACE-----WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, Amen. I Hardy Pace of the State and County aforesaid being very weak in body & labouring under a lingering disease and knowling that it is appointed for all men once to die but being notwithstanding my disease of sound mind and memory do make this my last will & Testamet in the following manner (to wit) 1st. I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it and my body to the Earth then to be burried in a plain and decent manner. And to such wordly goods as it hath pleased God to bless me with in this life I dispose of it in the following manner. (to wit) It is my will that the North half of the possion whereon I now live together with the house hold & Kitchen furniture,farming tools my sorrel mare, except the foal which she is now carrying, a cow called white face & calf Two heifers one a Brown the other Brindle and a white yearling called Bully and five of the largest size of hogs & six of the smallest size of shoats be left to my beloved wife Mary Ann Pace during her natural life or widowhood and is content to remain on the premises aforesaid But in case of her decease marriage, or be conn discontended to reside on said premises then It is my will that said property be sold by me Executor hereafter to be appointed in the manner best calculated to benefit the family. The balance of my property both real and personal my will is shall be sold at public outory in two payments of one & two years and after the payment of my Just debts the balance & residue to be put on in trust and appropriated & given to the family as their necessities shall require for Education &c. And in case of the marriage of my said wife my will is that my said wife Mary Ann Pace shall receive an equal share with my children to wit Adeline Frances Pace, Wulliam Asberry Pace, Mary Turner Pace, and Julian Pace of the said property reserved for the family as aforesaid but during her single life she shall be an equal sharer with my said children of all the property " proceeds of both the sold & unsold. It is also my will that my said children should be educated in the following manner to wit. My son William Asberry Pace I wish taught so as to qualify him for any business in the farming line and the girls so as to read & write tolerable well and as they respectively come of age each one to draw their share of the property so bequeathed and I also hereby ordain and appoint Low Jackson of Troup County Georgis my Lawful Executor to carry out this my last will and testament whom I wish advertise & sell the property so willed to be sold with out any court fus or cost if it can be legally done & who I wish with the aid of my wife to act as guardian's for my childred.

Ratifying & confirming this my last & testament & revoking all others by me heretofore made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 22nd day of January in the year of Our Lord One thousand eight hundred & thirty nine.

Signed, & sealed in presence of

Thos. C. Russell
Henry Jackson
Timothy J. Russell

Hardy Pace (L.S.)

Ordered of Record this 18th March 1839
Evan G. Richards Judge

THE STATE OF ALABAMA S.S. CHAMBERS COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

Be it remembered that on the 18th day of March A. D. 1839, The original of the foregoing Will and Testament was deposited in this office for Record certified as above and on the 23rd day of May 1839 was duly Recorded in Record of Will Bonds &c. Volumn One Pages 227 & 28

Jos. J. Williams Clerk

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WILLAIM McCAIN ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Thomas W. T. McCain & William A Lyle Willis Sppier & Jordan Thornton, William A. Thornton of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in Office, for the penal sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars for the Payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the seventh day of May A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas W. T. McCain & William A. Lyle have been appointed administrators of the Estate of William McCain deceased. Now if the said Thomas W. T. McCain & William A. Lyle 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged & approved by me in open Court
Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court

Thomas W. T. McCain (L.S.)
William A. Lyle (L.S.)
Willis Spire (L.S.)
J. Thornton (L.S.)
W. A. Thornton (L.S.)

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WILEY DORMAN GUARDIAN &c BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, Wiley Dorman William Atkins John Atkins & Ann D. Walker of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Ten Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the eighth day of May A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Wiley Dorman has been appointed Guardian of the Estate of Sarah Ann E. Walker, Saunders F. Walker & George W. Walker infant children of of John S. Walker decd. Now if the said Wiley Dorman 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.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me
Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court this 8th May 1839

Wiley Dorman (L.S.)
Wm. Atkins (L.S.)
John Atkins (L.S.)
Amr. D. Walker (L.S.)

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BENJAMIN ROBISON'S ADMINISTRATORS BOND FOR LAND MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Nipper A. Roberson, Gilead Burnes, John Robison, & Wm. Brooks, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents: The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of Nipper A. Roberson Administrator of the estate of Benjamin Roberson late of Chambers County, deceased the Orphans Court of said County, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of said Benjamin Roberson, deceased, which has been sold for the sum of Two Thousand Dollars on a cerdit of Twelve month from the 5th day of February 1839 of the proceeds thereof. Rec'd by the said Nipper A Roberson administrator as aforesaid. Now if the said administrator shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed, sealed and acknolwedged & approved in open Court this 5th March 1839
Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court

N. A. Robison (L.S.)
John Robison (L.S.)
Gilead Burnes (L.S.)
William Brooks (L.S.)

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N. B. YARBOROUGH GUARDIAN OFC. T.COGGIN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Nimrod B. Yarborough, John Blackson, Elam T. Yarborough, George D. Hooper are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County, State of Alabama, in the penal sum of Five Thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we, each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this six day of May A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Nimrod B. Yarborough has been duly appointed guardian of the property of Christopher T. Coggins, Mary Ann Coggins & Ebenezer T. Coggins infant children of William Coggins and the said Nimrod B. Yarborough having been required to give new Bond as such guardian.

Now if the said Nimrod B. Yarborough 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

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to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.
Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before me
& approved by me this 13th May 1839.
Evan G. Richards Judge of the
Orphans Court

Nimrod B. Yarborough (L.S.)
John Blackstone (L.S.)
Elam T. Yarborough (L.S.)
George D. Hooper (L.S.)

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GEORGE W. CRYMES GUARDIAN OF THOMAS P. CRYMES BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we George W. Crymes, Samuel G. Jones & William B. Barnett of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Thirty two Hundred Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly & severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the fifth day of July A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George W. Crymes has this day been duly appointed guardian of Thomas P. Crymes infant child of William M. Crymes of Greenville Destrict, S. Carolina deceased: Now, if the said George W. Crymes Guardian as aforesaid shall well and truly perform all the duties which are ot may be by law required of him as such guardian then the above obligation to be void; otherwise, to remain in full force. Signed, sealed & acknowledged and approved by me 5th day of July A. D. 1839.

Evan G. Richards Judge of the
Orphans Court.

G. W. Crymes (L.S.)
Saml. G. Jones (L.S.)
Wm. B. Barnett (L.S.)

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LEWIS M. WILLIAMS WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
:
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that I Lewis M. Williams while in my proper mind without any persuasion of any person or persons whatsoever do bequeath unto my wife Elizabeth Williams the land whereon I now live, being the north half of the North East quarter of Section No. 36 Township Twenty four and Range 27 also the south half of the North West quarter of the above named section Township and Range, making (160) acres, also one Negro woman, by the name of Febly about twenty three years old and her children a boy about four months old, by the name of Ned, together with all the Horses, cattle, hogs & sheep, with all the crop, that is now on the place whereon I now live, also all the household and Kitchen furniture to have and to hold during her (That is my wife Elizabeth Williams) natural life or state of Widowhood, now it is that if my wife that is Elizabeth Williams shall <u>mary</u>, the above named property to be equally divided between my wife Elizabeth Williams, and my lawful heirs or so much Thereof as remain at <u>heave</u> Death or marriage together with all the Debts due me after my Debts is discharged.

Know all men by these presents, that I Lewis M. Williams do hereby appoint Henry

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Howell & John F. Sharp my Executors and administrators.
Signed sealed & acknowledged in presence
of us this the 24 August 1839

Thomas his X mark Berry
James Weed
James W. Howell
James his X mark Smith

Ordered of Record as the last will and Testament of Lewis M. Williams deceased this 29th day of August 1839.

Evan G. Richards Judge C.C.

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L. M. WILLIAMS EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Henry Howell, John F. Sharp, James Weed, & Thomas Berry, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards, Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six Thousand Dollars; for the payment of which, well & truly to be made & done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly & severally, firmly by ~~these presents, sealed with~~ our seals, and dated the 29th day of August A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Howell & John F. Sharp has been appointed Executors of the Estate of Lewis M. Williams, deceased.

Now if the said Henry Howell & John F. Sharp shall well & 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me & approved by me this 29th day of August 1839.

Evan G. Richards
Judge C.C.

Henry Howell (seal)
John F. Sharp (seal)
James Weed (seal)
Thomas his X mark Berry (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen. I John Chaffin of the State & County aforesaid being of sound and disposing mind & memory, and being desirous to settle my worley affairs whilest I have strenth and capasity so to do, do make and publish this my last will and testament and first and princepally of all I commit my soul into the hands of my creator who gave it and my body to the Earth to be interened at the descretion of my Executors herein after named. And as to such worldley estate wherewith it hath pleased God to interest me I dispose of the same as follows.

1st. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Chlotilday Chaffin four negroes namely Edmond and Jimy, Lindy & Matilda and one Quarter Section of land it being the south West quarter of Section Seventeen Township Twenty one, Range twenty six to have said land her life time, and then to go to my son Stephen Chaffin, and also to my said wife all my house hold & Kitchen furniture, also forty bushels of Wheat, one Hundred Barrels of Corn, two thousand pounds of Pork, two stacks of fodder, also one dark Gray mare, two cows and calves one sow and pigs, the above named four negroes that I give to my wife to have during her natural life, and at her death to be equally divided amongst my daughters Sally Kittun, Elizabeth B. Nancy P. & Martha.

2nd I wish all the balance of my property to be equally divided among my legates in any way they may see proper to divide it.

3rd. I appoint my son Stephen Chaffin and Thomas Taylor my Executors to this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former will we hear witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this Twenty fifth day of may in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine.

Test

John Chaffin

Asa R. Cone
W. S. Thornton
his
John X Watson
mark

Proven & ordered of Record this 5th day of Sept. 1839.
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

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JOHN CHAFFINS EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Stephen Chaffin, Thomas Taylor Stewart Boyington John Taylor & James Taylor of the County & State aforesaid are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County & his successors in office, for the penal sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well & truly to be made & done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators jointly & severally, firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals, and dated the 6th day of September A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Stephen Chaffin & Thomas Taylor has been appointed executors of the estate of John Chaffin deceased. Now if the said Stephen Chaffin & Thomas Taylor shall well & 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.

Approved by me this 10th September 1839.
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Stephen Chaffin (L.S.)

Thomas Taylor (L.S.)
Stewart Boyington (L.S.)
John Taylor (L.S.)
James Taylor (L.S.)

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THOMAS FARRAR'S ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Wise Stephen Jackson & Charles H. Bostwick of the County & State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards, Judge of the County Court of said County, & his successors in office for the penal sum of One 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, firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals, and dated the 9th day of September A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that wher as the above bound John Wise has been appointed administrator of the estate of Thomas Farrar deceased: Now if the said John Wise 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.

Approved by me this 9th day of Sept. 1839
Evan G. Richards
Judge of the County Court

John Wise (L.S.)
Stephen Jackson (L.S.)
Charles H. Bostwick (L.S.)

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CHARLES LAING'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Charles Laing, John W. Penny & Hardy Hancock are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court of said County & his successors in office in the penal sum of Seven Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs Executors administrators jointly saverally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the tenth day of of September 1839.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Charles Laing has been duly appointed natural Guardian of his children to wit, Mary Frances Laing, Charles W. U. Laing, & Martha Ann E. Laing infant children of the said Charles Laing. Now if the said Charles Laing shall well & truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such Guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 10th September 1839
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Charles Laing (seal)
John W. Penny (seal)
Hardy Hancock (seal)

JOHN W. PENNY'S GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John W. Penny, Charles Laing & Hardy Hancock are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of said County, in the State aforesaid & his successors in office in the penal sum of Seven Hundred Dollars, to which payment well and truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves our heirs, executors & administrators, jointly & severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals & dated this 10th day of September A. D. 1839.

The condition of the above obligation is such that, wher as the above bound John W. Penny. Now if the said John W. Penny shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 10th September 1839

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

John W. Penny (seal)
Charles Laing (seal)
Hardy Hancock (seal)

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MARGARET REESE'S WILL
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
ALABAMA)

I will that my property be divided in the following manner between my children.

1 Wit. I give to John C. Reese, Catharine Reese & Cordelia Reese each of two portions of my estate allowing it to be divided between my children.

January to be kept to work for the children & when they are married or of age to be sold & divided equally between them three children this is in addition to their double portion, I request and ordain Geo. Reese & J. A. Cherry my Executors to this my last will.

Sept. 21st 1839

Margaret Reese (seal)

A. H. Reese
Wit. Edwin Reese
Charles S. Reese

" proven by Edwin Reese and Charles S. Reese.

Ordered of Record this 8th October 1839.

Evan G. Richard
J.C.C.

G. W. HANSON GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know, all men, by these presents, that we George W. Hanson, Henry G. Slaughter & Samuel B. Turner of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Eight Thousand Dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs Executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 23rd day of September A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound George W. Hanson has been appointed Guardian of the Estates of Mary Louisa Hanson, & William J. W. Hanson infant children of William Hanson deceased. Now if the said George W. Hanson 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.

Acknowledged before me & approved by me this 9th October 1839.

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

George W. Hanson (L.S.)
Henry G. Slaughter (L.S.)
S. B. Turner (L.S.)

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MARGARET REESE EXECUTORS BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George Reese, James A. Cherry, Orran D. Whitaker & Walton W. Wallis of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Sixteen thousand Dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 8th day of October A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thiety nine. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George Reese & James A. Cherry has been appointed Executors of the Estate of Margaret Reese deceased; Now if the said George Reese & James A. Cherry 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.

Signed acknowledged before me & approved by me this 8th October 1839.

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Geo. Reese (L.S.)
James A. Cherry (L.S.)
Oroon D. Whitaker (L.S.)
W. W. Wallis (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know, all men, by these presents, that we Purnell G. Collins, Pleasant Macon, David Watson, & Daniel N. Hudman of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of six hundred Dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals, and dated the ninth day of October A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Purnell G. Collins 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.

Acknowledged before me & approved by me this 9th October 1839.
Evan G. Richards

Purnell G. Collins (L.S.)
Pleasant Macon (L.S.)
David Watson (L.S.)
Daniel N. Hudman (L.S.)

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JAMES A. CHERRY GUARDIAN OF C. A. & C. H. REESE BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know, all men by these presents that we James A. Cherry, Marcus T. C. Lumpkin & Langdon Ellis are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of said County in the State aforesaid & his successors in office in the penal sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars to which payment well & truly to be made, we each of us do bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators jointly severally & firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals and dated this 9th day of October A. D. 1839. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas James A. Cherry has been duly appointed Guardian of the Person & Property of Catharine A. Reese & Crodelia H. Reese infant children of Margaret Reese late of Chambers County, Ala. deceased. 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 as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force & virtue.

Signed before me & approved by me this 9th October 1839.
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

James A. Cherry (seal)
M. T. C. Lumpkin (seal)
Langdon Ellis (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Charles S. Reese, James A. Cherry, Langdon Ellis of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars; for the payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 9th day of October A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Charles S. Reese has been appointed administrator of the Estate of William Reese late of Chambers County Alabama, deceased; Now, if the said Charles S. Reese 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.

Signed and acknowledged & approved by me this 9th day of October 1839.
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Chas. S. Reese (L.S.)
James A. Cherry (L.S.)
Langdon Ellis (L.S.)

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JOSEPH NEIL'S WILL

In the name of God, Amen. I Joseph Neil who am weak in body but of sound mind & memory, thanks be to God for the same, I commit my soul to God, & my body to the earth &c. After paying all my just debts, & further Destribution of my estate, both real & personal.

1st Item, I will & bequeath to my beloved wife One Bed Bedstead & furniture, also one Horse, Saddle & Bridle & all the Kitchen furniture, together with the stock of Cattle & hogs, during her life or widowhood, but in case of her marrying again, then the sd. stock with the increase to be reverted back to the legatees to be equally divided among them.

2ndly. I will & bequeath to my beloved son David One Horse, saddle & Bridle & Bridle, and likewise to have twelve months schooling with an equal part of my estate in money, with the balance of the legatees herein after named.

3rdly I will & bequeath to my Daughter Flora an equal share of the money of my estate, with the other legatees, when she becomes of age, or gets married.

4th Item. I will & bequeath unto my daughter Mary as I have unto Flora, with six months schooling inclusive.

5th Item I will & bequeath unto my son Saml. an equal share with the others, together with a Horse worth sixty five Dollars, a good saddle & Bridle &c. and twelve months schooling.

6th Item I will & bequeath unto my son James, as unto Samuel, with two years schooling.

7th Item I will & bequeath unto my son Ralph as unto my son James.

8th Item. I will & bequeath unto my son Joseph Milledge as unto my two sons, James & Ralph.

Lastly I hereby nominate & appoint my Father David Neil to act as administrator

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to my business & my Beloved wife as administratrix Revoking all other wills heretofore made by me, making this as my last will & testament in testimony whereof I set my hand & seal this sixty fourth year of the Independence of the United States of America A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine. Ala.

Chambers Co. Oct. 8th 1839.

Test

John R. Eady

A. F. Wallis — his Joseph X Neel mark

Wm. Norris

Proven by John R. Eady & William Norris

Ordered of record as the last will & Testament of Joseph Neel

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SARAH HARRELL DECD. ADMRS.BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know,all men,by these presents that we, Seaborn Harrell Elisha Trice & Thomas Taylor of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four Thousand Eight hundred Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 23rd day of October A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Seaborn Harrell has been appointed administrator of the estate of Sarah Harrell deceased. Now, if the said Seaborn Harrell 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.

Approved by me this 23rd October 1839.

Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court

Seaborn Harrell (L.S.)
Elisha Trice (L.S.)
Thos. Taylor (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know, all men, by these presents, that we George Reese, James E. Reese Lemuel B. Robertson and Charles McLemore of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Twleve thousand Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George Reese has been appointed guardian of the estate of Cathrine A. Reese & Cordelia H. Reese infant children of Margaret 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 guardian then the above obligation to be void, otherwise, to remain in full force.

Assigned and acknowledged in Open Court

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Geo. Reese (L.S.)
James E. Reese (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
L. B. Robertson (L.S.)

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LAZARUS ATKINSON DECEASED ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know, all men by these presents that we William W. Palmer Joseph Yarborough, Marcus B. Swinney and William Blackburn of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office,for the penal sum of sixteen thousand dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves,our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 28th day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William W. Palmer has been appointed administrator of the estate of Lazarus Atkinson deceased. Now if the said William W. Palmer Administrator 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.

Assigned & acknowledged in open Court

Approved by me

Evan G. Richards

Judge of County Court

William W. Palmer (L.S.)
Joseph Yarborough (L.S.)
his Marcus X Swinney mark (L.S.)
William Blackburn (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents that we Mary E. Atkins Joseph Yarborough William W. Palmer and William Blackburn are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of said County in the State aforesaid & his successors in office in the penal sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars to which payment well & truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves our heirs Executors and administrators jointly severally & firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 28th day of November A. D. 1839.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas Mary E. Atkinson has been duly appointed guardian of the Peron & property of Benjamin Atkinson, Mary Ann John C. Thomas and Elizabeth Atkinson infant children of Lazarus Atkinson late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Mary E. Atkinson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force & virtue.

Asigned & acknowledged in Open Court &napproved by me
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Mary E. Atkinson (sela)
Joseph Yarborough (seal)
William W. Palmer (seal)
William Blackburn (seal)

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CHARLES McLEMORE TO CARY COX BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that I Charles McLemore of the County & State aforesaid are held & firmly bound unto Cary Cox of the same County & State in the sum of forty two hundred Dollars good & lawful money of the United States to be paid to the said Cary Cox his Executors administrators & assigns to which payment well & truly to be made I do bind myself my heirs Executors administrators & every of them firmly by these presents. Sealed with my seal & dated this 27th day of November A. D. 1839.

The condition of the obligation is such that whereas Emily Cox has left her husband Cary Cox and the said C. Cox did on the tenth day of April Eighteen hundred & thirty nine transfer & set over to me his interest in the firm of James Smith son &co. of the county & state of Arknasas & did also on the seventh instant transfer & set over the right & title of one negro girl Eliza to me for the use & benefit of Emily Cox it being her alimony or her claim or interest she had in the estate of said C. Cox as his wife Now if I pay over to Emily Cox or secure to her own use & benefit any & every amount either in cash notes property or any thing else that I may receive from C. Cox's interest in the firm of James Smith Son & Co. of the County & State of Arkansas do further hold said girl Eliza for the use & benefit of E. Cox subject alone to her control & liable for her contracts then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force Signed sealed & delivered in presence of Nov 27th 1839

John Robertson
John F. Chisolm

Charles McLemore (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I Joseph J. Williams Clerk of the County Court of said County Do hereby certify that on the 20th day of December A. D. 1839 the within named Charles McLemore personally appeared before me and acknowledged that he signed sealed & delivered, the foregoing bond to Cary Cox on the day & for the purposes therein named. Given under my hand and seal this 20th day of December A. D. 1839.

Jos. J. Williams (seal) Clerk

THE STATE OF ALABAMA S.S. CHAMBERS COUNTY Clerks office. Be it remembered that on the 20th day of December A. D. 1839, the original of the foregoing Bond was deposited in this office for Record Certified as above, and on the 23rd day of the same month was duly Recorded in Record of Wills Bonds &c. Vol. 1st. Pages 150 & 151.

Jos. J. Williams Clerk

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CHARLES McLEMORE TO CARY COX BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I do hereby bind myself my heirs Executors administrators & assigns forever by these presents to hold and save harmless Cary Cox's person property or Estate from any & all Suits claims of alimony or dowery cost Expense & damage of the same brought by Emily Cox her next friend or attorney for any claim she may now or hereafter have on or in the Estate of said Cox as his wife & also from any debts liabilities or contracts she may incur from this day forward and I do acknowledged this instrument a sufficient lean & legal authority to bind hold seize & execute any or all of my Estate for the prupose of indemnifying & saving harmless Cary Cox in said premises signed sealed & delivered in the presence of this the 27th Nov (27th 1839)

John F. Chisolm)
John Robertson) Charles McLemore (L.S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I Joseph J. Williams Clerk of the County Court of said County do hereby certify that on the 20th day of December A. D. 1839 the above named Charles McLemore personally appeared before me and acknowledged that he signed, sealed and delivered the above to Cary Cox for the purposes therein set forth. Given under my hand & seal this 20th day of December A. D. 1839.

Jos. J. Williams (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA S.S. CHAMBERS COUNTY CLERKS OFFICE. Be it remembered that on the 20th day of December A. D. 1839. The origianal of the foregoing instrument was deposited in this office for Record Certified as above and on the 23rd day of the same month was duly recorded in Record of Wills Bonds &c. Vol. 1st Rages 151 & 152

Jos. J. Williams Clerk

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas B. Hammock, Josiah W. Bachelder & John S. Hammock of the County and State aforesaid are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County & his successors in office, for the penal sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made & done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 24th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas B. Hammock has been appointed guardian of his children, to wit-Jerimuah G. John G. Manah, Frances, Thomas J., Mary A. & Martha Hammock, E. G. & Samuel G. Hammock & of their estates. Now if the said Thomas B. Hammock 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.

Assigned in Open Court & approved by me
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Thomas B. Hammock (L.S.)
J. W. Bachelder (L.S.)
John Hammock (L.S.)

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ELISHA C. PASCHAL'S GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elisha C. Pascal, James House & Littleberry W. Baker of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 18th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Elisha C. Pascal has been appointed Guardian of Eliza Christian infant child of Mary W. A. Christian deceased. Now if the said Pascal shall 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.

Assigned in Open Court & approved by me
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Elisha C. Paschal (L.S.)
James House (L.S.)
Littleberry H. Baker (L.S.)

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JAMES HOWZE'S GURADIAN BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we James Howze Elisha C Paschal & Littleberry W. Baker of the County & State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richard Judge of the County Court of said County, & his successors in office, for the penal sum of thirty two hundred dolla[rs] of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 18th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Howze has been appointed Guardian of Sarah Christian & Nancy Christian infant children of Mary W. A. Christian deceased; Now if the said James Howze shall well & 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.

Assigned in open Court & approved by me)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.)

James Howze (L.S.)
Elisha C. Paschal (L.S.)
Littleberry W. Baker (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Joshua Caldwell Ezekiel Taylor & James L. Mitchell of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Thirty seven Dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made & done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly & severally by these presents, sealed with our seals, & dated the fourth day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Joshua Caldwell has been appointed Executor of the Estate of John Caldwell deceased. Now if the said Joshua Caldwell Executor as aforesaid whall 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.

Assigned before me & approved by me this
4th November 1839.
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Joshua Caldwell (L.S.)
Ezekiel Taylor (L.S.)
J. S. Mitchell (L.S.)

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JUDITH B. SMITH'S GUARDIANSHIP BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Judith B. Smith Dozier Thornton and William W. Smith & William Combs of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, & his successors in office for the penal sum of Twenty five Thousand Eight Hundred dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly & severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 18th day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Judith B. Smith has been appointed Guardian of Lucy W. Smith Jesse H. Smith & John Smith T. infant children of William W. Smith late of Chambers County, Ala. deceased. Now if the said Judith B. Smith Guardian as aforesaid, 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.

Signed & acknowledged in Open Court
& approved by me.
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Judith B. Smith (L.S.)
Dozier Thornton (L.S.)
W. W. Smith (L.S.)
Wm. Combs (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William W. Smith Dozier Shornton, Webb Kidd Dozier Thornton, S. Williams Combs Francis M. Smith & James J. Cade of the County and State aforesaid, are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Sixty four Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 18th day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William W. Smith & Dozier Thornton have been appointed administrators of the estate of William W. Smith) late of Chambers County, Ala. deceased.

Now if the said William W. Smith & Dozier Thornton shall well & 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.

Signed & acknowledged in Open Court
& approved by me
Evan G. Richards
J.C.C.

Dozier Thornton (L.S.)
W. W. Smith (L.S.)
Webb Kidd (L.S.)
Dozier Thornton (L.S.)
Wm. Combs (L.S.)
Francis M. Smith (L.S.)
James J. Cade (L.S.)

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A. COPY OF HENRY T. CHIVER'S LAST WILL & TESTAMENT

STATE OF GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY)

I Henry T. Chivers being of sound mind & disposing memory but duly considering the certainty of death and the great uncertainty of the time thereof and to the end that I may be better prepared as to my temporal affairs to leave this world whenever it shall please God to call me, hence do make declare & publish this my last will and testament that is to say, First and principally I commend my soul into the hands of Almighty God my Creator hoping for free pardon and remission of all my sins and to enjoy everlasting happiness in his heavenly Kingdon through Jesses Christ my Savior--my body I commit to the Earth at the disertion of my Executors hereinafter named--And as for such worldly effects in which and when of I may die interested in, and possessed of, my will & wish is that they be disposed of in the following manner. Item first--It is my wish that first of all that my just debts be paid. Item second--I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Sarah A. B. Čhivers the following negroes to wit Abram, Lewis, Nathan, Lucitia & child Augustus, and all of my interest in the land in the State of Alabama Chambers County as owned by myself & brother Joel, and one half of all the ballance of my effects that I may die possessed of my Georgia land & the ballance of my negroes excepted, which I shall otherwise dispose of consisting of household & Kitchen furniture bonds, notes, houses, mules hogs, cattle plantation tools and all other speciaties together with the half of my interest in a negro man Jesse.

Item 3rd. I give and bequeath to my beloved brother Joel M. Chivers or his heirs a negro man named Talton. Item 4th I give and bequeath to my beloved brother Joel M. Chivers the following negroes viz. Tom, Aggy & child not named, John, Toney, Adalin, & Jenny & their increase forever together with our half of the remaining half of all my effects after my wifes part is taken off as specified in the second item, to have and to hold in trust the same to and for the sole & special use and exclusive benefit of my beloved Sister Frances E. Chivers during her natural life and it is my will and wish if my said Sister Frances should die the property mentioned in this item shall be equally divided between my brother Joel & niece Frances E. Chivers or their heirs, but if my said neice should die leaving no child or children of her own body born it whall all then go to my brother Joel M. Chivers or his heirs. Item 5th. I give and bequeath to my neice Frances E. Chivers the following negroes to wit Fill, Mary & son Fill, & Henry and the remainder of all my effects after my wife Sarah A. B. Chivers and my sister Frances E. Chivers shall get off their part as assigned and for my brother Joel M. Chivers to act as Guardian for her my said neice and if she may die leaving no child or children of her body born said property as specified in this item shall go to my brother Joel or his heirs. Item 6th. Provided I may die leaving an heir or heirs before making an alteration in this my will it is my will and wish for my heir or heirs to have one half of all my estate from each one as before specified but provided my heirs may die leaving no child or children it is my will and wish that for said property then to revert as before specified. Item 7th. It is my will and wish that if it may suit the will of my Brother Joel that he can take all my interest of the land in Georgia as owned by myself & him at what it may be appraised by a Jury appointed by the Court for that prupose after allowing him my brother Joel the half of the cost of his improvements where now lives which amount is to be equallay divided between my sister Frances E. and neice Frances E. Chivers. Item 8th. It is my will and wish that it may be known that all the land owned by myself and brother in the State of Alabama is equally owned between us both though when the patents come they will come in my name alone. It is my will and wish that my brother Joel shall have the one half as he has justly paid for it. Item 9th. It is my will and wish that my land in the State of Alabama may be sold on the first Monday in January next. Item 10th. It is my will and wish that it may be known that I am owing my brother Six Hundred Dollars for my half of a negro man Jesse. Item 11th. To this my last will & testament I appoint nominate and ordain my Brother Joel M. Chivers and Col. Henry Long my Executors hopeing that they will take upon themselves the burden and Executive thereof In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this 5th day of October 1839.

Signed sealed and published & acknowledged
in the presence of this the day & year above
written.

Henry T. Chivers (L.S.)

Test
Lazarus W. Battle
James M. Chivers
John W. Andrews

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GEORGIA
TROUP COUNTY) : Inferior Court of said County setting for Ordianary pruposes November Term 1839. The within last will and testament of Henry T. Chivers late of said County deceased having been duly proven at this regular Term in Opne Court upon the oaths of Lazarus W. Battle James M. Chivers & John W. Andrews the subscribing Witnesses ordered that the same be now admitted to record.

Wiley Wilson C.C.O.

Recorded 5th November 1839

Wiley Wilson C.C.O.

GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY) : I Wiley Wilson Clerk of the Court of Ordianry in and for said County & State do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the last will Testament of Henry T. Chivers late of said County Deceased. Taken from the Record of my office.

Given under my hand & seal of office this 8th day of January 1840.

Wiley Wilson C.C.O.

GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY) : I James M. Beal one of the Justices of the Inferior Court of said County do hereby certify that Wiley Wilson whose signature appears to the above certificate is the clerk of the Court of Ordianry in & for said County & State & that the same is in one form and also that full faith & cerdit is ought to be had in his official acts--Given under my hand & private seal (having no official) seal this 8th day of January 1849.

Jas. M. Beall J.J.C. (L.S.)

LOFTIN NUNNS'S WILL

August 17 1839

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) :

I Loftin Numm of the State and County above mentioned being weak of body but sound of mind and memory do ordain and make this my last will and Testament (viz.) 1st. I give and bequeath to Lavina Nunn my beloved wife all my property (Excepting) what will be hereafter named below after all my lawful debts are paid and all other Incid-ental Expences are paid during her natural life and then to be equally divided among my childred Elizabeth Morris, Lavina Non & Francis Nun, 2nd. I give to my Daughter Elizabeth Morris during her natural life and then to the heirs of her body A negro boy named Henry. 3rd. I give to my Daughter Lavina Nun A Negro Girl Sary and two hundred Dollars, two beds bedsteads and furniture 1 table 1 cow and calf. 4th. I give to my Daughter Frances Nun A negro boy named Jo two hundred Dollars 2 beds 1 bedstead and furniture 1 table 1 cow and calf.
5th and last it is my desire that the property which I have given to my Two Daughters (viz) Lavina Nun & Frances Nun should go to the heirs of their body and if they should have no children the property to revert back to my other children. In Witness whereof I have set my hand seal

Signed in the presents of

Loften Nunn (L.S.)

Damaris Lee
G. Nun

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Will proven by the two subscribing Witnesses declared god as to personal property but void as to real property & Ordered of Record as such this 12th day of December 1839.

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.C.C. Ala.

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ELI COLLIN'S ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) :

Know all men by these presents that we Purnell G. Collins Nancy Collins William Combs David Watson & James T. Levington of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs Executors, or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 4th day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Purnell G. Collins & Nancy Collins has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Eli Collins deceased. Now if the said Purnell G. Collins & Nancy Collins shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such admin-istrators & admrs. then the above obligation to be void: Otherwise to remain in full force.

Purnell G. Collins (L.S.)
her
Nancy X Collins (L.S.)
mark
William Combs (L.S.)
David Watson (L.S.)
James J. Livingston (L.S.)

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EMELINE S. A. ALFORD GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) :

Know all men by these presents, that we Joseph H. Cunningham, Cuthbert G. Hudson & James W. Alford of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, Executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 24th day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Joseph H. Conningham has been duly appointed Guardian of Emeline S. A. Alford & her Estate of Daughter of Collen Alford Deceased, of Fayette County Georgia. Now if the said Joseph H. Cunningham 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.

Acknowledged in open Court approved by me

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

J. H. Cunningham (L.S.)
Cuthbert G. Hudson (L.S.)
James W. Alford (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Allen M. O'Harra, Fredrick J. O'Harra William Smith & John Terry of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office for the penal sum of Five Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, Executors, or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 26th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Allen M. O'Harra has been duly appointed Guardian of James F. Walton & his estate infant son of John Walton late of Edgefield District S. C. deceased. Now if the said Allen M. O'Harra 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.

Assigned in Open Court approved by me

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

A. M. O'Harra (L.S.)
William Smith (L.S.)
John Terry (L.S.)

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JOHN BLACKBURN DECD. ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William B. Blackburn Caleb Holloway & Luke Nobles of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office for the penal sum of Eight Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, Executors, or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of February A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William B. Blackburn has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of John Blakburn deceased. Now, if the said William B. Blackburn 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.

Assigned in Open Court approved

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

William B. Blackburn (L.S.)
Caleb Holloway (L.S.)
Luke Nobles (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Mariah M. Dixon, John J. Fielder & William L. Thornton of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in Office for the penal sum of Forty Eight hundred Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs Executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals and dated the 6th day of March A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Mariah M. Dixon has been appointed Guardian of Sarah, Jane, William Bryant & Catharine Barnes Dixon infant children of Thomas Dixon Deceased. Now if the said Mariah M. Dixon 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.

Assigned in Open Court approved

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Mariah M. Dixon (L.S.)
Jno. J. Fielder (L.S.)
W. L. Thornton (L.S.)

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MOSES WHEAT GUARDIAN OF F. H. WHEAT'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Moses Wheat Edward Baugh & James S. Mitchell of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office for the penal sum of Five Thousand Three Hundred Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors, or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 8th day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and Forty. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Moses Wheat has been duly appointed Guardian of Frances H. Wheat infant child of Frances A. Wheat late of Chambers County Ala. Deceased. Now if the said Moses Wheat Guardian as aforesaid 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.

Acknowledged & approved in Open Court.

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Moses Wheat (L.S.)
Edward Baugh (L.S.)
J. S. Mitchell (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Henry W. Todd James E. Reese & Robert Baugh are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office for the penal sum of Ten 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 10th day of April A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Henry W. Tokk has been duly appoi ted Guardian of Ann W. Beatie infant Daughter of John J. Beatie decd. Now if the said Henry W. Todd Guardian aforesaid 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.

Approved

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Henry W. Todd (seal)
James E. Reese (seal)
Robert Baugh (seal)

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NATHANIEL S. CATCHING GUARDIAN OF JOSEPH ET AL CATCHING BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Nathaniel S.Catching William L. Crayton, Jesse Russell & Timothy J. Russell of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty four hundred Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs Executors or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the 16th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty nine. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Nathaniel S. Catching has been appointed Guardian of Joseph Edmund, Margaret & Joshua Thomas Catching infant children of Joseph Catching late of Henry County Georgia Deceased. Now if the said Nathaniel S. Catching 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.

Assigned in Open Court & approved by me

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Nathaniel S. Catching (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)
Jesse Russell (L.S.)
Timothy J. Russell (L.S.)

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) : In the name of God Amen. I John Gambrell being of sound mind and disposing memory but duly considering the certainty of death and the great undertainty of the time thereoff and to the end that I may be better prepared as to my temporrl affairs to leave this world whenever it shall please God to call me hence do make declare and publish this my last will and Testament that is to say first and principally I commend my soul into the hands of Almity God my cerator hoping for free pardon and remission of all my sins and to enjoy everlasting happiness in his Heavenly Kingdon through Jeses Christ my Saviour. My Body I commit to the Earth at the discertion of my Executors herein after mentioned and of such worldly effects in which and whereoff I may die interested in and possessed of my will and wish is that they be disposed of in the following manner.

Item first It is my will and wish first of all that my just debts be paid.

Itme second I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Margaret Gambrell the following Negros (to wit) Maria and his two children, Harriet & Sam and Somuch of my house hold and Kitchen furniture as she my wife may make cholse off which property I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife during her natural life and then said property is to be equally divided together with the increase of said negroes between my five children (viz) Lawrise Wilson, Jane Emaline Mary Margaret Sarah Elizabeth and William Strigner Morcuea, Gambrell, and provided there may be any other child or children of my wife in legal time after my death said child or children to be an equal heir with above named children. Item Third I give and bequeath to my children as named in the second item the balance of the effects which I may die possessed of both real and personal to be equally divided between them my children which effects both real and personal may be disposed of at the discertion of my Executors.

Item 4th. TO this my last Will and Testament I appoint nominate and Ordain my Father John Gambrell and my friend Joel M. Chivers my Executors hoping that they will take upon them actors the Burthen and Execution thereoff. In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this the 8th day of April One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty (1840)

Interlined before assigned.

Signed sealed and published and acknowledged in the presents of this the day and year above written.

Test Bud Bledsoe
Robert Hammond
Clark Wilson

John Gambrell (seal)

Will proven by Bud Bledsoe & Robert Hammond this 4th May 1849 & ordered of Record as the Last will and Testament of John Gambrell Jur. deceased.

Evan G. Richards
Judge of the County Court

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Gambrell Sr. Bud Bledsoe, Robert Hammond & William Bledsoe of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan. G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors if office for the penal sum of four thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs Executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals, and dated the Fifth Day of May A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and 40.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Gambrell Sour. has been appointed Executor of the Last Will & Testament of John Gambrell Sour. 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.

Acknowledged before me & approved in Open Court
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

John Gambrell (L.S.)
Bud Bledsoe (L.S.)
Robt. Hammond (L.S.)
William Bledsoe (L.S.)

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JAMES FARLEY DECE. WILL

In the name of God Amen.

I James Farley of the State of Alabama and County of Chambers being possessed of my natural understanding of sound mind and memory and knowling that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make constitute and appoint this my last will and testament and first I will my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it.

2nd. Item my body I Recommend to the Earth to be buried in a decent and Chistian like manner and all Lawfull debts paid. 3rd. Item. I will that after my decease my Estate be kept together without any sale or renting of land or hiring of Negroes, or any division in any manner. And that it be managed in the following manner (viz) I wish for my beloved wife Martha Farley to have the sole management of all my Estate, and to act in following manner for her to hire out all or any part of my negroes and rent out or lend any part of my plantation, and to act with all the rest of my Estate as she may think proper and fit, and for her to school and raise my children out of the profit arising out of their Labor with rent, or rents of my plantation and for her to act just as she thinks proper and with all or any part of said Estate for the promotion of the same or for the benefit of Raising my children as long as she may remain a widow. If she does not appear to be waisting the same which is to be adjudged of by my other Executors hereafter named, but should she marry do be likely to waste my Estate is still kept together I wish my children raised and schooled without charge If my wife follows the advise of my other Executors for the Estate to remain in her hands, if not, or she dies or marries and her husband refuses to give security for my other Executors to take the charge of my Estate. But if it remains still in the hands of my wife I wish her to give off to my children as they become of age or marry just as she may think proper and right having regard to Equality amongst them.

4th. Item. I will that my beloved wife Martha Farley have the sole management of my Estate and the right to sell or dispose of all or any part thereof if she with my

other Executors manley John Boyd and Richard Boyd of said State and County think it will be for the benefit of my children I wish her to hold and use the estate as may be thought to contribute best for the children in raising schooling & till my youngest child becomes to the age of twenty one years during the time of which I wish my wife under any consideration to be decently supported which will be adjudged by other Executors when my youngest child arrives to the age of twenty one years, I will that then be an equal division with of my while estate between my children It is my will and desire that my wife shall retain in her hands if she chooses the same which shall be equal to two childrens part which she may dispose of as she sees proper.

5th. Item. I will that my beloved wife Martha Farley be my Lawfull Executrix to carry into effect this my last will and testament and divide the remainder of my estate amongst the following children John J. Farley and Samuel C. Farley James M. Earley, / William E. Farley, Emily E. Farley, Lemuel Farley, /Sarah A. Farley 6th Item In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 12th February 1849.

Test Jas. J. Boyd
Lucy Boyd
John Farley

James Farley (seal)

Proven by all the Witnesses & ordered of Record this 2nd June 1849.

E. G. Richards J.C.C.

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JOHN CALDWELL DECEASED WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God. Amen. I John Caldwell Senr. of the County and State aforesaid being of sound mind and memory and of a disposing disposition do make and ordain this my last will and Testament, Item the first. It is my will that I give unto my Grandaughter Mahaley Blankinship one negro woman by the name of Barbarry to her and her heirs forever.

Item 2nd. I give unto my grandson John Caldwell Son. of Joshua Caldwell all that tract of Land whereon I now live it being one quarter section.

Item 3rd. I give and bequeath unto my grand Daughter Sintha Hicks one feather Bed and furniture.

Item 4th I give unto my Grand Son Sincinatus Caldwell One Sorrell filly.

Item 5th It is my will that all the balance of my Estate that is not heretofore given a way that it be sold and the proceeds arising from such sale be destributed in the following manner. That an equal division be made between my son Joshua Caldwell my son William Caldwell and my Grand son Miles Caldwell.

Item 6th. All the property that I have heretofore given unto my Daughter Polly Gatten and James Caldwell while in his life time and my son John Caldwell while in his life time I consider their full portion of my estate and also all the property that I have heretofore given unto my son Samuel Caldwell while in his life time I consider to be his portion of my Estate I do hereby appoint my son Joshua Caldwell my lawfull Executor to his my last will and testament in testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand this 3rd

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day of October 1839. John Caldwell

Test

Thos. L. Lowell

Edmund R. Mills

Jas. Semins

Will proven & ordered of Record this 4th day of November 1839.

Evan G. Richards J. C. C.

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MARY W. A. CHRISTIAN'S ADMRS. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Elisha C. Paschal James House and Stephen Williams of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office for the penal sum of Six Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs Executors, or administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our Seals, and dated the 22nd day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Elisha C. Paschal has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of Mary W. A. Christian deceased. Now if the said Elisha C. Paschal shall well and truly perform all the dutites 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.

Assigned and acknowledged in Open Court
Approved by me
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Elisha C. Paschal (L.S.)
James House (L.S.)
Stephen Williams (L.S.)

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SARAH CHRISTIAN & NANCY CHRISTIAN'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James House Elisha C. Paschal & Littleberry W. Baker of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office fore the penal sum of thirty two hundred Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, Executors, or administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals and dated the 18th Day of December A. Di One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James House has been Guardian of Sarah Christian & Nancy Christien infant children of Mary W. A. Christian deceased. Now if the said James House 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.

Assigned in Open Court & approved by me Evan
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

James House (L.S.)
Elisha C. Paschal (L.S.)
Littleberry W. Baker (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, David Neel Esther Neel, William Norris & John R. Eady & Samuel B. Harwell of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Six thousand dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs Executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents Sealed with our seals and dated the twenty first day of October A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound David Neel have been appointed Executor & Executrix of the last will & testament of Joseph Neel deceased. Now if the said David Neel & Esther Neel shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such Executor & Executrix of the last will & testament of Joseph Neel deceased. Now if the said David Neel & Esther Neel shall well a d truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such Executor & Executrix then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed & acknowledged before me & approved by me this 21st October 1839.
Evan G. Richards
Judge of the County Court

David Neel (L.S.)
Esther her X mark Neel (L.S.)
William Norris (L.S.)
John R. Eady (L.S.)
Samuel B. Harwell (L.S.)

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ARNOLD STOKER DECD. ADMRS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Rebecca L. Stoker Willis Jones, William Strozer & Benjamin G. Green of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Seven thousand seven hundred Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, Executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals and dated the 11 day of May A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and Forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such That whereas the above bound Rebecca L. Stoker & Willis Jones has been appointed Administratrix & Administrator of the Estate of Arnold Stoker deceased. Now if the said Rebecca L. Stoker and Willis Jones shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such Administratrix & Administrator then the above obligation to be void. Otherwise to remain in full force.

Assigned in Open Court & approved
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Rebekah L. Stoker (L.S.)
Willis Jones (L.S.)
William Strozer (L.S.)
Benjin G. Greer (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :
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Know all men by these presents, that we Mahala Floyd, John Summers Elias H. Avery Cornelias Floyd & Charles Floyd of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Forty four Thousand Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, Executors or Administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 11th Day of May A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Mahala Floyd & John Summers has been appointed Executrix & Executor of the Estate of Robert Floyd deceased.

Now, if the said Mahala Floyd & John Summers shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such Executrix & Executor then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Assigned in Open Court — Mahala Floyd (L.S.)
Approved — John Summers (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C. — Elias H. Avery (L.S.)
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Cornelius X Floyd (L.S.)
mark
Charles Floyd (L.S.)

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ROBERT FLOYD DECEASED WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY :
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In the name of God Amen. I Robert Floyd (Fannin) of the County and State aforesaid being in feeble health but of sound and disposing mind memory and understanding do make publish and declare this as my last will and Testament made in manner and for the following (viz)

Item first. I Will and direct that all my just debts and funeral expences be paid by my Executors hereinafter named.

Item second I will and desire that all my estate both real & personal Except such portion of as may be hereinafter otherwise desposed of shall be and remain together in the same condition and situation it now is to be under the joint control & management of my Executors hereinafter named so long as my said wife shall live or during her widowhood, and that the proceeds of the annual crops after deducting from said proceeds the amount of necessary Expences to keep up the plantation and also the amount Expended in the support and maintainance of the family and the Education of my children shall be kept and put out on interest annually for the purpose of constituting a fund to pay certain named Legacies to be hereinafter specified.

Item third If my beloved wife Mahala should marry I then give and desire and bequeath to her to be disposed of in any manner she may think right and proper a quarter section of land to include the dwelling houses now occupied by me as a residence and also the five following named negroes (viz) Jim, Tolin, Reuben, Rachael, &

Mary the mother of Reuben and the future issue and increase of the females and upon her marrying as aforesaid that she take the entire and exclusive control and management of the whole of the property above given her.

Item fourth In the event of my wifes marriage as aforesaid it is my will and I so direct that my other executor take charge and have the absolute control and management of the Entire balance of my estate both real and personal to be by him kept together managed and desposed of as heretofore directed and for the purposes above set forth until my youngest child comes of lawful age, the said Estate in the hands of my said Executor after said division takes place to be chargable with the Expences necessary to keep up the farm and also with the maintenance and Education of my children.

Item Fifth. But in case my beloved wife should not marry then I will and direct that all my Estate be kept together as herefofore directed and for the purposes above specified until my youngest child comes of age at which time my Executors shall distribute and payover to my children the net proceeds of the crops annually in the following manner that is to say my said Executors shall pay over to my Eldest child the said net proceeds of the first crop after the coming of age of my youngest child as aforesaid and annually thereafter to the next eldest until all my children shall receive the nett proceeds of one crop, and if my wife should then still be living at the time my youngest child receives the nett proceeds of one crop, I then desire and direct my Executors to recommence the distribution of said crops in the same manner as above directed and if any of my said Children should happen to receive one or more crops more than any of the others, then I direct my Executors to make up such deficiency to such child or children out of my Estate generally.

Item sixth I will and desire that all my children shall be and remain with my beloved wife until they come of age or marry.

Item 7th. I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizabeth Amanda a negro girl named Celia or City and her future issue and increase to her and her heirs forever lawfully begotton.

Item 8th. I give and bequath unto my Daughter Eliza Ann a Negro girl named Jane and her future increase to her and her heirs lawfully begotton forever.

Item 9th I give unto my son John Floyd a negro boy named Jerry to him and his heirs forever.

Item 10th. I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Nancy a Negro girl a named Mary and her future issue and increase to her & hers lawfully begotton forever.

Item 11th. I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Margarett a negro girl named Susan and her future issue and encrease to her & her heirs forever lawfully begotton.

Item 12th. I give and bequeath unto my son Hamilton Floyd a negro boy named Ephraim to him and his heirs forever.

Item 13th. And in case any child should become of my beloved wife after my death by me begotton then and in that case my Executors are directed to make provision for said child Equal to the portions of my other children.

Item 14th. I do also give and bequeath unto each of my said children above provided for and so direct and instruct my Executors hereinafter named as they my said children may respectfully come of age or marry the sum of Two Thousand Dollars each to be paid by my Executors out of the fund created from the annual crops and from money put out on interest.

Item 15th. I will and direct my surviving Executor at the death of my beloved wife to sell the enterrest and residue of my estate both real and personal there on

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hands on acredit of twelve months and the nett proceeds arising from said sale together with the money on hands to distribute equally among all my children then living or the descendent or descendents of any of them in case any them should die leaving issue making the share of said descendent or descendents equal to that which the deceased parent would have received had he or she been living.

Item 11th. I hereby nominate and appoint my beloved wife my Executrix and my trusty friend John Somers my Executor of this my last will and testament hereby pronouncing declaring and publishing this as my only last will and testament revoking all other heretofore made.

I do hereby request my friend James E. Reese to act as Council for my Executors in carrying into effect this my will. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & affixed my seal this — day of April A. D. 1840. Signed sealed published & delivered in our presence the day and date above written.

Robt. W. McHenry
Wm. P. Holifield
John Leviretl

Robert Floyd (seal)

Proven by all them of the Witnesses and ordered of record as the last will and testament of Robert Floyd deceased this 17th May 1840.

Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

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JOHN FREEMAN TO WILLIAM AND S. R. VANN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that I John Freeman am held and firmly bound unto Wm. Vann & L. R. Vann in the penal sum of Eighteen Thousand Dollars Dollars for the true and faithful payment of which I bind myself my heirs and assigns unto the said Vann his heirs &c. firmly by these presents. The condition of the above bond or obligation is such that should the said Freeman well and truly pay off satisfy and and discharge, a number of certain promissory notes Say Two made to William Freeman by the S. Vanns & the sd. John Freeman Security amounting to forty three hundred 91/100 Dollars dated on the 21st day of January 1839 and due on the 25th day of December 1839. Also four several promisory notes maed and secured as aforesaid to Josiah Hancock amounting to thirty nine hundred & fifty two 92/100 Dollars dated on the 25th day of December 1838-9 then this obligation to be null and void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue in Law & Equity. Given under my hand and seal this 25th day of December One Thousand Eight hundred and thirty nine.

Attest

Jas. Stogren
Joseph T. Wallis

his
John X Freeman (seal)
mark

The State of Alabama)
Chambers County) Personally appeared before me Joseph J. Williams Clerk of the County Court of said County James Stogner One of the subscribing Witnesses to the foregoing instrument who being first duly sworn deposith and saith that he saw the within named John Freeman whose name is subscribed thereto sign seal and delivered the same to the said William Vann that he this deponant subscribed his name as a witness thereto in the presence of the said John Freeman & that he saw the other subscribing Witness Joseph T. Waller sign the same in the presence of the said John Freeman in the presence of Each Other on the day & year therein named. Given under my hand & seal this 28th day of July A. D. 1840.

Jos. J. Williams (seal)

The State of Alabama SS Chambers County Clerks office. Be it remembered that on the 28th day of July A. D. 1840 The Original of the foregoing Bond was deposited in this office for Record Certified as above and on the 25th day of August 1840 was duly Recorded in Record of Wills Bond &c. Volumn 1st. Pages 232 & 233

Jos. J. Williams Clerk

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JOHN C WEBB, WILL.

STATE OF GEORGIA)
WEST POINT)
TROUP COUNTY)

In the name of God amen, I John C Webb being of sound mind and disposing memory do make & ordain this my last will and testament.

1st That my wife Faithy Webb and my son Lovick Pierce Webb be and they are hereby appointed the Executors of this my will.

2nd That the negroes sold to James M Hill & Abner Webb jointly to receive them against their liability as security for me and the land sold to James M Hill individually for the same purpose shall be sold on the first Monday in August next in the County of Chambers & State of Alabama.

3rd That the proceeds arising from said sale shall after paying them the amount of their liabilities as security for me shall be turned over to my Executors.

4th That all the land I now own shall be sold this fall in quantities not exceeding One Hundred and Sixty acres and in equal payments of one & two years in the counties where it is located.

5th That after my debts are all paid my Executors shall keep my Estate together untill the youngest child shall become of age--at which time the property shall be divided according to law and my wife Faithy Webb shall be entitled to and receive an equal share with my lawful heirs.

6th it is my earnest request that my Executors shall in the transactions of all business consell James C Scott, Wm. B. S. Gilmer, James M Hill & Green W Hill, prior to any step of importance affecting the interest of the Estate, upon further reflection. I also appoint Thomas Winston as one of my Executors.

7th That my house and lot whereon I reside shall be and is hereby made the property of my wife Faithy Webb during her life and to be sold at her option after consulting with the persons named in the sixth article upon the condition that the proceed revert to my Estate at her death & I also give and bequeath the carriage upon the same condition.

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8th That a settlement this day has taken place, between myself and Green W Hill by which my Estate is bound for the debts of the firms of Webb & Hill and Webb Hill & Webb and Hill & Webb so far as Green W Hill is concerned.

9th That Green W Hill shall take the remainders of my stock of Good at Dadeville Tallapoosa county, Ala. at an advance of twelve & a half per cent upon the original cost to be paid for out of five Thousand Dollars of Rail Road bond which are to be paid to him in accordance with the settlement refered to in the preceeding article a portion of which bonds have already been paid.

10th That upon a settlement & final division of my Estate James M Hill shall suffer a reduction upon his distributive share of Sixteen Hundred dollars having already given him in virtue of his wife Martha Ann that amount. And also that Green W Hill suffer a reduction upon his distributive share of fifteen hundred dollars, that amount having been paid to him in virtue of his wife Susan C Hill.

11th That the condition upon which I pay to Green W Hill the five thousand dollars of bonds is that he is to receipt all accounts, notes or claims upon me up to this date, & also that my Executors shall in like manner release him from all demands from my Estate against him--excepting two orders given by Lawrence Gahagan upon Webb Hill & Webb amounting to between five and six hundred dollars to be paid by my Executors in Rail Road bonds.

12th That all the lands I own in the state of Georgia excepting the County of Troup may be sold either at public or private sale at the option of my son Lovick Pierce Webb & others made accordingly, without the formalities of the courts.

13th That my Executors shall send my sons Wm. G. Webb & George M Troup Webb to the Covington College under the special care of my friend Alexander Means the former to remain two years, and the latter four.

14th That in any matter not herein specified I leave to the discretion of my Executors with the solemn injunction that they pay a decent regard to the advice of the persons named in the sixth article of this will.

Signed, sealed, & acknowledged this the 28th of May Anno Domini 1840.

Test in presence of

Clement Forbes — John C. Webb (L.S.)

Jas. E. Scott

John B. Harris

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GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY)

Inferior Court of said county setting for ordinary purposes.

July adjourned term

Monday 13th July 1840

Present

James M. Beall:
Collin Rogers :
Thomas J. Cook: Justices
P. W. Lesley :

The within last will & testament of John C. Webb late of this county deceased having been duly proven at this regular term in open court upon the oaths of Clement

Forbes and James E. Scott two of the subscribing witnesses to the same.

Ordered that the same be admitted to Record

Wiley Wilson C. C. O

GEORGIA

TROUP COUNTY

I Wiley Wilson Clerk of the court of ordinary in & for the county and state aforesaid do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original will & of the probate thereof of John C. Webb late of said county & state deced taken from the Records of my office. Given under my hand & seal of office at LaGrange this 13th day of July 1840.

Wiley Wilson clk.
Court of ordinary Troup Co. Ga.

GEORGIA

TROUP COUNTY

I, James M. Beall one of the Justices of the Inferior Court of said county do certify that Wiley Wilson whose name is subscribed to the above certificate is and was at the time of signing the same, clerk of the court of ordinary of said county & that his certificate is in due form of law, and his attestation as such is entitled to full faith and credit.

Given under my hand this nineteenth day of August A.D. 1840.

Jas. M. Beall J. J. C. (L.S.)

Ordered of Record.

August 1840

Evan G. Richards

J. C. C,

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JAMES KEY'S GUARDIANSHIP BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we-James C. Key, Ann B. Key, John Appleby & Charles McLemore are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards, Judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of twenty-four thousand dollars to which payment will and truly to be made we, each of us, do bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this-----day of March A.D. 1840.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James C. Key has been duly appointed Guardian of Madison M. Key, Tandy W. Key, Elizabeth Key & Thomas Key infant children of Tandy Key late of Russell County Alabama deceased. Now if the said James C. Key shall well & 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.

Acknowledged and approved in open court

Even G. Richards

J. C. C.

James C. Key (L.S)

Ann B. Key (L.S)

John Appleby (L.S)

Charles McLemore (L.S)

JAMES PROTHRO DECEASED WILL

THE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I James Prothro of the county state aforesaid being in sound mind & memory do make this my last will & testament in the manner following (to wit).

First it is my wish & will that all my estate both real & personal be & remain together on the premises until the first day of January eighteen hundred & thirty-nine or until one more crop is made & gathered. I want the present crop of cotton to be sold and the proceed placed to the payment of debts after necessary needed for the family are paid for. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Anny during her natural life or widowhood all my lands which I claim where I now live together with all the farming utensil household & kitchen furniture & houses pleasure carriage wagon oxen & cart also as many of the cattle hogs & sheep as will be necessery also eight negros (to wit) Ceaser a man pricilla & her two young children July Henry Edmond & Easter together with as much of the crop of eighteen hundred & thirty-eight as will be necessary for the support of her & the above named property for the year eighteen hundred and thirty-nine and at her death all the above named property to return back to my estate to be equally divided amongst my children.

I give and bequeath to my son Emory two negroes (to Wit) Ellick and Joe and his riding horse saddle & bridle and the privilege of working his negroes on the farm and receive their labor as long as he will remain with and take care of his mother. I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary two negroes, to wit, Jim a boy & Pricilla a girl with her bed and furniture and when she marries she shall have two cows & calves. I estimate the property here given to my son Emory & daughter Mary at one thousand dollars each some of my other children have recd that amount some more some less at the division of that part of my property not named in this will it is my wish that they shall all be made equal according to the amount which they have received which division shall take place in January eighteen hundred and thirty-nine.

Interlined the words (nine) and house hold & kitchen furniture, before assigned.

In witness I have hereunto set my hand & seal this the twenty-sixth of December eighteen hundred & thirty-seven.

James Prothro (L.S.)

Test

D. Boring)
F. Taylor)

POSCRIPT

I do hereby appoint my wife Anny and my son James Prothro my Executors to this my last will and testament the day above written.

James Prothro

D. Boring

F. Taylor

JAMES PROTHRO EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James Prothro John McPherson William Miller William PNewell Thomas L. Thomason James Wilkins Mordecae B. Pittman & Richard Jones are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of twenty-six thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this twelfth day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Prothro has been duly appointed executor of the last will and testament of James Prothro late of said county deceased so far as relates to the personal estate of the said James Prothro deceased now if the said James Prothro shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executor as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged by the said James Prother before me James Thompson Judge.

James Prothro (L.S.)
John McPherson (L.S.)
William Meller (L.S.)
William PNewell (L.S.)
Thos. L. Thomason (L.S.)

Signed sealed & acknowledged this------day of May 1838 by the said John McPherson
William Meller,William
PNewell,Thomas L.
Thomason,James
Wilkins,Nordecai B.
Pittman & Richard Jones before me the 12th day of June 1838.

Willis Barton J. P.
James Wilkins (L.S.)
Nordecai B. Pittman (L.S.)
Richard Jones (L.S.)

JAMES PROTHRO EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James Prothro William Lee Mordecai B. Pittman Garrett Jordan Richard Jones senr. William Holstine & William Miller are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of twenty-six thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this eleventh day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight.

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The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Prothro has been duly appointed executor of the last will & testament of James Prothro late of said county deceased now if the said James Prothro shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executor as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

James Prothro (L.S.)
Wm. Lee (L.S.)

Signed sealed and acknowledged in open court & approved by the court.

Jos.J.Williams Clk.

Mordecai B. Pettman (L.S.)
Garret Jordan (L.S.)
Rich. Jones (L.S.)
William Holstine (L.S.)
William Miller (L.S.)

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ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Hugh W. Horton John M. Freeney Isaac Mooney & Abner Matthews of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court of said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of three 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 firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 9th day of December A.D. one thousand eight-hundred and thirty-nine. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Hugh W. Horton heretofore appointed & John M. Freeney has been appointed administrators of the estate of Edmond Horton deceased. Now if the said Hugh W. Horton & John M. Freeney 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in open court & approved by me.
Even G. Richard J. C. C.)

Hugh W. Horton (L.S.)
John M. Freeney (L.S.)
Isaac his X mark Mooney (L.S.)
Abner Matthew (L.S.)

JAMES CHRISTIAN'S WILL

ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

The following contains a true statement of my last will and testament. I wish my negroes and all my property to remain together until my children all become of age and to left under the control of my wife during her life & widowhood but if she should marry again then I wish it left equally among my children except my wagon and team which I want sold immediately to pay the debts of the estate. And I here do constitute and appoint Thomas Christian and Leabon Gray my executors to this my last will and testament to carry it into effect.

Given under my hand and seal this seventh day of April one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight.

J. H. Christian (L.S.)

Test
Thos. Taylor
P. T. Richardson
Stephen Williams

Proved & ordered of Record June 26th 1838.

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FRANCIS GILDER & WILLIAM COSTLY'S EXECUTRIX & EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Francis Gilder William Costly Elisha Trice Thomas R. Russell Robert Stewart David B. Culbertson are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of eleven thousand two hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves & our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by the presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this sixth day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Francis Gilder & William Costly have been duly appointed executrix & executor of the last will and testament of Linnor Gilder late of this county deceased and the said Francis Gilder & William Costly have been required to give a new bond as such executrix & executor of said Linnor Gilder deceased.

Now if the said Francis Gilder & William Costly shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such executrix & executor then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force

Francis Gilder (L.S.)
Signed sealed and acknowledged) William Costly (L.S.)
before me & approved by me this 1st) Elisha Trice (L.S.)
July 1839.) Robert Stewart (L.S.)
Even G. Richards) Thos. R. Rupell (L.S.)
Judge of Orphans Court) D. B. Culberson (L.S.)

JOHN DAVIS ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John Davis John Freeman Thomas Taylor & John D. Saunders & Green D. Brantly are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of twenty four thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs executors and administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this nineteenth day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Davis hath been duly appointed administrator ad collegen dum of the estate of Bud Davis late of this county deceased. Now if the said John Davis shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may by law required of him as such administrator ad collegen dum then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged by said)	John Davis	(L.S.)
John Davis & John Freeman in open court.)	John X (his mark) Freeman	(L.S.)
Jas. J. Williams clerk)	Thos. Taylor	(L.S.)
	John D. Saunders	(L.S.)
	G. D. Brantly	(L.S.)

Signed sealed & acknowledged by said
Thomas Taylor John D. Saunders----------

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WILEY THAXTON GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these present that we Wiley Thaxton John V. Dunn James Brooks of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards 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 and severally firmly by the presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 16th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Wiley Thaxton has been appointed Guardian of the estate of Charles G. Thaxton infant son of Charles Thaxton late of Butts County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Wiley Thaxton Guardian aforesaid 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.

Signed and acknowledged in open court.)	Wiley Thaxton	(L.S.)
Approved. Even G. Richards J. C. C.)	John V. Dunn	(L.S.)
	James Brooks	(L.S.)

MARY FARRAR GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Mary Farrar Joseph Yarborough & Isah Durham & Wiley Dorman of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards 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 and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 26th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Mary Farrar has been appointed Guardian of the estate of Charles G. Thaxton infant child of Charles Thaxton late of Butts County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Mary Farrar 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.

Signed & acknowledged on said)	Mary X (her mark) Farrar	(L.S.)
day by said Mary & Joseph Yarborough)	Joseph Yarborough	(L.S.)
Wiley Dorman signed and acknowledged)	Wiley Dorman	(L.S.)
bond on the 17th Sept.)		

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JOHN PATTERSON ADMINISTRATOR & E. PEMBERTON ADMX BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these present that we John Patterson Elizabeth Pemberton John T. Sheppard & Anderson Satterwhite of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court aforesaid county and his successors in office for the penal sum of four hundred dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these. Sealed with our seals and dated the 30th day of December A.D. One thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Patterson & Elizabeth Pemberton have been appointed administrators and administratrix with the will annexed of the Estate of Joshua Pemberton deceased. Now if the said John Patterson & Elizabeth Pemberton 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.

Approved by me this 6th)	John Patterson	(L.S.)
January 1839.)	Elizabeth X (her mark) Pemberton	(L.S.)
Even G. Richards)	John T. Sheppard	(L.S.)
J. C. C.)	A. Satterwhite	(L.S.)

WINFORD TARPLEY GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Winford Tarpley James Weed John F. Sharp of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of five thousand dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Winford Tarpley has been appointed guardian of Benjamin Tarpley & William C. Tarpley infant children of William Tarpley of Talbot County Geórgia deceased. Now if the said Winford Tarpley 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.

Test M. Phillips)
Approved 8th April 1840.)
Even G. Richards. J. C. C.)

Winford his X mark Tarpley (L.S.)
James Weed (L.S.)
John F. Sharp (L.S.)
Thos. L. Thomason (L.S.)

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THADDIUS BELL ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Thaddius Bell Elijah Holtzclaw & John R. Alford are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of two thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the twenty-ninth day of December 1836. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thaddius Bell has been duly appointed administrator of the estate of John H. Garrett late of Chambers County deceased. Now if the said Thaddius Bell shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged in open)
court & approved.)
J. Thompson Judge)

Thaddius Bell (seal)
Elijah Holtzclaw (seal)
John R. Alford (seal)

WILLIAM HUNTER ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William A. Hunter Lemuel Gresham & Thomas Christian of the County and state aforesaid are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of two thousand five hundred dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the tenth day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William A. Hunter has been appointed administrator of the estate of Joseph C. Heard deceased. Now if the said William A. Hunter 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.

Assigned in open court &)
approved.)
Even G. Richards, J. C. C.)

William A. Hunter (L.S.)
Lemuel Gresham (L.S.)
Thos. R. Heard (L.S.)
Thomas Christian (L.S.)

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JAMES TAYLOR WILL

STATE OF GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that I James Taylor of the county and state aforesaid sensible of the shortness and uncertainty of life, of my own free will and in the full full enjoyment of all my mental & national faculties do make ordain and publish this to be my last will and testament.

Article 1st. I desire that all my honest debts and contracts shall be first paid and discharged out of my estate. And if a sufficency out of the debts due me from others at the time of my death.

Article 2. For and on account of the love and affection which I have for my daughter Henrietta Finch of the county of Monroe and state aforesaid formerly Henrietta Taylor do give and bequeath unto Thomas Taylor my son of the county and state first aforesaid for the sole and exclusive use benefit and behoof of my said daughter Henrietta during her life time the following property. (To wit) One fractional survey of land situated in the fifth District of the county of Monroe and state aforesaid and known in the place of said District as number one hundred and forty-four also one other fractional survey of land situated in the fourteenth district of Monroe County aforesaid known in the place of said District as number one hundred and twenty-nine. I also give and bequeath unto my said son Thomas Taylor for the use as aforesaid of my said daughter Henrietta two negro girl slaves (To wit) Milly about eighteen years of age and Sukey about ten years of age. I desire that my son Thomas Taylor shall hold said property in trust for and to the sole & exclusive use benefit and behoof of my said daughter Henrietta during her the said Henrietta's natural life and at her death to become absolutely and unconditionally the property in fee simple of and belong to equally the children of my said daughter Henrietta.

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Article 3rd. For and on account of the love and affection which I have for my daughter Mary Pullin of the county of DeKalb formerly Mary Taylor my two negroes (To wit) Caroline a girl about twelve years of age and Linda a girl about nine years of age I give and bequeath unto her my said daughter Mary.

Article 4th. For and on account of the love and affection which I have for my daughter Harriet Freil of the county and state first aforesaid formerly Harriet Taylor I give and bequeath unto my said son Thomas Taylor in trust for and to the sole and exclusive use & benefit of my said daughter Harriet the tract or parcel of land on which I resided when I lived in the county of Jones, lying on the Oakmulgee River composed of one square lot and a half and one fraction and a part of another the numbers not recollected adjoinging the lands of Brigges & Hall supposed to contain about three hundred and sixty-six acres . I also give and bequeath unto my said son Thomas Taylor for the use as aforesaid of my daughter Harriet two negroes (To wit) Gabriel a boy about eighteen years of age and Lurena a girl about thirteen years of age and I desire that my son Thomas Taylor shall have and hold said property in the fourth article specified for and during the life time of my said daughter Harriet Freil for and to her sole and exclusive use benefit and behoof and at her death I desire said property to go to and become the property absolutely of her children if any and if none to go to and belong equally to the children of my daughter Henrietta Finch.

Article 5th. For and on account of the love and affection which I have for my two sons James Taylor of the county of Harris and John Taylor of the county of Troup & state aforesaid I give and bequeath unto them to be divided equally between them two promisory notes and the proceeds thereof if not collected before my death on Thomas B. Greenwood & N. P. Browning both dated the 12th day of December 1832 for one thousand dollars and the other for nine hundred dollars payable the 25th of December 1833 and should said notes be collected before my death I desire that my said sons James & John shall have and hold to be divided equally between them all the lands and negroes that I may purchase after the date except the negroes herein after mentioned as now under certain mortgage. I also give and bequeath unto my said sons James & John to be divided equally between them my drawsin the ensuing gold lottery and my draw in the ensuing land lottery and I desire that they shall have & enjoy in fee simple all such lands or land as shall be drawn in said Lotteries opposite my name. And I also give and bequeath unto my said son John Taylor to be owner and held by him that track or parcel of land which he sold me situated in the eight District of Carrol County, number not known.

November, 1831, the one payable on the 25th day of

Article 6. For and on account of the love and affection which I have for my son Thomas Taylor of the county and state aforesaid I do give and bequeath unto him the following negroes (to wit) Joe a negro man about thirty-five years of age Kitty about the same age & her infant boy child by the name of Woolfork about six months old Harrison a boy about sixteen years of age Solomon a boy about fourteen years of age Elizabeth a girl about six years of age and Kitty a girl about four years of age and all that part or portion of my stock of cattle remaining or using at or about the land or farm on which my son Thomas now resides.

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Article 7. For and on account of the love and affection which I have for my son Ezekill Taylor I give and bequeath unto him two negro boys (to wit) Stephen a boy about five years of age and Alexander about three years of age also a note of hand given by Nathan P. Browning and Thomas B. Greenwood for about five hundred dollars if the sum should not be collected before my death I also give and bequeath unto my said son Ezekill Taylor all my entire stock of cattle except those herein before and hereafter otherwise disposed of.

Article 8. For and on account of the love and affection which I have for my beloved wife Mary Taylor and with the view of providing for her a confortable and suitable support in the decline of life I do hereby give and bequeath unto her for and during her natural life three negro slaves (to wit) Robert a negro man about twenty-two years of age and Easter a negro woman about forty years of age and Mack a negro man about two years of age to have and to use said negro slaves in the eighth article mentioned to & for own proper use & benefit during her lifetime and at her death I desire that said negro slave Robert shall go and become the property of my said daughter Mary Pullin of the county of DeKalb and that Mark and Easter at the death of my said beloved wife shall go to and become the property of my son Ezekill Taylor. I also give and bequeath unto my said wife Mary Taylor the right & title to and entire control of a certain mortgage deed (together with the property therein specified) executed by one Samuel Winslett and I desire that she shall have and enjoy all the rights benefits and advantages arising and accuring from said (mortgage deed and shall dispose of the same in any manner she may think fit and should said mortgage deed be foreclosed before my death or should I become the absolute owner of the negroes mentioned in said mortgage by purchase or otherwise in my life time then & in that case I desire that said negroes in said mortgage mentioned shall become at my death absolutely and unconditionally the property of my said wife Mary Taylor forever. I also give and bequeath unto my wife Mary Taylor a note of hand executed by Wilson Williams and endorsed by B. H. Canerese & W. H. Sledge for two hundred and sixteen dated the 1st day of December 1831 and payable the first day of January 1833. I also give and bequeath unto my said wife Mary Taylor all my household kitchen and table furniture of every kind or description whatever also all my stock of horses hogs & sheep and eight cows & calves of her own selection out of my stock of cattle also all my farming utensils & tools of every kind whatever. And I also hereby appoint and nominate my said wife Mary Taylor my residuary Legatee and I desire that she shall and own unconditionally and absolutely all the property effects rights & credits which I may own at the time of my death & not hereinbefore disposed of after the payment of debts as aforesaid and funeral expences.

Article 9. Reposing special confidence and trust in my son Thomas Taylor of the county & state first aforesaid I hereby nominate and appoint him my true & lawful Executor to carry into execution & effect according to the spirit and meaning thereof this my last will and testament. And I desire that the property hereinbefore disposed of shall be distributed in the manner hereinbefore prescribed so soon after my death as practicable.

This my last will and testament made signed sealed & published this the twentieth day of July in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.

Signed sealed & published in the presents of J. E. Morgan, J. B. Simmons, William Dougherly

James his X mark Taylor (seal)

JOSHUS PEMBERTON'S WILL

In the name of God Amen.

I Joshua Pemberton of the state of Alabama and county of Chambers being in good sound disposing mind and memory calling to mind the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death do make this my last will and testament.

First I leave and commend my sould to God who gave it and my body to be decently buried at the descrestion of my executors hereafter named.

Iton I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Pemberton my half quarter section of land to which I now live on together with all my household furniture and all my stock consisting of hogs and cattle and so during her natural life or widowhood and at the death or marriage of my wife I give and bequeath all my estate before mentioned to my four children namely Josiah Pemberton and William Pemberton and my daughter Amandy Milvina Pemberton and Mary Ann Pemberton to be equal divided together with all property or propertys that I may not have mentioned heretofore. I therefore do anominate my friend Francis Pearson my executor this my last will and testament this the 14 day of March 1836.

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James Cospur
his
Francis P Pearson
mark

Joshua Pemberton (seal)

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WEBB KIDD ADMINISTRATIOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Webb Kidd Ninean W. Kidd & Henry T. Dawsin are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of eighteen hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 24th day of January 1837. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petion of Webb Kidd administrator of the estate of Yelcor Hadjo an Indian late of Chambers County deceased. The orphans court of said county has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of said Yelcor Hadjo which has been sold & the sum of eight hundred & seventy-two dollars been received by the said Webb Kidd as administrator as aforesaid. Now if the said Webb Kidd **administrator** as aforesaid shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decre then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed and acknowledged by said Webb Kidd & Ninian W. Kidd in my presence on the 26th of January 1837.

H. T. Dawson

Signed sealed & acknowledged by said Henry T. Dawson the 28th January 1837 before me & approved by me.

J. Thompson Judge

Webb Kidd (L.S.)
Ninian W. Kidd (L.S.)
H. T. Dawson (L.S.)

WEBB KIDD AMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Webb Kidd Ninian W. Kidd & Jeremiah Thornton are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of four hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the twenty-fifth day of July 1836. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Webb Kidd has been duly appointed Administrator of the estate of Yelcor Hadjo late of Chambers County deceased. Now if the said Webb Kidd shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of---as such administrator then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged in open court & approved.

J. Thompson Judge

Webb Kidd (seal)
Ninian W. Kidd (seal)
J. H. Thornton (seal)

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JOHN EDGE GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John Edge William Hand William B. Edge are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of two thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves and our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 24th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Edge has been required to give new bond by his securities on his guardian bond for the guardinaship of Mary Ann Henderson child of Arthur G.-- Henderson late of Henry County Georgia deceased. Now if the said John Edge 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.

Signed sealed and acknowledged in open court and approved by me.

Even G. Richards J. C. C.

John Edge (L.S.)
William Hand (L.S.)
W. B. Edge (L.S.)

GILFORD P. GILDER ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Gilford P. Gilder Samuel R. Moss William Vann & Sanders R. Vann are held & firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of four thousand six hundred dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 27th day of October 1836. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of John J. Williams & Gilford P. Gilder, administrators of the estate of Tupekiah Hadjo deceased. The orphans court of said county has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of said Tupekiah Hadjo deceased and the said Gilford P. Gilder as surving administrator has received the sum of twenty-two hundred & sixty-four dollars and said Gilder has been required to give new bond with such condition according to law as will make the securities in the new bond liable for the faithful payment & application of the money arising from the sale of said real estate according to the final decre. And release John Taylor from his securityship on the bond heretofore entered into by said Gilder. Now if the said Gilder shall save said John Taylor harmless on the bond on which said Taylor is security as aforesaid and also shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree then the above obligation to void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed and acknowledged by said Gilder & Mop this 28th of October 1836 before me.
J. Thompson

Gilford P.Gilder (L.S.)
Samuel R. Moss (L.S.)
Wm. Vann (L.S.)
Sanders R. Vann (L.S.)

Signed sealed and acknowledged by said Wm. & Sanders this 26th of November 1836 & approved.
J. Thompson Judge

ELISHA TRICE GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Elisha Trice Mirick Harrell Seaborn Harrell & William Brumnut of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of twenty-two hundred dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 23rd day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Elisha Trice has been duly appointed Guardian of Martha Harrell & of the estate of said Martha Harrell infant child of Wm. Harrell of said county deceased. Now if the said Elisha Trice 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged.
Approved by me.
Even G. Richards J. C. C.

Elisha Trice (L.S.)
Mirick Harrell (L.S.)
Seaborn Harrell (L.S.)
William Brumnut (L.S.)

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SARAH HARRELL GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Sarah Harrell Seaborn Harrell Mirick Harrell of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of twenty-two hundred dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 23rd day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Sarah Harrell guardian of Martha Harrell has been duly required to give new bond as such guardian of the estate of said Martha infant child of William Harrell deceased. Now if the said Sarah Harrell 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 reamin in full force.

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S. Thornton J. P. to the assignment of Sarah Harrell's mark.
Approved this 22nd October 1839.
Even G. Richards Judge County Court)

Sarah A her mark Harrell (L.S.)
Seaborn Harrell (L.S.)
Mirick Harrell (L.S.)

WILLIAM VANN ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William Vann John Taylor & Arnold Seal & Tatum Menifee & Gilford P. Gilder are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the orphans court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of twenty-six thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the------day of----------. The conditon of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of William Vann administrator of the estate of Stillepike Chartee deceased. The orphans court of said county has ordered & decreed the sale of certain real estate of said Stillepike Chartee late of Chambers County deceased & said real estate has been sold & the sum of twelve hundred and seventy dollars been received by the said William Vann administrator.

Now if the said William Vann shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed and acknowledged. &) Wm. Vann (L.S.)
approved in open court.) John Taylor (L.S.)
J. Thompson Judge) A. Seal (L.S.)
T. Menifee (L.S.)
G. P. Gilder (L.S.)

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MARIA MCLANE & JOHN MCLANE GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Maria McLane John McLane Thomas Shannon & James W. Richards of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court of said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of two thousand five hundred dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 22nd day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Maria McLane & John McLane have been appointed Guardians of Sarah McLane Horatio, Jesse, James, Mary L. Alfred A. Harriet M. Perender L. McLane infant children of James McLane deceased.

Now if the said Maria McLane & John McLane guardians shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such guardian then the above obligation to be void else to remain in force.

Assigned in open court.) her
Approved) Maria X McLane (L.S.)
Even G. Richards J. C. C.) mark
John McLane (L.S.)
T. Shannon (L.S.)
Jas. W. Richards (L.S.)

THOMAS J. TURMAN GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all mer by these presents that we Thomas J. Turman Woodson P. Allen and William George of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of twnety-five hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 10th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas J. Turman has been appointed guardian of John A. Garrett infant son of Thomas Garrett late of Morgan County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Thomas J. Turman 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 else to remain in full force.

Approved in open court.) Thos. J. Turman (L.S.)
Even G. Richards) Woodson P. Allen (L.S.)
J. C. C.) William George (L.S.)

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WILLIAM HICKS ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William Hicks Thomas J. Middleton Boykin Lee Vincent A. Pearson of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of seven thousand three hundred & fifty dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William Hicks & Thomas J. Middleton has been appointed administrators of the Estate of William W. Blackman deceased. Now if the said William Hicks & Thomas J. Middleton 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.

Assigned & acknowledged in open court. William Hicks (L.S.)
Approved by me. Thos. J. Middleton (L.S.)
Even G. Richards J. C. C. Boykin Lee (L.S.)
V. A. Pearson (L.S.)
A. Horton (L.S.)

ALSEY COOPER GUARDIAN OF MARTHA COOPER & OTHERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Alsey cooper Ezekiel Ratchford & William L. Grayton of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 16th day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Alsey Cooper has been appointed Guardian of Martha Cooper Charles P. Cooper Andrew Jackson Cooper John M. Cooper Irena M. Elizabeth Cooper Adam L. Cooper Clarissa R. Cooper infant children of Andrew Cooper late of Chambers County Ala. deceased. Now if the said Alsey Cooper guardian aforesaid 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 void else to remain in full force.

Assigned & approved in open court.) Alsey Cooper (L.S.)
Even G. Richards J. C. C.) E. Ratchford (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)

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AUGUSTUS H. FINLEY & ELIZABETH FINLEY ADMR. & ADMX. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Augustus H. Finley Elizabeth Finley William A. J. Finley Richmond Pearson & William Foster of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of thirty-eight hundred dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly & severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and the 9th day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Augustus H. Finley & Elizabeth Finley has been appointed Admr. & Admx. of the estate of William Finley of said county deceased. Now if the said Augustus H. Finley & Elizabeth Finley shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such Admr. & Admx. then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed 9th June 1840. Securities signed) Augustus H. Finley (L.S.)
the 6th August 1840. Approved this 6th August) Elizabeth Finley (L.S.)
1840.) W. A. J. Finley (L.S.)
Even G. Richards J. C. C.) Richard Pearson (L.S.)
William Foster (L.S.)

MARTHA FARLEY ADMX. & WILLIAM FANNIEE AMS'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Martha Farley & William Fanniee John Boyd Elisha Ford of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of ten thousand dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 27th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Martha Farley & William Fanniee have been appointed administrators with the will annexed of the estate of James Farley deceased. Now if the said Martha Farley and Wm. Fanniee 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.

Assigned and acknowledged in) Martha her X mark Farley (L.S.)
open court & approved.) William Fanniee (L.S.)
Even G. Richards J. C. C.) John Boyd (L.S.)
Elisha Ford (L.S.)

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GREEN W. HILL ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Green W. Hill Elijah W. Webb Marcus A. Mills Moses A. Buckelene John C. Hobman of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court of said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of ten thousand dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 10th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Green W. Hill has been appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of John C. Webb deceased. Now if the said Green W. Hill shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator with the will annexed then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court and Green W. Hill (L.S.)
approved the 24th August 1840. Elijah W. Webb (L.S.)
Even G. Richards J. C. C. Marcus A. Mills (L.S.)
C. R. Pearson (L.S.)
M. A. Buckelene (L.S.)
John C. Hobman (L.S.)

JOHN FREEMAN ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John Freeman John Garrett John Lamb & Bartholomew B. Moore of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of ten thousand dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 18th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Freeman has been appointed administrator of the estate of Edward Walts deceased. Now if the said John Freeman 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.

Assigned in open court and approved by me. — John his X mark Freeman (L.S.)
Even G. Richards J. C, C. — John Garrett (L.S.)
John Lamb (L.S.)
B. B. Moore (L.S.)

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LEAH MCPHERSON ADMRX. & ROBERT M. STEWART ADMR'S. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Leah McPherson Robert M. Stewart Henry E. Sharp Milbern Saxon & James Stewart of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Even G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of sixteen hundred dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty --. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Leah McPerson & Robert M. Stewart has been appointed admx. & admr. of the estate of Calvin McPherson deceased. .Now if the said Leah McPherson & Robert M. Stewart shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such admx. & admr. then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court. Approved)
Even G. Richards J. C. C.)

Leah her X mark McPherson (L.S.)
Robert M. Stewart (L.S.)
Henry E. Sharp (L.S.)
Milbern Saxon (L.S.)
James Stewart (L.S.)

GREENBERRY GRESHAM ET AL ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Leroy Gresham Greenberry Gresham principles and Y. J. Gresham and Paschal Gresham Jonathan Johnston securities are held and firmly bound unto James Thompson Judge of the orphan's court of Chambers County state of Alabama in the penal sum of two thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the sixth day of January 1836. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of said Greenberry Gresham & Leroy Gresham administrators of the estate of Littleberry Gresham deceased the orphans court of said county has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of said Littleberry Gresham deceased which has been sold for the sum of nine hundred & twenty-five dollars which sum has been duly paid by the purchaser and has been received by the said Greenberry Gresham & Leroy Gresham shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed and acknowledged.)
Approved 25 July 1836.)
J. Thompson Judge)

Leroy Gresham (L.S.)
Greenberry Gresham (L.S.)
Y. J. Gresham (L.S.)
Paschal Gresham (L.S.)
Jonathan Johnston (L.S.)

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WILEY DORMAN GUARDIAN OF WILLIAM L. NORTHERN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Wiley Dorman Mason Day George W. Gafford & William Atkins are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the orphan court of Chambers County state of Alabama & his successors in office in the penal sum of six thousand dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we each of us do bind ourselves our heirs &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals & dated the 18th day of November 1839. The condition of the above abligation is such that whereas the above bound Wiley Dorman has been duly appointed guardian of William L. Northern infant child of Ephraim Northern late of Jones County state of Georgia deceased. Now if the said Wiley Dorman shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian as aforesaid then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in open court. Approved by me this 18th day of November 1839.
Even G. Richards J. C. C.

Wiley Dorman (L.S.)
Mason Day (L.S.)
G. W. Gafford (L.S.)
Wm. Atkins (L.S.)

ELISHA RAY'S ADMR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William A. J. Finley Augustus H. Finley & Henry T. Smartt of the county & state aforesaid are held & firmly bound unto Evan G Richards Judge of the county court of said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of two hundred dollars for the payment of which well & truly to be made & done, we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly, severally & firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 5th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William A. J. Finley has been appointed administrator of the estate of Elisha Ray late of this county deceased. Now if the said William A. J. Finley administrator aforesaid 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, else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court & approved. W. A. J. Finley (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. A. H. Finley (L.S.)
H. T. Smartt (L.S.)

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JOHN DAVIS'S ADM. AD COLLEGEN DUM BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Felix Stanley James S. Mitchell & Peter Baugh of the county & state aforesaid are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Nine Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made & done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly, severally & firmly, by these presents, Sealed with our seals and dated the 9th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above Felix Stanley has been appointed administrator ad collegen dum of the estate of John Davis, late of this county deceased. Now if the said Felix Stanley shall well & truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator ad collegen dum of said John Davis deceased, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Assigned and approved in open court. Felix Stanley (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. Edward Baugh (L.S.)
J. S. Mitchell (L.S.)

JOHN DAVIS'S ADMRS. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Felix Stanley William Blount, William Barrow & William L. Crayton of the county & state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richard Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Nine 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 24th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Felix Stanley and William Blount has been appointed administrators with the will annexed of the estate of John Davis late of this county deceased. Now if the said Felix Stanley & William Blount shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administrators then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court & approved. Felix Stanley (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. Willian Blount (L.S.)
William Barrow (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)

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JOHN MCULLOH ADMR'S. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Caroline A. McCulloh, Charles McLemore, Peterson T. Richardson & William L. Crayton of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Fourteen Thousand Seven Hundred 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 27th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Caroline A. MCulloh has been appointed administratrix of the estate of John MCulloh late of Chambers County deceased. Now if the said Caroline A. MCulloh shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such administratrix then this obligation to be void else to remain in full force.

Assigned & acknowledged in open court. Caroline A. MCulloh (L.S.)
Approved. Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. P. T. Richardson (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)

JAMES R. STARR DECD. ADMX. & ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Phebe Starr, Henry Starr David B. Culberson & John M. Andrews of the county and state aforesaid are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for penal sum of Seven 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Phebe Starr & Henry Starr has been appointed administrator and administratrix of the estate of James R. Star late of this county deceased. Now if the said Phebe Starr and Henry Starr shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administratrix & administrator then the above obligation to be void else to remain in full force.

Test

Caroline Presley J. P approved)
in open court this 6th November 1840.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.)

Phebe Starr (L.S.)
Henry Starr (L.S.)
D. B. Culberson (L.S.)
John M. Andrews (L.S.)

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ANGUS MCINTYRE'S ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Green Culberson Daniel D. Campbell & Benjamin G. Green of the county & state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of one hundred dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made & done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly, severally & firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated tha 7th day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Green Culberson has been appointed administrator of the estate of Angus McIntyre late of this county deceased.

Now if the said Green Culberson 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 else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court & approved.
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.

Green Culberson (L.S.)
Daniel D. Campbell (L.S.)
B. G. Green (L.S.)

JOHN CAMPBELL'S ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Daniel D. Campbell, Calvin Presley & Lemuel G. Dawson of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Eight 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 & firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the ninth day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Daniel D. Campbell has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Campbell late of said county deceased.

Now if the said Daniel D. Campbell 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 else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court this 9 November.)
Evan G. Richards. J. C. C.)

Daniel D. Campbell (L.S.)
Calvin Presley (L.S.)
Lemuel G. Dawson (L.S.)

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MARGARET WEBB'S ADM. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Abner Webb John Howard & Elisha Ford of the county & state aforesaid are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Thirteen Hundred Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators, jointly, severally & firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 9th day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Abner Webb has been appointed administrator of the estate of Margaret Webb late of this county deceased. Now if the said Abner 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 else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court & approved.
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.

Abner Webb (L.S.)
John Howard (L.S.)
Elisha Ford (L.S.)

BENNET M. WARE EXTR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Bennet M. Ware Samuel B. Turner and John Chislom of the county and state aforesaid are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Five Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well & truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 15th day January A.D. one thousand eight hundred & forty-one.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Bennet M. Ware has been appointed sole executor of the last will & testament of Fabean Moody late of Chambers County Alabama decd. Now if the said Bennet M. Ware (as executor aforesaid) shall well & 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 else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court. Approved)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.)

Bennet M. Ware (L.S.)
Saml. B. Turner (L.S.)
John Chislom (L.S.)

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DAVID TREADWELL GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we David Treadwell & William Graggs Joseph F. Henry of the county & state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court of said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of one thousand dollars for payment of which well & truly to be made & done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly severally & firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day January A.D. one thousand eight hundred & forty-one.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above David Treadwell has been appointed guardian of Sarah J. Treadwell daughter of John Treadwell Jr. infant.

Now if the said David Treadwell 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 else to remain in full force.

Approved in open court.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.)

David Treadwell (L.S.)
William Graggs (L.S.)
J. F. Henry (L.S.)

DAVID H. MIDDLETON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we David H. Middleton Thomas J. Middleton and Josiah Blackman of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well & truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly severally & firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 8th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred & forty-one.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound David H. Middleton has been appointed guarding of Mary A. Blackman Robert J. Blackman/ & William H. Blackman children of William W. Blackman /deced. Now if the said David H. Middleton guardian shall well & truly perform all the duties which are or may be required by law of him or such guardian then the above obligation to be void else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court. D. H. Middleton (L.S.)
Approved. Thomas J. Mitchell (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. Josiah Blackman (L.S.)

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FABIAN MOODY'S WILL OCTOBER 11th 1840

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen.

I Fabian Moody of the state and county aforesaid being in a low state of health and of sound mind bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Moody all of my estate both real and personal after the payment of my just debts Viz one hundred & forty acres of land in the county and state aforesaid lying on the North line of section 23 and range 27 running with Abner Ward's line thence to Strands Fence thus along Strands Fence to a branch and up said branch to the land on Section 24 thence a straight line to the East line thence to Smith line so as to make one hundred & forty acres of land being the land whereon I now live also I give and bequeath unto my wife Elizabeth Moody the following negroes Viz Amanda and her children, Torret, John, Harriet and Thaddius also Henry a boy about 19 years old also all of my stock consisting of one yoke of oxen and cart also horses & cows & hogs and my present crop farming tools household & kitchen furniture. If the present crop does not pay all of my just debts it is my wish that the above stated tract of land be sold first in preference to my other property I also appoint my wife Elizabeth Moody executrix and Bennet Ware executor of my estate being my last will & testament whereunto I set my hand afix my seal in the year and date above written.

Witness

Edmond Duggan)
Solomon Ward)
Samuel Swint)

his
Fabian X Moody
mark

Will proven by Solomon Ward and Samuel Swint ordered of record this 14th January 1841.

Evan G. Richards J. C. C.

REBECA STOKER ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Rebeca Stoker Jacob Burton and William Strozeir of the state and county aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Seven Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well & truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors or administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day January A.D. one thousand eight hundred & forty-one.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Rebeca Stoker has been appointed/sole administratrix of the estate of Arnold Stoker late of this county deceased. Now if the said Rebeca Stoker admx. 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 else to remain in full force.

Approved in open court.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.)

Rebeca L. Stoker (L.S.)
Jacob Burton (L.S.)
William Stroxeir (L.S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Elizabeth Bradley John Pratt William Kirk and John M. Duke of the county and state aforeasaid are held & firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Four Thousand Four Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 9th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty-one.

The condition of ehe above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Elizabeth Bradley has been appointed guardian of Martha A. M. E. Stephens Sarah J. Bradley Eliza L. John J. Mary A. & Uzenia R. Bradley infant childred of David S. Bradley late of Hurd County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Elizabeth Bradley guardian as aforesaid 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 18th day of February 1841.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.)

Elizabeth Bradley (L.S.)
John Pratt (L.S.)
Wm. G. Kirk (L.S.)
John M. Duke (L.S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA, CHAMBERS COUNTY

Rebeca Stoker Guardian Bond

Know all men by these presents that we Rebeca Stoker Jacob Burton and William Strozier of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court of said County and his successors in office for the penal sum of Six Thousand Two Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs executors administrators jointly severally & firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 25 day of January A.D. one Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Rebeca Stoker has been appointed guardian of Frances E. Susan A. Lucy J. John B. William E. & Mariah W. Stoker infant of Arnold Stoker deceased Now if the said Rebeca Stoker 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 in open court
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Rebeca L. Stoker (L.S.)
Jacob Burton (L.S.)
William Strozier (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Mary Ann Pace Thomas C. Russell and Lowe Jackson of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Three Hundred and Sixty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 22nd day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred & forty-one.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Mary Ann Pace has been appointed guardian of Adaline Francis William Asberry Mary Turner and Julia Ann infant childred of Hardy Pace deceased. Now if the said Mary Ann Pace 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.

Assigned in open court. Approved.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.)

Mary Ann Pace (L.S.)
Thomas C. Russell (L.S.)
Lowe Jackson (L.S.)

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JAMES JONES'S WILL

Being at James Jones in Chambers County on the evening of the 28th day of November 1840 he being very weak in body but I believe sound in mind and memory, he called his wife Matilda Jones to the bedside and took her by the hand and said to her that he should die and that he wished her to have all of his property after his just debts were paid. He then called on James R. Buffington and myself to hear witness that such was his will. He also stated that he had also informed Ethel Tucker Benjamin Ramage and Caroline Ramage that he wished his property to go to his wife after his death and that she could call on them in the event of their being any difficulty about his property these words were spoken late in the evening of the day above named and the said James Jones died on the next morning about daylight this 16th day of March 1841.

Richard Buffington

Sworn to and subsubed before me Evan G. Richards J. C. C.

James R. Buffington being sworn states that the above stated facts are true as stated above. Sworn to before me this 16th March 1841.

Evan G. Richards J. C. C.

James R. Buffington

Benjamin Ramage and his wife Caroline Ramage state that James Jones was at their house about two weeks before he died that in conversation he stated to them that it was his intention to make a will before he died and that he intended giving all of his property to his wife after the payment of his debts, he was at that time in very bad health, but sound of mind & memory this 16th March 1841.

Evan G. Richards J. C. C. C. C.

Benjamin Ramage
Caroline E. Ramage

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Ethel Tucker states that about four weeks before the death of James Jones that said Jones stated to him that he intended his wife Matilda Jones to have all of his property after his death provided he should die before she died and that he never intended his relations should have any of his property this 16th March 1841.

Evan G. Richards J. C. C. C. C. C. Ethel Tucker

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ADMINISTRATION BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Matilda Jone, Ethel Tucker & Benjamin Ramage of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Thirty Two Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors or administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 16th day of March A. D. one thousand eight hundred & forty-one.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Matilda Jones has been appointed administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of James Jones late of this county deceased.

Now if the Matilda Jones 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.

Assigned in open court & approved.) Matilda Jones (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.) Ethel Tucker (L.S.)
Benjamin Ramage (L.S.)

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BAXTER TAYLOR'S WILL Baxter

To all whom these presence may come.

Know ye that I Baxter Taylor of the county of Chambers & state of Alabama being of sound mind & memory, but laboring under much bodily affliction do hereby make this my last will & testament.

1st. It is my will and desire that all of my just debts be paid.

2nd. I give and bequeath unto my dear and beloved wife Elizabeth Taylor the following negroes(viz) Wilson a man aboutn thirty years of age and Jordian a man about twenty-one years of age, to her only proper use and benefit for her support and and the raising of my minor children and at her death said negroes to be sold and the proceeds equally divided among my children (viz) Mariah Louisa, Adaline, John Walton, Aletha Elizabeth, Francis Ann, Sarah Jane, Peter Baxter, Terisa Elva & Nancy Eveline. I also give and bequeath unto my wife as aforesaid one negro woman about fifty-two years of age to be to her use and support of the children and ultimately to the benefit of my children as pointed out with the first two named negroes. I also give & bequeath unto my wife aforesaid one sorrell horse called Jerry and one feather bed furniture and bed stead to her only proper use and benefit.

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3rd. I give and bequeath unto my son John Walton one sorrell horse colt known as his colt which will be an equivolent or something like equal to a horse. I have given to my eldest & married daughter and it is my will that all my minor children receive an equivolent making it equal to the above property & named children say to the amount of thirty-five dollars.

4th. It is my will that my property be all kept together and a crop made the present yearsand when that is saved, a sufficiency of which & of hogs for the support of my family for the next ensuing year to be reserved and then all my remaining property to be sold to the highest bidder and when my just debts are paid the residue to be managed in the most profitable manner for the use of my children by my executors hereinafter named.

I hereby nominate constitute & appoint my wife Elizabeth Taylor & Henry Kellarn my true & lawful executors to carry this my last will and testament fully into operation and effect agreeable to the different terms herein named & contained.

In testimony whereof I have hereinto set my hand & seal this twenty-fourth day of March & in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & forty-one.

In presence of)
Sanford Higginbothan)
Jefferson Brooks) Baxter Taylor (L.S.)
John Love)

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LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION TO A. S. CORLY AND DAVID L. WARDLAWS

GEORGIA)
GWINNETT COUNTY)

By their Honors the Judges of the court of ordinary for said county to Amanda S. Corley & David S. Wardlaws greeting, whereas, John H. Corley late of the county aforesaid deceased died intestate, as it is said we do therefore give and grant unto you the said Amanda S. Corley & David S. Wardlaws full power and authority to administer all and singular the goods, chattles, and credits which were of the said dedeased at the time of his death, and to demand, collect, and levy, and in legal manner require and receive all and all manner of debt and debts due and owing to the said deceased, and well and faithfully to dispose of the same and out of the goods, chattles and credits of the said deceased, which have may or shall come to your hands or possession well and truly pay the debts due by the said deceased so far forth as the same will extend and the law will charge you, according to the true value of the sum then of you having first taken your oath well and truly to administer the same, and to make, or cause to be made, a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods chattles and credits of the said deceased which have, may or shall come to your hands possession or knowledge appraised in dollars and cents as also to remain a just and true account of and upon your administration therein and to exhibit both unto the ordinary office for the said county touching which inventory you are presently assigned to perform or at farthest on or before the first Monday of November next and on account on the first term of the court of ordinary for the county aforesaid in every year until you have completed your administration, and lastly we do hereby nominate

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constitute, and appoint you the said Amanda S. Corley & David L. Wardlaws administrators of all and singular the goods chattles and credits of the said deceased.

Witness the Honorable John Mills one of the judges of the court of ordinary for said county this seventh day of September 1840.

Wm. Mattlie

GEORGIA)
GWINNETT COUNTY)

I do hereby certify that at the time the within letters of administration were granted to Amanda S. Corley and David L. Wardlaws William Mattlie Esqr. was clerk of the court of ordinary for this county and his attestation as such is entitled to full faith and credit. Given under my hand and seal as justice of the inferior court for said county of Gwinnett this 2rd day of February 1841.

Saml. F. Alexander J. C. C. (seal)

GEORGIA)
GWINNETT COUNTY)

I do hereby certify that Samuel F. Alexander Esqr. who signed the above certificate is an acting justice of the inferior court in said county and that his attestation as such is entitled to full faith and credit. Given under my hand & seal of office this 2rd day of February 1841.

Henry P. Thomas C. C. O.

GEORGIA)
GWINNETT COUNTY)

I do hereby certify that Henry P. Thomas whose name appears to the above certificate is clerk of the court of ordinary for said county of Gwinnett and that his attestation as such is entitled to full faith and credit. Given under my hand and seal as justice of the inferiors court in said county of Gwinnett this 2rd day of February 1841.

Saml. C. Dunlap J. C. C. (seal)

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY CLERKS OFFICE S. S.)

Be it remembered that on the 14th day of September A.D. 1841 the original of the foregoing letters of administration was deposited in this office for record certified as above and on the 19th day of April A.D. 1842 was duly recorded in record of Wills & Bonds &c & pages 349, 350 & 351.

Edward Croft clrk.

ABALOM ADAMS DECD. WILL

ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God amen.

I Absalom Adams of said county and state being weak in body and advanced in years and knowing that it is appointed unto all men to die yet being entirely sound in mind and memory do hereby make and ordain this my last will and testament.

Item 1st. My will first of all is that all my just debts be paid out of my estate to fore these is any distribution made of my property in any way.

Item 2nd. My will further is that after my debts are paid that my son John Adams have my four negro boys, viz, Nepton, Jacob, Willis & Green to have and to hold as his own right and property after complying with the following conditions & paying out the following sums of money viz. To my daughter Polley Jimersons three youngest children which are now living William Jimerson & Lucinda Jimerson with me viz. Martha Jimerson the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to be paid to them as they become of age. My will further is that the above named children be maintained clothed & educated by my son John Adams clear of cost & charges to them, also that they heir (at my decease) all the remainder of my perishable property consisting of household furniture hogs cattle & horses (if any there be) and that it be disposed of in the most prudent and profitable manner and the effects thereof be paid to them as they become of age.

Item 3rd. My will further is that my daughter Lucy Phillips and heirs have the sum of two hundred dollars to become due and be paid unto them at my decease.

4th. To my son William Adams I give and bequeath only the sum of five dollars having given him the sum of two hundred and sixty eight dollars to aid in getting out of of some difficulties previously which I consider as his part of my estate.

Item 5th. To my son Jesse Adams I give the sum of five dollars only which I consider as his part of my estate.

Item 6th. To my wife Elizabeth I give & bequeath my negro woman Amy during her life and at her death I give her to my son John Adams & his heirs forever. The afore mentioned negroes after complying with the terms of this will shall belong to my son John Adams and his heirs forever as fully and effectiveally as if he had bills of sale for them from under my hand.

6th. My will lastly is that my son John Adams act as my executor to put this my will in force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in the presence of

John Adams Jun[r]
George E. Hodge

December 3rd 1836

Absalom X Adams his mark (L.S.)

ELI ELKIN'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God amen. I Eli Elkins in and of the county Chambers Ala. being mindful of my mortately do this the twenty-third day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-one made and publish this my last will and testament in manner following.

First I desire to be decently buried at a place selected on my own premises known to my family without any pomp & as little expences as possible. Second I desire that my just debts be paid out of the following property my notes & smith book to be first collected & paid out 2 my smith tools and clock and ten head of cattle 12 head of hogs and one third of the crop of corn. And provided said property will not defray said debts my other property that can be spared by my family. To my beloved wife Susan Caroline Elkins I give and bequeath the Norôhwest quarter of section 18 in Township 24 of Range 25 her lifetime if she marries again the said land & its profits to go to my children to wit Susan Jane William Elliot Griffin Mary Adaline & Sarah Elizabeth Elkins. To my son William Elliot Griffin Elkins I give solely and apart the North half of the southwest quarter of said section 18 in Township and Range aforesaid in the district of lands subject to sail at Montgomery Ala. all the balance of my property to the use of my family collectively and last and not least of all I earnestly request my family as they grow up to live in peace with each other and trust in the Lord Jesus Christ for their salvation.

Signed & published by the said testator as & for his last will & testament in our presence this the 23rd day of September 1841--who at his request have subscribed as witnesses thereto.

George Cauttlebum
Ire Bishop
John McKnight J. P. C. Ala.

Eli Elkins (L.S.)

N. B. after all debts paid the balance if any to be put to interest so as not to be lying idle and making nothing and equal distribution.

E. E.

Test

John McKnight J. P. C. Ala.

Will proven by all three of the witnesses and ordered of record this 20th December 1841.

Evan G. Richards Jr. C. C. C. C.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I John McKnight a justice of the peace for sd city do hereby certify that on the 23rd day Sept. 1841 the within named Eli Elkins personally appeared before me and acknowledged the within instrument to his free act and deed given under my hand and sealed this 23rd Sept. 1841.

John McKnight J. P. (L.S.)

JOHNATHAN MUSICK WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Whereas I Johnathan Musick of the county and state aforesaid being weak of body but sound in mind do make this my last will and testament. First I will and bequeath to my beloved wife Margaret Musick her life time certain portion of property to wit the land and dwellings where we now live also certain negroes named Alen Harriette and her two youngest children also Dick Peter and Lucy his wife also a boy named Ben also Blacksmith tools and all the farming tools as she thinks she needs and all belonging to the house and as much stock as she thinks proper to keep such as horses cattle and hoge the balance sold for the use of the children except 2 beds and furniture which I leave to my two youngest children George W. Young and my daughter Anjeline as they come of age also I will to my son George Washington a certain mare colt Jane to my daughter Anjaline a certain bay mare and colt.

Now I will to my daughter Maurium Jones a certain negro boy named Richard. Now I leave in the hands of my executors five hundred dollars to purchase a negro girl which I will to my daughter Elizabeth Blasingame and to the heirs of her body not to be sold or disposed of by Morris or any other person. I will to my son George Washington Musick a certain negro boy named Edmond, I also will to my daughter Analyne Musick a certain negro girl named Liza--I also will to my daughter Julia Kindol a certain negro girl named Narrisa also eighty acres of land where they now live.

T. Shannon
Wiseman Ross
James Fleming

Johnathan Musick (L.S.)

After the death of my wife I want the balance of the property sold all except one hundred and sixty acres of land including my prumption claim which I want equally divided with my two youngest children G. W. Y. Musick and Anjaline which I leave to them best known to myself the balance amongst the nine children except so much as will support Sally Morrow & Jane Morrow their life time. I leave my daughter Phebe Morris one hundred dollars to be left in the hands of my trustee William R. Cosslin for the use of her and the heirs of her body I also trust in the hand of my sd trustee William R. Cosslin to act for my daughter Emily Blasingame & Phebe Morris and the heirs of their bodies all their equal divide as legates confiding and believing that he will do to the best of his ability and knowledge this one hundred dollars is to make Phebe Morris equal to what I have already given the rest of the children. Done in a broken manner I hope the court will understand my views.

I now appoint James Jones Michal Hinkle and my son George Washington to act as my executors believing they will save and have this my will carried effect given under my hand and sealed the first day of April one thousand eight hundred and forty-two.

Signed sealed in the presence of

T. Shannon)
Wiseman Ross)
James Fleming)

Jonathan Musick (L.S.)

WILLIAM LEE'S WILL

The last will and testament of William Lee of the county of Chambers and state of Alabama.

I William Lee considering the uncertainty of this mortal life and being of sound mind and memory (blessed be the Almighty God for the same) do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and from following (that is to say) First I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Nancy the eighty acres of land on which my dwelling house stands known as the West half of the South-East quarter of section Nineteen in Township twenty-four of Range Twenty-seven to her own use and benefit during her natural life and then to go to my youngest son Charles with whom it is my desire she shall live.

Also I give and bequeath to my said wife the following named negroes Amy a woman about forty years of age and Harreitte a woman about twenty-six years of age to her own use and benefit during her natural life and at her death the said negroes and increase to be equally divided amongst all my lawful heirs I also give to my said wife two horses. First a chesnut sorrell and a gray mare two cows & calves her choice four head of sheep and all my stock of hogs one yoke of oxen and my old wagon one bed and furniture my clock four sitting chairs one chest one table.

Item 2nd. I give and bequeath to my daughter eighty acres of land on which said Reaves now lives known as the East-half of the North East quarter section Township and Range above one negro girl by the name of Martha between three and four years of age which said peoperty I give to my said daughter to her own use and benefit during her own natural life and then with increase to be equally divided between the heirs of her body.

Item 3rd. I give and bequeath to my son Johnathan R. the following tract of land (viz) the West half of the North East quarter section Township & Range above and one negro boy by the name of Lewis about eight years of age two cows & calves two sheep.

Item 4th. I give and bequeath to my son William J. the following land (viz) the North half of the North West quarter of section nineteen Township twenty four of Range twentyseven one negro boy by the name of Isac about five years of age one gray mare five years old two cows and calves and two sheep.

Item 5th. I give and bequeath to my son Ephraim J. the following tract of land (viz) the south half of the North west quarter same section Township & Range all the above lands in the district of lands subject to sail at Montgomery, Alabama one negro girl about one year old one black horse two cows and calves and two sheep.

Item 6th. I give and bequeath to my son Charles C. one negro boy by the name of Jim about ten years of age one dark bay horse colt that he claims two cows & calves & two sheep I also give and bequeath to each of my above named sons (viz) Johnathan R. William J. Ephriam J. & Charles C. one bed and furniture and all the balance of my estate consisting in part of one negro man by the name of Jordan one wagon and all my stock that is not disposed of above. I will and desire to be sold and after paying all my just debts the balance to be equally divided between my above named children Elizabeth Johnathan R. William J. Ephriam J. and Charles C. and I do hereby nominate and appoint my son Johnathan R. Lee & my neighbours and friend Nathianul Grady executors to this my last will and testament hereby reconing all former wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the sixteenth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-two. Signed seal-

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ed published and declared by the said William Lee to be his last will and testament in the presence of us who have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses in the presence of the testator.

William S. Lee — William Lee (L.S.)
Emary Prothro
James Wilkins

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JOSEPH HANCOCK'S WILL

In the name of God amen.

I Joseph Hancock of the county of Chambers and state of Alabama being of sound & disposing mind & memory do make and ordain this my last will & testament in manner and form following that is to say I will that a sufficient quantity of my property to be sold so as to discharge all of my debts by my executrix herein after named I give and demise unto my loving wife Elizabeth all the rest of my goods and cattle and personal estate whatsoever as executrix and guardian of the same during her widowhood or until the first of January eighteen hundred & forty-four and sooner if she thinks it expedient so to do for the interest of the heirs of said estate then to be sold and divided among her and all the lawful heirs of said estate so as Elizabeth my wife to have and equal share with the four oldest children and so as Josiah to have seventy five dollars more than share and for Jesse to have one hundred dollars more than and equal share and for the two next youngest to have one hundred and twenty-five dollars more each than equal share with the rest. This difference is made for the purpose of raising and schooling the said children.

Lastly I do make and constitute Elizabeth my wife executrix of this my last will and testament in witness whereof I have set my hand and seal this the 25th day of June in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred & forty-two.

Test

A. B. Camp — Joseph Hancock (L.S.)
Zecaniah D. McKnight

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WILLIAM D. GREER WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God amen.

I William D. Greer of the county and state aforesaid being feeble in body but of sound and disposing mind and memory do make and ordain this my last will and testament hereby reckoning all former wills by me made. First my will and desire is that my body be decently buried.

Secondly. That my executors hereafter appointed do pay all my just debts and collect all that may be due me and keep my property all together until a change of time take place or until my executor may think it most conducive to the interest of the legates to dispose of it (leaving the same to his entire discretion) and at the said time of the sale of my property I wish the said executor to proceed to sell all of my land and negroes stock of all kinds household and kitchen furniture on a credit of twelve months or more (as he may think best) and after the money is collected for all my effects that my executors proceed to divide it into four shares leaving to my beloved wife Malinda Green one hundred dollars more than a child's part then to Thomas Green and

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John Green & Sarah Ann Green the remaining three shares equally divided among the said three aforementioned children and that my said executor do act a guardain for the above named children and take such measures as reguards the education & the loaning out and collecting of their money as he the said executor may think most condusive to their interest. And should my wife marry again my executor is requested to take bond and sufficient security for the return of the amount of her part of my estate at her death (free of interest) to be equally divided among my three aforementioned children.

Lastly I hereby nominate and appoint my brother Gilbert D. Greer of the county of Cowota in the state of Georgia my sole executor of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I the said William D. Greer have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 3rd day of June one thousand eight hundred and forty.

William D. Greer (L.S.)

Signed sealed and delivered before us who have subscribed our names in presence of testator by his request.

Toliver Towles

Jesse B. Robinson

Wm. W. Carlile

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WILLIAM FREDERICK'S WILL

In the name of God amen.

I William Frederick of the county of Duplin and state of North Carolina considering the uncertainty of this mortal life and being of sound mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following that is to say.

First I give and bequeath unto my wife Nancy my negroes Celia her son John and her increase forever. I also will and bequeath to my wife during her natural life the following negroes Lucy Nancy Susy and Daniel. I also will and bequeath to my wife provision sufficient to last her one year after my death to be given to her by my executor.

I also give and bequeath to her to dispose of as she pleases one horse my riding chair and harness household and kitchen furniture three cows and calves two sows and pigs and my stock of sheep.

Secondly, it is my will and desire that the negroes above named that is to say Lucy Nancy Susy & Daniel which I have beforegiven to my wife during her natural lifetime at her death the said negroes and their increase to be equally divided between the children of my son William K. Frederick they and their heirs forever.

Thirdly I give and bequeath unto my granddaughter Betsy James Frederick daughter of my son James Frederick deceased one dollar in current money.

Fourthly I give and bequeath to my daughter Cathrine Houston my persimmon land called the Tanner plantation.

Fifthly I give and bequeath to my daughter Polly Wikerson my boy Jackson.

Sixthly I give and bequeath to my daughter Jane Tipler my land lying on Stewarts Creek also the lands on Back Branch also all the household & kitchen furniture now in her possession which was purchased by me the second of November eighteen hundred and twenty eight to her and the heirs of her body forever.

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Seventhly I give and bequeath to my son W. K. Frederick in trust for his two sons William Kena & Peter Coffe the plantation whereon I now live and my negro man Ishmeal to have and to hold for their seperate use and benefit until they arrive at the age of twenty-one years then to pay over to them the amount of profits that exceed their maintainance then and each of them and after that time and during their natural lives for the arrising profits & in trust for the children surviving them at their deaths

8th. It is my will and desire that my negroes Toth & Tydia be sold at the discretion of my executors and the money arising there from together with the amount of three hundred dollars in notes to be equally divided between my daughters Catharine Houseton ~~Jane~~ Tipler and Nancy McDanel.

9th. I give and bequeath to my grandson Peter Coffe Frederick my still.

10th. I do hereby constitute and appoint Wm. K. Frederick and my son in law John Houston executors of this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills and testaments by me made in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 25th day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty----

his
William X Frederick
mark

Signed sealed published and declared by the above named William Frederick to be his last will and testament in the presence of us who have hereunto subcribed our names as witnesses in the presence of the testator.

Blay Williams

Harper Williams

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA)
DUPLIN COUNTY)

November term 1830 then was the within will proved in open court in due form of law by the oath of Harper Williams and ordered to be recorded and at the same time William K. Frederick qualified as executor thereto.

Ordered that letters issue.

Test

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STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA)
DUPLIN COUNTY)

County courts clerk's office.

I James Dickson clerk of the court of pleasand quarter session for Duplin County in the state of North Carolina do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the last will and testament of William Frederick decd. admitted to probate in said court at November term of its session A.D. 1830. In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name offically this the 20th day of January A.D. 1842 and affixed my seal of office.

James Dickson Clerk

ZIBA FLETCHER'S WILL

GEORGIA)
MERWEATHER COUNTY)

In the name of God amen.

I Ziba Fletcher of the county & state aforesaid knowing the uncertainty of life and that it is appointed for men to die I being of sound and disposing mind at the time deem it proper and right to direct how my worldly goods and effects should be disposed of after my death I do therefore make publish and declare this my last will and testament hereby revoking all & any others by me previously made.

Item. I do hereby bequeath my soul to God who gave it and I desire that my body upon my deceased be buried in a decent and a becoming manner to sleep in the dust from whence it came in hope of a blessed reserection unto Eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Item. My will and desire is that my household and kitchen furniture without distribution or appraisement remain for the use of my wife and children until a final distribution as shall herein after be directed.

Item. My will and desire is that my plantation of three hundred acres more or less adjoining the lands of Benjamin Gates, Dr. A. Parks and others in Merweather county and all of my lands lying in the state of Alabama be sold or not either publicly or privately at the discretion of my executors hereinafter named without any legal order therefor.

Item. My will and desire is that all and every part of my estate real and personal except as before excepted be appraised and kept together under the direction & control of my beloved wife Blanche Fletcher for her maintainance and the maintainance and education of my children and as my sons arrive at the age of twenty-one or my daughters marry my will and desire is that they receive an equal portion of said estate with due regard to the remainder of legatees including my beloved wife as one.

Item. I do hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife Blanche Fletcher my son William Fletcher and my much esteemedfriend and relation Henry Harris of the county & state aforesaid my executors of this my last will and testament for the faithful execution thereof according to the true intent and meaning of the same.

In testimony of all of which I hereunto set my hand and seal this nineteenth day of November in the year of our Lord 1839.

Signed sealed & delivered in the presence of

Wm. Ferentine — Ziba Fletcher (seal)

Leavin Vance

Mary A. Vance

A true copy of the last will and testament of Z. Fletcher deceased.

L. M. Adams. clk.

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LETTERS TESTAMENTORY ESTATE, ZIBA FLETCHER

GEORGIA)
MERWEATHER COUNTY)

By the honerable the court of ordinary for said county.

To all whom these presence shall come greeting. Know ye that on the seventh day of September in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty the last will and testament of Ziba Fletcher deceased was proved and approved and allowed of the said Ziba Fletcher having in his life time and at the time of his death divers goods rights and credits within the county aforesaid by means where of the approbation and allowing of said will & testament and the power of granting the administration of all and singular the goods rights and credits of said deceased and said will & testament any manner or way concerning to the said court does of right belong. They have thereof granted and commited the administration of all and singular the estate aforesaid and said will & testament unto Henry Harris & Blanch Fletcher the nominated executor & executrix of the said deceased in his said last will and testament being first sworn on the holy Evangelist of Almighty God well and faithfully to administer and make a perfect inventory of all singular the good chattles & credits of the said deceased and exhibit the same into the clerk of the court of ordinary office in the county aforesaid in order to be recorded on or before the seventh day of November next ensuing and to render a just & true account calculation and rekoning whereof when therein to required in testimony whereof I have officially set my hand & seal this 7th day of September 1840 and sixty fifth year of American Independance.

Levi M. Adams (L.S.)

GEORGIA)
MERWEATHER COUNTY)

This is to certify that Levi M. Adams was the clerk of the court of the ordinary and acted as such at the time of the date of this instrument--------Given under my hand this 26th day of April 1843.

Franklin H. Glazur J. J. C.

WOODSON P. ALLEN'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Woodson P. Allen, John Wise & Charles Rutledge of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Two Thousand & Sixty Two Dollars for the payment of which well & truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & forty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Woodson P. Allen has been appointed guardian of Blake B. John T. and Charles G.Mathis infant children of Gedeon Mathis late of said county deceased. Now if the said Woodson 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, else to remain in full force.

Signed and approved in open court.) Woodson P. Allen (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. C. C.) John Wise (L.S.)
Charles Rutledge (L.S.)

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WILLIAM BLEDSOE ADMR'S BOND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William Bledsoe, Samuel B. Turner, & Edward Croft of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the panal sum of twenty four hundred dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the fifth day of April A.D. One thousand eight hundred & forty one.

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

Signed in open court this 5th) William Bledsoe (L.S.)
of April 1841 approved.) S. B. Turner (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.) Edwd. Croft (L.S.)

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LEMUEL JACKSON'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Lemuel Jackson Daniel D. Campbell & Benjamin G. Greer of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of three thousand dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administators

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jointly severally and firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the first day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred & forty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Lemuel Jackson has been appointed guardian of Causby Thornton & Nancy E. Thornton his step children & infant children of Henry Thornton late of Troup County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Lemuel Jackson 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. Else to remain in full force.

Acknowledged and approved in open court. Evan G. Richards J. C. C.

Lemuel Jackson (L.S.)
Daniel D. Campbell (L.S.)
Benj. G. Greer (L.S.)

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ROBERT M. CURRY'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Robert M. Curry, John Dorsett & Josiah Dickson of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of ten thousand six hundred dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the first day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred & forty one. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Robert M. Curry has been appointed administartor of the estate of William Lee deceased. Now if the said Robert M. Curry 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: otherewise to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court and approved. Evan G. Richards J. C. C.

Robt. M. Curry (L.S.)
John Dorsett (L.S.)
Josiah Dickson (L.S.)

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Jesse B. Todd's Bond as Administrator

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we Jesse B. Todd, Elizabeth Todd and John M. C. Todd of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of four 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 firmly, by these presents.

Sealed with our seals, and dated the 3rd day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty one.

The condition of the above is such, that whereas, the above bound Jesse B. Todd has been appointed administrator of the estate of William F. C. Todd late of this county deceased.

Now, if the said Jesse B. Todd 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, else to remain in full force.

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Assigned in open court & approved Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

Jesse B. Todd (L.S.)
Elizabeth Todd (L.S.)
John M. C. Todd (L.S.)

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RANSOM T. AVANT'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we, Ransom T. Avant, Levi Johnston, & Benoni Gray of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of three Hundred dollars; for the payment for which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators jointly, severally and firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty first day of January A. D. one thousand eight hundred & forty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Ransom T. Avant has been appointed guardian of Martha Smith infant daughter Jonathan Smith late of Coweta County Georgia deceased. Now, if the said Ransom T. Avant 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved in open court E. G. Richards J.C.C.

R. T. Avant (L.S.)
Levi Johnston (L.S.)
Benoni Gray (L.S.)

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WILLIAM ANSLEY'S BOND AS EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Ansley James M. Putman and John Y. Rhodes of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court of said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of seven Thousand two hundred 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the twenty sixth day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William Ansley has been appointed Executor of the last will and testament of Gilbert Ansley late of this County deceased. Now, is the said William Ansley shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required as such Executor then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved in open Court Evan G. Richards J.C.C.

William Ansley (L.S.)
Jas. M. Putman (L.S.)
J. Y. Rhodes (L.S.)

DAVID WATSON'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, David Watson John Y. Rhodes, and Walton W. Wallis of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of two thousand dollars; for the payment for which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated 27th day of January A. D. One Thousand eight hundred forty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound David Watson has been appointed administrator of the estate of Charles Trice late of Chambers County Ala. deceased. Now, if the said David Watson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator aforesaid, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved in open Court)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.)

David Watson (L.S.)
J. Y. Rhodes (L.S.)
W. W. Wallis (L.S.)

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WOODSON P. ALLEN'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Woodson P. Allen Charles Rutledge and Tilman Brawner of this County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of seven hundred and ninety eight dollars; for th e payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of May A. D. One thousand eight hundred and forty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Woodson P. Allen has been appointed administrator of the estate of Joseph B. Matthis deceased.

Now, if the said Woodson P. Allen 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.

Assigned and approved in open Court)
Evan G. Richards)

Woodson P. Allen (L.S.)
Charles Rutledge (L.S.)
Tilman Brawner (L.S.)

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ELISHA C. PASCHAL'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Krow all men, by these presents that we Elisha C. Paschal and Luke Nobles of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 20th day of May A. D. One Thousand

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Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elisha C. Pashal has been appointed guardain of Elvira Christian infant daughter of Allen Christian late of Pike County Georgia deceased. Now, if the said Elisha C. Paschal shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as guardain then the above obligation to be void, else remain in full force.

Assigned and approved in open court)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. C. C.)

Elisha C. Paschal (L.S.)
Benjamin Paschal (L.S.)
Luke Nobles (L.S.)

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ANN R. MCGREGOR'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we, Ann R. McGregor, Henry L. McGregor & George P. Hooper of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 26th day of May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Ann R. McGregor has been appointed guardian of Robert H. Goodlitt infant son of John H. Goodlitt late of Greenville District South Carolina deceased. Now, if the said Ann R. McGregor 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.

Assigned and approved in open court)
this 26th May 1841.)
Evan G. Richards Judge C. C. C. C.)

Ann R. McGregor (L.S.)
Henry L. McGregor (L.S.)
George P. Hooper (L.S.)

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DAVID J. JOHNSTON'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we, David J. Johnston James N. Wright and William A. Shaw & Robert Shaw of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Nineteen Hundred Dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated 7th day of June A.D. One thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound David J. Johnston has been appointed administrator of the estate of Benjamin Doles late of Halifax County North Carolina dedeased: Now, if the said David J. Johnston 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.

Assigned and approved in open court
the 7th June 1841.
Evan G. Richards Judge C. C. C. C.

David J. Johnston (L.S.)
James N. Wright (L.S.)
W. A. Shaw (L.S.)
Robert Shaw (L.S.)

JOHN MCCRIMMON'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John McKrimon James H. Merritt and William Graggs of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Five Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 14th day of June A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John McKimons has been appointed guardian of Chopolatkar infant child of Forchatchu an Indian deceased. Now, if the said John McKimmon 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, else to remain in full force.

Assigned & acknowledged before me the 19th June 1841. Edwd. Croft clerk
Proved this 19th June 1841.
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. C. C.

John McKimmon (L.S.)
James H. Merritt (L.S.)
William Graggs (L.S.)

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WILLIAM W. SMITH'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Wm. W. Smith Dozier Thornton and William A. Thomas of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Eleven Thousand and Two Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the fifth day of July A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William W. Smith has been appointed administrator of the estate of Francis M. Smith deceased: Now, if the said William W. Smith 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.

Assigned in open court.
Approved
Evan G. Richards/J. C. C. C. C.

William W. Smith (L.S.)
Dozier Thornton (L.S.)
William Thomas (L.S.)

ELIJAH L. SCOTT'S BOND OF ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Elijah L. Scott John Alley and William Alley of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of One Hundred & Twenty Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 13th day of July A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elijah L. Scott has been appointed administrator of the estate of Nicholes Alley late of Chambers County,Ala. deceased: Now, if the said Elijah L. Scott 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.

Signed and approved in open court)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.)

E. L. Scott (L.S.)
John Alley (L.S.)
Wm. Alley (L.S.)

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T. U. T. MCCAINE'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents that we, T. U. T. McCaine Willis Spier and Hillard J. Trash of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Fourteen Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 29th day of July A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas U. T. McCaine has been appointed guardian of Joseph B. McCaine infant son of William McCaine late of the said State & County deceased. Now, if the said Thomas U. T. McCaine 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved)
Evan G. Richards)
Judge C.C.)

T. U. T. McCaine (L.S.)
Willis Spier (L.S.)
Hillard J. Trash (L.S.)

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WILLIS SPIER'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Willis Spier T. U. T. McCaine Hillard J. Trash of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Fourteen Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated 29th day of July A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Willis Spier has been appointed Guardian of Missouri McCaine infant of Wm. McCaine late of Chambers County, Ala. deceased. Now, if the said Willis Spier 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 29th July 1841)
Evan G. Richards)
Judge C. C.)

Willis Spier (L.S.)
T. U. T. McCaine (L.S.)
Hillard J. Trash (L.S.)

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SAMUEL N. DAILY'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Samuel N. Daily L.Loyd T. Cooper and John J. Steiner of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors, in office, for the penal sum of Three Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 5th day of August A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Samuel N. Daily has been appointed Guardian of William G. Hall infant son of Fanny Hall deceased. Now, if the said Samuel N. Daily 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, else to remain in full force.

Assigned and approved in open court)
Evan G. Richards, Judge C. C.)

Samuel N. Daily (L.S.)
Lloyd T. Cooper (L.S.)
Jno. J. Steiner (L.S.)

JOSEPH YARBOROUGH'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Joseph Yarborough William W. Palmer &William Graggs of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Nineteen Hundred and Seventy Two 96/100 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the tenth day of August A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Joseph Yarborough has been appointed guardian of James E. Matthis Doctor G. Matthis Elizabeth M. Matthis and Solomon Matthis infant children of Gideon Matthis late of said County deceased. Now, if the said Joseph Yarborough 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, else to remain in full force.

Assigned and approved in open court.) Joseph Yarborough (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards, Judge C. C.) William W. Palmer (LS.)
William Graggs (L.S.)

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WILLIAM C. MORGAN'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we William C. Morgan Jordan Thornton and Jesse B. Phillips of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of One Thousand Dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 17th day of August A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William C. Morgan has been appointed, administrator of the estate of Parhase Hadjoe deceased. Now, if the said William C. Morgan 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.

Assigned in open Court) William C. Morgan (L.S.)
Approved) J. Thornton (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards, Judge C. C.) Jesse B. Phillips (L.S.)

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ELIZA L. WRIGHT'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Eliza L. Wright Henry Henderson and Andrew R. Bickerstaff of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Ten Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, and executors, or administrators jointly and severally, firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated fourth day of October A. D.One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above Eliza L. Wright has been appointed administratrix of the estate of James T. Wright late of Chambers County, Alabama deceased: Now, if the said Eliza L. Wright 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.

Assigned in open court) Eliza L. Wright (L.S.)
And approved) Henry Henderson (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards Judge C. Court.) A. R. Bickerstaff (L.S.)

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WILLIS H. HUGHEY'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Willis H. Hughey, Henry Baxter, and Hugh G. Strahorn of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the County court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Five Hundred 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 firmly by these presence. Sealed with our seals, and dated 25th day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One. The condition of the above obligation is such, whereas the above bound Willis H. Hughey has been appointed guardian of William W. Hughey infant son of Joseph D. Hughey late of Jasper County Georgia deceased. Now, if the said Willis H. Hughey shall well and truly perform all duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void,else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court) Willis H. Hughey (L.S.)
Approved this 25th November 1841) Henry Baxter (L.S.)
Even G. Richards Judge c. C.) H. G. Strahorn (L.S.)

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JOHN J. HUSSEY'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Hussey Harris F. Norris Seaborn Weathers William Davis Drury Childers of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty five Hundred Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the twenty sixth day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound John J. Hussey has been appointed administrator of the estate of Edward Childres late of Chambers County Alabama deceased: Now, if the said John J. Hussey 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.

Assigned in open court and approved) J. J. Hussey (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards Judge C. C.) H. F. Norris (L.S.)
Wm. Davis (L.S.)
his
Seaborn X Weathers (L.S.)
mark
Drury Childress (L.S.)

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JOHN ADAM'S BOND AS EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John Adams George E. Hodge & James Maddox of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards, judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six Thousand and Six Hundred Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 15th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound John Adams has been appointed executor of the estate of Abralom Adams late of said county deceased; now, if the said John Adams 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.

Signed sealed and acknowledged in my) John Adams (L.S.)
presence Edward Croft clerk) George E. Hodge (L.S.)
Approved this 15th November 1841) James Maddox (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.)

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JOHN V. DUNN'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John V. Dunn Jordan Thornton and Henry Kellam of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Five Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators jointly, and severally, firmly by these presents,sealed with our seals and dated the 8th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound John V. Dunn has been appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Baxter Taylor late of Chambers county deceased: Now, if the said John V. Dunn 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.

Assigned and approved in open court John V. Dunn (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. J. Thornton (L.S.)
Henry Kellam (L.S.)

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JOHN WISE'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Wise Woodson P. Allen and Jesse Fitzpatrick of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Five Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 15th day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, on the petition of John Wise admr. of Thos. Farrows est. to the orphans court of said county has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of the estate of Thomas Farrow late of said county deceased and the same having been sold for Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars. Now, if the said John Wise admr. as aforesaid shall well and truly make faithful payment & application of the money arising from said sale according as to the final decree then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court and apprcved John Wise (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. Woodson P. Allen (L.S.)
Jesse Fitzpatrick (L.S.)

SARAH S. NELSON & EDWIN H. KIMEBREW'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Sarah S. Nelson Edwin H. Kimebrew William Hicks, Littleberry Kimebrew & Madison D. Kimebrew of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors, in office for the penal sum of Twenty 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 and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the first day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Sarah S. Nelson & Edwin H. Kimebrew have been appointed administratrix & administrator of the estate of Noah Nelson late of Chambers county Alabama deceased: Now, if the said Sarah S. Nelson & Edwin H. Kimebrew 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.

Assigned in open court)
Approved)
Evan G. Richards Judge C. C.)

Sarah S. Nelson (L.S.)
Edwin H. Kimebrew (L.S.)
Littleberry Kimebrew (L.S.)
William Hicks (L.S.)
Madison D. Kimebrew (L.S.)

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WILLIAM H. H. GRIFFIN'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Wm. H. H. Griffin Hyram Murphy & Hugh Wallace of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of One Thousand Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 9th of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William H. H. Griffin has been appointed administrator of the estate of James Burrough deceased. Now, if the said William H. H. Griffin 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.

Approved in open court
Evan G. Richards Judge

William H. H. Griffin (L.S.)
Hiram Murphy (L.S.)
Hugh Wallace (L.S.)

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BENJAMIN L. GOOMAN'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Benjamin L. Gooman Robert Mitchell and Robert Bough of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Ten 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Benjamin L. Gooman has been appointed guardian of Ligoe infant son of Robert Ligon late of Floyd County Georgia deceased. Now, if the said Benjamin L. Gooman 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, else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court & approved
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.

B. L. Gooman (L.S.)
Robert Mitchell (L.S.)
Robt. Bough (L.S.)

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MATILDA MITCHELL'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATRIX

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Matilda Mitchell formerly Matilda Jones administratrix of the estate of James Jones deceased Willis C. Mitchell husband of the said Matilda Mitchell, Robert Baugh and Lawson Slaughter, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the orphans court of Chambers County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of Thirteen Hundred and Seventy Two Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, 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 December A.D. 1841.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of Matilda Mitchell formerly Matilda Jones admx. of the estate of James Jone deceased to the orphans court of said county has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of James Jone deceased and the same having been sold for the sum of Six Hundred and Eighty Six Dollars. Now if the said Matilda Michell admx. &c & Willis C. Mitchell admr. in right of his wife Matilda Mitchell/Jones well and truly made faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree: then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged)
Approved this 17th December 1841)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C.)

Matilda Mitchell (L.S.)
W. C. Mitchell (L.S.)
Robert Baugh (L.S.)
his
Lawson X Slaughter (L.S.)
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LEWIS A. SHEPARD'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we, Lewis A. Shepard, Cornelius Floyd and Hugh Wallace of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Thirty Two Hundred Dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 20th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Lewis A. Shepard has been appointed Guardian of William W. Thomas C.James T. Daniel Temperance T.& Franklin L. Shepard infant children of Thomas T. Shepard late of Newberry District South Carolina deceased. Now, if the said Lewis A. Shepard 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, else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court & approved)
Evan G. Richards, Judge C. C.)

Lewis A. Shepard (L.S.)
Cornelius Floyd (L.S.)
Hugh Wallace (L.S.)

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SEABORN SUTTON'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Seaborn Sutton, Josiah W. Norris & Walter Fortune, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Fourteen Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 28th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Seaborn Sutton has been appointed guardian of John N. Norris and Willis T. Norris infant sons of Sanford R. Norris late of Merriwether County Georgia deceased. Now, if the said Seaborn Sutton 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. Else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court and approved)
Evan G. Richards, Judge C. C.)

Seaborn Sutton (L.S.)
Josiah W. Norris (LS.)
Walter Fortune (L.S.)

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WILLIAM B. WILLIAMS'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William B. Williams Luke Noble and Caleb Holloway of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 30th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William B. Williams has been appointed guardian of Susan and William Christian infant children of James H. Christian late of Chambers County, Alabama deceased. Now, if the said William B. Williams 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, else to remain in full force.

Assigned and approved in open court.)
Evan G. Richards J. C.C.C.C.)

William B. Williams (L.S.)
Luke Nobles (L.S.)
Caleb Holloway (L.S.)

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DAVID G. LIGON'S BIND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we David G. Ligon David Lawson Pleasant Macon & Robert P. Rogers of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty 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 firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty One.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound David G. Ligon has been appointed Guardian of Elizabeth, George, Matilda, Noel and Thomas J. Nelson infant children of Noah Nelson late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now, if the said David G. Ligon 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, else to remain in full force.

Acknowledged and approved in open court)
Evan G. Richards J. C.C.C.C.)

David G. Ligon (L.S.)
David Lawson (L.S.)
Pleasant Macon (L.S.)
Robert P. Rogers (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Davis Ezekeil Ratchford and John Vincent of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these present. Sealed with our seals and dated the 12th day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two.

The condition of the above obligation is such,that whereas the above bound William Davis has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary Davis late of Chambers County Alabama deceased: Now, if the said William Davis 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.

ASsigned & approved in open court) William Davis (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.&C.C.) Ezekiel Ratchford (L.S.)
John Vincent (L.S.)

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NATHANIEL GRADY'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these present, that we, Nathaniel Grady William J. Grady & John A. Frazier of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 12th day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two. The condition of the above obligation is such. That whereas, the above bound Nathaniel Grady has been appointed administrator of the estate of Johnnie Grady late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now, if the said Nathaniel Grady 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.

Assigned & approved in open court) Nath. Grady (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.&C.C.) Wm. J. Grady (L.S.)
John A. Frazier (LS.)

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ROBERT M. CURRY'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Robert M. Curry Thomas B. Erwin and Thomas K. Smith are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the Orphans Court of Chambers County State of Alabama & his successors in office in the penal sum of Twenty Two Hundred Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors & administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents: Sealed with our seals and dated this 14th day of January A. D. 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of Robert M. Curry admr. of the estate of Wm. Lee decd, to sell a County lots Order and decree the sale of certain real estate of the said Wm. Lee deceased, and the same having been sold for Eleven Hundred Dollars. Now, if the said Robert M. Curry administrator as aforesaid shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force & virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in my presence) Robert M. Curry (L.S.)
Edward Croft clerk) Thos. B. Erwin (L.S.)
Approved) Thos. K. Smith (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C. C. C. C.)

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CHARLES H. LEE'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents. That we, Charles H. Lee, Meshach Maddux and Mark Andrews of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of One 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 firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 24th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the bound Charles H. Lee has been appointed guardian of Edward W. Reddy infant son of Richard & Elizabeth Reddy deceased.

Now,if the said Charles H. Lee Guardian as aforesaid shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guerdian then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Assigned and approved in open court) C. H. Lee (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J. C.C.C.C.) Meshach Maddux (L.S.)
Mark Andrews (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, Samuel M. Nettles, William Harrington and Andrew Todd of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Five Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 25th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & Forty Two.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Samuel M. Nettles has been appointed guardian of Saumel J. Nathans infant son of Isaac Nathans. Now, if the said Samuel M. Nettles 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 28th January 1842)
Evan G. Richards Judge C.C.) Saml. M. Nettles (L.S.)
William Harrington (L.S.)
Andrew Todd (L.S.)

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DAVID S. THOMAS'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men these presents, that we, David S. Thomas William C. Thomas and William A. Thomas of the county and state aforesaid, are held anf firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six Hundred Dollars for the payment, of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 28th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & Forty Two.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound David S. Thomas has been appointed administrator of the estate of James Hodge deceased. Now, if the said David S. Thomas 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.

Approved in open court this) David S. Thomas (L.S.)
28th day of January 1842) William C. Thomas (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.&O.C.C.C.) William A. Thomas (L.S.)

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BENNET M. WARE'S BOND AS EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Bennet M. Ware & Hope P. Palmer & John A. Frazer are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the orphans court of said county & his successors in office, in the penal sum of Six Hundred and Fifty Six 50/100 Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 17th day of February A.D. 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of B. M. Ware ecr. &c of said T. Moody deceased to the orphans court of said county, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Fabion Moody decd. and the same having been sold for Three Hundred & Twenty Eight 25/100 Dollars. Now, if the said Bennet M. Ware ecr. as aforesaid shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale, according to the final decree; then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Assigned in open court) B. M. Ware (L.S.)
Approved) H. P. Palmer (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.O.C.C.) J. A. Frazer (L.S.)

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JAMES E. REESE'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, James E. Reese Thomas J. Harrell & Lemuel B. Robertson of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Five Thousand Dollars; for the payment of which well & truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors, or administrators, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 21st day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & forty two.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James E. Reese has been appointed guardian of John C. Reese infant son of Margarett Reese late of Chambers County Ala. deceased. Now, if the said James E. Reese 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, else to remain in full force.

Assigned and approved in open court) James E. Reese (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) Thomas J. Harrell (L.S.)
L. B. Robertson (L.S.)

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MARTHA G. HORTON'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

(continued)

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha G. Horton Legate Robinson and James Simms of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Three 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 firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 28th day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty two.

the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Martha G. Horton has been appointed guardian of Edmund P. Elizabeth T. & Emily G. Horton infants of Edmund Horton late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now, if the said Martha G. Horton 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)
Evan G. Richards Judge C.C.) Martha G. Horton (L.S.)
Legget Robinson (L.S.)
James Simms (L.S.)

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MARY H. MITCHELL'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Mary H. Mitchell William H. Boyle of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of One 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 29th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty two.

The condition of the above ogligation is such, that whereas Mary H. Mitchell has been appointed guardian of Joshua James, Eliza Jane, & Thomas Sneed, William M. A. and Robert Perry Mitchell, infants & minors of Joshua S. Mitchell late of Chambers county Alabama deceased. Now, if the said Mary H. Mitchell 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)
Evan G. Richards Judge C.C.) Mary H. Mitchell (L.S.)
William H. Boyle (L.S.)
M. J. C. Lumpkin (L.S.)

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L. GRIFFIN PAYNE & CAROLINE A. PAYNE'S BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Caroline A. Payne formerly Caroline A. McCulloh, L. Griffin Payne Husband of the said Caroline A. Payne, Peterson T. Richardson & Bryant McCulloh are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of orphans court of Chambers county Alabama and his successors in office in the penal sum of Seventeen Hundred & Twenty Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors & administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 5th day of April A.D. 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of Caroline A. McCulloh admx. of John McCulloh decd. to the orphans court of said county has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of John McCulloh decd. and the same having been sold for the sum of Eight Hundred and Sixty Dollars, now, if the said Caroline A. Payne formerly Caroline A. McCulloh admrx. of John McCulloh decd. and L. Griffin Payne husband of said Caroline shall well and truly make faithful payment & application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me)
this 5th day of April A.D. 1842 Edw. Croft clk.) Caroline A. Payne (L.S.)
Approved by me this 8th April 1842) L. Griffin Payne (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.O.C.C.C.) P. T. Richardson (L.S.)
Briant McCulloh (L.S.)

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ROBERT BAUGH & EDWARD BAUGH'S BOND AS EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Robert Baugh Edward Baugh James S. Mitchell Thos. B. Erwin & Uriah Dunn all of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, & his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty Two Thousand Dollars for the payment of which, well & truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors or administrators, jointly & severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals & dated the 10th day of May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & forty two, the condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Robert Baugh & Edward Baugh has been appointed executors of the estate of Richard Baugh late of Chambers County & State of Alabama deceased. Now, if the said Robert Baugh & Edward Baugh shall well & 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, this the date above written.

Approved by me this 10th day of May 1842)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.C.C.) Robert Baugh (L.S.)
Edward Baugh (L.S.)
James S. Mitchell (L.S.)
Thos. B. Erwin (L.S.)
Uriah Dunn (L.S.)

WILLIAM W. SMITH'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William W. Smith, Judith B. Smith and Dozier Thornton are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the orphans court of Chambers County Alabama & his successors in office in the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 11th day of April A.D. 1842. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petetion of Wm. W. Smith administrator of Francis M. Smith decea. to the orphans court of said county, has ordered & decreed the sale of certain real estate of the said Francis M. Smith deceas. and the same having been sold for the sum of Seven Hundred and Ninety Nine Dollars, now, if the said William W. Smith admr. as aforesaid shall well and truly make faithful payment & application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree, then the above obligation, to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in the presence of) William W. Smith (L.S.)
Edward Croft clerk) Judith B. Smith (L.S.)
Approved by me this 21st day of April 1842) Dozier Thornton (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.O.C.C.C.C.)

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DAVID WATSON'S BOND FOR PROPER APPLICATION OF MONEY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, David Watson Jacob Watson and John Y. Rhodes are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the orphans court of Chambers County and his successors in office in the penal sum of Six Hundred Dollars, to 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 18th day of April A.D. 1842.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas on the petition of David Watson administrator of the estate of Charles Trice deceased, to the orphans court of said county, has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of Charles Trice deced. and the same having been sold for the sum of Three Hundred Dollars. Now, if the said David Watson administrator as aforesaid shall well and truly make faithful payment and application of the money arising from said sale according to the final decree, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force & virtue.

Signed sealed and acknowledged) David Watson (L.S.)
before me 18th April 1842) Jacob Watson (L.S.)
Approved this 18th April 1842) J. Y. Rhodes (L.S.)
Approved)
Evan G. Richards J.O.C.C.C.)

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JAMES LUCKEY'S WILL

In the name of God amen.--I James Luckey being of sound mind and disposing, memory do constitute this to be my last will & testament & as touching my worldly affairs that has pleased God to endow me with--I leave & bequeath in the following viz. Item 1st. I leave and bequeath to my wife Nancy Luckey the part of land we now live on, containing one hundred and forty nine acres, & one negro man named Isaac he is the oldest and one negro girl named Jinney, two horses & third part of stock of all kinds together with half of my house & kitchen furniture & third my farming utensils during her natural life or widowhood, & if she marries then my executor is to have the control of all the property that I Have left her. but her to have all the profits arising from it during natural life & for my son William Luckey to have the care & management of it for his mother.-- Item 2nd I leave & bequeath to my daughter Mary Norwood one negro woman named Hannah & her increase, Columbus, Henry, Betsey & Lewis with all hereafter. I leave this property to be hers & her bodily heirs and not to be subject to pay any of Mr. Norwoods debts.--Item 3rd. I leave & bequeath to my son William Luckey the settlement of land I bought from Green & Champion & at his mother's death, to have the land left her, with the land I got from Caldwell, he is to have the rest of the property left to his mother--except Jinney, she is to go to my daughter Nancy Sayers & her increase-- I leave to my son Wm. Luckey three negro men, Reuben Jck. & Jerry with all the other property not willed to his sisters, this property I leave to him and his heirs, for his & their support but not to be subject to pay his debts.--Item 4th I leave & bequeath to my daughter Nancy Sayers and her bodily heirs, the land I bought from Sayers, two negro women, Maria & Winney with Winney's increase, this property I leave for the support of my daughter Nancy Sayers & her bodily heirs, it is not to be subject to pay Mr. Bayers debts or any other man's, this property is to remain with her & her bodily heirs. And I do hereby appoint my son William Luckey to be my lawful executor of this my last will and testament, I leave him with the power to protect this property for their use to whom it is left to. I do hereby acknowledge this to be my last will & testament, in witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal, this October 13th day 1843.

Test James Luckey (seal)
William Satterwhite
his
Joseph I Jarrell A true copy of James Luckey's will proven at November court
mark 1843
James Morre J.P. William L. Strain clk.

JOHN T. DAVIS'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA, CHAMBERS COUNTY.T.

In the name of God Amen, I John Davis of the county & state aforesaid being in a very low state of health but of sound mind and memory, and knowing that all men have to die, make this my last will and testament as follows to wit.

1st. I commit my body to the Grave and my Sole to God who gave it.

2nd. It is my will and desire that all my just debts be paid from the proceeds of my this years school funds provided therebe a sufficiency if not that my poney horse bridle and saddle be sold and the proceeds applied to the payment of debts, and if there should be a surpluss of money left after my debts are paid, it is my will and desire that it be given to my bro. James Davis or the poney bridle & saddle if not needed in payment of my debts and surpluss as aforesaid if any also my fur cap 1 suit of Nankeen clothing also one summer frock coat & 1 pr. suspendars I also will and bequeath to my father 3pr. pantaloons 1 wescoat one pr. shoes & 1 frock coat of Kentucky Janes also one fine summer hat and I further will & bequeath to my sister Mary Moon my pocket hankerchief and it is my further my will and desire that Woodson P. Allen and James J. Davis act as my executor to carry out this my last will and &c.

Given under my hand & seal this the 3rd day of July a.D. 1843.

Signed & sealed in the presence of John Talbot Davis (L.S.)
Benjamin Fizpatrick
Green B. Talbot
Joseph N. Fizpatrick

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AUGUSTA A. WALKER'S WILL

I Augusta A. Walker of Chambers County Alabama do make and publish the following writing as my last will and testament hereby revoking all other dispositions made by me of my goods and chattles lands and tenaments.

1st. I give to my daughter Frances for and during her natural life and for her sole and seperate use free from the controll of her husband the two following named negroes to wit Amy and Allen and after her death to such person or persons as she shall by deed or will appoint.

2nd. I give to my daughter Mary E. A. Gatrell for and during her natural life for her sole and seperate use free from the controll of her husband the two following named negroes to wit Sealy and Jim and after her death to such person or persons as she shall by deed or will appoint.

3rd. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Edna L. Gafford for and during her natural life for her sole and seperate use free from the controll of her husband the following named property to wit one negro woman named Leah and her infant child and also the house & lot on which I now reside and after her death to such person or persons as she may by deed or will appoint.

4th. I give and bequeath unto my son Oscar Willis my negro boy Ellick--5th It is my will and desire that my executor after my death select two or three sober and discreet persons who are good judges of property whose duty it shall be to value the whole of my negroes both those disposed of by the foregoing clauses of this my will and those disposed of by the subsequent clauses and also the house & lot here named.

6th I do hereby give and bequeath to my four children above named the following negroes to wit Owen, Jinny, Sarah, Ben and Harriett to be proportioned out and divided among my said four children by my executors so as to make each one of my said children legacy, under this my said will equal in value which negroes I give to them for and during their natural life free from the controllof the husbands of my said daughters and after the death of any one or all of my said children to such person or persons as my children or any one of them shall by deed or will appoint.

8th. I further give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary E. A. Gatrell and my son Oscar Willis each a bed furniture in adition to the above legacys. And I do hereby constitute and appoint B. L. Goodman the executor of this my will and request that he see to the true execution of the same. Now in the presence of these witnesses I the said Augusta A. Walker do publish this the foregoing writing as my last will and testament in testimony whereof I do hereunto set my hand and seal.

Test John C. Towles)
Thomas Gragg)
William Golden)
Augusta A. Walker (seal)

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FRANCIS WRIGHT'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I Francis Wright being in my right mind and sense do by these presents give and bequeath as my last will and testament unto my brother in law James Tutt my tract of land laying in the county near LaFayette containing Eighty cares more or less whereon Stephen Hood once lived, and I do also give and bequeath unto my sister Elizabeth Tutt all of my bed and furniture to be hers as long as she lives and then to dispose of the same as she thinks best. Signed sealed and delivered in the presents of the subscribing witnesses this 20 1843.

TestLevin Moore)
William Welch)
H. F. Longino)
her
Francis H. Wright (L.S.)
mark

GREEN SORRELL'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

At peace with God and all men Amen I Green Sorrell being in common mind but low in body by strength & health, but mindful of my mortality do make and ordain this my last will and testament.

Item 1st. I bequeath my soul after death to God who gave it existance through all Eternity.

Item 2nd. I give to my beloved wife Susan Sorrell (and companion of my heart) the west half of the North East quarter of section two Township twenty three of Range twenty five in the district of lands subject to sale at Montgomery Al. containing Eighty acres with all its improvements benefits and priveleges during her lifetime and at her death to be sold and equal distribution amongst my heirs except my son George T. Sorrell for whom there has been paid out in money two One Hundred & Sixty Six & Eighty cents which is to be deducted out of his share of my estate when said distribution takes place--also all my live stock of every discription all my plantation tools all house and kitchen furniture beding &c during her natural life.

Item 3. The balance of my landed estate being the East half of the North West quarter and the Est. half of the N. Est. quarter of section two Township twenty three & Range twenty five being one hundred & sixty acres after my death to be sold and distribution made with my heirs, with the exception to George T. Sorrell as above stated. To my wife Susanah Sorrell I give the following negroes slaves Arthur a man, Liza a woman Lewis, Cinda, Alfred, Sarah, Andrew until her death; to the heirs of my beloved daughter Elizabeth Ann Jarvis, I entail the equal share of my estate in lien and place of her husband George Y. Jarvis, to my beloved sons Green J. Sorrell & John B. Sorrell I entail to their lawful heirs their part of my estate in lien of themselves in (person) also to my daughter Nancy Sorrell now wife of Blake B. Mathis I entail to the heirs of her body the equal part of my estate in lien of him--a reduction of Thirty two dollars & fifty cents to be taken out of Green J. Sorrell share and a reduction of One Hundred dollars & seventy nine cents to come out of John B. Sorrell's share also a mortgage I hold on John B. Sorrell at my death is dead and of no effect as I have changed him in distribution.

All the slaves property named and increase if any at the death of my wife Susanah Sorrell to be sold and equal distribution made or divided among the heirs if they can agree on such division. Last and not least of all my requests--I earnestly request my family all to live in peace with each other as far as possible for my sake and pray the blessings of God on them all Amen.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this twenty seventh day of June 1842.

Test Thomas P. Findley Green Sorrell (seal)
Thos. H. Cliett
John McKnight J.P. (N B)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I Green Sorrell do hereby appoint Green J. & John B. Sorrell my executors to sell and dispose of my lands to wit the East half of the N W quarter & E. half N. E. quarter of section (2) Township twenty three of Range twenty five and No 928, 1st District & second section Cheroke Georgia giving written notification by advertising so as to get as much as possible avoiding any expense whatever, except the selling the Cheroke lot, expenses to be paid then for their trouble for selling it the same to be sold whenever they shall it prudent and if not sold till my wife's death then all to be sold as above.

Test George S. Turner Green Sorrell (seal)
John McKnight J.P.

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ASENATH ALFORD'S WILL

I Asenath Alford (widow) of the County of Chambers and of the state of Alabama being of sound mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time heretofore made. And first I direct that my body be decently interred, and that my funeral be conducted in a manner corresponding with my estate and situation in life, and as to such worldly goods and estate as it hath pleased God to intrust me with I dispose of the same as follows.

First I direct that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid as soon after my decease as possible out of the first moneys that shall come into the hands of my executors, from any portion of my estate real or personal.

Secondly I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Ann H. Beall in trust for my son James W. Alford a negro boy by the name of Dick and also one bed and bed furniture, which said negro boy Dick and bed & furniture are to be for the use and benefit of said James W. Alford during his natural life and at his death to vest in his legal heirs and should he die without issue then said property to vest in the legal heirs of my said daughter Mary Ann H. Beall and I direct that my said daughter Mary Ann H. Beall as such trustee shall annually account to said James W. Alford for the hire of said negro boy Dick and that the same shall not be subject to any debts which he may have or hereafter contract. Thirdly, I give and bequeath to my son John R. Alford for and during the term of his natural life the use and benefit of my negro boy Tom and at his death the said negro boy Tom to become the property of his lawful heirs and in default thereof then to the rest of my children and their legal heirs.

Fourthly I give and bequeath unto my daughter Pheriba W. Hudson for and during the term of her natural life the use and benefit of my negro girl Jane and at her death to become the property of her children and their legal heirs.

Fifthly I give and bequeath to my daughter Mary Ann H. Beall for and during the term of her natural life the use and benefit of my negro girl Letice and at her death to become the property of the legal heirs of her body and in default thereof to the rest of my children and their legal heirs.

Finally my desire is that at my death all my property both real and personal not herein before disposed of shall be for the use and benefit of my children to be divided equally between them for and during the term of their natural lives, and then my desire is that the same shall vest in their children and should either of my children die without issue then the same is to be equally divided among the rest of my children. I appoint my son in law &Cuthbert G. Hudson and my son John R. Alford my executors to carry out and execute the provisions of this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I the said Asenath Alford testatrixhave hereunto set my hand & seal this the 7th day of June in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty two.

Signed sealed published and delivered in Asenath Alford (seal)
the presence of Robt. Baugh Edward Baugh

STATE OF GEORGIA)
CLARK COUNTY)
In the name of God Amen:
I Daniel Hicks of the county & state aforesaid calling to mind the mortality of my body and being of sound mind and memory do make this my last will and testament revoking all others heretofore made by me, and what worldly goods it hath pleased the Almighty to bless me with, I give and dispose of in the manner and form following viz.
I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Susanah Hicks all that tract of land whereon I now live that is to say One Hundred acres I also give and bequeath unto my said wife Susanah two negroes namely Cregg and Matilda, one horse worth one hundred dollars ten head of cattle ten head of sheep three sows & pigs five hundred pounds of pork fifty barrells of corn and one half of my household and kitchen furniture also one half of my plantation utensils all of the above named property that I give to my said wife Susanah she is to have hold occupy and possess during her widowhood and no longer, at her death or intermarriage the above named property is to be equally divided amongst all of my children. I do also will that all the remaining part of my land be sold as my executors think best for purpose of paying all my just debts, I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary Hicks two hundred dollars extra for the purpose of paying her board and schooling I give and bequeath to my granddaughters heirs of my daughter Susanah Jackson deceased one dollar each I having heretofore given my daughter Susanah her part of my estate. All the remaining part of my estate to be equally divided amongst all of my children namely John J Hicks Nancy McCoy Jane McCalpin Amos Hicks Lucinda Stedaman Elizabeth Matacks and Mary Hicks and these of them having received property heretofore from my estate to render in an account of such property as they have received and then an equal division to be made amongst them all and I do appoint and constitute my son John J. Hicks, Amos Hicks and Edward Studawin my lawful executors. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this nineteenth day of October in the year of our Lord Eighteen Hundred & Nineteen.

W. C. Dobbins)   Interlined before signed   Daniel Hicks
his
Robert X Mayfield)
mark)
John Williams

GEORGIA)
CLARK COUNTY)
Personally appeared before us at Chambers William C. Dobbins and John Williams two of the subscribing witnesses to the annexed will and being duly sworn saith that they saw Daniel Hicks sign seal and acknowledge the annexed instrument to be his last will and testament and that he was of sound and disposing mind memory at the time of his so doing and that they saw Robert Mayfield sign the same as a witness.
Sworn to subscribed before us at Chambers this 16th day of January 1822.
James Merryweather JJC.
John W. Graves J.J.C.   W.C. Dobbins
Recorded Febry. 6th 1822.   John Williams

GEORGIA)
CLARK COUNTY)
I John H. Lowe Clerk of the court of ordinary of said county do hereby certify that the above is a true copy from Record Given under my hand this 6th day Febry. 1822
John H. Lowe clk.

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TATUM MENIFEE'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
In the name of Almighty God Amen I Tatum Menifee of the county & state aforesaid do make anddeclare this my last will and testament in the manner and form following first I resign my soul in the hands of God beleiving through the merrits of Jesus Christ that my sins has been forgiven me and my body I consign to the earth to be buried at the discretion of my executor, hereinafter named and my worldly estate I give and devise as follows.
First I desire that all my just debts be paid out of my estate.
2nd I also will and desire that my wife Phala B. Menifee have two negro girls by the names Mary and Jane also one negro woman by the name of Eady to have during her natural life time and at her death I desire that the above named negroes and their increase go back to my sons herein after named and be equally divided amongst them I also will and desire that if my wife Phala B. Menifee should live single until the youngest child becomes of age that she draw an equal share with all my children herein-after named, of all my stock and house hold furniture, but if she should marry she is only to have one bed and furniture. I also will and desire that my wife Phala B. Menifee draw an equal share of my negroes that is not herein after bequeathed with all my children hereinafter named.
3rd. I also will and desire that my daughter Laura W. Menifee have one negro girl by the name of Loousca or duck also one Thousand Dollars in money to be laid out in negro girls by my executors for her, and all the above named negroes and their increase are to go to her and to her bodily heirs.
4th. I also will and desire that my daughter Ann E. Menifee have one negro girl by the name Sally also One Thousand dillars in money to be laid out in negro girls for her by my executors and the above named negroes and their increase are to go to her and her bodily heirs.
5th. I also will and desire that my daughter Mary A. Menifee have two negro girls by the name of Francis and Maranda and also one Thousand dollars in money to be laid out in negro girls by my executors for her and the above named negroes and their increase an to go to her and her bodily heirs.
6th. I also will and desire that my sons Albert Menifee and Judson T. Menifee and Willis Menifee and Tatum Menifee have Ben and Judy his wife and their six sons namely Ben & Peter Marion and Comelius, Judge & John and their increase to be equally divided amongst them as they become of age also I will and desire that my sons herein named have all my settlement of land whereon I now live namely one section No. twenty four and Township Twenty and Range twenty five, also one half section known as the East half section fourteen Township Twenty and Range twenty five also the sough half of section Thirteen Township twenty and Range twenty five also the East half of section

twelve in Township twenty and Range twenty five all in the Tallapoosa land district also all my unsold lands in the state of Georgia.
7th. I also will and desire that all my unsold lands in Georgia be sold by executors without any order of court and the proceeds equally diveded among my sons as they become of age, and I also will and desire that the within named lands in the state of Alabama and Tallapoosa land district shall not be divided until the youngest child becomes of age.
8th. I also will and desire that all my children draw their equal share of all my negroes, that is not herein bequeathed, as they become of age.
9th. I also will and desire that the monies I give unto my daughters may raised from my notes and accounts and from the proceeds of my farm.
10th. I also will and desire that all that portion of my estate that will be coming to my daughters will go to them and their bodily heirs.
11th. I also will and bequeath ordain that my wife Phala B. Menifee remain on the the settlement of land whereon I now live during her widowhood or untill the youngest child becomes of age and keep my negroes and stock together as a general stock for the purpose of educating and raising my children on.
12. I also will and bequeath desire that my wife Phala B. Menifee and Judson C. Tatum be my executor and executrix of this my last will and testament and they are hereby authorized and empowered to take the effects of my estate in hand without giving Bond & security as is required by law they are hereby empowered to transact the affairs of my estate as though I was living and transacting the same my self toward making money buy property and throwing of it into a general stock and dividing it out among my children and wife equally as my children become of age herein named as is above stated. I do hereby constitute my wife Phala B. Menifee and Judson C. Tatum execu-trix and executor provided my wife should not marry if she should the property is to be taken out of her hands and to go into the hands of Judson C. Tatum I also desire that my executrix and executor have my grave pailed in good stile and my grave yard set out in shrubry. As is above stated I do hereby constitute my wife Phala B. Menifee and Judson C. Tatum executrix and executor of this my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this thirtieth of May Eighteen Hundred and forty four.
Witnesses:)
Charles Gregory)   Tatum Menifee   (L.S.)
Joseph C. Sals)
William Costly)

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DRURY HARRINGTON'S WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
In the name of God amen, I Drury Harrington of the state and county aforesaid do make and ordain this my last will and testament in the manner and form following viz, I will, to my son Wiley Allen Harrington, my wearing cloths and my saddle, the balance of my property it is my will that it shall be equally divide between my six living children to wit Jeptha Harrington, Delilah Darwin, Nancy Petty, Drury Harrington Rachel Poe and James Harrington; and now I do constitute and appoint and ordain Jeptha Harrington, executor of this my last will and testament hereby revoking and making void all former testaments heretofore made by me: and it is my will that no court be troubled with what little I have but that the executor collect and sell my property and divide it according to my will above. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this seventh day November in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty-nine, signed, sealed and dedlared by the said Drury Harrington in the presence of us who in his presence and in the presence of each otherhave subscribed our names hereunto as witness of the execution thereof.-----
Test
Jas. P. R. Lockhart   Drury Harrington   (L.S.)
Henry Byars
Nancy E. Northriss

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Personally came before me Samuel Rotch a Justice of the peace in and for the county aforesaid Nancy E. Northriss after being duly sworn deposeth and saith that the same Drury Harrington sign the within, and also saw James P. R. Lockhart and Henry Byars assigns as subscribing witnesses with her self sworn to subscribed before me this 27th January 1840.
Samuel Rotch J.P.
Nancy E. Northriss

THE STATE OF ALABAMA S.S.
CHAMBERS COUNTY CLERKS OFFICE.---
Be it remembered that on the 19th day of May A.D. 1845 the original of the fore-going will was deposited in this office for record certified as above and on the 4th day of September of the same year was duly recorded in Book of Wills &c Vol. 2. Page 33.-
Edward Croft clk.

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JOHN WELL'S WILL

GEORGIA)
MERRIWEATHER COUNTY)
I John Wells being in sound mind this day/make this my last will and testament,in thename of God amen.--1. I give my soul to God who first gave it to me.--2nd I will that after my death my body be buried in a decent Christian like manner.--3rd. I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Francis Wells two my choice cows and calves, two choice horses and all my house hold and kitchen furniture and my plantation I now live on containing 350 acres, this I give her during her natural life, after her death to be disposed of as the rest of my estate.--4th I give and bequeath to my beloved son, William Wells to his children, my grandchildren the sons and daughters of my beloved son William, the portion of my estate viz, One sixth part, but my said son William to have his support out of said portion of estate. (5) I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Sarah WellsnowSarah Willbourn to her children my grandchildren, One sixth part of my estate but my said daughter to have a support during her natural life out of said portion of my estate. (6) I give and bequeath to my beloved son John Wells to his children my grandchildren one sixth part of my estate but my said son to have a support out of said portion of my estate

(continued)

during his natural life. (7) I give and bequeath to my beloved son Talliferrio Wells one sixth part of my estate.--8. I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Clara Wells now Clara Hinton one sixth part of my estate (9) I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Dorothy Wells now Dorothy Jones one sixth part of my estate (10) I nominate & appoint Telliferrio Wells & Moses Jones exrs. of my estate this my last will and testament and for them to pay all my just debts out of my estate, that may be against me at the time of my death. I hereunto set my hand and affix my seal this twenty seventh day Feb. 1841.

Test Austin T. Harris — his — John X Wells — mark

Josiah X Moore — mark

Thos. A. Hay

THE STATE OF ALABAMA ss. CHAMBERS COUNTY CLERKS OFFICE

Be it remembered that on the 27th day of January A.D. 1846 the original of the foregoing will was deposited in this office for record, in the 25th day of February of the same year was duly recorded in Record of Wills Vol 2. Page 33.

Edward Croft clk.

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JAMES HOWZE'S WILL

In the name of God Amen,--I James Howze of the state of Alabama and County of Chambers being possed of my natural understanding of sound mind and memory and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make, constitute and appoint this my last will and testament and first--I will my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it. 2nd. Item my body I recommend to the earth to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner and all my lawful debts to be paid.--3rd. Item I will that after my decease that my beloved wife Sally Howze shall have all my right and claims to the following named negroes during her life time names of negroes, Nancy and her nine children to wit, Andrew--Harriett, Charlett, Peter, Sam, Jack, Cynda, Matilda & Fanny.--4 Item-- I will that after my decease that the following negroes shall be sold among my heirs, and the proceeds equally divided among my heirs, names of negroes which are to be sold. Ginny Sammy, Henry, Wade, Amboy, Will, Young Wade, Abram & Gunge--all negroes named in 4th Item, are to be sold & proceeds equally divided between my children.--5th Item, I will that after my decease that the following named children to wit, James J. Howze John K. Howze, William J. Howze, Benjamin G. Howze & Ann E. Howze my daughter--all of my children named or mentioned shall have each one bed & furniture & one cow & calf, & one sow & pigs, provided above mentioned children, shall not have the property mentioned in 5th Item previous to my death--6th Item I will that one third of the plantation whereon how live shall belong to my beloved wife; after my death & that my wife shall have the privilege of taking her one third when she may see proper--and I give her the privilege of getting firewood from any part of my land which I now own. The balance of my plantation I will to be equally divided between my five sons to wit, Isham T. Howze, James T. Howze, John K. Howze, William J. Howze & Benjamin G. Howze-- I will that my beloved wife Sally Howze shall have six cows & calves & such part of hogs as she may want & three of my best horses & mules & all my house & kitchen furniture, such of my stock as my wife shall not want I wish to be sold and proceeds to be equally divided between my living children--I will that my wife shall have such plantation tools as she may want.--7th Item I will that my children which are not twenty one years old shall remain with my wife Sally Howze and shall be boarded & schooled by my wife without making any charge against said names of children under twenty one, James T. Howze, John K. Howze, William J. Howze, Benj. G. Howze and Ann E. Howze--all to be schooled & boarded without charge.--8Item, I will that each one of my children after my decease--shall as they marry or become twenty one years old receive their part, except my daughter Martha E. White, formerly Martha E. Howze, and I will Martha E. White's part to be placed in the hands of my wife Sally Howze to purchase a negro girl for the use of said Martha E. White and the heirs of her body and the right not in her husband Joseph B. White nor any other person but for the special use of Martha E. White & the heirs of her body--9th Item. I will that my beloved wife Sally Howze be my lawful executrix and with her James T. Howze be my lawful executor to carry into effect this my last will & testament I will that my wife shall have the privilege to dispose of as she may think proper the proceeds of the farm after schooling & boarding the children which are under twenty one years old--I will that all the negroes mentioned in 4Item together with my stock which is not willed to my wife shall be equally divided among my children--Isham T. Howze, Caroline T. Christian Susan R. B. Paschal, Martha E. White, Sarah E. Mitcham, James J. Howze, John K. Howze, William J. Howze, Benjamin G. Howze & Ann E. Howze, but the part of Martha E. White to be disposed of as mentioned in the 8th Item----------10th Item, my will is that my wife Sally Howze shall have a plenty of corn & pork to serve herself & family that remain with her twelve months after my deceased &also will my wife my blacksmith tools--11Item, I will my cart & oxen to my wife----12th Item My will is that my waggon shall be sold & the proceeds equally divided among my living children.--13th Item--In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 1st February 1840.

Interlined before assigned

Attest Lemuel Jackson (seal)
W. S. Thornton (L.S.)
James M. Norwood (L.S.)

James Howze (seal)

I James Howze do hereby in addition to the foregoing disposition of my property will and bequeath unto each of my children male and female and equal share of my texas lands, and that my four grandchildren, to wit Elvira K. Baker, Sarah Christian Eliza Christian Nancy M. Christian all children of my deceased daughters Mary W. A. Christian, shall have jointly the same share in said lands as the mother would have had if living--And I do hereby revoke and set aside so much of the foregoing will as entitled Sarah E. Mitcham to a horse, for the reason that she has already had an equal value.--And further that so much of my estate as shall be according to the foregoing will and this codicil, distributed to my daughter Caroline T. Williams be second to my children she may have by Williams and in the event she should have no children by Williams for the same to be second to her first children; to wit, Susan B. Christian and William T. Christian, in the hands of their guardian after the decease of their mother should such an event happen during their minority--I do here by decree and constitute the foregoing will together with this codicil to be my last will and testament.

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In testimony whereof I hereunto set my hand and seal this the 13th day of June 1843.
Interlined &erased beforeassigned--
W. S. Thornton)
Elijah Fuller) James Howze (L.S.)
Clement Forbes)

Proven & ordered to record this the 18th day of March 1846

Clement C. Forbes J.C.C.C.C.

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IN'S

WILLIAM HOLSTEIN'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God amen: I William Holstein of the said state and county being weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind and memory, have thought proper to make the following distribution of my estate--viz.

Item 1st. I do give to my beloved wife Dolly Holstein during her natural life or widowhood the following negroes to wit Bruce, Pathy, Ellen, Nancy, Haley Charley, Linsey, Edney, and Susey, together with all my household & kitchen furniture & the stock of provisions that may be on hand at my decease also my plantation lying on the Oselisha Creek in the county of Chambers containing four hundred acres known as the Simonton and Curedler places with all my farming tools, with one set of black smith's tools and five head of horses of the best I may have at the time of my decease: one pleasure carriage, one road waggon, one yoke of oxen & cart, twenty five head of stock cattle to be selected by herself from my stock of cows, with my entire stock of hogs and sheep and a sufficiency of the proceeds of the marketable produce made for market to purchase her a sufficient supply of sugar, coffee, iron, salt &c -for one year.

Item 2nd. It is my will and desire that my executors hereinafter mentioned shall have the full controll of the property which I have bequeathed to my wife so far as to prevent any one of my children from appropriating to his, her or their use, the cultivation of the above named land or the above named negroes as mentioned in item first--

Item 3d. It is my will and desire that when in the judgement of my executors the interest of my wife can be advanced by the distribution of any of the above bequeathed estate they are at liberty to do so by obtaining the consent of my wife, but in no instance shall it be done without her consent.

Item 4th It is my will and desire that if any profits should arise from the labour of the negroes which I have bequeathed to my wife more than a support said profits shall vest in my executors and constitute a fund subject by the consent of my said wife to an annual distribution amongst my several heirs & legatees but should she not consent to such annual distribution of said profits then it shall constitute an accumulative fund in the hands of my executors subject to their control until her death and after her decease: it is my will that said fund shall be equally divided amongst all my heirs.

Item 5th. Upon the decease of my wife it is my will and desire that all the property which I have bequeathed unto her shall descend and be equally divided between my seven children, to wit Laorenzo Holstein Stanmore Holstein Eliza Holstein William Holstein, Matilda Carlisle Lucinda Mosely and Caroline Harris, provided nevertheless that the distribution shares of thus descending by the decease of my beloved wife shall rest in the said Matilda Carlisle, Lucinda Moseley & Caroline Harris and their child or children none in life or that may hereafter be born of their bodies to their sole and separate use and free from the controll of their separate husbands or husband, and free from the payment of the debts of their said huband or husbands now contracted or which may hereafter be contracted.

Item 6th. It is my will and desire that all the property I may own at the time of my death and not bequeathed to my wife after my just debts are paid consisting of the following to wit the plantation on which I now reside containing four hundred and eighty acres and the following negroes to wit Aberam, Amstead, Csorge Sim Mannel Anderson Mariah Sarah Chlve Phil Clara Mary Aron Tamer Betsey Emma Harriett Rachel Wesley John Satira General Rose Charlotte Ann Cillee Rose Mary Prumes Aggey and Daniel and the remaining portion of my stock not bequeathed to my wife shall be equally divided between my seven children as above named to wit Lorenzo Holstein Stanmore Holstein Eliza Holstein William Holstein Matilda Carlisle Lucenda Mosely & Caroline Harris the above named negroes to be equally distributed by dividing them into equal lots and drawing for them. But it is my will & desire that the property so distributed to my said daughters Matilda Carlisle Lucenda Mosely and Caroline Harris descend to the sole & separate use of the said Matilda Carlisle Lucinda Moseley & Caroline Harris and their child or children now in life or that hereafter be born of their bodies free from the controll of their said husband or husbands & free from the payment of their debts now contracted or that may be hereafter contracted. It is my further will & desire that the property thus divised to my said daughters & their children by this item & the property they may hereafter acquire from my wife's portion of my estate by her death or otherwise shall rest in my executor as the trustees of my said daughters & their children & for their sole & separate as aforesaid.

Item 7th. It is my will and desire that if any one of my children should become dissatisfied by misconstruction or otherwise of this my last will & testament that they in no instance go to law but shall have the difficulty adjusted & settled by three or more discreet & disinterested free holders.

Item 8th. I hereby appoint & constitute my three sons Lorenza Holstein Stanmore Holstein & Willian Holstein my lawful executors of this my last will & testament.

Given under my hand & seal this the twenty eighth day of October 1847.

In presence of)
John H. Candler)
Abner P. Stewart) William Holstein (seal)
Manering Walton)

Probated upon the oath of all the witnesses and ordered to be recorded as and for the last will and testament of William Holstein.
November A.D. 1847--

C.C. Forbes J.C.C.

ELIZABETH VERNON BOND, ADMINISTRATER.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we Elizabeth L. Vernon, Britten Stamps, Cuthbert G. Hudson, William Bledsoe, George Vernon & Allen Richardson of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards, judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Three Thousand Two Hundred Dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 24th day of May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty two.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas the above bound Elizabeth L. Vernon & Britton Stamps has been appointed administrators of the estate of Ebenezer Vernon deceased; now, if the said Elizabeth L. Vernon & Britten Stamps 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.

Approved this 24th May 1842)
Evan G. Richards)

Elizabeth L. Vernon (L.S.)
Britten Stamps (L.S.)
William Bledsoe (L.S.)
Cuthbert G. Hudson (L.S.)
George Vernon (L.S.)
Allen Richardson (L.S.)

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AUGUSTUS H. FINLEY GUAR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Augustus H. Finley, Alfred B. Finley William A. J. Finley of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Three Hundred & Sixty 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 31st. day of May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty two.-- The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Augustus H. Finley has been appointed guardian of Elizabeth Finley infant daughter of William Finley late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now, if the said Augustus H. Finley 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 31st. May 1842.)
Evan G. Richards)

Augustus H. Finley (L.S.)
A. B. Finley (L.S.)
W. A. J. Finley (L.S.)

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SARAH BUCKALEN GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by the presents, that we Sarah Buckalen, Abner A. Buckalen & William Lacy of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of One Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of June A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty Two.--

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Sarah Buckalen has been appointed guardian of Robert T., Benjamine W. William D. Susanah J. & Seaborn B. Buckalem infant children of William Buckalen deceased. Now if the said Sarah Buckalen 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 the 10th day of June 1842.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.C.C.)

Sarah Buckalen (L.S.)
Abner A. Buckalen (L.S.)
William Lacy (L.S.)

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JAMES JONES & MIKLE HINKLE ADMINISTRATER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by the presents, that we James Jones, Michael Hinkel, Thomas Shannon Wiseman Ross and William R. Copeland of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the Seventeenth day June A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two------The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Jones and Micheal Hinkle have been appointed executors of the estate of Jonathan Mudick late of Chambers County Alabama deceased now, if the said James Jones & Micheal Hinkle 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.

Signed & approved in open court this 17th day of June 1842)

Evan G. Richards J.C.&O.C.C.C.)

James Jones (L.S.)
Micheal Hinkle (L.S.)
T. Shannon (L.S.)
Wiseman Ross (L.S.)
William R. Copelin (L.S.)

CHARLES M. LEMORE GUARDIAN FOR COGGIN'S MINORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Charles M.Lemore James E. Reese & Thomas J. Harrell, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Twenty Five Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 29th day of September A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Charles M. Lemore has been appointed guardian of Christopher T. Mary Ann & Ebenezer T. Coggin infant children of William Coggin late of Chambers County, Alabama deceased.--Now if the said Charles M. Lemore, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 29th September 1842.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.C.C.)

Charles M. Lemore (L.S.)
James E. Reese (L.S.)
Thomas J. Harrell (L.S.)

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JAMES SIMMS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James Simms Lemuel Daniel & James Askew of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Five Thousand Four Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 27th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.------

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James Simms has been appointed guardian of Wright Daniel, Mary Daniel & Zilpha Daniel infants of Josiah Daniel late of Troup County Georgia, deceased. Now, if the said James Simms 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 27th January 1843.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.& O.C.)

Jas. Simms (L.S.)
L. A. Daniel (L.S.)
James Askew (L.S.)

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JOHN W. PENNY GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we John W. Penny Richard McNealy, Stidman Johnston of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Eight Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 31st. day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John W. Penny has been appointed guardian of Mary Francis White infant child of Thomas G. White late of Harris County Georgia deceased, now if the said John W. Penny 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 31st. December 1842.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.)

John W. Penny (L.S.)
Richard McNealy (L.S.)
Stidman Johnston (L.S.)

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JOHN W. PENNY GUARD. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John W. Penny, George W. Hanson & James C. Wall, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Seven Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the fifth day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John W. Penny has been appointed guardian of Mary Frances White infant child of Thomas G. White late of Harris County Georgia deceased. Now if the said John W. Penny 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 else to remain in full force.

Approved 8th day of December A.D. 1845.)
C.C. Forbes J.C.C.)

John W. Penny (L.S.)
George W. Hanson (L.S.)
James C. Wall (L.S.)

JOHN W. PENNY GUARD. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we John W. Penny, William W. Palmer & Cisere Heath of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Seven Hundred Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, exedutors, or administrators, jointly severally and firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 14th day of September A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John W. Penny has been appointed guardian of Mary Frances White infant of Thomas G. White late of Harris County Georgia deceassed. Now if the said John W. Penny 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, else to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me) John W. Penny (L.S.)
and approved this 10th day of October) William W. Palmer (L.S.)
A.D. 1846.) Cisere Heath (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes. J.C.C,)

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WOODSON P, ALLEN GUARD.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents that we Woodson P. Allen, Dollerson Day and Charles H. Bostwick of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Six Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 14th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two.--The condition of the above obligation is such that, whereas the above bound Woodson P. Allen has been appointed guardian of James A. Mathis infant son of Giden Mathis deceased, now if the said Woodson 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 14th November 1842 Woodson P. Allen (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards Dollerson Day (L.S.)
C. H. Bostwick (L.S.)

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HENRY L. WILKERSON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Henry L. Wilkerson, George W. Hanson & Cyrus Bellingslea of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty Four Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 2nd day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Henry L. Wilkerson has been appointed guardian of Elbert H. Dunn infant son of Walters Dunn late of Oglethop County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Henry L. Wilkerson 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 2nd day of January 1843.) Henry L. Wilkerson (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.C.C.) George W. Hanson (L.S.)
Cyrus Bellingslea (L.S.)

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JAMES J. ROBINSON ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James. J. Robinson, Thomas J. Winston, James M. Hill & George Reese of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Seven Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 31st. day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three. The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound James J. Robinson has been appointed administrater of the estate of David L. Robinson late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. -- Now if the said James J. Robinson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 31st. January 1843) James J. Robinson (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.& O.C.) Thos. J. winsten (L.S.)
James M. Hill (L.S.)
George Reese (L.S.)

JAMES J. ROBINSON ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James J. Robinson and George Reese are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the orphans court of Chambers County and his successors in office in the penal sum of Forty Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs, executors and administraters, jointly & severally firmly by these presents; sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of June A.D. 1845. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas on the petition of James J. Robinson administrater of the estate of David S. Robinson deed. to the orphans court of said county has ordered and decreed the sale of certain real estate of David S. Robinson deed. and the same having been sold for the sum of Twenty Dollars.--Now if the said James J. Robinson administrater as aforesaid shall well and truly make faithful application & payment of the money arising from the said sale according to the final, decree, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force and virtue.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me) James J. Robinson (L.S.)
this 2nd June 1845) Geo. Reese (L.S.)
Edward Croft clk.)
Approved this 2nd day of June 1845.)
C.C. Forbes Judge C.C.C.C.)

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SEABORN HAND GUARD. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all --by these presents, that we Seaborn Hand, Jethro Hamblin and David E. Strong of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Eight Hundred Dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors, or administraters jointly, severally and firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Seaborn Hand has been appointed guardian of Archibald Millender, Manly Jasper Polly Frances, Elizabeth Piety, Calistia Camely Hand infants and minors of John Hand late of Laurence District South Carolina deceased. Now if the said Seaborn Hand 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 10th October 1842.) Seaborn Hand (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) his
Jethro J H Hamblin (L.S.)
mark
David E. Strong (L.S.)

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SARAH HAND GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Sarah Hand, Seaborn Hand & Archibald M. Hand of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto C. C. Forbes judge of the county court, for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Eight Hundred Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administraters, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Sarah Hand has been appointed guardian of Manly J. Hand, Polly F. Elizabeth P. & Calestia C. Hand, infants of John Hand late of Laurence District South Carolina deceased. Now if the said Sarah Hand shall well and truly performa 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 8th day of March 1845 Sarah Hand (L.S.)
C.C. Forbes Judge C.C. Seaborn Hand (L.S.)
Archibald X M. Hand (L.S.)
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WOODSON P. ALLEN ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Woodson P. Allen, Martha Phillips, Jesse Fitzpatrick and Charles Rutledge of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards, judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 9th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two.-- The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Woodson P. Allen and Martha Phillips have been appointed administraters of the estate of Jesse B. Phillips deceased. Now, if the said Woodson P. Allen & Martha Phillips shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administraters, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved in open court this 9th day of November 1842 Woodson P. Allen (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.&O.C.C.C.) Martha Phillips (L.S.)
Jesse Fitzpatrick (L.S.)
Charles Rutledge (L.S.)

GEORGE H. WINSTON ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George H. Winston, Joshua Willis, James M. Hill, and George Reese of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Forty Thousand Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 26th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two.--
The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George Winston, & Joshua Willis have been appointed administrators of the estate of Orren Datus Whitaker deceased. Now if the said Geroge H. Winston & Joshua Willis shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administraters. Then the above obligation to be void: otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved in open court this 26th November 1842.) George H. Winston (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.C.C.) Joshua Willis (L.S.)
James M. Hill (L.S.)
Geo. Reese (L.S.)

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GEORGE H. WINSTON & JOSHUA WILLIS ADMINISTRATERS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George H. Winston & Joshua Willis, principals and Charles McLemore, James M. Hill Martha R. Whitaker, & John B. Kennedy their securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Forty Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 18th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred And Forty Five.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound George H. Winston and Joshua Willis have been appointed administraters of the estate of Orren D. Whitaker deceased. Now if the said George H. Winston and Joshua Willis, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administraters then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 18th November A.D. 1845) George H. Winston (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Joshua Willis (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Martha R. Whitaker (L.S.)
John B. Kennedy (L.S.)

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WILEY HOWELL GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we Wiley Howell, Eli McKinney & Lemuel Newman of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards 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 administraters, jointly, severally and firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the first day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Wiley Howell has been appointed guardian of Nancy Elizabeth, Augusta Ann & Celestia Edney William, infants and minors of Lewis M. Williams late of Chambers county, Alabama deceased.--Now, if the said Wiley Howell 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 1st of October 1842.) Wiley Howell (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.C.) Eli McKinney (L.S.)
Lemuel Newman (L.S.)

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FELIX STANLEY ADMINISTRATRIX BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we Felix Stanley James S. Mitchell & Peter Baugh of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Nine Thousand Dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers, or administrators, jointly severally and firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 9th day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Felix Stanley has been appointed administrater ad collegen dum of the estate of John Davis late of the county deceased. Now if the said Felix Stanley shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, ad collegen dum of said John Davis decd. then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Assigned and approved in open court) Felix Stanley (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) Edward Baugh (L.S.)
J. S. Mitchell (L.S.)

STANLEY & BLOUNT ADMINISTRATORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Felix Stanley William Blount, William Barrow & william L. Crayton of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Nine 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 24 day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Felix Stanley and William Blount has been appointed administrater with the will annexed of the estate of John Davis late of this county decd. Now if the said Felix Stanley & William Blount shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such administraters then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Assigned in open court & approved) Felix Stanley (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C,) William Blount (L.S.)
William Barrow (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)

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CHARLES N. EDMUNDS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY S.S.)

Know all men by these presents, that we Charles N. Edmunds, John F. Goldsmith & John Colly of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Three 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 13th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Charles N. Edmunds has been appointed guardian of Henry H. Eatman, infant son of Ruffin Eatman late of Nash County North Carolina deceased. Now, if the said Charles N. Edmunds 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved in open court this 13th January 1843.) C. N. Edmunds (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.C.C. Ala.) John F. Goldsmith (L.S.)
John Colley (L.S.)

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HARRIS F, NORRIS ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Harris F. Norris, Willis Kellan & John J. Hussey of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors or administrators, jointly and severally by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 3rd day of July A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.--

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Harris F. Norris has been appointed administrator of the estate of Abner Jones late of Chambers County Alabama deceased.--Now if the said Harris F. Norris 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.

Approved this 3 July 1843) H. F. Norris (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.&O.C) Willis Kellam (L.S.)
J. J. Hussey (L.S.)

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EDWARD CROFT GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we Edward Croft, George Croft & Early Lyen of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Thirty Eight 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 14th day of June A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Edward Croft has been appointed t guardian of Fleried Ley infant daughter of William Ley late of Washington county Mississippi deceased. Now if the said Edward Croft shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be required of him as such guardiah, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in presence of) Edward Croft (L.S.)
Edward Croft clk.) Geo. Croft (L.S.)
Approved 14th June 1843) Early Lyen (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.)

LEROY DRIVER ADMINISTRATER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Leroy Driver Arnold Seal & Bartholomew B. Moore of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans 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 administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of April A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.---The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Leroy Driver has been appointed administrater of the estate of William Vann late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now, if the said Leroy Driver shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void: otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this the 21st April 1843) Leroy Driver (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) Arnold Seal (L.S.)
B. B. Moore (L.S.)

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JOHN C. TOWLES ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John C. Towles, Toliver Towles & James H. Darden of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Seven Thousand Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of June A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.--

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above Bond John C. Towles has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Vickers decd. now if the said John C. Towles shall well & truly perform all the duties which are or may be required of them by law then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 3rd day of June 1843 John C. Towles (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C. Toliver Towles (L.S.)
James H. Darden (L.S.)

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WOODSON P, ALLEN ADMINISTRATER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Woodson P. Allen Ann Vickers & John M. Hammock of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Six Thousand Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we beind ourselves our heirs, executors or administraters jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the first day of January A.D, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Woodson P. Allen has been appointed administrater de benisnen of the estate of John Vickers late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Woodson P. Allen shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater debonisnon, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 1st January 1845 Woodson P Allen (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C. her
Ann X Vickers (L.S.)
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John M. Hammock (L.S.)

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JAMES TUTT ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James Tutt, William Welch and Hugh T. Lengine of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of One Hundred and Fifty Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs executers or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of April A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Tutt has been appointed administrator of the estate of Benjamin Tutt late of Chambers County Alabama, deceased. Now if the said James Tutt shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above oglitation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved in open court this 10th April 1843) James Tutt (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.) William Welch (L.S.)
H. T. Lengine (L.S.)

DIANNA M. FREDERICK GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Dianna M. Fredrick of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors, or administraters, jointly, severally and firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 14th day of August A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Dianna Fredrick has been appointed Guardian of Elizabeth, Peter C. Thomas H. Harriett L. Frances M. Albert H. & North C. Fredrick infant children of William K. Fredrick late of Chambers County Alabama deceased, now if the said Dianna M. Fredrick 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 14th August 1843) Diana Mana Fredrick (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) Williams Hicks (L.S.)
William K. Frederick (L.S.)

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THOMAS C. RUSSELL ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Thomas C. Russell Green D. Brantly & Charles McLemore of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executers, or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly, by these presents.--Sealed with our seals, and dated the 2nd day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.---The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas C. Russell has been appointed administrater with the will annexed of the estate of Hardy Pace late of Chambers C. Alabama deceased. Now if the said Thomas C. Russell shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 2nd October 1843.) Thos. C. Russell (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) G. D. Brantly (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)

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BENJAMINE L. GOODMAN EXECUTER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Benjamine L. Goodman Robert Mitchell and William L. Crayton of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Eight Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 18th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Benjamine L. Goodman has been appointed executer of the estate of Augusta A. Walker deceased. Now if the said Benjamine L. Goodman shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executer, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 18th November 1843) B. L. Goodman (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.) Robert Mitchell (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)

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JOHN A. HURST ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John A. Hurst, Jordan Thornton & William Bledsoe of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 17th day of July A.D. One Thousand eight hundred and forty three. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John A. Hurst has been appointed administrater of the estate of Alexander H. McDonald late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said John A. Hurst shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 17th July 1843.) John A. Hurst (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) J. Thornton (L.S.)
William Bledsoe (L.S.)

WOODSON P. ALLEN EXECUTER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Woodson P. Allen, Benjamine Fitzpatrick & David E. Strong of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Three Hundred Dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 14th day of September A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and 43.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Woodson P. Allen has been appointed executer of the estate of John T. Davis deceased: Now if the said Woodson P. Allen shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executer, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved in open court 13th September 1843) Woodson P. Allen (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards) Benjamine Fitzpatrick(L.S.)
David E. Strong (L.S.)

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LEROY MCCOY ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Leroy McCoy John McCoy & James Waller of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Twenty Eight Hundred Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 16th day of August A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.---The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Leroy McCoy has been appointed administrater de bonis non, with the will annexed of the estate of Daniel Hicks late of Clark County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Leroy McCoy shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved in open court this 14th August 1843) Leroy McCoy (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards Judge C. & O. C.) John McCoy (L.S.)
James Waller (L.S.)

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WILLIAM H. OGBOURN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we William H. Ogbourn, Charles McLemore, **John A. Frazer & Thomas J. Harrell of the county** and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Five Thousand Six Hundred 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 24th day of August A.D, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William H. Ogbourn has been appointed guardian of Margaret A. Bledsoe infant daughter of Peachy & Elizabeth Bledsoe, now if the said William H. Ogbourn 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 else to remain in full force.

Approved in open court this 12th September 1843) Wm. H. Ogbourn (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) Charles McLemore (L.S.)
John A. Frazer (L.S.)
Thos. J. Harrell (L.S.)

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MERRELL MONK ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Merrell Monk, Daniel L. Robertson & Josiah Barrow of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Fourteen Thousand Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and date the Nineteenth day of September A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.--

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Merrell Monk has been appointed administrater of the estate of James Gray late of Chambers County Alabama, deceased. Now if the said Merrell Monk 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.

Approved this 19th September 1843) Merrell Monk (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.) Daniel L. Robertson (L.S.)
Josiah Barrow (L.S.)

GREEN J. LORRELL & JOHN L. LORRELL'S EXECUTER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Green J. Lorrell & John L. Lorrell Susan Lorrell, William B. Lorrell Joseph Forshee are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Seven Thousand Two Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrater, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the eight day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.--

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Green J. Lorrell & John L Lorrell has been appointed executors of the estate of Green Lorrell late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Green J. Lorrell & John L. Lorrell 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.--

Acknowledged in open court before me,) Green J. Lorrell (L.S.)
and approved by me this 8th January 1844) John L. Lorrell (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.) her
Susan X Lorrell (L.S.)
mark
William B. Lorrell (L.S.)
his
Joseph X Forshee (L.S.)
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ELIZABETH STILL GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we Elizabeth Still, John J. Hussey & Sarah Dean of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Eighteen Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 11th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.--

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elizabeth Still, has been appointed guardian of Frances Ann, Nancy Caroline, & William Cason Still, infant children of John Still late of Edgefield district South Carolina deceased.--Now if the said Elizabeth Still, 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 in opwn court this 11th March 1844) Elizabeth Still (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) John J. Hussey (L.S.)
her
Sarah X Dean (L.S.)
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THOMAS J. WILLIAMS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas J. Williams, William B. Williams & William Bledsoe of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four Hundred & Seventy One 64/100 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 9th day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.--

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas J. Williams, has been appointed guardian of Frances & Martha Williams infant children of Jonathan D. Williams deceased.--Now if the said Thomas J. Williams 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved in open court this 9th October 1843.) Thomas J. Williams (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) Wm. B. Williams (L.S.)
William Bledsoe (L.S.)

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JOHN J. WILLIAMS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas J. Williams principal, David Williams and William B. Williams security of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four Hundred and Seventy One Dollars 64/100; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs executers, or administrators, jointly severally and firmly by these presents.--Sealed with our seals, and dated the Ninth Day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas J. Williams has been heretofore appointed guardian of Frances and Martha Williams, infant children of Jonathan D. Williams deceased. Now if the said Thomas J. Williams 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, else to remain in full force.---

Acknowledged & approved this 9th February) Thomas J. Williams (L.S.)
A.D. 1846 in open court) Wm. B. Williams (L.S.)
C.C. Forbes J.C.C.) David Williams (L.S.)

BENJAMINE L. GOODMAN ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Benjamine L. Goodman, Robert Mitchell & William L. Crayton of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 18th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.

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

Approved this 18th November 1843)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.)

B. L Goodman (L.S.)
Robert Mitchell (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)

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WILLIAM BLEDSOE ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Bledsoe, James E. Reese & William L. Crayton of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Three 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 5th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and 44. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Bledsoe has been appointed administrator de bonis non of the estate of Stephen Daniel late of Chambers County decd. Now if the said William Bledsoe shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.--

Approved this 5th March 1844)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.)

William Bledsoe (L.S.)
James E. Reese (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)

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LEMUEL B. ROBERTSON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Lemuel B. Robertson, Daniel L. Robertson & James E. Reese of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers, or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 27th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.-- The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Lemuel B. Robertson has been appointed guardian of Martha J. Jenkins, infant daughter of Howell W. Jenkins deceased. Now if the said Lemuel B. Robertson 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 27th February 1844)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.)

L. B. Robertson (L.S.)
Daniel L. Robertson (L.S.)
James E. Reese (L.S.)

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JACKSON YARBROUGH GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jackson Yarbrough, Woodson P. Allen & Blake B. Mattheus of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Two Hundred Dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executers, or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 1st day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.-- The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Jason Yarbrough has been appointed guardian of Sarah Mathews an idiot and daughter of Giden Mathis deceased: Now if the said Jackson Yarborough 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this first day of March 1844)
Evan G. Richards J.O.C.)

Jackson X. Yarborough (L.S.)
mark
Woodson P. Allen (L.S.)
his
Blake B. X Mathis (L.S.)
mark

WASHINGTON MEADERS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Washington Meaders, Walten W. Wallis, John Meaders & Warner W. Meaders of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Nine Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administraters, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 8th day of April A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.-- The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Washington Meaders has been appointed guardian of Josiah K. Prater Jesse Prater Sarah L. Prater & Israel W. Prater, infant children of Israel Prater, late of Laurence district of South Carolina deceased. Now if the said Washington Meaders shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may by by law required of him as such guardian, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 16th April 1844.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C,)

Washington Meaders (L.S.)
Walten W. Wallis (L.S.)
John Meaders (L.S.)
Warner W. Meaders (L.S.)

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WILLIAM B. BUTLER GUARD. PRINCIPAL, JAMES INGRAHAM &.W.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William B. Butler principal, James Ingraham & Wiley Dorman securities, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly, severally and firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 9th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William B. Butler has been appointed guardian of the Jesse, Sarah L. & Israel W. Prather infant children of Israel Prather deceased. Now if the said William B. Butler 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, else to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before)
me and approved by me)
C.C. Forbes J.C.C,)

Wm. B. Butler (L.S.)
Jas. Ingram (L.S.)
Wiley Dorman (L.S.)

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WILLIAM H. GILBERT GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William H. Gilbert, John Bently & Erasnens T. Heath of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office in the penal sum of One Hundred dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly, severally and firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 13th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Three.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William H. Gilbert has been appointed guardian of John Bolt infant of Iseral Bolt deceased. Now if the said William H. Gilbert shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guradian, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.--

Approved in open 18th November 1843)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C,)

his
William H. X Gilbert (L.S.)
mark
John Bently (L.S.)
E. T. Heath (L.S.)

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J. C. TATUM & P. B. MENAFEE EXECUTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Judson C, Tatum, Phala B. Menafee & Robert L. Andrews, George Menafee, Edward Baugh & William Norwood their securities, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, signed with our seals and dated the 26th day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Judson C. Tatum, & Phala B. Menafee have been appointed executors of the estate of Watum Menafee late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now, if the said Judson C. Tatum & Phala B. Menafee, 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.

Acknowledged in open court before)
me & approved by me this 26th October)
1844)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.)

P. B. Menifee (L.S.)
Judson C. Tatum (L.S.)
Robert L. Andrews (L.S.)
George Menifee (L.S.)
Edward Baugh (L.S.)
William Norwood (L.S.)

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C. G. HUDSON & J. R. ALFERD EXECUTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Cuthbert G. Hudson John R. Alferd, James S. Mitchell & Edward Baugh or the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Ten Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated th 5th day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Cuthbert G. Hudson & John R. Alferd have been appointed executers of the estate of Asenath Alferd deceased. Now if the said Cuthbert G. Hudson & John R. Alferd shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such executers, then the above obligation to void; otherwise to remian in full force.--

Approved this the 5th day of October 1844) C. G. Hudson (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) John R. Alferd (L.S.)
J. S. Mitchell (L.S.)
Edward Baugh (L.S.)

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ELIZA BROOKER & W. E. COX ADMINISTRATERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Eliza J. Brooker, William E. Cox, William A. Chisolm & Thomas J. Harrell, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four. The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Eliza J. Brooker & Willian E. Cox have been appointed administraters of the estate of James Brooker & William E. Cox have been appointed administraters of the estate of James Brooker late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now, if the said Eliza J. Brooker & William E. Cox shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such administraters, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.--

approved this 4th day May 1844) Eliza J. C. Brooker (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C,) W. E. Cox (L.S.)
William A. Chisolem (L.S.)
Thos. J. Harrell (L.S.)

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WILLIAM E. COX ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Willian E. Cox Eliza J. Brooker, Franklin M. Ferrell & James R. Phillips of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards, judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 10th day of June A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William E. Cox & Eliza J. Brooker have been appointed administrators of the estate of James Brooker late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said William E. Cox & Eliza J. Brooker 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.--

Approved this 24 June 1844) W. E. Cox (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.O.C.) Eliza J. C. Brooker (L.S.)
F. M. Ferrell (L.S.)
James R. Phillips (L.S.)

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BLUFORD GROSS ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Bluford Gross Andrew McCord and Gilford Gross of the county of Tallapoosa & state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Eight Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administrators, jointly & severally and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July A.D. 1844. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Bluford Gross has been appointed administrator of the estate of Abner Bankston late of Butts County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Bluford Gross 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 else to remain in full force.

Approve this 5th day of July 1844) Bluford Gross (seal)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.) Andrew McCord (seal)
Gilford Gross (seal)

THOS. J. HARRELL ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas J. Harrell, Robert Baugh & William Daniel of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county & orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of One 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 12th day of September A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.-- The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Thomas J. Harrell has been appointed administrator of the estate of Samuel Harrell deceased: Now, if the said Thomas J. Harrell shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.--

Signed sealed & acknowledged before) Thos. J. Harrell (L.S.)
me & approved by me this 12th September 1844) Robt. Baugh (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.O.C.) Wm. Daniel (L.S.)

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LEMUEL JACKSON ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Lemuel Jackson Alexander S. Hughey & Stephen Fuller of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans 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, executers, or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 12th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty five.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Lemuel Jackson has been appointed executer of the estate of Joshua Hightower deceased. Now if the said Lemuel Jackson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executer, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 12th March 1845 Lemuel Jackson (L.S.)
C.C. Forbes Judge O.C. Alexander S. Huey (L.S.)
Stephen Fuller (L.S.)

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AMELIA J. CHILDRESS GURADINA BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Amelia J. Childress, Drury Childress and Isaac R. Low of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six Hundred Dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 7th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.-- The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Amelia J. Childress has been appointed guardian of Francis M. Geroge W. William A. J. Mary C. Narassa N. and Martin V. Childress miners of Edward Childress late of Chambers county Alabama deceased. Now if the said Amelia J. Childress 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 7th January 1845)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) Amelia J. Childress (L.S.)
Drury Childress (L.S.)
Isaac R. Low (L.S.)

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THOMAS SMITH GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Smith Ackison Finlay, Cormick McCarten of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Eight Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 17th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas Smith has been appointed guardian of Willis L. Calloway infant son of Joel Calloway late of Pike County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Thomas Smith 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, else to remain in full force.--

Approved 17th day of March 1845) Thomas Smith (L.S.)
C.C. Forbes Judge C.C.) Acheson Finlay (L.S.)
Cormick McCarten (L.S.)

JOHN L. HAMMOCK ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John L. Hammock, William Hammock & Alfred D. Hammock of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Eight Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the Fourth day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.---

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John L. Hammock has been appointed administrater with the will annexed of the estate of Joshua Harris late of Chambers County Alabama decd. Now if the said John L. Hammock shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remian in full force.

Approved this the 4th day of January 1845) John L. Hammock (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.) Alfred D. Hammock (L.S.)
his
William X H. Hammock(L.S.)
mark

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JOSHUA HARRIS DECD. WILL

In the name of God Amen. I Joshua Harris in the county of Chambers, and state of Alabama, being mindful of my mortality, do this 9th day of May in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred & Forty Three make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following.----

1st. At my death I desire to be decently & privately buried with as little expense as may be.--

2nd I give & bequeath, (at my death,) unto my daughter Susan and her bodily heirs my negro man Joel age eighteen years.--3rd. I give and queath at my death, unto my two guand children, Martha & Jane, daughters of my daughter Rebecca, my negro woman Mary & her children, together with her future increase, age of Mary twenty five years. 4th. I give & bequeath, at my death unto my daughter Frances & her bodily heirs, my ngero womah Harriett & her children together with her future increase, Harriett age seventeen years.--5th. I give & bequeath, at my death, unto my daughter in law Wneretta Harris & the increase of her & my son Archabal my negro boy Hal, age seventeen years.-- 6th. I give and bequeath at my death, unto my son Martin Harris my negro boy Simon age fourteen years.--

7th. I give & bequeath, at my death, unto my son George Young Harris, my 2 negroes, Emily a girl aged eight years & Daniel a boy aged five years.--8th. I desire at my death, that my negro woman Laney aged forty three years, shall be free & that my son in law George D. Stewart, be her guardian.-- In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal, the day & date above mentioned.
his
Signed & sealed in the presents of) Joshua X Harris (seal)
mark
William Hammock)
Alfred D. Hammock)
J. J. Burt)

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WILLIAM P. HOLIFIDLD ADMINISTRATER

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William P Holifield, Vincent A. Pearson & Thomas L. Penn, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum Seven Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents.--Sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of April A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.--

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William P. Holifield has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mesael E. Lamb late of Chambers County Alabama deceased.-- Now if the said William P. Holifield shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.--

Approved this 7th day of April 1845) Wm. P. Holifield (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes Judge C.C.C.C.) V. A. Peirson (L.S.)
Thos. L. Penn (L.S.)

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SION L. HILL ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, Sion L. Hill, Thomas b. McKissack, Thos. J. Harrell & John Dorsett, Harrison Tate, of the county and state aforesaid, are and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs executers or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Sion L. Hill has been appointed administrater of the estate of Joel Wood late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Sion L. Hill, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.--

Approved this 4th. day of January 1845) Sion L. Hill (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.) Thos. B. McKissack (L.S.)
John Dorsett (L.S.)
Harrison Tate (L.S.)

JAMES E. REESE ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James E. Reese & Lemuel B. Robertson of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 14th day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James E. Reese has been appointed administrater of the estate of Thomas W. Baxter deceased. Now if the said James E. Reese shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law, required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.--

Approved by me this 14th October 1844) James E. Reese (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.) L. B. Robertson (L.S.)
Uriah Dunn (L.S.)

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E. F. GRIFFIN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we E. F. Griffin, D. T. Ferguson & Samuel Pearson of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Two Hundred & Fifty Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the Thirteenth day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound E. F. Griffin has been appointed guardian of Emily & Eliza Burson minor children of Joseph Burson. Now if the said E. F. Griffin 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, else to remain in full force.--

Approved December 13th 1847) E. F. Griffin (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J. C.C.) D. T. Ferguson (L.S.)
Saml. Pearson (L.S.)

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WILLIAM P. ESTES GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men, by these presents, that we William P. Estes, Joseph A. Holifield & Hiram Nolen of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Three Hundred Dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and date the 19th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William P. Estes has been appointed guardian of Robert L. F. Thomas J. & William H. Mitchell infant children of William H. Mitchell Harris county Georgia deceased. Now, if the said William P. Estes shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be required of him as such guardian then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Acknowledged before me and approved by me) Wm. P. Estes (L.S.)
this the 19th day of December 1844) Jos. A. Holifield (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) Hiram Nolen (L.S.)

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NARCISSA C. NUNN GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Narcissa C. Nunn principal and John Terry & Fuquay B. Holliday sedurities, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court, for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of One Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and we bind ourselves our heirs, executers, or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and date the 13th day of October A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.-- The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Narcissa C. Nunn has been appointed guardian of Sally, (a free person of color) and her children to wit, Judy, Fanny, John George, Eliza, Hannah, Margareth, Amy, Elizabeth, Tyler, & Susannah, and her grand child, James Madison, infant of the said Sally.-- Now if the said Narcissa C. Nunn 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 13th day of October 1845) Narcissa C. Nunn (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) John Terry (L.S.)
F. B. Holladay (L.S.)

JOHN TRAMMELL GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John Trammell principal, John Y. Osley & Samuel Pearson, of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers, or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.-- The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Trammell has been appointed guardian of Henry G. Coates infant son of Thomas G. Coats late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said John Trammell has been appointed guardian of the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 13th day of March 1845--) John Trammell (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes Judge C. C.) John Y. Osley (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson (L.S.)

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NATHANIEL GRADY GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Nathaniel Grady, Jonathan Lee & Westly M. Garrett of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of One 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 12th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Nathaniel Grady has been appointed guardian of Charles C. Lee infant son of William Lee late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Nathaniel Grady 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, else to remain in full force.--

Approved this 12th November 1844) Nathl. Grady (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C. & O.C.) Jonathan R. Lee (L.S.)
Wesley M. Garrett (L.S.)

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HENRY G. TURNER GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Henry G. Turner John C. Loozer & William H. Finney of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars for the Payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of January A.D. 1845.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Henry G. Turner has been appointed guardian of Mary Ann Matilda McGehee infant daughter of Thomas J. McGehee.--Now if the said Henry G. Turner shall well & 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 else to remain in full force and effect.--

Approved this 21st. January 1845) Henry G. Turner (L.S.)
Clement C. Forbes Judge C.C.C.C.) John C. Loozer (L.S.)
W. H. Finney (L.S.)

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JAMES A. TALBOT GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presnts, that we James A. Talbot, John Wise & Larkin Selman of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court, for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers, or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 1st. day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.--

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James A. Talbot has been appointed guardian of Parham L. Wise, infant son of Isaiah Wise late of Butts County Georgia deceased. Now if the said James A. Talbot 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, else to remain in full force.--

Approved this 1st. day of January 1845) James A. Talbot (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) John Wise (L.S.)
Larkin C. Selman (L.S.)

NOAH CALLAWAY GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Noah Callaway, Daniel S. Robertson & James Simms, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Fourteen Thousand Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs executers, or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Four.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Noah Callaway has been appointed guardian of Sarah E. Rives infant, daughter of Robert Rives late of Autauga County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Noah Callaway 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 25th December 1844) Noah Callaway (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) Daniel S. Robertson (L.S.)
Jas. Simms (L.S.)

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ALFRED B. CAMP GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Alfred B. Camp, William Smith Mr. Eramus T. Heath & Cicero Heath of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office in the penal sum of Sixteen hundred Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of January A.D. One Thousan Eight Hundred and Forty Five.--

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Alfred B. Camp has been appointed guardian of Elizabeth, Nancy, Isiah, Jesse, Martha L. & Sarah Hancock minors of Joseph Hancock late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Alfred B. Camp 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, else to remain in full force.--

Approved this 7th January 1845--) A. B. Camp (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards J.C.C.) William Smith Jr. (L.S.)
E. T. Heath (L.S.)
Cicero Heath (L.S.)

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BRITTON STAMPS ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Britton Stamps, principal & Caleb Hollaway T. Shannon of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made & done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers, or administraters, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.--

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

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me this) Britten Stamps (L.S.)
4th November A.D. 1845) Caleb Hollaway (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) T. Shannon (L.S.)

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ROBERT P. BROOKS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all msn by these presents that we Robert P. Brooks principal & Thomas J. Brooks and Jacob Burton securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court, for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twelve Hundred Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administraters jointly severally & firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the first day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Robert P. Brooks has been appointed guardian of Lucy Head, John Head and James Head, infants & minors of John Head late of Upson County Georgia deceased.--Now if the said Robert P. Brooks, 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, else to remain in full force.--

Acknowledged & approved this first day of) Robert P. Brooks (L.S.)
December A.D. 1845) Thomas J. Brooks (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes Judge C.C.C.C. Ala.) Jacob Burten (L.S.)

WILLIAM FULLER GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William Fuller, Stephen M. Pate & Moses Gunn of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Seven Hundred Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 7th day of April A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.00 The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William Fuller has been appointed guardian of James H. Coates, Martha L. Coates and Julia C. T. Coates infants of Thomas G. Coates decd. Now if the said William Fuller 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 else to remain in full force.

Approved 7th day of April 1845) William Fuller (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes Judge C.C.C.C.) L. M. Pate (L.S.)
Moses Gunn (L.S.)

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HENRY GILMORE ADMINISTRATOR BOND
THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Henry Gilmore Principal and James T. Gilmore & James E. Peavy 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, executers or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 19th day of August A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.--The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Henry Gilmore has been appointed administrater of the estate of Charles H. Gilmore deceased.--Now, if the said Henry Gilmore, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 19th August 1845.) Henry Gilmore (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.O.C.) James T. Gilmore (L.S.)
J. E. Peevey (L.S.)

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NATHAN L. ATKINSON GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Nathan L. Atkinson principal & William W. Palmer & Marcus B. Sweeney his securities, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court, for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of five Thousand Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers, or administraters, jointly severally & firmly by these presents.--Sealed with our seals & dated the 26th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.--The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Nathan L. Atkinson has been appointed guardian of John W. Thomas J. and Elizabeth Atkinson, infants and miners of Laegarus Atkinson late of Chambers County Alabama deceased.--Now if the said Nathna L. Atkinson shall well & 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved the 26th day of December) Nathan L. Atkinson (L.S.)
A.D. 1845) William W. Palmer (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) his
Marcus B. X Sweeny (L.S.)
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JAMES HEATH GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James Heath, James M. Grady, Wm. M. Spikes of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of One Thousand Dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executers, or administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals & dated the Fifth day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.-- The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James Heath has been appointed guardian of Sarah C. Heath infant daughter of said James Heath. Now if the said James Heath shall well and truly perform all the dutites which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 5th day of December A.D. 1845) Jas. Heath (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.O.C.) Jas M. Grady (L.S.)
Wm. M. Spikes (L.S.)

ELIZA HART ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Eliza Hart principal & Robert Johns & Joel Culbreath secruities, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four Thousand Five Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of Septemeer A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five.-- The condition of the above obligation is such taht whereas the above bound Eliza Hart has been appointed administratrix of John Hart deceased. Now, if the said Eliza Hart shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administratrix, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed & acknowledged before me & approved) Eliza Hart (L.S.)
by me this 4th Sept. 1845) Robert Johns (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.C.) Joel Culbreath (L.S.)

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STROTHER GAINES GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Strother Gaines Levingstone Gaines and John Fornby, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans 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, executers, or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 24th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Strother Gaines has been appointed guardian of Laurena L. Ward a miner of Abner Ward late of Elbert County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Strother Gaines 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.--

Approved this 24th November A.D. 1845) Strother Gaines (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.O.C.) Levingston Gaines (L.S.)
John Fornby (L.S.)

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SAMUEL MORRIS ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Samuel Morris, Uriah Dunn & Jsiah Morris of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made & done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the sixth day of August A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Samuel Morris has been appointed administrater of the estate of Wilson Corpsew deceased.--Now if the said Samuel Morris shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved this 6th August 1845) Samuel Morris (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Uriah Dunn (L.S.)
J. P. Morris (L.S.)

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JAMES STAMP'S SENR. WILL

In the name of God, Amen.

I James Stamps of the state of Georgia and County of Walton, being old, now in the Seventy Seventh year of my age, but enjoying reasonable health and of sound and disposing mind and memory, but knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make publish and declare this to be my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

In the first place I recommend my soul to Almighty God in hope of its gracious acceptance by him, and my body to the earth to be buried in a neat and Christian like manner, and as touching the things of this world, it pleased God to bless me with I dispose of in the following manner viz.

Item 1st. My will and desire is that all of my peoperty be sold and my just debts be first paid, and then the proceeds of sale and all of the money I may have when collected, also all that I may have in hand including all my estate, be equally divided between my seven children, namely Thomas J. Stamps, Britton Stamps, James Stamps, Dicy Okelly, Henry Stamps, Polly Okelly & Sally Okelly, and provided either of my above named children die previous to my death, my will and desire is that their children the heirs or their body be entitled to the portion allotted to their decd. Father or mother.--

Item 2nd. I do hereby constitute and appoint my son Britton Stamps, executer to this my last will and testament.

In Witness and ratification whereor I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty ninth day of October in year A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & Thirty Six, signed, sealed & acknowledged on the presence of.

George W. Darden)
Milten Stevene) James Stamps (L.S.)
Henry Kellam J.P.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen.--

I James Stamps formerly of the county of Walton and state of Georgia; but now of the state and county first above written, did execute a last will and testament in October in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Six, by which I expressed the desire that all of my property after the payment of my just debts should be equally divided, between my seven children Thomas J. Stamps, Britton Stamps, James Stamps, Dicy OKelly, Henry Stamps Polly OKelly & Sally OKelly, subject to a certain provision thereunto annexed. Now therefore since the making, and execution of said last will--I have let said James Stamps have on the 26th of December 1839 the sum of One Hundred and Ninety Two 37½/100 dollars for which amount his note was taken by Britton Stamps due me, and which is now held by me.--I Have also recently let my son James Stamps have the sum of Forty Dollars for which his receipt was taken, which two sums make in the aggregate the sum of Two Hundred and thirty two 37½/100 and which sum I consider more than one seventh or my estate.-- Now therefore I the said James Stamps being of sound mind and disposing memory do make and publish this Godecil altering so far as may be expressed the terms of said last will & testament.--

Item first.--it is my will and desire that my executer shall not call on my son James Stamps fo any portion of said sum before mentioned and that my son James Stamps have said sum as before expressed as his full share of my estate and that he have or take nothing farther.--Item second.--It is further my will and desire that all of my peoperty of what kind soever instead of being divided as in my said last will may be equally divided between my six children, to wit, Thomas J. Stamps, Britton Stamps, Dicy Okelly, Henry Stamps, Polly Okelly and Sally Okelly and the benefit of the provis. in my said last will to inure to the survivers of my said six children and their heirs.--Any writing last will, as anything heretofore written to the contrary notwithstanding.--And further I do hereby declare & make void, any bequest in my last will which conflicts with the foregoing,--In testimony whereof I do hereby publish make and declare this as an amendment of my said last will.--In testimony of which I have hereunto set my hand and seal at LaFayette this 28th February A.D. 1843.

Signed sealed & published the day above written in presence of
G. W. Gunn James Stamps (seal)
Thos. J. Harrell)
Edward Crort)

Witness B. Croft & B. Stamps sworn & examined & will & codicil
Established & ordered to record 18th August 1845. C. C. Forbes J.O.C.

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BRITTON STAMPS ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Britton Stamps principal Thomas B. Ervin & John Dorsett secrities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans 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, executers or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 27th day of August A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Britton Stamps has been appointed executor of the estate of James Stamps deceased. Now if the said Britton Stamps shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such executer, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved August 26th 1845) Britton Stamps (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J. O. C.) Thomas B. Executer (L.S.)
John Dorsett (L.S.)

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STRAHAN & ROBINSON ADMRS. BOND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Samuel Strayhan & Jesse B. Robinson principals & William B. S. Gilmore Larkin Floyd Zachariah Faulkny, George F. Taylor & John V. Dunn securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers, or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 8th day of September A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Samuel Strayhand & Jesse B. Robinson have been appointed administrators of the estate of Thomas Robinson deceased. Now if the said Samuel Strayhan & Jesse B. Robinson, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may by law required of them as such administrators, then the above obligation to be void: otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved 8th Sept. 1845) Samuel Strahan (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.C.C.) Jesse B. Robinson (L.S.)
Wm. B. S. Gilmore (L.S.)
Zack Faulkner (L.S.)
Geo. F. Taylor (L.S.)
John V. Dunn (L.S.)

SEABORN GRAY GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Seaborn Gray principal & Robert Johns & James Gray secarities of the county and state aforesaid are held and fimrly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court, for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six 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 fimmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 12th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Seaborn Gray has been appointed guardian of Elbert Gray, & Martha Gray & Mary Gray, infants & miners of James Gray late of Chambers County Alabama, deceased. Now if the said Seaborn Gray 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 12th January 1846) Seaborn Gray (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Robert Johns (L.S.)
James Gray (L.S.)

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EARLY W. BARKER ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Early W. Barker principal, Alvin Willingham, Nathaniel Grady, & Samuel D. Vaughn securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Sixteen Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 6th day October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Five. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Early W. Barker admihistrator of the estate of William R. Miller deceased. Now if the said Early W. Barker shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me &) Early W. Barker (L.S.)
approved by me this 6th October 1845) Saml. D. Vaughn (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.C.C.) Elizabeth Miller (L.S.)
Nathl. Grady (L.S.)

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GEORGE NUNN'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God I George Nunn of the county and state aforesaid being sick and weak in body, but in perfect mind and memory, thanks be to God, calling to mind the morality of my body, and knowing that it was once appointed that all persons should die.

First, I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it, and my body to the ground to be buried in a Christian like manner, by my executors herein-after named. And touching such worldly estate where with it has pleased God to bless me: I give, cermise, and dispose of my property in the following manner, to wit, first I make ordain and appoint wife Narcissa C. Nunn, John Terry & A. M. O Hara the sole executor of my last will and testament, revoking and disannulling all others. First, It is my will and desire that my executors pay all of my just debts; it is also my will that my wife Narcissa C. Nunn shall have all of my lands and plantation, plant-ation tools, horses, mules, waggon, cows & hogs, house hold, and kitchen furniture and a certain negro boy Bob. Said property is to remain up said premises for the support of the family & to educate the children, and when the children all becomes of age, said property is to equally divided amongst them all, it is also my will and desire that my wife Narcissa C. Nunn have the following named negroes to wit, Dick a fellow and his wife Vina and four children, Mary, Emily, Lucinda and Willis, & old John; I also will to my son Mark Nunn a negro man B. Charles and A. Sorrell Ball Face horse bridle & saddle, B. Charles and Henry I desire that they shall be hired out for the benefit of Mark Nunn. I also will to my daughter Sally Maria Nunn a negro man Ishan. I also will to my daughter Lucy Ann Nunn a negro boy by the name of Tab: I also will to my daughter Charlotte Elizabeth Nunn a certain negro woman Permelia & her child Emaline. I also will to my daughter Narcissa Madison Nunn a negro girl by the name of Phebe. I also will to my son George Nunn a negro boy by the name of Charles, sixteen years of age, also a negro boy Henry, Vina's son. It is my desire that each one of my children shall have possession of their parts of the legacy left them as they become of age, and their parts of the profits made upon the premises by their hands. It is further my will that if my wife or either of the children should die without issue that their parts of the legacy may revert to the other heirs. I also will that my executors made titles to D. W. Gregory to the land whereon he now resides, provided said D. W. Gregory shall pay off and discharge in full the following named notes, to wit three notes of hand payable to Robert Mitchell by D. W. Gregory G. Nunn Wm. Smith A. M. O Hara for forty eight dollars & 30 cts. due the first day of January 1844. One given to G. Nunn for rent of said premises for fifty dollars due the day of 1844. Signed by D. W. Gregory It is also my desire that Samuel Johnson shall have titles to the land whereon he how resides. Containing forty acres, provided that he pays off in full a certain promisory note given by Samuel Johnson and Young Johnson to G. Nunn for two hundred and forty one dollars and fifty six cents, written one day after date, and dated the eighteenth day of February 1841. In witness whereof I George Nunn hereunto set my hand and seal this the 20th day of September 1844.

Signed sealed & delivered in presence
F. B. Holladay)
John Y. McD Johnston) George Nunn (seal)
Richard Kemp)

Will established & ordered to record as the last will & testament of Geo. Nunn decd.
C. C. Forbes J.O.C.

NARCISSA C. NUNN EXECUTOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Narcissa C. Nunn principal, John Terry, William Smith Jr. Charles McLemore and Allen M. O. Hara of the County and State afore-said, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County and State afore-said, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs executors or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of October A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and forty five. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Narcissa C. Nunn has been appointed executrix of the estate of George Nunn deceased. Now if the said Narcissa C. Nunn shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be law required of her as such executrix, the the above obligation to be void; other-wise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me) Narcissa C. Nunn (L.S.)
and approved by me this 13th October) John Smith (L.S.)
1845.) John Terry (LS.)
C. C. Forbes J.O.C.) Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Allen M.O.Hara (L.S.)

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THOS. SHANNON ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas Shannon prinicipal and Abner Hutchison & James Fleming of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of two hundred dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 14th day of October A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty five. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas Shannon has been appointed admin-istrator of the estate of Robert Duglas deceased, Now, if the said Thomas Shannon 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.

Approved this 15th October 1845.) T. Shannon (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J. O. C.) Abner Hutchison (L.S.)
James Fleming (L.S.)

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JAMES WILKINS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James Wilkins, principal and William L. Crayton & John Appleby securities of the County and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement Forbes Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Two hundred and eighty eight 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the third day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight hundred and forty five. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Wilkins has been appointed guardian of Samuel Prothro infant & minor of Samuel Prothro late of South Carolina deceased. Now if the said James Wilkins 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved the 3rd December A. D. 1845.) James Wilkins (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J. C. C.) W. L. Crayton (LS.)
John Appleby (L.S.)

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LEMUEL A. DANIEL GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Lemuel A. Daniel principal and Issac Howell and James Askew of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred 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 firmly by these presents, Sealed with our seals and dated 3rd day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Lemuel A. Daniel has been appointed guardian of Josephine Gray infant daughter Norvell R. Gray decd. Now if the said Lemuel A. Daniel shall 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved the 3rd day of January A. D.) L.A. Daniel (L.S.)
1846.) Issac Howell (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J. O. C.) James Askew (L.S.)

JOHN T. GOLDSMITH'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I John T. Goldsmith of the County and State aforesaid being afflicted in body, yet sound disposing mind, make and constitute this my last will and testament, revoking all other wills and testaments heretofore made, to wit, Article 1st. To my daughter Drucilla Parker, I give one negro boy seventeen years old by the name of Dick; also one negro girl about fourteen years old by the name of Amy which is now in the possession of my daughter Drucilla Parker. Article 2nd. To my son Elbert H. Goldsmith I give one negro man by the name of Jake and also his wife Beck, also one tract of land known as the pass tract, containing one hundred and twenty one acres, also my small waggon, also two three year old steers, also one bay filly also two cows and calves, also ten head of hogs, also five head of sheep, also two plows and gear, two grubbing hoes, 2 axes and 2 hoes. Article 3rd. To my daughter Elizabeth Shaw I give one negro woman by the name of Susan, also one half of the lot ofland in Cass County Georgia No.9 the 6th District, the other half owned by George Granberry. Article 4th. To may daughter Martha Jane Goldsmith I give one negro woman by the name of Ellen also, one negro girl by the name of Eady, also one bed, bedstead and furniture. Article 5th. To my daughter Mary Ann Goldsmith I give one negro woman by the name of Mariah, also one negro boy by the name of Ned, also one bed, bedstead and furniture. Article 6th. To my daughter Sarah Goldsmith I give one negro woman by the name of Harriett, also one boy by the name of Albert, also one bed, bedstead and furniture. Article 7th. To my son John Jackson Goldsmith, I give one negro boy Julius, also one negro girl by the name of Riley, also one quarter section of land, taken on the west end of my land. Article 8th. To my wife Sarah Ann Goldsmith and her three children, George Madison, Amanda Permelia, Francis Logenia I give one negro man by the name of Dublin, also his wife by the name of Adline, also one negro boy by the name of Tom also one boy by the name of Bill, also one negro man by the name of Ison, also two hundred and forty acres of land including my dwelling with the exception of forty acres on the east end of my plantation, (cultivatable land) to be rented for the term of five years, and the proceeds thereof applied to the benefit of my daughter Sarah Goldsmith, after which it is to be reverted to my wife and her three children, until the youngest of the three children, Francis Logenia marries or becomes of age, at which time the land as above designated to revert in fee simple to my wife and her son George Madison Goldsmith also I give all the residue of my household and kitchen furniture of every description to my wife Sarah Ann Goldsmith and her three children; also two horses , to wit, one bay horse Sardinic, one sorrell mare, also fifteen head of one year old hogs, also two sows and pigs, also four cows and calves choice of my stock, also ten head of sheep, also all the poultry of every description, also two cows and gear, also two weeding hoes and two grubbing hoe and two oxes, also one black yoke of oxen and cart, also four hundred bushels of corn, three thousand pounds of fodder, and forty bushels of wheat, also two thousand pounds of pork, also one hundred bushels of potatoes; also one Gims fan and thrasher. Article 9th. I desire that my son Elbert H. Goldsmith remain on my plantation until he gathers my present growing crop for which I give one hundred and fifty dollars. Article 10th. I design that all my effects not above enumerated of every description, as soon as convenient after my decease be sold and the proceeds arising therefrom be applied as follows, to wit, I design first, that all my just debts be paid, secondly I design that my executors purchase a negro girl not less than fifteen years old, which I give to my wife and her three children Thirdly all the remainder to be equally divided between my three daughters, Martha Jane, Mary Ann, Sarah and my son John Jackson Goldsmith, and my daughter Drucilla Parker and Elizabeth Shaw, and my son Elbert H. Goldsmith. Article 11th I design that all my property and effects of every description which I have given to my daughters to belong to them and the heirs of their body, and be applied or used in no other way. Article 12th I design that all the effects which I have given to my wife to be hers in fee simple if she never marries: but if she marries revert to her three children, except one horse, saddle and bridle, one bedstead and furniture and two cows and calves. Article 13th I design that if either of my children Drucilla Parker Elbert H. Goldsmith, Elizabeth Shaw, Martha Jane Goldsmith, Mary Ann Goldsmith, Sarah Goldsmith and John J. Goldsmith, should die before they become of age, or have no heirs, their part to revert to the above named children as in this article. Article 14th I design also that if either of the children, George Madison Goldsmith, Amanda Permillia Goldsmith and Francis Logenia Goldsmith should die before they become of age, or have no heirs their part to revert to the above named children as in this article. Article 15th I design that no charge be made for the raising or educating of either of my children as named in the 14th article. Article 16th. I appoint my wife Sarah Ann Goldsmith and my two brothers William Hale Goldsmith and George Madison Goldsmith my executors.

Given under my hand and seal this 23rd day of June 1843.

In presence of George W. Martin)
Calvin Presby)
T. Shannon)

John T. Goldsmith (L.S.)

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~~THE STATE OF~~ ALABAMA CHAMBERS COUNTY
ORPHANS COURT VACATION 16th JUNE 1846
Present---------------------------------ERROR

G. N. & WM. H. GOLDSMITH EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, George M. Goldsmith and William H. Goldsmith principals and Thomas Shannon & Lemuel G. Dawson securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of thirty thousand dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 6th day of July A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas, the above bound George M. Goldsmith and William H. Goldsmith have been appointed executors of the estate of John T. Goldsmith deceased. Now if the said George M. Goldsmith and William H. Goldsmith, 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.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me
and approved by me this 6th day of July A. D.1846.
C. C. Forbes J. C. C.

G. M. Goldsmith (L.S.)
W. H. Goldsmith (L.S.)
T. Shannon (L.S.)
L. G. Dawson (L.S.)

CALVIN PRESLEY GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Calvin Pressley principal and Thomas Shannon & Joseph Greer his securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office in 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 and severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 16th day of September A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty six. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Calvin Presley has been appointed guardian of George M. Amanda P. Francis L. and infant heirs of John T. Goldsmith late of Chambers County deceased. Now if the said Calvin Presley 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 16th September)
A. D, 1846 C. C. Forbes J. C. C.)

Calvin Presley (L.S.)
T. Shannon (L.S.)
Joseph Greer (L.S.)

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JOHN B. GOLDSMITH GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John B. Goldsmith principal, and William H. Goldsmith and George M. Goldsmith securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County and Orphans Court of said County and his successors in office for the penal sum of eight Thousand dollars: for payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 6th day of July A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John B. Goldsmith has been appointed guardian of Sarah and John T. Goldsmith infant children of John T. Goldsmith deceased. Now if the said John B. Goldsmith 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 else to remain in full force.

Approved 6th day of July A. D. 1846.)
C. C. Forbes J. C. C.)

John B. Goldsmith (L.S.)
W. H. Goldsmith (L.S.)
G. M. Goldsmith (L.S.)

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SARAH A. GOLDSMITH GUARDIAN BOND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Sarah Ann Goldsmith principal & Calvin Presley & Joseph Greer his securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County and Orphans 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 firmly and severally by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated withe 22nd day of September A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Sarah A. Goldsmith has been appointed guardian of George M. Armanda P. Francis L. & Caroline S. Goldsmith, infants of John T. Goldsmith late of Chambers County Alabama, deceased. Now if the said Sarah Ann Goldsmith shall we l 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 by me this 22nd of September)
A.D. 1846.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Sarah A. Goldsmith (L.S.)
Calvin Presley (L.S.)
Joseph Green (L.S.)

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WARNER W. MEADERS ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Warner W. Meaders, John Meaders, James Blakely, Felix Stanley, Thos. L. Penn and Iosiah Barrow of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Forty Five Thousand Dollars, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administraters, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 28th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Warner W. Meaders has been appointed administrater of the estate of Washington Meaders deceased. Now if the said Warner W. Meaders shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrater then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me and approved by me this 28th November A.D. 1846
Clement C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Warner W. Meaders (L.S.)
John Meaders (L.S.)
Felix Stanley (L.S.)
Thos. L. Penn (L.S.)
James Blakely (L.S.)
Josiah Barrow (L.S.)

WM. BLOUNT ADMINISTRATER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William Bount, Noah Callaway & Samuel Pearson of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans 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 administraters, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of September A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and forty six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William Blount has been appointed administrater of the estate of Henry Blount deceased. Now, if the said William Blount 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

Approved September 4th 1846) William Blount (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Noah Callaway (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson (L.S.)

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SUSANNAH POGUE'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALA.)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I Susannah Pogue of the state and county aforesaid being weak in body, though sound of memory and mind, do constitute & made this my last will, making all other wills void. Item first, I will that my son James E. Pogue have one negro boy by the name of Oscow & one do by the name of John. I also will that my grand daughters Frances Caroline Pogue & Mary Pogue daughters of A. G. Pogue have old Lucy & little Lizer & to be kept in trust by John L. Pogue until Mary the youngest comes of age, at which time I wish them to have the above named negroes. And to my son John L. Pogue, I will that he have a negro boy by the name of Willis & a girl named little Lucy, & one hundred dollars, I will to Marriah McLane a negro woman named Amanda and her two youngest children, I will to my three grand daughters, Matilda Stallings, Harriett Stallings, & Missouri Stallings a negro woman named Ellen & her two youngest children & to be kept in trust by my son John L. Pogue until the youngest becomes of age at which time to be equally divided. I will that John T. Garald, Nunan, & Alfred Jarald have the tract of land where Randall Jarald now lives in Russell County. I will that Two Hundred be place in the hands of John L. Pogue as trustee for the use of my two grand daughters the heirs of Horatir Pogue decd. & to be give to them as he may think best; I also leave with the said trustee a negro girl by the name of Big Lizer, I will that she be hired out by the said trustee, & when the youngest of the grand daughteres becomes of age then the hire of said negro and also the negro be equally divided between them. I also will that my grand son James T. Pogue have a negro boy by the name of Clayborn, to be hired out by my son John L. Pogue as trustee until the said grand son becomes of age. I will that the above named Alfred Jarald have firty dollars when he comes of age. & my carriage to Mariah McLane & J. L. Pogue. & One Hundred Dollars to my brother Roger Harkin. I will to Marah Kasen a negro girl by the name Fanny, I also will one bed & furniture to Harriett McLane & Martha Pogue . The above named Fanny that I have willed to Mariah Casen I leave in the hands of John L. Pogue as trustee for said Mariah Casen. After all my just debts are paid the balance not mentioned I wish equally divided. I wish my son John L. Pogue & T. Shannon to serve as my executors & carry this my last will into effect. Given under my hand, this 2nd day of Sept. 1846.

Jamesll X Bridges) her
his) Susannah X Pogue
mark) mark
Horatio McLane)
T. Shannon Witness)

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POGUE & SHANNON EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Shannon & John L. Pogue principals & Elliott H. Muse Elisha H. Kendall and John B. Hawkins their securities, of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the panal sum of Ten Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the first day of October A.D. One thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas Shannon & John L. Pogue have been appointed executors of the estate of Susannah Pogue deceased. Now if said Thomas Shannon & John L. Pogue 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.

Approved by me this 1st day of October A.D. 1846) T. Shannon (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) John L. Pogue (L.S.)
Elliott H. Muse (L.S.)
E. H. Kindall (L.S.)
J. B. Hawkins (L.S.)

POGUE AND SHANNON EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John L. Pogue, Thomas Shannon, Henry L. Wilkerson & Strother Gains of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Ten Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John L. Pogue & Thomas Shannon have been appointed executors of the estate of Susuannah Pogue deceased, Now if the said John L. Pogue & Thomas Shannon 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.

Approved this 7th Feb. A.D. 1848) John L. Pogue (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) T. Shannon (L.S.)
H. L. Wilkerson (L.S.)
Strother Gains (L.S.)

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THOMAS CHRISTIAN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Thomas Christian principal & Pitman M. Lumpkin & Nathan R. Machen securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Five 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 12th of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas Christian has been appointed guardian of Sarah, Eliza & Nancy Christian infants, daughters of Mary W. A. Christian deceased. Now if the said Thomas Christian 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 else to remain in full force.

Approved this the 12th of January) Thomas Christian (L.S.)
A.D. 1846) Pitman M. Lumpkin (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Nathan R. Machen (L.S.)

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ELISHA FORD GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, Elisha Ford, Charles McLemore, Wm. Davis G. D. Brantly, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county & orphans court, for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Firteen 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 3rd of August A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Elisha Ford has been appointed guardian of John Farris Martin & Sarah Ann Rebecca Carter, infants of Thos. S. Carter late of Elbert County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Elisha Ford shall well 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; else to remain in full force.

Approved 6th day of August 1846) Elisha Ford (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Wm. Davis (L.S.)
G. D. Brantly (L.S.)

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JOHN B. HAWKINS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John B. Hawkins principal & Lewis Wilson & Nealy McCoy Jr. securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly severally and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 18th day of July A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John B. Hawkins has been appointed guardian of Thaddeons H. Hawkins, infant son of John Hawkins late of Oglethorp County Georgia deceased.

Now if the said John B. Hawkins, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 20th of July A.D. 1846) John B. Hawkins (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Lewis Wilson (L.S.)
Nealy McCoy (L.S.)

STERLING T. HIGGINS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Sterling T. Higgins principal and William Clark & James Wilkins securities, of the county and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of four 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 & firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of May A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Sterling T. Higgins has been appointed guardian of his children to wit, William H. Higgins, Robert J. Higgins, Simeon G. Higgins and Sterling T. Higgins Jr. Now if the said Sterling T. Higgins, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 4th day of May A. D. 1846.) S. T. Higgins (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) William Clark (L.S.)
James Wilkins (L.S.)

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MANNERING WALTEN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Mannering Walten prinicipal and James H. Darden and Toliver Towles securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County & Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of eight hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the sixth day of April A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Mannering Walten has been appointed guardian of Letha E. Taylor, John W. Taylor, Peter B. Taylor Sarah J. Taylor, Terese Taylor, and Nancy E. Taylor infants & minors of Baxter Taylor deceased. Now if the said Mannering Walten 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 else to remain in full force.

Approved 6th day of April A. D. 1846) Manning Walten (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) James H. Darden (L.S.)
Toliver Towles (L.S.)

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D. W. HARRIS ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, D. W. Harris prinicipal and W. M. Harris and L. L. Harris securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County and his successors in office for the penal sum of Six 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 firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of June A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six.

The condition of the above obligation if such that whereas the above bound D. W. Harris has been appointed administrator of the estate of Martha R. Whitaker deceased. Now if the said D. W. Harris 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.

Signed sealed and subcribed and approved) D. W. Harris (L.S.)
by me, June 4th 1846.) L. L. Harris (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) W. M. Harris (L.S.)

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HENRY MCCOY GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Henry McCoy, prinicipal and Nealy McCoy Senior Nealy McCoy Junior securities of the said Henry McCoy of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of thirty five hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the seventh day of February A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Henry McCoy has been appointed guardian of Ann Eliza, Epsy L. & Elizabeth E. Carmichal, infants of Joseph E. Carmichal late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Henry McCoy shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in my presence) Henry McCoy (L.S.)
and approved by me this 7th day of) Nealy McCoy Sr. (L.S.)
February 1846.) Nealy McCoy Jr. (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

WESLEY M. GARRETT GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Westley M. Garrett Nathaniel Grady & Asa W. Woundtree of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of One 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 11th day of February A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Wesley M Garrett has been appointed guardian of Elizabeth E. Carmichal, infant daughter of Joseph Carmichal deceased. Now if the said Wesley M. Garrett 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved the 11th day of January A. D.)
1846.) Wesley M. Garrett (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Asa W. Woundtree (L.S.)
Nathl. Grady (L.S.)

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JOHN SLAUGHTER ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, John Slaughter principal & Lawson Slaughter & John R. Slaughter securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of forty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the fourteenth day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the aboveobligation is such that whereas the above bound John Slaughter has been appointed administrator of the estate of Ruben Slaughter late of Muscogee County Georgia deceased. Now if the said John Slaughter, 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.

Approved this 14th day of January 1846.) John Slaughter (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) John R. Slaughter (L.S.)
his
Lawson x Slaughter (L.S.)
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BENJAMINE FITZPATRICK GUARDIAN BOND

Know all men by these presents that we Benjamine Fitzpatrick Joseph N. Fitzpatrick & Elisha H. Fitzpatrick, of the county and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of two hundred dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or assigns, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 24th day of November A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Benjamine Fitzpatrick has been appointed guardian of Mary E. Fitzpatrick, infant of Joseph Fitzpatrick late of Harris County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Benjamine Fitzpatrick 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 24th November A. D. 1846.) Benjamine Fitzpatrick (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Elisha Fitzpatrick (L.S.)
Joseph N. Fitzpatrick (L.S.)

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JOHN SLAUGHTER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John S. Slaughter principal & Lawson Slaughter & John R. Slaughter securities of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes Judge of the County Court of said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of forth thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the fourteenth day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Slaughter has been appointed administrator of the estate of Samuel Slaughter late of Baldwin County Georgia deceased. Now if the said John Slaughter shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrator 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.

Approved this 14th day of January 1846.) John Slaughter (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) John R. Slaughter (L.S.)
his
Lawson x Slaughter (L.S.)
mark

GARRETT P. CROWDER ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Garrett P. Crowder, Wells Tarver & Reuben C. Holifield of the county and state aforesaid, are held and fimrly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Two Thousand Five Hundred 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 14th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the abov obligation is such that whereas the above bound Garrett P. Crowder has been appointed administrater of the estate of Barthelomew Crowder deceased. Now if the said Garrett P. Crowder shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him by law then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

G. P. Crowder (L.S.)
his
Wells X Tarver (L.S.)
mark
R. C. Holifield (L.S.)
Littleten Tally (L.S.)

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THOMAS L. RICHARD'S WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, Amen.

I Thomas L. Richards of the county and state aforesaid, being of sound mind and memory, do make, ordain, constitute this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all others. First, I wish for all of debts to be paid out of my estate with the proceeds that belongs to my estate, debts and so forth, and what part of the crop that my wife can spare, leaving her enough for the first year. Second I leave and bequeath to my son Joseph M. D. Richards 1 negro, namely Tab.

Third I leave and bequeath to my daughter Polly Richards 1 negro namely Fan. Fourth, I leave and bequeath to my daughter Charity Banks, one negro Lizer Tabs white child. Fifth I leave and bequeath to my wife and her children one negro man Peter, and all of my lands in this state and else where, and all of my stock consisting of horses and mules cattle and hogs and sheep, oxen, waggons and cart plantation tools, house hold an kitchen furniture to her and her children, and at her death for to be equally divided between them all: Lastly I wish and desire that my friends would see that affairs is well settle, my wife and son Joseph M. D. Richards for to be my executers to my will. Signed sealed on this date of our Lord Eighteen and Forty Six, the twenty fifth of April, to my friend and acquaintance and last to my creater.

Jas W. Richards)
Jno. L. Wilkins)
James Hardy)

Thomas L. Richards (L.S.)

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JOSEPH M. D. RICHARDS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these prsents, that we Joseph M. D. Richards principal and James W. William, Isaac William and William S. Hays his securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C, Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Four-teen Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and date the 22nd day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred & Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound M. D. Richards has been appointed executor of the estate of Thomas S. Richards deceased. Now if the said Joseph M. D. Richards shall well and truly perform all the duties which areor may be by law required of him as such executor, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved by me October 22nd 1846)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Josaph M. D. Richard(L.S.)
Jas. W. Richards (L.S.)
Isaac Williams (L.S.)
William S. Hays (L.S.)

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THOMAS CHRISTIAN'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
BRADLEY COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen.

Ist I give my soul into the hands of God who gave it, and my body I commend to the earth to be buried in a decent and Christian like mannner, and all my lawful debts to be paid. 2nd It is my request that what money I have on hand, and the proceeds of my cotton crop to be applied to the payment of my debts. 3rd It is my request that all my property both real and personal, be valued, and that my widow Nancy Christian heir one third of all my estate during her life time, and the remaining two thirds, of my estate to be equally divided amongst my children. 4th It is my wish that the one third of my estate which I here bequeath to my widow Nancy Christian during her life be equally divided among my children at her death, together with the proceeds of the same. 5th It is also my request that my widow Nancy Christian be my executrix, and that my sons Lewis Christian and James Christian be my executors to execute this my last will. 6th It is also my request that the negroes and furniture given by me to my two daughters, Sarah & Margarett be considered in value with the remainder of my estate and be divided as such. In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this the third day of February in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. Witnesses

Nathan R. Machen)
William B. Williams)

Thomas Christian

THOMAS CHRISTIAN'S EXECUTORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Nancy Christian, Lewis Christian, & James Christian principals and Stephen Chafin, Toliver Towles, John C. Towles, Thomas Taylor & G. W. Y. Musick securities, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Forty Five Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or admin strators, jointly severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 10th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Nancy Christian, Lewis Christian, & James Christian have been appointed executors of the estate of Thomas Christian deceased. Now if the said Nancy Chrisitian 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.

Approved by me this 10th March A.D. 1846.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Nancy Christian (L.S.)
Lewis Christian (L.S.)
James Christian (L.S.)
Stephen Chafin (L.S.)
Toliver Towles (L.S.)
John C. Towles (L.S.)
Thos. Tayler (L.S.)
G. W. Y. Musick (L.S.)

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NANCY CHRISTIAN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Nancy Christian, Thomas Tayler, Pitman M. Lumpkin & John B. Hawkins, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the count court, for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Twenty One 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Nancy Christian has been appointed guardian of James, Gideon, Thomas, John R. Susan B. William F. & George W. Christian,& Mary Tayler, formerly Mary Christian wife of James Tayler Jr. a minor, infants & minors of Thomas Christian late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Nancy Christina 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 2nd day of January A.D. 1847.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Nancy Christian (L.S.)
Thos. Tayler (L.S.)
Pitman M..Lumpkin (L.S.)
John B. Hawkins (L.S.)

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NANCY CHRISTIAN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Nancy Christian Lewis Christian, Stephen Chafin, Jesse S. Clark and William M. Clark, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty One Thousand Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executers or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Nancy Christian has been appointed guardian of James Gideon, Thomas, John R. Susan B. William J. & George W. Christian also of Mary Tayler formerly Mary Christian, wife James Tayler Jur. infants and minors of Thomas Christian late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Nancy Christian 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 March 13th 1847)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Nancy Christian (L.S.)
Lewis Christian (L.S.)
Stephen Chafin (L.S.)
Jesse S. Clark (L.S.)
William W. Clark (L.S.)

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RICHARD EDGE GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Richard Edge, Abner Penten & Edward Croft of the county & state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successers in office, for the penal sum of Sixty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 20th day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above Richard Edge has been appointed guardian of Irena Elizabeth Edge, in-fant daughter of Sion Edge late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Richard Edge 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 24th February A.D. 1847.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

his
Richard X Edge (L.S.)
mark
Demsey W. Harry (L.S.)
Edward Croft (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William Holstein Jr. Lerenzo Holsteih, Stanmore Holstein, Michal A. J. Carlisle & Jesse Mosely of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county aourt for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Forty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 28th day of February A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William Holstein Jur. has been appointed executor of the estate of William Holstein decd. Now if the said William Holstein Jur. 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.

Approved this 28th day of February 1848)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

William Holstein (L.S.)
Lorenzo Holstein (L.S.)
Stanmore Holstein (L.S.)
M. A. J. Carlisle (L.S.)
Jesse Mosely (L.S.)
Wm. L. Harris (L.S.)

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B. B. PATRICK & W. J. MADDUX ADMRS. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Benjamine B. Patrick & William J. Maddex, principal & Uriah Dunn & James S. Mitchell securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Thirty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the fifteenth day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Benjamine B. Patrick & William J. Maddex has been appointed administrator of the estate of Anthony W. Maddox deceased.

Now if the said Benjamine B. Patrick & William J. Maddox 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.

Signed Sealed & acknowledged before me this)
15th February A.D.—1848.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

B. B. Patrick (L.S.)
W. J. Maddex (L.S.)
Uriah Dunn (L.S.)
J. S. Mitchell (L.S.)

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JOHN DORSETTS WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God amen.

I John Dorsett being in a low state of health, but of sound mind and memory, doth make and ordain this my last will and testament, revoking all others. 1st. It is my will and desire that all my just debts be paid. 2nd. It is my will and desire that the whole of my estate, both real and personal remain in possession of my wife for her benefit and to raise and educate my children on, until my youngest child become of age, except such property as may be hereafter named and bequeath to my children. 3rd. I give and bequeath to my son James two negroes boys, one by the name of Thomas and the other by the name of William, and should he die, without a legal heirs of his body then the said two negroes both to be equally divided between the rest of my children. 4th. It is my will and desire that my wife give off to each of my children as they become of age one negro each to be valued and of such a description as she may designate, also it is my will and desire that each of my children as they become of age have one horse at the value of Eighty dollars to be given off by my wife, also one bed and furniture, also one hundred Dollars worth of provisions. 5th. It is my wish and desire that my executor or executrix sell and dispose of one quarter section of land being the same I bought from the estate Mrs. Alferd decd. and whereon O. W. Sheppard now lives on for the purpose of paying of the debts against my estate. 6th. It is my will and desire that all my property both real and personal at the death of my wife or when my youngest child becomes of age, that has not been disposed of in this my will, be equally divided between the whole of my children, share and share alike, which property then designated, I give an bequeath to each of my children during their natural life and the legal heirs of their body. I do hereby constitute and appoint my beloved wife Dolly Dorsett my lawful executrix to this my last will and testament. This second day of February in the year of our Lord one Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven.

Signed in presents of)
Willis Kellam)
B. Walker)
Cuthbert G. Hudson)

John Dorsett (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Dorothy Dorsett principal & Thomas B. Erwin, Cuthbert G. Hudson & Willis Kellam securities of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty One Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, ou heirs, executors or administrators, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the second day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Dorothy Dorsett has been appointed administratrix with the will annexed of the estate of John Dorsett deceased. Now if the said Dorothy Dorsett shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of her as such administratrix with the will annexed, the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me)
and approved by me this 2nd day of March)
A.D. 1847.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Dorothy Dorsett (L.S.)
Thomas B. Erwin (L.S.)
Cuthbert G. Hudson (L.S.)
Willis Kellam (L.S.)

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WOODSON P. ALLEN GUARDIAN OF J. M. PHILLIPS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Woodson P. Allen principal Jesse Fitzpatrick & Ezekiel Ratchford securities, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Woodson P. Allen has been appointed guardian of James M. Phillips infant son of Jesse B. Phillips late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Woodson 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 7th December 1846.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Woodson P. Allen (L.S.)
Jesse Fitzpatrick (L.S.)
Ezekiel Ratchford (L.S.)

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JAMES WEBB ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, James Webb, principal & John Webb & Samuel B. Burdett of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 22nd day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Webb has been appointed administrator of the estate of James Webb senr. deceased. Now if the said James 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before)
me and approved by me this 21st December)
A.D. 1846.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

James Webb (L.S.)
John Webb (L.S.)
Sal. B. Burdett (L.S.)

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JAMES WEBB ADMINISTRATOR NEW BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James Webb principal & Marcus B. Swinney and Abner Penten his securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Seven Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our hirs, executors or administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Webb has been appointed administrater of the estate of James Webb senr. deceased. Now if the said James 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.

Approved January 28th 1847.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C,)

James Webb (L.S.)
his (L.S.)
Marcus B. X Swiney
mark
Abner Penten (L.S.)

HANNAH BLEDSOE GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, Hannah Bledsoe, McCreless Corley, John F. Bledsoe & Thomas Tayler of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Seven 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seald and dated the 31st day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Hannah Bledsoe has been appointed guardian of Sarah, Rebecca, William H. Francis M. Nicholas, & Warren B. Bledsoe infants & minors of William Bledsoe late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Hannah Bledsoe 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 31st. day of December A.D. 1846.) Hannah Bledsoe (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) McCreless Corley (L.S.)
John F. Bledsoe (L.S.)
Thos. Tayler (L.S.)

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SAMUEL T. WHITAKER'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Samuel T. Whitaker, George H. Winsten, Thos. L. Penn and Samuel L. Harris & James L. Williams of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court, for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twelve 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Samuel T. Harris has been appointed guardian of Orran D. Eli H. and John T. Whitaker, infants minors of Oran D. Whitaker late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Samuel T. 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 7th day of December 1846.) Saml. T. Whitaker (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Geo. H. Winsten (L.S.)
Thos. L. Penn (L.S.)
Sam. L. Harris (L.S.)
James L. Williams (L.S.)

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NATHL. GRADY'S WILL

The last will and testament of Nathaniel Grady of Chambers County Alabama. Considering the uncertainty of this mortal life, and being of sound mind and memory, blessed be Almighty God for the same do make and publish this my last will and testament in manner and form following. That is to say, I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth Grady, all my estate, both real and personal, after paying all my just debts, consisting of the sough half of section Twenty Seven in Township Twenty Foru and Range Twenty Seven and the east half of the south east quarter of section Twenty Eight in the same Township and Range, in the district of land subject to sale at Montgomery Alabama, and the following named negroes, viz, Ben, Smith, Chavey, Charlotte, Chery, Becky and Hamlet, with all my stock, consiting of horses, cattle hogs, household furniture& etc.

All the above property with all other that I may be possessed of at my decease, I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Elizabeth during her natural life, after her decease it is my will and desire that Nathaniel G. Hammond and Eliza G. Harmond my nephew an nice (son and daughter of Joel Hammond and my sister Elizabeth Hammond) should heir my lands above described, with the exception of the quarter section on which my dwelling house stands, also the following named negroes and increase viz, Ben, Smith, Charlotte and Cherry, the rest to be disposed of at the death of my said wife, Elizabeth as she may think proper provided, that in case my said wife Elizabeth should fail to made any devise or dispostion of said property then the afore named Nathaniel G. and Eliza G. Hammond are to be heirs of the same. I hereby appoint my beloved wife Elizabeth Grady my sole executrix of this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this Thirty first day of December in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Two, signed, sealed & published in the presence of us whose names are hereunto subscribed as witnesses in the presence of the Testater.

Drury Dunn) Nathl. Grady (L.S.)
Asa Little)
Garet Jurdan)

ELIZABETH GRADY EXECUTRIX BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elizabeth Grady principal and William J. Grady, John Bowen & Amos Hicks her securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Thirteen Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 5th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Elizabeth Grady has been appointed executrix of the last will & testament of Nathaniel Grady deceased. Now if the said Elizabeth Grady 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before me) Elizabeth Grady (L.S.)
this 5th day of January A.D. 1847.) Wm. J. Grady (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C,) John Bowen (L.S.)
Amos Hicks (L.S.)

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NEIOMAN GOLDEN GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, Neioman Golden principal J. W. Bachelder & John Golden securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Four Hundred Dollars: for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind our selves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly, severally and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 8th day or May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Neioman Golden has been appointed guardian of Caleb Golden minor son of Mark Golden deceased. Now if the said Neioman Golden 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 8th day of March A.D. 1848.) Neioman Golden (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) J. W. Bachelder (L.S.)
John Golden (L.S.)

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MECAJAH HARRIS' WILL

THE STATE OF ALA.)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, I Micajah Harris being sick and weak in body, but in perfect mind and memory thanks be to God for his mercies, and knowing it was once a pointed that all men should die, first I recommend my sould into the hands of the Almight God who gave it, and my body to the ground to be buried in Christian like manner by my executors herein after named, it is desire that Alfred Zachry be the executor of this my last will & testament & my wife Mary Harris my executrix. First it is my wish and desire that all my just debts shall be paid. It is further my wish and desire that my wife Mary Harris keep all the property together four years and at the end of four years the property is all to be divided, amongst my heirs agreeable to the laws of the state of Alabama, it is also my desire if my wife Mary Harris shoudl marry at any time sooner the four, the property is to be divided at her marriage. Given under my hand & seal, this day of June 1847.

Witnesses) M. Harris (Seal)
John Terry)
Solomon Ward)
C. D. Bilko)
John Bowen)

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JOHN TERRY'S ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALA.)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Terry, Wiley Howell & Amos Hicks of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court of the county aforesaid, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 18th day of August A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Terry has been appointed administrator come testament annexed of the estate of Micajah Harris deceased. Now if the said John Terry 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before) John Terry (L.S.)
me and approved by me this 19th August 1847.) Wiley Howell (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C,) Amos Hicks (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Thomas C. Brown Benjamine L. Tarver, Cuthbert G. Hudson Isaac Ross and Otis Smith of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Sixty Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 1st. day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas C. Brown has been appointed administrator of the estate of Joseph D. McFarland deceased. Now if the said Thomas C. Brown 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.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me and)
approved by me this 1st day of November 1847)
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Clement C. Forbes J.C.C.)

T. C. Brown (L.S.)
Benji. S. Tarver (L.S.)
C. G. Hudson (L.S.)
Isaac Ross (L.S.)
Otis Smith (L.S.)

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NANCY MCFARLAND ADMRS. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Nancy McFarland Cuthbert G. Hudson and Daniel L. Robertson of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 11th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven.

The condition of the above obligation i such that whereas the above bound Nancy McFarland has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Joseph D. McFarland deceased. Now if the said Nancy McFarland 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 else to remain in full force.

Approved December 11th 1847)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Nancy McFarland (L.S.)
C. G. Hudson (L.S.)
Daniel L. Robertson (L.S.)

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NATHANIEL C. BARBER ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Nathaniel C. Barber, Burwell L. Carr & Toliver Towles of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Five Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 31st day of May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Nathaniel C. Barber has been appointed administrator of the estate of Henry Smith deceased. Now if the said Nathaniel C. Barber 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before me)
and approved by me this 31st day of May A.D. 1847)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Nathaniel C. Barker (L.S.)
Burwell L. Carr (L.S.)
Toliver Towles (L.S.)

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JAMES T. GILMORE ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James T. Gilmore, Calvin Presley, Joseph Green & Nancy Gilmore of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Six Thousand $6000 Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 24th day of May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James T. Gilmore has been appointed executor of the estate of John Gilmore deceased. Now if the said James T. Gilmore 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in open court &)
approved by me this 14th May 1847.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

James T. Gilmore (L.S.)
Calvin Presley (L.S.)
Joseph Green (L.S.)
Nancy Gilmore (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

This 10th day of March 1847.

In the name of God Amen. I John Gilmore of the county and state aforesaid, knowing the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death and being afflicted in body yet of sound disposing mind and memory, deem it necessary to made such disposition of my earthly effects as to me seemeth equitable and right, which I shall do in this instrument, declaring the same to be my last will and testament revoking all other will and testaments heretofore made, (to wit) Article the first, to my beloved wife Nancy Gilmore I give all my effects both real and personal which consists in the following property, to wit, one negro man by the name of Jess, also one negro woman by the name of Susan also the children of the above negro woman, consisting of three in number, (to wit) Jane, George & Becky, also all of my household and kitchen furniture of every description, also all of my stock consisting of cows, hogs, and sheep also one yoke of steers also three head of horses, also one quarter section of land upon which I now live, with all the improvements, thereupon also all my farming implements of every description also one ox cart. Article the second, I design for my waggon to be sold and the proceeds arising therefrom to be given to my beloved wife Nancy Gilmore. Article the Third. I design that all my just debts be paid. Article the fourth I appoint my son James T. Gilmore and my wife Nancy Gilmore my executors. Article the fifth. I hereby commend my soul to God and my body to the dust in a decent Christian manner of burial. Given under my hand and seald the day and year above written, in presence of

Calvin Presley)
Joel H. Cook)
Thos. R. Russell)

John Gilmore (L.S.)

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SHADRACH FLOYD'S WILL

I Shadrick of the county of Green and state of Georgia bearing in mind that it is appointed unto all men to die, and being at this time in a low state of health, but of sound and disposing mind, do ordain this to be my last will and testament, in manner and form following, to wit, 1st. It is my will that all my just debts be paid in the following manner, from the new growing crop, the sale of Two horses and my waggon, and my negro man Dick, in the order in which they are here mentioned, so far as it may be necessary. 2nd. Having given my daughter Nancy a saddle bed & furniture it is my will that each of my other daughters as they arrive at age of fifteen or as soon thereafter as convenient, shall have a saddle and when they marry or leave my wife to have a bed and furniture. It is also my will that all my wife shall have a cow & calf each.

3rd. Having given my son George a saddle bed and furniture, and a cow & calf, and having given my son Thomas a saddle. It is my will that Thomas shall have a bed and furniture and a cow and calf. It is further my will and desire that each of my younger sons as they arrive at the age of Twenty One or marry, which ever count may take place first, shall have a saddle, a bed and furniture and cow and calf. 4th. It is further my will and desire that my estate not herein before disposed of, be kept together as a home for my said wife Martha and children, and that under the direction and management of my wife Martha during her life. The profits of which to be applied to the support and education of my said wife and children not yet of age. 5th. If my wife Martha should think best at any time to sell the land whereon I now live, she can do so, and lay out the money in other land to which shall be held as a part of my estate, the same she can do as to horses and other stock. 6th. If my wife Martha should marry after my death, then and in that case the man she may marry shall have ho controll nor use of any part of my estate until he shall first give bond and good security for the final return of it to my children, and payment of the legacies given by and according to this will. 7th. It is further my will and desire that after the death of my wife Martha, the whole of my estate not herein before disposed of, be sold at Twelve months credit, and good security taken in such lots as will likely bring the most money and diveded equally among my children that may be in life at that time. And if there should be any one or none of my children not living, at the death of my wife but leaving legitamate issue all such children shall receive the portion their Father or Mother would have been entitles to by this will. 8th. Lastly I appoint my trusty friend William W. D. Weaver my executor to carry into effect this will. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the twenty sixth day of May Eighteen Hundred and Thirty Five.

Test)
David L. Terrell)
Daniel Perdue)
Green Moore)

Shadrick Floyd (seal)

CODICIL

It is my will that when my three youngest sons shall arrive at the age of Twenty One, my wife may have the liberty to give each of them a horse addition to what has been already given them.

This 26th day of May 1835.

Test David L. Terrell
Daniel Perdue
Green Moore

Shadrick Floyd (seal)

SUSANNAH STORY'S WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

The last will & testament of Susannah Story of said county & state widow of Charles Story deceased of Pendleton District South Carolina.

I Susannah Story aforesaid being of sound mind & understanding & disposing memory but in feeble health, do make ordain publish & declare this to be my last will & testamony hereby revoking & declaring well & void all & every previous will made by me, at any time. Item 1st. I give my soul to God who gave it, hoping for full redemption through his son & desire that my body be decently entered in the discretion of my executors. Item 2nd. I give & bequeath unto James E. Reese esqr. his executors & administrators in trust for my niece Mary E. Cherry, the wife of Dr. James A. Cherry & for her sole separate & exclusive use & benefit free from the debts & contracts of her said husband, my negro slaves, Alice a woman & her daughter Pheebe, & Munday a man I also give in trust aforesaid to the said James E. Reese to be paid him by my executors herein after named, the sum of Eighty Dollars to be expended at the discretion of said Mary E. Cherry for the comfort and support of said slaves Munday & Alice, who are aged & infirm. I also give & bequeath unto the said James E. Reese in trust for the separate, sole & exclusive use & benefit of the said Mary E. Cherry, Susannah Croft the wife of Edward Croft & Margarett A. Ellis the wife of Langdon Ellis & free from the debts & contracts of their present or any future husbands, all my wearing apparel, books, household & kitchen furniture of every description, clock, secretary, book case &c & all the provisions of every kind, except corn & fodder, that I may have on hands at the time of my death; one half in trust aforesaid for said Mary E. Cherry & the other half in trust aforesaid for said Susannah Croft & Margarett A. Ellis. & it is my will and desire that the said one half in trust aforesaid for said Mary E. should be first set a part & selected under the direction of my executors, by said Mary E. at her discretion & choice as to the articles to be so selected. I also give & bequeath to said James E. Reese esqr. in trust for the sole separate exclusive use & benefit of said Mary E. Cherry & the children of said Mary E. & James A. Cherry, free from the debts liabilities & contracts of her said husband or any future husband. The land where I now reside, with all the appurtenances & fixtures thereto belonging, including my cotton gin & threshing machine, being a portion of the east half of section twenty eight, Township twenty two, Range twenty eight, lying in Chambers County & state aforesaid. 3rd. I give & bequeath unto James A. Cherry in trust for the sole, separate & exclusive use & benefit of Jane A. Reese, the wife of Dr. Alexander H. Reese my negro woman Fanny, with such issue as may be born after this & before my death & free from the debts or contracts of her said husband; during her natural life, and to the heirs of her body after the decease of said Jane A. Reese & in the event said **Jane** shall die without issue living at the time of her death. I give & bequeath **said slave Fanny with** her increase to Dr. Alexander H. Reese, the husband of said Jane A. Item 4th. I give & bequeath to Charles Story Cherry, son of James A. & Marry E. Cherry & now about Thirteen years of age, my four slaves Anna & her two children Fred a boy & an infant at the breast, and Susannah a girl, daughter of Frederic & Pheebe, with all their increase, including such as may be born after the execution hereof & before my decease also my silver cup & soup spoon, having engraved theron the letters (C.L.L.) & and also that portion of my stock of hogs, commonly known on the plantation as Storys hogs, & being marked with a slip in each year. Item 5th. I give & bequeath to my executors hereafter named Forty Dollars to be by them expended in their discrection in the maintainance & comfort of slave Mary now in my possession. Item 6th. It is my will & desire that my executors hereinafter named with in a reasonable time after my death, shall sell on such terms as they deem best all my property; other than my slaves; not hereinbefore specifically disposed of & bequeathed, & from the proceeds of such sale pay my funeral expenses, debts & pecuniary legacies herein given, but in the event the proceeds of such sale shall not be sufficient to discharge such funeral expenses debts & pecuniary legacies, then my said executors shall **sell** as aforesaid, so many of my said slaves not herein bequeathed, as shall be sufficient to discharge said funeral expenses, debts & pecuniary legacies it being my desire that such slaves, as may be thus sold, be sold in families if practicable, and it is my will & desire that the residue of my slaves & property, after the payment of said funeral expenses debts & pecuniary legacies, and I do direct, shall be divided by my executors into six equal shares, which I will & bequeath as follows, that is to say, one share to Charles L. Reese & John Carter Reese sons of Horatie Reese deceased one share to James E. Reese esqr. in trust for the sole separate & exclusive use of Mary E. Cherry wife of James A. Cherry & free from his debts or contracts. Two shares to James A. Cherry interest for the sole, separate & exclusive use of Catharine A. Reese & Cordelia A. Reese daughters of Horatie Reese deceased. (One share to each) & free from the debts contracts or control in any wise of any future husband of said Catharine A. & Cordelia A. Two shares to George Reese esquire in trust for the sole separate & exclusive use and benefit of Susannah Croft the wife of Edward Croft and Margarett A. Ellis the wife of Langden Ellis (One share each) & free from the debts contracts or liabilities in any wise, of their present or any future husbands. Item 7th. In the event that any of the legatees named in the last & foregoing Item of this will, viz, the 6th shall die my will and desire is that the child or children of said deceased shall represent the parent & take its several shares and in the event that any of said legatees shall die without issue living at the time of their death, then the surviver or survivors of them shall take the share or shares of such deceased to be divided or held according to the provisions contained in said 6th Item. Item 8th. I do hereby nominate constitute & appoint Cel Alexander Carter my executor of this my last will & testament & I do also nominate and appoint James A. Cherry testamentory guardian of the property bequeathed hereby to Charles Story Cherry and infant & it is my wish that my said executors herein named in whose integrety and capacity I place entire confidence should execult the provisions of this my last will and testament without being required to qualify as such in the orphans court if the law permits said executors to act. In testimony whereof I the said Susannah Story have hereunto set my hand & seal on this the third sheet of paper of my last will & testament & my signature to the two other sheets of paper of my said will, the same being written on three sheets of paper & attached herewith this first day of February One Thousand Eight Hundred & Forty Seven.

Signed sealed published and declared by the said Susannah Story as & for her last will and testament in the presence of us who at her request in her presence & in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witness, The words Range twenty eight on secodn sheet interlined before signing, as also the words not herein bequeathed, on said sheet.

Mary Croft)
Geo Reese)
James A. Cherry)
Alex. H. Reese)

S. Story (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I Susannah Story, of state and county aforesaid, being in feeble health, but of sound and disposing mind and memory, do made and declare this as a codicie to my last will executed the first day of this month.

I nominate, constitute and appoint James E. Reese, esqr. and James A. Cherry, executors, jointly with Col. Alexander Carter, who I appointed executor, in my said above will.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this third day of February, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven.

In presence of Anna Reese)
Alex. H. Reese)
James A. Cherry)

S. Story (seal)

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JAMES E. REESE EXECUTOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presence that we James E. Reese, George Reese & Thomas Reese of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty Six Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 2nd day of June, A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James E. Reese has been appointed sole executer of the estate of Susannah Story deceased. Now if the said James E. Reese shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be y law required of him as such executer, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me)
& approved by me this 2nd day of June 1847.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

James E. Reese (L.S.)
Geo Reese (L.S.)
Thos L. Reese (L.S.)
by J. E. Reese (L.S.)

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THOMAS REESE EXECUTER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, Thomas L. Reese principal & James E. Reese & George Reese his securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Ten Thousand for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of April A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas L. Reese has been appointed executor of the estate of Charlse Story deceased. Now if the said Thomas L. 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged & approved)
by me this 2nd day of June 1847.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C,)

Thos. L. Reese (L.S.)
James E. Reese (L.S.)
Geo.Reese (L.S.)
by J. E. Reese (L.S.)

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CHARLES STORY'S WILL

In the name of God Amen.

I Charles Story of Anderson District and State of South Carolina, being of sound and disposing mind, memory and understanding, do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all others.

Item 1st. I will and desire that all my just debts be paid as soon as practicable. Item 2nd. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Susannah Story, her executors administrators and assigns my Patent Gold Watch, also a negro man named Jackson, his wife Lydia, and their children, Nancy and Jim, also a negro man named Nero, his wife Alice, and their eight children viz, Fanny Caroline, Moses, Eliza, Anne, Sarah, Matilda and Phebe, together with the issue of all and singular of the aforesaid females slaves, if any which **may** be born between the execution of this will and the time of my death; also the sum of One Thousand Dollars in money: also two third parts of all the grain crops and forage of whatever kind, which shall or may be raised or grown on my several plantations, within and during the year of my decease: also my best waggon and gear, also all my riding and pleasure carriages of whatever kind, with the harness appertaining thereto: also five head of my best horses: also one yoke of oxen with an ox cart, one half my stock of cattle sheep and hogs, also one half of all my farming tools: also all my beds and other household furniture of whatever kind: also my secretary and book case together with all my books, and also all my kitchen furniture. And I do will and direct that the whole of my estate real and personal, shall remain in the possession and under the control of my said wife, for the term of twelve months after my decease. I further give and bequeath unto my said wife Susannah Story, a negro man named Sam, also a negro man named Billy, his wife Mary and her child Isabella: also all my blacksmith tools, to have and to hold the said last mentioned negroes, together with a negro boy named Jroine, and the said blacksmith tools during the term of her natural life, I also give and devise unto my said Wife Susannah Story, my plantation and tracts of land, situate lying and being in the district of Anderson and state

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aforesaid on twenty three mile creek, to have and to hold the same, during the term of her natural life. Item 3rd. I give and bequeath unto my beloved neice Mary Elizabeth Cherry, and to the heirs of her body living at the time of her death, their executors, administrators, and assigns a negro girl named Harriett: also a negro boy named Ben, also a negro boy named Cliften known on the plantation by the name of Henry, also a negro man named Isham with his wife Delilabe and her children Alexander and Piercy, together with the issue of the said last mentioned females: also a negro man named Ned: also one bureau, also one mare raised by me called the little gray mare. But should the said Mary E. Cherry die without issue livig at the time of her death as aforesaid then and in that case the said property shall be divided among her brothers & sisters, whether of the whole or half blood living at the time of her death, share and share alike.

Item 4th. I give and bequeath unto my dear sister Ann Reese her executors, administrators and assigns, a negro man named Monday, also seven hundred and fifty dollars in money.

Item 5th. I give and bequeath unto Dinah Winter, widow of Jremiah winter dec. during the term of her natural life, a negro girl named Mary and her issue which said girl is now in the possession of the said Dinah Winter, and after the decease of said Dinah winter, I will and bequeath said girl Mary and her issue to Dinah and Sarah daughters of the said Jeremiah Winter dec. their executors, administrators, and in case of the death of either, during the continuance of the life estate to the survivors.

Item 6th. I give and bequeath unto my beloved sister Esther Whitherspoon, should she be living at the time of my death, the sum of One Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Dollars, but in case my said sister should not be living at the time of my death, I will and bequeath the said sum of money to the children of Esther Cassels, living at the time of my death. Item 7th. I give an bequeath to my friend the Revnd. Aaron Foster the sum of Two Hundred Dollars.

Item 8th. I give and bequeath unto Charles Story wilson son of Jeremiah Wilson, One Hundred and fifty Dollars to be paid by my executors for his boarding and schooling.

Item 9th. It is my desire and I so expressly direct that my executors hereinafter named, shall within a convenient time after the expiration of the year in which I may depart this life having due regard to the interests of all concerned. Sell and convey on such terms as they may deem advisable, all my lands (except the several parcels and tracts lying and situated on the Twenty Three mile creek hereinbefore devised to my dear wife Susannah Story for and during the term of her natural life) and that the proceeds of such sale shall constitute a fund for the payment of Legacies. And I further will and direct that after the decease of my said beloved wife, the said proceeds and tracts of land lying on the Twenty Three Mile creek, shall also be sold and conveyed by my executors, together with the negro man Sam and Billey, and his wife Mary and her children on a credit of one and two years, and that the sum of One Thousand and Five Hundred Dollars, arising from such sale be paid by my executors into the hands of the Revd. Aaron Foster, my nephew Nathaniel Harris Revd. David Humphei, and Dr. Nathaniel Harris of Abbeville District, or to such of them as are willing to accept the trust, or to the surviver or survivers of them. And it is my will and desire that they do appropriate and apply the said sum of money towards the promotion and prepagation of the Christian Religion, by affording aid to missionary and Bible societies, foreign or domestic; and in such other manner as their peity and zeal may dictate: the residue of the last mentioned sale, if any to be subject to the payment of Legacies. Item 10th. I give and bequeath unto my beloved neice Mary Elizabeth Cherry, the one fourth part of the rest and residue of my estate after all my debts and other Legacies are paid. Item 11th. I give and bequeath unto my nephew Thomas Sidney Reese Esqr. the one fourth part of the rest and residue of my estate after all my debts and other Legacies are paid. Item 12th. I give and bequeath unto my nephew James E. Reese Esqr. the one fourth part of the rest & residue of my estate after all my debts and Legacies are paid. And I do nominate constitute and appoint my beloved wife Susannah Story Dr. James A. Cherry and Thomas Sidney Reese executors to this my will. In witness whereof I have to this my last will contained on the two sides of this sheet of paper, set my hand and seal. This eleventh day of January in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Thirty Four.

Charles Story (seal)

Signed, sealed and declared by the said Charles Story, as and for his last will and testament in the presence of us, who at his request and in his presence and in the presence of each other have subscribed our names as witnesses. The word "my" on the second page and third line thereof interlined.
Miles M. Norton
Thomas R. Cherry
Saml. E. Lawhen

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SARAH ANN GOLDSMITH GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Sarah Ann Goldsmith principal & Calvin Presley & Perry D. Yancy securities, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 27th day May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Sarah Ann Goldsmith has been appointed guardian of George M. Goldsmith, Amanda P. Goldsmith Frances Goldsmith and Caroline S. Goldsmith infant children of John T. Goldsmith deceased. Now if the said Sarah Ann Goldsmith 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 5th day of June A.D. 1848.) Sarah A. Goldsmith (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Calvin Presley (L.S.)
P. D. Yancey (L.S.)

JOHN R. HAMPHRIS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John R. Humphries Britton Stamps & Erasmus G. Marable of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Five Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the Eleventh day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven.

The condtion of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John R. Humphries has been appointed guardian of Joseph C. Heard infant son of Columbus C. Heard late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said John R. Humphries 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 11th day of October 1847.) John R. Humphries (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Britton Stamps (L.S.)
E. G. Marable (L.S.)

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ELIZABETH P. RATCHFORD GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elizabeth P. Ratchford principal & Gilbert S. Mathews William Davis & Wm. L. Crayton securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Seven 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Elizabeth P. Ratchford has been appointed guardian of Thomas D. Ratchford infant son of Ezekiel Ratchford late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Elizabeth P. Ratchford 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me) Elizabeth P. Ratchford (L.S.)
and approved by me this 4th day of January 1848) Gilbert S. Matthews (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Wm. Davis (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)

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JOHN T. SHEPPARD GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John T. Sheppard, Thomas Rainey & Charles McLemore of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court, for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Ten 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 23rd day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John T. Sheppard has been appointed guardian of Williamson B. Sheppard, Elizabeth Sheppard, Susan C. Sheppard and Mary Jane Sheppard infants & minors of the said John T. Sheppard. 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 23rd day of February) John T. Sheppard (L.S.)
A.D. 1848.) Thomas Rainey (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Charles McLemore (L.S.)

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PASCHAL E. WARD GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Paschal E. Ward, Alpheus Copeland & William Fuller of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Ten 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Paschal E. Ward has been appointed guardian of William H. Elmira, Artimesia, Josephine and Napolean R. Miller minors & infants of William R. Miller late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Paschal E. Ward 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 7th day of December 1846.) Paschal E. Ward (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Alpheus P. Copland (L.S.)
William Fuller (L.S.)

JOSEPH A. HOLIFIELD ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, Joseph A. Holifield Alsea Holifield and Green D. Brantly, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Six Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 28th day of September A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Joseph A. Holifield has been appointed administrator of the estate of Wells Tarver deceased. Now if the said Joseph A. Holifield 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.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me and approved by me this 28th day of September A.D. 1847) C. C. Forbes J. C. C.

Joseph A. Holifield (L.S.)
A. Holifield (L.S.)
G. D. Brantly (L.S.)

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CLEMENT SHARMAN'S WILL

I Clement Sharman of the county of Wilkes and State of Georgia being in perfect health and of sound and disposing mind & memory and that it is appointed for all men to die and being desirous to dispose of the worldly goods that is has pleased Almighty God to bless me with it is my will and desire should be disposed fo in the following manner, to wit.

1st. It is my will and desire that all my just debts should be paid. 2nd. I give and bequeath unto my two sons Robert & Clement the following negroes, to wit, Bill, Littleton, Tom Frank, George, Harry, Charles, Sally, Lucy, Antonet & Lydia to be equally divided between; also I give unto my two sons as aforesaid the tract or land whereon I now live in Wilkes County, also to be equally divided between, I further give my said sons one horse, each to be valued at one hundred, two cows & calves each, and one bed, beadstead and furniture each, and I further give unto my son Clement my negro man Lewis, and a saddle & bridle worth fifteen dollars. 3rd. I give unto my son John Sharman my negro boy Allen. 4th. It is my will and desire that the balance of my property, real and personal, stock of all kinds, household and kitchen furniture, plantation tools, and money or debts, that may be due me, be equally divided between all my children, share and share alike, my sons Robert & Clement included in the division. 5th. I hereby nominate, constitute & appoint Thomas Wooten & Henry Wooten executors to this my last will & testament, hereby revoking annulling & setting a side any former will by me at any time made and entered into, signed sealed, published and declared in the presence of us, this sixth day of August 1844.

Samuel Shades)
Samuel Danforth)
Thos. Anderson)

Clement Sharman (L.S.)

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JAMES SHARMAN ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James Sharman, Robert Sharman & Jesse H. Garrett of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Sixteen 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the first day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such tant whereas the above bound James Sharman has been appointed administrator limited until the second Monday the fourteenth day of febbruary next of the estate of Clement Sharman late of Chambers County Alabama 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 executor, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved January 1st. 1847) C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

James Sharman (L.S.)
Robert Sharman (L.S.)
Jesse H. Garrett (L.S.)

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JAMES SHARMAN ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James Sharman, Robert Sharman Jesse H. Garrett & John Sharman of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twenty Three Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the Fourteenth day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Sharman has been appointed administrator cumtestaments annexed of the estate 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 administrator, then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Signed, sealed & adknowledged before me &) appointed by me this 14th February 1848.) C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

James Sharman (L.S.)
Robt. Sharman (L.S.)
Jesse H. Garrett (L.S.)
John Sharman (L.S.)

WM. B. S. GILMORE GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William B. S. Gilmore principal & Samuel Strahan & John A. Frazer, of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Nineteen 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 3rd day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William B. S. Gilmore has been appointed guardian of Nancy S. Mary L. John E. Camilla P. James C. & Hercillia Ann Achsah Meadors infants & minors of Washington Meadors late of Chambers County Alabama decease. Now if the said William B. S. Gilmore 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, else to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me & approved by me December 30th 1847. Clement C. Forbes J.C.C.

Wm. B. S. Gilmore (L.S.)
Samuel Strahan (L.S.)
John A. Frazer (L.S.)

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EZEKIEL RATCHFORD'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Be it remembered that J. Ezekiel Ratchford of the county and state aforesaid being weak in body, but being of sound and perfect mind and memory do make and publish this my last will and testament in the manner and form, to wit, I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Elizabeth Ratchford the following lands, to wit, the west half or section six in Township Twenty Two of Range Twenty Six, containing three hundred and fifteen acres and 36/100 of an acre, and also five negroes, to wit, Mariah and her four children, Miles, Oliver Stephen and Jubian and also all the household and kitchen furniture. And I also give and bequeath unto my eldest son McClellan Ratchford the following land, to wit, the west half of the north half of section Twelve in township Twenty Two, of Range Twenty Five and also the following negroes, to wit, Edmund and his wife Harriett and their three youngest children at the time he gets the said Edmund & Harriett in possession. And I also give and bequeath unto my second eldest son John Ratchford the following land, to wit, the west half of section Nine, Township Twenty Two of Range Twenty Six in Chambers County, and also the following negroes (to wit) Narcissa and her three youngest children at the time he get possession of the said Narcissa and also a negro boy named Madison. And I also give and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth Ratchford the following land (to wit) east half of the north half of section seven (7) Township Twenty of Range Twenty One, and also the following negroes (to wit) Simon and Ruth his wife and two of their children to wit Rhoda and Fanney. And I also give and bequeath unto my youngest son Thomas Ratchford the following land (to wit) the east half of section Six in Township Twenty Two of Range Twenty Six, and also the following negroes, to wit, Doll and her child, a negro boy Jesse and a negro girl Eliza and negro boy Joseph. And I also give and bequeath unto my sister Jane Yarbrough widow of John Yarbrough decd. the following negroes (to wit) a negro girl Nancy and a negro Jack. And I also give and bequeath unto my neice Mary Rebecca Yarbrough minor and orphan child of John Yarbrough decd. the following negroes (to wit) 2 negro girls Rhody and Harriett, and I also give and bequeath unto my neice Elizabeth Jane Yarbrough minor & orphan as aforesaid the following negroes (to wit) two negro girls (to wit) Polly and Amy and I further will that the several lots of negroes which are willed to Elizabeth Ratchford my wife, McClellan Ratchford John Ratchford, Elizabeth Ratchford my daughter and Thomas Ratchford, shall be appraised by the following persons (to wit) William S. Germany Willis Jone, Seaborn Sutten William Davis and James S. Hussey (three out of the five can act) and the valuation to be made equal (with the exception of Elizabeth Ratchford my daughter's lot) which shall be the value of a negro boy named Oliver which her grand mother gave her, less than the others and as to all the rest residue and remainder of my real or personal estate goods and chatties of what kind & nature soever shall be sold and the demands which I have owing to me to be collected, and the debts which I owe to be paid out of the proceeds of the residue as aforesaid or my estate and the income of the debts owing to me and the residue if any to be equally divided between my wife and children. And lastly I will that should my wife and children or eighter of them become dissatisfied with this my last will & testament their portion shall be equally divided between the others and they respectively to receive Twelve Hundred Dollars in lein thereof. And do hereby appoint John Ratchford sole executor of this my last will and testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal on 5th day of Nov. A. D. 1847.

Signed sealed and declared by the above Ezekiel Ratchford to be his last will & testament in presence of us who at his request and at his presence have hereunto set our names as witnesses to the same. Cuthbert G. Hudson Tinsley Heath James S. Hussey

Ezekiel Ratchford (L.S.)

JOHN RATCHFORD EXECUTOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John Ratchford, McClellan Ratchford Jefferson Tucker Elizabeth P. Ratchford Wm. Davis William L. Crayton & Woodson P. Allen, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Forty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Ratchford has been appointed sole executor of the estate of Ezekiel Ratchford deceased. Now if the said John Ratchford 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 else to remain in full force.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me) John Ratchford (L.S.)
and approved by me this 4th day of December) McClellan Ratchford (L.S.)
A.D. 1848.) James J. Tucker (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Elizabeth P. Ratchford (L.S.)
Wm. Davis (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton (L.S.)

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JOHN T. MORELAND'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen:

I John T. Moreland of the state and county aforesaid being of sound mind and influenced by friends, and knowing that it is appointed for all men to die, and believing that I shall soon be called to die, have thought proper to make this my last will and testament in the manner and form following viz. Item 1st. It is my will that all of my just debts be first paid. Item 2nd. I give and bequeath to my wife Sopheir H. Moreland my land whereon I now live, and I also give and bequeath to her all of my slaves (to wit) Edmund a man Thomas a man & Charlotte a girl, also I give and bequeath to her my house hold and kitchen furniture of every description also my stock of all kinds, consisting of horses, cows, hogs &c also my ready money & notes, in short I give and bequeath to my wife above named all of the real, personal & perishable property, that to me belongeth whether named or not, to be her Bonified property through life, and to be at her disposal at her death. And last I hereby constitute & appoint my loving wife above named, executrix of this my last will and testament. And I hereby revoke all will that may have been made heretofore by me, and I hereby declare this and this only to be my last will and testament. In witness whereof I have hereunto affixed my hand and seal day and date above written signed & sealed by the testater in the presence of us, who in the presence of each other have signed our names as witnesses at his request.

Thos. C. Garlington) John T. Moreland (seal)
Samuel Woody)
Wm. Russell)

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SOPHIER H. MORELAND EXECUTRIX BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Sophier H. Moreland Thomas C. Garlington, William Russell & Thomas E. Landrum of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Six Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the Eleventh day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Sophier H. Moreland has been appointed sole executrix of the estate of John T. Moreland deceased. Now if the said Sophier H. Moreland 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; else to remain in full force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me &) Sophier H. Moreland (L.S.)
approved by me 11th October 1847.) Thos. C. Garlington (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) William Russell (L.S.)
Thos. E. Landrum (L.S.)

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EDWARD BRUMBELOW'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen. I Edward Brumbelow being weak in body but sound and disposing mind and memory, thanks be to Almighty God, and calling unto mind the uncertainty of life do make and ordain this my last will and testament.

Item 1st. I desire to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner. Item 3rd. I give and bequeath unto my son Emanual Brumbelow forty dollars to come out of a debt due me by John Fountain next Christmas. Item 4. I give and bequeath to my son Ezekiel Brumbelow, one bay mare called Fan, now in his possession. Item 5. I give and bequeath to my son Green Brumbelow, one young bay horse, and also ten dollars to come out of the above Fountain Note. Item 6. I give and bequeath to the heirs of my son Wm. Brumbelow deceased one dollars. Item 7. I give and bequeath to my wife Katharine Brumbelow, the forty acres of land whereon I now live, together with the crop now growing on it, and also one little carriage waggon, and Twenty dollars out of John Fountain's Note, being the remnant of said Note and all of my stock of cattle and hogs and one dark sorrell mare, and four head of sheep, also all of my household and kitchen furniture to have and to do with and dispose of as she may think proper.

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Except one clock, one large kettle one small pot and oven, and one bed and furniture, which I desire my executors to sell at public or private sale as they think proper together with the remaining forty acres of land adjoining and lying south of the forty whereon I now live, and also the remnant of my sheep to be equally divided between my living children and also one Note of hand on Joel Falkner for Nine Dollars and another on Green Brumbelow of Twenty Three dollars to be divided also between my living children. And also one Rifle gun to be disposed of in like manner, Item 8. I hereby nominate and appoint Ezekiel Brumbelow and Greenberry Jenkins my whole and sole Executors of this my last will and testament to see the same carried into effect hereby revoking all other wills made by me this the 18 of August 1847. Signed, sealed and acknowledged in presence of Test.

William Miller)
Franklin H. Patterson) his
Edward X. Brumbelow (L.S.)
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GREENBERRY JENKINS EXECUTOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Greenberry Jenkins, Nathaniel Baber and Garrett Jourdan of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Five Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and one, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 26th day of October A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas the above bound Greenberry Jenkins has been appointed executor of the estate of Edward Brumbelow deceased. Now if the said Greenberry Jenkins shall well and truly perform all 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.

Approved October 26th 1847.) Greenberry Jenkins (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Nathaniel Baber (L.S.)
Garrett Jurdan (L.S.)

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ANDREW HAMILTON'S WILL

January 7th A.D. 1847.

I Andrew Hamilton being in a low state of health and knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of life, do bequeath my effects in the following manner. That my body shall be decently intered and all my lawful debts shall be paid, and the remainder of my property be distributed in the following manner. I do will and bequeath to Mrs. Sarah Walts my negro girl Dilly and the four remaining, which are Henry, Sarah, Catharine and Feraby. I do will and bequeath to Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton. And after the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton I do will and bequeath, Henry, Sarah, Catharine & Feraby with their increase to my brothers who are William & John & Pinckney, and Thomas and Samuel Green Hamilton. I do hereby testify to this my last will and testament before Almighty God and in the presence of these witnesses, this my hand and seal.

Thomas Butrel)
Jesse George) Andrew Hamilton

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THOMAS M. HAMILTON ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas M. Hamilton, Samuel G. Hamilton & of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Seven Hundred Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas Hamilton has been appointed Administrator cum testamento annexed, of the estate of Andrew Hamilton deceased. Now if the said Thomas M. Hamilton 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me) Thomas M. Hamilton (L.S.)
& approved by me this 27th day of) Samuel G. Hamilton (L.S.)
December A.D. 1847.) Jesse S. Marshall (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Thomas Stone (L.S.)

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WM. WHITLOW ADMR. OF &C BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, William Whitlow, Burwell L. Carr & John Trammell of the county of and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Nine Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 30th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William Whitlow has been appointed administrator of the estate of Warren Whitlow late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said William Whitlow 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me this 30th Decbr. 1847.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Wm. Whitlow (L.S.)
Burwell L. Carr (L.S.)
John Trammell (L.S.)

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GEORGE H. WINSTON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, George H. Winston, Samuel L. Harris, Alfred Harrell and Jeptha Harrington of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county & his successors in office for the penal sum of Eight 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of December A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound George H. Winston has been appointed guardian of William Henry and Eliza Whitaker infants minors of Oran D. Whitaker late of Chambers unty Alabama deceased. Now if the said George H. Winston 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 7th day of December 1846.) George H. Winston (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Saml. L. Harris (L.S.)
Alfred Harrell (L.S.)
Jeptha Harrington (L.S.)

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SAMUEL L. HARRIS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Samuel L. Harris, George H. Winston, Samuel T. Whitaker and Paschal E. Ward of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Eight 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 7th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Samuel L. Harris has been appointed guardian of Elizabeth and Catharine Whitaker infant & minors of Oran D. Whitaker late of Chambers County Alabama 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 7th day of December 1846.) Saml. L. Harris (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) George H. Winston (L.S.)
Saml. T. Whitaker (L.S.)
Paschal E. Ward (L.S.)

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HENRY MEADERS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Henry Meaders, John R. Alford & Vincent A. Pearson of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Seven Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 28th day of April A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Henry Meaders has been appointed guardian of Diadama Robison infant & minor of Benjamine Robison late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Henry Meaders shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardain then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved 29th day of April A.D. 1847.) Henry Meaders (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C,) John R. Alford (L.S.)
V. A. Peirson (L.S.)

SAMUEL T. WHITAKER ADMININSTATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Samuel T. Whitaker Samuel L. Harris & George H. Winston of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office in the penal sum of Four Thousand Dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 6th day of September A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Samuel T. Whitaker has been appointed administrator of the estate of Oran D. Whitaker Jr. deceased. Now if the said Samuel T. Whitaker 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.

Approved)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) S. T. Whitaker (L.S.)
S. L. Harris (L.S.)
Geo. H. Winston (L.S.)

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GEORGE W. HUNT DECD.WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

December th 13th 1847.

In the name of God amen. Know all men by these presents that I George W. Hunt of the state Alabama & county or Chambers, being of soudn mind and memory do make this my last and only will and testament, and at the same time do revoke all other wills and testaments made by me. 1st. I will that all just debts be paid. 2nd. I give and bequeath unto my wife Elizabeth a negro woman named Selah and her two children, Adaline and an infant child with their increase. To have and to hold during her life time, and at her death to be equally divided between the heirs of her body. I also will to my wife a certain boy horse called Buck. 3rd. I appoint Alexander Howard executor to this will. Signed sealed and delivered the day and date first above written in presence or

M. A. Burett)
William Holt) George W. Hunt (seal)
David S. William)
Clement Sharman)

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WM. B. WILLIAMS ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, William B. Williams Crawford Duons & Alexander Howard of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Three 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 dn firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the Eighth day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William B. Williams has been appointed administrator, cum testamento annexo of the estate of George W. Hunt late of deceased. Now if the said William B. Williams 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.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me) Wm. B. Williams (L.S.)
& approved by me 8th Jany. 1848.) Alexander Howard (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Crawford Duons (L.S.)

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JOHN B. KENNEDY GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John B. Kennedy George H. Winston & Thomas W. Murrell of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Thirteen 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 25th of January A. D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John B. Kennedy has been appointed guardian of John M. Birch infant son of John Birch late of Columbia County Georgia deceased. Now if the said John B. Kennedy shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardain then the above obligation to be void else to remain in full force.

Approved 25th day of January A.D. 1847.) John B. Kennedy (L.S.)
George H. Winston (L.S.)
Tho. W. Murrell (L.S.)

THOMAS C. BROWN DECD ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Lucretia Brown & Benjamine S. Tarver principals and Benjamine L. Goodman & William L. Crayton, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars, for which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the fourth day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Lucretia Brown and Benjamine S. Tarver have been appointed administrators of the estate of Thomas C. Brown deceased. Now if the said Lucretia Brown and Benjamine S. Tarver 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.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me) Lucretia Brown (L.S.)
& approved by me this the 4th day of) Benjr. S. Tarver (L.S.)
January A.D. 1848.) B. L. Goodman (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) W. L. Crayton (L.S.)

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NOEL LIGGON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Noel Liggon David G. Liggon and Robert Mitchel of the county and state aforesaid, are held anf firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Sixteen Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 1st day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Nowl N. Liggon has been appointed guardian of Henry, Elisha, Susannah and William Liggon infants minors of John Liggon deceased. Now if the said Noel N. Liggon shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such guardian then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved 1st day of February A.D. 1847.) Nowl N. Liggon (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) David G. Liggon (L.S.)
Robert Mitchell (L.S.)

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WILLIS H. HUEY GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Willis H. Huey, principal & Henry Baxter and William H. Smith securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Five Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Willis H. Hughey has been appointed guardian of the person of William Liggon, infant son of John Liggon late of Muscogee County Georgia deceased. Now if the said Willis H. Hughey shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian then the above ogliation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved. Willis H. Hughey (L.S.)
Henry Baxter (L.S.)
William H. Smith (L.S.)

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E. PORT GRIFFIN BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we E. F. Griffin D. T. Furguson & Samuel Pearson of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Three Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the Thirteenth day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound E. F. Griffin has been appointed guardian of Marian Edge, Henry Edge & Jasper Edge the minor heirs of Sim Edge decd. Now if the said E. F. Griffin 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved December 13th 1847.) E. F. Griffin (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) D. T. Ferguson (L.S.)
Saml. Pearson (L.S.)

MALCOM A. FURGUSON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Malcom A. Furguson Alfred Harrell & Williams Hicks, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Fourteen Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such taht whereas the above bound Malcom A. Furguson has been appointed guardian of George W. Mask infant son of Thomas Mask deceased. Now if the said Malcom A. Furguson 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 25th day of December A.D. 1847.) Malcom A. Ferguson (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Williams Hicks (L.S.)
Alfred Harrell (L.S.)

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ROBERT BONDS ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Robert Bonds, Henry Meaders, Richard Bonds & Jesse Bonds, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Twenty Five Hundred, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 21st. day of May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Robert Bonds has been appointed administrator of the estate of Obedience Robison deceased. Now if the said Robert Bonds 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.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me and) Robert Bonds (L.S.)
approved by me this 21st day of May A.D. 1847.) Henry Meaders (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Richard Bonds (L.S.)
Jesse Bonds (L.S.)

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ELIZABETH TODD GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Elizabeth Todd W. W. Wallis & Thomas S. Reese of the state and county aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 11th day of January A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Elizabeth Todd has been appointed guardian of John C. Todd, Freeman H. Todd and Elizabeth A. Todd, infants of William F. C. Tood late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said Elizabeth Todd 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.

Signed sealed acknowledged by me & approved) Elizabeth Todd (L.S.)
this 11th day of January 1847.) W. W. Wallis (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Thomas S. Reese (L.S.)
By W. W. Wallis atty in fact

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WILLIAM JOHNSTON ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William Johnston A.D. Pate and Joshua Adams of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county & orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Eight Hundred Dollars for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 11th day of May A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William Johnston has been appointed administrator of the estate of Stephen R. Pate deceased. Now if the said William Johnston shall well and truly perform all the duties which or may be by law required of him as such administrator, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in presence of William Johnston (L.S.)
A. D. Pate (L.S.)
Joshua Adams (L.S.)

JOHN MCCOY GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John McCoy principal, Daniel H. McCoy & Leroy McCoy securities of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of One Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day of March A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John McCoy has been appointed guardian of his infant son Hilliard E. McCoy. Now if the said John McCoy 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 25th day of March A.D. 1847.) John McCoy (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C. C.) D. H. McCoy (L.S.)
Leroy McCoy (L.S.)

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THOMAS G. LYLE GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, Thomas G. Lyle, Moses Wheat & George W. Hanson of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of One 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 17th day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas G. Lyle has been appointed guardian of John J. Pendergrass, infant son of Bingham Pendergrass deceased. 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 17th November 1847.) Thos. G. Lyle (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Moses Wheat (L.S.)
George W. Hanson (L.S.)

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WILLIAM F. PARKER GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William F. Parker principal & John W. Spear & George M. Goldsmith of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 14th day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas, the above bound William F. Parker has been appointed guardian of John J. Goldsmith, infant son of John T. Goldsmith late of Chambers County Alabama deceased. Now if the said William F. Parker 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this the 14th day of December A.D. 1846.) W. F. Parker (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) John W. Spear (L.S.)
G. M. Goldsmith (L.S.)

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ELISHA FORD GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elisha Ford principal and Allison Gresham, John Burdett and William B. Butler securities, of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county, and his successors in office for the penal sum of One 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the fourteenth day of December A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Six. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Elisha Ford has been appointed guardian of his children, to wit, Isaac David Ford, Irena Elizabeth Ford, John B. Ford & Allis Ann Ford. Now if the said Elisha Ford 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, else to remain in full force.

Signed sealed & acknowledged before me and) Elisha Ford (L.S.)
approved by me this 14th December 1846.) Ellison Gresham (L.S.)
Clement C. Forbes J.C.C.) John Burdett (L.S.)
Wm. B. Butler (L.S.)

WIATT H. WHATLEY GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Wiatt H. Whatley, Thomas J. Harrell and David E. Stung of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Eight Thousand Five Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 8th day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight. The condition of the obligation is such that whereas the above bound Wiatt H. Whatley has been appointed guardian of Mary Jane and Robert H. Whatley, infants and minors of the said Wiatt H. Whatley. Now if the said Wiatt H. Whatley 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 8th day of February A.D. 1848.) W. H. Whatley (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) T. J. Harrell (L.S.)
D. E. Stung (L.S.)

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WM. P. BURROUGH GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William P Burrough William A. Gardner & Abraham McClenden of the county and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Sixty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 1st day of February A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William P. Burrough has been appointed guardian of Jeptha Burrough and Henry Burrough infants & minors of James Burrough deceased. Now if the said William P. Burrough 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 1st day of February A.D. 1847.) W. P. Burrough (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) W. A. Gardner (L.S.)
Abram McClenden (L.S.)

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JOHN WILSON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, John Wilson, John Dawson, Seaborn Gray and James S. Mitchell of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Eight 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day of October A.D, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Wilson has been appointed guardian of Robert O. and Thomas G. Phelps infants of Glenn Phelps late of Jackson County Georgia, deceased. Now if the said John Wilson 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved 25th day of October A.D. 1847) John Wilson (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) John Dawson (L.S.)
Seaborn Gray (L.S.)
J. S. Mitchell (L.S.)

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CHARLES SMITH SENR. ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Charles Smith senr. John Terry & Eli McKinney of the county and state aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the county and orphans court for said county and his successors in office for the penal sum of Ten 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of Juen A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Seven. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Charles Smith has been appointed administrator of the estate of William senr. deceased. Now if the said Charles Smith 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.

Signed sealed and acknowledged before me) Charles Smith (L.S.)
and approved by me this 21st day of June A.D.) John Terry (L.S.)
1847.) Eli McKinney (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

THOMAS WORTHY'S WILL

GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY)

The last will and testament of Thomas Worthy of the state and county aforesaid.

My first desire is that after I am dead that I shall be decently buried. Secondly, that all my just debts be paid, Thirdly that my carriage and pair of horses is hereby bequeathed to my beloved wife Jane Worthy. Fourthly that all the balance of my property be equally divided, between my beloved wife Jane Worthy, Leroy Jackson Worthy, Joseph Shelton Worthy, Henry Thompson Worthy, James David Worthy, and my youngest son who is yet without any name, and my further will and desire is the Jane Worthy and Benjamine P. Robinson be executor and executrix of the above described will, this the third day of May in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred & Thirty Seven.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in
the presence of
E. B. Terrell) Thomas Worthy (L.S.)
D. S. Davenport)
Joseph Ratchford)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
TALLAPOOSA)

I Wilson McLemore being low in health and bodily strength and mindful of my approaching end at peace with God and all man kind. Do make and ordain this my last will and testament, Amen.

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

Item 2nd. I give and request that Mary Swarm my daughter be paid by my extrs. Fifty Dollars out a Three Hundred Dollar note due me by Thadeus H. Howel & A. J. Walraven, which not is due 25th Dec. 1849 when he collects said note.

Item 3rd. I give bequeath and set apart all my estate with all my house hold & kitchen furniture to my beloved wife Rebecca McLemore for the purpose of raising my minor children heirs of her the said Rebecca McLemore, to wit, Susan H. McLemore, Thomas McLemore, Martha Ann McLemore Francis Missouri McLemore, Josephine McLemore Julia Ann McLemore, Nancy J. McLemore, Mariah W. McLemore & Sarah J. McLemore, for the raising maintaining and educating them to use it at will by and with the consent of my exrts. during her widowhood, if she marrys again she is not to have nor control any of said effects whatever, except by the special consent of my said extr. at no time is she to give lay out or surfer, the large and oldest ones of su. heirs to have any thing, to the prejudece of the small ones none of my live stock or property to be sold or made way with except it becomes necessary to enable them to settle my debts, and procure a home for them and then to dispose of what they best can spare for said purpose.

Item 4th. I hereby appoint Charlse McLemore my extr. to carry out this my last will and testament and place at his controul the following amount due me for that purpose, one note of three hundred dollars due the 25th Dec. 1848 one note for three hundred dollars due the 25th Dec. 1849 both of said Notes on Thadeus H. Howel & A. J. Walraven one note of thirty dollars on demand on Green B. Harnby and ten dollars due me from my son Moses McLemore to be paid this fall, and my extr. is hereby requested not to purchase more than eighty acres of land and if it can be got to suit, not more than forty acres. I also desire that my son Wilson McLemore be sent to school as much as six months.

Item. At the last after thy all become of age and there is any personal effects with what land there is the same to be sold, and equal distribution made with all my legal heirs, to wit, Elizabeth Hamby wife of Green B. Hamby, Calvin J. McLemore, Cerena McLemore, James W. McLemore, Mary Swann, Franklin Jones McLemore, Moses McLemore, William McLemore, which are my elder children, with the heirs before mentioned, and my beloved wife Rebecca McLemore, to have equal share with all my heirs of both families.

And lastly of all I earnestly request thm all to live together peaceably as a set of brothers & sisters as far as possible, and pray the blessings of God on them.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this fourteenth day of August in the year of our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight.

Test Wilson McLemore (seal)
Joseph McKnight Sr.
Green B. Hamby

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TAYLOR EDEN'S WILL

GEORGIA)
MONROE COUNTY)

I, Eden Taylor of said state and county being of sound disposing mind & memory do make publish & declear this for my last will & testament.

Item 1st I give and bequeath to my beloved wife the following property during her life, to wit, the house & lot No. fifteen in the Thirteenth District of said county & state, Jerry a negroe man & his wife Lyolia & their children viz David, Jane, Mary, Perry, Bob, Wilie & Harriett & Demps as man the carriage and two choise horses, one third of the plantation tools one third of the hogs, five milch cows, all the sheep & provision enough to support her & her family for one year, also all the house hold and kitchen furniture.

Item 2nd. I give & bequeath to Eden F. Taylor in trust for my son Simeon Taylor, & his children the property he has received of me heretofore which I value at thirty hundred dollars to be held controuled and managed by said Eden F. Taylor in trust & for the use of my son Simeon Taylor & his children, also all the portion of my estate that may hereafter be distributed to my said son to be held by said Eden F. Taylor in trust & for the use of my said son Simeon Taylor and his children all of said property after the death of my said son to be equally divided among all his children.

Item 3rd. I give and bequeath to my son William L. Taylor all that portion of property he has received of me heretofore, said property I value at thirty three hundred dollars and all that portion of my estate that may hereafter be distributed to him.

Item 4th. I give and bequeath to my son George F. Taylor all that portion of my property he has received of me heretofore, said property I value at thirty two hundred, dollars & all that portion of my estate that may hereafter be distributed to him.

Item 5th. I give and bequeath to my son McGuin B. Taylor, all that portion of my property he has received of me heretofore said property I value at twenty nine hundred & ten dollars & all that portion of my estate that may hereafter be distributed to him.

Item 6th. I give & bequeath to Carey S. Lesuens in trust for my daughter Martha

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Lesuens & her children the following property to wit Tanus & her children Jordan & Millsa, Betty & her two children & their increase to be held in trust, controled and managed by said Carey S. Lesuens, in trust for my said daughter & her children said property I value at Twenty Hundred Dollars & all that portion of my estat that may hereafter be distributed to my said daughter to be held by said Carey S. Lesuens in trust & for the use of my said daughter & her children all of said property after the death of my said daughter to be equally divided among her children.

Item 7. I give and bequeath to John M. Phillips in trust for my daughter Sarah L. Phillips and her children the following property to wit: Harriet Ann, Penny, Frances, & Sambo & their increase, to be held in trust, controlled and managed by said John M. Phillips, in trust and for the use of my said daughter & her children, said property I value at twenty six hundred dollars; & all that portion my estate, that may hereafter be distributed to my said daughter, Sarah L. Phillips & her children, to be held by said John M. Phillips in trust for the use of my said daughter and her children; all of said property after the death of my said daughter, to be equally divided among her children.

Item 8th. I will that the remaining portion of my estate that may not otherwise be disposed of consisting of negroes be equally divided among all my children in such a manner as to make those that have not received as much as the other equal with them & after they are made equal then the remainder to be equally divided among all.

Item 9th. I will that all the land belonging to my estate together with all my other property that may be left undisposed of sold or arter all my just debts are paid the balance of the money equally divided among all my children.

Item 10th. I will that after the death of my wife that the property & its increase I left her during her life be equally divided among all my children.

Item 11th. I will that my wife be executrix of my estate together with some suitabel person she may choose.

In witness whereof I hereunto subscribe my hand and affix my seal this the 29th day or August 1846. In presence of
William B. Hill) Eden Taylor (L.S.)
Timothy Chanbliss)

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GEORGIA)
MONROE COUNTY)

By virtue of an order, from the honerable the inferior, of said county sitting for ordinary purposes, on the Second Monday in December, of the year Eighteen Hundred and Forty Six to us directing, authorising and requiring us to make distribution of the estate of Eden Taylor, deceased among the distributees of said estate, we proceed on this day to the discharge of that duty and submit the following as the result, there being six distributees to said estate to wit, Eden F. Taylor, in trust for Simeon Taylor and his children Carey S. Lesuent in trust for his wife and her children, John M. Philips in trust for his wife and her children, William L. Taylor, McGuin B. Taylor and George F. Taylor, we divided said estate into six distributive shares numbered 1, 2,3,4,5,6, and assigned to each one of the distributees as follows, there being an inequality in the amounts received by the legatees thereof on the following assignment making them all equal.

Share No. 1. To John M. Philips in trust for his wife and her children Joe $600 Esther & her babe, $550 1150.00
Share 2, Carey S. Lesuens in trust for his wife &/her children, Starling $625, Daniel $550. Irvin $250 & Hanah $175--------1000.00
Share 3 McGuin B. Taylor, Elijah $550----------550.00
Share 4 Eden F. Taylor in trust for Simeon Taylor & his children Carrdis $225 Med $400 625.00
Share 5 George F. Taylor, George $350 350.00
Share 6 William L. Taylor, Peter $200 & Wright $150 350.00
Share 1 Pays back to No.5 $111
Share 5 Pays back to Share No 4 $14 to No 2, $3 & to No 3 $4
Share 6 Pays back to Share No. 2 $11
Share 2 Pays back to Share No. 3 $175

Done by us the subscribers whose names are hereunto subscribed and returned to Nancy Taylor executrix of the estate of Eden Taylor deceased December 23rd 1846.

Wm. B. Hill)
Rowland Redding)distributors.
C. Y. Caldwell)

I do hereby certify the above distributors were duly sworn before me according to law to divide the negroes of the estate of Eden Taylor deceased among the Legatees according to the will. December 23rd 1846.

James Morris J.P.

GEORGIA)
MONROE COUNTY)

I, Elbridge G. Cabaniss clerk of the court of ordinary of said county certify the foregoing to be a true coppy of the original will and probate thereof of Eden Taylor deceased and of the division of the negroes of said deceased made under an order of said court both of which are on file and are recorded in my office.

Given under my hand & private seal there being no seal of office this 21st day of March, 1848.

Elbridge G. Cabaniss, C.C.O. (L.S.)

GEORGIA)
MONROE COUNTY)

Daniel Sanford J.J.C.

Before us William S. Norman & Daniel Sanford Justices of the Inferior court for said county personally came William B. Hill who being duly sworn deposeth and saith that he saw Eden Taylor sign seal, publish and declare this writing for his last will and testament, that he in the presence of the Testator and at his request and in presence of Timothy Chambless the other subscribing witness to said will subscribed it as a witness and that he saw Timothy Chambless at the request of the Testator, attest it also as a witness. That the Testator at the time of the attesting of said will was of sound disposing mind and memory and that he signed the same freely voluntarily & without compulsion.

Sworn to and subscribed before us this) William B. Hill
24th day of November 1846)
William S. Norman J.J.C.)
Daniel Sanford J.J.C.)

Now adjourned Term 1846
The last will and testament of Eden Taylor having been proven before William S. Norman & Daniel Sanford two of the Justices of the Inferior Court of said County upon the oath of William B. Hill & no caveat being filed.

It is ordered by the court that the same be admitted to record & that letters testamentary be granted to Nancy Taylor the executrix in said will named.

GEORGIA)
MONROE COUNTY)

I do solomnly swear that this writing contains the last will of the within named Eden Taylor decd. so far as I know or beleive, that I will well & truly execute the same by paying first the debts & then the legacies contained in said will as far as his goods & chattels will thereunto extend & the law charge me & that I will make a true & perfect inventory of all such goods & chattles so help me God.

Sworn to & subscribed in open court Decr. 14, 1846. her
E. G. Cabaniss C.C.O. Nancy X Taylor
mark

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ANDREW WILLIAMSON'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Andrew Williamson, Jsham F. Day and James S. Mitchell of the county and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the county court, for said count, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Eight 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 2nd day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Andrew Williamson, has been appointed guardian of Sarah Day a Lunatic. Now if the said Andrew Williamson, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 2nd day of November A.D. 1848.) A. Williamson (seal)
C. C. Forbes, J.C.C.) S. F. Day (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)

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JAMES EBERHART'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James Eberhart principal and Leroy McCoy and John G. Gay his securities, of the county and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 21st. day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James Eberhart, has been appointed guardian of Ann R. Eberhart, infant daughter of David B. Eberhart late of Stewart County, Georgia, deceased. Now if the said James Eberhart 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 21st. July A.D. 1848.) James Eberhart (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Leroy McKoy (seal)
John G. Gay (seal)

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ALFRED W. FERGUSON'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Alfred W. Ferguson Evington F. Griffin and Daniel F. Ferguson of the county and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four hundred and fifty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 5th. day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Alfred W. Ferguson has been appointed guardian of John Head, infant son of John Head deceased. Now if the said Alfred W. Ferguson 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 13th day of May 1848.) A. W. Ferguson (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) E. F. Griffin (seal)
D. F. Ferguson (seal)

JOHN M. PHILLIPS' GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John M. Phillips principal and George F. Taylor and McCuin B. Taylor securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County Court, for said county, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of eight 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the ninth day of November A.D. One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty Eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John M. Phillips, has been appointed guardian of Mary J. Phillips, Orion L. Phillips and Eden Phillips, infant children of the said John M. Phillips. Now if the said John M. Phillips, 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, else to remain in full force.

In presence of) John M. Phillips (seal)
Edward Croft, clk.) George F. Taylor (seal)
Approved, this ninth day of November A.D. 1848.) McCuin B. Taylor (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

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THOS. J. BROOKS' GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas J. Brooks, principal, and William C. Germany and John W. Burton his securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office for the penal sum of Two thousand five hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 21st. day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas J. Brooks has been appointed guardian of John T. Brooks and Nancy E. Brooks minor children of Hiram Brooks deceased; now if the said Thomas J. Brooks, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 21st day of November) his
A.D. 1848.) Thomas X Brooks (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) mark
Wm. C. Germany (seal)
John W. Burton (seal)

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THOMAS J. BROOKS' ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas J. Brooks principal, William C. Germany and John W. Burton his securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Four thousand dollars, for payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

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

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before me,) his
and approved by me, this 21st day of) Thomas J. X Brooks (seal)
November A.D. 1848.) mark
C. C. Forbes, J.C.C.) William C. Germany (seal)
John W. Burton (seal)

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WILLIAM C. MORGAN'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William C. Morgan Jesse Fitzpatrick and William L. Crayton, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum or eight 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 9th day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William C. Morgan has been appointed guardian of Lindsey Morgan, infant son of the said William C. Morgan. Now if the said William C. Morgan 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 9th day of June A.D. 1848.) William C. Morgan (seal)
C. C. Forbes, J.C.C.) Jesse Fitzpatrick (seal)
William L. Crayton (seal)

ANDREW J. ADAMS' EXECUTOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Andrew J. Adams, Thomas Tucker, William L. Adams, Jesse N. Adams, William Jones, Absalom Adams, Mary Adams, and William J. Adams, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Six thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves , our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the eleventh day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

the condition of the above obligation is such,that, whereas, the above bound Andrew J. Adams, has been appointed executor of the estate of John Adams deceased; now, if the said Andrew J. Adams, 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.

Approved,)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) A. J. Adams (seal)
Thomas Tucker (seal)
William S. Adamas (seal)
J. N. Adams (seal)
William Jones (seal)
his
Absalom X Adams (seal)
mark
her
Mary X Adams (seal)
mark
William J. Adams (seal)

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JOHN ADAMS' WILL

In the name of God, amen. I John Adams of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, knowing the certainty of death, and the uncertainty of the time thereof, and wishing to have all my worldly affairs arranged, so that I may be the better prepared to meet the call come when it may of him who holds in his hnads, the issues of life and death, do make appoint, ordain, constitute and declare this my last will and testament, hereby setting aside, annulling, cancelling and revoking all former wills and codicils by me at any time heretofore made.

First: I commit my soul into the hands of Almighty God who gave it, trusting fully in the promises which through Christ he made to me and all the human family, and my body to the grave, to be decently interred by my representative.

Second: It is my will that all my debts shall be first paid out of my estate, by my executor, hereinafter named and appointed.

Third: It is my will and desire that my beloved wife Mary Adams be supported out of the proceeds of the crops of the plantation, and that all my property shall be kept together on the plantation for that purpose during my said wife's natural life, and should the proceeds be more than sufficient for that purpose; it is my desire for it to be equally divided annually between all my children hereinafter named; and for my wife Mary Adams to remain on the plantation if she desire to do so.

Fourth: It is my will and desire that after the death of my wife Mary Adams, that all my property both real and personal be divided equally between all my children to wit: James M. Adams, Andrew J. Adams, Elizabeth Jones, Absalom Adams, Mary Ann Tucker, Jane Adams, Jasper W. Adams, Newton J. Adams, Joseph Adams, and Caroline Adams.

Fifth: It is also my will that my minor son Joseph and my daughter Caroline Adams, be educated and supported out of the proceeds of the crops made on the plantation until they come of age or marry.

Sixthly: I give to my son Andrew J. Adams the quarter section of land where he now lives.

Seventhly: I give to my son Newton J. Adams and my daughter Elizabeth Jones and Jane Adams to be equally divided between them, one hundred and ninety acres of land more or less in the County of Kessell, whereon the said Newton J. Adams now lives, the said land to be valued at two dollars per acre.

Eightly: I require of all my children to whom I have given any thing heretofore to make a statement of the same at the division of my estate and that it shall be allowed as so much of their share.

Ninthly: I do hereby ordain constitute and appoint my sons James M. Adams, and Andrew J. Adams executors of this my last will and testament hereby clothing them with powers necessary to carry the same into effect, hereby ratifying this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this the 25th April 1848.

Interlined by the word 'children' in the eighth clause befor signing. John Adams (seal)
Test:)
Nelson Clayton)
Thomas Granberry)
R. J. P. McCants.)

JOHN BEATTY'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Beaty, Francis Beaty and David McCarley of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Five hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 13th day of November A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Beaty has been appointed guardian of Thomas C. Beaty infant son of James Beaty late of Chambers County Ala. deceased. Now if the said John Beaty 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 13th day of November) John Beaty (seal)
A.D. 1848.) David McCarley (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Francis Beaty (seal)

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WILLIS BURTON'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Willis Burton, Winefred Tapley, B. F. Tapley, and John H. Sturdevant of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of three 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of July A.D. one thousand Eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Willis Burton has been appointed guardian of William C. Tapley, infant son of William Tapley deceased. Now if the said Willis Burton 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 10th day of July A.D. 1848.) Willis Burton (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Winefred Tapley (seal)
B. F. Tapley (seal)
J. H. Sturdivant (seal)

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JENNETT CAMPBELL'S EXEC.. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jennett Campbell Michael Dickson and Lemuel Jackson of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the pneal sum of six thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, ur heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 22nd day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Jennett Campbell, has been appointed executor, of the estate of Daniel D. Campbell, deceased. Now if the said Jennett Campbell shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of her, as such executor. Then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Sigued, sealed and acknowledged before) Jennett Campbell (seal)
me and approved by me July 22 1848.) Michael Dickson (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Lemuel Jackson (seal)

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DANIEL D. CAMPBELL'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I Daniel D. Campbell of the County and State aforesaid, being afflicted in body, yet of sound disposing mind made a distribution of my effects, in this my last will and testament as follows to wit:

Article 1st. I leave to my beloved wife Jennett Campbell all the tract or parcel of land upon which I now live, containing two hundred and forty acres, more or less, also my old bay mare, also three milch cows, the choice of my stock; also twenty head of stock hogs; also all of my house hold and kitchen furniture.

Article 2. I design as soon after my decease as convenient, that all my property not above enumerated after all my just debts are paid, consisting of notes, money, negroes, horses, cattle, hogs and sheep, to be appraised and each of my children, to wit, my sons John Bryde Duncan Brown, William Archibald, Malcom MCeryde, Calvin Luther, and my daughters, Jennett, Catharine Ann and Sarah Elizabeth and Mary Ellen, to have their equal distributive shares of such appraisement as they become of age.

Article 3. I design that my tract of land, lying in Robertson County North Carolina, and containing five hundred acres more or less be sold, if it is not already done by my lawful agent in said County and State, and the moneys arising therefrom to be applied as follows; to wit: two hundred dollars to be given to my beloved wife Jennett Campbell; the balance to be equally divided between my children as described in the second article.

Article 4th. I appoint my beloved wife Jennett Campbell, and my brother in law Bryant Taylor my executrix and executor and also guardian of my children.

Article 5th. I commend my Spirit to God who gave it, and my body to the grave in a decent Christian manner of burial.

Article 6th. I leave this as my last will and testament, revoking all other wills and testaments heretofore made, sealed with my seal and signed with mine own hand, this 24th day of August 1841.

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Test:)
Stephen Fuller)
Alfred G. Pogue)
Calvin Presley)
Oliver H. P. Dawson)

Daniel D. Campbell (seal)

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JANA E. HAMMOCK'S ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Hammock Ephraim Hammock, Alfred D. Hammock, W. B. Hammock Paschal D. Hammock and William Halsey, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of six thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 20th day of November A.D. One thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such that, whereas, the above bound John Hammock and Ephraim Hammock, have been appointed administrators of the estate of William Hammock deceased. Now, if the said John Hammock & Ephraim Hammock 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before me,) E. Hammock (seal)
and approved by me this 20th day of November) John Hammock (seal)
A.D. 1848.) A. D. Hammock (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) W. B. Hammock (seal)
Paschal D. Hammock (seal)
Willm. Halsey (seal)

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FREDERICK S. BOWLING'S ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Frederick S. Bowling J. B. Robinson & Moses T. Wright of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of eighteen thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 10th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Frederick S. Bowling has been appointed administrator, with the will annexed of the estate of Smith Bowling deceased. Now, if the said Frederick S. Bowling 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.

Approved, this 10th of July A.D. 1848,) Frederick S. Bowling(seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) J. B. Robinson (seal)
Moses T. Wright (seal)

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SMITH BOWLING'S WILL

GEORGIA)
BUTTS COUNTY)

In the name of God, amen.

I Smith Bowling of the County and State aforesaid, being afflicted in body, but sound in mind and memory, and feeling deeply impressed with the importance and necessity of making distribution of my worldly effects, do make this my last will and testament.

1st. I resign my soul to God, and my body to the Grave.

2d. I will that all my just debts be paid.

3d. I will that after the payment of my just debts, that my estate both real and personal, money, debts, and demands be kept together for the support and maintainance of my dear wife, Mary Bowling, and such of my children as are not married, and the education of my children according to their circumstance, during her natural life, or so long as she remains my widow, or until the youngest and last child shall marry (if a daughter) or arrive to the age of twenty one years.

4th. I will that at the death or marriage of my widow that my estate should continue to be kept together until the youngest and last child should marry (if a daughter) or arrive at the age of twenty one years.

5th. I will, that whenever any of my children marry (if a daughter) or arrive at the age of twenty one years, they are to receive sixty dollars worth of my estate in such property as is necessary and usual for keeping house.

6th. I will, that at the marrige of my youngest (if a daughter) or the arrival to the age of twenty one years, my estate both real and personal money debts and demands should be equally divided among my widow and all my children, after each shall have first received the amount of sixty dollars worth of my estate.

Lastly. I nominate and appoint my dear wife Mary Bowling and my friend John Hendrick my whole and sole executors.

Given under my hand and seal this 11th day of August A.D. 1840.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in presence of us) Smith Bowling (seal)
Thomas Hull, senr.)
John Hull)

ELIJAH D. MCKINLEY'S ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elijah D. McKinley, James E. Reese, and George Reese, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of twelve thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of November A.D. One thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Elijah D. McKinley has been appointed administrator, of the estate of Isham Stanley, deceased. Now, if the said Elijah 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.

Approved) Elijah D. McKinley (seal)
C. C. Forbes, J.C.C.) James E. Reese (seal)
George Reese (seal)

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JAMES R. HODGE'S ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James R. Hodge, George E. Hodge, Nancy Floyd, and Sarah Ann Floyd, and Frances E. Floyd, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County and Orphans Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of one thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heris, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 24th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound James R. Hodge, has been appointed administrator, with the will annexed of the estate of Shadrach Floyd deceased. Now, if the said James R. Hodge, 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.

Approved the 24th February 1849.) James R. Hodge (seal)
Edward Croft, Judge C.C.C.C.) George E. Hodge (seal)
Nancy Floyd (seal)
Sarah Ann Floyd (seal)
Frances E. Floyd (seal)

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MILES MOORE & A. C. MOORE ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Miles Moore, Alfred C. Moore, Cyrus Billingslea, and Robert Rea of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of fifty thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 15th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Miles Moore, and Alfred C. Moore, deceased. Now, if the said Miles Moore and Alfred C. Moore shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such administrators, then this above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Acknowledged before me, and approved) Miles Moore (seal)
by me, this 15th July 1848.) Alfred C. Moore (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Cyrus Billingslea (seal)
Robert Rea (seal)

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NATHANIEL C. BARBER'S & WILLIAM T. BARBER'S ADMINISRS. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Nathaniel C. Barber, Wm. T. Barber, James Sherard, and John Y. Ozley, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of seven thousand dollars for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 13th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound N. C. Barber, and William T. Barber, have been appointed administrators of the estate of John Barber, deceased. Now, if the said N.C. & W. T. Barber 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before) Nathaniel C. Barber (seal)
me, and approved by me, this 13th) William T. Barber (seal)
September 1848.) James Sherard (seal)
C. C. Forbes, J.C.C.) John Y. Ozley (seal)

In the name of God amen. I Moses Wheat Senr. of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being weak in body, but of sound disposing mind and memory, knowing the certainty of death and the uncertainty of the time thereof, wishing to have all my worldly affairs arranged so that I may be the better prepared to meet the call, come when it may of Him who holds in his hands the issues of life and death, do make appoint, ordain, constitute and deliver, this my last will and testament, hereby setting aside, annulling, cancelling and revoking all former wills and codicils by me at any time heretofore made.

First: I commit my sould into the hands of Almighty God, who gave it to me, trusting fully in the promise which through Christ, he made to me and all the human family and my body to the grave, to be decently interred by my representatives.

Secondly. It is my will and desire, that all my debts shall be first paid out my estate by my executors hereinafter named and appointed.

Thirdly. I wish and desire that the following negroes be divided into six lots as follows, Abraham, Matilda and all her children under ten years, in one lot. Bill and Eady and all her children under ten in the second lot. Nick and Hannah and all her children under ten years old in the third lot. Tome and Ludicia and all her children under ten years in the fourth lot. Washington and Charlotte and all her children under ten years old in the fifth lot, and Porter and Missouri and all her children under ten years old in the sixth lot, and that the said negroes as here described in lots are to be appraised by three free holders of the County.

Fourthly. It is my will and desire that my beloved wife Artemesia Wheat shall have her selection or choice of the six lots of negroes named in the foregoing or third clause, and the other five lots shall be drawn for by my five children, one lot to each as follows. To Artemesia Lyle wife of Thomas G. Lyle, Moses K, Wheat, William L. Wheat, Elizabeth H. Wheat, and Mary Margaret Wheat.

Fifth: It is also my will and desire that the balance of my negroes shall be appraised at the same time and by the same appraisers as the six lots above mentioned, and that the said appraisers shall add all of the said negroes to the six lots above named, so as to make each as nigh equal as possible, in order that each of my children and wife may have an equal share each.

Sixth: It is my will that enough of the south west corner of Section 17, be run off so as to take the barn, and for the same to be added to section 18, and twenty acres from section 18, to be added to section 17, the line to commence at the half mile stake between 17 and 18, and run west until it strikes the branch, then up the branch far enough to include twenty acres.

Seventh: It is further my will and desire, that if Francis H. Wheat my grand son, should arrive at the age of twenty one years of age, that my beloved wife Artemesia Wheat, and my children Artemesia Lyle, Moses K. Wheat William L. Wheat, Elizabeth H. Wheat, and Mary M. Wheat, do make with what the guardian pays him, or may have paid him, on his arrival at twenty one years of age, an equivalent to their own shares in valuation at the time of the division.

Eighth: It is also my will, that all of my heirs that has had property from me, shall render in the amount in valuation at the division of my property, and shall be considered as so much of their shares, or part of the estate.

Ninth: I do hereby ordain, constitute and appoint my son Moses K. Wheat, and Thomas G. Lyle, executors of this my last will and testament, hereby clothing them with all powers necessary to carry the same into effect; and I hereby ratify this my last will and testament hereby revoking, cancelling, annulling, and setting aside, all former wills by me made at any time heretofore.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto put my hand and seal, this the twenty ninth March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

Signed, sealed and executed in presence of) Moses Wheat, (seal)
us this 29th March 1849.)
Nelson Clayton)
P.T. Richardson)

Interlined in the fourth clause and fourth line by the word (third) also in the seventh clause and third line by the word age, all done before the signing of the same, also in the seventh section and sixth line by the words (or may have paid him.)

Test. N. Clayton)
P. T. Richardson)

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M. K. WHEAT & T. G. LYLE, EXECUTORS' BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by the presents, that we, Moses K. Wheat, and Thomas G. Lyle, principals and Artemesia Wheat, Elizabeth H. Wheat and G. W. Allen Wm. L. Wheat securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of one hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the third day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Moses K. Wheat, and Thomas G. Lyle, has been appointed executors of the last will and testament of Moses Wheat late of Chambers County, Alabama, deceased. Now if the said Moses K. Wheat and Thomas G. Lyle, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 3 day of May 1849.)
Edwd. Croft Judge C.C.)

Moses K, Wheat (seal)
Thos. G. Lyle (seal)
Artimesia Wheat (seal)
Elizabeth H. Wheat (seal)
G. W. Allen (seal)
Wm. L. Wheat (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Wm. W. Palmer and Evan G. Richards and H. F. Norris, Toliver Towles, G. F. Taylor, and J. B. Robinson securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of twelve thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the seventh day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the bound W. W. Palmer and Evan G. Richards, has been appointed administrators of the estate of William C. Smith deceased. Now if the said W. W. Palmer, and Evan G. Richards 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.

Approved, 7th May 1849.)
Edward Croft, Judge.)

W. W. Palmer (seal)
H. F. Norris (seal)
Toliver Towles (seal)
G. F. Taylor (seal)
J. B. Robinson (seal)

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CHARLES H. GEORGE'S ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Charles H. George, Benjamin L. Goodman, and Caleb Holloway of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft judge of the Orphans' Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of six thousand dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly, by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Charles H. George has been appointed administrator cum testamento annexo, of the estate of William George, deceased. Now if the said Charles H. George, 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.

Approved, 10th April 1849.)
Edward Croft Judge C.C.)

C.H. George (seal)
C. Holloway (seal)
B. L. Goodman (seal)

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WILLIAM GEORGE'S WILL

In the name of God amen. I William George of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being low and doubtful of health, but of sound and disposing mind and memory, and knowing that it is appointed to man once to die, do hereby make ordain and dispose of my worldly estate in the following manner, to wit, &c.

First: I desire that all and several of my just debts shall be paid.

Secondly: I give and bequeath after the payment of my debts, my entire estate, whether of real or personal or monied, to my beloved wife Mary F. and declare this to be my last will and testament, and I do hereby appoint my friend-----to carry out this my last will and testament. In confirmation of the above, I William George, do hereunto set my hand and seal this 22d of March one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in the)
presence of us, and requested to sign) (L.S.)
the same in his presence and each other.)
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ELI MCKINNEY'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Eli McKinney principal, and Josephus Barrow, and Gibson F. Hill securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, Judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of twenty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 2d day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas, the above bound Eli McKinney has been appointed guardian of Mordecai Jacobs, a lunatic,- Now if the said Eli McKinney 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 2d day of June 1849.)
Edward Croft Judge)

Eli McKinney (seal)
Gibson F. Hill (seal)
Josephus Barrow (seal)

GARRETT MORRIS' GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Garrett Morris James Cadenhead, and Thomas Wiley of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of four thousand dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 30th day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Garrett Morris has been appointed guardian of Edmund P. Horton infant son of Edmund Horton late of Chambers County Alabama, deceased. Now, if the said Garrett Norris 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 28th March 1849.) Garrett Morris (L.S.)
Edward Croft, Judge, C.C.) James Cadenhead (L.S.)
Thomas Wiley (L.S.)

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TIMOTHY J. RUSSELL'S ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Timothy J. Russell principal, and James M. Russell, and William L. Crayton his securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County and Orphans' court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of two thousand two hundred dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 14th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Timothy J. Russell, has been appointed administrator with the will annexed, of the estate of John Bentley Senr. deceased. Now, if the said Timothy J. 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.

Approved 14th March 1849.) Timothy J. Russell (L.S.)
Edward Croft Judge C.C.) James M. Russell (L.S.)
Willm. L. Crayton (L.S.)

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JOHN BENTLY'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I John Bently being low in bodily strength, but in sound mind, do make and ordain this my last will and testament, amen.

Item 1st. I give to my son William R. Bently the following property to wit: Sal a negro woman slave, about seventeen years old, solely to be controlled by him the said William R. Bently, for the purpose of maintaining and taking care of me the said John Bently, and Elizabeth Bently my wife, and his the said William R. Bently's mother as long as we or either of us live, and also all my perishable property, belonging to me the said John Bently.

Item 2d. After my death and the death of my wife Elizabeth Bently, the said property Sal & Lucy, and all other perishable property at the decease of me, the said John & Elizabeth that may be, shall be sold and divided as follows; To my sons Jacob Bently an equal share, to Hiram Bently my son fifty dollars, as his full share, to John Bently Jun. my son an equal share, to my daughter Matilda Livingston an equal share, and in case of her death, to inure to Thomas Livingston her husband, to my daughter Emily Bolt, alias, by her intermarriage Emily Gilbert, I especially give her part to her son John Bolt, and if she should have any more children, it is to be equally divided. To my daughter Elizabeth Bently I give and direct that she recieve from my executor lawful interest annually after distribution, and if she marrys and there is any increase, equal shares, and if not her the said Elizabeth's share, to inure to and belong to Henderson Bently, heir of the said Elizabeth Bently Junr. To William R. Bently my son an equal share at the distribution.

Item 3d. I give the entire increase of the said negro woman slaves, Sal & Lucy, if any to Matilda Livingston or Thomas Livingston in case of her death, Elizabeth Bently Junr. and William R. Bently and his and their lawful heirs, for the taking care of me the said John and Elizabeth Bently my wife, and that none of my other heirs is to have any part or interest, whatever in said negro increase, and in case any of this property or any that I the said John Bently is now in possession of at this time is made way with for our use, it is not to be accounted for, and any that may be got, except the negro increase is to be distributed as before described.

Item 4th. A power of attorney given by me to Hiram Bently my son, to collect money from the estate of Archibld C. Slack deceased, of Barber County is hereby revoked, and should the said Hiram Bently collect, hi is to pay over the same, to my executors, for equal distribution as described.

Item 5th. I hereby appoint William R. Bently my son, my true and lawful executor in law and equity, to carry out the provisions of this will, without being bound to give security.

In testimony whereof, I the said John Bently have hereunto set my hand and seal, this twenty sixth day of January eighteen hundred and forty nine.

Signed and sealed before us) John Bently (seal)
John McKnight, Senr.)
George S. Turner)
John C. Looser)

NATHANIEL C. BARBER'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Nathaniel C. Barber, William T. Barber, Alfred B. Camp, and Cicero Heath, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of fourteen hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 16th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Nathaniel C. Barber has been appointed guardian of Francis Martha, and John George Smith infants and minors of Henry Smith, deceased. Now if the said Nathaniel C. Barber, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 16th day of March 1849.) Nathaniel C. Barber (L.S.)
Edward Croft Judge C.C.) William T.Barber (L.S.)
A. B. Camp (L.S.)
Cicero Heath (L.S.)

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JOHN W. WHITLOW'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, John W. Whitlow, William Mabors, and William Whitlow, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of seven hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 16th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above John W. Whitlow, has been appointed guardian of Rachael A. Smith infant and minor of Henry Smith, deceased. Now, if the said John W. Whitlow 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 16th day of March 1849.) John W. Whitlow (L.S.)
Edward Croft Judge C.C.) William Mabors (L.S.)
William Whitlow (L.S.)

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VINCENT A. PEARSON'S ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Vincent A. Pearson, principal, and William Pearson, and Samuel Pearson, his securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans' court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of five thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the eighth day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, That, whereas, the above bound, Vincent A. Pearson, has been appointed administrator, with the will annexed, of the estate of Penelope Pearson, deceased. Now, if the said Vincent A. Pearson, 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before) V. A. Pearson (L.S.)
me and approved by me, this 8th day of) William Pearson (L.S.)
January 1849.) by Saml. Pearson, (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Samuel Pearson, (L.S.)

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PENELOPE PEARSON'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty nine, I Penelope Pearson, being in my proper mind, and in feeble and fast declining health, think it safe and proper to make my will which is as follows.

First: I consign my woul to God who gave it, and my body to the grave, and after a decent interment of the same, I will the property I leave to be so arranged that all my just debts shall be discharged, as soon as convenient. I then desire all of the remaining portion of my property to be valued by three disinterested free holders, and for my son Samuel Pearson to have one dollar, and the remainder of his proportionate part, which is one fifth of my property, to be given to the children of my son Samuel Pearson, and to go to the use and benefit of the children born, and that may be born to him, and in no wise subject to the debts or liabilities of my son Samuel Pearson; and in order that the same may be faithfully performed, I appoint my son Vincent Pearson, to attend to and carry the same into effect, and to see that said property is applied to the use of said children. I also will my son David Pearson one dollar, and give the remaining one fifth to the children born, and thay may be born to my son David Pearson to be applied to their use and benefit, and not to be liable to David Pearson's debts, nor subject to his disposal. And to ensure the above object I appoint William Pearson to attend to, and faithfully carry out my will in prudently managing said property, I then wish the remaining three children viz; Vincent Pearson, and William Pearson, and Rebecca Hollis's deceased, to have their equal shares, the children of my daughter Rebecca Hollis to have their mother's part, and for Thomas Hollis their father, to take in possession his children's part, and at a proper time distribute the same equally among them. The above signed, sealed, and subscribed to, this January 3rd. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

Test:
John R. Humphreis)

(continued)

Silas Holtzclaw)
William H. Middleton) her
Penelope X Pearson (L.S.)
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MOSES T. WRIGHT'S EXECUTOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Moses T. Wright principal, and Noling J. Wright, Thomas F. Nolen, and Abel L. Robinson securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the thirteenth day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Moses T. Wright has been appointed executor of the estate of Henry Wright deceased. Now, if the said Moses T. Wright 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before me,) Moses T. Wright (L.S.)
and approved by me, this 13th day of December) Noling J. Wright (L.S.)
1848.) Thomas F. Nolan (L.S.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) A. L. Robinson (L.S.)

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HENRY WRIGHT'S WILL

In the name of God amen.

I Henry Wright of the County of Chambers, and State of Alabama, being of sound mind, and memory, and being conscious of the shortness of life, and the certainty of death, I feel it a duty incumbent on me to prepare in life to meet death; and having been blessed with a bosom companion who has borne to me children, and having been favored through kind providence to a small portion of this world's goods, I therefore make, ordain and constitute this my last will and testament, (revoking all others heretofroe by me made) in order that my executors who I shall hereafter appoint may dispose of my estate in accordance to my pleasure or wish.

First: After my death, that my body be interred in its mother dust, from whence it came, in a plain and decent manner, and I commend my spirit home to God who gave it. I appoint Moses T. Wright and Nolan Wright my executors, and request that they promptly and strictly carry out this my will in accordance to its true intent and meaning. Immediately after my burial, I wish all debts due my estate to be collected and all that my estate may owe to be paid off.

Secondly: That my executors appoint five fit and proper persons as appraisers, whose duty it shall be to appraise all my estate both real and personal to its intrinsic value; after appraised to lot off my lands, in four settlements to the best advantage, thence my negro property into four lots, having regar to keeping families of negroes together, as much as possible, and so on until all my estate is made into four equal shares or lots.

1st. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Lettice Wright, one share including the dwelling where I now live.

2d. I give and bequeath unto my son Moses T. Wright, one share.

3d. I give and bequeath unto my son Nolan Wright one share.

4th. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Lucinda Patton during her life, and after her death to her children then living, to be equally divided amongst said children, one share, and appoint Moses T. Wright and Nolan Wright, agents in trust for their sister, Lucinda Patton who shall give Solomon Patton, liberty of living on that portion of land designated to his wife and family, and have as much of said land as will be sufficient for him to cultivate clear or rent, the balance to be rented out to the best advantage, and her negroes to be hired out; and the rents and hires of said land and negroes, to be applied to the use and benefit of her my daughter Lucinda Patton during her life and after her death to her living children equally

5th. After the death of my beloved wofe, that portion which I have designated to her, shall be equally divided as above laid out to our children, and managed in the same manner that I have designated in 2d 3d & 4th clauses of this my will.

6th. That if either of my heirs shall die leaving no children, that portion of my estate which I have given them shall be returned and become a part of my estate again & be equally divided amongst those of my heirs yet living in the same manner as above pointed out in this my will. Lastly: I urge and request my executors to managed and divide my estate as I have directed, brotherly, liberally and fairly, not neglecting or forgetting their duty to their mother and to discharge with fidelity and diligence the trust reposed in them towards their only sister.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the sixteenth day of August, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and forty four.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in presence of) Henry Wright (seal)
Thomas F. Nolan)
John J. Hussey)
James H. Artlen)

MARY, W. P., L. H., J. E., AND O. H. P. DAWSON'S EXECUTORS' BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Mary Dawson, Wm. P. Dawson, L. H. Dawson, J. W. Dawson, J. E. Dawson O. H. P. Dawson, Cyrus Billingsled, and James E. Hagood, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto C. C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of twnety thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heirs executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the third day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Mary, Wm. P., L. H., J. E., and O. H. P. Dawson, have been appointed executrix and executors of the estate of Lemuel G. Dawson deceased. Now, if the said executrix and executors shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law, required of them as such executrix and executors, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Mary Dawson (L.S.)
Wm. P. Dawson (L.S.)
L. H. Dawson (L.S.)
J. W. Dawson (L.S.)
J. E. Dawson (L.S.)
O. H. P. Dawson (L.S.)
Cyrus Billingslea (L.S.)
James E. Hagood (L.S.)

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LEMUEL G. DAWSON'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) May 20th 1848.

In the name of God amen, I, L. G. Dawson of the County and State aforesaid, do constitute and make this my last will and testament, being a low state of health, but of sound mind, to wit:

1st. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Elizabeth McLain a negro woman by the name of Sarah, which she has now in her possession, together with all her present and future increase.

2d. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary A. Williams, a negro woman by the name of Nancy, which she has in her possession together with her present and future increase.

3d. I give and bequeath unto my son William P. a negro boy, by the name of Spence, which he has now in possession.

4th. I give and bequeath to my son Oliver H. P. a negro boy by the name of Lisbon, which he has now in possession. But provided, I give him another boy, over sixteen years of age, he is to return Lisbon to me.

5th. I give and bequeath unto my wife Mary the remainder of my estate, both personal and real during her lifetime or widowhood, under the following restrictions to wit: I bind my wife Mary to give to each of my sons Lemuel H., James E., Miller H., Andrew J., Dempsey E., and George W. as they shall become of age, a negro boy over sixteen years of age, a good horse, saddle and bridle, and a good bed and furniture.

6th. and to each of my daughters Susan F., Martha P. I bind my wife Mary to give a negro girl, between fifteen and twnety years of age, a good horse, saddle and bridle, and a good bed and furniture.

7th. If my wife Mary should die, before the youngest of my children should become of age, or marry, each of the said children being under age or unmarried are to receive the same in proportion with those who have become of age or married and the remainder of my property to be equally divided amongst all my children.

8th. If my wife Mary should marry, or should live until the youngest child becomes of age, or marries, it will is that there shall be an equal division of all my property, and that she shall have an equal share with my children, during her lifetime, and at her death her part to be equally divided among my children.

9th. All the foregoing property thus bequeathed is to go to my children and their bodily heirs.

10th. If by accident, or otherwise, unavoidably reduced the estate should not be sufficient to pay to each child the above mentioned bequests, and any of the children having received their full share given them, in those cases, those so having recieved their full shares, shall refund and pay back a sufficient amount to place all upon an equal footing.

11th. My will is that my executors and executrix shall have power to buy or sell any thing that they may think will be an advantage to the estate, and make a true return of said sales to the estate.

12th. I appoint my wife Mary and my sons William P., Oliver H. P., Lemuel H., and James E., executrix and executors of this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 20th May 1848.

Signed in the presence of) Lemuel G. Dawson (seal)
James Fleming)
Stephen Fuller)
W. L. Fleming)

LEROY W. MOORE'S ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Leroy W. Moore, principal, and James C. Moore and Tyre Freeman securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, Judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of four thouand dollars, for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the eighth day of December A.D. one thouand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Leroy W. Moore has been appointed administrator of the estate of Joseph W. Denson, deceased. Now if the said Leroy W. Moore 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged before me, and) approved by me, this 8th day of Decr. 1848.) C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Leroy W. Moore (L.S.)
James C. Moore (L.S.)
Tyre Freeman (L.S.)

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WILLIAM REEVES' GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William Reeves, Caleb Holloway, and Thomas J. Smith, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of two hundred 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 firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William Reeves, has been appointed guardian of Henry D. Reeves, Emily A. E. Calloway, formerly Emily A. E. Reeves, and William D. Reeves, infants and minors of the said William Reeves. Now if the said William Reeves 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 10th day of March 1849.) Edward Croft Judge)

William Reeves (seal)
Caleb Holloway (seal)
Thomas J. Smith (seal)

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MASON DAY'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Mason Day, principal, and Wiley Dorman, and James M. Dorman securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of Twleve Hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the ninth day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Mason Day has been appointed guardian of Thomas Jefferson, Carloine Francis, and Lucinda Jane Day, infants and minors, of the said Mason Day.

Now if the said Mason Day 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.

Approved, this 9th day of December A.D. 1848.) Clement C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Mason Day (L.S.)
Wiley Dorman (L.S.)
James M. Dorman (L.S.)

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ROBERT REA'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Robert Rea W. H. Mooreland Michael Dickson, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the pneal sum of six 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 26th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Robert Rea has been appointed guardian of Jane Rea, infant daughter of William L. Rea, deceased. Now if the said Robert Rea 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; else to remain in full force.

Approved this 26th May 1849.) Edward Croft Judge C.C.)

Robert Rea (L.S.)
Wm. H. Moore (L.S.)
Michael Dickson (L.S.)

WILLIAM BLOUNT'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William Blount, John Meadors, and Samuel Pearson, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of six hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 1st day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William Blount, has been appointed guardian of Mary Frances and Martha Ann Blount infant children of Henry Blount late of Chambers County, Alabama, deceased.

Now if the said William Blount 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 2d day of March A.D. 1849.) Edward Croft Judge C.C.)

William Blount (L.S.)
John Meadors (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson (L.S.)

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MARY A. MOON'S & JACOB MOON'S ADMINISTRATORS' BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Mary A. Moon, Jacob Moon, Geo. M. Goldsmith, William F. Parker, and Thomas Shannon, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of ten thousand dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the first day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Mary A. Moon, and Jacob Moon have been appointed administrators of the estate of Jesse Moon, deceased. Now, if the said Mary A. Moon, and Jacob Moon 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.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged before me,) and approved by me this 1st January A.D. 1849.) C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

Mary A. Moon (L.S.)
Jacob Moon (L.S.)
G. M. Goldsmith (L.S.)
W. F. Parker (L.S.)
T. Shannon (L.S.)

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LEONORA SMITH'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Leonora Smith, and Thomas C. Russell and Elizabeth Smith, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, 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 firmly by these presenta. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 12th day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Leonora Smith has been appointed guardian of William and Martha E. Smith, infants and minors of William Smith late of Chambers County, Alabama, deceased.

Now if the said Leonora Smith 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.

Leonora Smith (L.S.)
Elizabeth Smith (L.S.)
Thomas C. Russell (L.S.)

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NOAH CALLAWAY'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Noah Callaway, principal, and Samuel Morris and James E. Reese his securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of thirteen hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 21st day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Noah Callaway, has been appointed guardian of Dawson and Warren S. Hudspeth, infant children of Simms Hudspeth late of the Sate of Georgia, deceased.

Now if the said Noah Callaway 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 21st day of February 1849.) Edward Croft Judge C.C.C.C.)

Noah Callaway (L.S.)
Samuel Morris (L.S.)
Jas. E. Reese (L.S.)

DANIEL HARRIST'S ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Daniel Harrist, principal, and T. M. Harrist and John Terry his securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County and Orphans' 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 and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 5th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Daniel Harrist, has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Harrist deceased. Now, if the said Daniel Harrist , 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.

Approved, 5th March 1849.)
Edward Croft, Judge C.C.)

Daniel Harrist (L.S.)
T. M. Harrist (L.S.)
John Terry (L.S.)

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JOHN W. RUTLEDGE'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, John W. Rutledge, principal, and Gilbert L. Matthews and Woodson P. Allen, his securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of four hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 27th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound John W. Rutledge has been appointed guardian of Julian A. Adamson, infant child of Augustus Adamson late of Henry County, Georgia deceased. Now if the said John W. Rutledge, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 27th day of February 1849.)
Edward Croft Judge C.C.)

John W. Rugledge (L.S.)
Gilbert S. Matthews (L.S.)
Woodson P. Allen (L.S.)

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JAMES SHEARMAN'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James Shearman, Robert Shearman, Robert J. Shearman, and Terry Collins, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of seven 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 23d. day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James Shearman, has been appointed guardian of Clement B. Shearman, infant son of Clement Shearman late of Chambers County, Alabama, deceased.

Now if the said James Shearman, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 23d. day of December A.D. 1848.)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.)

James Shearman (L.S.)
Robert Sharman (L.S.)
Terry Collins (L.S.)
Robert J. Sharman (L.S.)

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ELIAS H. DAY'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God amen.

I Elias H. Day of the aforesaid County adn State, being in feeble health, and deeming it appropriate to direct a suitable disposition of such property as I may leave at my death, do make, constitute and declare this to be my last will and testament.

Firstly: I give devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife Mary Ann Day, all the property real and personal of which I may die possessed, or to which I may be in any manner entitled.

Secondly. I do constitute and appoint her, the said Mary Ann, executrix of this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof, I do hereunto set my hand and seal this tenth October in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and forty five.

Signed, sealed, published and declared on the) Elias H. Day (seal)
day and year aforesaid,in the presence of)
John C. Smith)
Edward Croft)
S. Pearson)

LEMUEL B. ROBINSON'S WILL

GEORGIA)
MERIWEATHER)

I Lemuel B. Robinson, of the State and County aforesaid, being feeble in body, but of sound mind, and disposing memory, knowing that it is appointed unto all men to die, do make and ordain this my last will and testament.

Item First: I will and direct, that all my just debts be paid out of my estate by my executor hereafter named.

Item second: I give and bequeath all my property both real and personal, in the State of Alabama, and also in State of Georgia, and all my lands in the State of Mississippi, to my mother Martha Robertson, my brother James M. C. Robertson, and my sisters Sarah T. Park, and Martha Ann Bull, to be equally divided between them, share and share alike.

Item Third: I will and desire, that portion of my property, which falls to my sisters above named, be for their use, during their natural life, and afterwards, or at their death, to be equally divided between their children.

Item Fourth: I hereby appoint my brother James M. C. Robertson trustee of the property given to my two sisters, until such time, as the same may be legally altered or changed.

Lastly: I do hereby appoint my beloved brother, James M.C. Robertson, executor to this my last will and testament, hereby directing that he take charge of all my estate, both real and personal, in the State of Alabama, without being compelled to take out administration in that state.

In testimony of which, I hereunto set my hand and seal, this the third day of July 1849.

Signed, sealed, and acknowledged in) his
the presence of) Lemuel B. X robertson,
G. G. Howard,) mark
A. M. Ragland,)
Isaac C. Bell.)

GEORGIA,)
MERIWETHER COUNTY)

Court of ordinary, September Term, 1849.

The within last will and testament of Lemuel B. Robertson, having been proven at this regular term in open court, upon the oaths of Isaac C. Bell, Alexander M. Ragland, and Greenberry C. Howard.

Ordered that the same be admitted to record.

Attest:)
D. C. Gresham Clerk. C.C.) Jos. H. Gaston, J.J.C.
Carllett Campbell, J.J.C.
Freeman McClendon, J.J.C.
Tyre Reeves, J.J.C.
Abner Durham, J.J.C.

Recorded, this 10th day of September, 1849.
Davis C. Gresham clk.

GEORGIA,)
MERIWETHER COUNTY.)

I Davis C. Gresham, clerk of the Court of Ordinary, in and for said County, do certify, that the witnin half sheet, contains a true, perfect, full, and complete copy of the last will and testament of Lemuel B. Robertson, late of said County, deceased, as taken from the records of my office.

Given under my hand and private seal, there being no seal of office, this the 29th day of November 1849.
Davis C. Gresham, clk, C.C. (L.S.)

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ROBERT JACKSON'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,)
MACON COUNTY.)

I Robert Jackson Senr. a citizen of the County and State aforesaid, being of sound mind, and possessed of good judgement, and knowing the uncertainty of life, and the certainty of death, and believing that all men will be held responsible in the day of eternity, for their conduct in this life: I the said Robert Jackson Senr. do declare this to be my last will and testament. In the name of God, Amen.

Item the first: I request that my daughter Anna Harriss do purchase a certain negro girl, and her increase (if any,) by the name of Jane, now about twenty years of age, for a fair price, if she, (Anna) is disposed to do so; if not, then the above named negro girl and her increase (if any) shall be a part of my estate.

Item the second: I give unto my grand son, Thomas R. Rains, five hundred dollars, and I do furthermore appoint Thomas Rains Senr. (the father of my grandson) as trustee for said grand son, so long as it is necessary in law.

But should the said grandson Thomas R. Rains Junr. depart this life before he marrys, or becomes of age, by law, then in that case, the above five hundred dollars to be returned, and become a part of my estate, and be equally divided amongst my legal heirs.

Item third: The balance of my estate, I wish to be divided equally, amongst my children, viz: Anna Harriss, Mark, Robert, and Andrew.

In witness whereof, I have this day hereunto set my hand and seal, this 26th day of Oct. 1849.

Thomas J. Sanford,)
Mark Jackson,) Test. Robert Jackson, (seal)
James A. Sanford)

GREEN D. BRANTLEY'S WILL.

In the name of God, Amen!

I, Green D. Brantley, of the County of Chambers, and State of Alabama, being in feeble health, but of sound and disposing mind and memory, do make and publish, this my last will and testament.

Item 1st. I constitute and appoint my wife Elizabeth Brantley, executrix, and Thomas R. Heard, of the City of Mobile, executor of this my last will and testament; and I specially desire, that they shall be empowered to proceed to the execution hereof, without being required to give bond, as such executrix and executor.

Item 2d. I desire and direct that my executrix and executor, upon my decease, shall promptly pay my just debts, (If I have any,) avoiding unnecessary expense and delay.

Item 3d. It being my desire, that my wife and children shall be provided for, out of my estate, with the strictest regard to equity, I hereby direct that my estate shall be divided, at the time of general distribution hereinafter provided for, into one more than as many portions, as will make the number, of my wife and children, living at the time of that distribution, or being deceased, having children to represent them: and of these parts, I give and bequeath, two parts or shares to my wife, if living at the time of said distribution; to hold, however, only a life estate therein, and at her death, the same to go to my heirs: And to each of my children, living at the time of said distribution, I give and bequeath, one share or part; and to the child or children of any one or more of my children, who may have died before said distribution, I give and bequeath, the portion or share to which the parent of such child or children would have been entitled under this clause. And in the general distribution aforesaid, (hereinafter described) whatever property shall habe been drawn from my estate under the provision of this will, or by deed, or otherwise, by any of my children, shall be counted out of the share or shares of such distributee or distributees.

Item 4th. I desire, and hereby direct, that my executrix and executor, aforesaid, shall keep together for the maintenance of my family at home, all my personal estate, so far as the same may prove practicable; with the exception only of such portions thereof, as are otherwise disposed of, by this my will. And it is my wish and direction, that my said personal estate shall be used for the support of my family, under the direction of my executrix, and executor; and especially for defraying the expense of rearing and educating those of my children, who are now of tender years. And I desire that the personal estate aforesaid, for the purposes aforesaid, shall be used and employed in stocking and cultivating a Homestead Plantation or farm, for the length of time, and subject to the contingencies hereinafter designated.

Item 5th. I desire that my personal estate aforesaid, shall be kept together, in the manner and for the purposes aforesaid, until my youngest child shall have attained the age of twenty one years; making a common stock for the support of my wife, and unmarried children. But if any one or more of my children shall marry; or having attained the age of twenty one years, shall desire to remove and live out of the family; or if either of my married daughters (Anne E. Heard and Mary H. Hooper) shall not in my life time have received commutation therefor; then and in that case, such daughter or son shall be entitled to receive from my estate, a sound, likely and intelligent negro girl, of the age, as near as may be, of ten or twelve years. And if at any time such a negro girl shall not be among the slaves, or my estate, when needed for the purpose above set forth, then my executrix and executor shall purchase or exchange for one or more, as the necessity of the case may require. And in addition to the negro girl above described, each child, under the circumstances above described, shall be entitled to receive eighty dollars in money, or furniture or stock: but my daughter Mary H. Hooper shall not be entitled to receive the said sum of eighty dollars, she having already commited therefor. And I expressly give the property set forth above, in every case of a daughter claiming and receiving it, if she be married, to the separate use and benefit of such daughter; and the said property shall in no wise vest in her husband, or be subject to his debts. And at all times and under every contingency, under the provisions of this will, when any one of my daughters shall take property from my estate, I declare it to be my intention, that such daughter shall take only a life estate in such property, with remainder to her children, if she have any; but if she have no children she may dispose of one half of such property, and at her death the other half shall revert to my heirs.

Item 6th. I hereby invest my executrix and executor, aforesaid, with the fullest power and amplest discretion to bargain, sell and convay, any or all of my real estate, whenever the same may be situate, on such terms as they may deem best for the interest of my family; and with the proceeds of such sale or sales, together with other moneys (if more be necessary,) which may come into their hands by the collection of debts, due my estate, or otherwise, in their discretion, to purchase a settlement of land, in some one of the slave-holding States, for the use and occupation of my family, as a Homestead plantation or farm; which Homestead so purchased, I desire may be occupied by my executrix and our children as a permanent residence, until our youngest child, shall have attained its majority; unless in the opinion of my executrix and executor, the interest of the estate, or the health of the family, shall absolutely require that the same shall be disposed of, and another tract or settlement purchased; and then in that event, I invest my executrix and executor with full power to make such second purchase, for the purposes hereinbefore set forth.

Item 7th. In case of the death of my executrix, before the youngest child shall have attained the age of twenty one years, I invest my executor with the discretionary power, either to keep my estate together, in the manner aforesaid, or to make general distribution of the same, among my children, according to the mode hereinbefore set forth, with only this variation, that is to say, making a discrimination, in the apportionment of shares, in favor of the younger children, which shall certainly cover the expenses of rearing and education.

Item 8th. I empower my executor and executrix, in the fullest possible manner, to settle, adjust or compromise, as they may deem best, all suits, devis, and demands, of whatsoever nature, and whether the same be for or against me; and to receive and execute receipts, releases and all other instruments for the carrying out of the intention of this clause, according to the most libual construction possible. But in the management of two certain causes, now pending against me, in Chambers Circuit Court; to wit, Springer vs. Brantley, and Grady, trustee, vs. Brantley, I empower my attorney, Johnson J. Hooper, to select associate counsel to assist him, at a reasonable fee.

Item 9th. I hereby declare that the "general distribution" of my estate, referred to in previous parts of this will, is intered to mean the final apportionment of my estate among my legatees, on the attainment of the age of twenty one years, by my youngest surviving child. And at that time, it is my will that my executor (if living) and my executrix shall make such general distribution, or apportionment, after selling the real estate, if necessary. But if my executrix and executor disagree, as to the distribution; or if any one or more of the distributees are dissatisfied in regard to the apportionment, then the whole matter of distribution shall be referred to three or

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or five disinterested persons; two or four of whom shall be chosen by the disagreeing parties, and the third or fifth, by the other two or four indifferent persons.

Witness my hand,

G. D. Brantly.

Signed and executed as the last will and testament of Green D. Brantley, in our presence; and by us signed as subscribing witnesses, in the presence of each other, and of the testator, the third day of December, A.D. 1849.

P. T. Richardson
T. M. Baugh
J. A. Holifield
A. Holifield

CODICIL TO THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF GREEN D. BRANTLEY.

8 This addition, in the nature of a Codicil, to my last will and testament, is made for the better understanding of so much, of my will, of dat of 3d. instant, as relates to the "keeping together of my personal estate," and I hereby declare, that while it is my wish, that said personal estate shall be so kept together as far as practicable, it is by no means my intention to restrict my executrix and executor in regard to the selling, at any time, in their discretion, and without reference to any legal tribunal, so much or such portions of my said personal estate, as the interests of my estate may at any time require; and on such terms, and with such notice as my executrix and executor aforesaid, may deem proper. And at all times, I empower them, my executrix and executor aforesaid, to sell my crops, redundant stock, and the like, at privat or public sale, and whenever, they deem it proper to do so, in the same manner, to sell and dispose of any of my slaves; and to revest the proceeds, as may seem best, for the interest of my family.

Given under my hands, the sixth day of December, in the year, eighteen hundred and forty nine.

G. D. Brantly.

Executed and signed as a Codicil to the last will and testament of Green D. Brantley, in presence of
A. Holifield
Healey McCoy
Nancy G. McCoy
P. T. Richardson.

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CAROLINE E. MCCANTS & GEOR W. ALLEN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Caroline E. McCants, Geo. W. Allen, James Maddux, Edward L. McGurdy, and Nelson Clayton, ana Moses K. Wheat of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, judge of the County and orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of thirty six thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the eighth day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

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

George E. Rodge, J.P. (L.S.)
Approved, by Me, Dec. 10, 1849.)
M. Phillips, Judge, C.C.C.C.)

Caroline E. McCants (seal)
George W. Allen (seal)
James Maddux (seal)
E. L. McGurdy (seal)
Nelson Clayton (seal)
Moses K. Wheat, (seal)

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WILLIAM B. L. GILMER'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William B. L. Gilmer, and Henry Chappell, 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 twenty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the thirty first day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Wm. B. L. Gilmer, has been appointed guardian of Thomas Brown, infant son of Thomas J. Brown deceased. Now if the said Wm. B. L. Gilmer, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 31st day of Decr. 1849.)
M. Phillips, Judge, C.C.C.C.)

Wm. B. L. Gilmer (seal)
Henry Chappell (seal)
John A. Frazer (seal)

SOLOMON & WILLIS MANGHAM'S EXECUTOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Solomon Mangham, and Willis Mangham principals, and Elijah D. McKinley, V. H. Collier, Green B. Smith and George Reese, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of six thouand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 14th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Solomon Mangham and Willis Mangham, have been appointed executors of the estate of Jane Mangham deceased. Now, if the said Solomon Mangham, and Willis Mangham, 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.

Approved, 14th September 1849,)
Edward Croft, Judge)

Solomon Mangham (seal)
Willis Mangham (seal)
E. D. McKinley (seal)
V. H. Collier (seal)

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JANE MANGHAM'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, Amen.

I Jane Mangham, being far advanced in age, but of a sound mind and memory, and know that it is ordained once for all women to die, and in anticipation of my own decease, do make this my last will and testament.

First. I want all my just debts paid after my decease, as soon as practicable.

Secondly. I will that my executors hereinafter named proceed after my decease to advertise and sell, all of my negroes and lands, and all other property that is not specially willed away; and to divide the same equally among the following named children John G. Mangram, Hannah Collier, Solomon R. Mangram, Lucy A. Fuller, James A. Mangram, Nathaniel H. Mangram, Willis W. Mangram, Lucinda M. Mangram, Adrain F. Mangram, after giving one hundred dollars to Sarah E. Umphries, the daughter of Sarah Umphries deceased; to remain in the hands of Solomon R. Mangram, until the said Sarah Umphries becomes of age; then to be paid, with interest; but should the said Sarah Umphries die before that time, then, in that case, the said hundred dollars with interest, to be equally divided among the afore mentioned Legatees. Then

Third. I give to my daughter Lucinda M. Mangram, one bed and furniture, with Teaster Bedstead, one red cow and calf.

Fourth. I give to my daughter Adirean F. Mangram, one bed and furniture, with a teaster stead, one black and white cow, and two yearlings.

Fifth. In consideration of my daughter Louisa Irvin having received two hundred dollars from my husband, about thirteen years ago, I will her no more of my estate, believing she has got her reasonable share; and I relinquish all claim I have against the said Louisa Irvin.

Lastly. I do hereby appoint and nominate Solomon R. Mangram, Willis W. Mangram, and James M. Fuller, my executors to this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 18th day of July 1849.

Signed, sealed, and published as the last will and testament of Jane Mangram, in presence of us.)
Robert M. Reid)
Harmon W. Patton)
Wm. Fuller, J.P.)

her
Jane X Mangram, (seal)
mark

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ELIZABETH E. SPRATLING'S EXECUTRIX BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elizabeth E. Spratling, Cyrus Billingslea, James Taylor, George W. Hanson, W. W. Clark, and Britton Stamps of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, Judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of fifty three thousaand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 14th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Elixabeth E. Spratling has been appointed executrix, of the last will and testament, of the estate of Johnson Spratling, deceased. Now, if the said Elizabeth E. Spratling, 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.

Approved, 14th July 1849.)
Edward Croft, Judge)

Elizabeth E. Spratling (seal)
Cyrus Billingslea (seal)
James Taylor (seal)
George W. Hanson (seal)
W. W. Clark (seal)
Britton Stamps (seal)

JOHNSON SPRATLING'S WILL

In the name of God, Amen!

I Johnson Spratling of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being sick and weak in body, and mindful of the shortness of life, and of the certainty of death, and being blessed with a sound mind and disposing memory, with the desire of making a proper disposition of the property, it has pleased God to bless me with, do make and publish this to be my last will and testament; hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

First. Trusting in God for a glorious resurrection unto eternal life, I submit my soul to him who gave it, and des re my body decently interred.

Item Second, I desire all of my just debts and funeral exprnses to be paid, as soon after my decease as practicable.

Item third. I next desire and devise, that all of my property of whatsoever character, kind or description, of which I may be seized or possessed (not herein specified or devised, or otherwise herein designated, with the advances heretofore made by me to my daughter Cynthia L. F. Christian, or which may be made during my life, to the said Cynthia L. F., or any other of my children, which advances shall be estimated against those who may have received such property or advances, at the valuation at the time of reception;) to be kept together for the comfort and support of my wife, and maintenance and education of her children by me.

Item four. To my daughter Cynthia L. F. Christian I have heretofore given by deed, the following property to wit, one negro boy Jim; Silvy and child, Teresa; Rachael a girl, Mary a girl, Jude a girl; the above named negro slaves, and sundry other effects, I have estimated at two thousand six hundred and twenty eight dollars, the above and foregoing advances made to my daughter Cynthia L. F. Christian, with all others I may make to her, to be charged as a part of my estate; and the said Cynthia L. F. Christian is not entitled to receive any thing else, until the balance of my children have received a portion of my estate equal to what she has or may receive from me during my life.

Item fifth. As I have devised in the third item that all of my property be kept together, it is further my will and desire, that my beloved wife Elizabeth E. Spratling, shall keep up the plantation, and make crops, and she is hereby authorised, to sell and buy a negro or negroes, or hire out negroes, as may be thought most advisable under existing circumstances, and sell the crops or other surplus property, that may be necessary to dispose of.

Item sixth. I desire that as my children by my wife, shall marry or become of age, that she may in her discretion, make such advances, as the situation of the estate, will justify, so that such advances may not exceed, what would be coming to said child.

Item 7th. It is further my will and desire, that if my wife should marry, that she shall be entitled to her dower in my real estate, as prescribed by the Statute of this State, and she shall be entitled to and receive one fifth part, of all the residue of my property, including what I have given off or may give off, during my life time, and the balance of my property, both real and personal, to be equally divided between my children by my wife, so as all shall receive an equal share, alike, and should either of my children decease before they receive their share of my estate, leaving a child or children, such child or children shall be entitled to and receive, and take the portion, to which the parent, would have taken if he or she were in life.

Item 8th. It is further my will and desire, and it is the intention of this devise, that all the property, which my wife and my daughters shall receive or take under this will, or which may be given or advanced shall be and inure to the sole and separate use and behoof of my said wife, and daughters, severally, and not subject to the debts or liabilities of any husband.

Item 9th. My will and desire is, that my daughter Martha Caroline, shall have in addition to an equal share, with my other children, a piano forte, which I now have.

Item 10th. It is further my will and desire, that my executrix shall not be compelled or required to make annual returns of her actions and doings in the management of my estate.

Item 11th. I hereby nominate my beloved wife Elizabeth E. Spratling my executrix, to whom I intrust my testamentary intentions, and to whom I give full power and authority to make such sales and proper conveyances, of all that may be required, to be sold of both real and personal estate, in carring out my testamentary intentions.

In witness whereof, I Johnson Spratling, have hereunto set my hand and seal, hereby declaring the above and foregoing three pages, to contain my last will and testament.

Johnson Spratling (seal)

The above and foregoing three pages was published and declared by Johnson Spratling, who is of sound mind, to be his last will and testament; he assigned, sealed, and executed the same in the presence of each of us, and we attest the same as witnesses, at the request of said Spratling, and in his presence, and each of us subscribed the same, in his presence, and in the presence of each other; this 20th day of November 1848.

T. Shannon
Wm. J. Stamps
Britton Stamps

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before me, Samuel Pearson, clerk of the County and Orphans' Court For said County, Brittion Stamps, one of the subscribing witnesses to the last will and testament, of Johnson Spratling deceased

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JOEL GRIFFITH & JOSHUA GRIFFITH'S EXECUTOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Joshua J. Griffith and Joel Griffith, principals, and Mary Griffith, John D. Griffith, Isaac Griffith, John M. Smith, and Lilas Holtzclaw, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of nine thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the twenty fifth day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Joshua J. Griffith and Joel Griffith, have been appointed executors, of the estate of Joel Griffith, deceased. Now, if the said Joshua J. Griffith and Joel Griffith, 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.

Approved 25th Sept. 1849,)
Edwd. Croft, Judge, C.C.)

Joshua J. Griffith (seal)
Joel Griffith (seal)
her (seal)
Mary X Griffith
mark
John D. Griffith (seal)
Isaac E. Griffith (seal)
John M. Smith (seal)
Silas Holtzclaw (seal)

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JOEL GRIFFITH'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, Amen!

I Joel Griffith being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and knowing that life is uncertain, do hereby make , ordain and constitute this my last will and testament as follows,

Item 1st. I give my soul to God who gave it; and it is my desire that my body be buried in a decent and Christianlike manner.

Item 2d. It is my desire that all my just debts be paid out of my estate.

Item 3d. I do hereby give and bequeath, unto my son, Amajiah, forty acres of land, it being the place whereon my said son Amaziah Griffith now lives, adjoining lands of James Gilmore, William L. Northern, and John Burdett, to have and his heirs forever.

Item 4th. I do hereby loan to my beloved wife, Mary Griffith, the whole of the balance of my estate, both real and personal, of every description, for and during her natural life or widowhood, and after her death, or intermarriage (if she shall again marry,) then it is my will and desire, that the whole of said property, both real and personal, thus loaned, to my beloved wife, be equally divided between my sons Joshua J. Griffith, Joel Griffith, Isaac Elisha Griffith, John D. Griffith, David K, Griffith, William W. A. Clinton Griffith, and my following named daughters, to wit: Rebecca L. Griffith, and Nancy C. Griffith, except the sum of one dollar each, to my daughter Rachael East, the wife Amos East, and my daughter Polly Still the wife of John J. Still, and it is my further will and desire, that if either of my said sons Joshua, Joel, Isaac E., John D., David R., William W. C., or my said daughters Rebecca L,, and Nancy C., shall die, without lawful issue, then and in that case, his or her share, shall be equally divided between the survivor or survivors of my said sons Joshua J., Joel, Isaac E., John D., David K., William W. C., and my daughters, Rebecca L., and Nancy C. Griffith.

Item 5th. I do hereby nominate and appoint my sons Jushua J., and Joel Griffith, my true and lawful executors, to this my last will and testament, and I do hereby revoke all former wills and testaments heretofore made and executed by me.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 27th day of August, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

Joel Griffith (seal)

Attest)
John M. Smith)
Francis Beatly)
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A. B. WHITLOW'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Archibald B. Whitlow, principal, and William Whitlow and John Whitlow securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of three thousand dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 4th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Archibald B. Whitlow, has been appointed guardian of Martha E. Whitlow, infant daughter of Warren Whitlow, late of Chambers County Alabama, deceased. Now if the said Archibald B. Whitlow, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 4th day of July 1849.)
Ed. Croft, Judge)

A. B. Whitlow (seal)
William Whitlow (seal)
John Whitlow (seal)

JOSEPHUS BARROW & E. MCKINNEY'S BOND AS EXECUTORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Eli McKinney and Josephus Barrow, principals, and James J. Cotton and Alfred F. Zachary of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound, unto Edward Croft, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of twenty 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 and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Eli McKinney and Josephus Barrow, shall well and truly perform all the duties, which are of may be by law required of them as such executors, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved, Sept. 10, 1849.)
Edward Croft, Judge.)

Josephus Barrow (seal)
Eli McKinney (seal)
Jas. J. Cotton (seal)
A. F. Zachry (seal)

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MORDECAI JACOB'S WILL

THE LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT OF MORDECAI JACOB

I Mordecai Jacob of Chambers County, State of Alabama, farmer, do make and publish, this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me, at any former time heretofore made, and

First. I direct that my body be decently interred; and as to such worldly estate, as it hath pleased God to intrust me with, I dispose of the same, as follows. First. I direct that all my debts and funeral expenses be paid, as soon after my decease as possible, out of the first monies, that shall come into the hands of my executors, from any portion of my estate, real or personal. First. I do give and bequeath, unto my brother Walter Jacob's children six hundred dollars, to make them equal to my brother Benjamin Jacob, and my sister Martha, or Mrs. Hally; and I do also give and bequeath unto my sister Jemima's children, so as to make them equal to my brother Benjamin, and sister Martha, as aforesaid, six hundred dollars.

Secondly: I do give and bequeath unto my sister Sarah one hundred dollars; I also give unto Eleanor Lawson, one hundred dollars; also I give unto Louisa Ursery, on hundred dollars.

Third: I give unto my brother Benjamine Jacob ten dollars.

Fourth: I give and bequeath unto my sister Sarah's son James J. Thompson, the west two thirds of fractional section of land, being the south east quarter of section three, the 2/3 of said quarter, it being the west 2/3 of said quarter; the other one third, of said quarter, I give and bequeath, unto my sister Sarah's son, Andrew J. Thompson, it all being a part of fractional section No. three, T. 23 of Range 28, in said County and State.

Sixth: I give and bequeath, unto Elizabeth Dixon's childred, the north half, of the south east quarter of section of land, being pa t of section thirty one, Township twenty four of Range twenty eight, in said County, and State.

Seventh: It is my wish and will, that after my decease that all my property, both real and personal, that may not be disposed of, to be disposed of at public Sale, to the best advantage, and the proceeds thereof, with all the money, that may then be owing to me, with all the money that I may have in hand, be equally divided between my brother Walter Jacob children, my brother Benjamin Jacob children, my sister Jeminas' children, my sister Sarah's Children, and my sister Martha Hally's children, all to share equally, thereof; moreover, it is my wish and will, that my executor, pay over, and let Elizabeth Dixon, have her part as before mentioned, only as her necessities require.

I do hereby constitute and appoint Eli McKinney, and Josephus Barrow, sole executors of this my last will and testament. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 4th day of May, 1840. Erasures and interlined before signed.

Signed, sealed and delivered, in presence)
of us, who have subscribed, in the presence)
of each other,)
John A. Hurst,)
A. F. Zachry)
D. H. McCoy)

Mordecai Jacob, (seal)

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WILLIAM MARSH'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William Marsh, principal, and Augustus A. Finlay, and James H. Hines, his 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 one 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 29th day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William Marsh, has been appointed guardian of Martha Jane Holt, infant child of William Holt, deceased. Now, if the said William Marsh, 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, else to remain in full force.

Acknowledged before me.)
L. Pearson Clk.)
Approved, this 12th January 1850.)
M. Phillips, Judge, C.C.C.C.)

William Marsh (seal)
Augustus H. Finley (seal)
James H. Hines (seal)

M. M. MARCUS' BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Milton M. Marcus, Thomas L. Penn, Noah Callaway, & R. L. Harralson, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Mattew Phillips, judge of the County Court, for said County,and his successors in office, for the penal sum of forty 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the thirty first day of December, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Milton M. Marcus, has been duly appointed guardian of Augustus H. Brown, and Charles H. Brown, minor children of Thomas C. 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this, the 5th day of Jan. 1850.) M. M. Marcus (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge,C.C.C.C.) Thos. L. Penn, (seal)
Noah Callaway (seal)
R. L. Haralson, (seal)

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WILLIAM BLACKBURN'S BOND, AS ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William Blackburn, principal, and Josiah Durham, and Booker Lawson his sedurities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Mathew Phillips, judge of the County and Orphan' Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of four thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 27th day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William Blackburn, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Erasmus F. Heath, deceased. Now, if the said William Blackburn, 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.

Approved, by me, Nov. 30, 1849. William Blackburn (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge, Josiah Durham (seal)
Booker Lawson (seal)

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WILLIAM J. MADDOX'S BOND, AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William J. Maddox, principal, and James M. Norwood and Samuel Pearson, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of three thousand dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be mad and done, we bind ourselves,our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly, severally, andnd firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 21st day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William J. Maddox, has been appointed guardian of Richard Maddox, infant son of Anthony W. Maddox deceased. Now if the said William J. Maddox, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 21st December 1848.) William J. Maddox (seal)
C. C. Forbes, J.C.C.) J. M. Norwood (seal)
L. Pearson (seal)

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FRANCIS CALLAWAY'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Francis Callaway, George Shealy and Robert Baugh, or the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of one 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 firmly, by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the thirty first day of July, A.D. ont thousand eight hundred ana forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound, Francis Callaway, has been appointed guardian of George T. Jones, a minor under fourteen years old and only child or James Jones, late of the State of Mississippi, deceased. Now, if the said Francis Callaway, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 3d August 1849.) F. Callaway, (seal)
Edward Croft, Judge.) George Shealey (seal)
Robert Baugh (seal)

ABRAM MCCLENDON'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Abram McClendon, G. L. Matthews, and W. L. Grattyton, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of ten thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the nineteenth day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Abram McClendon, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Samuel McClendon, deceased. Now if the said Abram McClendon, 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.

Approved, this 19th Nov. 1849.) Abram McClendon (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge C.C.C.C.) Gilbert L. Matthews, (seal)
Wm. L. Crayton (seal)

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E. H. KINNEBREW'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, E. H. Kinnebrew, principal, and G. W. Nelson, and James Wooten, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto M. Phillips, Judge of the County and Orphans' 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 and severally, firmly,by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 3d. day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound E. H. Kinnebrew, has been appointed administrator, of the estate of Wm. Nelson, deceased. Now if the said E. H. Kinnebrew, shall well and truly perfora 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.

Acknowledged in open court,) E. H. Kinnebrew, (seal)
And approved by me, Nov. 3d. 1849.) G. W. Nelson, (seal)
M. Phillips, J.C.C.C.C. -) James Wooten, (seal)-

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JOSEPH GREEN'S GOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Joseph Green, James N. Wright, Calvin Presley, James E. Haygood and Thomas Shannon, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of eight 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the first day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Joseph Green, has been a pointed guardian of Martha Ann McConnell, infant daughter of Thomas McConnell, late of Marengo County, Alabama, deceased. Now if the said Joseph Green 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved- this 1st day of September 1849.) Joseph Green (seal)
Edward Croft, Judge.) J. N. Wright (seal)
Calvin Presley (seal)
James E. Hagood (seal)
T. Shannon, (seal)

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HIRAM BENTLY'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Hiram Bentley, principal, Timothy J. Russell, and Milton Andrews security, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County and Orphans' 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 and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 28th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Hiram Bently has been appointed administrator de bonis non, cum testamento annexo, of the estate of John Bentley, late of Chambers County Ala., deceased. Now, if the said Hiram Bentley, 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.

Approved, 28th August 1849.) Hiram Bentley (seal)
Edward Croft, Judge.) Timothy J. Russell (seal)
M. Andrews (seal)

The last will and testament of James Eberhart, late of Chambers County and State of Alabama, deceased, which was verbally made by him, and declared by word or mouth to be his last will and testament, at his residence in said County, on the morning of the 26th day of July A. D. 1849, it being on the same day he departed this life, made and declared in the presence of us whose names that are hereunto subscribed as witnesses.

Item First. My will and desire is that all of my just debts be first paid.

Item Second. My will and desire is, that after my debts are paid, that all the balance of my personal property, that may be left, remain with my wife during her life, and at her death to be divided among the children; and further said, that he wished his daughter Harriett B. W., should have something extra, more than the other children; that she might have something for a support, besides her own labor; and that they knew the reason why.

We the undersigned have hereunto set our hands as withesses, this 31st day of July A.D. 1849.

John G. Gay)
James A. Blair)
Eleanor A. J. Eberhart)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared, before me, M. Phillips judge of the County Court, for said County, John G. Gay, James A. Blair, and Eleanor A. J. Eberhart, and after being first duly sworn, depose each and say on oath, that the foregoing paper contains the last will and testament of James Eberhart decd, that the words spoken, were spoken in their presence and that they were called on, to bear witness to the same, that the said deceased, was of sound mind and disposing memory, at the time of speaking the same; and the said words were spoken by deceased in his last sickness, at his residence in said County, on the morning of the day on which he died; and that said words were reduced to writing within six days from the time of his death.

Sworn to and subscribed before me,) John G. Gay
Nov. 1, 1849.) James A. Blair
M. Phillips, J.C.C.C.C.) Eleanor A. J. Eberhart

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E. EBERHART & B. STAMPS' BOND AS ADMINISTRATORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Elizabeth Eberhart, and Britton Stamps principals, and A. W. Ferguson, and H. J. Stamps, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of five thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the first day of November A. D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas, the above bound Elizabeth Eberhart, and Britton Stamps, have been appointed administrators, with the will annexed, of the estate of James Eberhart, deceased. Now, if the said Elizabeth Eberhart, and Britton Stamps, 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.

Approved in opend court this first day) Elizabeth Eberhart (seal)
of Nov. A.D. 1849.) Britton Stamps (seal)
M. Phillips, J.C.C.C.C.) A. W. Ferguson (seal)
H. J. Stamps (seal)

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WOODSON P. ALLEN'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

Know all men by these presents, that we, Woodson P. Allen, William Davis and G. S. Matthews of the County and state aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, judge of the County and Orphans' Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of five thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators; sealed with our seals and dated the 26th day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Woodson P. Allen, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Jane P. Allen, deceased. Now, if the said Woodson P. Allen, 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.

Acknowledged in open court and approved) Woodson P. Allen (seal)
by me, Nov. 26, 1849.) Wm. Davis (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge) G. S. Matthews (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha G. Horton, Hugh W. Horton, James R. Hodge, Benjn. F. Blount, and Edmund P. Horton of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, judge of the Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of twenty thousand dollars, for the payment of which, 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 21st day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Martha G. Horton, has been appointed administratrix with the will annexed, of Edmund Horton deceased. Now, if the said Martha G. Horton, 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged,) M. G. Horton (seal)
before me, this 21st December,) Hugh W. Horton (seal)
A.D. 1849, and approved by me) James R. Hodge (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge C.C.C.C.) Benjn. F. Blount (seal)
Edmund P. Horton (seal)

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ABRAM MCCLENDON'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Abram McClendon, James McClendon, Samuel W. McClendon, and Woodson P. Allen, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, Judge of the County and Orphans' Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of ten thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors of administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 26th day of February, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Abram McClendon, has been appointed, administrator of the estate of Samuel McClendon deceased. Now if the said Abram McClendon, 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.

Approved by me February 26, 1850) Abram McClendon (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge, C.C.C.C.) James McClendon (seal)
Samuel W. McClendon (seal)
Woodson P. Allen (seal)

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GEORGE W. HANSON'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George W. Hanson, principal, and J. W. Dawson, and J. B. Hanson, his securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of three thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 19th day of January, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound George W. Hanson, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Samuel B. Turner, deceased. Now if the said George W. Hanson, 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.

Approved by me, this 19th day of) Geo. W. Hanson (seal)
January A.D. 1850.) J. W. Dawson (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge, C.C.C.C.) J. B. Hanson (seal)

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SAMUELS & COX'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATORS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William A. Samuels and B. F. Cox, Asa Cox and James R. Phillips, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, judge of the County and Orphans' Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of sixteen thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 4th day of March, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas, the above bound William A. Samuels and B. F. Cox, have been appointed administrators of the estate of William E. Cox, deceased. Now if the said William A. Samuels and B. F. Cox 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.

Approved by me, March 4, 1850.) Wm. A. Samuels (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge, C.C.C.C.) B, F. Cox (seal)
Asa Cox (seal)
James R. Phillips, (seal)

MARTHA E. PINCKARD & E. G. RICHARDS' BOND AS ADMINISTRATORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha E. Pinckard, and Evan G. Richards principals, and Uriah Dunn, A. W. Ferguson, & A. M Presley, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, judge of the County and Orphans' Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of forty five thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the eleventh day of March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Martha E. Pinckard, and Evan G. Richards, have been appointed administrators of the estate of Peyton Pinckard deceased. Now, if the said Martha E. Pinckard and Evan G. Richards 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.

Approved by me, March 12, 1850.) Martha E. Pinckard (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge C.C.C.C.) Evan G. Richards (seal)
Uriah Dunn (seal)
A. W. Ferguson (seal)
A. M. Presley (seal)

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BABER, LANCASTER & COLLIER'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATORS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Susannah Baber, William H. Lancaster, Isaac P. Collier, John Formby, and Greenberry Jenkins, 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, for the penal sum of eight thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 31st day of May, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Susannah Baber, Wm. H. Lancaster, and Isaac P. Collier, have been appointed administratrix, and administrators of the estate or Nathaniel Baber, deceased. Now, if the said Susannah Baber, Wm. H. Lancaster and Isaac P. Collier shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of them as such administrix and administrators; then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Acknowledged in open court, and approved) Susannah Baber (seal)
by me, May 31, 1850.) William H. Lancaster(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Isaac P. Collier (seal)
John Formby (seal)
Greenberry Jenkins (seal)

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ELIAS B. MCCARLEY'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elias B. McCarley David McCarley, and Phillip P. Milford, 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 seven hundred dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heris, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 4th day of March, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elias B. McCarley, has been appointed guardian of Mary Usula Smith, infant daughter of Henry Smith deceased. Now if the said Elias B. McCarley shall well and truly perform all the duties which are, or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then the abaove obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved this March 4th 1850.) Elias B. McCarley (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge, C.C.C.C.) David McCarley (seal)
Phillip P. Milford (seal)

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SOLOMON R. MANGHAM'S BOND, AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Solomon R. Mangham, principal, and John T. Sheppard, and Vines H. Collier, 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 25th day of January, one thousand eight hundred and fity.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Solomon R. Mangham has been appointed guardian of Adriana P. Mangham, infant daughter of Jane Mangham, deceased; Now, if the said Solomon R. Mangham 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, else to remain in full force.

Test: J. M. Harrington J.P.)
Approved, this 25th day of January A.D. 1850) Solomon R. Mangham (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge, C.C.C.C.) John T. Sheppard (seal)
V. H. Collier (seal)

SAMUEL MORRIS'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Samuel Morris principal, and James S. Mitchell and Wm. L. Crayton, 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 four thousand dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 14th day of January, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Samuel Morris has been appointed guardian of Mary E., Samuel, and James Carprew, infant children of Wilson Corprew deceased. Now if the said Samuel Morris 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 14th day of January, A.D. 1850.) Samuel Morris (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge C.C.C.C.) J. S. Mitchell (seal)
Wm. L. Crayton (seal)

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HENRY H. SMITH'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Henry H. Smith, Nathaniel C. Barber John W. Whitlow, and Elias B. McCarley 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 seven hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 4th day of March, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Henry H. Smith, infant child of Henry Smith, deceased. Now, if the said Henry H. Smith 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 4th day of March 1850.) Henry H. Smith (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge C.C.C.C.) Nathaniel C. Barber (seal)
John W. Whitlow (seal)
Elias B. McCarley (seal)

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MARY ANN TURNER'S BOND, AS ADMINISTRATRIX

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Mary Ann Turner, principal, and Thomas Wiley and Samuel Hamner, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, judge of the County and Orphans' Court, for said County,and his successors in office, for the penal sum of ten thousand dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 16th. day of May, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation if such, that whereas, the above bound Mary Ann Turner, has been appointed administratrix, with the will annexed, of the estate of Larkin Turner, deceased. Now if the said Mary Ann Turner 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.

Approved by me May 16, 1850) Mary Ann Turner (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge C.C.C.C.) Thomas Wiley (seal)
Saml. Hamner (seal)

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COLEMAN C. GIBBS' BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Coleman C. Gibbs principal, and Richard L. Askew, and Samuel Hamner, his 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 twelve hundred dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselve, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly, severally, and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 16th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Coleman C. Gibbs, has been appointed guardian of Abel F. Wilson, infant son of Joseph Wilson deceased. Now if the said Coleman C. Gibbs, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 16th day of May A.D. 1850.) Coleman C. Gibbs (seal)
M. Phillips, Judge, C.C.C.C.) Richard L. Askew (seal)
Saml. Hamner (seal)

LARKIN TURNER'S WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA, April 13th., 1850.

I, Larkin Turner, being in sound mind, and knowing the uncertainty of life, and certainty of death, do make this, my last will and testament.

1st. I desire my body to be decently committed to its mother dust, and my spirit to God who gave it.

2d. I wish all my personal property, to remain with my beloved wife, Mary Ann Turner, viz. Stock of all kinds, house hold and kitchen furniture; also my negroes Juby and Matthew, until my youngest child becomes of age, viz: Josephine Turner, or is married. My children that are under age are not to be charged board, until they arrife at the years of maturity or marry. Should my wife, Mary Ann, marry before Josephine is married, or of age, I wish an equal division to take place, between her, Mary Ann Turner, and all my children.

Finally . I wish all my lands sold, when any legal agent, shall think it most expedient; consisting of five hundred acres, mor or less, in said County, whereon I now reside: to be sold in two equal annual payments. The money for which the land is sold, to be appropriated to the payment of all my just debts; after they are satisfied, the remainder to be in the hands of my wife, and subject to the same restrictions and regulations as the balance of my property.

R. L. Askew)
Saml. Manner)wit.
Coleman C. Gibbs)

Larkin Turner (seal)

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GEORGE D. HOOPER'S BOND, AS ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,)
CHAMBERS COUNTY.)

Know all men by these presents, that we George D. Hooper, J. W. Bachelder, William Graggs, Benjamin G. Greer, and James H. Forman, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan W. Richards, judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of twenty thousand dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our Seals, and dated the 15th day of May, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George D. Hooper, has been appointed administrator with the will annexed, of the estate of John G. Webb, deceased: Now, if the said Geo. D. Hooper, 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.

Acknowledged before me, this 15th May 1841.)
Edward Croft, clk.)
Approved)
Evan W. Richards, J.C.C.)

Geo. D. Hooper (seal)
J. W. Bachelder (seal)
Wm. Graggs (seal)
Benjamin G. Green (seal)
James H. Forman (seal)

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Mary G. LEVERETT'S WILL

In the Name of God, amen.

I, Mary G. Leverett (widow) lately the wife Thomas Leverett, of Troup County, Georgia, deceased, being of sound disposing mind and memory, knowing and believing that it is appointed once for all to die, do make and declare the following to be my last will and testament. That is to say:

I resign my sould into the hands of God, who gave it, believing in the remission of my sins, on the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ, and my body, to the mother dust to be buried in a Christian like manner,

1st. I request my executor hereafter named, to proceed and pay off all just and legal demands that may be outstanding against my estate, (which is but small) from the money, and other disposable property on hand, not otherwise conveyed or directed to be given off.

Item the second: I give and bequeath unto my daughters, Mariah Walker, wife of John H. Walker, dec., and Almeda Bussey, wife of Charles Bussey, and their children, one negro woman slave by the name of Betsey, which negro woman slave is to be sold by my executor, at the same time of my other property, not otherwise disposed of; and the proceeds of sd. negro (Betsey), to be equally divided between my two daughters above named.

Item the third: I give and bequeath unto my daughter Mary E. Carlisle, wife of Green W. Carlisle, one negro girl slave, named Mariah, about twenty years old, and the increase of said slave, for the sole use and benefit of my daughter Mary E., and her children, for and during her natural life, and at her death to be equally divided among the children she has, or may have, by reason of her intermarriage with the sd. Green W. Carlisle,; and should there be an increase by sd. negro girl Mariah, in that case, it is my wish and desire, that so soon as my grand children, (the children of the sd. Green W. Carlisle and Mary E. Carlisle), becomes of age and settles, said increase to be given off to them by calling three suitable persons, to value sd. property, so proposed to be given off; and for them (the sd. children) to be bound for sd. amount, so as there may be an equal division, at the time above named. Now my meaning in this item as above mentioned, is the children she has or may have by reason of her intermarriage with the sd. G. W. Carlisle.

Item the 4th. I give and bequeath to two of my daughters Mertilda Black, wife of Thomas Black, Merlitta Pace, wife of D. E. Pace, my buggy and harness, to them and their heirs forever. Also I give to my daughters Mary E. Carlisle, all of my clothing of every nature, to be by her divided out to such of my children and grandchildren, as I have directed her verbally in my life time.

Item the 5th. I give and bequeath to my granddaughter Lucretia Pace, one hundred dollars, on Green W. Carlisle, which amount will be due me from him, at my death, and is to be paid to her by him.

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Item the 6th. I direct my executor hereafter named, so soon after my death as legal notice is given, sell all of my property, that may belong to me, at that time, not otherwise disposed of, together with what money and demands due me, at the time of my death, be equally, (after deducting the expenses of carrying out and closing this my will,) divided among my children, hereafter named, to wit: Jeremiah Leverett, Katharine Tompkins, (deceased), formerly wife of Nicholas Tompkins, Mariah Walker, wife of John H. Walker,(deceased), Thomas Leverett Jr. (deceased), Gideon Leverett, Mertilda Black, wife of Thomas Black; Almeda Bussey, wife of Charles Bussey; Malitta Pace, wife of D. E. Pace, Abrahan Leverett, Mary E. Carlisle, wife of Green W. Carlisle; my meaning in this Item 6th., is, and I so desire, that the division be made after the said expenses as aforesaid is discharged, and all just demands that may be against me paid; that the share going to those of my children named aforesaid, who have departed this life, and such (if any) that may die before such division be given and paid, to such of their children as may be living.

Item 7th. And lastly, I do hereby nominate and appoint Green W. Carlisle, my executor, to this my last will and testament, disallowing, revoking and disannulling all former wills, by me, made, ratifying and confirming this, to be my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof, I, Mary G. Leverett, do hereto set my hand and seal, this the twenty fifth day of August, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

Signed, sealed, published and declared,)
by the sd, Mary G. Leverett, to be her last) her
will and testament, in the presence of each) Mary G. X Leverett, (seal)
other, and at her request, we signed the) mark
same as witnesses thereto.)
Test:)
George W. Thompson)
Thomas B. Royston)
M.A.J. Carlisle.)

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THOMAS W. MURRELL'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God amen.

I Thomas W. Murrell, of the County and State aforesaid, being of sound mind and memory, do make and establish, this my last will and testament, hereby revoking and holding ineffectual all others heretofore made by me.

In the first place after my death, I desire my body to be buried in a Christian like manner, and as to such worldly effects as I may own at the time of my death, I dispose of in the following manner.

Item first: After my death, I desire that all my just debts be paid, and for that purpose, authorize and empower my executor to dispose of such of my personal estate, as may be sufficient for that purpose.

Item second: I give and bequeath to my beloved wife, Mary S. Murrell, during the period of her natural life, all the remaining portion of my estate, both real and personal, to be under the control and direction of my executors, and out of the proceeds of my estate during the life of my wife, Thomas W. Cobb and Susan Cobb, children of Eliza M. Cobb, are to be clothed, and liberally educated. And for that purpose, should it become necessary, my executors are authorized and empowered to dispose of and sell such portion of my estate left to my wife, during life, as may be sufficient for that purpose.

Item third: At the death of my wife, it is my will and desire, that Thomas W. Cobb and Susan Cobb, together receive one half of my personal estate, remaining after the payment of all debts due by my estate; and for the purpose I desire, that my negroes, and other personal property be divided into two equal portions or shares, by three disinterested persons, and that my executors shall select one of said shares or portions, for said Thomas W. and Susan Cobb, which said share or portion so selected, is to be come the property of the said Susan and Thomas W. Cobb. But in the event that said Thomas W. and Susan Cobb, should both die, before they arrive at the age of twenty one years, then said property is to become the property of, and equally divided among the persons mentioned in the sixth item of this will. And further I desire and will, that the other share of my personal property be sold by my executors, and the Money arising from the sale of said portion be disposed of, as hereinafter mentioned.

Item fourth: I give and bequeath unto said Thomas W. Cobb, and Susan Cobb, one half of the proceeds of the sale of all my real estate, lying in Chambers County, Alabama, to be sold as soon after the death of my wife as my executors may think expedient and proper. And the other half of the proceeds of sale of said land, to be disposed of as hereinafter mentioned.

Item fifth: After my death, I desire my executors to take into their possession and control, the negroes (viz;) Charlotte and her children, now in possession of Middleton Thornton and his wife, of Campbell County, Georgia, if not returned to me before my death. And upon said negroes being returned or delivered up to my executors, I will and desire seven hundred dollars of the Money arising from the sale of property not heretofore disposed of by will, be laid out by my executors, after the death of my wife, in the purchase of a negro woman, for the use and support of Adeline Thornton, and her children, and that my executors settle said negro on said Adeline Thornton and her children, free from the debts or control of Middleton Thornton, her husband.

Item sixth. The remaining part of my property not herein, and before disposed of, embracing the Monies arising from the sale of land and negroes, before ordered to be sold, I give to Doctor Henry Faison, Doctor James Hicks and Doctor Elias Shaw, and Isham Hicks, and to Elizabeth Frederick, and her younger brothers and sisters, may be entitled to one fifth part of the property embraced in this item of my will, making a share for them together, equal to each of the other legatees, in this item of my will.

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Item seventh: I desire that my executors, so soon after my death as convenient, proceed to dispose of by sale, all the remainder of my real estate, lying in this State, and in the State of Georgia, and that they sell the same either for cash or credit, as may be deemed by them best suited to the interest of my estate. And in the sale of my real and personal estate, which I may own at my death, and which may be necessary for them to procure orders of sale, to sell the same; but they are hereby authorised and empowered, to sell the same, wherever the property may be, either in this State, or in the State of Georgia, and they are further authorized to convey the same to the purchaser, or purchasers, and to make such title, as I may have at the time of my death.

Item eight: As I am indebted to Mrs. Eliza Cobb, to the amount of four hundred dollars, my will is, that out of the moneys coming to Thomas W. Cobb and Susan Cobb, under this will, the said debt be paid, or if payment is demanded by Eliza Cobb before the death of my wife, then at my wife's death, the amount so paid Eliza Cobb, by my executors, shall be deducted from the share of the said Thomas W. Cobb and Susan Cobb, and paid to the legatees, mentioned in the sixth Item of my will, to wit: Dr. Henry Fison, Doctor James Hicks, Doctor Elisa Shaw, Isham Hicks, and Elizabeth Frederick and her younger brothers and sisters.

Lastly: I nominate and appoint my friends John B. Kennedy and Robert Baugh, my trustees, to carry into effect this my last will and testament, hereby giving them ample power and authority, in addition to that already given, to do all things necessary to be done, by virtue of the trust reposed in them.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this the tenth day of April 1847.

Thos. W. Murrell (seal)

Signed and sealed in presence of)
Stephen C. Brown)
Martha B. Marcus)
his)
Joseph H. X Hamby)
mark)

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ROBERT BAUGH'S EXECUTOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Robert Baugh, Edward Baugh, and James S. Mitchell, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans' Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of thirty thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty fourth day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Robert Baugh, has been appointed executor of the estate of Thomas W. Murrell 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 executor, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Approved: August 14th 1848.) Robert Baugh (seal)
C. C. Forbes, J.C.C.) Edwd. Baugh (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)

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URIAH DUNN'S ADMINISTRATOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Uriah Dunn, H. J. Perkins, and James S. Mitchell of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of four thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Uriah Dunn, has been appointed, administrator of the estate of Evrington F. Griffin, deceased. Now, if the said Uriah Dunn 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.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged, before) Uriah Dunn (seal)
me, & approved by me, this 4th October, 1848.) H. J. Perkins (seal)
C. C. Forbes, J.C.C.) J. S. Mitchell (seal)

ELIAS B. MCCARLEY'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elias B. McCarley, Phillip P. Milford, and David McCarley, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Edward Croft, judge of the County Court for said County, and his successors in office,for the penal sum of fourteen hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 8th day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty nine.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Elias B. McCarley, has been appointed guardian of Alexander W. and Sarah K. Smith, infant children of Henry Smith, deceased. Now if the said Elias B. McCarley, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, April 8th 1849. Elias B. McCarley (seal)
Edward Croft, Judge Phillip P. Milford (seal)
David McCarley (seal)

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BENJAMIN FITZPATRICK'S BOND, AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Benjamin Fitzpatrick, principal, and Thomas J. Fariss, and John J. Fariss, 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, for the penal sum of one hundred and seventy five 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our Seals, and dated the 14th day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Benjamin Fitzpatrick, has been appointed guardian of Mary M. Fitzpatrick, infant daughter of Joseph Fitzpatrick, late of Harris County, Georgia, deceased. Now, if the said Benjamin Fitzpatrick 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 14th October, 1850.) Benjn. Fitzpatrick (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Thomas J. Fariss (seal)
John J. Fariss (seal)

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A. F. COPLAND'S ADMINISTRATORS' BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Alpheus F. Copland, principal, and Paschal E. Ward, and Jesse Moseley 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, for the penal sum of six thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presence, sealed with our seals and dated the 22d day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Alpheus F. Copland, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Saml. B. Turner, deceased. Now, if the said Alpheus F. Copland 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.

Acknowledged in open court & approved) Alpheus F. Copland (seal)
by me, July 1st., 1850.) Paschal E. Ward (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) Jesse Moseley (seal)

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WILLIAM E. FYLOD'S BOND AS GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY.)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William E. Floyd, James R. Hodge and John G. Tucker, 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, for the penal sum of three hundred and twenty five 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of June, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and Fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William E. Floyd, has been appointed guardian of Joseph H. Floyd, and Jane Caroline Floyd, infant children of Shadrach Floyd, deceased. Now, if the said William E. Floyd, 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, else to remain in full force.

Test:
George E. Hodge J.P. William E. Floyd (seal)
James R. Hodge (seal)
John G. Tucker (seal)

Approved by me, June 10th 1850.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

EDWIN A. CHERRY'S BOND AS ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Edwin A. Cherry, E. D. McKinley and Green B. Smith, 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, 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 and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 5th day of August, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Edwin A. Cherry has been appointed administrator of the estate of Darval T. Brown, deceased. Now, if the said Edwin A. Cherry, shall well and truly pe form 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.

Acknowledged in open court, & approved by me, August 5, 1850.) E. A. Cherry (seal)
) E. D. McKinley (seal)
S. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Green B. Smith (seal)

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GREEN W. CARLISLE'S BOND. EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Green W. Carlisle, principal, and James W. Carlisle, and M. A. J. 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, for the penal sum of three thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly, to be made and done,we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 20th day of August, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Green W. Carlisle, has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Mary G. Leverett, deceased. Now, if the said G. W. Carlisle, 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.

Acknowledged, in open court,) Green W. Carlisle, (seal)
and approved by me August 20, 1850.) James W. Carlisle, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) M. A. J. Carlisle, (seal)

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URIAH COFIELD'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Uriah Cofield, principal, and D. E. Cofield, and A. W. Ferguson, 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, for the penal sum of fourteen thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 30th day of August, A.D, one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Uriah Cofield, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Grisson Cofield, deceased. Now, if the said Uriah Cofield, 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.

Acknowledged in open court and approved by me,) Uriah Cofield (seal)
August 30, 1850.) Doctor E. Cofield (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) A. W. Ferguson (seal)

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ANN CALHOUN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATRIX.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Ann Calhoun principal, and Wiley Calhoun, Tilmon V. Osborn, G. W. Calhoun, Those. J. Osborn, M. W. Calhoun, 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, for the penal sum of three thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 11th day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Ann Calhoun, has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Charles Calhoun, deceased, with the will annexed. Now, if the said Ann Calhoun 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.

Acknowledged in open court, and approved by me, Sept. 14th 1850.) her
S. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Ann X Calhoun (seal)
mark (seal)
Wiley Calhoun (seal)
Tilmon V. Osborn (seal)
G. W. Calhoun (seal)
Thomas J. Osborn (seal)
M. W. Calhoun (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God amen.

I, Charles Calhoon, of the said State and County, being strong in mind and memory, do make and publish this my last will and testament, to make the following distribution of my estate viz:

Item 1st. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife, Amey Calhoon, seventy five acres of my tract of land, on which I now live upon; to be run off on the west end of my tract of land. And also twen y five acres that I purchased of Jesse S. Clark; the above hundred acres of land, at her death, or at the expiration of her widowhood, to be equally divided amongst my four youngest children, viz: John, Morgan, Isabella and Julian.

Item 2d. I also give unto my wife, on negro woman, named Emily and her child Jane, and her increase; the above negro woman and child and increase at her death, or at the expiration of her widowhood, to be equally divided amongst all my children,

Item 3d. I also give unto my wife, all my stock of cows, hogs, and sheep, and also one bay horse, and mule, and brown colt.

Item 4th. I also give unto my wife, all my household and kitchen furniture, and also my wagon and steers; and it is also my wish, for my wife to give to my son, John and Morgan, when they become of age, one sow and pigs, apiece; and also one cow and calf apiece; and I also wish my two youngest daughters, Isabella and Julian, when they become grown, to have a sow and calf a piece, and one sow and pigs apiece, and as my four youngest children become of age, I wish them to have one bed and furniture apiece.

Item 5th. I give unto my wife, all the money and notes on hand, and all the Bacon and land, and all the grain on hand, and also the present growing crio; and I wish my debts to be paid out of my present growing crop; and I leave my two guns to my two youngest sons for the use of the family. I also give to my two youngest sons, on colt a piece, now claimed by them, John's is a filly and Morgan's a horse colt.

Item 6th. I give unto my five oldest children to viz: Westley, Wiley, Washington, Amanda and Nancy, the remainder of my tract of land, one hundred and sixty five acres, more or less, to be equally divided amongst them; and I wish my children to have the use of the gine house and gine.

Test:)
Zachariah M. Hutchens) Charles Calhoon (seal)
Gideon Christian)
Michael W. Dent).

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GANDY AND OWEN'S BOND, AS EXECUTORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Alford Gandy, and Philemon Owen principals, and George Shealy and John R. Alford 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, for the penal sum of seventy thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the twenty third day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Alford Gandy and Philomon Owen, have been appointed executors of the estate of Robert Owen, deceased. Now, if the said Alford Gandy and Philemon Owen 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.

Acknowledged in open court, and approved by me, Sept. 23d. 1850.) A. Gandy (seal)
) P. Owen (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) George Shealy (seal)
John R. Alford (seal)

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ROBERT OWEN'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, amen.

I, Robert Owen, of the County and State aforesaid, being of sound mind and memory, and desirous of disposing fo what effects it has been my good fortune to accumulate, do make, ordain, and decalre this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other wills herstofore made by me.

Item 1st. After my death, I desire that my executors pay all my just debts, and collect all monays due me, and pay the same over to my beloved wife, Mary Owen.

Item 2d. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Mary Owen, for and during her natural life, all my estate, both real and personal, or every name kind and description, to use and enjoy at her pleasure, so long as she may live.

Item 3d. At the death of my wife Mary Owen, I will and bequeath unto my son Philonon Owen, the following named negroes and their increase from this time, to wit: Governor, William, Hal, Daniel, Angeline, Horace, Ben, Frank, Randal, Jane, Jefferson, Gilford and Nelson. I also give to him the following described land viz: all of section No twenty one (21), in township twenty (20), and Range twenty five (25). Also the south half of section no twenty two (22), in same township and range, all lying in this County, and to be his absolute property at the death of my wife,

Item 4th. I give and bequeath unto my son Thomas E. Owen, the following named negroes, and their increase from this time viz: James, Major, Johnson, William the blacksmith, Richard, Sam, Daniel Colbert, Black Hannah, Nicholson, Judy and Caroline. I also give unto my son Thomas E. Owen, the following described land (viz) that is all of section no twenty eight (28), township twenty (20) and Range twenty five (25), in this County, it being the section of land on which I now live. This land together with the negroes mentioned in this item, to be his absolute property at the death of my wife, Mary Owen.

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Item 5th. I give unto daughter Emeline L. Allen, to and for her sole and separate use, benefit and support, to be held and enjoued by her, for and during her natural life, free from the control, debts or contracts of her husband, Dr. William E. Allen, the following named negroes to wit. Jesse, Henry, Squire, Teanor and her child Laura, Milly, Adam, Isabel, and her child Mariah, Wesly Lewis, Lame Ben, and Frances; and their increase from this time. The same to be taken possession of at the death of my wife, And further that the negroes given to my sons Philomon and Thomas E., as well as the real estate devised to them, are to be taken possession of at my wife's death, and not before; unless she should think proper to give them such property, as is willed to them in this will. And further that the increase is to follow their respective mothers as if specailly given in this will and further,that the negroes given to my daughter, Emeline S. Allen, for life, at her death, are to go to and be the property of her increase or issue; if any she should have living, at that time; but should she have living at the time of her death no issue, nor the descendants of such issue, then the negroes above given to her and their increase are to be divided between my other children. And in the event any of my children should die before receiveing all or any such portion of my estate, as may be coming to them, then, the child or children of my deceased child is to represent the deceased parent, and to be entitled to such share as the deceased parent would have been entitled to, if living at the time.

Item 6th. At the death of my wife, Mary Owen, I will and desire, that my negro woman Sal and her children Hardy and Alice, and their increase be equally divided between my daughters Elizabeth Erwin and Emeline S. Allen, or if either of them be dead, their children to represent their deceased parent.

Item 7th. At the death of my wife, Mary Owen, I will and desire, that all my estate both real and personal not herein and hereby given and devised in this will, be equally divided between all my children, except Nathaniel G. Owen, and Mary Peebles, to whom, that is, to Nathaniel G. Owen and Mary Peebles, I then give the sum of fifty dollars, each, as their entire portion of my estate, it being all I intend they shall receive. And further, that my executors hereinafter named, carry into effect this item last mentioned as soon after the death of my wife as possible.

Lastly: I nominate and appoint my sons Dr. Augustus Owen, Philomon Owen, and my friend Alford Gandy, my executors, to execute and to carry into effect the provision of this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof, I the said Robert Owen, have hereunto set my hand and seal, this the fourth day of May, A.D. 1850.

Signed & sealed in the presence of) Robert Owen (seal)
Elliott M. Muse)
Abel A. Erwin)
Robert Baugh.)

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As a codicil to this my last will and testament, in addition to what I have given to my daughter Emeline S. Allen, I also give and bequeath to her, for her sole and separate use, the following described real estate (viz) the west half of section fourteen (14), township twenty (20), and range twenty five (25), in this County; it being the place, I have purchased from Mrs. Frances Gilder, and have her bond for titles. Said land to be for the use of my said daughter and such children as she may have at her death. And should I during my life, or my said daughter Emeline after my death, fail to secure titles to the above described land, so that the contract is rescinded, then my executors are to purchase my said daughter a half section of land, worth three thousand dollars, and to be settled by them on her, for her sole use and benefit.

Witness my hand and seal, 23d. May 1850.

Witness A.A. Erwin) Robert Owen, (seal)
H. J. Perkins)
Robert Baugh)

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WILLIAM P. ALLEN'S BOND, AS ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William P. Allen, principal, and John Rudd and Eliza F. McKey securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate, 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 and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 27th day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Wm. P. Allen, has been appointed administrator of the estate of James McKey, 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 administrator; then, the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Acknowledged in open court, and approved) William P. Allen (seal)
by me, September 27, 1850.) John Rudd (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) her
Eliza F. X McKey (seal)
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WILLIAM AND POINTON S. FOSTER'S BOND. ADMINISTRATORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William Foster and Poynton S. Foster principals, and William Fuller and Eli McKinney 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, for the panal sum of eleven thousand five hundred dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 25th day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound William Foster and Poynton S. Foster, have been appointed administrators of the estate of Jesse Foster deceased. Now, if the said William and Poynton S. Foster 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.

Acknowledged in open court & approved) William Foster, (seal)
by me, October 25th. 1850.) Pointon S. Foster, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) William Fuller, (seal)
Eli McKinney, (seal)

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AUGUSTUS M. PINCKARD'S GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Augustus M. Pinckard, principal, and Peyton J. Pinckard, Jesse B. Robinson and Augustus E. Wood, securities, of the County & State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of four thousand dollars; for the payment of which well adn truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly severally and firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 25th day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Augustus M. Pinckard has been appointed guardian of Pheruba J. Pinckard, infant daughter 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; else to remain in full force.

Approved, this the 25th day of October 1850.) Augustus M. Pinckard, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Peyton J. Pinckard, (seal)
J. B. Robinson, (seal)
A. E. Wood, (seal)

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ISAIAH C. FITTEN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Isaiah C. Fitten principal, and John Fitten and John A. Frazer 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 17th day of July 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Isaiah C. Fitten has been appointed administrator of the estate of Burwell Jones deceased; Now, if the said Isaiah C. Fitten 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) Isaiah C. Fitten, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John Fitten, (seal)
John A. Frazer, (seal)

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AUGUSTUS M. PRESLEY'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Augustus M. Presley, principal, & Evan G. Richards & A. W. Ferguson, 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 27th day of March 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Augustus M. Presley, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Charles E. Presley, infant son of Said Augustus M. Presley, Now, if the said Augustus M. Presley 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) Augustus M. Presley (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Evan G. Richards (seal)
A. W. Ferguson (seal)

~~JOSHUA J. & JOEL GRIFFITH'S BOND. EXECUTORS~~

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Joshua J. Griffith, and Joel Griffith principals, and John M. Smith, Isaac E. Griffith, John D. Griffith, Silas Holtzclaw, & 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, for the penal sum of ten thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Joshua J. Griffith and Joel Griffith have been appointed executors of the estate of Joel Griffith, deceased. Now, if the said Joshua J. Griffith & Joel Griffith 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.

Acknowledged in open court, & approved by me,) Joel Griffith (seal)
Nov. 4, 1850.) Joshua J. Griffith (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John M. Smith (seal)
Isaac E. Griffith (seal)
John D. Griffith (seal)
Silas Holtzclaw (seal)
Wm. S. Harris (seal)

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FRANCES GILDER'S BOND. EXECUTRIX

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Frances Gilder, principal, & Martin L. Gilder, Sinot Gilder, James L. Gilder, William Costley, and Rebecca L. Gilder, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of the Court 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 3rd. day of July 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Frances Gilder, has been appointed executrix of the estate of Lennatt Gilder deceased: Now, if the said Frances Gilder 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) Frances Gilder (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) Martin L. Gilder, (seal)
Sinnot J. Gilder, (seal)
James L. Gilder, (seal)
William Costley (seal)
Rebecca L. Gilder (seal)

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DOROTHY DORSETT'S BOND. ADMINISTRATRIX.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Dorothy Dorsett, principal, and George Shealy & Willis Kellam, 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, for the penal sum of twenty one thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the ninth day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

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

Approved by me, November 9, 1850.) Dorothy Dorsette (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) George Shealy (seal)
Willis Kellam (seal)

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JAMES A. THOMPSON'S BOND, ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James A. Thompson, principal, & Walton W. Wallis & Henry Meadors, 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 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 24th day of February 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James A. Thompson, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Moses Robinson, deceased: Now, if the said James A. Thompson, 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 A. Thompson, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) W.W. Wallis (seal)
Henry Meadors (seal)
by W. W. Wallis,

AUGUSTUS M. PINCKARD'S BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Augustus M. Pinckard principal and Jesse B. Robinson and M. B. 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 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 7th day of March 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Augustus M. Pinckard has been appointed guardian of the estate of Pheraby J. 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 and ordered to be recorded.) Augustus M. Pinckard (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Jesse B. Robinson (seal)
M. B. Taylor (seal)

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JOSHUA J. & JOEL GRIFFITH'S BOND. EXECUTORS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Joshua J. Griffith & Joel Griffith principals, and Isaac E. Griffith, Silas Holtzclaw, & Wm. S. Harris & 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, for the penal sum of fifteen thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 16th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Joshua J. and Joel Griffith, executors of the estate of Joel Griffith, deceased. Now, if the said Joshua J. and Joel Griffith, 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.

Approved by me January 16th 1851.) Joshua J. Griffith (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Joel Griffith (seal)
Isaac E. Griffith (seal)
Silas Holtzclaw, (seal)
Wm. S. Harris, (seal)
John M. Smith (seal)

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MARY ANN H. BEALL'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Mary Ann H. Beall, principal & John R. Alford & C. G. Hudson, 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, for the penal sum of sixteen 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 20th day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Mary Ann H. Beall, has been appointed guardian of James T. K., John A., & Augustus R. Beall, infant children of A. R. Beall, deceased. Now if the said Mary Ann H. Beall, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardain, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 20th day of December, A.D. 1850.) Mary Ann H. Beall (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) John R. Alford (seal)
C. G. Hudson (seal)

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ELIZABETH BRANDLEY'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elizabeth Brandley, principal, & John J. Brandley & William Allen 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 fifteen hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, exedutors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 22d day of February 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elizabeth Brandley has been appointed guardian of the estate of Eugenia C. Brandley, minor heir of David L. Brandley deceased: Now, if the said Elizabeth Brandley 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.) Elizabeth Brandley (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John J. Brandley (seal)
Wm. Allen (seal)

JESSE B. TODD'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men,by the presents, that we, Jesse B. Todd, principal, John M. C. Todd, & Samuel L. Harris securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, Judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of six thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 15th day of December, one thousand eight hundred and forty six.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jesse B. Todd has been appointed administrator of the estate of William F. C. Todd, decd. & has been required to give a new bond, as such administrator. Now, if the said Jesse B. Todd, 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.

Signed, sealed & acknowledged before me,) Jesse B. Todd (seal)
& approved by me, Dec. 15, 1846.) J. M. C. Todd (seal)
C. C. Forbes, J.C.C.) Saml. L. Harris (seal)

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EVINGTON F. GRIFFIN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Evington F. Griffin, Uriah Dunn & A. W. Ferguson, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, Judge of the County & Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of four thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 10th day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty seven.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Evington F. Griffin has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Grady decd. Now, if the said Evington F. Griffin 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.

Approved November 16, 1847.) Evington F. Griffin (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Uriah Dunn (seal)
A. W. Ferguson (seal)

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BENJAMIN L. GOODMAN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Benjamin L. Goodman, Elliott H. Muse & John C. Robertson, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, Judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of four thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 23d day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty eight.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Benjamin L. Goodman, has been appointed administrator de bonis non, of the estate of John Grady, deceased. Now, if the said Benjamin L. Goodman 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.

Signed, sealed and delivered and approved) B. L. Goodman (seal)
by me this 23d. day of Sept. 1848.) E. H. Muse (seal)
C. C. Forbes, J.C.C.) John C. Robertson (seal)

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JSHAM F. DAY'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jsham F. Day, principal, and John Ratchford, Alfred W. Ferguson, & Willis Cox 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 February 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jsham F. Day has been appointed guardian of the estate of Sarah Day a lunatic. Now, if the said Jsham F. Day, 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 remian in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.) J. F. Day (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John Ratchford (seal)
A. W. Ferguson (seal)
Willis Cox (seal)

MICHAEL T. PITTS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Michael T. Pitts principal, and William Pitts and Nicholas Briskey 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 24th day of February 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Michael T. Pitts, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Joseph B. Pitts, minor heir of Asa Pitts, decd. Now, if the said Michael T. Pitts 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,) Michael T. Pitts, (seal)
Feby. 24, 1851.) Wm. Pitts (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Nicholas Briskey (seal)

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MARTHA HUNTER'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha Hunter, principal, & Young Q. Gresham and John Stillwell Secoutites, 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 3d. day of May 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Martha Hunter, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Lucius, John T., Alfred, Quincy, Judson, Augustus and Margaret Hunter, minor children of Alsea H. Hunter deceased. Now, if the said Martha Hunter, 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.) Martha Hunter (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Young Q. Gresham (seal)
John Stillwell (seal)

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THOMAS J. SMITH'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas J. Smith principal, and Joel W. Dodson, dna William H. 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 three 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 28th day of April 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Thomas J. Smith has been appointed administrator of the estate of Willian Ritchie deceased: Now, if the said Thomas J. Smith 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) Thomas J. Smith, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Joel W. Dodson, (seal)
Wm. H. Smith, (seal)

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WILLIAM H. OGBOURNE'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Know all men by these presents, that we William H. Ogbourne, principal, & Joseph D. Hopper and Lovick P. Butler, 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 23d day of April 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William H. Ogbourne has been appointed guardian, of the estate of George W. Walker, minor heir of John S. Walker, deceased: Now, if the said William H. Ogbourne 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.) Wm. H. Ogbourne (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Jos. D. Hopper (seal)
L. P. Butler (seal)

WILLIAM MARSH'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Marsh, principal, & Augustus H. Finley & James H. Hines, 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 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 5th day of April 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William Marsh, has been appointed guardian, of the estate of Martha Jane Holt, infant daughter of William Holt deceased: Now, if the said William Marsh, 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 Marsh (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) A. H. Finley (seal)
James H. Hines, (seal)

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CHARLES MCLEMORE'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Charles McLemore, principal, and Elisha Ford and John T. Sheppard, 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 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 fifth day of April 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Charles McLemore has been appointed administrator of the estate of Ethen Stroud deceased: Now, if the said Charles McLemore 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.) Charles McLemore (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Elisha Ford (seal)
John T. Sheppard (seal)

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B. J. RUSHTON'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we B. J. Rushton principal, and Cicero D. Hudson 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 three 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 May 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound B. J. Rushton, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Colombus D. Reeves, minor heir of George W. Reeves deceased: Now, if the said B. J. Rushton shall well and truly perform all the tuties 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.) B. J. Rushton (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Cicero D. Hudson (seal)

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JENNETT CAMPBELL'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jennett Campbell, principal, and John A. Campbell, and Michael Dickson, secrutites, 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 12th day of May 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Jennet Campbell, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Malcom M., Jennett, Catherine Ann, Calvin L., Sarah E., Eliza, and Susan E. Campbell, minor heirs of Danl. D. Campbell, deceased: Now, if the said Jennett Campbell, 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 forde.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded) Jennet Campbell (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) John B. Campbell (seal)
Michael Dickson, (seal)

MARCUS MOORE'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Marcus Moore, principal, Martha Ann Jones, Charles McLemore, Wm. H. Smith, and James S. Mitchell, 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 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 seventh day of July 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Marcus Moore, has been appointed administrator, cum testamento annexo, of the estate of Handy Jones decd: Now, if the said Marcus Moore 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.) Marcus Moore (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Martha Ann Jones (seal)
Charles McLemore (seal)
Wm. H. Smith (seal)
J. S. Mitchell, (seal)

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FREDERICK S. BOWLING'S BOND, GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Frederick S. Bowling, principal, and J. S. Mitchell, & Jarrett Bowling, securitits, 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 first day of July 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Frederick S. Bowling, has been appointed guardian of the estate and person of Larkin S. Bowling, minor heir of Smith Bowling deceased. Now, if the said Frederick S. Bowling, 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.) F. S. Bowling (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) J. S. Mitchell (seal)
Jarret Bowling (seal)

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WILLIAM DAVIS' BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William Davis principal, and Abner Still and Elisha Ford, 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 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 2d day of July 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Davis, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Isham F. Day, decd. Now, if the said William Davis 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.) Wm. Davis (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Elisha Ford (seal)
Abner Still (seal)

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WILLIAM H. OGBOURNE'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William H. Ogbourn, Joseph D. Hooper, Lovick P. Butler and James B. Bailey 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, for the penal sum of five 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 3d day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound William H. Ogbourn, has been appointed guardian of Sanders F. Walker, son of John S. Walker decd. Now, if the said William H. Ogbourn, 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; else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 6th day of September, A.D, 1850.) Wm. H. Ogbourn (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Jos. D. Hopper (seal)
L. P. Butler (seal)
Jas. B. Bailey (seal)

EVAN G. RICHARDS' BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Evan G. Richards, principal, and Wm. J. Adams & Joseph Pitts 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, for the penal sum of three hundred dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 7th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Evan G. Richards, has been appointed, administrator of the estate of Samuel H. Swinney 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.

Approved by me, February 7, 1851.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Evan G. Richards (seal)
W. J. Adams (seal)
Joseph Pitts (seal)

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BRITTON STAMPS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Britton Stamps, principal, and William B. S. Gilmore, J. M. Norwood & J. S. Mitchell, 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, for the penal sum of twenty five 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 23d. day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Britton Stamps, has been appointed guardian of James R., William P., Martha C., Benjamin F., Lindsey C., and Henry J. Spratling, infant children of Johnson Spratling, deceased. Now, if the said Britton Stamps 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 23d December A.D. 1850.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Britton Stamps (seal)
Wm. B. S. Gilmer (seal)
J. M. Norwood (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)

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A. W. FERGUSON'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Alfred W. Ferguson, principal, and William L. Crayton and John A. Frazer 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, for the penal sum of two thousand five hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 2d day of January A.D. 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Alfred W. Ferguson, has been appointed guardian of William W., Henry J., Madison M., and Alfred F. Dukes, infant children of Henry Dukes, deceased. Now if the said Alfred W. Ferguson 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 2d day of January, A.D. 1851.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

A. W. Ferguson (seal)
Wm. L. Crayton (seal)
J. A. Frazer (seal)

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WALTON W. WALLIS' BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Walton W. Wallis principal, and E. G. Richards and Lee L. James 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, for the penal sum of one thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 31st. day of December A.D. 1850.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Walton W. Wallis, has been appointed administrator of the estate of John C. Todd deceased. Now, if the said Walton W. Wallis, 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.

Approv[illegible] December 31, 1850.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

W. W. Wallis (seal)
E. G. Richards (seal)
Lee L. James (seal)

PEYTON J. PINCKARD'S BOND, GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Peyton J. Pinckard, principal, & Augustus M. Pinckard and George S. Turner 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, for the penal sum of four 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 2d day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Peyton J. Pinckard, has been appointed guardian of James R. Pinckard, son of Peyton Pinckard, deceased. Now, if the said Peyton J. 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 2d December, A.D. 1850.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Peyton J. Pinckard, (seal)
Augustus M. Pinckard (seal)
George S. Turner (seal)

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MARTHA E. PINCKARD'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha E. Pinckard principal, & Samuel Jeter and A. W. Ferguson, 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, for the penal sum of twenty 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 4th day of November, A.D. 1850.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Martha E. Pinckard, has been appointed guardian of Frances A., Emory F., Mary E., Peyton M., and Lucy E. Pinckard, infant children of Peyton Pinckard, deceased. Now, if the said Martha E. Pinckard, 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.

Acknowledged in open court & approved)
this 4th Novr. 1850.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)
Ordered of Record, Novr. 4, 1850.
S. Pearson Judge of Probate.

Martha E. Pinckard (seal)
Samuel Jeter (seal)
A. W. Ferguson (seal)

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JAMES CADENHEAD'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, James Cadenhead, principal, & William Cadenhead, and Homer T. Crowder, securities, of the County & State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of three thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 12th day of November, A.D. 1850.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James Cadenhead, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Isaac N. Cadenhead, deceased. Now, if the said James Cadenhead 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.

Acknowledged in open court & approved)
by me, Novr. 12, 1850.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Jas. Cadenhead (seal)
Wm. Cadenhead (seal)
Homer T. Crowder (seal)

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LORENZO & STANMORE HOLSTEIN'S BOND. EXECUTORS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Lorenzo Holstein and Stanmore Holstein principals, and M. A. J. Carlisle, Wm. S. Harris, and Jesse Moseley, 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, for the penal sum of twenty thousand dollars; for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 20th day of January, A.D. 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Lorenzo Holstein, and Stanmore Holstein, has been appointed executors of the estate of Wm. Holstein Jr., deceased. Now, if the said Lorenzo & Stanmore Holstein 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.

Approved by me, January 20, 1851.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Lorenzo Holstein (seal)
Stanmore Holstein (seal)
M. A. J. Carlisle (seal)
Wm. S. Harris (seal)
Jesse Moseley (seal)

Z. M. HUTCHEN'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Z. M Hutchens, principal, and David Hutchens and Jordan Sanders, 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 December 1850.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Z. M. Hutchens, has been appointed guardian of Mary Brooks, infant daughter of John Brooks, late of Troup County, Georgia, deceased. Now, if the said Z. M Hutchens 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.) Z. M Hutchens (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) David Hutchens (seal)
Jordan Sanders (seal)

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JAMES P. BARKER'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James P. Barker, principal, and Early W. Barker & J. J. Devaughan, 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, for the penal sum of fifteen hundred dollars; for the payment of which well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 7th day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James P. Barker, has been appointed guardian of Margaret A. Barker, infant daughter of Jesse Barker decd.: Now, if the said James P. Barker 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, Decr. 7, 1850.) James P. Barker, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) E. W. Barker, (seal)
J. J. Devaughan. (seal)

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MATILDA LINDSEY'S BOND. ADMINISTRATRIX.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Matilda Lindsey, John Walker and Daniel Frazer 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, for the penal sum of five thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 21st day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Matilda Lindsey, has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Jesse P. Lindsey, deceased. Now, if the said Matilda Lindsey 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.

Approved by me December 21, 1850.) her
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Matilda X Lindsey (seal)
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John Walker (seal)
Daniel Frazer (seal)

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EVAN G. RICHARDS' BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Evan G. Richards, principal, and William W. Palmer, and W. J. Adams, 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, for the penal sum of seven thousand five hundred 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, adn dated the 8th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty one.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Evan G. Richards, has been appointed guardian of Francis M., Jasper, Newton, Caroline P., Comodore P., Martha A., Sattira, and Josephine Saith, infant children of William C. Smith, 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, else to remain in full force.

Approved, this 8th January A.D. 1851.) Evan G. Richards (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) William W. Palmer (seal)
W. J. Adams (seal)

JAMES W. RICHARDS' BOND. EXECUTOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS BOUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, James W. Richards, principal, and Felix Gresham, and Benjamin Blassengame, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of one thousand six hundred dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 12th day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James W. Richards, has been appointed executor of the estate of William Richards deceased. Now, if the said James W. Richards, 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.

Acknowledged in open court Novr. 12th 1850. Jas. W. Richards (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Felix Gresham (seal)
B. Blassengame, (seal)

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B. B. & THOS. J. AVARY'S BOND. EXECUTORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Benjamin B. Avery, and Thomas J. Avery, principals, and Samuel Newman and John Garrett, 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, for the penal sum of fourteen thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 4th day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound Benjamin B. Avery & Thomas J. Avery, has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Thomas Avery deceased. Now, if the said Benjamin B. & Thomas J. Avery, 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.

Acknowledged, in open court,) B. B. Avery (seal)
& approved by me, Novr. 4th 1850.) T. J. Avery (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Samuel Newman (seal)
John Garrett (seal)

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THOMAS AVERY'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen. I Thomas Avery of the County of Chambers and the State of Alabama, being of perfect mind and memory, in all respects, do this the sixteenth day of August, one thousand eighteen hundred and fifty, make and publish this my last will and testament, in the following manner; that is to say, in the first place, I desire that all my debts be discharged. (provided I leave any unsettled) Secondly. I desire that all my estate to remain together as it now stand during the natural life of my beloved wife Lucinda Avery for her support and comfort, and my executors hereafter named and appointed will take the charge & control of my said wife comfortable and easy, also my sister in law Sarah Avery to remain on my said plantation, with my said wife Lucinda Avery, provided she wishes to do so.

Thirdly: I give and bequeath unto my daughter Anna French, one negro woamn named Tempa, and all of her children, which are now in her possession, for her entire portion of my estate.

Fourthly: I give and bequeath unto my daughter Martha Poor, one negro woman named Mary, and her child which are already in her possession.

Fifthly. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Emily Chambers, one negro woman named Maria, and her child, which are now in her possession.

Sixthly. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Sarah Grandberry, one negro girl named Charity which is now in her possession, and desire my son B. B. Avery to make her good titles to the same girl.

Seventhly. I give and bequeath unto my son Thos. J. Avery, to take possession after the death of wife Lucinda Avery, quarter section land, one hundred and sixty acres, more or less, it being part of the last half of section seven (7). 20, 28 it being the land I bought of George W. Avery.

Eighthly. I give and bequeath unto my son George W. Avery, three Hundred dollars, to be paid in cash, as soon my executors can do so, after the death of my wife Lucinda Avery.

Ninthly, I give and bequeath unto my son Josiah Avery, three hundred dollars, to be paid in cash, as soon as my executors can do so, after the death of my wife Lucinda Avery.

Tenthly. I give and bequeath unto my son, william Avery, the use of the land he now lives on, in Anderson District So. Ca. not subjest to his indebtedness, but under the control of my executors hereafter appointed, they being at liberty to sell the said land for the purpose of purchasing him another home, as in their judgement they may think best.

Eleventhly. After the above named amount of property and money be delivered according to My desire, among the above named children, which I desire to be done by my executors, as punctual after the death of my wife as the circumstances of my estate will admit.

Twelfthly. After the above named children has received what I have given and bequeathed unto them, as stated above, then, the remaining portion, to be divided equally among my eleven children herein stated (to wit) John Avery, William Avery, B. B. Avery, Elias M. Avery, Martha Poor, T. D. Avery, Geo. W. Avery, Thos. J. Avery, Josiah Avery, Emily Chambers, and Sarah Grandberry.

Thirteenthly. I desire the portion I have given and bequeathed unto my son William Avery, according to the twelfth article, the principal to remain in the hands of my executors, hereafter appointed, and they be required to pay over to

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him the interest annually, and at his death, the principal to be equally divided among his children.

Fourteenthly. I hereby ordain and appoint my sons Benj. B. Avery & Thos. J. Avery, my lawful executors, and empower them to manage my entire estate during the natural life of wife Lucinda Avery, as they bes think.

Given under my hand & seal, day and date above written in the presence of

Samuel Newman)
John Floyd)
Joseph H. Callaway.)

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Thomas X Avery (seal)
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HARDY JONES' WILL

In the Name of God, Amen.

I Hardy Jones of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being infirm of body, but of sound mind, do make this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all other by me at any time made.

In the first place, I bequeath my soul to God, who gave it me,and my body to the earth, to be buried by my friends, in a decent and Christian like manner.

Item 2d. To my beloved wife Martha Ann, I give and bequeath, the use of my plantation in Chambers County, and all other property whatsoever & wheresoever, of any & ever descritpion, during her life time or widowhood, to be used for her use, & the use of the following named children, if she dies or marries I wishes to go to the following named children. I want Sebern Franklin, to have a years schooling, the balance to be equally appropriated to the use of Lizer Ann Jones, Angeline Jones, James Oliver, & Marcus & George Woshing & until the youngest liveth or does not marry, until the youngest is sixteen years old, then the foregoing is accomplished, I wish all the estate to be equally divided among all of my legatees.

In testimony whereof, I the said Hardy Jones have set my hand and seal, this 25th day of March, A.D. 1851.

William M. Grimet,)
Luke Robinson,)
Perry Lassetter.)

Hardy Jones (seal)

Signed, seal, declared and published, by the said testator before us, as his last will and testament, who signed the same as witness hereunto in his presence, and at his request.
March 25, 1851.

Perry Lassetter J.P.

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WILLIAM RICHARDS' WILL

GEORGIA,)
PUTNAM COUNTY)

I, William Richards of the County and State aforesaid, being in good health and fo sound and disposing mind and memorty, and be ng desirous to suite my worldly affairs whilst I have strength and capacity so to do, do make and publish, this my last will and testament, and first and principally of all, I commit my would into the hands of my creator who gave it, and my soul into the earth to be interred at the discretion of my executors, hereinafter named, as to such, worldly estate wherewith it has pleased God to intrust me, I dispose of the same as follows:

First: I give and bequeath unto my beloved wife Charity Richards, four negroes, namely Jack and Phillis, old Bob, and Nan, and all the lands whereon, I now live, with the plantation tools, the mills excepted. I also give her so much of my stock, of every kind and household and kitchen furniture; as she may think she will need during her natural life, and after her death to be equally divided among my legatees.

2d. I give and bequeath unto my son Thomas P. Richards, three negroes namely, Mary, Dick and Peter, together with all that I have given him heretofore.

3d. I give and bequeath unto my daugh er, Jane, Jackson, three negroes, namely Lily, Wiomy, and Charlotte, together with all that I have given her heretofore.

4th. I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Anna Carrol, three negroes, namely Isham, Abel, and Zabod, together with all that I have given her heretofore.

5th. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Penny Benson, three negroes, namely Lilly, Bird, and Rachel, to be kept together, by my executors, for the use of herself and children, during her natural life, and to be equally divided between her three children Patsy, Betsy and James Benson, so as to prevent the said negroes from being sold from them, and the proceeds wasted by Mathias Benson, her husband, together with her distributive share of money that she may be entitled to out of the balance of my estate, that may be sold and this part of her legacy to be managed in the same way, as the negroes, by my executors for her and her children's use.

6th. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Barbary Weaver three negroes namely, Clara, Abner, & Esran, together with all that I have given her heretofore.

7th. I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Susannah Jackson, three negroes, Olive, Roger and young Bob, with Oliver two small children Mary and Dicy, and if the said Susannah Jackson, should die without issue, the said Olive, Rober, Mary and Dicy to go to the children of Jane Jackson, at the death, of the said Susannah Jackson.

8th. I give and bequeath unto my daughter, Elizabeth Watson, three negroes, namely Eliza, Wesly, & Chloe, with all that I have given her heretofore.

9th. I give and bequeath unto my son, James M. Richards, three negroes, namely Jacob, Sarah And Thamer, with seven hundred dollars in cash, to buy him a tract of land, one feather bed & furniture.

10th. The balance of my estate, lands, stock &c., not herein willed, to be sold, and the money arising from the same, to be equally divided amongst my legatees.

11th. I appoint my son Thomas J. Richards, Reuben Watson, and James M. Richards, my executors to this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills and testaments &c.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 9th day of October, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty four.

Test:)
Wm. Mason)
Rowell Reese)
Jason Grier)

William Richards (seal)

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The within will and testament was proven before us this 16th day of December 1826, by the testimony of Jason Grier and Rowell Reese,

Josiah Flournoy, J.J.C.
Wald Hill, J.J.C.

GEORGIA)
PUTNAM COUNTY)

The within will was duly approve or in open court, and ordered by this Court to be recorded this 18th December 1826.

Thos. B. Rees, clk. C.C.

GEORGIA)
PUTNAM COUNTY)

I, William B. Carter, clerk of the Court of Ordinary of said County, certify, that the foregoing is a true copy of the will of William Richards decd., and of the proof thereof from the Record.

Given from under my hand and seal of office, this 16th October 1850.

William B. Carter, clk. C.C.

STATE OF GEORGIA)
COUNTY OF PUTNAM)

I, James Nicholson, one of the Justices of the Inferior Court of said County, hereby certify, that William B. Carter, whose name appears to the foregoing certificate is clerk of the Court of Ordinary of said County, and that all his official acts as such Clerk, are entitled to full faith and confidence, and that ehe same is in due form.

Given from under my hand and official signature, this 16th day of October 1850.

James Nicholson, J.J.C.

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CHARLES SMITH'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, amen.

I Charles Smith of said County, being of sound and disposing mind and memory, but being feeble in body, do make, ordain and constitute, this my last will & testament, hereby revoking all former wills, heretofore made by me.

Item 1st. It is my will & desire that my body be buried in a decent & Christianlike manner.

Item 2nd. As to my worldly affairs, wherewith it has pleased God to bless me I dispose of in the following manner that is to say-

Item 3rd. I desire that all my just debts be paid as soon after my decease, as can be done with convenience.

Item 3rd. It is my will and desire, that all my property both real & personal of every discription together with the increase, thereof for the use & support of my beloved wife, Narcissa E. Smith, & her children lawfully begotten by me untill the youngest child becomes of age or marries & when my youngest child then in life shall marry or arrive at the age of twenty one years, then it is my will that all my property, both real & personal, together with the increase thereof be equally divided between my said wife Narcissa E. Smith, and all my children lawfully begotten by me of her body. And it is further my wil and desire that such division be made by then dininterested and proper persons chosen and selected by my executors hereinafter named, or then successors in office.

Item 4th. If my wife Narcissa E. shall marry after my death, it is my will & desire in that event that my said executors be directed & specially requested to superentand and see that no portion of my estate be misapplied or wasted by her future husband, or be applied to any other use or purpose than the proper use and support of my said wife & children lawfully begotten by me.

Item 5th. It is my will and desire & request that after this my last will & testament shall have been proven & recorded, and an appraisement of my estate had and the same Recorded then for no further legal proceedings so be had in retation thereof unless it shall become necessary for the safety & preservation of the same from waste or mismanagement untill a final distribution, or division take place.

Item 6th. I do hereby nominate and appoint and constitute my beloved wife Narcissa E. Smith my executrix and my friend Thadeus Johnson & William Smith my executors to this my last will and testament trusting that they may carry out the same, according to the true meaning and intention thereof.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand affixed my seal this 21th day of January A.D. 1850.

Signed & sealed in presence of) Charles Smith (seal)
William H. Gross)
Benjamin F. McPherson)
Thomas M. Harris)
B. F. Harris)

SUPPLIMENTS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I Charles Smith of the County and State above written being yet of a sound and disposing mind & memory but still feeble in body having full confidence in the integrity ability & faith of my beloved wife Narcissa E. Smith, whom I have appointed my executrix and my friend Thadeus Johnson and William Smith my executors to this my last will and testament, do hereby exonerate them from giving security for their faithful execution of the provisions of this my will.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and fixed my seal, this 4th day of October A.D. 1850.

William H. Gross)
Benjamin F. McPherson)
Thomas M. Harris)
B. F. Harris)

Charles Smith (seal)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before me Samuel Pearson judge of Probate for the County & State aforesaid William M. Gross, Benjamin F. Harris and Benjamin F. McPherson, then of the subscribing witnesses to the aboe and foregoing will and Codicil thereto of Charles Smith, late of said County and State decd. and being each duly sworn, deposeth & saith, on oath that they saw Charles Smith, whose name appears to the above will & Codicil sign seal & deliver, the same as and for his last will, & testament & Codicil thereto, and that they each believed him to be of sound & disposing mind & memory at the time of signing the same. And that they each signed the same in the presence of the said Charles Smith, and at his request as subscribing witnesses, and that they also saw Thomas M. Harris, the other subscribing witness sign the same in the presence, & at the request of the said Charles Smith and that they all signed the same in the presents of each other.

Sworn to and subscribed before me November) B. F. Harris
23rd 1850.) B. F. McPherson
Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate.) Wm. H. Gross

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WILLIAM HOLSTIEN WILL

In the name of God amen.

I, William Holstien, of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama. Being feeble in body, but sound in mind and memory and being sensible of my mortality, and desirous to dispose of such worldly estate as Almighty God has seen proper to interest me with while in life, do make and publish this as my last will & testament, in words & figures following.

Item the 1st. I give and devise to my beloved wife Mary Ann Holstien one third part of my land said third part to be laid off, to her so as to include the dwelling house in which I now live, to have and to hold the same for and during her natural life, and at her death, for the same to be sold & the proceeds to be equally divided between my children herein after named that may be then living or to the descendants of them.

Item the Second. It is my will & desire that my executors herein after named so soon as it may be practable, after my death, sell to the highest bidder all of my personal property including negroes, on a credit of not less than nine months, also the balance of my real estate to be sold by my executors at such time as they may think best for the interest of my children. And after such sale and the payment of all my just debts then to pay to my beloved wife Mary Ann Holstien, the one fifth part of all of my personal estate, to be equally divided by my executors, between the following named children to Wit, Lucinda Holstien Elizabeth Holstien Martha C. Holstien, & Georgeann Holstien & as my beloved wife is now pregnant if she should be delivered of a child or children born alive to share equally of my estate with those above named.

Item the third. I hereby constitute, and appoint my brothers Lorenzo Holstien & Stanmore Holstien my executors to carry into effect this my last will and testament hereby giving them full power to convey to the purchaser or purchasers any portion of my real estate.

Item the Fourth. I hereby appoint my said brothers, Lorenzo Holstein & Stanmore Holstien guardians for my said children, to manage & control their estate as such manner as they the said guardians may think best for said children the said guardians first giving bond and security to the proper Court for the faithful discharge of their duties as guardians.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my name this 22nd day of November 1850.

William Holstien

Signed in our presence, & we requested to witness the same, by the said William Holstien, as and for his last will & testament this the 22nd day of November 1850.

Charles J. Heard)
John J. Heard)
Brice Prathro)

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NEALY McCOY'S WILL

I, Nealy McCoy Senr. of Chambers County and State of Alabama do hereby make declare and publish the following writing to be my last will and testament.

After the payment of all my just debts, I dispose of my estate both real and personal in the following manner, to wit, I give and bequeath unto my son Bailey G. McCoy the following named negroes to wit, April a man about twenty years old, Bill a boy about eighteen years old, Charles about four years old, Henrietta a girl about two years old and Hannah woman about forty years old upon specail trust that he the said Bailey G. McCoy as trustee of my daughter Mary F. George (the wife of William George) shall permit my said daughter to possess use and enjoy said negro property above named to her own sole and proper use as a separate estate for and during her natural life free from the use and control of my other person or persons whomsoever except said trustee and after the death of my said daughter (should she have no issue then & in that case) I give and bequeath the before mentioned negroes slaves with all their increase to such issue of my said daughter share and share alike forever, but should my said daughter Mary F. George depart this life leaving no issue or descendants of issue then and in that case it is my will and desire that each and every one of the negroes slaves hereinbefore mentioned together with their increase shall return and become a part of my estate and pass by and under the residuary clause of this my will, hereinafter contained.

And I further give and bequeath unto my said son Bailey G. McCoy in trust as hereinafter specified all that tract or piece of land called my small farm near the Town of Lafayette, know as the North half of Section twenty two (22) township twenty two (22) and range twenty six (26) in the District of land subject to sale at Montgomery to hold in special trust for the sole and separate use and occupation and benefit of my said daughter Mary F. George for and during her natural life and after her death I give and bequeath the aforesaid tract or piece of land to such child or children as she shall leave at her death for ever ahare and share alike. But should my said daughter depart this life leaving no issue or descendants of issue it is my will and desire that the said tract or piece of land shall remain and be a part of my estate and pass by the residuary clause of this my will.

Having made such provision for my said daughter so I concieve my estate will warrant, I the said Nealy McCoy Senr. now proceed to dispose of the remaining part of my estate of every description whatsoever.

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It is my will and desire that all and every part of my estate, both real and personal, of every description whatsoever not disposed of by the foregoing clause of this my will, be equally divided share and share alike between my four sons Bailey G. McCoy, Henry McCoy, Nealy McCoy Jur. and Edmund McCoy to be divided in that way which my said four sons shall think proper, by sale or otherwise. Having by the foregoing clauses of this my will disposed of all my estate of every description in that way which I wish it to go after my death. I now proceed to make appoint and ordain my two eadest sons Bailey G. McCoy and Henry McCoy the executors of this my last will and testament and request them to see that my wishes as herein expressed be fully carried out.

In testimony whereof I the said Nealy McCoy Senr. to this my will written on this one sheet of paper set my hand and affix my seal this the 18th day of December in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty six.

Nealy McCoy (seal)

The above was this day signed, sealed and published by the said Nealy McCoy Senr. as his last will and testament in the presence of us who subscribed the same as witnesses thereto in the presence of the said Nealy McCoy Senr. and in the presents of each other this the 18th day of December 1846.

John C. Smith
Leroy Driver
B. L. Goodman

The within will probated upon the oath of B. L. Goodman & John C. Smith two of the subscribing witnesses & ordered to be recorded as & for the last will & testament of Nealy McCoy Senr. decd.

Samuel Pearson
Judge of Probate. C.C.

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ED. CROFT BOND ADMR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presence that we Edward Croft, John T. Sheppard & James R. Phillips 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 & administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals,and dated this ninteenth day of September A.D. 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Edward Croft has been appointed administrator of the estate of John C. Reese deceased: Now if the said Edward Croft 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) Edward Croft (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Jonn T. Sheppard (seal)
James R. Phillips (seal)

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BENJAMINE BUCKALEW DECD.

WILLIAM H. SMITH'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we William H. Smith principal & Bird Smith & John M. Smith securities 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 three 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 Sept. 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William H. Smith has been appointed administrator of the estate of Benjamine Buckalew deceased.

Now if the said William H. Smith shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of such administrator then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken approved and ordered to be recorded) Wm. H. Smith (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Bird Smith (seal)
John M. Smith (seal)

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JOHN GARRETT'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John Garrett principal & B. B. Avery & Samuel Newman 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, 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 and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the 4th day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Garrett has been appointed executor of the last Muncupative will of Bailey C. Newman decd.

Now if the said John Garrett 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.

Acknowledged in open court & approved) John Garrett (seal)
Nov. 4th 1850) B. B. Avery (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Samuel Newman (seal)

WILLIAM H. SMITH'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, William H. Smith principal & Bird Smith & 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 fifteen 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 seald, and dated this 8th day of September 1851. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William H. Smith has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Grady deceased: Now if the said William H. Smith 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) Wm. H. Smith (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Bird Smith (seal)
John M. Smith (seal)

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FRANCIS GILDER'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Francis Gilder principal, Edwin H. Kinabrew Allen L. Bailey of the county & State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Clement C. Forbes, Judge of the County and Orphan's Court for said County and his successors in office, for the penal sum of twenty thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seald and dated the 1st day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty seven.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Francis Gilder has been appointed executrix of the estate of Sinot Gilder deceased. Now if the said Francis Gilder 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.

Signed sealed & approved by me this 1st day) Francis Gilder (seal)
of September A.D. 1847.) E. H. Kinebrew (seal)
C. C. Forbes J.C.C.) Allen L. Bailey (seal)

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MICHAEL G. BAKER BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Michael G. Baker principal & Michael Baker and John Garrettsecurities 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 8th day of September 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Michael G. Baker has been appointed administrator of the estate of Bailey C. Newman deceased. Now, if the said Michael G. Baker 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) Michael G. Baker (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Michael Baker (seal)
John Garrett (seal)

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ELIZABETH INGRAM'S WILL

In the name of God amen, I Elizabeth Ingram of the County of Chambers & State of Alabama being of perfect mind memorty & recollection donsidering the mortality of my body, do ordain this my last will and testament, and as touching the worldly goods wherewith it has pleased God to bless me, I do will & bequeath in the following manner.

1st. For the love and affection that I bear towards my grand son Edwin Ingram, I do will & bequeath unto him & the heirs of his body forever, one negro boy by the name of Lewis about ten years old, one bed & furniture, two cows (viz) one black cow & one white heifer & one wood block.

2nd. To my grand son James N. Ingram, one bed and furniture & one dun cow & the remaining part of my property to be sold & that the amount that it brings be equally divided amongst my lawful heirs not named in this my will.

3rd & lastly I nominate & appoint, my friends, J. Calvin Ingram & Joseph W. Hill, to be my sole executors, to this my last will & testament. In witness whereof I have set my hand & affixed my seal, this the 3rd day of January in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and firty.

Signed in the presence.Of) her
William Clark) Elizabeth X Ingram
Isham E. Ingram) mark
James C. Ingram

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Probated upon the oath of two of the subscribing witnesses & ordered to be Recorded as & for the last will & testament Elizabeth Ingram decd.

S. Pearson, Judge of Probate

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared before me Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for said County, Isham E. Ingram and James C. Ingram and being duly sworn deposeth, each and say that they saw Elizabeth Ingram, sign, and seal the within instrument by making her mark thereto, on the day of its date as and for her last will & testament and that they believed the said Elizabeth to be sound & disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, and they each signed the same in the presence and at the request of the said Elizabeth as subscribing witnesses and that they saw William Clark the other subscribing witness sign the same in the presence and at the request of the said Elizabeth Ingram and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscried befor me October) Jas. C. Ingram
17th 1851.) Isham E. Ingram
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate)

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JAMES C. INGRAM'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James C. Ingram principal, & Wm. Ingram & James Hill 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 eight hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made, 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 October 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James C. Ingram has been appointed executor of the estate of Elizabeth Ingram deceased: Now if the said James C. Ingram 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) James C. Ingram (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. Ingram (seal)
James Hill (seal)

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JOHN T. SHEPPARD'S BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John T. Sheppard principal & William Davis & J. A. Frazier 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 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 October 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John T. Sheppard has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary E. Samuel and James E. Corpew, minor heirs of Wilson Corpew deceased: Now if the said John T. Sheppard shall well & truly perfron 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)
Samuel Pearson,Judge of Probate) Wm. Davis (seal)
J. A. Frazer (seal)

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WILLIAM H. KIMBLE'S BOND ADMINISTRATOR &c.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William H. Kimble, John J. Hussey, William B. Butler, Hardy Jone, Elisha Ford & William Fannin of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Evan G. Richards Judge of the County and Orphans' Court for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of ten thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated the 25d day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty three.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William H. Kimble has been appointed administrator de bonis non eith the will annexed of the estate of James Farley late of Chambers County Alabama, deceased, Now, if the said William H. Kimble 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.

Approved this 16th November) Wm. H. Kimble (L.S.)
Evan G. Richards) Jno. J. Hussey (L.S.)
Wm. B. Butler (L.S.)
Hardy Jones (L.S.)
Elisha Ford (L.S.)
William Fannin (L.S.)

WILLIAM TERRY'S BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, William Terry principal & Daniel N. Holliday & 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 thwich 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 seald and dated this first day of November 1851.

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

Taken approved and ordered to be recorded) William Terry (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) D. N. Holliday (seal)
Charles McLemore (seal)

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HORACE MCLEAN'S BOND, ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Horace McLean, James Lawrence & Jas. R. Phillips 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 sixty 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 thirty first day of October 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Horace McLean has been appointed administrator of the estate of Matilda P. McLean deceased: Now if the said Horace McLean 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) Horace McLean (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) James Lawrence (seal)
J. R. Phillips (seal)

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JAMES EMBRY'S BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James Embry principal and Barnett Jeter & Ebenezer A. Dozier 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 dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 3d day of November 1851. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James Embry has been appointed guardian of the estate of Martha M. & Thomas Embry minor heirs of Joseph Embry deceased; Now if the said James Embry 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) James Embry (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Barnett Jeter (seal)
E. A. Dozier (seal)

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EVAN G. RICHARDS' GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Evan G. Richards principal and J. A. Frazer, Wm. M. Trammell & A. M. Presley 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 17th day of February 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that where s the above bound Evan G. Richards has been appointed guardian of the estate of James A. Todd, Henry F. Todd & Elizabeth A. Todd minor heirs of Elizabeth Todd 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 and ordered to be recorded) Evan G. Richards (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) J. A. Frazer (seal)
Wm. M. Trammell (seal)
A. M Presley (seal)

EVAN G. RICHARDS' ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Evan G. Richards, principal and Wm. F. Meador W. J. Adams 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 eight 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 February 1852.

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 Todd 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 and ordered to be recorded.) Evan G. Richards (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. F. Meador (seal)
W. J. Adams (seal)

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WILLIAM D. HARRINGTON GUARDN. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William D. Harrington principal & Jeptha Harrington W. H. McWhorter & Leroy W. Moore & Milton M. Marcus 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, executorsk and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 16th day of February 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William D. Harrington has been appointed guardian of the estate of Thomas M. Brown minor heir of Thomas C. Brown deceased: Now, if the said Willian D. Harfington 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) W. D. Harrington (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Jeptha Harrington (seal)
W. H. WcWhorter (seal)
Leroy W. Moore (seal)
Milton M. Marcus (seal)

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ASA W. ROUNDTREE GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Asa W. Roundtree principal & Wesley M. Garrett & Mark A. Johnson 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 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 10th day of December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Asa W. Roundtree has been appointed guardian of the estate of Ann E. Carmichael minor heir of Josiah E. Carmichael deceased: Now if the said Asa W. Roundtree 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.) Asa W. Roundtree (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wesley M. Garrett (seal)
Mark A. Johnson (seal)

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GEORGE E. HODGE AMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George E. Hodge principal & Elizabeth Osborn & William Grimmett 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 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 13th day of January 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George E. Hodge has been appointed administrator of the estate of Rolin Osborn deceased: Now if the said George E. Hodge 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) George E. Hodge (seal)
Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) her
Elizabeth X Osborne (seal)
mark
his
Wm. M. X Grimmett (seal)
mark

WILLIAM SMITH & NANCY L. ALLEN ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Smith & Nancey L. Allen principal & James Rutland, Robert A. McKee 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 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 24th day of November 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Smith & Nancy L. Allen have been appointed administrator and administratrix of the estate of James P. Allen deceased. Now if the said William Smith & Nancy L. Allen 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) William Smith (seal)
Novr. 24th 1851.) Nancy L. Allen (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) James Rutland (seal)
Robt. A. McKee (seal)

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ANN WILKERSON GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Ann Wilkerson principal & W. L. Wilkerson and Cyrus Billingslea 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 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 2nd day of January 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Ann Wilkerson has been appointed guardian of the estate of James F. Martha Ann, Thomas D. Lucy J. Lourina L., Sarah M., and Caladonia Wilkerson minor heirs of Henry Wilkerson deceased: Now if the said Ann Wilkerson 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) Ann Wilkerson (seal)
January 2nd 1852.) W. S. Wilkerson (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Cyrus Billingslea (seal)

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EARLY W. BARKER GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Early W. Barker principal and James P. Barker and Elizabeth Miller 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 2nd day of February 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Early W. Barker has been appointed guardian of the estate of Artimesia Josephine and Napoline R. Miller minor heirs of Wm. R. Miller deceased. Now if the said Early W. Barker 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) E. W. Barker (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) James P. Barker (seal)
Elizabeth Miller (seal)

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JAMES P. BARKER GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James P. Barker principal & Samuel De Vaughen and Early W. Barker 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 eighteen 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 28th day of January 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James P. Barker has been appointed guardian of the estate of Margarett Barker minor & heir of Jesse Barker decd. deceased: Now if the said James P. Barker 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) James P. Barker (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Samuel Devaughen (seal)
Early W. Barker (seal)

PITMAN M. LUMPKIN GUARDINA'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Pitman M. Lumpkin principal & J. M. Norwood & William Russell 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 six thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done we bind ourselves, our heris, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 2nd day of February 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Pitman M. Lumpkin has been appointed guardian of the estate of John M. Vernon Ebenezer R. Vernon & Mary A. Vernon minor heirs of E. B. Vernon deceased: Now, if the said Pitman M. Lumpkin 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) Pitman M. Lumpkin (seal)
February 2nd 1852) J. M. Norwood (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm Russell (seal)

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MARCUS MOORE GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Marcus Moore principal and Martha A. Jones & Middleton H. Berry & Riley G. Ingram 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 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 the 2nd day of January 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Marcus Moore has been appointed guardian of the estate of John J. Wilborn, Seaborn, Eliza, Angeline, James, Marcus, George W., all minors of Hardy Jones deceased: Now if the said Marcus 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 and ordered to be recorded) Marcus Moore (seal)
Feby. 2nd 1852) M. H. Berry (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Martha Ann Jones (seal)
Riley W. Ingram (seal)

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RICHARD C. COKER ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we G. T. Wilborn principal & Jeremiah Hammock & John Park 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 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 February 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound G. T. Wilborn has been appointed administrator of the estate of Richard C. Coker deceased: Now, if the said G. T. Wilborn 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) G. T. Wilborn (seal)
February 4th 1852) Jeremiah Hammock (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) John Paulk (seal)

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BRITTAIN STAMPS ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Brittain Stamps, principal and H. J. Stamps and William Stamps secutities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. 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 February 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Britton Stamps has been appointed administrator of the estate of John A. Lyon deceased: Now if the said Brittain Stamps 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) Brittain Stamps (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) H. J. Stamps (seal)
Wm. J. Stamps (seal)

ALLEN ETCHISON GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Allen Etchison principal & Jesse H. Atchison & M. C. Ratchford 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 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 ninth day of December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Allen Etchison has been appointed guardian of the estate of Margarette C. Etchison minor & daughter of said Allen Etchison: Now, if the said Allen C. Etchison 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) Allen Etchison (seal)
Decr. 9th 1851) Jesse H. Atchison (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) M. C. Ratchford (seal)

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ALPHENS F. COPELAND ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Alphens F. Copeland principal and Simeon B. Copeland & John T. Copeland 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 30th day of December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Alphens F. Copland has been appointed administrator of the estate of Paschal E. Ward deceased: Now, if the said Alphens F. Copland 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) Alphens F. Copland (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) Simeon B. Copeland (seal)
John T. Copeland (seal)

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JESSE FITZPATRICK ADMINISTRATOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jesse Fitzpatrick principal and William C. Morgan & Charles Rutledge 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 thirteen thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselve, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 2nd day of December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jesse Fitzpatrick has been appointed administrator of the estate of Woodson P. Allen deceased: Now, if the said Jesse Fitzpatrick 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) Jesse Fitzpatrick (seal)
Decr. 2nd 1851) Wm. C. Morgan (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Charles Rutledge (seal)

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GEORGE W. WEBB GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George W. Webb principal and John Black & Edmund Webb 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 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 5th day of December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George W. Webb has been appointed guardian of the estate of Warren Webb, & George W. Webb, children of the said George W. Webb, & John H. Henderson & George W. Henderson children of Claudiffs B. Henderson: Now if the said George W. Henderson 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) G. W. Webb (seal)
Decr. 5th 1851.) John Black (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Edmund Webb (seal)

JOHN TRAMMELL'S BOND EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Trammell and Wm. M. Trammell & F. A. Trammell 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 thirteen thousand dollars for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heris, executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 12th day of January 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Trammell has been appointed executor of the estate of Mary Trammell deceased: Now, if the said John Trammell 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) John Trammell (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. M. Trammell (seal)
F. A. Trammell (seal)

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WILLIAM DAVIS'S BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Davis principal and William H. McWhorter & Isaac R. Low 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 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 seventeenth day of November 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Davis has been appointed guardian of the estate & person of Elizabeth and Mary Yarbrough minor heirs of John Yarbrough deceased: Now, if the said William Davis 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) Wm. Davis (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) W. H. McWhorter (seal)
Isaac R. Lowe (seal)

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LANGDON ELLIS ADMIN'S. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS)

Know all men by these presents, that we Langdon Ellis principal & George Reese & James E. Reese 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 18th day of December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Langdon Ellis has been appointed administrator of the estate of Levi Smith deceased: 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 administrator then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken approved and ordered to be recorded) Langdon Ellis (L.S.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) George Reese (L.S.)
Jas. E. Reese (L.S.)

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JAMES M. CARLTON'S BOND: ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Carlton principal & J. H. Lock & Wilson Williams 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 28th day of November 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James M. Carlton has been appointed administrator of the estate of William A. Whitlock deceased: Now, if the said James M. Carlton 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) J. M. Carlton (seal)
Novr. 28th 1851) J. H. Locke (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wilson Williams (seal)

SAMUEL DEVAUGHAN'S BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Samuel Devaughan principal & Early W. Barker & Wm. Marsh 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 the 18th day of November 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Samuel Devaughan has been appointed administrator of the estate of James Devaughan deceased: Now, if the said Samuel Devaughan 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) Samuel Devaughan (seal)
Novr. 18th 1851) E. W. Barker (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. Marsh (seal)

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ELLIOTT H. MUSE'S BOND: ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elliott H. Muse principal and J. W. Bachelder & 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 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 8th day of December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elliott H. Muse has been appointed administrator of the estate of Josiah T. Callahan deceased. Now if the said Elliott H. Muse 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,) Elliott H. Muse (seal)
Decr. 8th 1851) J. W. Bachelder (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. Davis (seal)

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WM. LIGGON'S BON GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Noel M. Liggon principal & Wm. B. Hammock & Wilson M. Liggon 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 22nd day of December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Noel M. Liggon has been appointed guardian of the person of William Liggon minor & heir of John Liggon deceased: Now if the said Noel M. Liggon 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) Noel M. Liggon (seal)
) Wm. B. Hammock (seal)
Decr. 22nd 1851) Wilson M. Liggon (seal)
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Samuel Perason, Judge of Probate)

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THADDEUS H. HEWELL'S BOND: GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thaddeus H. Hewell principal and William Davis & George H. Clifton 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 the 22nd day of November 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thaddeus H. Hewell has been appointed guardian of the estate of Sarah Day a lunatic: Now if the said Thaddeus H. Hewell 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) Thaddeus H. Hewell (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. Davis (seal)
G. H. Clifton (seal)

CICERO HEATH'S BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Cicero Heath principal & Nathaniel C. Barber and A. B. Camp 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, 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 firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated the 27th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty two.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Cicero Heath has been appointed guardian of Josephine Heath & Harriett Heath infant children of Erasmus T. Heath deceased. Now if the said Cicero Heath shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may beby law required of him as such guardain, then the above obligation to be void, else to remain in full force.

Approved this 27th January 1852) Cicero Heath (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Nathaniel C. Barber (seal)
A. B. Camp (seal)

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GEORGE W. HANSON'S BOND: GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George W. Hanson principal & William S. Wilkerson and M. C. Wilkinson 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 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 December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George W. Hanson has been appointed guardian of the estate & person of Ophalia Turner minor heir of Saml. B. Turner deceased: Now if the said George W. Hanson 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) George W. Hanson (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) W. S. Wilkerson (seal)
M. C. Wilkerson (seal)

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MIRAM BARRON'S BOND: ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Miram Barron principal & Vincent A. Pearson and Wm. E. Gilbert 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 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 dates this 24th day of December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Miram Barron has been appointed administrator of the estate of Jeremiah Dunn deceased.

Now if the said Miram Barron 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) Miram Barron (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. E. Gilbert (seal)
V. A. Pearson (seal)

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JOHN RATCHFORD'S BOND: EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Ratchford principal and McClellen Ratchford, James J. Tucker, Albert G. Danforth, Willian C. Davis & John P. Sheppard 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 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 5th day of January 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John Ratchford has been appointed executor of the estate of Ezekiel Ratchford deceased: Now if the said John Ratchford 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) John Ratchford (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) M. C. Ratchford (seal)
Jas. J. Tucker (seal)
Albert G. Danforth (seal)
Willian C. Davis (seal)
John T. Sheppard (seal)

JOSEPH RATCHFORD'S BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Joseph Ratchford principal & John T. Sheppard, John Ratchford & John A. Ratchford 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 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 5th day of January 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Joseph Ratchford has been appointed administrator of the estate of Jane Yarbrough deceased: Now if the said Joseph 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 and ordered to be recorded) Joseph Ratchford (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) John T. Sheppard (seal)
John Ratchford (seal)
John A. Ratchford (seal)

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ANN WILKERSON & WILLIAM S. WILKERSON'S BOND: ADMINISTRATOR & TRIX.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Ann Wilkerson & William S. Wilkerson principals & Judson C. Tatum, Cyrus Billingslea & M. C. Wilkerson 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 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 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Ann Wilkerson & William S. Wilkerson have been appointed administratrix & administrator of the estate of Henry L. Wilkerson deceased: Now, if the said Ann Wilkerson & William S. Wilkerson 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) Ann Wilkerson (seal)
Decr. 3d. 1851) W. S. Wilkerson (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) J. C. Tatum (seal)
Cyrus Billingslea (seal)
M. C. Wilkerson (seal)

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HENRY SMITH'S BOND EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Henry Smith principal & Jesse S. Clark and William Russell 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 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 December 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Henry Smith has been appointed executor of the estate of Marth B. Marcus deceased: Now, if the said Henry Smith 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) Henry Smith (seal)
December 30th 1851) Jesse S. Clark (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) William Russell (seal)

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WILLIAM D. CARITHERS' BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William D. Carithers principal & Josiah W. Bachelder, Abel L. Robinson & J. N. Dennard 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 8th day of Decr. 1851.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William D. Carithers has been appointed guardian of the estate of Frances A. Emory F. Mary E., Feyton M. and Lucy E. Pinckard minor hiers of Peyton Pinckard deceased: Now if the said William D. Carithers 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 D. Carithers(seal)
Decr. 18th. 1851) J. B. Bachelor (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) J. N. Dennard (seal)
A. L. Robinson (seal)

MARTHA B. MARCUS'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen: I Martha B. Marcus, of the said State & County being composed in mind and sound in memory but afflicted in boddy, do make and publish this my last will and testament: to make the following distribution of my estate both real and personal viz:

Item 1st. In the first place after my death I wish to be buried decently, and after that, my burial expenses paid & then my Doctor bill, if there be any, & all other debts that I may owe, as soon as convenient, I wish the money that may be to pay in this item to be out of the money on hand or out of the money that may be on me, Item 2nd My desire and wish is to give to my relation May Frederick Freeman Threadgill and her children, a negro girl, Caroline & her boy child also a negro woman Elenor--also a tract of land known as the north east quarter of section (3) in Township (20) Ranne (28) containing 160 acres the above named negroes & land to be the property of the said Mary F. F. Threadgill & her children, and from the confidence that I have in Henry Smith I appoint the said Henry Smith the Trustee of the said Mary F. F. Threadgill and her children.

Item 3d. My wish and desire is to give to consin Alison Allen a certain negro girl Martha and her child.

Item 4th. My wish and desire is to give unto my relation Rebecca Jane Frost and her children, a certain negro girl Eliza and her three children to be the property of the said Rebecca Jane Frost & her children.

Item 5th. My wish and desire is for my relation Alsimus Allen to have a negro boy Adam about 14 years old.

Item 6th. My wish and desire is for my relation Martha Rutledge to have a certain negro boy Elija about 10 years of age.

Item 7th. My wish and desire is for my relation Elizabeth Sledge & her children to have a certain negro boy Wiley to be the property of the said Elizabeth Sledge & her children.

Item 8th. My wish and desire is for my neice Betsey Sledge to have a certain negro boy Tom about 6 years old.

Item 9th. My wish and desire is for my neice Adaline Sledge and her children to have a certain negro girl Charlotte & her child Henry to be the property of the said Adaline Sledge and her children.

Item 10th. My wish and desire is for John Robert Flournoy Allen & William M. Allen & Julia C. Williams & Thomas F. Allen & Marcus Allen all the above my relations to be equally divided amongst them after all my debts are paid, all the money that may be owing to me and all the money that may be on hand.

Item 11th. My wish and desire is for my negro man Albert & Henry & Bill and Mary to be sold to the highest bidder at a suitable time and the neat proceeds arising from the sale in money to be equally divided amongst my relations Milton H. Marcus & Martin Van Buren Marcus & Mandy H. Marcus & Susan H. Marcus & Thomas Cobb & Susan Cobb & Hambleton Wells & Frederick Wells--

Item 12th. My wish is to give to my friend Henry Smith my gold spectacles.

Item 13th. I hereby appoint and constitute my friend Henry Smith my lawful executor of this my last will and testament.

Given under my hand and seal this 16th day of December A.D. 1851.

Test.) her
Alfred Marrell) Martha B. X Marcus (seal)
Jas. J. Smith) mark
L. James)

Well proven upon the oath of all the subscribing witnesses & ordered to be recorded as & for the last will & testament of Martha B. Marcus decd. December 30th 1851.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

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JOEL S. WILLIS BOND.

The Justices of the Inferior Court of Pike County sitting for ordinary pruposes not pursuant to adjourment this 6th day of August 1849.

Present their Honors--- Benson Roberts)
John H. Akins)Justices
& William C. Kendrick)

It appearing to the Court that citations have been published that Thomas N. Willis and William J. Willis would apply to this Court for letters of administration upon the estate of Joel S. Willis late of Pike County deceased and it further appearing that no objection has been made or filed in the clerks office of said Court.

It is therefor ordered that the said Thomas N. Willis & William J. Willis be and they are hereby appointed administrators upon the estate of Joel S. Willis deceased as aforesaid on their giving bond and security in the sum of five thousand dollars--when they came forward and gave William Willis & Anderton Stafford for securities as directed by the Court and was qualified in terms of the law and the following named persons were appointed appraisers to appraise said estate, to wit, John R. Jenkins, Esqr. Justice of the Peace and Samuel McDaniel Amane Willis Stephen Elliott Senr--and William Joiner Esqr.

GEORGIA)
PIKE COUNTY)

By the honorable the Justices of the Inferior Court of said County, sitting for Ordinary purposes.

Whereas Joel S. Willis late of this County deceased, died intestate, having while he lived 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 dismission from the same to the Court aforesaid of right belong: They desiring that the same may be well and truly administered and legally disposed of, do hereby grant unto Thomas N. Willis and William J. Willis full power by the tenor of these presents to administor the entire estate, both real and personal of said deceased, which to him in his lifetime 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 assetts 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 Thomas N. Willis and William J. Willis having given bond and security and taken the oath and performed all other requisites required by law necessary to their just qualification as administrators they are by order of said Court and by virtue of these presents ordained, constituted and appointed administrators of the whole estate both real and personal of said deceased.

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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, E. 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 certiticate 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 Reoord 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

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JAMES E. HAYGOOD'S WILL

ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) December 19, 1851.

Know all men by these presents, that I, James E. Hagood, 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 marries, 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. Hagood, William M. Hagood, George F. Hagood, James P. Hagood, Mary T. E. Hagood.

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

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

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

Test:)
Joseph Greer) Jas. E. Hagood (seal)
Jas. E. Dawson)
O. H. P. Dawson)

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

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WILLIAM PULLIN'S WILL

I William Pullin, of the County of Chambers, State of Alabama, being of sound 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 exepeces 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 J. Pullin, all the residue of my estate and property, to be divided between my children, according to her best judgement.

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.

And I do nominate and appoint my beloved wife Martha J. 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.

William Pullin, (seal)

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)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Item th 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 & 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)
Earley Harris)

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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, Drameford 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: Edy a woman and her three children, to wit: Colonel, Anderson, and Hull, also Eliza and her two children, to wit: Missouri Butler, and John Quincy Adams. Also one bed stead, 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 horese, hogs, sheep and cattle, and all other property, I may have at the time of my dec ase, 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) her
presence of us, as witnesses, August) Mary X Trammell (seal)
6, 1851.) mark
G. W. Smartt)
Jacob L. Brown)
Gibson F. Hill)

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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 wifes & 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 E. Reese, the two together, to wit: William M. 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 twelve hundred & fifty two dollars, payable to Doct. C. H. Reese, dated 20th. May 1846, with a credit of six hundred and fifty three dollars & 60/100, dated 21st May 1846, the same I relingush to him, with whatever interest may have accrued thereon.

I do hereby nominate and constitute, my sons Geo. Reese, and James E. 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)
Mary E. Cherry)this 23d of April 1849. Anna Reese (seal)
William J. Witherspoon)

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A. H. SCOTT'S WILL

In the name of God, Amen.

I, being of sound mind, of feeble 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 Alma, and Elenor, to have 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 sake 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 give to each of sons W. F., & F. C. Scott,) to be sold for the payment of my debts, should there be 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 eigher 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 exepenses, 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
C. E. Hoadley, (seal)
J. C. Carlyle (seal)
D. E. Ray (seal)

A. H. Scott, (seal)

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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 advantageour, 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 alloted of 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, tha 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)

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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

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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 Jephtha 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)

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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 decd: 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) James Sharman (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Richard Thurman (seal)
Ellison Blackman (seal)
Robert J. Sharman (seal)

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BENJAMIN JACOB'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 and daughter of said Benjamin Jacobs; Now, if the said Benjamine 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,) Benjamin Jacobs (seal)
April 9, 1852.) Mordecia Jacobs (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) Charles McLemore (seal)

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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.) James A. Cherry (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John T. Sheppard (seal)
Edwin A. Cherry (seal)

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WM. RUSSELL'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

Know all men by these presents, that we William Russell, principal, and Nancy A. Veazy, Benjamin F. 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.) Wm. Russell (seal)
Geo. S. Emory, J.P.) Nancy A. Veazy (seal)
Approved by me, April 5, 1852.) B. F. Harris (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) 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) Matilda Chappell, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) Daniel S. Robertson, (seal)
Wm. B. S. Gilmer (seal)
H. W. Todd (seal)

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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 & Peyton 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 F. Pinckard, Mary E. Pinckard, Peyton Ann Pinckard, & Lucy E. 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) Augustus M. Pinckard (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) William T. Pinckard (seal)
James T. Pinckard (seal)
George S. Turner (seal)
Booker Lawson (seal)
Peyton J. Pinckard (seal)

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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 ooligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded) E. H. Kinnebrew (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Thos. J. Smith (seal)
E. H. Muse, (seal)

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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) Joel Hough (seal)
March 17, 1852.) G. B. Smith (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) 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, 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 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)

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CAROLINE E. MCCANT'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, 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 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 & delivera,in the)
presence of--John S. Jones, J.P., on the day)
above written.)

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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 Alphens 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 guradian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

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

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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. McKey and John Carr, 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 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. A. McKey, and Martha C. McKey, minor he rs of James McKey, 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 and ordered to be recorded)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) W. P. Allen (seal)
her
Eliza J. A. McKey (seal)
John Carr mark (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, 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 three thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administratos, 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)

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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 James M. Gunn, 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 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)

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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 memorty, do make and ordain, this to be my last will and teatament, hereby revoking all former wills.

Item 1st. My body, I wish buried in a decent Christian like manner; my soul, I comit 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 consistant, 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 of my said daughter, one other fourth part of my estate I give and bequeath to my grand children Cornelia A. Segur, John F. Segur, Mary J. Segur, Hamden S. 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: Cely, 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, acknowleged and published in presents of
F. E. Manson her
Jo. Jackson Ann A Segur
David Dailey mark

GEORGIA)Court of Ordinary Nov. Term, 1846.
HENRY COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open court, Francis E. Manson, and David Dailey, who after being duly sworn deposeth and saith, that they saw Ann Segur, sign, seal, publish and declare, the annexed wiritting 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. E. Manson
Nov. 2, 1846.) David Dailey
J. H. Low, C.C.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, Pates 309 & 310.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

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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 housa 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 Clarisa, Julia and her child Laura, Mathew 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 Cornelus Rea, and the balance of said negroes and their increase be equally divided between my two sons Benjamin F. Rea and Cornelus Rea; and it is further my will, that at any time during the lifetime of my said wife, she may by the consent of the said Benjamin F. Rea and Cornelius Rea, sell and dispose of the real estate aforesaid devised to my said wife, upon such terms as may by them be deemed most proper and advisable, and the proceeds arising from the sale of said real estate to 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 wi l 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, Ellick a man, Bill a man, Mat a boy, Joe a man, Alzarah 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 Gross, also the following named negroes, Abram a man, Big Henry a man, Lemon a woman, Seaborn a boy, Bob a man, Caroline a woman, Albert a boy, John a boy, Adan a man, Amanda and her child, Kaleb a boy, Emur a boy, Augustus a boy, Mary a girl, Emely a girl, Dock a boy.

Item 6th. I will and bequeath unto the three children of my daughter F. E. Moore deed. 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, eighter by partition or sale, as may by them 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 deed. the following named negroes with increase, to wit: Lousia, a woman, Mahala a woman, William a boy, (together with those previously made hers by deed of 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)
James Hill)
Alexander Pantoleon)
Louis Mann)

Robert Rea, (seal)

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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 Soule I trust shall return to rest with God, who gve it, as I hope for eternal salvation through the blessed Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, whose religion I have possessed, and as I humbelly 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 of 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 Lake, 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, Jshan 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 has now in possession Ginny 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 Eldred 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 hereinarter stated; the value of said negro to be thrown in with the rest of my property, and distributed as hereafter stated.

Item seventh: The rest of my property whereever 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 neice 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 Chruch 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 eahc 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 altering 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 enphew 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 Daivd 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. E. Davis.

GEORGIA) Court of Ordinary, February adjourned Term, 1852.
TROUP COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open court, James Loyd, Rowland W. Hudson, and Henry S. Morgan, who being duly sowrn, deposeth 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 presentec 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 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 & subscribed in open court, this) James Loyd
the 9th day of February 1852.) Rowland W. Hudson
Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary.) Henry S. Morgan.

GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open court, James Loyd, and James E. Davis, the subscribing witnesses to the within codicil or the last will and testament of David Henderson, late of Troup County, deceased, and being duly sworn, saith that they saw David Henderson, the testator, whose name appears to said codicil, sign, seal, publish 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 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) James Loyd
9th day of February 1852.) J. E. Davis
Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary.)

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 E. 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

Recorded, 11th February 1852.

Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary.

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.

Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary & E.O.C.

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 MADDUX 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 dust, 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 Terresa, 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 Terresa 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 marries. 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, shoes, and tools of the shoe shop; and also the other houses and lots which I own 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 eigher private or public sale, withour application to, or order from any Court or legal tribunal.

Item. I also give to my wife Terresa, 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 Oak Bowery.

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 the sums 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 or age. 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 marries, 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 sole, 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 Terresa, 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 ot 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, or 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 counterpins, five bed quilts, six sheets, & a set of knives & forkes, one set of common crockery ware, one stand of bed curtains, two stands valance or foot curtains, three table cloths, and ordinary cooking utensils. The bed above mentioned to be accompanied with bolster, pair of pillows, and two matrasses; 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 E. Key, deceased, shall be made equal in interst 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 Terresa 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 the 7th day of April, in the year 1852.

James Maddux (L.S.)

Witness)
Ninian W. Kind)
Charles D. Crowell)
G. W. Chatfield)

(continued)

CODICIL.

I do hereby make and declare the following as atterations 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 recievie it, shall be as nearly equal as can be ascertained.

This to be in lieu & stead of the division of Money, as directed in the item of my foregoing will.

May 24, 1852.

Test: Minian M. Kidd)
Charles W. Milbro)
Charles D. Crowell)

James Maddux (L.S.)

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HENRY N. SPINK'S 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 R. Spinks, Sarah Ann Spinks, John E. Spinks, Mary M. Spinks, Nancy C. 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:
T. F. Gibson)
William Merritt)
his)
Benjn. X Merritt)
mark

Henry N. Spinks (seal)

GEORGIA) Inferior Court, sitting for Ordinary purposes January Term 1843.
JONES COUNTY)

In open court personally appeared Taylor F. Gibson, and Benjamine Merritt two of the subscribeing witnesses to the foregoing instrument of wiriting, 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 dreel, and without complusion, 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)
2d January 1843.)
Test: Gilbert E. Thigpen)

Taylor F. Gibson
his
Benjamin X Merritt
mark

Recorded the 11th January 1843.

GEORGIA) Office of the Court of Ordinary, in and for said County.
JONES COUNTY)

I Elbert 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 exemplication 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, hereunto 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.

Elbert Hutchings, Ordinary,

I wish and desire that my dear wife, Sarah Spear after my decease shall the negro girl by 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 Farington 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)

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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 dead, I desire that all m. just debts be paid.

Item 2rd. 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 July 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 Pratrick 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 discription, which is not 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, Margret 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.)

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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)

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GEORGIA)
WALTON COUNTY) By the Court of Ordinary for said County,

To all to whom these present 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 hereunto 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 your 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.

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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, for 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 Mavery Smedley, my negro woman Sarah, and her three children, Miles, Marriett 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 Mavny.

Fourth. I give to my daughter Nancy Thrash, 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 M. 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 Mavny, 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 M. Smedley's orphand children, to wit: William T. Smedley, Armsted B. Smedley, Eliza B. Smedley, now Eliza B. Johnson, Mary Ann Smedley James M. 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 Harbson, an equal share with the rest of my heirs, except Thomas & Mavny.

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.

Thomas Smedley

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 X Johnson
mark
John L. Hill

GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY) Court or Ordinary of said County Septr. 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 presence, 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 X Johnson
mark
Jno. L. Hill

Thomas Smedley one of the executors of the last will and testament of Thomas Smedley decd., 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 6th September 1852.) Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary
Wiley H. Sims,Ordy.)

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

I, Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary and ex officer 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, Ordy. & 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.

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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 Parmelar, 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 Pamerla two cows and calfs.

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 hear 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 of 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 M. 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,) Moses Penn
(this fourteenth day of April,)
in the year of our Lord, One)
Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty)
Five.)
Washington Meadors)
Daniel Duncan)

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

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JERMIAH B. REEVES' WILL

IN the name of God, Amen.

I, Jermiah 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 it has 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 me be collected as soon as convenient, by my executors.

Third. I give to my brother David W. 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 .

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, thie 2d. day of November, 1852.

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

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 deposeth 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
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate)   J. Smith T.

Be it remimbered, 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.

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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 testamen, to wit;

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

Second. I wish my corn cotton horses hogs cattle and stock of all kinds, tools of all descriptions & wagons sold for to raise means to paid 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 leaves 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 Sarah A. McClendon, and my children, namely, Mary J. McClendon, Eliza J. McClendon, and John S. McClendon.

Eightly: 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 disatisfied 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.

Nineth: 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)   Samuel McClendon (seal)
April in the year of Lord 1852.)
Test: F. T. Boazman)
Thomas McCollough)
Micheal W. Murphy.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Regular Court of Probate February 14th 1853.

Personally appeared befor me in open Court, Federick T. Bozeman, & Thomas McCollough, who after being duly sworn, deposeth 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 believed 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. Boazman
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. Boazman and Thomas McCollough, two of the subscribing witnesses; and recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 331 & 332.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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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 firmly, 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 guradian 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 Jany. 1850.)   Elizabeth Eberhart (L.S.)
M. Phillips, Judge O.C.C.C.)   Britton Stamps (L.S.)
John G. Gay (L.S.)

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LYLE & LIGGINS' ADMINISTRATORS' BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Lewis B. Lyle and Noel N. Liggin 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, firmly 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. Liggin, have been appointed administrators of the estate of Dorothy Dorsett deceased: Now, if the said Lewis B. Lyle and Noel N. Liggin 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,)   Lewis B. Lyle (seal)
October 2, 1852.)   Noel N. Liggin (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate)   Jesse S. Clark (seal)
George Shealey (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)

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LYLE & LIGGINS' ADMINISTRATORS' BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Lewis B. Lyle and Noel N. Liggin principals, and George Shealey, Jesse S. Clark & J. S. Mitchell 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 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 the second day of October 1852.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Lewis B. Lyle, & Noel N. Liggin, has been appointed administrators, of the estate of James W. Dorsett deceased: Now, if the said Lewis B. Lyle & N. N. Liggin 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)   Lewis B. Lyle (seal)
October 2d 1852.)   Noel N. Liggin (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate)   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 administrator, 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-colligendum 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.) Jas. E. Reese (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Alfred Harrell (seal)

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OREY W. TAYLOR'S BOND ADMINISTRATRIX

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Orely 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.

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

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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 19th 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. Hames, 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 and ordered to be recorded) Joseph C. Sale (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) Walter E. Smith (seal)
Thos. R. Russell (seal)

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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. Brock & 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 Micajah 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 and ordered to be recorded.) Evan G. Richards (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) James T. Brock (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) Benj. F. Rea (seal)
recorded, November 24, 1852.) Cornelius Rea (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) John R. Slaughter (seal)
Jane Rea (seal)
Lewis Schuepler (seal)
James E. Reese (seal)

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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) George W. Webb (seal)
recorded, Novr. 8, 1852.) John Black (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) Edmund Webb (seal)

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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) A. B. Croft (seal)
recorded, October 25, 1852.) E. D. McKinley (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) John T. Sheppard (seal)
James M. Hill, J.P. (L.S.)) Geo. Croft (seal)

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

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Sarah Strahan, and Thomas A. Tatom principals and Abel L. Robinson, Jesse B. Robinson, Andrew J. Dozier, & 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. Tatom have been appointed administratrix and administrator of the estate of Samuel Strahan deceased: Now, if the said Sarah Strahan and Thomas A. Tatom 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.

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Taken, approved and ordered to be) Sarah X Strahan (seal)
recorded August 2, 1852.) mark
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) A. L. Robinson (Seal)
J. B. Robinson (seal)
Thos. A. Tatom (seal)
Andrew J. Dozier (seal)
James Brooks (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William J. Spinks, and Rollery 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)

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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 wiht 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 Reess, 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)

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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. Guin B. Taylor has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary J. Orion L. and Eden Phillips, minor heirs of John E. Phillips: Now, if the said M. Guin 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. B. Taylor (seal)
Geo F. Taylor (seal)
Abner Penton (seal)

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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 A. L. Robinson, her 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 of ten thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made, 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 Samuel Strahan, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required or 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

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

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 decd.: 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 Harriss, T. Shannon J.P. Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

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

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JOHN HUGULEY'S BOND. GURADIAN

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 or 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 Merriwether 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)

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JACOB MOON'S BOND GURRDIAN

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 W. Moon, John T. Moon, Harrison A. Moon, and J. Moon, Joel C. Moon & Robt. P. Moon, minor heirs of Jesse Moon decd.: 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)

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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, decd. 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. E. McKinley principal, and John T. Sheppard, and Alexr. 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)
Alexr. H. Reese (seal)

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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)

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MCCLELLAND RATCHFORD'S BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we McClellan 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 Rtachford 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)

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MCCLELLAND 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 guradian 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, 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 thousand dollars, for which paymen 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 T. 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, Septr. 24,) Jesse Carpenter, J. P.
1852.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate)

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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 W. Murrell, 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,)
Decr. 21, 1852.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

James M. Norwood (seal)
Britton Stamps (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)
Pitman M. Lumpkin (seal)

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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, & T. 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 Cuthbert 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)
F. M Baugh (seal)

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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 fifth 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.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

John W. Stephens (seal)
James R. Stevnes (seal)
Isaac Howell (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)
Decr. 18, 1852) John R. Slaughter (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) his
Miles X Cauldwell (seal)
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GREEN W. CARLISLE'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Green W. Carlisle principa, and Wm. W. Williams and Jefferson Falkner, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate of 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 Latitia 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. W. Williams (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Jefferson Falkner (seal)

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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, George W. Ross, Louvina L. Ross, and John M. Ross, minors and heirs of Wiseman 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)
Rolly R. Spinks (seal)
William M. Trimble (seal)

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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, & Alpheus 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.) Alpheus 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 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 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)

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NARCISSA C. MUNN'S BOND. ADMINISTRATRIX.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Narcissa C. Munn, 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 Narcissa C. Munn, has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Mark Munn, deceased: Now, if the said Narcissa C. Munn, 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,) Narcissa C. Munn (seal)
Decr. 13, 1852.) George S. Emory (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) F. B. Holladay (seal)

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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 estae 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)

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JOHN P. LEMASTER'S 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 McKea, 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 Mariah A., Martha J., and James L. Allen, minor heirs of James P. 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. McKea (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. McGinty & John Burson, 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. McGinty, (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John Burson, (seal)

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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 14th 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 M. and Catherine E. 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 14, 1853.) Jas. L. Williams (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) Jno. C. Smith (seal)

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WM. & CELESTEA 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, decd: 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 X Tucker (seal)
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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 those Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said William Johnson and Celestia Ann Johnson, in and upon the Goods and Chattles, 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 E. 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.

Take., approved and ordered to be recorded) Alpheus F. Copeland (seal)
Approved by me, Janu. 28, 1853.) John T. Copeland (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Simeon B. Copeland (seal)

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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 E. Ward, decd.; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Alphens 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 E. 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.

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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 seventy 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 Jame Whaley deed: 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 James Whaley decd., 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 Febuary, 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 suti 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 eithty four dollars: Now, if the said Mariah Walker shall faithfully administre 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,) Mariah Walker (seal)
March 26, 1853.) by her atty. in fact
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Gideon Leverett,
Gideon Leverett (seal)
Saml. C. Black (seal)

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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.

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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 2d 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 actings and doings 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 entitles 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 if 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,) James T. Hackney (L.S.)
G. G. Norman, Ordinary) Lewis S. Brown (L.S.)

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 dismission 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 assetts 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.W.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 Bonds &c., Vol. 2, Pates 356, 357, & 358.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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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 for her life; 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 my executor to my son William L. Crayton, for the use of the donees; 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 personla 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 L. Smith; and which slaves are to be to the separate, sole and exclusive use of the said Mary Smith, for her life, and after 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 or eigher; 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 I. Crayton and Newton L. Smith.

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

her
Mary X Crayton
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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, deposeth and saith 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.) Hilliard J. Perkins
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) 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, Pates 359, & 360.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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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 gilr by the name of Lucy, a hores 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 prooving 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 sahll 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.

Willis Kellam.

O. C. Forbes
E. H. Muse
Saml. Pearson

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 19th day of October, A.D. 1853.

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

Willis Kellam.

E. W. 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 decd., and after being duly sworn, deposeth and saith 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 O. 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 her 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) Elliott H. Muse
before me November 28th 1853.) J. F. Mitchell
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) 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, Pates 361, 362 & 363.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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STOKELY EVANS' WILL

This will made by Stokely Evans, in the year of our Lord, eighteen hundred and fifty three. He wills his wife Airry 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 S. 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.

W. W. Snipes)
Jesse Bonds) Stokely Evans.
James R. Barr.)

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

Personally appeared in open Court, W. 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 Bonds sign the same at the request and in the presence of said Stokely Evans, 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,) W. W. Snipes
Novr. 28, 1853.) James R. Barr.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate)

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 W. W. Spikes and James R. Barr, two of the subscribing witnesses to said Will, and duly recorded in Record of Wills, Volume 2, Pates 363, & 364.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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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 maintainance and also for the support and maintainance 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 gow a piece, which is to be deducted from their share.

3d. 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, 1853.

In presence of)
Noah Bass)
James M. Roberts. J.P.) John A Holt Senr. (L.S.)
his
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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Special Court of Probate December 5, 1853.

Personally appeared in Open Court, Noah Bass and James M. Roberts, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith 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 1853.) Noah Bass.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Be it remembered, that on the 5th day of December 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 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.

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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. 1853.

In presence of)
Calvin Presley)
W. J. Spinks)
Archd. McIntyre.) Priscilla P Greer (L.S.)
her
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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Court of Probate, December 12, 1853.

Personally appeared in Open Court, Calvin Presley, one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will of Priscilla Greer, dead.; and after being duly sworn, deposeth and saith 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 deponent 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 Archibalk 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, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

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Be it remembered, that on the 12th day of December, 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 Calvin Presley, on of the subscribing witnesses to said Will; and duly recorded, in Record of Wills, Volume 2, Pages 366, & 367.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JESSE GUNN'S WILL

In the name of God, amen. I, Jesse Gunn Senr., of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being in 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 H. 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 Metzger; which settlement of lands, are in part as an advance, and in part upon other considerations; and for which my said son John G., is to be charged with; and to account upon a division of my estate, as herein after provided, 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 Harwell Mays, wife of Thomas Mays; Elizabeth Ann McCowen wife of Greenberry McCowen, 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, so 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 names; 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 Reuben, girl Lenisa, 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 values; 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 at her death to be equally divided between my children named in the foregoing item, share and share alike; and where property is give in this will, and any legatee shall die before reaching the same 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 of those of them who shall qualify; or may at any time be actin; shall be and they are hereby desired and fully authorized and empowered to sell any part, portion or all of my lands and personal property, not herein before disposed of, eighte 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 authorised 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 appraisement 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 therein 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) Probate Court, Special Term, November 17, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

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. Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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

Be it remembered, that on this th 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.

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AARON PITTS' WILL.

In the name of God, amen. I Aaron Pitts of the State of South Carolina & district of Newberry, being in tolerabel 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 recommedn my sould 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 secodn 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 wench 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 just 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 recd.

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, Patsey and Drucilla 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 exetx. & exor. 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 41st year of American Independence.

Signed and acknowledged before us.
Charles Griffin
Nathan Pitts her
Frankey X Gary mark

Aaron Pitts (L.S.)

(continued)

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: hi is also aquainted and believes the signatures of the other witnesses to be genuine,

Sworn to in open court 3d. May 1819, James Smith C.C.O.

James Pitts.

Recorded, 19th May 1819.

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)

Regular 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.

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HENRY M. GREER'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) The last will and testament of Henry M. Greer.
AUGUST 15, 1853.)

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 a 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. A. 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 bed weighing twenty five lbs. Furniture with bed clothes as follows, to wit: two counterpins, 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 fodder; 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.

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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, deposeth 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 or Probate.

In the name of God, amen.

I, Joseph Howell, of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being of sound min 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 Ellick; and one tract of land, in the County of Taliafers, 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 hogs and sheep, and all of my stock of 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, deposeth 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
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Benjamin Simms.

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.

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

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

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 an be sued, as the lawful administrator ex officie, 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 78th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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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 or Richard C. Coker, 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,) Salmon Washburn (seal)
Decr. 19, 1853.) Saml. C. Black (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Jefferson Falkner (seal)

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. Coker, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Salmon Washburn is authorised to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator de bonis non, to the said Richard C. Coker, deceased.

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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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 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 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 13th 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) Thos. G. Lyle (seal)
June 13, 1853.) J. S. Mitchell (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Jas. E. Reese (seal)

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LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Court of Probate, June 13, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

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 77th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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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 M. 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) O. P. Jones (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge or Probate) James M. Kennedy (seal)
W. S. Hill. (seal)

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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 R. 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 the 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) John W. Stephens (seal)
January 16, 1854.) James R. Stevens (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Isaac Howell (seal)

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 6, 1853.) Elizabeth Johnson (seal)
Samuel. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Wm. Davis (seal)
John C. Selman (seal)

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LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Court of Probate, June 6, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

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.

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MARCUS MOORE'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Marcus Moore, principal, and Charles McLemore 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 Marcus Moore, has been appointed guardian of the estate of John J. Jones, Wilburn Jones, Seaborn Jones, Eliza Jones, Angeline Jones, James Jones, Marcus Jones, and George W. Jones, minor heirs of Hardy Jones, dece.; Now, if the said Marcus Moores, 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) Marcus Moore (seal)
May 30, 1853.) Charles McLemore (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) J. S. Mitchell (seal)

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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 Evang 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.

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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)

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LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Court of Probate, May 27, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application 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.

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THOMAS L. GRIMMETT'S BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we T. L. Grimmett 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. Grimmett, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Susan Osborn minor and heir of Rolin Osborn, deceased: Now, if the said T. L. Grimmett, 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. Grimmett (seal)
May 17, 1853.) Elizabeth Osborn (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John M. Smith (seal)

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T. L. GRIMMETT'S LETTERS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Court of Probate, May 17, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Thomas L. Grimmett to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Thomas L. Grimmett, 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. Grimmett, 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 eigh hundred and fifty three, and the 77th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we John C. Selman, principal, and McClellan Ratchford 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. Selman has been appointed guardian of the estate of James M. Farley minor heir of James Farley, deceased: Now, if the said John C. Selman, 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. Selman (seal)
March 7, 1853.) W. C. Ratchford, (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. Selman, to my said Court, I have caused these letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said John C. Selman, 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. Selman 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.

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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 G. 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.) G. W. Hanson (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) W. S. Wilkinson, (seal)

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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.

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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.) H. L. Wilkinson, (seal)
Strother Gaines (seal)

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.

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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 twelves 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)
April 8, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)
her
Louisa X C. Knight (seal)
mark
Peter Mitchell (seal)
Micajah Williamson (seal)
W. L. Heflin (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Court of Probate, April 8, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
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 Louis 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 or Probate.

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ASA COX'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we Asa Cox principal, and Thomas J. Cox, Benjamin F. Cox, John A. Hurst and Peter M. 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 boligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

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

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Court of Probate, August 15, 1853.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
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) Benj. F. Rea, (seal)
August 20, 1853.) Jesse Kinsey (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Cornelius Rea, (seal)

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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.

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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 H. Penn, and L. B. Sherrell, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge or 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 W. Brown, minor heirs of Thos. G. 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) M. M. Marcus (seal)
August 27, 1853.) Wm. D. Harrington (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Jonathan W. Williams (seal)
Thos. H. Penn (seal)
L. B. Sherrell (seal)

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JAMES T. MACKNEY'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA,)
CHAMBERS COUNTY.)

Know all men by these presents, that we James T. Mackney, principal, and Jas. H. Reese and Thomas B. 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 19th day of September 1853. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James T. Mackney, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Willm. Jeffries, late of Wilkes County, deceased, by the Court of Ordinary of said County of Wilkes: Now, if the said James T. Mackney, 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 T. Mackney (seal)
Sept. 12, 1853.) Jas. H. Reese (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Thos. B. 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. 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 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. F. 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) Jesse Carpenter (seal)
July 22, 1853.) Allison Allen (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probat.) V. A. Peirson, (seal)

LETTERS:

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

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. F. Threadgill, deceased: and, in 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. F. 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.

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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 C. 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) E. G. Marable (seal)
July 30, 1853.) Saml. C. Black (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) 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 30 day of July, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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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 A. 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 or Probate.

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, amen, I, David McCarley Jr., being of sound mind and judgement, 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)
Wm. H. Smith)
J. B. McCarley.)

his
David X McCarley Jr.
mark

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Special Court of Probate, February 20, 1854.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared in opne court, William H. Smith, and John B. McCarley, who after being duly sworn, deposeth and saith 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.

Sworn to & subscribed in open court,)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Wm. 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, Pates 398, & 399.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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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.

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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 moneys of 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 and ordered to be recorded)
October 13, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Jonathan W. Williams(seal)
Wm. Strozier (seal)

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 aughorized 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.

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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. Fournoy, 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)
October 10, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

J. A. Park (seal)
L. Park, (seal)
A. L. Bailey (seal)
Jacob A. Flournoy (seal)

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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.

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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 Davinity 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)
August 1, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Divinity Mullican (seal)
Peyton J. Pinckard (seal)
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.

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 penla 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)	James Taylor	(seal)
September 12, 1853.)	Thos. Taylor	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)	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.

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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)	Alfred D. Bayne	(seal)
Approved by me, September 14, 1853.)	J. H. Cordle	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)	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, Udge or Probate.

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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 and ordered to be recorded)	Lee L. James	(seal)
September 14, 1853.)	William James	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)	W. W. Wallis	(seal)
	Langdon Ellis	(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 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.

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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)	James M. Roberts	(seal)
September 19, 1853.)	Lucy A. Holt	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate)	John Burkhalter	(seal)
	Crawford Downs	(seal)
	Joseph Holt	(seal)
	his Joshua X Downs 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.

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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 Pearon, 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)	Jason S. Meadors	(seal)
September 21, 1853.)	James Blakely	(seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)	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 or Probate.

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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 29 th 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. Forman (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 of 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.

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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. Crowder 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.

Approved, Octr. 4, 1853.) D. H. McCoy (seal)
Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded) G. P. Crowder (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. M. 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 or 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. M. 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. M. 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. M. 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.

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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 28th 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 28, 1853.) John B. Price (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John Carr (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Court of Probate, October 28, 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 28th day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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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.

N. A. VAUGHAN'S BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we N. A. Vaughan, principal, and John W. Spears and Wiley M. Spears, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Phillips, Judge of the County and Orphans' Court, for said County, and his successors in office, for the penal sum of five thousand dollars, for the payment of which, well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors or administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated the second day of March, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that, whereas, the above bound N. A. Vaughan, has been appointed guardian of George M., Amanda P., Francis L., and Caroline Goldsmith, minor heirs of John T. Goldsmith, decd. Now, if the said N. A. Vaughan, 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.

Approved by me, March the 8th A.D. 1850)
M. Phillips, Judge O.C.C.C.)

N. A. Vaughan, (L.S.)
John W. Spears, (L.S.)
W. M. Spears, (L.S.)

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MARTHA J. STAMPS' BOND. ADMINISTRATRIX.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha J. Stamps, principal, and Thomas Shannon and Thomas G. W. Shannon, 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 4th day of November 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Martha J. Stamps has been appointed administratrix of the estate of William J. Stamps. deceased: Now, if the said Martha J. Stamps, 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)
November 4, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Martha J. Stamps (seal)
T. Shannon (seal)
Thos. G. W. Shannon (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, November 4, 1853.

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

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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SAMUEL DEVAUGHAN'S BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY.)

Know all men by these presents, that we Samuel Devaughan principal, and Joel D. Trammell and James P. Barker, 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 7th day of November, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Samuel Devaughan, has been appointed guardian of the estate of John W. Devaughan a minor and hier of James J. Devaughan, deceased: Now, if the said Samuel Devaughan, 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.)

Saml.Devaughan (seal)
Joel D. Trammell (seal)
James P. Barker (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, November 7, 1853.

Be it rmemebered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Samuel Devaughan, to my said Court I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Saml. Devaughan, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John W. Devaughan, a minor and heir of Josiah J. Devaughan deceased: and in every case which occasion may require, the said Samuel Devaughan, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian, to the said John W. Devaughan, minor heir of Josiah J. Devaughan, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 7th day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge or Probate.

RICHARD T. LOCKHART'S BOND. GUARDIAN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Richard T. Lockhart principal, and Edward S. McCurdy and Britton D. 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 thirty 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 19th day of November 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Richard T. Lockhart has been appointed guardian of the estate and person of Robert H. Lockhart, minor heir of Jesse Lockhart deceased: Now, if the said Richard T. Lockhart, 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)
November 19, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Richard T. Lockhart (seal)
E. S. McCurdy (seal)
B. D. Harris (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, November 19, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Richard T. Lockhart, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Richard T. Lockhart, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Robert H. Lockhart, minor heir of Jessè Lockhart, deceased: and in every case which occasion may require, the said Richard T. Lockhart is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Robert H. Lockhart, minor as aforesaid.

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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MARCUS MOORE'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Marcus Moore, principal, and J. E. Hoadley and Jas. L. Robinson, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson, Judge or Probate, for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of eight 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 19, nineteenth, day of November 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Marcus Moore, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Wilburn M. Jones, deceased: Now, if the said Marcus Moore, 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)
Novr. 22d, 1853.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge or Probate.)
Test: Peter M. Rowland, J. P.)

Marcus Moore (seal)
J. E. Hoadley (seal)
Jas. L. Robinson (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Nov. 22, 1853.

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

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ELIZABETH & JAMES W. KELLAM'S BOND. EXECUTORS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elizabeth Kellam and James W. Kellam, principals, and R. W. Allen 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 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 28th day of November 1853.

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

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded)
November 28, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Elizabeth Kellam (seal)
J. W. Kellam (seal)
R. W. Allen (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)

LETTERS:

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

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Elizabeth and James W. Kellam to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship, to issue in favor of the said Elizabeth and James W. Kellam in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Willis Kellam deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Elizabeth Kellam and James W. Kellam are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executrix and executor to the last will and testament of Willis Kellam deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 28th day of November, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM D. HALL'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY.)

Know all men by these presents, that we William D. Hall principal, and J. N. Dennard and L. B. Phillips, 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 28th day of November 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William D. Hall, has been appointed administrator, with the will annexed on the estate of Stokely Evans, deceased: Now, if the said William D. Hall, 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) William D. Hall, (seal)
November 28, 1853.) J. N. Dennard (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) L. B. Phillips (seal)

LETTERS:

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

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 28th day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JOHN FINCH'S BOND, GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Finch, principal, and James Simms and Reuben Jones, 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 24th day of September 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound John Finch, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Thomas Finch, son and heir of said John Finch: Now, if the said John Finch 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 Finch (seal)
December 5, 1853.) Jas. Simms (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Reub. Jones (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, Decr. 5, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of John Finch, to my said Court, I have caused these letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said John Finch, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Thomas Finch son and heir of said John Finch: and, in every case which occasion may require, the said John Finch is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian, to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 5th day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

MARCUS MOORE'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Marcus Moore, principal, and Warrenton Costley and Henry L. 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 eight 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 December 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Marcus Moore, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Eliza Ann Jones, deceased: Now, if the said Marcus Moore 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) Marcus Moore (seal)
Approved, Decr. 8, 1853.) Warrenton Costley (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) H. L.Wilkinson (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, Decr. 8, 1853.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 8th day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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MITCHELL & PERRY HOLT'S BOND. ADMINISTRATORS.

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, December 13, 1853.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 13th day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

BOND:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Mitchell Holt and Perry Holt principals, and Jesse Holt, John Holt and Josiah Herring, 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 13th day of December 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Michael Holt and Perry Holt have been appointed administratrix & administrator with the will annexed of the estate of John Holt deceased: Now, if the said Michael Holt and Perry 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)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)
Signed & sealed in my presence,
Decr. 12, 1853.
James M. Roberts, J.P.

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John X Holt (seal)
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Josiah Herring (seal)

JAMES T. BROCK'S BOND. EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, James T. Brock, principal, and John C. Smith 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 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 17th day of December, 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound James T. Brock, has been appointed executor of the estate of Mary Crayton, deceased: Now, if the said James T. Brock, 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)
Approved by me, Decr. 17, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

J. T. Brock (seal)
Jno. C. Smith (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Decr. 17, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James T. Brock, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favor of the said James T. Brock, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Mary Crayton, deceased: And, in every case which occasion may require, the said James T. Brock, is authorized to bring suti and be sued, as the lawful executor, to the said Mary Crayton, deceased.

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ROBERT FINCH'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Robert Finch principal, and John Finch and Albert G. Danforth, 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, & administratros, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 28th day of December 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Robert Finch has been appointed guardian of the estate of James Finch, Jeptha Finch and Thomas Finch, minors and children of John Finch: Now, if the said Robert Finch, 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)
Decr. 28, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Robert Finch (seal)
John Finch (seal)
Albert G. Danforth (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 28, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Robert Fich, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Robert Finch, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of James, Jeptha and Thomas Finch, minors and children of John Finch; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Robert Finch, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian, to the said minors aforesaid.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge or Probate, this 28th day of December, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge or Probate.

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GEORGE M. FLOURNOY'S BOND. ADMINISTRATOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George M. Flournoy, principal, and Thomas F. Flournoy and Kinchen L. Haralson 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 sixty 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 December, 1853.

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

Taken, approved & ordered to be recorded)
Decr. 26, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

G. M. Flournoy (seal)
T. F. Flournoy (seal)
Kinchen L. Haralson (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Decr. 26, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of George M. Flournoy to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of administration, to issue in favor of the said George M. Flournoy, in and upon, the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Marcus A. Flournoy, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said George M. Flournoy, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator, de bonis non, with the will annexed, to the said Marcus A. Flournoy, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge or Probate, this 26th day of December, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JONATHAN T. NICHOLS' BOND. ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jonathan T. Nichols principal, and Abner Still and William H. Finney 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 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Jonathan T. Nichols, has been appointed administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Still deceased: Now, if the said Jonathan T. Nichols, 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)
December 29, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Jonathan T. Nichols (seal)
Abner Still (seal)
W. H. Finney (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Decr. 29, 1853.

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

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge or Probate.

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ISAAC HOWELL'S BOND. EXECUTOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Isaac Howell, principal, and Benjamin Simms and James Simms, 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 30th day of December 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Isaac Howell, has been appointed executor, of the last will and testament of Joseph Howell, deceased: Now, if the said Isaac Howell, 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)
December 30, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Isaac Howell (seal)
Benj. Simms (seal)
Jas. Simms. (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 30, 1853.

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

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

EVAN G. RICHARDS' BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Evan G. Richards, principal, and George W. Allen and Caroline E. McCants, 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 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 30th day of December 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Evan G. Richards, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Amanda L., Lois R., John James, and Robert G. McCants, Minors and heirs of Robert J. P. McCants, 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)
Decr. 30, 1853.) G. W. Allen (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Caroline E. McCants (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 30, 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 Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Evan G. Richards, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Amanda L., Lois R., John J., and Robert G. McCants, minor heirs of Robert J. P. McCants, 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 guardian, to the said minors.

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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PAUL T. WILLIS JR.'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Paul T. Willis principal, and John Jennings and Z. B. Pounds, 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 31st day of December 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Paul T. William has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary Jane William James M. Willis, Sarah A. Willis, George W. Willis, and Matilda A. Willis, Minor heirs of Matilda A. Willis, deceased, formerly Matilda A. Higginbotham: Now, if the said Paul T. Willis, 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) Paul T. Willis, Jun., (seal)
December 31, 1853.) Paul T. Willis, Senr., (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Zachariah B. Pounds (seal)
John Jennings (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 31, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Paul T. Willis Jr., to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Paul T. Willis Jr., in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Mary Jane Willis, James M. Willis, Sarah A. Willis, George W. Willis and Matilda A. Willis, Minor heirs of Matilda A. Willis, formerly Matilda A. Higginbotham, deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Paul T. Willis Jr., is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian, to the said minor heirs of Matilda A. Willis, formerly Matilda A. Higginbotham, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 31st day of December, A.D. one thousand, eight hundred and fifty three, and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

MARTIN S. DEAVENPORT WILL

GEORGIA)
CLARKE CO.) In the named of God Amen

I Martin S. Deavenport of the County and State aforesaid being weak in body but of sound disposing mind and memory do make publish and decalre this to be my last will and testament in the manner as follows hereby revoking all former wills by me heretofore made.

In the first place I give my sould to God who gave it.

In the secodn place it is my will and desire that after my death I should be decently buried,

In the third place I wish it destinctly unde stood that I have paid my daughter Susan A. Primae twenty dollars it being the remainder of his part of my estate and therefore she has had her full share of my estate and is to receive no more from the proceeds thereof.

In the fourth place it is my will and desire that my executors pay to my sons John A. Deavanport and James S. Deavenport each one hundred dollars which will constitute their full shares of my estate therefore it is my will and desire that they receive nothing more from the proceeds of my estate, In the fifth place it is my will and desire that the balance of my estate be equally divided between the balance of my children (to wit) Moses N. Devenport Jesse Deavenport Pressly G. Deavenport Catharine Credelle and Henry S. Devanport.

In the sixth place it is my will and desire that my executors herein after named sell my property for cash or credit of twelves months as thought best and be disposed of as above stated.

In the seventh place I do hereby nominate and appoint my sons Mosses N, Deavenport and Jesse Deavanport my executors to this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this the 27th day of October 1851.

Signed sealed published and delivered) Martin S. Deavenport (L.S.)
in presence of Benjah S. Sheats)
Barben C. Thrasher)
Benjamin H. Booth)

GEORGIA) Court of Ordinary February Term February 2nd 1852.
CLARKE COUNTY)

Personally came into open court Benajah S. Sheets Barton C. Thrasher and Benjamin H. Booth the subscribing witnesses to the within will of Martin S. Deavenport deceased who on oath depose and say that they saw said deceased sign and seal said will and heard him acknowledge the same to be his last will and testament that at the time of his so doing he was of sound and disposing mind and memory, that they subscribed the same as witnesses in the presence of the testator & of each other,

Sworn to and subscribed in open court) B. S. S. Sheats
Asa M. Jackson, C.C.O.) Barton C. Thrasher
B. H. Booth

Whereupon it is ordered by the court that the within will & codicil be recorded in terms of the Law, Feby. Term 1852.

Asa M. Jackson, Ordinary.

Recorded February 4th 1854.

GEORGIA)
CLARKE COUNTY)

By the Court of Ordinary of said County.

To all to whom these presents shall come, greeting.

Know ye that on the second day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty two the last will and testament of Martin S. Davenport 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 hereto annexed and administration of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, was granted to Moses N. Davenport & Jesse Davenport the executors in and by said will named and appointed, they haveing first taken the oath, and performed all other requisites required by law, they are by order of said Court, and by virtue of these presents, legally authorized to administer the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased according to the tenor and effect of the said will and testament and according to law. And they are hereby required to render a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels 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 his actings and doings, yearly, and every year, untill his administration is fully completed.

In witness whereof the Clerk of said County by the authority thereof hath hereunto set his hand and seal this the 4th day of February with year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty two.

(L.S.) Asa M. Jackson C.C.O

GEORGIA)
CLARKE COUNTY)

I Asa M. Jackson Clerk of the Court of Ordinary in and for said County do hereby certify that Moses N. Deavenport and Jesse Davenport and the acting and duly qualified executors of Martin S. Davinport late of said County decd. and that the foregoing contains the original letter, testamentory issued to said executors and also a true copy of the last will and testament of said deceased together with the probate thereof as the same and now on record in my office,

Given under my hand and official seal at office this the 4th day of Feby. 1852.

Asa M. Jackson C.C.O.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Evan G. Richards, principal, and George W. Allen and Caroline E. McCants, 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 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 30th day of December 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Evan G. Richards, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Amanda L., Lois R., John James, and Robert G. McCants, minors and heirs of Robert J. P. McCants, 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)
Decr. 30, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Evan G. Richards (seal)
G. W. Allen (seal)
Caroline E. McCants (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 30, 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 Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Evan G. Richards, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Amanda L., Lois R., John J., and Robert G. McCants, minor heirs of Robert J. P. McCants, 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 guardian, to the said minors.

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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PAUL T. WILLIS JR.'S BOND. GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Paul T. Willis principal, and John Jennings and Z. B. Pounds, 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 31st day of December 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Paul T. Willism has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary Janes Willism James M. Willis, Sarah M. Willis, George W. Willis, and Matilda A. Willis, minor heirs of Matilda A. Willis, deceased, formerly Matilda A. Higginbotham: Now, if the said Paul T. Willis, 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)
December 31, 1853.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Paul T. Willis, Jun., (seal)
Paul T. Willis, Senr., (seal)
Zachariah B. Pounds (seal)
John Jennings (seal)

LETTERS:

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 31, 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Paul T. Willis Jr., to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Paul T. Willis Jr., in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Mary Jane Willis, James M. Willis, Sarah M. Willis, George W. Willis and Matilda A. Willis, minor heirs of Matilda A. Willis, formerly Matilda A. Higginbotham, deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Paul T. Willis Jr., is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian, to the said minor heirs of Matilda A. Willis, formerly Matilda A. Higginbotham, deceased.

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

GEORGIA)
CLARKE CO.) In the named of God Amen

I Martin S. Deavenport of the County and State aforesaid being weak in body but of sound disposing mind and memory do make publish and decalre this to be my last will and testament in the manner as follows hereby revoking all former wills by me heretofore made.

In the first place I give my sould to God who gave it.

In the secodn place it is my will and desire that after my death I should be decently buried,

In the third place I wish it destinctly unde stood that I have paid my daughter Susan A. Prinae twenty dollars it being the remainder of his part of my estate and therefore she has had her full share of my estate and is to receive no more from the proceeds thereof.

In the fourth place it is my will and desire that my executors pay to my sons John A. Deavanport and James B. Deavenport each one hundred dollars which will constitute their full shares of my estate therefore it is my will and desire that they receive nothing more from the proceeds of my estate, In the fifth place it is my will and desire that the balance of my estate be equally divided between the balance of my children (to wit) Moses N. Devenport Jesse Deavenport Pressly G. Deavenport Catharine Credelle and Henry S. Devanport.

In the sixth place it is my will and desire that my executors herein after named sell my property for cash or credit of twelves months as thought best and be disposed of as above stated.

In the seventh place I do hereby nominate and appoint my sons Mosses N, Deavenport and Jesse Deavanport my executors to this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this the 27th day of October 1851.

Signed sealed published and delivered)
in presence of Benjah S. Sheats)
Barten C. Thrasher)
Benjamin H. Booth)

Martin S. Deavenport (L.S.)

GEORGIA) Court of Ordinary February Term February 2nd 1852.
CLARKE COUNTY)

Personally came into open court Benajah S. Sheets Barton C. Thrasher and Benjamin H. Booth the subscribing witnesses to the within will of Martin S. Deavenport deceased who on oath depose and say that they saw said deceased sign and seal said will and heard him acknowledge the same to be his last will and testament that at the time of his so doing he was of sound and disposing mind and memory, that they subscribed the same as witnesses in the presence of the testator & of each other,

Sworn to and subscribed in open court)
Asa M. Jackson, C.C.O.)

B. S. S. Sheats
Barton C. Thrasher
B. H. Booth

Whereupon it is ordered by the court that the within will & codicil be recorded in termes of the law, Feby. Terme 1852.

Asa M. Jackson, Ordinary.

Recorded February 4th 1854.

GEORGIA)
CLARKE COUNTY)

By the Court of Ordinary of said County.

To all to whom these presents shall come, greeting.

Know ye that on the second day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty two the last will and testament of Martin S. Davenport 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 hereto annexed and administration of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of said deceased, was granted to Moses N. Davenport & Jesse Davenport the executors in and by said will named and appointed, they haveing first taken the oath, and performed all other requisites required by law, they are by order of said Court, and by virtue of these presents, legally authorized to administer the goods, chattels and credits of the said deceased according to the tenor and effect of the said will and testament and according to law. And they are hereby required to render a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods, chattels 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 his actings and doings, yearly, and every year, untill his administration is fully completed.

In witness whereof the Clerk of said County by the authority thereof hath hereunto set his hand and seal this the 4th day of February with year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty two.

(L.S.) Asa M. Jackson C.C.O

GEORGIA)
CLARKE COUNTY)

I Asa M. Jackson Clerk of the Court of Ordinary in and for said County do hereby certify that Moses N. Deavenport and Jesse Davenport and the acting and duly qualified executors of Martin S. Davinport late of said County decd. and that the foregoing contains the original letter, testamentory issued to said executors and also a true copy of the last will and testament of said deceased together with the probate thereof as the same and now of Record in my office,

Given under my hand and official seal at office this the 4th day of Feby. 1852.

Asa M. Jackson C.C.O.

GEORGIA)
CLARKE COUNTY)
I, Asa M. Jackson the Ordinary in and for said County holding and execising sole jurisdiction in the Court of Ordinary of said County duly commissioned and qualified do hereby certify that Asa M. Jackson whose name is his own hand writing is signed to the foregoing certificate is the lawful clerk of said County of Ordinary duly commissioned and qualified that full faith and credit and due and of right ought to be given to all his official acts as such. I further certify that his foregoing certificall is in due form of law & by these proper officer.
Given under my hand and seal this 4th Feby. 1852.
(L.S.) Asa M. Jackson, Ordinary
Be it remembered that on the 8th day of March 1854, the foregoing authenticaled copy of the will of Martin S. Davinport decd. and of Letters Testamentory on said estate was filed in the Court of Probate for Chambers County, Alabama, for record, and on the same day was recorded in Record of Wills Vol. 2, Pages 429, 430, & 431.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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THERON LANCASTERS WILL JULY 17th 1851.

In the name of God amen.
I, Theron Lancaster of the State of Alabama and of the County of Chambers, being afflicted of body but of sound mind and understanding, do make this my last will and testament, desiring to commend my soul to the God that gave it also that my body be intured in a plain Christian like manner, as to my worldly goods the Lord has blessed me with I divide in the following manner (to wit) to leave in the possession of my beloved wife Jane all my estate except all that part of my goods and chattles belonging to the same may be deemed by my wife as a surplus and is likely to come to waste shall be disposed of at public sale and the proceeds thereof applied to the payment of my just debts, also my negro girl Harriet to be sold if not before my death, and the same to go to the benefit of educating and raising of my family provided circumstances demand it, and as my children becomes of age, I desire that each of them shall have four hundred dollars either in property or money at a fair valuation, and at any time that my wife may desire to brak up or move that she have an equal childßs part of my estate during her life time and after death, such property or monies she has inherited of my estate to be returned with its increase to my estate again and said property to be equally divided amongst my legal and lawful heirs of my body I also nominate and constitutionally appoint John Burson William T. Harrington and Benjamin B. Avary as my lawful executors to this my last will and testament hereby revoking all others signed ~~and sealed in the presence~~ of
Test Jesse Bonds T. Lancaster (seal)
James R. Barr
Wm. R. Pitts

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Special Court of Probate, June 5th, 1854.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Personally appeared in open Court William Pitts who being duly sworn, deposeth and saieth on oath that he saw the within named Theron Lancaster, sign and seal the foregoing instrument, as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date, and that he believed the said Theron Lancaster, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, and that he signed the same as a subscribing witness, at the request and in the presence of the said Theron Lancaster, and that he saw, Jesse Bonds and James R. Barr, the other two subscribing witnesses, sign the same at the request and in the presence of the said Theron Lancaster, and that they all signed the same, in the presence of each other.
Sworn to & subscribed in open) Wm. Pitts
the 5th day of June 1854.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)
Be it remembered, that on the 5th day of June, A.D. 1854, the foregoing will was probated, in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Ala. on the foregoing affidavit of William Pitts one of the subscribing witnesses to the same, and duly recorded in Record of Wills, Vol, 2, Pate 431 & 432.
Saml. Pearson, Judge or Probate.

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FLORENCE M. OLIVER DECD. WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Knowing the uncertainty of human life & intending to made a will I now proceed to do so in the name of God Amen I, Florance M. Oliver being of sane mind do make the following disposition of my property on this 18th day of May A.D. eighteen hundred & fifty four, viz, In the first place, in consequence of the regarde & love I have for my wife Mary Eliza I will & bequeath to her the following property in a negro woman by the name of Mariah, my buggy & a horse called Polk, and a white speckled cow & her calf It is also my wish for my wife to remain at my place of abode for the present year.
Secondly for the love & affection I have towards my son James M. Oliver I will & bequeath unto his heirs the following property viz, the eighty acres of land on which my dwelling house stands, known in the Tallapoosa land distract as the East half of the North East qr. of section four of township twenty two & range twenty five also a parcel of land North of said eighty acres going as far north as to a small branch on which I formily had a gin house, containing about ten acres, said land was given to me by my farther.
Thirdly for the love I have for my daughters Susanna L. Oliver & Mildred A. Oliver & my son Junius P. Oliver & John A. G. Oliver I will & bequeath unto them the following property viz, a negro woman named Candace, one named Elmira another named Susan a man named Charles, a boy Thomas, another named Lewis & one Henry & these girls, Adeline, Setha, Melvena, Amana and Frances. It is my intention & will that the above named negroes be equally divided between my before named four children in the third clause of my will by my executors here after named, as the children marry or become of age. Fourthly, my will is that my debts all be paid, and for this purpose I direct my

executors to sell so much of the crop as may be apared with the view of making a subsequent one, & also so much of the peri-hable property as may be apared & the proceeds applied to the payment of my debts, it is my will further that my executors keep up a farm with the above named negroes going to my four children a fore named, & apply the anual proceeds to the payment of my debts untill the whole is paid after which it is my will that the land on which the farm is cared on viz, a hundred acres more or less in township twenty three & range twenty five, south of John Wise's farm on the West side a large creek & all the perishable of mine not named in my will be sold & the proceeds equally divided between my four children named in the third clause of my will.
Fifthly for the love I have for my son Samuel C. Oliver I will & set apart to him four hundred dollars to be paid him by my executors out of any of my property not otherwise desposed of, or willed off.
Sixthly, all the property I may have heretofore given my sons James M. Oliver or his wife & children & Samuel C. Oliver is now confirmed unto them. Seventhly, I appoint my sons James M. Oliver & Samuel C. Oliver my executors to carry out the provisions of this my last will and testament. In testimony whereof I Florence M. Oliver hereunto set my hand and seal, this the day & year above written, in the presence of the subscribing witnesses.
C. D. Oliver Florence M. Oliver (L.S.)
McCarty Oliver
Saml. C. Dailey

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Special Court of Probate, June 19th 1854.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Personally appeared in oepn Court, McCarty Oliver and Samuel C. Dailey, who being duly sworn deposeth and says, on oath, that they saw, the within named Florence M. Oliver, sign seal and publish the foregoing instrument, as and for his last will and testament on the day the same bears date; that they each believed the said Florence M. Oliver, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, that they each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said Florence M. Oliver; and that they each saw C. D. Oliver, the other subscribing witness sign the same, at the request, and in the presence of the said Florence M. Oliver, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.
Sworn to & subscribed in open court, Saml. C. Dailey
the 19th day of June, 1854. McCarly Oliver
Samuel Pearson, Judge or Probate.
Be it remembered, that the within will was on the 19th day of June A.D. 1854, probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Ala., on the foregoing affidavit of McCarty ~~Oliver and Samuel~~ C. Dailey, two of the subscribing witnesses to the same; and duly recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Page, 432, 433 & 434.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ETHEL TUCKER SENR. DECD. WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
March 7th in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and fifty (1850) I Ethel Tucker senr. of the State and County above mentioned being this day in good health and sound mind make this my last will, and testament (on desire)
1. Item It is my will and desire after my death on deced that my executors here after named give to my wife Henrietta Tucker my carriage and harnis and two hundred dollars with all that she brought with her when we were married as her write or claim to my estate or one third of my land just as she pleases.
2. Item It is my will and desire that H. D. Tucker my son have my negroe boy Henry and one bed and furniture worth forty dollars and one third of my books.
3.Item It is my will and desire that William Tucker my son have my Joe Willy and George Washington and one third of my books and one bed and furniture worth forty dollars.
4. Item It is my will and desire that Betsy Ryals my daughter have two hundred dollars more out of my estate and I want William Tucker my son to take the four hundred dollars and by him a piece of land and take the title to her so at her death it will to to her son Umphry D. Ryals which is all that I give her out of my estate.
5. Item It is my will and desire that Frances Carlele my daughter have Nancy my negro woman and two hundred dollars.
6. Item It is my will and desire that Ethel Tucker my son have my negro boy John one bed and furniture worth forty dollars and one third of my books.
7. Item It is my will and desire that my executors have after named sell my land, horses, cows, hogs, house hold and kitchen furniture except the place where Daniel now lives I want him to have the right to live there his lifetime or as long as he pleases, and after paying all my debts the ballance of my ballance divided equally among my three sons H. D. Tucker William Tucker and Ethel Tucker.
8. Item. It is my will and desire that H. D. Tucker, William Tucker and Ethel Tucker act as my executors on my estate.
Ethel Tucker senr. (seal)
Witness. Robert F. Tucker
Jesse J. Jimmerson
Coke Tucker

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Special Court of Probate, April 24, 1854.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open Court, Jesse J. Jimmerson and Coke Tucker, who after being duly sworn, deposeth and saith on oath, that they saw the within named Ethel Tucker sign and seal the foregoing instrument, as and for his last will and testament on the day the same bears date; and that they believed the said Ethel Tucker, 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 Ethel Tucker; and that they saw Robert F. Tucker, the other subscribing witness sign the same, at the request and in the presence of the said Ethel Tucker, on the day the same bears date, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open court) Coke Tucker,
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) J. J. Jimmerson

Be it remembered, that on the 24th day of April, 1854, the foregoing will was probated to the Court of Probate of Chambers County, Ala., for Probate and on the same day was duly probated upon the above affidavit of Coker and J. J. Jimmerson two of the subscribing witnesses to said will and duly recorded in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pates 434 & 435.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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SARAH WEATHERS DECD. WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I, Sarah Weathers of the County & State aforesaid being of sound mind & memory & under the apprehension of approaching death, do make and publish this my last will & testament hereby revoking and making void all former wills by me at any time hereto fore made and first, I direct my body to be decently intered at the Methodist Episcal Church yard in Fredonia Chambers Co. & my grave to be walled & covered over in a manner corresponding with my estate & situation in life and as to such worldly estate as it has pleased God to intrust me with I dispose of the same as follows and first I direct that all my debts and funeral expenses to be paid as soon after my deceasedas possible out of the first moneys that shall come in to the hands of my executors from any portion of my estate I do hereby for the love and affection that I have for my neice Sarah M. Hust and in consideration of her kind treatment to me while living in her house I do direct that the whole of my household furniture be given to her sole use I also direct that one half of my money demands be given to her sole use & in consideration of the love and esteem I have for my friend John A. Hust & in consideration of his kind testament toward me while living in his house, I do give unto him the other half of my money demands the whole amount amounting to about one thousand dollars ~~and I do~~ hereby make & ordain my esteemed friend John A. Huust executor of this my last will and testament and havingfull faith and confidence in him it is my will that no bond shall be required of him as such.

In witness whereof I Sarah Weathers the testator have to this my will written on this sheet of paper set my hand & seal this 24th day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty four.

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Sarah X Weathers (seal)
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Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of us who have subscribed the presence of each other.

C. E. Hoadly)
A. F. Zachry) Witnesses
W. C. Gorden)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Regular Court of Probate, May 8, 1854.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open Court, C. E. Hoadley and Alfred F. Zachry, who after being duly sworn deposeth and saith on oath, that they each saw the within named Sarah Weathers sign and seal the foregoing instrument, and for her last will and testament on the day the same bears date, and that they each believed the said Sarah Weathers, 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 Sarah Weathers, and that they saw W. C. Gorden the other subscribing witness sign the same, at the request and in the presence of the said Sarah Weathers, on the day the same bears date, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court)
May 8, 1854.) C. E. Hoadley
Samuel Pearson, Judge or Probate.) A. F. Zachry

Be it remembered, that the foregoing will was this day probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County Ala. on the aff'davet of Charles E. Hoadley and Alfred F. Zachry, two of the subscribing witnesses and recorded in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pate 436 & 347.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

TYRE FREEMAN DECD. WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) March 11th 1854.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In, the name of God amen I, Taylor Freeman of the County and State aforesaid do constitute and make this my last will and testament being in moderate health and of sound mind.

1st. I give and bequeath unto my wife Kiseah D. Freeman all my land & premises and the stock and appertanances there unto belonging to have and enjoy during her natural life time with full power to sell at any time all or any part of said land or property for the benefit of the family.

2d. I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Elizabeth F. Freeman to the amount of seventy five dollars worth of property to be received by her at her marrage.

3d. I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Joseph Freeman seventy five dollars worth of property to be paid over to him at the age of twenty one years.

4th. I give & bequeath unto my beloved son John T. Freeman seventy five dollars worth of property to be paid over to him at the age of twenty one years.

5th. I give & bequeath unto Lee Lynthia Freeman the same amount, to be paid over to her at her marrage.

6th. I give & bequeath unto my beloved daughter Honah Freeman the same amount to be paid over at her marrage.

7th. I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Lucy Freeman the same amount to be paid her at marrage.

8th. I give & bequeath unto my beloved son Ledleton Freeman the same amount to be paid out to him at the age of twenty one years.

9th. I give and bequeath unto my beloved son James Freeman the same amount to be paid at his attaining the age of twenty one years making them all equal to an amount I advanced to Green B. Freeman my son at the time he arrived at twenty one years of age.

10th. I give and bequeath unto the lawful heirs of my beloved daughter Julia Ann Daniel and equal portion with the rest of my heirs at the death of my wife and I hereby constitute and appoint my son Green B. Freeman trustee for the heirs of Julia Ann Daniel.

11th. I hold in my hands one hungred and five dollars bequeath to Elizabeth F. Freeman and Lucy Freeman by their grand father to be paid over to them equally as their arriving at twenty one years of age.

12th. In condlusion I hereby appoint Green B. Freeman and Leroy W. Moore and my beloved wife Keseah D. Freeman my executors of this my last will and teatament.

In testimony whereof I have here unto set my hand and seal this 11th day of March A.D. 1854.

Test) Tyre Freeman (seal)
John W. Standard)
Wm. A. Carpenter)
Jesse A. Carpenter)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Regular Court of Probate, July 10, 1854.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open Court, Jesse Carpenter, and William A. Carpenter who being duly sworn depose each and say, on oath, that they saw the within named Tyre Freeman sign, seal and publish the following instrument, as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date, that they each believed the said Tyre Freeman, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, that they each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence ofthe said Tyre Freeman and that they each saw John W. Standard the other subscribing witness, sign the same at the request, and in the presence of the said Tyre Freeman and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court
the 10th day of July A.D. 1854.

Be it remembered, that the within will was on the 10th day of July 1854, probated in the Court of Probate of Chambers Court, Ala, on the foregoing affidavit of Jesse Carpenter and Willaim A. Carpenter, two of the subscribing witnesses to the same, and duly recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pate 437 & 348.

Saml. Pearson, Judge or Probate.

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JOSHUA CALDWELL'S DECD. WILL

In the name of God amen.

I Joshua Caldwell of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama being of sound mind and of a disposing disposion do make and order this my last will and testament.

Item 1st. I give unto my beloved wife Mary Caldwell during her natural life, the section of land I now live on, to wit, the west half of section six in township twenty of range twenty seven and the half section one, in township twenty, range twenty six east in the Tallapoosa land district.

I also give to my beloved wife Mary Caldwell during her life time a negro man Watson, Sealy a woman, Sophiaha woman Jane a girl and George a boy.

I also give to my wife Mary Caldwell as her natural right a negro woman Malessa a boy Antony a boy Westley a girl Rose and a man Fill, I also give to my beloved wife two feather veds and steads and one half my bed furniture, three trunks one chest two dozen silver spoons, one set china, one horse and buggy, two choice mules, cooking utensils of all description, ten head cattle, twenty head hogs choice stock, one side board one folding table one work stand carpets window curtins one half the setting chairs, two set and ironstuo dressing tables, one wash stand one half the crockery ware, one half the glass ware, half the knives and forks one couch, two looking glasses one clock, I also give her one years provision of every description I also give my wife one hundred and fifty dollars which is her own money, and the further sum of five hundred dollars to be paid her by my executors.

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Item 2rd. I give unto my daughter Mahala Blankenship, one negro woman Syntha, Dilly a girl King a boy Edmund a man, Fanny a woman which negroes she has received heretofore, I also give my daughter Mahala Blankenship a woman Sillar, Betty, Nancy Amanda, Milland children Rebecca a woman and four children, Jacob Harriell Elizabeth Abram, and Squire a man to her and her Ishul.

Item 3rd. I give unto my son John Caldwell one negro man by the name of Wilson which negroe he has heretofore received one man Dooter, Betty a woman and Edmund a boy and Mary a girl, I also give to my son John Caldwell all the debts and notes & contract, that I have heretofore paid for him, and all moneys that he has heretofore received.

Item 4th. I give and bequeath to my son Lincolnatus Caldwell the north west quarter of section thirty six in township twenty and one range twenty six, whereon he now lives also the south half of the nort east quarter of section thirty six, and township twnety one and range twenty six, I also give to my son Lincinatus Caldwell a negroe man by the name of Tyler, a woman Mary and her increase which negroes he has heretofore reced. I further give to him a negroe man Harry a woman Winney and her five children, to wit Caroline, Alford, Darkies Adaline, Sarah and little Charles, also all notes that I hold and all debts and contract, that I have heretofore paid and all moneys that I have given him.

Item 5th. I give and bequeath to my daughter Lyntha Ricks one negroe woman Sophia a woman Sarah and their increase and Peter a man which negroes she has heretofore reced. I also give her a negroe man by the name of Judge a woman Alley, a man Luke and I also give to my daughter Lyntha Ricks a negro woman Charlotte a woman Mary a woman Dilly and a man big Charles which negroes I give to my daughter Lyntha Ricks and the heirs of her body or ishue, I also give to my daughter Lyntha Ricks a tract or parcell of land known as the west half of the north west quarter of section twenty seven twoenship twenty oen and range 25 also all the notes and accounts & debts that I have paid for Gideon Ricks her husband.

Item 6th. I give unto my son Groves Caldwell, one negroe boy Green Amanda a woman and her increase which negroes he hath heretofore reed. also give to him a woman Ann, Margarett a girl Annis child, Emily a woman, James a boy Robert a boy together with the moneys he hath heretofore reed and all the increase of the said negroes.

Item 7th. I give unto my son Joshua Caldwell the west half of section thirty one township twenty one range twenty seven also the south east quarter of sect. thirty six township twenty one and range twenty six and also all the lands that I have given to my wife Mary Caldwell, after he death, it is then to be the property and I give the same to my son Joshua Caldwell, I also give to my son Joshua Caldwell one negroe woman Ollif and her child Pulaskie a boy Isaac, a boy Moses a boy Hiram a man Alforso a man Spencer a blacksmith and his tools a woman Sandice and her two children William and John Warren a man, one horse and two mules second choice also one years provision of every discription for such family as he may have, also I give him ten head cattle and twenty head hors second choice also I give to my son Johsue Caldwell two bee steads two beds and furniture, also one half the setting charis,

I further give to my son Joshua one half crockery & one half the glass ware not otherwise given away also one book case and one bureu, One large pine table and one safe, and after the death of my wife Mary Caldwell, I give to my son Joshua one sideboard, one folding table two set and irons brass, windown curtins and carpet and two looking glasses I also give to my son Joshua Caldwell five hundred dollars to be paid by my executor.

Item 8th. It is my will and desire that all my debts be paid by my executors out of any moneys that I may leave, it is also my will and desire that all my stock that is not given away together with the five following named negroes after the death of my wife Mary Caldwell to wit a negro man Watson, one woman Sealey, Topea a woman, Jane a girl and George a boy, to be equally divided between my five oldest children to wit Manaley Blankinship, John Caldwell, Linunatus Caldwell, Syntha Ricks and Groves Caldwell I also give to my last named children five beads, bead steads and all the remaining furniture not given away.

Item 9th. It is my will and desire that all property that I may buy hereafter and all moneys that I may have and all debts due me shall be equally divided between each and all my children.

I do hereby nominate and appoint my sons Linunatus Caldwell and Groves Caldwell my lawful executors to this my last will and testament.

In testimony whereof I set my hand March 25th 1852.

Daniel S. Robertson
Allen Jones
Samuel Jeter
Jas. Simms

Joshua Caldwell (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Register Court of Probate, July 10, 1854.

Personally appeared in open Court, James Simms and Daniel S. Robinson, who being duly sworn, depose each and says, on oath, that they saw the within named Joshua Caldwell, sign, seal and publish the foregoing annexed instrument, as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date, that they each believed the said Joshua Caldwell to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same, that they each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said Joshua Caldwell and that they each saw Allen Jones and Samuel Jeter, the other two subscribing witnesses, sign the same, at the request and in the presence of each other.

Sworn to and subscribed in Open Court,
the 10th day of July, 1854.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Daniel S. Robertson
Jas. Simms.

Be it remembered, that the foregoing will was on the 10th day of July, A.D. 1854, probated in the Court of Probate of Chambers County, Ala. on the foregoing affidavit of James Simms and Daniel S. Robertson, two of the subscribing witnesses to the same and duly recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pate 439, 440 & 441.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) July 2, 1854.

1. Being sencible that I must shortly die, committing my soul to God, my body to the dust.

2. I will to William Baird and Sopha Arnett, two hundred dollars, each, on condition that William Baird pays that note off twelve hundred dollars, that he gave to my son Wyche for the land.

3. I will to Caroline ~~Eglesby~~, one dollar, having given to her, all I intended to give previously.

4th. I give to my son Zadok, one dollar, having given to him all I intended to give previously. I give to his daughter Corah, one negro boy eleven years old, to be kept hired out by J. S. Jackson until she is married, if she marrys a prudent man, 'tis then to be given up, if not continued to hired out, by J. S. Jackson, or who ever the Court should appoint should he die; should she die, 'tis then to be given to her nearest friend.

5. I bequeath one hundred dollars to Oglesby daughters, each.

6. I bequeath to J. S. Jackson, my gray horse, bridle and saddle.

7th. I appoint J. S. Jackson and Wyche Jackson to see this will executed; this being my will and testament. If any thing be left, shall be equally divided between Wyche and Lease.

I being in my Senses, I make this my will and testament. Assigned and sealed in presence of test:)
Green B. Freeman)
Harriet F. Jackson)
Indiana V. Jackson.)

Wyche Jackson (seal)

I give to my son, J. S. Jackson, the demand I have against Henry Hessler widow, of Lincoln County, Geo., in the hands of Tucker Marvin for collection.

July the 3d 1854,
John Huguley
Thomas Glaze.

Wyche Jackson

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Special Court of Probate July 28, 1854.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open Court, George B. Freeman, who being duly sworn, deposes and says on oath, that he saw Wych Jackson sign, seal and publish the foregoing instrument as and for his last will and testamen on the day the same bears date; that he believed the said Wych Jachson, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, that he deponent signed the same as a subscribing witness at the request & in the presence of the said Wych Jackson, and that he saw Harriett F. Jackson & Indiana V. Jackson, the other two subscribing witnesses each sign the same, at the request and in the presence of the said Wych Jackson, and that they all signed the same, in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in Open Court) Green B. Freeman
the 28th day of July, 1854.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Special Court of Probate July 28, 1854.

Personally appeared in open Court John Hugley, and Thomas Glaze, who being duly sworn, depose & say, on oath, that the above named Wych Jackson, acknowledged the above supplement, to be part & parcel of his last will and testament and that they signed the same as subscribing Witnesses, at the request of the said Wyche Jackson, & that they each believed the said Wyche Jackson to be of sound & disposing mind and memory, at the time of said acknowledgment, & that they signed the same as witnesses in the presence of each other.

Sworn to before me in open Court John Huguly
date above Thomas Glaze
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

Be it remembered that on the 28 day July, A.D. 1854, the foregoing will and supplement thereto was duly proated, in the Court of Probate, of Chambers County, Alabama, on the foregoing affidavit of Green B. Freeman, John Huguley and Thomas Glaze and recorded in Record of Wills Vol. 2, page 442, & 443.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JOHN WHITLOW'S WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen.

Be it known that I, John Whitlow of the aforesaid State & County knowing the uncertainty of human life & being of sane & disposing mind, now proceed to make my last will & testament on this the twelfth day of July eighteen hundred & fifty four. In the first place I give my spirit to God who gave it & it is my wish & desire that my Body be buried in a plain Christian manner,

Second. It is my will that my executors, herein after named pay all my debts out of funds arising from the sale of my crop or other property that may be sold.

Third. It is my will that the girl Harriet & her increase now in the hands of my daughter Mariann E. Thomas be left to her & the heirs of her body.

Fourth. The property, viz, a negro boy named Henry that I have already given to my son Wm. A. Whitlow is hereby give & confirmed unto him .

Fifth, For the love & affection I bear to my wife Catharene Whitlow, it is my will and desire that she live at my residence & that she & my sons Wm. A. & James P. Whitlow are further left as executor & executors to carry out the provisions of this my last will & testament, as specified in this instrument.

Sixthly, It is my will & desire that a farm be kept up at my late residence & that out of the crops arising thereby my wife aforesaid & our children now living with us be supported & educated.

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Seventhly, It is my will that my daughters Eliza Catharine, & Eveline Cornelia receive from my executors above named when they may marry as much property as my son Wm. A. Whitlow & Maryann Thomas have received, which property I will unto them & their heirs of their bodies for the love I have for my son James P. Whitlow I hereby will & bequeath unto him an equal amount of property as I have given my above named children & also will & set apart unto him the sum of four hundred dollars more than I have left them to be given him at any time the executors may determine on.

Eighthly. It is my will that at the death of my wife all my property be equally divided between my above named children & that falling to my daughters to go to them & the heirs of their bodies.

In testimony of which I, John Whitlow aforesaid, on the day & year above written do hereunto set my hand & seal in the presence of the subscribing witnesses.

Sam C. Bailey
Wm. Whitlow Sr.
John J. Whitlow

John Whitlow (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA) Special Court of Probate, August 24, 1854.
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open Court William Whitlow Sr., and John J. Whitlow, who being duly sworn, depose each and say, on oath, that they saw the within named John Whitlow, sign, seale and publish the foregoing instrument as and for his last will and testament on the day the same bears date, that they each believed the said John Whitlow, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, that they each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said John Whitlow, and that they each saw Samuel C. Bailey the other subscribing witness, sign the same, at the request and in the presence of the said John Whitlow, and that they all signed the same, in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court,) Wm. Whitlow Senr.
the 24th day of August 1854.) Jno. S. Whitlow
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Be it remembered, that on the 24th day of August 1854, the within Will, was probated in the Court of Probate of Chambers County, Ala., on the within affidavit of William Whitlow Sr. and John J. Whitlow, two of the subscribing witnesses to the same, and duly recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2nd, Pages 444 & 445.

Saml. Pearson, Judge or Probate.

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JONA. A. HARRALSON COPY WILL

GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY)

In the name of God Amen.

I Jonathan A. Harralson of the County and State aforesaid knowing that death is the lot of man and the time not known by any and being of sound mind and memory do make and constitute this my last will and testament, viz--

Item 1st. My will and desire is that all my just debts be first paid..

Item 2nd. My will and desire is that my wife and family remain on my farm where they now live sufficient length of time to finish and gather my entire crop now growing with possession of all the provisions, tools & les, horses, stock of hogs & cattle necessary for their support & comfort during the time.

Item 3d. My will and desire next is that my administrators administrators who ever they may be, sell in accordance with law my entire real estate now in Georgia and Alabama together with my personal property of every description to the highest bidder as soon after my decease as the law and propriety may permit the proceeds of which together with my crops and debts to be collected as due me to be applied first to the payment of my debts as named in the first item of this my will & testament and the remainder to be by my administrator or administrators as the same may be equally divided bstwean my beloved wife Fynetta Elizabeth Harralson and five children Elizabeth, Ann, Hemsen Wesly, James Fletcher, Thomas Cone and Jonathan Ashbury, one sixth part each share and share alike, the said portion falling to my beloved wife to be paid her as soon as sufficient funds be collected to do so after my just debts be paid, the remaining portion of estate due my several children as above named to be prudently applied to their support and education by their several guardians, my wish is further that my children remain with their mother during her life time should she live to their lawful age or marriage and at lawful age to receive the balance due them from my estate.

Item 4th. My will and desire is that my father Heandon Harralson now living in Georgia and my brother Hemmon Wesley Harralson now living in Alabama admr. on terms. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this twenty second day of July eighteen hundred & fifty four.

Witness
O. Bayd
John C. Owen
O. W. Crowder

Jona. A. Harralson (L.S.)

GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY)

Court of Ordinary September Term 1854 Personally appeared in open Court Heandon Harralson one of the executors named in the above and foregoing paper writing purporting the same for probate in common form of law and also appeared Richard C. Boyd one of the subscribing witnesses to said will and after being duly sworn depoeseth and saith that he did sign the same as a witness and that he saw the testator, that we signed the same at the instanse and request of said testator and that at the time of signing the same said testator was of sound and disposing mind and memory that he done so freely voluntarily and of his own accord sworn to and subscribed before me in open Court September 4th 1854.

Wiley H. Sims Ordinary

R. C. Boyd.

(continued)

GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY)

Court of Ordinary September Term 1854. It appearing to the Court that the last will and testament of Jonathan A. Harralson has been proven in common form of law in open court upon the oath of Richard C. Boyd one of the subscribing witnesses. It is ordered by the Court that it be admited to record

Recorded 4th September 1854

Wiley H. Sims Ordinary
Wiley H. Sims Ordinary

STATE OF GEORGIA)
TROUP COUNTY)

I Wiley H. Sims Ordinary in and for said State and County do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true copy of the last will & testament of Jonathan Harralson late deceased as also a full & complete transcript of the probate of the same, Given under my hand and seal of office this 19th day of September, 1854.

Wiley H. Sims, Ordinary

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THOMAS SHANNON BOND ADMINISTRATOR'S

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas Shannon principal and W. F. Meader and A. D. Pate 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 4th day of January 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas Shannon has been appointed administrator de bonis non on the estate of Isaac Mullican deceased.

Now if the said Thomas Shannon 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) T. Shannon (seal)
January 4th 1854) W. F. Meader (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) A. D. Pate (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 4, 1854.

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

Isaac M. Mullican, deceased

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

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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THOMAS L. GRIMMET BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas L. Grimmet principal & Elizabeth Osborn & Josiah Marnock securities of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for said County 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 3rd. day of January 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas L. Grimmet has been appointed guardian of the estate of Sarah J. Osborn and Malissa V. Osborn minors and heirs of Rolin Osborn deceased:Now if the said Thomas L. Grimmet 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) T. L. Grimmet (seal)
Approved by me January 3rd 1854.) Elizabeth Osborn (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Josiah Marnock (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate January 3rd 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Thomas L. Grimmet to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Thomas L. Grimmet, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Sarah J. Osborn and Malissa V. Osborn minors & heirs of Rolin Osborn deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Thomas L. Grimmet is authorized to bring suit to be sued as the lawful guardian to the said Sarah J. and Malissa V. minors aforesaid.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 3rd day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William H. H. Hunter principal, and William F. Meader and James L. Williams 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 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 9th day of January 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William H. H. Hunter has been appointed administrator of the estate of Charles Lamb deceased. Now, if the said William H. H. Hunter, 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) Wm. H. H. Hunter (seal)
W. F. Meader (seal)
Jas. L. Williams (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Jany. 9, 1854.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 9th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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GEORGE SHEALY BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George Shealy principal, and Caleb Holloway and Lewis B. Lyle, 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 January 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that wheras the above bound George Shealy, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Maria Dorsett, and Laura Dorsett, minor heirs of John Dorsett, deceased; Now, if the said George Shealy shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be gy 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) George Shealy (seal)
January 16th 1854.) Caleb Holloway (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Lewis B. Lyle (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate Jany. 16th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of George Shealy to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said George Shealy in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Maria Dorsett and Laura Dorsett, minro heirs of John Dorsett, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said George Shealy authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor heirs of John Dorsett, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 16th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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REBECCA CARGILE BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Rebecca Cargile and Jacob H. Wolf principal and Walton W. Wallis & John W. Davidson 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 administrator, jointly and severally firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 2nd day of February 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Rebecca Cargil and Jacob H. Wolf have been appointed administratrix and administrator of the estate of William H. Cargil deceased. Now if the said Rebecca Cargil and Jacob H. Wolf 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) Rebecca Cargil (seal)
February 2nd 1854) Jacob H. Wolf (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) W. W. Wallis (seal)
John W. Davidson

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate February 2, 1854.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Rebecca Cargile and Jacob H. Wolf, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said Rebecca Cargile and Jacob H. Wolf in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of William H. Cargile, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Rebecca Cargile and Jacob H. Wolf, authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrators to the said William H. Cargile, deceased. Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 2d day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JESSE S. CLARK'S BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jesse S. Clark principal, and James F. Walton and Lewis B. Lyle secutities, of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for the 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 6th day of February 1854. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jesse S. Clark has been appointed guardian of the estate of John H. Dorsett minor heirs of John Dorsett deceased. Now, if the said Jesse S. Clark 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 Jesse S. Clark (seal)
February 6th 1854. James F. Walton (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate Lewis B. Lyle (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate February 6th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all who it may concern, that on the application of Jesse S. Clark to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Jesse S. Clark, in and upon the goods and chattles, rights and credits of John H. Dorsett, minor hier of John Dorsett, deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Jesse S. Clark authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said John H. Dorsett minor hiers of said John Dorsett, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 6th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

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STAMMORE HOLSTION BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Stammore Holstion principal and Michael A. J. Carlisle & William S. Harris 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 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 6th day of February 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Stammore Holstion has been appointed guardian of the estate of Lucinda Holstion, Elizabeth Holstion, Martha C. Holstion & Thomas L. Holstion minor heirs of Wm. Holstion Jr. deceased. Now, if the said Stammore Holstion 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 Stammore Holstion (seal)
January 6th 1854 M. A. J. Carlisle (seal)
Samuel Pearson Wm. S. Harris (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY) Court of Probate, February 6th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Stammore Holstion to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Stammore Holstion in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Lucinda, Elizabeth, Martha C. and Thomas L. Holstion, minor heirs of William Holstion Jr. deceased and in every case which occasion may require, the said Stammore Holstion authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 6th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

RICHMOND PEARSON BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Richmond Pearson principal of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto S

SEABORN B. GRAY BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Seaborn B. Gray principal and Jesse Fitzpatrick and John C. Towles 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 four 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, by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this 9th day of February 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Seaborn B. Gray has been appointed guardian of the estate of Henry G. Phillips a minor, and heir of Jesse B. Phillips deceased. Now, if the said Seaborn B. Gray shall well and truly perform all the duties which 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. S. B. Gray (seal)
Befruary 9th 1854 Jesse Fitzpatrick (seal)
Samule Pearson, Judge of Probate. John C. Towles (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Febr. 9th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all it may concern, that on the application of Seaborn B. Gray to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Seaborn B. Gray, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Hery G. Phillips, minor heirs of Jesse B. Phillips deceased, and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Seaborn B. Gray authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 9th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

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LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Febr. 11, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Ann W. Wilkerson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Ann W. Wilkerson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of James W. Wilkerson, minor heir of Jeptha Wilkerson deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Ann W. Wilkerson authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 11th day of Feburary A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

ANN W. WILKERSON BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Ann W. Wilkerson, principal and Eldred Wilkerson & Francis M. Sutton, 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 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 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Ann W. Wilkerson has been appointed guardian of the estate of James M. Wilkerson minor heir of Jeptha Wilkerson deceased. Now, if the said Ann W. Wilkerson 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 Ann W. Wilkerson (seal)
February 11th 1854 Eldred Wilkerson (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate. Francis M. Sutton (seal)

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CORNELIUS REA BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Cornelius Rea principal & Benjamin F. Rea 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 11th day of February 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Cornelius Rea has been appointed guardian of the estate & person of Sina a free woman of colour & her children, to wit, Betty, Susan, Harrison, John & Laura Now, if the said Cornelius Rea shall faithfully take charge of, and faithfully account for all such effects goods and moneys of such free persons as may come to his possession and pay and deliver the same over to such free persons of color 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 and ordered to be recorded.) Cornelius Rea (seal)
February 11th 1854) Benj. F. Rea (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Febr. 11th, 1854.

Be it remembered, and make known to all whom it may confirm, that on the application of Cornelius Rea, to my said Court, I, have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Cornelius Rea, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Sian, a free woman of Colour, and her children, to wit, Betty, Susan, Harrison, John and Laura, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Cornelius Rea, authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said free woman of colour and her said children.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 11th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM P. ALLEN BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William P. Allen principal & Thomas McCulloh & John B. Price of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for the 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 17th day of February 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Wm. P. Allen has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary J. McClelan, Eliza J. McClelane & John S. McClelan minors and heirs of Samuel McClelan deceased: Now if the said Wm. P. Allen shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by lae 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) W. P. Allen (seal)
February 17th 1854.) Thomas McCollouh (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John B. Price (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, February 17 1854.

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 of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said William P. Allen, authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate 17th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 78th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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RICHMOND PEARSON BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Richmond Pearson principal and E. Barber and Hiram Barron 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 severallly, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this 1st. day of March 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Richmond Pearson has been appointed administrator of the estate of Wineford Davem deceased. Now, if the said Richmond Pearson 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) Richmond Pearson (seal)
March 1st 1854) E. S. Barber (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Hiram Barron (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate March 1, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Richmond Pearson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Richmond Pearson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Winford Dunn deceased, and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Richmond Pearson is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Wineford Dunn deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge or Probate this 1st day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Lewis B. Lyle principal, and Jesse D. Clark and George Shealy 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 18th day of April 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Lewis B. Lyle has been appointed guardian of the estates of Mary Ann Dorsett, and Orion Dorsett, minor heirs of John Dorsett, deceased. Now, if the said Lewis B. 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) L. B. Lyle (seal)
April 18th 1854.) Jesse D. Clark (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) George Shealy (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, April 18, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Lewis B. Lyle, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of the said Lewis B. Lyle, in and upon the goods and chattels rights and credits of Mary Ann Dorsett, and Orion A. Dorsett, minor heirs of John Dorsett deceased; and in every case which occasion may require the said Lewis B. Lyle authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Minors.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 18 day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 78th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM TUCKER BOND EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Tucker principal and J. J. Jemmerson and A. B. 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 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 24th April day of 1854

William Tucker has been appointed executor of the last will & testament of Ethel Tucker Senr. deceased. Now, if the said William Tucker 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) William Tucker (seal)
Signed in presence of James McKennedy J.P.) J. J. Jemmerson (seal)
Approved by me April 24th 1854.) A. B. Tucker (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, April 24th 1854.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 24th day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78th year of American independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM FERRELL'S BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Ferrell principal and W. B. Ferrell and A. M. Presley 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 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 November 1853.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Ferrell has been appointed administrator of the estate of Aaron Pitts deceased; Now, if the said William Ferrell 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) William Ferrell (seal)
Novr. 14th 1854.) W. B. Ferrell (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) A. M. Presley (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, November 14th 1853.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Wm. Ferrell to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administrationwith the will annexed to issue in favour of the said Wm. Ferrell in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Aaron Pitts, deceased. and in every case which occasion may require, the said Wm. Ferrell is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrator to the said Aaron Pitts deceased.

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

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

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JOHN A. HURST LETTERS EXECUTORSHIP

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate May 8, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of John A. Hurst to My said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said John A. Hurst to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said John A. Hurst in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Sarah Weathers deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said John A. Hurst is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful executors, to the said Sarah Wathers, deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this 8th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 78 year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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SAMUEL ABERNATHY BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all Men by these presents, that we Samuel Abernathy principal, and William Davis and Daniel Coggin, 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 27th day of May 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Samuel Abernathy has been appointed administrator of the estate of John D. Abernathy deceased; Now, if the said Samuel Abernathy 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) Samuel Abernathy (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Wm. Davis (seal)
David Coggin (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, May 31 1854.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 31 day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM D. HARRINGTON BOND EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all Men by these presents, that we William D. Harrington principal, and Jeptha Harrington, Benjamin W. Avery, and John Burson, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. 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 fifth day of June 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William D. Harrington has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of Theron Lancaster, deceased; Now, if the said William D. Harrington 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) Wm. D. Harrington (seal)
June 5th 1854.) B. W. Avery (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John Burson (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate June 5th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William D. Harrington to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said William D. Harrington in and upon the goods and chattels rights and credits of Theron Lancaster deceased. and in every case which occasion may require, the said William D. Harrington authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executor, to the said Theron Lancaster deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 5th day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 78th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JAMES M. OLIVER AND SAMUEL C. OLIVER BOND EXECUTORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Oliver and Samuel C. Oliver principals and McCarty Oliver and James O. Oliver seicurities 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 administrator, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this 19th day of June 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James M. Oliver & Samuel C. Oliver have been appointed executors of the last will & testament of Florence M. Oliver deceased. Now, if the said James M. and Samuel C. Oliver 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.)
June 19th 1854.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate)

James M. Oliver (seal)
Samuel C. Oliver (seal)
McCarly Oliver (seal)
James O. Oliver (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 19 June, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that one the application of James M. Oliver & Samuel C. Oliver to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship, in favour of the said James M. Oliver & Samuel C. Oliver, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Florence M. Oliver deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said James M. Oliver & Samuel C. Oliver are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executors to the said Florence M. Oliver, deceased. Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 19th day of June, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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GIDEON HAYGOOD BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Gideon Haygood principal and Leonard D. Haskell and Thomas A. Samuel, 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 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 24th day of June 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Gideon Haygood has been appointed guardian of the estate and person of Thomas Perguson, a minor of Ezekiel Pergurson decd. Now if the said Gideon Haygood 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
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Gideon Haygood (seal)
Leonard D. Haskell (seal)
Thomas A Samuel (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, June 24th 1854.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 24th day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty foura and of 78th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Cincinatus C. Caldwell and Groves Caldwell principals and Joshua Caldwell, James S. Mitchell, James Simons and Miles Caldwell 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 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 10th day of July 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Cincinatus Caldwell and Groves Caldwell have been appointed executors of the estate of Joshua Caldwell deceased: Now, if the said Cincinatus and Groves Caldwell 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)
July 10th 1854)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate)

G. Caldwell (seal)
C. C. Caldwell (seal)
Joshua Caldwell (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)
Jas. Simms (seal)
Miles Caldwell (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, July 10th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Cincinatus C. Caldwell and Groves Caldwell to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Cincinatus C. Caldwell and Groves Caldwell in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Joshua Caldwell deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Cincenatus C. & Groves are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executors to the said Joshua Caldwell deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 10th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty foru and the 79th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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KISSIAH D. FREEMAN, GREEN B. FREEMAN AND LEROY W. MOORE BOND EXECUTORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Kissiah D. Freeman, Green B. Freeman and Leroy W. Moore principals and Jesse Carpenter and William A. Carpenter 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 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. Dealed with our seals, and dated this 10th day of July 1854. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Kissiah D. Freeman, Green B. Freeman and Leroy W. Moore has been appointed executrix and executors of the last will and testament of Tyre Freeman deceased; Now if the said Kissiah D. Freeman, Green B. Freeman and Leroy W. Moore 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.)
July 10th 1854.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate)

Kiziah D. Freeman (seal)
Green B. Freeman (seal)
Leroy W. Moore (seal)
Jesse Carpenter (seal)
Wm. A. Carpenter (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, July 10th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Kissiah D. Freeman, Green B. Freeman, & Leroy W. Moore to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Kissiah D. Freeman Green B. Freeman & Leroy W. Moore in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Tyre Freeman, deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Kissiah D. Green B. and Leroy W. as aforesaid are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executors to the said Tyre Freeman.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 10th day of July A.D. one Thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JOHN ROBERTSON BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Robertson principal, and Thomas C. Combs, & Ansalum A. Robertson secuties of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. Pearson Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of three thousand 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 tenth day of July 1854. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Robertson has been appointed guardian of the estate of Silas M. Robertson a lunatic, Now, if the said John Robertson 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.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

John Robertson (seal)
Thomas C. Combs (seal)
Ansalum A. Robertson(seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, July 10th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern. That on the application of John Robertson to my said Court, I have cause these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said John Robertson in and upon the good and chattels, rights and credits of Tyre Freeman deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Kissiah D. Green B. and Leroy W., as aforesaid are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executors to the said Tyre Freeman.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 10th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

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JESSE M. JACKSON & WHYCHE S. JACKSON BOND EXECUTORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jesse M. Jackson & Whyche S. Jackson principal and John Hugley & Thomas Glaze 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 ~~three thou~~sand 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 July 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jesse M. Jackson and Wiche S. Jackson has been appointed executors of the last will & testament of Wich Jackson deceased. Now, if the said Jesse M. Jackson and Wich S. Jackson 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)
July 28th 1854)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

J. M. Jackson (seal)
W. L. Jackson (seal)
John Huguly (seal)
Thomas Glaze (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 Jesse M. Jackson & Wyche S. Jackson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Jesse Jackson & Wyche S. Jackson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Wyche Jackson deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Jesse M. Jack & Wych S. Jackson are authorized to bring suit and be such as the lawful executors to the said Wyche Jackson deceased.

Witness, Samuel Perason Judge of Probâte this 28th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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DANIEL N: HUDMAN BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Daniel N. Hudman principal & Timothy Collins, Terry Collins and William Collins 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 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 2nd day of August 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Daniel N. Hudman has been appointed administrator of the estate of Mary Hudman deceased: Now, if the said Daniel N. Hudman 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)
August 2nd 1854)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)
Signed and sealed in my presence this 4th day)
of September 1854.)
James M. Roberts, Justice of the Peace)

D. N. Hudman (seal)
Timothy Collins (seal)
Terry Collins (seal)
William Collins (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, August 2, 1854.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 2nd day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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HUGH W. HORTON BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Hugh W. Horton & Reubin Jones principals and Edmund P. Horton James R. Haughton J. M. Freeny, Wm. S. Hill and W. H. Huguley 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 15th day of August 1854. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Hugh W. Horton & Reuben Jones have been appointed administrators with the will annexed of the estate of Edmund Horton deceased: Now, if the said Hugh W. Horton and Reuben Jones 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)
August 15th 1854.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Hugh W. Horton (seal)
Reuben Jones (seal)
Edmund P. Horton (seal)
Jas. P. Hodge (seal)
J. M. Freeney (seal)
W. S. Hill (seal)
W. H..Huguley (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, August 15th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Hugh W. Horton & Reuben Jones to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Hugh W. Horton & Reuben Jones in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Edmond Horton deceased, in every case which occasion may require, the said Hugh W. Horton & Reuben Jones are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrators to the said Edmund Horton deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 15th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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RALEIGH R. SPINKS BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Raleigh R. Spinks principal and William M. Trimble and Perry D. Yancey 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, joinlty and severally, firmly.by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 13th day of September 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Raleigh R. Spinks has been appointed guardian of the estate of George W. Spinks a minor heir of Henry N. Spinks deceased. Now, if the said Raleigh R. 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 and ordered to be recorded)
Sept. 13th 1854.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Raleigh R. Spinds (seal)
William M. Trimble (seal)
P. D. Yancey (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Sept. 13th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Rolley R. Spinks to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Rolley R. Spinks, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of George W. Spinks minor heir of Henry N. Spinks deceased, and in every case which occasion may require the said Rolley R. Spinks authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 13 day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

HUGH W. HORTON & REUBEN JONES BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Hugh W. Horton and Reuben Jones principals and Edmond P. Horton, James R. Hodge J. M. Freeney Wm. S. Hill and W. H. Huguley 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 August 1854. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Hugh W. Horton and Reuben Jones have been appointed administrators of the estate of Martha G. Horton deceased. Now if the said Hugh W. Horton and Reuben Jones 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) Hugh W. Horton (seal)
August 15th 1854.) Reuben Jones (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Edmond P. Horton (seal)
Jas. R. Hodge (seal)
J. M. Freeney (seal)
W. S. Hill (seal)
W. H. Huguley (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, August 15th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made knowa to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Hugh W. Horton and Reuben Jones to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Hugh W. Horton & Reuben Jones in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Martha G. Horton deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Hugh W. Horton & Reuben Jones are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrators to the said Martha G. Horton deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 15th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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HENRY W. TODD & WM. A. JOHNSON BOND ADMINISTRATORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Henry W. Todd & Wm. A. Johnson principals and William B. S. Gilmer and Jesse Mosley 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 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 28th day of August 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Henry W. Todd & William A. Johnson have been appointed administrators of the estate of Robert M. Reed deceased: Now, if the said Henry W. Todd & William A. 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 and ordered to be recorded) H. W. Todd (seal)
Approved by me, August 28th 1854.) Wm. A. Johnson (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. B. S. Gilmer (seal)
Jesse Moseley (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate August 28th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Henry W. Todd, and Wm. A. Johnson, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Henry W. Todd and Wm. A. Johnson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Robert M. Reed deceased. And, in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry W. Todd and Wm. A. Johnson are authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrators, to the said Robert M. Reed, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 28th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

CATHARINE WHITLOW, WILLIAM A. WHITLOW & JAMES WHITLOW BOND EXECUTRIX

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Catharine Whitlow, William A. Whitlow, and James P. Whitlow principals and William Whitlow senr. and Charles Rutledge, 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 eighteen 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 September 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Catharine Whitlow, William A. Whitlow & James P. Whitlow have been appointed executrix & executors of the estate of John Whitlow deceased. Now, if the said Catharine, William A. & James P. Whitlow shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such executrix & executors then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.) her
September 6th 1854.) Catharine X Whitlow (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) mark
William A. Whitlow (seal)
James P. Whitlow (seal)
William Whitlow Senr (seal)
Charles Rutledge (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Sept. 6th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made knowa to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Catharine Whitlow, William A. Whitlow and James P. Whitlow, to my said Court, I have caused these letters testamentary to issue in favor of the said Catharine Whitlow William A. Whitlow, and James P. whitlow, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John Whitlow deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Catharine Whitlow, William A. Whitlow and James P. Whitlow are authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful executrix and executors to the said John Whitlow, deceases.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 6th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79 year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JACOB WATSON BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jacob Watson principal and Samuel Newman and John Burson 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 11th day of September 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jacob Watson has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Y. Rhodes deceased. Now, if the said Jacob Watson 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) Jacob Watson (seal)
Septr. 11th 1854.) Samuel Newman (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) John Burrow (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 Jacob Watson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Jacob Watson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John Y. Rhodes deceased: and in every case which occasion may require, the said Jacob Watson is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said John Y. Rhodes deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 11th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

MARGARET MUSIC BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Mary Music principal, and Michael Hinckle and Benjamin Blassingame, 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 hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, joiatly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals, and dated this 18th day of September 1854. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Margaret Music has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mariam M. Jones, minor heir of William Jones deceased: Now, if the said Margaret Music 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.)
September 18th 1854) her
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Margaret X Music (seal)
mark
M. Hinkle (seal)
B. Blassingam (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Sept. 18th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Margaret Music to my said Court, I have caused these letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Margaret Music, in and upon the goods and chattels rights and credits of Mariam M. Jones, minor heir of William Jones, deceased, and in every case which occasion may require the said Margaret Music, authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 18 day of September, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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MICHAEL HINCKLE BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Michael Hinkle, principal, and Thomas Shannon and James S. Mitchell, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. Pearson Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of Eleven 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 September 1854. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Michael Hinkle has been appointed guardian of the estate of Martha Y. Jones minor heirs of William Jones deceased. Now, if the said Michael Hinkle 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) M. Hinkle (seal)
September 18th 1854.) T. Shannon (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) J. S. Mitchell (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Sep. 18, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Michael Hinckle to my said Court, I have caused Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Michael Hinckle in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Martha Y. Jones a minor heir of William Jones, deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Michael Hinkle authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 18th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JESSE BONDS WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that I, Jesse Bonds taking into consideration the uncertainty of life and the certainty of death do make constitute and declare this to be my last will and testament.

Item 1st. I resign my body to the dust and my spirit to God who gave it.

Item 2nd. I desire that all my just debts shall be paid out of the proceeds of my estate.

Item 3rd. I give will and desire that my executors who will hereinafter be named shall have full and unlimited power to act and dispose of my estate by the conseat of my wife, Elizabeth Bonds as they may think best for the benefit of my said wife and children either to sell privately or publicly as they may think best any part or portion of my real or personal property and make titles to the same without an order fo the probate Judge of said County in any and every case where it may be necessary.

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It. 4th. I will and desire that after my just debts are paid out of my estate that all the remainder if any be left shall be kept together in order that my said wife Elizabeth may be enabled to raise and educate my children who are under age or minors (viz) Mary Jane Bonds John Columbus Bonds Robert A. Bonds Joseph A. Bonds Roda E. Bonds Louesa C. Bonds James W. Bonds Rebeah Bonds Nancy A. Bonds Lossa Bonds and after said children are raised and educated or if they become of age or marry and there is a remainder of my said estate left in the hands of my executors I will and desire that my said wife Elizabeth Bonds shall have the use and benefit of such remainder so long as she lives unless there should be more than she kneds for her comfort then and in that case I want all of my children to have an equal share each, of said overpluss first making my children herein before named up equal to what my daughter Sarah F. French wife of William French has had given of to her which is a bead and bed stead and furniture and thirty dollars in money and after that amount is made as paid over to the other children then said S. F. French is to come in equal with the rest of my children herein before named and not untill they are made equal in any case what ever.

It 5th. I will and desire that if it becomes necessary for my executors to sell any portion of my estate in order to pay my just debts that they shall first sell my lands selling first the east half of the west half section No of section twenty seven (27) in range 28 twenty eight and township 21 one and my interest in a mill shole and ten acres of land off of section 33 thirty three in township 21 one of range 28 eight and also tweaty and a half acres in Taladega County Alabama whereon Seander Wallis lives in said County of Taladega and I want it fuly understood that I hereby give and invest in my executors with the consent of my said wife full power to sell or buy property either real or personal as they may think best for the benefit of my family and without making application to any Court for an order of sail in any case whatever,

It. 6th. I do hereby constitute and appoint Womer W. Meaders and Felix Stanley my legal and lawful executors to carry out this my last will & testament.

Interlined before assigned between lines sixteen & seventeen & between lines twenty seven & tweaty eight also between lines forty & forty five.

Signed sealed & executed in presence of) Jesse Bonds
This the 15th of March A.D. 1854.)
Test J. E. Combs)
James G. Thompson)
John Burson)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate, November 6, 1854.

Personally appeared in open Court, J. E. Combs, and James C. Thompson, who being duly sworn, depose & say, on oath, that they saw Jesse Bonds sign seal and publish the foregoing instrument, as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date, that they each believed the said Jesse Bonds to be of sound & disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same that they deponants signed the same as subscribing witnesses at the request & in the presence of the said Jesse Bonds, & that they each saw John Bonds, the other subscribing witness, siga the same at the request & in the presence of the said Jesse Bonds, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court, the 6th day of) J. E. Combs
November, A.D. 1854.) James G. Thompson
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Be it remembered that on the 6th day of November 1854, the within will was duly probated in the Court, of Probate for Chambers County, Alabama, upon the oaths of J. E. Combs and James G. Thompson, two of the subscribing witnesses to the said will, and recorded in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Page 485 & 486.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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THOMAS WILEYS WILL

STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I, Thomas Wiley of said County and State while in the enjoyment of a sound mind and good discretion, being desireus of disposing what property God has blessed me with do make and publish this my last will and testament. First I will my immortal spirit to the God that gave it confidently trusting in his goodness and mercy.

Item 1st. It is my will and desire that my herein after named executor pay all of my just debts out of the first monies that may come to his hands from my estate as soon as he can conveniently do so.

Item 2nd. I will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Keturah Wiley one negro by named Sanford and one negro girl named Susan and my buggy and my Canadian Filley (Fany Hill) and one bed and furniture and one thousand dollars of the last monys realized from the sale of the lands of my estate.

Item 3rd. It is further my will and desire that the balance of my negro property (not hereinbefore bequeathed) be appraised and divided in to six equal parts or lots as near as it can be done, and that enough money be added to the smaller lots to make each of them equal in value to the largest and most valuable lot, and that said lots be drawn for by my children that may then be living, and by the children of my deceased children, that is my children that are then living and each to draw one lot, and the children of my deceased children to draw the lots that my deceased children would draw were they living.

Item 4th. It is further my will and desire that all of the balance of my personal property not hereinbefore desposed of, be sold at public sale by my executor on a credit of twelve months, and that all the lands belonging to my estate be sold by my executor at public sale, the purchase money payable in two instalments, one half thereof payable in twelve months after date of sale, and the other payable in tweaty four months after said date.

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Item 5th. It is further my will and desire that after all of my debts are paid and my wife Keturah Wiley receives the money herein before willed to her, and after said lots of negros are made equal in value as aforesaid in Item 3d, then the remaining monies of my estate be divided into six equal parts, and my children that are then living an each to receive one part thereof, and the children of my deceased children are to have the parts that would go to their respective parents were they then living that is I want each of my living children to have one sixth of said monies and the children of my deceased children to have the respective sixth, that would go to their parents were they living,

Item 6th. It is further my will and desire that my daughter Mary Ann Turner be charged by my estate in her settlement with the same the sum of twelve hundred and eighty dollars for monies advanced to her during my life, over and above what I advanced to my other children.

Item 7th. It is further my will and desire that the lot of negroes that may be drawn for the children of my ddeceased daughter Elizabeth Penney shall be sold at public sale by executor on a credit of twelve months and that the money for the same with all other moneys herein willed and bequeathed to the children of my said deceased daughter be place in the hands of James M. Kennedy of said County & State, these to remain at lawful interest and as said children become of the age of twenty one years the said Kennedy is to pay over to each its respective part of said money or should any of the girl children of my said deceased daughter Mary then they will be entitled to draw their respective parts of said money said James M. Kennedy is to give bond with approved security to the Judge of the Probate Court of the County where this will is recorded for the propper application of said money, and it is my will and desire that the children of my said deceased daughter receive said money under the above described manner and conditions.

Item 8th. It is further my will and desire that William Gilmer of said County & State act as executor of this my last will and testament and I hereby appoint him executor as aforesaid, this November 9th 1854.

Daniel S. Robertson — Thos. Wiley
Isaiah C. Fitten
Walton E. Smith

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate, Decr. 6th 1854.

Personally appeared in open Court, Isaiah C. Fitten, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith on oath, that he saw Thomas Wiley sign, seal and publish the foregoing instrument, as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date, that he believed the said Thomas Wiley to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the seame, that he deponent, signed the same as a subscribing witness at the request and in the presence of the said Thomas Wiley and that he saw Daniel S. Robertson and Walton E. Smith the other subscribing witnesses, sign the same, at the request and in the presence of the said Thomas Wiley, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court, the 6th day of December A.D. 1854.) Isaiah C. Fitten.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate)

Be it remembered, that on the 6th day of December, A.D. 1854, the foregoing will, was duly probated in the Court of Probate of Chambers County, Ala. upon the affidavit of Isiah C. Fitten, one of the subscribing witnesses, and Recorded in Vol. 2, Pages, 487 & 488.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ARCHABALD MCINTYRE'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

This instrument is to share what my will is concerning my affairs as is a duty I owe my family to set my house in order as it appears that the time of my departure is at hand I therefore in the full exercise of my reasoning faculties make the following arrangements commiting my body to the grave and my soul to God who gave it me.

Article 1st. I wish to be buryed in a plain and decent manner without any of the superflueties that pride and fashion introduced into the wordl.

Art. 2nd. I wish all my debts to be paid at the usual time when they are due as these will be ample means for that purpose what I owe can be ascertained by me day book & other papers in my possesion.

Art. 3rd. My land consisting of 157 acres I authorise my wife Effy McIntyre to sell when she can get a suitable price for it and move to western Tennessee where her brothers is she is to be asisted with the advice and directions of these affairs by Wm. Joseph Greer who will supereated her business she will also sell the stock such as she will not need to take with her and crop and all things that she will not take with her the money to be kept secure only what will be necessary for an outfit and road expenses and the ballance to be laid out in land and provision and other wants.

Art. 4th. It is my will that this agency of Joseph Greer shall be transpire to her brothers in Tennesse Daniel McCallum & William McCallum.

Art. 4th. If she should be under the necesity of remaining here in consequence of not being able to sell the land she will keep every thing together and raise the family and at her death every thing to be divided equal amongst the children only Harriet Newel must get a double share.

Art. 5th. If she should move to Tennessee she will do the same way but if she marries the property is to be divided equally only H. N. must receive double portion and herself her lawful share.

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Art. 6th. If she (my wife) should think proper she is authorized, as the children become of age or marry to give to each one as much as she feels able to do and whatever she thinks would be right not prejudicial to the interest of the rest of the children.

Art. 7th. In the event that her brothers Daniel & William McCallua are not living in Tennessee before she should be able to move or if they should remove from Tennessee after she has moved amongst them in that event she is authorized to remain or go with them at her discretion.

Art. 8th. And it is my wish that my wife Effy A. Intire executed this my last will and that no security be required of her for the performance of the same.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 18th day of August A.D. 1854. In presence of Archd. McIntyre (L.S.)
W. H. McWhorter
Joseph Greer
J. C. Hammond

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate Decr. 14, 1854.

Personally appeared in open Court Joseph Greer, who being duly sworn, deposeth and says on oath, that he saw Archibald McIntyre, siga, seal, and publish the foregoing instrument, as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date, that he believed the said Archibald McIntyre, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, that he deponent signed the same as a subscribing witness at the request & in the presence of the said Archd. McIntyre and that he saw Wm. H. McWhorter and J. C. Hammond, the other two subscribing witnesses, each sign the same at the request & in the presence of the said Archd. McIntyre, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed, before me,) Joseph Greer
this 14 day of December, A.D. 1854.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Be it remembered, that on the 14th day of December 1854, the foregoing will was duly probated, in the Court of Probate of Chambers County, Ala. upon the affidavit of Joseph Greer, one of the subscribing witnesses; and Recorded in Record of Wills Vol. 2 Page 489 490.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM MILLER WILL

In the name of God men I, William Miller being convinced that all men must die and being of sound mind and disposing memory do hereby make constitute ordain and publish my last will and testament hereby revoking and expressly annulling all others heretofore made by me It is first of all my will and sincere desire that all just debts of all kinds together with my necessary funeral expenses be paid after which it is my will and desire that my property both real and personal be disposed of in manor and form as follows.

Item first. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Amanda Louisa wife of Thomas Sheghts a negro woman named Sally and her daughter have it to make them equal with the value of the rest of my heirs now in the possession of said Amanda Louisa Shights.

Item second. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Marthana Drinkard and to which I heretofore have executed a deed of gift to said negro woman to said Martha Ann to be for her use and the use of her bodily heirs the said negro woman and his increase to her use only her lifetime then to her heirs I also give forty acres of land lying in Chambers County adjoining Drinkard which I got from Drinkard now by the Brumbola land.

Item third. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Argant B. Wright a negro woman named Judy now in her possession and the worth forty acres of land in money.

Item fourth, I give and bequeath unto my daughter Ephair Elizabeth Palerson a negro woman named Harriet now in possession of said Eephar E. Paterson and also two hundred acres of land whereon I now live after my and my wifeis death then for her to take possession of the north east part and whereon my house now stands down to Jinkens live and to have two hundred acres out of that corner.

Item fifth. I give and bequeath unto my grand daughter a grant and arnitl three cows and calves I also give her hisan note for ten dollars and the balance of two hundred dollars in property after the death of my wife and self are dead.

Item sixth. I give and bequeath unto my grand son William Harval three hundred dollars after the death of my wife and my self in money.

Item seventh. I give and bequeath unto my dearley wife during her lifetime and widowhood all my real and personal property of all and every class kind carests or description where ever situated lying or being and all rights and titles there unto pertaining to which she is to use and enjoy in such maner as she may think best to promote her comfort and after the death or marrage of my dear beloved wife Argant it is my will that Thomas Spights is not to pay that money that I paid for him on his land but that Martha & Eapar have that land that I have given them over and above the rest to make them equal with Amand Spights and after the death of my beloved wife Argant or marriage then my estate is to be put in to lots and be divided as equal as the previous chosen by their selves five respectable persons in lots and then drawn for and not to have any sale if an be equaly don Ann Arnett and William H. Veal is to have one share to be dived. equal in su of their Mother which is dead I also constitute and appoint my dear beloved Argant and Thomas S. Thompson my executors for the caring out the full force and effect of this my lust will and testament hereby them to pay up and settle all my just debts & funeral expenses to take controle off and manage and settle business as they may think best and to contract and sell all perishable property not needed for the benefit of the family and I also wish Thomas S. Thomason to be paid full satisfaction for his survacis in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and offixed me seal this the_____ of May A.D. 1853 in presence of us.

W. M. McClendon — William Miller (L.S.)
Briel Smith
James Mayfield

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open Court, W. M. McClendon Budd Smith and James Mayfield who being duly sworn, depose and say, that they each saw William Miller, sign, seal and publish the foregoing instrument, as and for his last will and testament on the day the same bears date, that they each believed the said William Miller, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, that they, deponents each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said William Miller, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.
Sworn to & subscribed, before me in open Court) W. M. McClendon
this 17th day of January A.D. 1855.) Budd Smith
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) James Mayfield

Be it remembered, that on the 17th day of January 1855, the foregoing Will was duly probated in the Court of Probate of Chambers County, Ala. upon the oaths of W. M. McClendon, Budd Smith and James Mayfield, the three subscribing witnesses, and Recorded in Record of Wills Vol 2, Pages 490, 491, & 492.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ELIZABETH CARLISLE WILL

In the name of God amen I, Elizabeth Carlisle of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama do make and declare this to be my last will in manner and form following.

1st. First. I resign my sould into the hands of Almighty God hoping and believing in a remission of my sins by the merits and meditation of Jesus Christ, and my body I commit to the earth to be buried in a Christian like manner, and my worldy estate I give and desire as follows. First It is my wish and desire that my executor hereafter named should as soon as practable proseed to pay all just debts and demands that may be against my estate out of the disposable part of my property.

Second. It is my wish, I do hereby gave one of my beds bedstead and all my bed cloths and wearing cloths to my daughter Elizabeth Taylor over and above her equal childs portion. It is my wish and desire that my son William W. Carlisle be given out of my estate five dollars and heir of body. It is also my wish and desire that Edmund W. Carlisle have five dollars out my estate as heir of my body to let him known he one had a mother. It is my wish that my grand daughter Malinde Carlisle daughter of Edmond W. Carlisle that I have raised from eleven days to eleven years old have good plain schooling and decent clothing and one cow and calf to be given up to her as she may need it. It is my wish that a childs part of my property be equally divided between my two grand sons William Carlisle and John A. Carlisle sons of William W. Carlisle.

It is my wish that my garndson Joseph P. Craggs have five dollars of my estate.

Lastly it is my wish that all the ballance of my property be sold and the proceeds of the sale be equally divided between James W. Carlisle Robert W. Carlisle Green W. Carlisle Michael A. J. Carlisle and Elizabeth S. Taylor.

And I do hereby constitute and appoint my two sons Green W. Carlisle and Michael A. J. Carlisle sole executors of this my last will and testament and making and disanulling all others.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the first day of August in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred & forty six signed sealed published and declared by the said testator as and for her last will and testament in our presence who at her request in the presence of each other subscribed our names as witnesses thereto.

her
Richard G. Walker Elizabeth X Carlisle (L.S.)
mark
John Burton
M. Phillips

This above will & testament of Elizabeth Carlisle was made & put in the hands of M. Phillips after his death she called it in & the other two subscribing having bin moved off requested as the undersigned subscribers to witness the same this November 15th, 1854.
Geroge W. Thompson
Wm. Blackburn
J. H. McClain

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate February 26th 1855.

Personally appeared in open Court George W. Thompson one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will and after being duly sworn says on oath that Elizabeth Carlisle, the within named testatrix acknowledged, in his presence and in the presence of Wm. Blackburn and J. H. McClain the other two subscribing witnesses, the within & foregoing instrument in writing to be her last will and testament and affiant further says that he believed the said Elizabeth Carlisle to be of sound and disposing mind & memory at the time and on the day of said acknowledgement, and that he signed the same as a subscribing witness at the request and in the presence of said testatrix and that he also saw Wm. Blackburn and J. H. McClain sign the same as subscribing witnesses at the request and in the presence of said testatrix and in the presence of each other, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.
Sworn to and subscribed in open Court the George W. Thompson
date above, before me.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Be it remembered, that on the 26th day of February 1855, the within will was duly probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Alabama on the oath of George W. Thompson, one of the subscribing witnesses to the same, and recorded in Record of Wills, Vol 2, Pages.

NANCY CLEMENTS WILL

I Nancy Clements of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, do hereby declare this to be my last will and testament.

I give to my daughter Elizabeth S. J. Clements, a negro girl about six years old, called Julia Maria, which I intend to be over and above her equal portion of my other property.

It is my will that my land and other property except my negroes, be sold either at public sale to the highest bidder or privately by my executor or executors, on such terms and at such place as he or they may think proper, and the proceeds of the same, after paying my debts, be so divided as to mak the portion of my estate given to each of my children equal except the portion given to my daughter Mary Ann Mathews, hereafter particularly specified.

It is my will that my negroes be as equally divided among my children (Elizabeth included) as may be by these or more disinterested persons to be selected by my executor for that purpose, with the exception that I desire and will that the sum of three hundred and seventy five dollars, with interest an the same from the first day of January A.D. 1852, be taken from what would be the equalportion of my estate going to my daughter Mary Ann Mathews and her given to my daughter Elizabeth S. J. Clements. It is my wish that the pursons appointed to apportion and value my negroes, amonge and settle his clause of my will.

It is my will that my executor or executors incur no expense or be required to give any bond for the executor of this instrument, and that nothing more than the probating and recording of the same be done by the Court.

It is my will that Turner H. Clements Stephen W. Clements Wm. L. Crayton and Robert Thompson or any one or more of them executor this will and I hereby authorize all or either of them to do so.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this 12th day of June A.D. 1854.

Signed by Nancy Clements this the 12th day of June in the presence of us as witnesses, who have hereto subscribed our names as witnesses, in his presence.
Charles Rutledge her
Benjamin Wester Nancy X Clements
Abram McClendon mark

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Personally appeared in open court Benjamin Wester and Abram McClendon who being duly sworn deposeth and say, that they each saw Nancy Clements, sign seal and publish the foregoing instrument, as and for his last will and testament on the day the same bears date, that they each believed the said Nancy Clayton, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, that they deponents, each signed the same as subscribing witness, at the request & in the presence of the said Nancy Clements that they saw Charles Rutledge, the other subscribing witness, sign the same at the request & in the presence of the said Nancy Clements and that they all signed the same, in the presence of each other.
Sworn to & subscribed in open Court) Benjamin Wester
before me this 12th day of March 1855.) Abram McClendon
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate)

Be it remembered that the foregoing will, was on the 12th day of March 1855, probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Ala. on the affidavits of Benjamine Wester and Abram McClendon, two of the subscribing witnesses to the same and recorded in Record of Wills Vol, 2 Pates 494 & 95.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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LARKIN R. GUNN'S WILL,

THE STATE OF ALABAMA

In the name of God Amen I, Larkin R. Gunn of the County of Chambers and State being mindful of the uncertainty of human life do on this the twenty first day of March in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty nine make and publish this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills and codicils by me heretofore made, First of all I commend my soul to God who gave it and my body to be decently interred.

Item 2nd I, hereby nominate and appoint my beloved wife Cyntha Gunn executrix and my two sons Leonidas Gunn and Simeon Gunn executors of this my last will and testament.

Item 3d. I desire all my just debts to be paid so soon after my decease as practicable.

Item 4th. I give and bequeath unto my daughter Nancy E. Barrow wife of James H. Barrow in addition to what I have advanced to her the sum of one dollars in full of her portion or share of my estate.

Item 5th. I give devise and bequeath unto my two sons Leonidas and Simeon all of the rest or residue of the messages lands tenements and hereditaments with the appurtenances--together with all of the negroes or slaves with all of the rest and residue of the personal estate debts chores in action and moneys of what kind nature or quality soever the same may be of which I may be sized or possessed, or in any wise entitled on my death and all other property real personal or mused not herein before otherwise disposed of reserving unto my beloved wife Cyntha Gunn and to and for her sole and separate use and inclusive enjoyment the one third part of the estate real and personal in this item devised for and during the time of her natural life, and which property I desire kept together untill the death of my wife or untill my son Simeon shall become of lawful age or untill my said wife may marry in either of which events by the assents of two of the three legatees named that the property may be dividdd into three equal parts one third of which shall be to the sole and separate use of my wife Cyntha Gunn for and during her natural life and at her death to be equally divided between my two sons Leonidas and Simeon as their absolute property the other two thirds upon such dividion to go to and become the absolute property of my said sons Leonidas and Simeon in equal parts.

Item 6th. It is further my will and desire that should either of my said sons Leonidas or Simeon die without issue that if the other one of them be living he shall take the whole property--if my wife should be dead--if she should be living then all of his deceased brothers share, and after the death of my wife that portion secured to her for life shall go to and become the property of my son either Leonidas Or Simeon either being in life while the other may have died without issue. It is further my will that if one of my sons should die without child or children and the other shall die leaving child or children that the child or children thus left shall inherit and take the property in the same manner that his her or their deceased father would under

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this will. I further desire that in the event that both of my sons Leonidas & Simeon should die without a child or children to inherit from that the whole the property bequeathed in the fifth item shall go to and become the property of the children of my deceased brother Richard Gunn suar. and to their decendants in equal portions.

Item 7. It is my will and I hereby empower any two of my executors or executrix named to make all sales which may be necessary to make and to execute all titles necessary or in their discretion and to manage the whole matter without making any roturn to Court of their actings and doings in the premises.

In witness whereof I Larkin R. Gunn have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal at LaFayette in the County of Chambers and said State on the day and year herein before named.

Larkin R. Gunn (seal)

The above and foregoing instrument consisting of two pages--and what is above written on this page was now here subscribed by Larkin R. Gunn the testator in the presence of each of us and was at the same time declared by him to be his last will and testament and we at his request signed our names hereto as attesting witness in the presence of the said testator and in the presence of each other, and that the said Larkin R. Gunn was of sound mind and disposing memory--at LaFayette this 21st March A.D. 1849.

Charles McLemore
Hilliard J. Perkins
Isaac M. Hightower

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate March 24th 1855.

Personally appeared in open Court Charles McLemore one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will who being duly sworn, deposeth and says on oath that he saw Larkin R. Gunn sign, seal and publish the same as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date, that he believed the said Larkin R. Gunn to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same that he deponent, signed the same as a subscribing witness at the request and in the presence of the said Larkin R. Gunn, that he saw Hillard J. Perkins and Isaac M. Hightower, the other two subscribing witness, each sign the same, at the request & in the presence of the said Larkin R. Gunn, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other. Sworn to & subscribed, in open Court the 24th day of March 1855.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Charles McLemore

Be it remembered, that on the 24th day of March, 1855, the foregoing will was duly probated, in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Alabama, and the affidavit of Charles McLemore, are of the subscribing witnesses to said Will and recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 495 & 96 & 97.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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MARY SCOTT'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, amen.

I, Mary Scott of said County and State being of sound and disposing mind and memory, and being desirous to settle my worldly affairs, which I have thought so to do, do make and publish this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all wills by me, at any time heretofore made.

And first, I commit my body to the ground in decent and Christian burial, and my sole to the God who gave it.

1st. Item. I give and bequeath unto Elenor Smith, my daughter, wife of Wm. Smith, Malinda a negro girl, about twenty eight years old.

2d. Item. I give and bequeath unto William T. Smith my grandson, a negro boy James, about seven years old.

3d. Item. I give and bequeath unto my son, David M. Scott, five dollars.

4th. Item. I give and bequeath unto my son Jerry Scott, five dollars.

5th. Item. I give and bequeath unto my son, Joseph Scott, the balance of my estate.

I hereby appoint Langdon Ellis, executor of this my last will.

In witness thereof, I the said Mary Scott, have to this will, set my hand and seal, this 2d day of April, A.D. 1855.

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Mary X Scott (L.S.)
mark

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the above named Mary Scott, as her last will and testament, in the presence of us, who at her request in the presence of each other, have subscribed our names as witnesses thereto; this 2d. day of April, 1855.

Elizabeth McClendon
Jno. M. Harrington.

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate, May 28, 1855.

Personally appeared in open Court, John M. Harrington, one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith on oath, that Mary Scott, the testatrix, directed her name to be signed to the same, and that he, deponent signed the name of Mary Scott, to said will, at her request, on the day the same bears date; that he believed the said Mary Scott, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of said signing; that he, deponent, signed the same as a subscribing witness, at the request and in the presence of the said Mary Scott; and that he saw Elizabeth McClendon, the other subscribing witness, sign the same, at the request, and in the presence of the said Mary Scott; and that they all signed the same, in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed, in open Court,) J. M. Harrington.
this 28th day of May 1855.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Be it remembered, that on the 28th day of May 1855, the foregoing will was duly probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Alabama, on the affidavit of John M. Harrington, one of the subscribing witnesses, to said will; and recorded in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 497, & 498.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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LEROY MCCOY WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

This the fifteenth of November 1853.

In the name of God amen.

I, Leroy McCoy being of sound mind and calling to mind the mortality of my body and knowing that is appointed for all men once to die do make this my last will and testament first I give the keeping of my sole and body to Almity God second. I, depose or my property as follows to my beloved wife Nancy McCoy I give and bequeath my servent woman Cherry and her youngest child a boy named Natham & boy Alen Horse & carage one feather bead cow & calf and four hundred dollars in money to have and to hold for her own proper use and benefit during her matural life then to be equally divided among my children viz John McCoy D. H. McCoy Susan Walter Mary W. Humphries, Ann H. McCoy & Rebecca Howell. I further will and bequeath unto my son Amos H. McCoy, Dice and her child Cate; and unto my daughter Susan Waller I will & bequeath Winney a servant girl & to my daughter Mary Humphries, I will & bequeath girl Haritt and to my son D. H. McCoy I will my servant Tom & Elick and Salley, to have and to hold so follows, that the above named negroes bequeathed to be valued by the heirs of my body provided they can agree. If they fail to agree they are then call in three disinterested men or have them to value them on each one pay the valueation so as to make my son John McCoy an Reveeca Howell equal with the above bequeath J. Further will that the amount faling to my daughter Susan Waller & Rebeca Howell an Mary W. Humphries before these own proper use so long as they shall live and then to be equally divided between their children, I, further will that if said Mary Humphries shall die without any heirs of her own body that the property she receives from my estate shall at her death go & be equally divided between the children of my son Amos H. McCoy & Susan Waller and Rebeca Howell and I appoint my son D. H. McCoy to take the amount of the valuation of said negroes faling to my daughter Rebeca Howell & buy such negro as he & her husband Henry Howell shall agree upon & deed it to her and the heirs of her boddy, at her death I further will that the foregoing shall not be so construed as to make any defiance in the amount faling to either of my children but that they shall shear equal according to valuation of said negros. The balance of my property to be sold as my children may choose and after the payment of all mu just debts the balance to be equally divided between my children above named vis John McCoy D. H. McCoy Rebeca Howell Amos H. McCoy Susan Waller Mary W. Humphries and I moreover appoint my sons John McCoy and D. H. McCoy to carry out the foregoing will.

Leroy McCoy

Eli Mckinney,
W. G. Eberhart,
Horace McLean

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate, May 9, 1855.

Personally appeared in open Court, Horace McLean one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith on oath that he saw Leroy McCoy sign seald and publish the same, as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date; and that he believed the said Leroy McCoy, 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 Leroy McCoy and that he saw W. G. Eberheart, and Eli McKinney, the other subscribing witnesses, each sign the same, at the request and in the presence of the the said Leroy McCoy, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court this) Horace McLean
9th day of May 1855.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Be it remembered that the foregoing will was on the 9th day of May 1855, duly probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Alabama, on the affidavit of Horace McLean, one of the subscribing witnesses to said will, and duly recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 499, & 500.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

In the name of God, amen.
I Lewis Towers, of Milltown, Chambers County, State of Alabama, do make and declare this to be my last will, in manner and form following.
First: I resign my sould unto the hands of Almighty God, hoping and believing in a remission of my sins by the merits and mediation of Jesus Christ; and my body I commit to the earth to be buried in a Christian-like manner. And my worldly estate, I give and devise as follows:
First: It is my wish and desire that my executor hereafter named, should as soon as practicable, proceed to pay all just debts and demands which may be against my estate, out of the disposable part of my effects, (collecting and applying the assetts due me, which I believe will be full sufficient.)
Second: I give in trust to my beloved wife Louisa F. Towers, for the purpose of educating and supporting our children; all of my estate both real and personal, debts due and effects, both in Alabama and Georgia. My desire and meaning is, that my estate be conducted with as little expense as possible, and that after an inventory and settlements of my debts being returned to the Court, that my said wife, be at no further expense in making returns.
Third: I hereby constitute and appoint my wife Louisa F. Towers, sole executor of this my last will and testament, and revoking and disanulling all others.
In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this 13th day of June A.D. 1855.
Signed, sealed, published and declared by Lewis Towers.
the testator, as and for his last will and testamen, in our presence, who at his request in his presence, and in the presence of each other, subscribed our named as witnesses thereto.
Test: M. B. Taylor)
William Graggs)
W. W. Carlisle)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Special Court of Probate, June w5, 1855.
Personally appeared in open Court, William W. Carlisle, William Graggs and Mc-Cuin B. Taylor, the three subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being each duly sworn, depose each and say, that they saw Lewis Towers, 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 Lewis Towers, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same; and that they, depenents, each signed the same, at the request and in the presence of the said Lewis Towers; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.
Sworn to and subscribed in open Court, this) W. W. Carlisle
25th day of June, 1855.) William Graggs
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probat.) M. B. Taylor
Be it remembered, that on the 25th day of June, A.D. 1855, the foregoing will, was duly probated in the Court of Probate of Chambers County, Alabama, on the affidavits of William W. Carlisle, William Graggs and McCuin B. Taylor, the three subscribing witnessed to the same; and recorded in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 500, & 501.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JOSEPH BACON'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
In the name of God, amen.
I, Joseph Bacon, of the County and State aforesaid, being of advanced age, and infirm in body, and being desirous of directing the disposition of my property after my death, do hereby ordain, constitute, and decalre, this to be my last will and testament, revoking all former wills made by me.
Item 1st. I commit my sould to God who gave it, and my body to its mother earth, to be buried in a decent and Christian like manner.
Item 2d. I desire that all my just and honest debts be paid out of the effects of my estate.
Item 3d. I do hereby give and set apart from my estate, the sum of twenty five hundred dollars for the use and support of my beloved son, John W. Bacon, to be retained in the hands of my executors herein after to be named, and by them invested in the purchase of the house and lot which I now occupy, and negro man Anderson and Lucy, his wife, and such of their children as they may in their judgement think best, or such of the personla or real estate, as they deem most profitable to his interest, or best adapted to his support; and I do hereby appoint my executors, to this my will, trustees over the said sum above given, and set apart to my said son John W., requesting them to use the same for his support and maintainance, during his life time; and at his death the remaining sum to be equally divided between the children of my daughter Eliza Phillips, and the children of my daughter, Harriet C. Stokes.
Item 4th. I do hereby give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Eliza Phillips, a negro girl Peggy, aged about 15 years, and the house and lot now occupied by Dr. J. E. Scarborough, (situate between the lots of Mrs. Duncan north, and Robert Mitchell, south,) to be her own for her immediate use and benefit.
Item 5th. I do hereby give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Harriet C. Stokes, for her use and the benefit of her children, a negro girl, Martha, 10 years old; said negro girl to be free from the control of her husband and for her sole and separate benefit and use.

Item 6th. I do hereby give and bequeath unto my daughter, Sarah Jane Stewart, and wife of William A. Stewart, all the residue of my property both real and personal, which I may be possessed of at my death; and it is further my will and desire, that the property herein devised to my daughter Sarah Jane, shall be to her sole and separate use and benefit, free from the control of her husvand; but in the event of her death without lawful issue, of her body, then, and in that case, it is my will and desire, that all the property in this item devised as aforesaid, shall be appraised, and the one third part thereof, to be held by her husband William A. Stewart, and the other two thirds, to be equally divided between her surviving brothers and sisters.
Item 7th. I do hereby nominate, constitute and appoint my son Edmond J. Bacon, and my friend Elliott H. Muse, executors to carry this my will into effect after my decease, according to the true intent and meaning thereof.
In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and seal, this the 9th day of February A.D. 1855.
In presence of) Joseph Bacon (L.S.)
Test: Nathan Y. Hunter, J.P.)
J. W. Bachelder)
Judson Warlick.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, June 18, 1855.
Personally appeared in open Court, Nathan Y. Hunter, Josiah W. Bachelder and Judson Warlick, the three subscribing witnesses, to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn, depose each and say, that they saw Joseph Bacon, 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 Joseph Bacon, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same; and that they, deponents, each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request, and in the presence of the said Joseph Bacon; and that they all signed the same, in the presence of each other.
Sworn to & subscribed in open Court,) Nathan Y. Hunter
this 18th day of June, 1855.) J. W. Bachelder
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Judson Warlick
Be it remembered, that on the 18th day of June, A.D. 1855, the foregoing will, was duly probated in the Court of Probate of Chambers County, Ala., on the affidavits of Nathan Y. Hunter, Josiah W. Bachelder and Judson Warlick, the three subscribing witnesses to the said; and recorded in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 502, & 503.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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YOUNG STOKES' WILL

GEORGIA)
COWETA COUNTY)
In the name of God! amen.
I Young Stokes of the County and State aforesaid, being in perfect mind and memory, and calling to mind the mortality of my body, and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, and wishing to arrange all my property agreeable to my wish and desire, do make and constitute and ordain this my last will and testament in matter and form as follows.
Item 1st. I wish after my death to be buried in a decent Christian like manner--I reside on acre of land including my grave to be inclosed with a rock wall four feet high and twenty five feet square. All the goods and chattels God hath been pleased to bless me with I wish to be disposed of in the following manner.
Item 2nd, I wish all my just debts paid by my executors out of funds which I will point out hereafter.
Item 3d. I give and bequeath to my daughter Sarah L. Mills all the property I have heretofore given her, (viz) one negro woman Amy, and her two children Alfred and Sam, worth seven hundred and fifty dollars, one negro girl Rhoda worth three hundred and fifty dollars, also four hundred dollars in cash, one horse saddle and bridle worth one hundred dollars, house hold and kitchen furniture worth seventy five dollars, to her and her heirs forever, amounting in all to sixteen hundred and seventy five dollars.
Item 4th. I give and bequeath to my son William S. Stokes all the property I have heretofore given him as a legacy viz our negro man Billy worth five hundred dollars, one woman Phebe and her two children Mary and George worth eight hundred dollars, two hundred dollars in the price of a negro boy Adam, one horse saddle and bridle worth seventy five dollars to him and his heirs forever, in all sixteen hundred and seventy five dollars.
Item 5th. I give and bequeath to my son Augustus H. Stokes one negro man Adam worth five hundred dollars, Gusta worth five hundred dollars, one negro woman Nelly worth three hundred dollars one horse saddle and bridle worth one hundred dollars, and kitchen furniture worth seventy five dollars, amounting in all to fourteen hundred and seventy five dollars. I also allow him to make up his lot equal to the others lots. Two hundred dollars, with interest from the date of one thousand eight hundred and twenty three to the time of my death to him and his heirs forever.
Item 6th. I give and bequeath to my daughter Louisa Watts all the property I have heretofore delivered to her as a legacy (viz) one negro named Nancy worth four hundred dollars one boy Frank worth three hundred dollars one boy Phil worth two hundred dollars--two horses worth one hundred dollars--household and kitchen funtiture worth seventy five dollars--I have thought proper also to loan her a negro woman Linda and since the said negro has been in her possession she has had three children viz Beckey Warren & Lizey which negroes I loan to her during her natural life and after her death I wish my executors to divide them with their increase equally with her children the heirs of her body when they arrive at the age of twenty one years. to them & their heirs forever and if no heirs body to become apart of my estate.

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Item 7th. I give to my daughter Permelea E. Butler all the property I have heretofore delivered to her viz three hundred dollars in cash one negro man William worth four hundred dollars-one horse worth one hundred dollars and seventy five dollars-worth of household property making in all eight hundred and seventy five dollars to her and her heirs forever I loan to her to make her lot equal to the rest of my children one negro woman Hannah and her child Mahula worth five hundred and fifty dollars, one girl Tuda worth four hundred dollars and four hundred dollars in cash to be paid over by my executors making in all twenty two hundred and twenty five dollars the above named negroes Hannah Mahala & Juda and the four hundred dollars--I leave in the hands of my executors to have the entire controle of--to hire them out yearley & their increase and the money arising from their hire and the interest of the four hundred dollars to be paid over yearley by my executors to Permelia E. Butler for her support during her natural life and after her death I give the said negroes and their increase and the four hundred dollars to the legal heirs or heir of her body if any when they arrive at the age of twenty one years but if no child or children to become a part of my estate the reason her lot was larger than the rest of my children is to renumerate to her for the lack of the use of the property. I designed to loan her from the time she was married until one thousand eight hundred and forty.

Item 8th. I loan to my daughter Martha A. Gheat all the property I have here tofore delivered to her (viz) one negro man Jordan worth five hundred dollars one negro woman Amy worth four hundred dollars and boy Harry worth one hundred and fifty dollars and one hundred dollars in cash household and kitchen furniture worth seventy five dollars, and four hundred and fifty dollars to be paid by my executors making in all sixteen hundred and seventy five dollars which I loan to her during her natural life and after her death I give the said property to her child or children the heirs of her body if any and if none to become a part of my estate.

Item 9th. I loan to my daughter Narcessa J. Stokesane negro man Jim worth five hundred dollars and negro woman Sina worth four hundred dollars girl Milly worth three hundred dollars boy Sam worth two hundred dollars and girl Mary worth one hundred and fifty dollars one horse saddle & bridle worth one hundred dollars house hold & kitchen furniture worth seventy five dollars--to be delivered by my executors to her when called for all of which property I loan to her during her natural life and its increase and after her death I give it to her child or children if any the heirs of her body & if none to become apart of my estate.

Item 10th. I give and bequeath to my son Richard T. Stokes one negro man Elias worth five hundred dollars and one thousand dollars in the place of three negroes (viz) Mariah Ben & Jim and one hundred and fifty dollars in cash paid one horse saddle and bridle worth one hundred dollars all of which property has been delivered also seventy five dollars worth of household and kitchen furniture to be delivered by my executors when called for making in all sixteen hundred ~~and seventy~~ five dollars to him and his heirs forever.

Item 11th. I loan to my beloved wife Martha Stokes during her natural life for her support the following property to remain under the controle of my executors as a trust for her during her natural life--the tract of land I now live on containing five lots or one thousand twelve & half acres with the premises also fifteen negroes (viz) Pompey Basdell Joe Charles Boston Moses, Stanford John Rachel Peggy Sophy Green Mariah Ben Jim all the household and kitchen furniture--all the stock of every kind except my Jacks and Jennus and such other property as she does not wish to keep my waggons carts & carriage and every other kind of property she may wish to retain the ballance to be sold by my executors I give her all the money she may make on the premises over what will support her as her right to do with as she may think proper, my wish and desire is that this my house may continue to be a home for any of my children that, may wish to stay and especially my daughters to be boarded free of any charge and their children so long as my wife Martha Stokes can controle them--after my wifes death I wish all the property that she may leave on the premises boath real and personal to be sold by my executors and on equal division made betwees my eight children and each to have and equal share on their child or children if they have any in their stead and if no child or children to become a part of my estate.

It is my wish that Sarah L. Mills Susan Watts Permelia E. Butler Martha A. Gent & Narcissa J. Stokes their equal parts to be sold and controled by my executors as a trust for them and they my five daughters above named to receive all the proffits or interest in the said legacy yearly as it may acure and after their death to be equally divided among their children when they arrive at the age of twenty one years if any and become their own right forever but if no child or children to return as a part of my estate to be equally divided among my surviving children-or their representatives by my executor my wish & desire is that a tract of land I own in Wilkinson County be sold and all my real money bonds books apets. notes and every other lawful demand that I have against any person be collected by my executors to pay my just debts and to defray all expenses in carrying out my wish and desire in the execution of this my last will and testament.

Item 12th. I wish my executors to give my seventeen grand children after the death of my wife (viz) Martha L. Mills Melmoth Mills Mary E. Mills John Mills Ann Mills Henry Mills Charles Mills Thomas Mills Sarah Mills Ellen Mills Charles Young Stokes Marth J. Stokes Harriet C. Stokes Walter T. Butler Martha Watt Archabald Y. Watts William A Watts fifty dollars each when they arrive at the age of twenty one years.

Item 13th. I also wish my executors to act and use discretional powers respecting the legacies of my five daughters-Sarah L. Mills Louisa Watts Permelia E. Butler Martha A. Gheat Narcissa J. Stokes according to circumstances in letting them use their property, but to hold the controling power of right in their own hands during their life time as a trust for them.

I wish my executors to make an extra charge for all expenses that may occur in attending lawsuits extra traveling more than is susual in carrying this my last will and testament into full effect excusive of lawful charges ratifying confirming this my last will and testament, and revoking all others will heretofore made by me. I ordain and ppoint my two sons William T. Stokes and Agustus H. Stokes my executors to be the sole executors of this my last will & testament this will eliotates in the seventeenth year of my age signed and sealed with my own seal this third day of June one thousand eight hundred and forty two.

Test)
Daniel T. Coleman)
Thos. W. Randall)
Tolerson Kerley)

Young Stokes (L.S.)

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GEORGIA)
COUETA COUNTY)

I Young Stokes being at this date of souad miad & memory having on the third day of June last assigned this will before D. T. Coleman, Thomas W. Randall & T. Kerley but did not recollect it at the time and having so said to some persons I hereby make knowa to all that the above and foregoing is my last will and testament and that I have disposed of my estate as I wish in said will and for that purpose I hereby recognize it.

August 17th 1843 Young Stokes (seal)

attes)
Thomas W. Randol)
Asberry Daniel)
Joel W. Terrell)

GEORGIA)
CAUETER COUNTY)

November Term Court of Ordinary 1843.

We Thomas W. Randol Asberry Daniel Joel W. Terrell as solemnly swore that we saw Young Stokes sign seal publish and declare this writing contained in the above paper to be his last will and testamenat and that at the time thereof he was of souad and disposing mind & memory and that he did it freely and with out complusion and that we subscribed to the same as witnesses in the presence of the testater and each other so help us God.

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court) Thos W. Randol
this 6 day of November 1843) Aberney Daniel
Bally H. Mitchell D.C.C.O.) Joel W. Terrell

Ordered by the Court that the above and foregoing will of Young Stokes decd. be entered on record this November Term 1843 of the Court setting for ordinary purposes
Recorded 21st of January 1846

H. R. Harrison C.C.O.

GEORGIA)
CAUETA COUNTY)

I, John M. Thomas Clerk of the Court of Ordinary in and for said County do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original will of Young Stokes of file in my office and of the probate thereof. Given under my hand and private seal there being no seal of office this 3rd day of April 1849.

John M. Thomas C.C.C.O. (seal)

STATE OF GEORGIA)
CAUETA COUNTY)

I Benjamin Leigh one of the Justices of the Inferior Court for the County and State aforesaid do hereby certify that John M. Thomas whose name appears to the above and foregoing certificate in the clerk of the court of Ordinary for said County and that full faith and credit ought to be had and given to his altestation as such and that the same is in due form.

Given under my hand and seal this 3rd day of April 1849.

Benjamin Leigh J.I.C. (seal)

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HENRY L. WILKINSON LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 25, 1855,

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Leroy Brown to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration de bonis non to issue in favour of the Henry L. Wilkinson, Sheriff of Chambers County, Ala. in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John Tipps deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry L. Wilkinson Sheriff as aforesaid, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator de bonis non to the said John Tipps deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 25 day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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CATHERINE FERGUSON'S WILL

In the name of God amen.

Being about to die, and being of sound mind and disposing memory, I make, disclose and publish this as my last will and testament.

First to give and bequeath to my daughter Meliasa Wilson the following property Viz one house & lot in Oak Bowery Ala, known as the old Tavern fomerly owned by Saml. G. Jones, my buggy, and all the household and kitchen furniture excepting one bed and bed clothing-also all the silver plate.

Second. Nancy Nance my daughter is to have one hundred dollars in money.

Third. Rachel Smith my daughter is to have all the balance of the money and one bed & bed clothes.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this the 10th June A.D. 1855. Signed, sealed and declared.

In presence of her
Thos. J. Williamson Catharine X Ferguson
John B. Barnett mark
Daniel Taylor

(continued)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Regular Court of Probate July 9th 1855.

Personally appeared in Open Court, Daniel Taylor and Thomas J. Williamson, two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being each duly sworn, deposes and say, that they each saw Catherine Ferguson, sign, seal and publish the same by making her mark thereto as and for her last will and testament on the day the same bears date, and that they each believed the said Catharine Ferguson, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same, that they deponents, each signed the same as subscribing witnesses at the request, and in the presence of the said Catharine Ferguson, and that they saw John B. Barnett, the other subscribing witness, sign the same at the request and in the presence of the said Catharine Ferguson, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in Open Court) Thos. J. Williamson
this July 9, 1855,) Daniel Taylor
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate)

Be it remembered, that on the 9th day of July 1855, the foregoing will was duly probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Ala. an the affidavits of Daniel Taylor and Thomas G. Williamson, and recorded in record of Wills, Vol. 2 Page 509.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

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HERNDON W. HARALSON'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Herndon W. Haralson, principal, and Kinchen L. Haralson and William A. Johnson 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 20th day of September 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound, Herndon W. Haralson has been appointed of the estate of Jonathan A. Haralson, deceased. Now if the said Hendon W. Haralson, 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) Herendon W. Haralson(seal)
September 20th 1854.) Kinchen L. Harralson(seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) William A. Johnson (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Sep. 20 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Herendon W. Haralson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Herndon W. Haralson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Jonathan A. Haralson late of Troup County, Georgia, deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Herndon W. Haralson authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful executor, to the said Jonathan A. Haralson, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Jude of Probate this 20th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 79 year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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LAUALLEN JONES BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Lauallen Jones principal, and Moses Wyatt and Hiram Walston securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. 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 3rd day of October 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Lauallen Jones has been appointed guardian of the estate of James M. Jones, minor heir of William Jones deceased. Now if the said Lauallen Jones 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.) Lauallen Jones (seal)
October 3rd. 1854) Moses Wyatt (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Hiram Walston (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, October 3, 1854.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 3d day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JOSIAH BARROW BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Josiah Barrow principal and William Barrow and Warren G. W. L. Barrow 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 17th day of October 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Josiah Barrow has been appointed administrator of the estate of John T. Barrow deceased, Now, if the said Josiah Barrow 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) Josiah Barrow (seal)
October 17th 1854.) William Barrow (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Warren G. W. L. Barrow (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Oct. 17, 1854.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 17th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JOSEPH GREER BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Joseph Greer principal and Thomas Shannon, Geo. W. 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 twenty 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 20th day of October 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Joseph Greer has been appointed guardian of the estate of Thomas O. Maritta E. James M. and John J. Hester, minor heirs of George W. Hester, late of Troup County, Georgia, decd.

Now, if the said Joseph Greer 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) Joseph Greer (seal)
October 20th 1854.) T. Shannon (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) G. M. Goldsmith (seal)
M. C. Goldsmith (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Octr. 20, 1854.

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 Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Joseph Greer in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Thomas O. Hester, Marietta E. Hester, James M. Hester and John J. Hester, minor heirs of George W. Hester, late of Troup County, Georgia, deceased, and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Joseph Greer is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 20th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James Rutland and Mary Ann Mercer principal & George Forrester & Watson Rutland, 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 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 23rd day of October 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James Rutland and Mary Ann Mercer, have been appointed administrators & administratrix of the estate of Stephen Mercer deceased. Now, if the said James Rutland & Mary Ann Mercer 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, appointed and ordered to be recorded) James Rutland (seal)
October 23rd, 1854.) Mary Ann Mercer (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) George Forrester (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Oct. 23d 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James Rutland and Mary Ann Mercer to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said James Rutland and Mary Ann Mercer, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Stephen Mercer, deceased, and, in every case which occasion may require the said James Rutland and Mary Ann Mercer authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrators to the said Stephen Mercer, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 23d day of October, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM DAVIS BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Davis, principal, & Morris G. Towles & McClellan Ratchford 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 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 6th day of November 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Davis has been appointed guardian of the estate of William Still a minor.

Now, if the said William Davis, 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) Wm. Davis (seal)
November 6th 1854.) Morris G. Towles (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) M. C. Ratchford (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Nov. 6, 1854.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 6th day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty fourn and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WARNER W. MEADOR EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Warner W. Meadors principal, and James Blakely & Jason S. Meador, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. 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 administrator, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 6th day of November 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Warner W. Meadors, has been appointed executor of the last will & testament of Jesse Bonds deceased: Now, if the said Warner W. Meador, 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.) Warner W. Meadors (seal)
Nov. 6, 1854.) James Blakely (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Jason S. Meadors (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Nov. 6 1854.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 6th day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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THOMAS L. PENN BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas L. Penn principal, and Warner W. Meadors and Kinchon M. Varner, 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 eighteen 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 21 day of November 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas L. Penn has been appointed administrator of the estate of William H. Varner 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 and ordered to be recorded.) Thomas L. Penn (seal)
Nov. 21, 1854.) Warner W. Meadors (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) K. M. Varner (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Nov.,21, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Thomas L. Penn, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of William H. Varner deceased and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Thomas L. Penn is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said William H. Varner, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 21 day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM J. RYE WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I William J. Wry being of sound and disposing mind but weake of body and calling to mind the certainty of death and the uncertainty of life do make this my last will and testament as follows viz

First I desire all of my just debts and funeral expenses be paid second I give to Nancy Wry forty acres of land during her lifetime it being south west qr of the south wes qr of section ten township twenty range twenty eight at her death Heary Wry Elizabeth Wry and Axa Wry are to have the prevelige of living on the above named land and all the land that the above named have now cleared that is not on the above named forty acres they are to have the previlege of cultivating five years this year included and at the death of the above named persons the above name land to belong to my son John Joseph Wry.

Third I give to my son John Joseph Wry the remainder of the above named quarter section of land my wife Lucinda to have the previlege of living on the same during her lifetime or widowhood also one bed & furniture.

Fourth I give to my wife Lucinda Wry all my hogs one cow and calf one work steer 1 pr. plow gear and all plantation tools and one waggon and all cooking utensils to her favour.

Fifth all the property that is not named above to be sold except so much of the present crop as my wife Lucinda may kneed for a support for another year.

Lastly I appoint Hugh Wallace as executor of this my last will and testament.

Signed and sealed and delivered to be the last will and testamen of William J. Wry this 2nd June 1855.

In presence of his
Test W. H. H. Griffin Wm. J. X Wry
Wm. R. Wallace mark
James A. Hasting

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Regular Court of Probate, August 13th 1855. Personally appeared in open Court William H. H. Griffin, and Wm. R. Wallace two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing instrument of writing, and being duly sworn says on oath that they saw Wm. J. Rye siga, seal & publish the same as and for his last will & testament and that they each believed him 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 William J. Rye, and that they each saw James H. Hasting the other subscribing witness sign the same at the request and in the presence of the said Wm. S. Rye, and that they all signed the same in the presence of the testator and in the presence of each other.

W. H. H. Griffin
Wm. R. Wallace

Sworn to in open Court
Sugust 13th 1855.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

Be it remembered, that on the 13th day of August 1855, the within will, was duly probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Alabama, on the affidavits of Wm. H. H. Griffin & Wm. R. Wallace, two of the subscribing witnesses to the same, and recorded in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 518 & 519.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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BRITTAN BLACKMAN BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Brittan Blackman principal and Byant McCalloh, 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 three 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 22nd day of September 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Britan Blackman has been appointed guardian of the estate & person of James B. Blackburn, minor heir of Thomas Blackburn, late of Juscogee County, Geo. deceased: Now, if the said Brittan Blackmon, 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 recroded, 23d Novr. 1854.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Britton Blackmon (seal)
Bryant McCulloh (seal)
Isaac Howell (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Nov. 23, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known, to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Brittan Blackmon, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of James B. Blackburn minor hier of Thomas Blackburn, late of Muscogee County, Georgia deceased, and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Brittan Blackman is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witnes, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 23d day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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THOMAS WILEY BOND EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William B. S. Gilmer, principal, and Henry W. Todd and John A. Frazer, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. 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 6th day of December 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William G. S. Gilmer, has been appointed executor of the estate of Thomas Wiley deceased: Now, if the said William B. S. Gilmer 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 Decr. 6, 1854.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Wm. B. S. Gilmer (seal)
H. W. Todd (seal)
John A. Frazer (seal)

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LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 6, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William B. S. Gilmer to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said William B S. Gilmer, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Thomas Wiley, deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said William B. S. Gilmer, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executor to the said Thomas Wiley, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 6th day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM H. OGBURN BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Wm. H. Ogbourn principal and Joseph D. Hopper and S. P. Butler, of the county and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for Chambers 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 second day of December 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Wm. H. Ogbourne, has been appointed administrator of the estate of George W. Walker deceased: Now, if the said Wm. H. Ogbourne shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law require 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 December 8th 1854.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Wm. H. Ogbourne (seal)
Jas. D. Hopper (seal)
L. P. Butler (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
Montgomery County)

I, Hugh W. Watson Judge of Probate for said county hereby certify that the within bond was executed this day before me by Wm. H. Ogbourn L. P. Butler and Joseph D. Hopper, and that it is ample and sufficient. Montgomery Ala. Attest 2 December 1854.

H. W. Watson, Judge of Probate.

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Decr. 8th 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William H. Ogbourn, to my said County, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said William H. Ogbourn in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of George W. Walker, deceased: and in every case which occasion may require, the said William H. Ogbourne is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said George W. Walker deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 8th day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JERUSHA JAMES BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jerusha James principal and Mark Snipes, Walton W. Wallis & Reuben Jones 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 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 these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 30th day of December 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jerusha James has been appointed guardian of the estate of Malissa James, James James, Mary E. James, & Jerusha S. James, minors and heirs of Sylvester James deceased: Now, if the said Jerusha James shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law require 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. 30th 1854.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Jerusha James (seal)
Mark Snipes (seal)
W. W. Wallis (seal)
Reuben Jones (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Decr. 29, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Jerusha James to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Jerusha James in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Malaissa James, James Hames, Mary E. James, and Jerusha L. James, minor heirs of Sylvester James deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Jerusha James is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 29 day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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BRITTON STAMPS BOND ADMR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Britton Stamps, principal, and James M. Norwood, P. M. Lumkin and Wm. B. S. Gilmer, and Thomas Shannon, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. Pearson Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of sixty 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 1st day of January 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Britton Stamps has been appointed administrator de bonis non, with the will annexed of the estate of Marcus A. Flournoy deceased: Now if the said Britton Stamps, 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) Britton Stamps (seal)
January 1, 1855.) J. M. Norwood (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) P. M. Lumpkin (seal)
Wm. B. S. Gilmer (L.S.)
T. Shannon

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 1, 1855,

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Britton Stamps, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration de bonis non comtestamento annexo to issue in favor of the said Britton Stamps in and upon the goods and chattles, rights and credits of Marcus A. Flournoy deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Britton Stamps, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator de bonis non cumtestamento annexo to the said Marcus A. Flournoy, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 1st day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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MARIA L. OWEN BOND ADMR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Maria L. Owen principal, and Alford Gandy and William Hicks 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 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 January 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Maria L. Owen has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Thomas E. Owen deceased. Now, if the said Maria L. Owen 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 Maria L. Owen (seal)
Approved January 9th 1855 A. Gandy (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate William Hicks (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 9th 1855,

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Maria L. Owen to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Maria L. Owen in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Thomas E. Owen deceased, and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Maria L. Owen authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful adminitratrix to the said Thomas E. Owen, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate 9th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year or American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

HENRY M. SPINKES BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Henry M. Spinkes principal and Elijah Smith Jethro Hamblin & Lewis Wheelis 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, joinlty and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 12th day of January 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Henry M. Spikes has been appointed guardian of the person & estate of Celistea A. Johnson a person of sunsound mind.

Now, if the said Henry M. Spikes 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 H. M. Spikes (seal)
Approved January 12th 1855. E. Smith (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate. his
John H Hamblen (seal)
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Lewis X Wheelis (seal)
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LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

County of Probate, January 12th, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Henry M. Spinks to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Henry M. Spinkes in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Cetislia A. Johnson a non campus meritus and in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry M. Spikes is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Celestia A. Johnson.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 12th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ELIAS B. MCCARLEY BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elias B. McCarley, principal, and J. B. McCarley and Nathaniel C. Barber, 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 31st day of January 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Elias B. McCarley has been appointed guardian of the estate of Wilber F. Smith minor heir of Henry Smith deceased. Now, if the said Elias B. McCarley 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 Elias B. McCarley (seal)
February 5th 1855, J. B. McCarley (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate. Nathaniel C. Barber (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, February 5th, 1855.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Elias B. McCarley to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the Elias B. McCarley in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Wilber F. Smith, minor heir of Henry Smith, deceased; and, in every case which may require, the said Elias B. McCarley authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor,

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 5th day of February, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

GEORGE S. EMORY BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George S. Emory principal & Moses T. Wright, Smith Drinkard, and Evan G. Richards, 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 26th day of January 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George S. Emory has been appointed administrator, of the estate of William Miller deceased; Now, if the said George S. Emory 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 voie; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.) George S. Emory (seal)
Approved January 26th 1855) Moses T. Wright (seal)
Judge of Probate.) Smith Drinkard (seal)
E. G. Richard (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate January 26th 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all it may concern, that on the application of George S. Emory, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration with the will annexed, to issue in favour of the said George S. Emory in and upon the goods and chattles, rights and credits of William Miller, deceased: and in every case which occasion may require, the said George S. Emory is with the will annexed to the William Miller, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 26th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM SMITH & DAVID M. SCOTT BOND ADMRS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Smith & David M. Scott, principals and Mary Scott & Joseph Scott Charles McLemore and James Rutland, 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 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 25th day of December 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Smith & David M. Scott have been appointed administrators of the estate of Thomas Scott deceased: Now if the said William Smith & David M. Scott 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) William Smith (seal)
Decr. 25th 1854.) David M. Scott (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Mary Scott (seal)
Joseph S. Scott (seal)
Charles McLemore (seal)
James Rutland (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 25, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William Smith and David M. Scott to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said William Smith and David M. Scott, in and upon the goods and chattels, right and credits of Thomas Scott deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the William Smith and David M. Scott authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrators to the said Thomas Scott, deceased.

Witness, samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 25th day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

EVAN G. RICHARDS BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Evan G. Richards, principal, and Elliott H. Muse and James F. Mitchell 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, jointlyaand severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 6th day of February 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Evan G. Richards has been appointed guardian of the estate of Armitha Welch minor heir of John Welch 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 and ordered to be recorded) E. G. Richards (seal)
Approved Feby. 6th 1855.) E. H. Muse (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) J. F. Mitchell (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, February 6th 1855.

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 Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Evan G. Richards in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Arminda Welch, minor heir of John Welch, deceased: and, in every case which occasion may require the said Evan G. Richards authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor,

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 6th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ROBERT FINCH'S BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents,that we Robert Finch principal, and Albert G. Danforth and John Finch 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 12th day of February 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Robert Finch has been appointed administrator of the estate of Susan Finch deceased Now, if the said Robert Finch 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 Robert Finch (seal)
February 12th 1855. Albert G. Danforth (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate. John Finch (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, February 12, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Robert Finch to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Robert Finch authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Susan Ficnh deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 12, day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

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LEWIS MORRIS'S WILL

ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I Lewis Morris of the County and State aforesaid being of sound and disposing mind and knowing the uncertainty of life do make and ordain this instrument in manner and form as follows--

Item 1st

My will is that my land be divided by a line which runs from a half mile stake on the north line to the corner of the field near an old house thence a strate line to a branch between Henry Chappell and myself and thence to strike the branch at the upper part of my bottom field. The part that I now live upon I give to my beloved son Wesley Morris and also I give unto my son Wesley Morris a negro woman named Eliza and her three children named George Matilda and Moses with all their increase.

Item 2nd.

I give and bequeath the other part and ballance of my land and also one negro man named Aaron to my beloved son William Morris and also I give to my son William Morris provisions enough to support himself and family for one year and also I give unto my said son William Morris one mule or horse one cow and calf and farming tools enough for one hand to use.

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Item 3rd.
I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Lewis D. Morris a negro boy named Waites, my desire is that my said son will keep and take care of said boy as he is subject to have spasms. I further give to my son Lewis D. Morris one negro girl named Frances one boy named Tom and child named Charlott.
Item 4th.
I give and bequeath unto my beloved son Samuel Morris six hundred dollars $600 in money.
Item 5th.
I give unto my son Thompson Morris six hundred dollars ($600) in money.
Item 6th.
I have given unto my son Eiley Morris six hundred dollars which is all I intend to give him or his heirs.
Item 7th.
I have given unto my son Jorden Morris six hundred dollars which is all I intend to give him or his heirs.
Item 8th.
My will is that all the remainder of my property be sold, except my three feather beds and furniture one of which I give unto my son Samuel Morris's daughter Nancy one to my son Lewis D. Morris's daughter Nancy and one to my son Wesley Morris's daughter Mancy and after all debts and expenses are paid if any money on hand, I will and desire that it be divided equally between my four sons viz Samuel Morris Lewis D. Morris William Morris and Wesley Morris.
Item 9th
And furthermore I nominate and appoint my two sons Lewis D. Morris and Wesley Morris to gether with John T. Sheppard my entire executors to this my last will and testament intestimony whereof I do set my hand and affix my seal this the fourth day of April eighteen hundred and fifty two (1852)
Signed and sealed in presence of Lewis Morris (seal)
Langdon Ellis
Simeon B. Copeland
Margaret A. Ellis

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Special Court of Probate, August 27, 1855.
Personally appeared in open Court Langdon Ellis, one of the subscribing witnesses, to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith on oath, that he saw Lewis Morris, sign, seal and publish the same, as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date, and that he believed the said Lewis Morris to be of sound and ~~disposing~~ mind and memory at the time of signing the same; that he saw Simeon B. Copeland and Margaret A. Ellis, the other two subscribing witnesses, sign the same, at the request and in the presence of the said Lewis Morris, and that he deponent, signed the same, as a subscribing witness at the request and in the presence of the said Lewis Morris, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.
Sworn to & subscribed in open Court,) Langdon Ellis
this 27th day of August 1855)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)
Be it remembered that on the 27th day of August 1855, the foregoing will, was duly probated, in the Probate Court, of Chambers County, an the affidavit of Landon Ellis, one of the subscribing witness to said will, and recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 531 & 532.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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GREEN W. CARLISLE & MICHAEL A. J. CARLISLE BOND EXECUTORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we Green W. Carlisle & Michael A. J. Carlisle principals and James W. Carlisle and George W. Thompson 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 26th day of February 1855.
The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Green W. Carlisle & Michael A. J. Carlisle have been appointed executors of the last will & testament of Elizabeth Carlisle deceased: Now, if the said Green W. and M. A. J. Carlisle 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.) Green W. Carlisle (seal)
February 26th 1855) M. A. J. Carlisle (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) James W. Carlisle (seal)
George W. Thompson (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, February 26th 1855.
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Green W. Carlisle & M. A. J. Carlisle to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favor of the said Green W. Carlisle and M. A. J. Carlisle in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Elizabeth Carlisle deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Green W. Carlisle and M. A. J. Carlisle are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executors to the said Elizabeth Carlisle.
Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 26th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge or Probate.

JAMES L. ROBINSON BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we James L. Robinson, principal and Gibson F. Hill and Charles E. Hoadley, 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 2nd day of March 1855.
The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James L. Robinson has been appointed administrator of the estate of Edna J. Robinson late of Chambers County, Alabama, deceased.
Now, if the said James L. Robinson 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 L. Robinson (seal)
this 2nd day of March 1855) Gibson F. Hill (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) C. E. Hoadley (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, March 2nd, 1855,
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James L. Robinson to my said Court, I, have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of the said James L. Robinson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Edna J. Robinson deceased; and in every case which occasion may require the said James L. Robinson authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrator to the said Edna J. Robinson deceased.
Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 2nd day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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AUGUSTUS M. PINCKARD BOND ADMR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we Augustus M. Pinckard principal & Peyton J. Pinkard A. J. Dozier and J. D. Cook 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 5th day of March 1855.
The condiditon of the above obligation, is such, that whereas the above bound Augustus M. Pinckard has been appointed administrator de bonis non of the estate 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 administrator then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.
Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.) A. M. Pinckard (seal)
March 5th 1855) Peyton J. Pinckard (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) A. J. Dozier (seal)
J. D. Cook (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, March 5th 1855.
Be it remembered, and made, known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Augustus M. Pinckard to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration de bonis non to issue in favour of the said Augustus M. Pinckard in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Peyton Pinckard deceased; and in every case which occasion may reuired the said Augustus M. Pinckard is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator de bonis non to the said Peyton Pinckard, deceased.
Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 5th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and of the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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CICERO HEATH BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we Cicero Heath principal and Green W. Carlisle, and John Meadors, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmlybound 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, by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of March 1855.
The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Cicero Heath has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary A. E. John H. Wm. Thomas and Malinda A. Shipp, minor heirs of Stephen Shepp, 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 guardian then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.
Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.) Cicero Heath (seal)
March 5th 1855) G. W. Carlisle (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John Meador (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, March 5th 1855,

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 Liens of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Cicero Heath in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Mary A.E. John H. Wm. Thomas & Melinda A. Shipp, minor heirs of Stephen Shipp deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Cicero Heath is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors,

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 5th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.::

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TIMOTHY J. RUSSELL BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Timothy J. Russell principal & Thomas C. Russell 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 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 March 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Timothy J. Russell has been appointed administrator of the estate of Charles Rutledge deceased. Now if the said Timothy J. 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 and ordered to be recorded) Timothy J. Russell (seal)
March 12th 1855.) Thos. C. Russell (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge or Probate.) Pitman M. Lumpkin (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, March 12, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that ~~on~~ the application of Timothy J. Russell, to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Timothy J. Russell in and upon the goods and chattels, rifhts and credits of Charles Rutland deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Timothy J. Russell is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator, to the said Charles Rutledge, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 12th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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LEONIDAS GUNN BOND EXECUTOR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Leonidas Gunn principal and Cynthia Guan Samule Jeter and Thomas 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 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 24th day of March 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Leonidas Gunn has been appointed executor of the estate of Larkin R. Gunn deceased: Now, if the said Leonidas Gunn 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) Leonidas Gunn (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Cyntha Gunn (seal)
Samuel Jeter (seal)
Thos. Taylor (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, March 24 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 24th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and of the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

GEORGE W. ALLEN BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George W. Allen principal and Evan G. Richards and Morris G. Towles 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 2nd day of April 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George W. Allen has been appointed administrator of the estate of John F. Allen deceased: Now, if the said George W. Allen 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) George W. Allen (seal)
April 2nd 1855) E. G. Richards (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) M. G. Towles (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, April 2nd 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of George W. Allen to my said Cout, I have caused letters of administration to issue in favour of the said George W. Allen, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John S. Allen deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said George W. Allen, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said John S. Allen, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 2nd day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and of the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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PETER M. ROWLAND BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Peter M. Rowland principal & Charles E. Hoodley, H. J. Hamerick and James R. Phillips, 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 Fourteenth day of April 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Peter M. Rowland has been appointed administrator of the estate of Jere miah J. Hamerick deceased: Now, if the said Peter M. Rowland 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) Peter M. Rowland (seal)
George S. Emory, Justice of the Peace) C. E. Hoodley (seal)
Approved April 14th 1855.) her
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) J. X Hamerick (seal)
mark
James R. Phillips (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, April 14, 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 14th day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five, and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM E. KNIGHT BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William E. Knight principal & William Hamon and William Knight, senr. 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 & thirty 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 April 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound William E. Knight has been appointed guardian of the estate of Morris M. Knight & Francis E. Knight minor heirs of Wm. Knight senr. deceased: Now, if the said William E. Knight 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) his
April 20th 1855) William E. X Knight (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) mark
Wm. Hamon (seal)
his
William X Knight (seal)
mark

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, April 20, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern that an application of Morris M. Knight & Frances E. Knight minor heirs of William Knight Sear. deceased to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of William E. Knight in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of said Morris M. Knight and Frances E. Knight, minors as aforesaid, and in every case which occasion may require, the said William E. Knight is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 20th day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JOHN C. SELMAN BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John C. Selman principal, and McClellan Ratchford, and Abner Webb, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of eighteen 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 May 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John C. Selman has been appointed guardian of the estate of Emily E. Farley, William E. Farley and Sarah A. Farley, minor heirs of James Farley deceased: Now, if the said John C. Selman 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 C. Selman (seal)
May 7th 1855.) McC. Ratchford (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Abner Webb (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate May 7th 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Emily E. Farley, William E. Farley and Sarah A. Farley, minor heirs of James Farley deceased to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of John C. Selman in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of said Emily E. Farley, William E., and Sarah A. Farley, and, in every case which occasion may require, the said John C. Selman 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 May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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NANCY C. STANLEY BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Nancy C. Stanley principal, and Ezekiel P. Stanley, and Elijah, D. McKinley 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 the penal sum of two thousand and fifty 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 23rd day of April 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elijah D. McKinley been appointed guardian of the person & estate of Sarah Ann E. Stanley, minor heir of Isham Stanley deceased:

Now, if the said Elijah D. McKinley 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 E. D. McKinley (seal)
April 23rd 1855 W. H. C. Clark (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate Jas. B. McKinley (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, April 23, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Elijah D. McKinley to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Elijah D. McKinley, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Sarah Ann E. Stanley, minor heir of Isham Stanley, deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Elijah D. McKinley is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor. heir of Isham Stanley deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 23d day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

EZEKIEL P. STANLEY BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Ezekiel P. Stanley principal, and William H. Clark and Elijah D. McKinley, 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 and thirty 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 April 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Ezekiel P. Stanley has been appointed guardian of the person & estate of James McKinley Stanley, minor heir of John Stanley deceased.

Now, if the said Ezekiel P. Stanley, shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law require 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) Ezekiel P. Stanley (seal)
April 23rd 1855) W. H. Clark (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) E. D. McKinley (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, April 23rd, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James McKinley Stanley, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the Ezekiel P. Stanley, in and upon the goods anc bhattels, rights and credits of said James McKinley Stanley, minor heir of Isham Stanley deceased: and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Ezekiel P. Stanley is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 23d day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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GEORGE F. TAYLOR, BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George F. Taylor, principal, and M. B. Taylor, William L. Taylor and William J. 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 eighteen 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 May 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George F. Taylor, has been appointed administrator, with the will annexed of the estate of Eden Taylor, deceased:

Now, if the said George F. Taylor 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.) George F. Taylor (seal)
May 14th 1855) W. B. Taylor (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) W. L. Taylor (seal)
W. J. Carlisle (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate May 4, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of George F. Taylor, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said George F. Taylor in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Eden Taylor deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 14th day of May, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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LANGDON ELLIS, BOND EXECR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Langdon Ellis, principal, and William Smith and Cicero Heath 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 28th day of May 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Langdon Ellis has been appointed executor of the last will & testament of Mary Scott, deceased: 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 executor, then the above obligation to be void: otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded) Langdon Ellis (seal)
May 28th 1855) Willian Smith (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Cicero Heath (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, May 28 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 28th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM SMITH BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Smith principal and Peter M. Rowland & Wm. W. 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 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 12th day of June 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Smith has been appointed guardian of the person & estate of John a free person of colour, Now, if the said William Smith 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 Smith (seal)
June 12th 1855) Peter M. Rowland (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. W. Oslin (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, June 12, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William Smith to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said William Smith in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John a free person of colour and, in every case which occasion may require, the said William Smith, is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said John, a free person of colour,

Witness,Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 12th day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM L. HILL BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William L. Hill principal and George E. Hodge and Hugh 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 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 2nd day of July 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William S. Hill has been appointed administrator of the estate of W. C. Martindale deceased: Now, if the said William S. 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 and ordered to be recorded) W. L. Hill (seal)
July 2nd 1855) Geo E. Hodge (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Hugh Wallace (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, July 2nd 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 2nd day of July, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we W. W. William principal & Jefferson Falkner and William W. Palmer securities of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for the 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 4th day of June 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Wm. W. Williams, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Latilia Williams infant daughter of Nancy J. Williams.

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

Taken, appointed and ordered to be recorded) W. W. Williams (seal)
June 4th 1855.) Jefferson Falkner (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) William W. Palmer (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate June 4th 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Wm. W. Williams to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Wm. W. Williams in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Latilia Williams infant daughter of Nancy J. Williams, and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Wm. W. Williams authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian of the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 4th day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five, and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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EDMOND J. BACON AND ELLIOTT H. MUSE BOND EXECUTORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Edmund J. Bacon and Elliott H. Muse, principals, and William F. Meador and Josiah 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 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 18th day of June 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Edmond J. Bacon and Elliott H. Muse have been appointed executors of the last will and testament of Joseph Bacon deceased: Now, if the said Edward J. Bacon and Elliott H. Muse shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such exedutors, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded) E. J. Bacon (seal)
June 18th 1855.) E. H. Muse (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) W. F. Meador (seal)
J. W. Bachelder (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate Juen 18th 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Edmond J. Bacon and Elliott H. Muse to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Edmond J. Bacon and Elliott H. Muse in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Joseph Bacon deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Edmond J. Bacon and Elliott H. Muse are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawfulexecutors to the said Joseph Bacon, deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 18th day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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LOUISA F. TOWERS BOND EXECUTRIX

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Louisa F. Towers principal and Royal Towers and McCuin B. 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 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 25th day of June 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Louisa F. Towers has been appointed executrix of the last will & testament of Lewis Towers deceased: Now, if the said Louisa F. Towers 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) Louisa F. Towers (seal)
Juen 25th 1855) Royal Towers (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) M. B. Taylor (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate June 25th 1855.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Louisa F. Towers to my Court I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Louisa F. Towers in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Lewis Towers deceased and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Louisa F. Towers is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executrix to the said Lewis Towers deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 25th day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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THOMAS L. THOMASON BOND ADMR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas L. Thomason principal, and John W. Thomason Edwin 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 2nd day of July 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Thomas L. Thomason has been appointed administrator of the estate of Jordan Holmes deceased: Now, if the said Thomas L. Thomason 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) Thos.L. Thomason (seal)
July 2nd 1855.) John W. Thomason (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) E. Satterwhite (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, July 2nd 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 2nd day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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HUGH WILSON, BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Hugh Wilson, principal & Jame s H. Foreman and H. W. Page 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 hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made and done we beind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 14th day of July 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Hugh Wilson has been appointed administrators of the estate of Airy Ann Evans deceased: Now, if the said Hugh Wilson 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) Hugh Wilson (seal)
July 14th 1855) James H. Foreman (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) H. W. Page (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 14th July 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 14th day of July, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JAMES M. ROBERTS BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Roberts, principal, & Franklin Yarborough & Reddick Lamb 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 13th day of August 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James M. Robert has been appointed administrator of the estate of Rebecca Ann Smith deceased: Now, if the said James M. Roberts 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 M. Roberts (seal)
August 13, 1855) F. Yarborough (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) his
Redick X Lamb (seal)
mark

Signed & sealed in my presence this 28th
July 1855, John McKnight J.P.

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 13, August 1855,

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 13, day of August, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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HUGH WALLACE & WASHINGTON FLOYD BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Hugh Wallace & Washington Floyd principals and John Rudd, Bainbridge Boazeman, M. T. Pitts Wm. H. H. Griffin and Nicholas Briskey Nancy Floyd securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probat for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of sixty 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 13th day of August 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Hugh Wallace and Washington Floyd have been appointed administrators of the estate of Comelius Floyd deceased: Now, if the said Hugh Wallace & Washinton shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such administrators then the above obligation to be void: otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded) Hugh Wallace (seal)
Approved August 13th 1855) Washington Floyd (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) John Rudd (seal)
Bambridge Boazeman (seal)
Nicholas Briskey (seal)
Nancy Floyd (seal)
M. J. Pitts (seal)
W. H. H. Griffin (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, August 13, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Hugh Wallace and Washington Floyd, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Hugh Wallace and Washington Floyd, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Cometues Floyd deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Hugh Wallace and Washington Floyd are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Comelius Floyd deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 13th day of August, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

HUGH WALLACE BOND EXECUTOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Hugh Wallace principal and Wm. A. Adams and Wm. R. Wallace 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 13th day of August 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Hugh Wallace has been appointed executor of the estate fo William J. Rye deceased.

Now, if the said Hugh Wallace 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) Hugh Wallace (seal)
August 13, 1855.) William J. Adams (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. R. Wallace (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, August 13, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Hugh Wallace to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Hugh Wallace in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of William J. Rye deceased; and; in every case which occasion may require, the said Hugh Wallace is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executor to the said William J. Rye, deceased A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80 year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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HENRY WALLACE BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Henry Wallace principal and Hugh Wallace & Wm. R. Wallace 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 13th day of August 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Henry Wallace has been appointed guardian of the estate of John Wallace, Floyd Wallace James Wallace, Geroge Wallace, Nancy Wallace & Elizabeth Wallace minors and heirs of Elizabeth P. Wallace deceased;

Now, if the said Henry Wallace 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) Henry Wallace (seal)
August 13th 1855) Hugh Wallace (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Wm. R. Wallace (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, August 13, 1855;

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Henry Wallace to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in fabour of the said Henry Wallace in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John Wallace, Floyd Wallace, James Wallace, Geroge Wallace, Nancy Wallace, and Elizabeth Wallace, minor heirs of Elizabeth P Wallace, deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry Wallace, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 13th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JESSE FITZPATRICK NEW BOND ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jesse Fitzpatrick principal and William C. Morgan and Greenberry McCouen 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 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 April 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jesse Fitzpatrick has been appointed administrator of the estate of Woodson P. Allen deceased:

Now, if the said Jesse Fitzpatrick 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.

Geo..W. Mitcham J.P. Jesse Fitzpatrick (seal)
Approved April 20th litt. Wm. C. Morgan (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate Greenberry McCauen (seal)

LETTERS HENRY L. WILKINSON ADMINISTRATOR DE BONIS NON

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate March 12, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known, to all whom it may concern, that I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Henry L. Wilkinson, Sheriff of Chambers County, Ala., in and upon the goods and chattels, right and credits of Bailey C. Newman, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry L. Wilkinson, Sheriff is aforesaid, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful exofficio administrator de bonis non to the said Bailey C. Newman, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 12th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79 year of American Independence.

Saml.Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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NOEL A. MAUGHN NEW BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Noel A. Vaughn principal & Jefferson Falkner, John R. Humphris & Hugh Carmichael 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 22nd day of March 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Noel A. Vaughn has been appointed guardian of the estate of George M. Goldsmith, Amanda P. Goldsmith, Francis C. Goldsmith, & Caroline S. Goldsmith, minor heirs of John T. Goldsmith deceased. Now, if the said Noel A. Vaughn 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) N. A. Vaughan (seal)
March 22nd 1855.) Jefferson Falkner (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) John R. Humphris (seal)
H. Carmichael (seal)

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HENRY L. WILKINSON EX OFFICIS ADMINISTRATOR DE BONIS NON

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, March 26, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of Henry L. Wilkinson, sheriff of Chambers County Ala., in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John Bankston deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry L. Wilkinson, sheriff, as aforesaid, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful ex officis administrator de bonis non to the said, John Bankston deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 26th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM P COLLIER BOND GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William P. Collier, principal and Isaac P. Collier and A. T. Meddlebrooks securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. 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 1st day of January 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William P. Collier, has been appointed guardian of the persons & of the estate of Wm. S. N. Greer and Frederick E. Greer, minors and heirs of Henry H. Greer deceased.

Now, if the said Willian 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)
Approved January 1st 1855.) Isaac P. Collier (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) A. T. Meddlebrooks (seal)

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EFFRY MCINTYRE, LETTERS TESTAMENTORY

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Decr. 14, 1854;

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Effy McIntyre, to my said Court I have caused these Letters of Testamentary to issue in favour of the said Effry McIntyre in and upon the goods and chattels rights and credits of Archibald McIntyre, deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Effy McIntyre is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executris to the said Archibald McIntyre, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 14th day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 79 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

HENRY L. WILKINSON LETTERS ADMINISTRATION

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Decr. 11, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James E. Reese & Melton Andrews to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration ad collegendum to issue in favour of Henry L. Wilkinson, sheriff of Chambers County, Ala., in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Thomas Scott, deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry L. Wilkinson, sheriff as aforesaid is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrator to the said Thomas Scott deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 11th day of December, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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LETTERS HENRY L. WILKINSON SHERIFF ADMINISTRATOR

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 8, 1855,

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern that on the application of James E. Cherry, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration ad collegendom to issue in favour of the Henry L. Wilkinson, sheriff of Chambers County, Ala., in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John T. Winston deceased; and in every case which occasion may require the said Henry L. Wilkinson, sheriff, as aforesaid, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator, to the said John T. Winston, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 8th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 79 year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JOSHUA HIGHTOWER WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I, Joshua Hightower of the County and State aforesaid being of sound mind do make this as my last will and testament to my wife Susan Hightower I will and bequeath for the term of ten years from and after my death all the property of which I am seized and possessed after all my just debts are paid out of such affects as the family can best dispose with and at the end of ten years as above state from my death I desire an equal division of what ever effects may be left of my property at that time and I do now leave Lemuel Jackson as my executor and I give to him full management of my above desirs and effects for the term of ten years as above mentioned February 18th 1854.

Signed sealed and delivered in the presence of

Stephen Fuller
A. J. Huely

his
Joshua X Hightower
mark

Proven and ordered to record as the last will and testament of Joshua Hightower, decd.

C. C. Forbes, Judge O.C.

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JESSE M. JACKSAN'S WILL

In the name of God amen.

I Jesse M. Jacksan of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama being of sound mind and memory but feable in body and considering the certainty of death and not knowing how soon it may come I have concluded to make institute and ordain this my last will and testament in words following viz-----

Item 1st. I hereby leave in the hands of my exedutors all my estate both real and personal for the following uses and purposes. In the first place that my executors attend to the payment of all my just debts and the balance of my estate I wish kept together for the support and maintainance of my wife and children also for the purpose of well educating my children.

It. 2nd. It is my desire that my executors shall attend punctually to this my wish (viz) that each child as they become of age or marry be furnished with a large family bible hymbook & testament and psalms .

It. 3rd. It desire that as my children become of age or marry that my executor pay to them out of my estate the sum of eighteen hundred dollars or the amount thereof either in money or any other species of property that they on their judgement may think most to interest of the estate and to the interest of heirs or heirs.

4th. I desire further that my executors at any time they may in their judgement think that there can be a larger sum than eighteen hundred dollars paid to the children they may do so strictly observing that my will and wish is that each child be made equal.

5th. Any property coming to my wife Harriett F. Jackson from her mother Francis Charlton or property left in trust by M. Pray to Frances Charton and children be received by my wife Harriet F. Jackson as a portion of her legacy coming from my estate. In the event that my wife Harriet F. Jackson should marry, then I wish my whole estate divided equally between my wife and surviving children the amount coming or received from Mrs. Charlton to be considered as a part of my wife legacy coming from my estate.

It. 6th. My wish and desire is that my library of books be kept together for the use of my wife & children and at the final distrabution of my estate the same be divided equally among my wife & children.

It. 7th. My executors are hereby vested with full power to buy sell or change any species of property which they deem would be to the interest of my estate.

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Item 8th. If each and all of the executors that I shall proceed to appoint will be duly sworn in to see this will and testamen executed then it is my will that no bond or security be required of them by the Court.

I now appoint my brother Wych S. Jackson John Huguley and Alexander Frazier to execute this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof I have hereunto subscribed my name this the 1st day of October one thousand eight hundred and fifty five.

In presence of)
Joseph Prather)
Jacob Huguley)
Joseph Jarrell)

Jesse M. Jackson

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate, 19th October 1855. Personally appeared in open Court Joseph Prather and Joseph Jarrell, two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn, deposes each and say, that they saw Jesse M. Jackson, sign, seal and publish the same, as and for his last will and testamen, on the day the same bears date, and that they each believed the said Jesse M. Jackson, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same; and that they, deponents, each signed the same, as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said Jesse M. Jackson, and that they each saw Jacob Huguly, the other subscribing witness, sign the same as such, at the request and in the presence of the said Jesse M. Jackson; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court) Joseph Prather
this 19th day of Octr. 1855.) Joseph Jarrell
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate)

Be it remembered, that on the 19th day of October 1855, the foregoing will was duly probated in the Court of Probate of Chambers County, Alabama, an the affidavits of Joseph Prather and Joseph Jarrell, two of the subscribing witnesses to the same, and recorded in Vol. of Wills, Vol. 2 Pages 563 & 564.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM H. CLANNAHAN WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that I William Clannahan of the County and State aforesaid being very sisk but possessed of a sound disposing mind and memory have this day made this my last will and testament in the name of God amen hereby revoking all others by me at any previous time made.

1st. I do hereby will and bequeath that all my just debts be paid.

2nd. I do will and bequeath Amanda to my daughter Emily Anna a negro girl three years old, and also to my daughter Josephene Ameria a negro boy five years old by the name of Rebua.

3rd. I further will and bequeath unto my beloved wife Rosilla Ann a negro woman by the name of Judy and her increase to my little son William Henry I further will to my beloved wife my carriage money and notes and all my household and kitchen furniture my rifle gun to be sold and also my watch and the money they bring to belong to my wife.

4th. It is my will that Elazar R. Vumen be my executor and I do hereby appoint him and further that my said executor act as guardian for my children with the assistance of my wife.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 7th of Sept. 1855.

Joseph Barrow
Jesse Moseley

W. H. Clannahan

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate, Sept. 27, 1855.

Personally appeared in open Court, Jesse Moseley, one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith on oath, that he saw, Willian H. Clanahan, sign, seal and publish the same, as and for his last will and testament on the day the same bears date, and that he believed the said Wm. H. Clanahan, to be of sound and desposing 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 William H. Clanahan and that he saw Joseph Barrow, the other subscribing witness sign the same, at the request and in the presence of the said William H. Clanahan, and that they all signed the sae, in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court, Jesse Moseley
this 27th day of Sept. 1855.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

Be it remembered, that on the 27th day of Sept. 1855, the foregoing will, was duly probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Ala., on the affidavit of Jesse Moseley one of the subscribing witnesses to the same and recorded in Vol. 2, Pages 565.

Saml.Pearson, Judge of Probate.

WILLIAM BLUNTS WILL

In the presence of God amen.

I William Blunt of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama being of sound mind and memory thanks be to God for the same feeling uncertainty of life and the certainty of death do make this my last will and testament in the manner as follows I recommend my soul to its creator looking for a joyful reserrectian through the blessed redeemer. My body to the earth in a decent Christian burial and as to my worldly estate with which God in his mercy has blessed me I despose of it as follows.

1st. I want all of my just debts to be paid.

2nd. I want my beloved wife to remain in possession of my possessions just as tho I was living and educate the children as tho I was present the girls all to live with their mother untill they marry or their mothers dies my little boy Francis M. Blunt is to be educated about as well as Benjamin F. Blunt is and if their education is worth more than the girls the girls to be made up with money or property when B. F. Blount becomes of age he is to have fifteen hundred dollars or that amount in property and when the girls marrys each then to have fifteen hundred dollars worth in property and negroes Martha to have the same amount at her mothers death if either of the rest F. M. Blount is to be educated out of the estate like B. F. Blount is if F. M. Blount choses to have less education then B. F. Blount he shall have the supplies in money to make him equal with his brother take every thing in consideration the girls to be delt with in the same way as their little brother to make them all equal. My two grand daughters Mary Frances Blount & Martha Ann Blount they both to be educated at my expense and to draw their farther's interest with my other children say both of them to draw what one of mine draws at their marriage or becoming of age if either of them dies before they marry the other to have what both were entitled to if both dies childless the property to revert back to my children equal if my beloved wife shall marry the whole estate to be valued and she and all the children to have equal portion of the property she to have her choice of the property and at her death property to revert back to my children.

My last request is that Benjamin F. Blount and Pauline B. Blount attend to my estate as executor and executrix.

Signed sealed in presents of us this 20th January 1852 — William Blount (seal)

M. M. Penn
D. J. Thomas
Thos. L. Penn

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate November 17th 1855.

Personally appeared in open Court M. M. Penn, David S. Thomas and Thomas L. Penn, the three subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will; who being duly sworn, deposes and says, that they each saw William Blount, the testator, sign seal and publish the same, as and for this last will and testament, on the day the same bears date and that they believed the said William Blount, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, and that, they, deponents, each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said William Blount; and that they all signed the same, in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court) M. M. Penn
this 17th day of November 1855) D. J. Thomas
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Thos. L. Penn

Be it remembered that on the 17th day of November 1855, the within will was duly probated in the probate Court of Chambers County Alabama, on the oaths of M. M. Penn, David S. Thomas and Thomas L. Penn the three subscribing witnesses to the same and recorded in Record of Wills, Vol. 2 Pages 566 & 567.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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MARTHA WOODS WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God amen I Marth Woods of the County and State aforesaid being in feeble health of body but of sound and disposing mind and memory and knowing that I must die and being desirous of disposing of what property and effects a kind providance has blessed me with do make and ordain this as my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time made.

Item 1st. I covenant my sould into the hands of God who gave it me and my body to the ground to be buried by my friend in a decent Christian like manner.

Item 2nd. I desire that as soon after my decease as practicable all my just debts be paid out of any moeny or effects which I may have not herein seiefiedlly disposed of.

Item 3rd. I give and bequeath to my neice Terrisse Callaway daughter of Francis Callaway to her sole separate and exclusive use during her natural life free from the control contracts debts or engagements of any husband she may hereafter have at her death to such children or child of her as she may leave surviving her or if she should die without leaving any child or children surviving her then at her death to my nephew Charles Callaway and his heirs my negro woman Milly with all her future increase and also my bureau.

Item 4th. I give and bequeath to my nephew Charles Callaway and his heirs my negro man Jack.

Item 5th. I give and bequeath to my sister Elizabeth Callaway wife of Francis Callaway all the estate and residue of my property and effects whatsoever to be disposed of by her as she may think proper.

Item 6th. Lastly I nominate and appoint my brother in law Francis Callaway sole executor of this my last will and testament..

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this thirtieth day of March A.D. 1853.

Martha Wood (seal)

Signed sealed published and declared by Martha Wood as her last will and testament in presence of us the day and date above written.

Jefferson Falkner
Lewis Wilson

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate December 3rd 1855.

Personally appeared in open Court Jefferson Falkner and Lewis Wilson the two subscribing witnesses to the within paper writing named Martha Wood, sign, seal and publish the same as and for her last will and testament and that they believed her to be of sound & disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same and that they each signed the same as subscribing witness, at the request and in the presence of the said Martha Wood and in the presence of each other, on the day the same bears date.

Sworn to in open Court date above written) Jefferson Falkner
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Lewis Wilson

Be it remembered that on the 3rd day of December 1855 the foregoing will was duly probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Alabama on oath of Jefferson Falkner and Lewis Wilson, two of the subscribing witnesses to the same, and duly recorded in Record of Wills, Vol. 2 Pages 568 & 69.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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LEVIN MOORE DECD. WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

October 1st 1855

In the name of God amen.

I Levin Moore of the County and State aforesaid do constitute and make this my last will and testamen, being in bad health but of sound mind.

1st. I give and bequeath unto my beloved wif Penelope Moore all my lands consisting of three hundred & ten acres whereon I now reside and all my horses consisting of three head and my other stock of cattle hogs &c plantation tools, to have and enjoy to her use and benefit during her natural life.

2nd. At the death of my beloved wife Penelope Moore it is my will that all the property lands stock of negroes &c be equally divided between my children (Ann M. McGinty, Malenda M. Moore and Wiley P. Moore) with this exception that my beloved daughter Malinda M. Moore and Wiley P. Moore have one feather bed and furniture and forty dollars each more than my beloved daughter Ann M. McGinty making up equal to an amount I advanced to Ann M.McGinty at the time of her marriage.

3rd. In conclusion I hereby appoint my beloved wif Penelope Moore and Benjamin F. Moore my executors of this my last will & testament no bond required.

4th. And I hereby empower them my executors my beloved wife Penelope Moore & B. F. Moore with previldge to sell at any time any portion of the property for the benefit of the family.

5th. That my executor B. F. Moore in whom I have the greatest confidence should survive my beloved wife Penelope Moore, he shall use his own discretion making the devision whether it is best to divide the lands negroes and all other effects or to sell the same.

6th. In reguard to the portion I give and bequeath unto my beloved daughter Ann M. McGinty, it is give expressly for the use benefit and enjoyment of her and her lawful heirs.

7th. And I hereby appoint Benjamin F. Moore her trustee to manage the same for the use of her and her heirs to best of his skill and ability.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal in presence of

Test James C. Moore — Levin Moore (seal)
John P. W. Amerine
Jesse Carpenter

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Regular Court of Probate December 10, 1855

Personally appeared in open court James C. Moore one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing paper writing and after being duly sworn says on oath, that he saw Levin Moore seign seal & publish the same as and for his last will & testament, and that he believed the said Levin Moore to be of sound & desposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, and that he signed the same as a subscribing witness, at the request and in the presence of said Levin Moore and that he saw Jesse Carpenter sign the same as a subscribing witness, at the request & in the presence of said Leoin, and that they signed in the presence of each other Sworn to in open Court, the day above written.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate — James C. Moore

Be it remembered that on the 10th day of December 1855 the foregoing will was duly probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Alabama on the oath of James C. Moore on of the subscribing witnesses to the same, and duly recorded in Record of Wills Vol 2 Pages 570 & 571.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I, Daniel S. Robertson, of the County & State aforesaid, do hereby make, ordain & declare my last will and testament, as follows--

Item 1. After the payment of my funeral expenses, I desire that all my just debts shall be paid by my executrix, if any such debts should remain unpaid at the time of my decease.

Item 2nd. To each of my children, namely, Whitfield S. Robertson, John C. Robertson, Francina Coldull wife of John Coleuell, late Francina Robertson, Rissilla Flournoy, wife of Thomas Flournoy, late Rissilla Robertson, and Nancy Doolittle, wife of E. H. Doolittle, late Nancy Robertson, I have hitherto given off in property and money, the respective sums of thirty five hundred dollars, and have put them severally in the possession of the same. These several portions of my estate I desire them to remain & keep, as so much advanced to them respectivly by me.

Item 3d. It is my desire & I hereby appoint my wife Lueretia H. Robertson, to be my sole executrix, and that bond or security be required of her as such, but her applintment to cease upon her subsequent marriage, and in the event of her marriage or death, it is my will that my son Whitfield H. Robertson be my executor of this my will.

Item 4th. To my said wife Lueretia H. I give and bequeath all my property both real & personal of every kind whatsoever, resting in her the legal title, to be held by her as executrix & trustee, to be managed & disposed of as follows-viz- That she keep all the property together untill my youngest child becomes of lawful age or marries; but in the meantime should any of my children other than those to whom I have made advancements as before state in the 2nd Item, become of age or marry, my wife will allot to him, her or them in property or money the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars thus making such child equal to those heretofore advanced-and my said wife out of the proceeds of my estate, is to see that my children under age are properly educated and maintained, which expences for education & maintainance are not to be estimated in their shears in the apportionment to be made for them of thirty five hundred dollars as above directed-and upon the marriage or arriving at age of my youngest child, a division of my property must be made so as to make all my children equal taking into the estimate the thirty five hundred dollars severally advanced to them, and my said wife is to have a share equal to a child's part to vest in her for & during her natural life & at her death to be equally divided among all my children.

Item 5th. But should my wife die or marry before my youngest child marries or arrives at age, then I desire my property to be divided equally between all my children and my wife to have a childes part, to wit in her for her life & after her death to be equally divided among my children--In the event however that a division is made under this 5th item of my will, I desire that the sum of two hundred dollars per annum be allowed to each of my children who are under age or unmarried, as a means for their support & education, which provision is to stop when they respectfully marry or arise at age, and is not to be estimated in the allotment & distribution of my property as any portion of their share.

Item 6. In making an allotment to my daughter Mary G. Robertson of her distributive share, I desire that Adeline (the daughter of my slave Serena) and her increase be included in her portion as a part thereof.

Item 7. Should any of my said children die leaving no issue living at the time of their death, it is my will that the share allotted to such be distributed amont my surviving children equally, or in the event of the death of any of them leaving issue such issue to take the shear their parent would have taken if living.

Item 8. I desire when a distribution shall be made of my estate, my wife may choose the shares which she desires to take as her share.

Item 9. If in the opinion of my wife which she is executrix, the interest of my estate requires it, she may dispose of any portion of my estate either at private or public sale, holding the proceeds as a part of the estate.

Item 10th. In making provision for such of my children as may marry or arrive at age before the final distribution of my estate, I desire the following named slaves to be reserved out of the same viz-----

Seara Masuria Onsa Reese Ben & Rose and her children Doctor & Crit Anderson & Suck Burell and Fanny and her children Lear Arch Jane & Tom

all which I do this day, to wit the fifteenth day of February A.D. 1854 declare, ordain & publish as my last will and testament, revoking all others.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal on the day and date above & in the presence of the witnesses whose names are hereunto subscribed
Signed & sealed by the testator & escuded in our) Daniel Robertson (seal)
presence on the date above interlined before)
assigned)
Charles McLemore
Gibson F. Hill
J. T. Tood

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Regular Court of Probate, January 14th 1856.

Personally appeared in open court, Charles McLemore, one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith on oath, that he saw Daniel S. Robertson the testator, sign seal and publish the same, as and for his last will and testament, an the day the same bears date; and that he believed the said Daniel S. Robertson, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same; that he deponent, signed the same, as a subscribing witness, at the request and in the presence of the said Daniel S. Robertson, that he saw Gibson F. Hill and J. B. Todd the other two subscribing witnesses, sign the same, at the request and in the presence of the said Daniel S. Robertson, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed, in open Court, this) Charles McLemore
14th day of January 1856.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate)

Be it remembered, that on the 14th day of January 1856, the foregoing will, was duly probated by the Probate Court of Chambers County, Ala. on the affidavit of Charles McLemore one of the subscribing witnesses to the same; and duly recorded, in Record of wills, Vol. 2, Pages 542, & 73 & 74.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

In the name of God amen.

I, Nathan B. Garrett, being now of sound mind and desposing memory and mindful that I must at some future period leave this world therefor I make constitute ordain publish and declare this to be my last will and testament hereby revoking annulling and setting aside all wills heretofore made by me.

It is my first wish that, my body be buried in a decent & Christian manner.

It is my next wish that all of my just debts of all kind be paid.

I then wish that my dearly beloved wife Jane F. Garrett have all my estate of every kind character or description both real and personal debts choses in action and debts and should she marry then my estate is to be equally divided between the said Jane F and my five childredn now living one, another or others should there be any, of mine, each to take a part porportionally and should any of my heirs at law die without heirs lawfully begotten of their bodies then their portion to revert to, and become a portion of my estate for division as aforesaid.

It is hereby declared to be and is my will, that the property hereby given, to wit, Harry a man Sue a man Adam and James boys now in my possession and control as also the eighty acres of land on which I now reside together with all improvements, thereon as also all my notes accounts debts & evidences of debts with my pleasure carriage & horses pass to the said Jane F. as aforesaid, and each of my heirs as aforesaid only to take a life estate in and to said property and said property is to go to and be the property of the heirs of the bodies of the my, heirs aforesaid only the said Jane F. and in the event of her marriage her portion of my estate to go as she may desire.

I hereby constitute and appoint, my beloved wife Jane F. Garret my executrix, and Wesley M. Garrett my executor authorising either or both of them to qualify and act and should one die fail to qualify or resign the other into carry out the trust herein reposed.

Signed sealed and dated this the sixteenth day of December 1855.
In the presence of, Nathan B. Garrett (seal)
Cicero D. Hudson
W. W. Tion
William F. Garrett

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Regular Court of Probate, January 14, 1856.

Personally appeared in open Court, Cicero D. Hudson and William F. Garrett two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn deposeth and say, that they saw Nathan B. Garrett, the testator, 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 Nathan B. Garrett 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 witness at the request & in the presence of the said Nathan B. Garrett; that they saw W. W. Tion, the other subscribing witness, sign the same, at the request and in the presence of the said Nathan B. Garrett, and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court,) Cicero D. Hudson
this 14th day of January 1856.) William F. Garrett
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate)

Be it remembered that on the 14th day of January 1856, the following will was duly probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Alabama, on the affidavit of Cicero D. Hudson and William F. Garrett, two of the subscribing witness to the same, and duly recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 575 & 76.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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I, James Doudell Sr. of Chambers County State of Alabama do hereby make declare and publish this Writing to be my last will & testament.

After the payment of my just debts out of the debts due me I dispose of my estate in the following manner (to wit) I give to my wife Caroline Daudell all the property that come from her farther & brothers, estate (to wit) negroes named Nelson Luey Eliza Jerry, Joanna, Amey, Fanny and her two children Harriett & Rachel. John Paterson and Eli as her own property in fee simple to use and dispose of she may see fit and proper And I give my said wife the following negroes for and during her natural life for her own seperate use and benefit during her natural life after death to be equally divided among my children to wit Jesse Sophia Henry, Anderson Mary Bobb Jess Joy little Mary Ive, Ann, Martha Pomp Jacob Frances Stephens Seller & her child Shelly & Henry Shetton Manerva & her child Alice Jim Caroline Charity little Jesse & Miras far and during her natural life then to be equally divided between my children. Also my house and lot in the village of Oak Bowery where on I now reside together with all of my housenold & kitchen furniture and tract of land number ten which I purchased of Thornton & the small lot fronting my dwelling house together with all of the stock and farming utentials on the same the carriage & horses the horse & buggy one wagon and six mules to be her own property in fee simple free from incumbrances.

2. I have before this given off to my daughter Elizabeth Myrah twenty one negroes and Sundry tracts of land (to wit) one house & lot of land near Tolbottom Georgia, also two Cherokee lots of land also nine quarter sections of land in Mississippi also one watch north two hundred & fifty dollars one peano worth four hundred & fifty dollars.

I have before this given to my daughter Catharine Smith Lence deceased, two negroes Henry Abright & his wife Frances the titles of which I have since confirmed to her husband Robert Smith;

I have previously to this given to my son Lewis F. Daudell twenty one negroes and a settlement of land in Harris County Georgia and one Waggon and ten mules one buggy & horse & one gold watch.

I hereby give & bequeath to my daughter Rebecca L. Dudell, the following property (to wit) my upper plantation lying in Harris County Georgia near the pine Mountain containing about two thousand acres of land also the following negroes (to wit) Sarah and her children Sintha Frances Loyd Sarah Hilliard Pinckney & Mary, Bill & his daughter Salley Charles & his wife Fillis and her two children Jerry & Allen, Washington & his wife Leasey & child Bartley, Oliver Toney & Bererby making twenty one negroes in all and a pianna & gold watch which she now has. the before mentioned land I give to my said daughter for her own seperate & sole benefit & use to used controled or desposed of as she may deem best & proper for her sole & seperate use the before mentioned negroes which I hereby give to my said daughter Rebecca L. I give to her for her seperate & sole use & benefit for and during her natural life; after her death to go

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& be the property of her children and in case she should die without children or their presentatives then & in that event, said negroes are to be the joint property of my other children or their representatives. I further give to my daughter Rebeca L. one road waggon & ten mules and three hundred dollars.

I hereby give and bequeath to my daughter Susan A. Daudell the following property (to wit) my settlement of land in Chambers County Alabama known as my white plains place as plantation containing sixteen hundred acres of land also my piece of land near Oakbowery containing one hundred & fifty acres which I purchased of J. W. Starn also a house & lot purchased of Isaac Parks in the village of Oakbowery also one other lot in Oakbowery purchases of J. W. Starn also one Pianno & one gold watch or six hundred dollars in cash as an equivolent for the same all of the before mentioned property given to my daughter Susan A. is given to her for her own sole seperate & exclusive use & benefit also one road waggon & ten mules & three hundred dollars.

Also the following negroes to wit.

Owen & his wife Harriett & three children Mathew Adanne Patsey Sharlott Fed Bussod & Catharine John & his children Clarrissa Jack Henry Isaac & Jane--Betsey & her two children Dennis & Bean--Shadrick & his wife Mariah & their daughter Cherry being twenty one in number, which said negroes I have to my said daughter for and during her natural life after her death to be the property of her children & in case she should die without children or their decendants then said negroes are to be the property of my other children or their decendants.

I do hereby give and bequeath to my daughter Louisa J. Daudell and to my son Luther Martin Daudell jointly & equally & for their joint & equal use my plantation in Macon County south of Auburn known as the Chewaeekley plantation containing about twenty five hundred acres of land and two lots of land in Harris County Georgia one lot known as the Meeting House lot purchased of Henry Low the other lot adjoining Copeland Mills both lots containing about four hundred acres.

I further give & bequeath to my daughter Louisa J. Daudell the following negroes to wit Ellick & his wife Mary & their children Chaney Lovick Asberry Jim Clarisey & Selva Dick and his wife Seller & her children Alfred Lewis & Susan-Shadrick & his wife Lucinda and their children Eliza Jo Henry & Lilas Delley Ann & her two children Freeman & an infant child being twenty two in November the negroes herein give to my daughter Louisa J. is hereby given to her for her seperate use controul & benefit during her natural life and at her death to be the property or her children or their decendants & in the event of her death without children or their decendants then these negroes are to be the property of my other children or their decendants I also give her one gold watch one Pianno or six hundred dollars as an equivolent one road waggon ten mules & three hundred dollars.

I further give and bequeath to my son Luther Martin Daudell the following negores & property to wit Mariah Swetzer & her children Malinda Halley Ann William Caroline Izabel & an infant child Bobb & his wife Hannah & child Nancey Abram & his wife Linsey & their children Jacob & Nat Azeah & his wife Henrietta, Cabbel & his wife Candice & their two children Matilda & an infant child and Albert being twenty one in number and the event my son Luther Martin Daudell shall die without children or their decendants it shall be the property of my other children or their decendants. I further give & bequeath to him, one road wagon, ten mules one horse & buggy or three hundred dollars as its equivolent and one gold watch or one hundred & fifty dollars as an equivolent.

And I direct that the increase of all of the foregoing negroes herein willed to my four herein mentioned children & wife that may be after the date of this will shall follow the herein disposition of the respective negroes willed each one of my children & wife.

I do hereby give and bequeath unto my son Lewis F. Daudell two lots of land lying in Harris County Georgia adjoining the land here to fore give to him being the two remaining lots of land undisposed of by me which I own in Marris County Georgia containing four hundred acres more or less.

I further direct that the remainder of my property after the foregoing bequests have been fulfilled be divided equally among my six children to wit Elizabeth Myruh Lewis F. Daudell, Rebecca L. Daudell Susan A. Daudell, Louisa J. Daudell and Luther M. Daudell except the money which may be on hand left at my death in which I direct that my wife share equally with my children.

It is my will and I hereby direct and appoint my son Lewis F. Daudell my executor to carry into effect and execute the foregoing will, and it is further my will and I do hereby direct that they carry the same into effect without being required to give bond & security.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this 28th day of May 1855.

Robert Mitchell
Geo. S. Cobb
J. F. Daudell

James Daudell (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Regular Court of Probate March 10, 1856.

Personally appeared in open Court Robert Mitchell and James F. Daudell, two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing attached will, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith on oath, that they each saw James Daudell, 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 James Daudell to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same; that they deponents, each signed the same as subscribing witnesses, at the request and in the presence of the said James Daudell that they saw George S. Cobb, the other subscribing witness, sign the same as such, at the request and in the presence of the said James Daudell; and that they all signed the same, in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed, in open Court, this 10th day of March 1856. Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

J. F. Daudell
Robert Mitchell

Be it remembered, that on the 10th day of March 1856, the foregoing will was duly probated, in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Ala., on the affidavits of James F. Daudell and Robert Mitchell, two of the subscribing witnesses to the same, and recorded , in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages, 577, 78, 79 & 580.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JOHN EDWARDS DECD COPY WILL

In the name of God amen. I, John Edwards of the County of StClair and State of Alabama being of sound judgment and knowing that it is once appointed for man to die do make this my last will and testament first of all I recommend my soul to God who gave it and my body to the earth to be buried in a decent Christian burial at the discretion of my executor not doubting but at the general resurection I shall rise the same by the mighty power of God. As touching of worlding estate where with it pleased God to bless me I will give and dispose of the same in the following manner and force it is my will and desire that my wife Rachael Edwards have three negores Mary Lear and Stephen to have and to hold during her life time or widowhood at her death the aforesaid negroes Mary is to belong to my son Lewis D. Edwards and the other two to be just and fairly appraised and the amount to be equally divided between my three children it is further my will and desire that my aforesaid wife shall be and remain in full possession of my house and land household and kitchen furniture two mules one horse five cows and calves fifteen head of hogs and farming utensils to be by her possessed and enjoyed during her natural life but if my aforesaid wife should intermary again it is my will and desire that my executors apportion her off a childes part or what the law may direct if my wife should not intermarry again at her death it is my desire that my property both real and personal be lotted off as equally as possible and drawn for the same to be equal among my three children William A. Edwards Sarah Sheppard and Lewis D. Edwards if any or either of the aforesaid children should intermarry it is my desire that they be allotted one horse or mule some cows and hogs and bed and furniture also to William Edwards I give and bequeath two negro boys Sandy and Ned and to my daughter Sarah Sheppard and to the heirs of her body one negro girl Malinda and one boy Jerry and to Lewis D. Edwards on negro boy Tom and one girl Lucina if any of the aforesaid children should die without heirs it is my will and desire that the aforesaid allotted portion or part thereof be equally divided between my surviving children.

Given under my hand and seal this 23rd day of April 1843.

Attest)
Jno. F. Dill)
Nancy Dill)

John Edwards (seal)

I, John Edwards of the County of StClair and State of Alabama do appoint John S. James and my son William A. Edwards my executors of this my last will and testament assigned sealed and acknowledged in the presence of the aforesaid witnesses.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
STCLAIR COUNTY)

Personally appeared before me James Rogan Judge of the County Court in and for said County John F. Dill and Nancy Dill subscribing witnesses to the within will who being duly sworn say that they were present on the day when said will purports to have been signed by the said John Edwards that they signature of said will was signed in their presence and that he the said John Edwards signed published and declared the same to be his last will and testament and the said testator at the time of signing the same was of sound mind and disposing memory and over the age of twenty on years sworn to and subscribed to before me this 3rd day of February 1845.

James Rogan Judge of C.C.)

Jno. F. Dill
Nancy Dill

Recorded in office for Record the above will and duly recorded the same in book B. of conveyances same day on Page 892.
Attest Ross Phillips Clerk of the County Court.

At the executors sale of the property of John Edwards decd. made on the 10th day of March 1854 as appears of Record William Sheppard purchased the following articles at the prices annexed to wit.

3 shovel plows	50	1 lot books	40
3 Gofer "	62½	1 buuel	16½
2 axes	1 62½	1 shoe base & tools	37½
1 iron wedge	31¼	1 cot	50
4 blend bridles	37½	3 chains	25
1 P. fore guss	1 12½	1 dun cow & calf	5 25
1 P. trues & back bands	80	1 cow & black yealing	3 50
2 shuck collars	15	2 heifers	3 50
2 P. hip stropo	25	1 oven 7 lid	12½
1 leather line	25	1 pot & lid	31¼
1 mans saddle	3 00	1 loon	4 56¼
2 P. lines	40	1 reel	1 51
1 lot seed cotton 5986 lb. a 75	44 89½	1 kegg	20
2 bu. sweet potatoes	50	1 wash pan	16½
1 set carriage hubs	25	1 callender & dipper	31¼
1 hand saw	1 00	1 milk boll	31¼
1 O.G. plain	16¼	1 cream pitcher	16
3 augus	75	1 bend horse gin	10 00
5 chsels	81¼	1 black mule	40 00
1 drawing knife	75	1 "	53 16¼
1 broad ax	2 25	1 bull at whesen	2 50
2 sides leather	2 25	1 lot corn 1001bs 1.56 per bu.	31 20
1 waggon streacher & hind geer	76 00	2 single trees	35
1 steel mill	2 00	1 log cain	75
1 bee gum	50	1 tumbler & decanter	37½
1 " "	51	1 jug train oil	13
1 lot bacon 2501b. a 475	11 87½		
1.3 gal. jar & lard	2 12½	and as appears of record	
1 bbl. salt	1 50	of appraise bile the boy	
1 bed & furniture	20 00	Stephen was valued at	600 00
1 leather trunk	50	Jerry	250
1 tubb	25	Malinda	500
1 trunk	12½		

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
STCLAIR COUNTY)

I Ross Phillips Judge of Probate Court in and for the County and State above mentioned hereby certify that the above and foregoing peges from 1 to 4 inclusive contain a true & perfect trasncript of the record of the last will & testament of John Edwards late of said County deceass as well as a copy of the articles purchased by William Sheppard at the sale of the property belonging to said estate sold on the 10th March 1854 & also of the appraisement of the above named negroes.

Given under my hand & seal of office on this 12th day of December A.D. 1855.
Ross Phillips, Judge of Probate.

Filed in office for record, March 10th 1856; and recorded April 1, 1856 in record of wills Vol. 2, Pages 581 582 & 583.

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REBECCA Y. ANDRESS DECD. WILL

ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I do hereby bequeath to my sister Mary E. Andress children at my death my negro boy Ben Febr. 22nd

Test Charlotte Gray
his
William Y Andress
mark

Rebecah Y. Andress (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate, March 24, 1856.

Personally appeared, in open Court Charlotte Gray and William Andress, the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing attached will who being each duly sworn deposeth and say, that they each saw Rebecca Y. Andress, siga, seal, and publish the same, as and for her last will and testament on the 22nd day of February 1856, and that they each believed the said Rebecca Y. Andress, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, that they deponants, each signed the same, as subscribing witnesses, at the request, and in the presence of the said Rebecca Y. Andress; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court,)
his
before me this 24th day of March 1856) Wm. X Andress
mark
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Charlotte Gray

Be it remembered, that on the 24th day of March 1856, the foregoing will was duly probated, in the Probate Cout of Chambers County, Ala. on the affidavits of William Andress and Charlotte Gray, the subscribing witnesses to the same, and recorded in record of Wills Vol 2, Page 583.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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DAVID DUNLAP DECD WILL

THE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

The last will and testament of David Dunlap being of sound mind & memory.

Item 1st . in the name of God amen I commit my soul to the God who gave it and my body to the grave.

2nd. I wish my body decently buried.

3rd. I want all my debts first paid out of my estate.

4th. I want and it is my will that David A. Robinson, May Jane Robinson, Jane J. Robinson and Joseph P. Robinson there four children shall be my legal heirs and only heirs of my lands negroes, notes, & accounts, and all other property belonging to me in any manner and they shall have equal schooling and their on equal dividion of all that is left,

5th. They have the right to choose their own guardian or guardians to make that division and manage for them untill they become of age.

6th. I want, Ann and Her children to remain with Mrs. Mary Robsinson and be her property until her death and then to revert to the children above named.

7th. I appoint Jane J. Robinson my executor to pay my debts and settle my business.

8th. The above constitute my last will and testament which I wish strictly observed and carried out, where unto I have set my hand and seal this the 7th day of September 1852.

Witness Isaac F. Wilson
James M. Hill
Langdon Ellis

David Dunlap (seal)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate April 7, 1856.

Personally appeared in open Court James M. Hill, and Langdon Ellis, two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will who being each duly sworn, deposeth and say, that they saw David Dunlap, the testator, siga seal and publish the same as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears, date; and that they eadh believed the said David Dunlap to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of sigaing the saem; and that they each signed, the same, as subscribing witness at the request and in the presence of the said David Dunlap; that they saw Isaac F. Wilson the other subscribing witness sign the same at the request and in the presence of the said David Dunlap; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court, James M. Hill
before me April 7, 1856. Langdon Ellis
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Be it remembered, that on the 7th day of April 1856, the foregoing will was duly probated in the Probate Court of Chambers County, Ala. on the affidavits of James M. Hill and Langdon Ellis two of the subscribing witnesses to the same; and duly recorded in Record of Wills Vol. 2, Pages 584 & 585.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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SAMUEL LEE BOND ADMR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Samuel Lee principal and Frederick Willoughby and Berry Strother of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for said County and his successers 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 7th day of January 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Samuel Lee has been appointed administrator de bonius non of the estate of Wm. Lee senr. deceased.

Now, if the said Samuel Lee 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 Janry. 7, 1856
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate)

Samuel Lee (seal)
Frederick Willoughby (seal)
Berry Strother (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 7, 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Samuel Lee to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration de bonis non, to issue in favour of the said Samuel Lee in and upon the goods and chattels and credits of William Lee Sr. deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Samuel Lee is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator de bonis non to the said Wm. Lee Sr. deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 7 day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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THOMAS CHRISTIAN DECD BOND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Stephen Chaffin & Gideon Christian principals, & Thomas S. Christian and Wm. O. Morgen 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 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 September 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Stephen Chaffin & Gideon Christian have been appointed administrators with the will annexed of the estate of Thomas Christian deceased: Now, if the said Stephen Chaffin & Gideon Christian 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 27th 1855)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Stephen Chaffin (seal)
Gideon Christian (seal)
Thos. S. Christian (seal)
W. O. Morgan (seal)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Sept.27, 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern that on the application of Stephen Chaffin & Gideon Christian to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration de bonis non comtestamento annexed to issue in fabour of the said Stephen Chaffin & Gideon Christian in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and Credits of Thomas Christian deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Stephen Chaffin & Gideon Christian are authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrators to the said Thomas Christian deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 27th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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NATHANIEL C. BARBER GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Nathaniel C. Barber principal and E. B. McCarley and John B. McCarley 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 eight hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 19 day of January A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Nathaniel C. Barber has been appointed guardian of the estate of Wilber F. Smith minor heir of Henry Smith deceased. Now, if the said Nathaniel C. Barber 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.) Nathaniel C. Barber (seal)
January 19th 1856.) E. B. McCarley (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) J. B. McCarley (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 25, 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Nathaniel C. Barber to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Nathaniel C. Barber in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Wilbur F. Smith, minor heir of Henry Smith deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Nathaniel C. Barber aughorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 25th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred, and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JAMES J. ROBERSON LETTERS OF EXECUTORSHIP

THE STATE OFALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, April 7, 1856.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 7th day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 89th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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RICHARD PEARSON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, February 6, 1854.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Richard Pearson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Richard Pearson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Andrew J. Pearson and Cordelia Pearson, minor heirs of Samuel J. Pearson deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Richard Pearson authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 6th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four and the 78 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JAMES M. NORWOOD GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Norwood, Pitman M. Lumpkin Thomas Taylor 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 18th day of October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James M. Norwood has been appointed guardian of the estate of Robert H. Lockhart minor heir of Jesse Lockhart 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 guardian then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.) J. M. Norwood (seal)
October 18th 1855) P. M. Lumpkin (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Thos. Taylor (seal)
Britton Stamps (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 18th Oct. 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 18th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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DANIEL H. MCCOY GUARDIAN LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, March 10th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that, on application of Daniel H. McCoy, to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said Daniel H. McCoy in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John W. D. Vaughan, minor heir of J. Y. D. Vaughan deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Daniel H. McCoy authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 10th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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HENRY L. WILKINSON LETTERS OF EXECUTORSHIP

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate 29 August 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James M. Gunn to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration de bonis non to issue in favour of Henry L. Wilkinson sheriff of Chambers County in and upon the goods and chattels, right and credits of Sarah A. Samuels deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry L. Wilkinson, Sheriff as aforesaid, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful ex officis admr. de bonis non to the said Sarah A. Samuels adeceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 29 day of August, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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THOMAS D, RATCHFORD GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Thomas D. Ratchford principal and Albert G. Danforth James J. Tucker 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 fourn thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made, 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 A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas D. Ratchford has been appointed guardian of the estate of Orren A. Dorsett minor heir of John Dorsett deceased. Now, if the said Thomas D. Ratchford 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.) Thomas D. Ratchford (L.S.)
March 10th 1856) Albert G. Danforth (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) James J. Tucker (L.S.)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, March 10th 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that, on application of Thomas D. Ratchford to my said Court, I have caused Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said Thomas D. Ratchford in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Orion A. Dorsett, minor heir of John Dorsett, deceased; and, in every case which occasion require, the said Thomas D. Ratchford, is authorized to bring suit and sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 10th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six, and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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TIMOTHY C. RUSSELL ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Timothy C. Russell principal and Thos. C. Russell and Jonathan Ware 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 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 February 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Timothy C. Russell has been appointed administrator de bonis non of the estate of Woodson P. Allen deceased. Now if the said Timothy C. 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 and ordered to be recorded) Timothy C. Russell (seal)
February 6th, 1856.) Thos. C. Russell (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Jonathan Ware (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY

Court of Probate 6 Feby. 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Nancy Allen to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration de bonis non to issue in favour of the Timothy C. Russell in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Woodson P. Allen deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require; the said Timothy J. Russell authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator de bonis non to the said Woodson P. Allen deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 6th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ANN WILKINSON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Ann Wilkinson principal and Wm. C. Allen Thomas R. Russell, and George M. T. Brockman 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 8th day of October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Ann Wilkinson has been appointed guardian of the estate of Thomas D. Lucy J. Louisa L. Sarah M. and Caledonia Wilkinson minor heirs of Henry L. Wilkinson deceased. Now, if the said Ann Wilkinson 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. Ann Wilkinson (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate. William C. Allen (L.S.)
Thos. R. Russell (L.S.)
G. W. T. Brockman (L.S.)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, October 8, 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Judge of Probate, this 8th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

WILLIAM MILLER DECD. ADMIN'S NEW BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George Sm Emery, principal and Silas Boker, Daniel N. Halliday Jethro Hamlin and Evan G. Richards 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 11th day of March 1856;

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George S. Emery has been appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of William Miller deceased: Now, if the said George S. Emory 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.) George S. Emory (L.S.)
March 11th 1856.) his
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Silas X Baker (L.S.)
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D. N. Halliday (L.S.)
his
Jethro X Hamlin (L.S.)
mark
E. G. Richard (L.S.)

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LETTERS

H. L. WILKINSON

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 15th 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Allen L. Bailey and Jacob A. Flournoy, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration de bonis non to issue in favour of said Henry L. Wilkinson sheriff of Chambers County, Alabama, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John Park deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry L. Wilkinson, sheriff as aforesaid, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful ex officers de bonis non to the said John Park, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 15th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six, and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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PAUL T. WILLIS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Paul T. Willis Jr. and Paul T. Willis sr. R. H. 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 11th day of February A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Paul T. Willis Jr. has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary Jane, James M. Sarah M. Georgw W. and Matilda A. Willis minors heirs of Matilda A. Willis deceased.

Now, if the said Paul T. Willis Jr. 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.) Paul T. Willis Jr. (L.S.)
February 11, 1856) Paul T. Willis Sr. (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) R. H. Dent (L.S.)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, February 15, 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William Barrow to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said William Barrow in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Anthony, an Indian boy, minor son of Molly of the Creek tribe of Indians, and, in every case which occasion may require, the said William Barrow authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor Anthony an Indian.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 15th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and of the 79th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JOHN T. SHEPPARD BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John T. Sheppard principal, and W. B. Sheppard, & Charles M.d Lemore 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 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 December 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound John T. Sheppard has been appointed administrator of the estate of Susan C. Sheppard 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 administrator, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.) John T. Sheppard (L.S.)
Saml. Pearson Judge of Probate.) W. B. Sheppard (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Decr. 16, 1854.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 16th day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty four, and the 79th year of American Independence.

Samuel, Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM HICKS ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William Hicks principal and Alford Gandy and Richard B. 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 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 7th day January A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Hicks has been appointed administrator de bonis non of the estate of Thomas E. Owen deceased.

Now, if the said William Hicks 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.) William Hicks (L.S.)
Approved Janry. 7th 1856) Alford Gandy (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Richard B. Lumpkin (L.S.)
Jan. 3rd. 1856.

Chambers County Ala. Wm. S. Pearson Judge of Probate

Dr. sir this is to shwo that I authorise you to assign my name to a bond for Wm. Hicks as administrator on the estate of Thomas E. Owen decd.

Yours truly
Test P. Owen A. Gandy.

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 7th 1856.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 7th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

MARTHA ANN NORMAN ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha Ann Norman, principal, and Mary A. Turner, William A. Norman 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 eight 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 27th day of July 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Martha Ann Norman has been appointed administratrix of the estate of John T. Norman deceased: Now, if the said Martha Ann Norman 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.) Martha A. Norman (seal)
July 27th 1855.) Mary A. Turner (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) his
Wm. A. X Norman (seal)
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LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, July 27th 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 27th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifity five and of the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WM. H. SMITH ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William H. Smith principal and John M. Smith and Gideon A. Wheeler 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 one thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 24th day of December A.D. 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Willian H. Smith has been appointed administrator with the will annexed of the estate of Catharine Ferguson deceased: Now, if the said William H. Smith 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) W. H. Smith (L.S.)
Decr. 24th 1855.) Johnson Smith (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) his
Gideon X R. Wheeler (L.S.)
mark

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 24th day of December 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Wm. H. Smith to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration with the will annexed to issue in favour of the said Wm. H. Smith in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Catharine Ferguson deceased; and in every case which occasion requires, the said Wm. H. Smith is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as lawful admr. to the said Catharine Ferguson deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 24th day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JOHN DEAN GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Dean principal and John C. Towles and J. S. Mitchell secutities of County and State aforesaid, are held and frimly 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 19th day of September 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Dean has been appointed guardian of the person and estate of George a free person of colour. Now, if the said John Dean shall well and truly perform all 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 Dean (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John C. Towles (seal)
J. S. Mitchell (seal)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, September 19th 1855.
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of John Dean to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said John Dean in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of George a free person of colour and in every case where occasion may require, the said John Dean is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said George a free person of colour aforesaid.
Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 19th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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MORRIS & SHEPPARD EXECUTOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we Lewis D. Morris and John T. Sheppard, principals, and Elijah D. McKinley, Wesley Morris and Henry L. 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 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 27th day of August 1855.
The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Lewis D. Morris and John T. Sheppard have been appointed executors of the last will and testament of Lewis Morris deceased: Now, if the said Lewis D. Morris and John T. Sheppard, 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)
Approved August 27th 1855.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Lewis D. Morris (seal)
John T. Sheppard (seal)
Elijah D. Morris (seal)
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Wesley X Morris (seal)
mark
H. L. Wilkinson (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, 27 August 1855.
Be it remembered, and made known to all it may concern, that on the application of Lewis D. Morris & John T. Sheppard to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Lewis D. Morris & John T. Sheppard in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Lewis Morris deceased: and in every case which occasion may require, the said Lewis D. Morris & John T. Sheppard are authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful executors to the said Lewis Morris deceased.
Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 27th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80 year of American Independence.
Samuel Pearson, Juge of Probate.

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WILLIAM F. DAVIS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we William F. Davis principal & Mary Lemaster & W. W. Tyson 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 25th day of August 1855.
The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William Davis has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary A. D. Youngblood minor heir of Dudley Youngblood deceased: Now if the said William F. Davis 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)
August 28th 1855.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate)
Test George S. Emory Justice of the Peace (L.S.))

William F. Davis (L.S.)
W. W. Teson (L.S.)
her
Mary X Lemaster (L.S.)
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LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William F. Davis to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said William F. Davis in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Mary A. D. Youngblood minor heir of Dudley Youngblood deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require the said William F. Davis is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Mary A.D. Youngblood minor as aforesaid.
Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 28th day of August A.D. one thousand eight undred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, September 14th 1855.
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William A. Winn to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of Henry L. Wilkinson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Malichi Kunon deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry L. Wilkinson is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Malichi Kuno .
Witness, Samuel, Pearson Judge of Probate, this 14th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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NANCY T. RENFRO DECD. ADMRS. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we Nancy Renfro principal and Thos. L. Penn and J. W. 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 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 September 1855.
The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Nancy Renfro has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Noah P. Runfro deceased. Now, if the said Nancy Renfro 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.)
September 19th 1855 Test Jas. H. Ervin)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

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Nancy X. Renfro (seal)
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Thomas L. Pen (seal)
J. W. Williams (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate, Septr. 19, 1855.
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Nancy Renfro to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Nancy Renfro in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Noah P. Renfro deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Nancy Renfro is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Noah P. Renfro deceased.
Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 19th day fo Sept. A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ELIEZER R. VERNON, EXECUTOR BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents, that we Eliezer R. Vernon principal and Moses Wyatt and Jefferson Falkner, 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 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 27 day of Sept. 1855.
The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Eliezer R. Vernon has been appointed executor of the last will & testament of William H. Calanahan decd. Now, if the said Eliezer R. Vernon 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.)
September 27th 1855)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

E. R. Vernon (seal)
Moses Wyatt (seal)
Jefferson Falkner (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Sept. 27, 1855.
Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Eliezer R. Vernon to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Eliezer R. Vernon in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Wm. H. Clanahan deceased: and in every case which occasion may require, the said Eliezer R. Vernon is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executor to the said Wm. H. Clanahan, deceased.
Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 27th day of Sept A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

MARTHA V. POTTS GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Martha V. Potts principal & Wm. A. Slaughter & Thos. C. Garlington 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 28th day of September 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Martha V. Potts has been appointed guardian of the person & estate of Moses J. Potts minor heirs of Henry J. Potts deceased: Now, if the said Martha V. Potts 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.) Martha V. Potts (seal)
September 28th 1855) Wm. A. Slaughter (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) T. C. Garlington (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Sept 28th 1855.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Martha V. Potts to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Martha V. Potts in and upon the goods and chattels, right and credits of Moses J. Potts minor heir of Henry J. Potts deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Martha V. Potts is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Moses J. Potts minor as aforesaid.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 28th day of Sept. A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty, five and the 80th year of American independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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NANCY CHRISTIAN DECD BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Stephen Chaffin and Gideon Christian principals William O. Morgan & Thomas S. Christian 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.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Stephen Chaffin & Gideon Christian have been appointed administrators with the will annexed of the estate of Nancy Christian deceased: Now, if the said Stephen Chaffin & Gideon Christian 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.) Stephen Chaffin (seal)
September 27th 1855.) Gideon Christian (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Thos. S. Christian (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Sept 27th 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 27th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

DERRYL HART DECD ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Hart and Thomas D. Hart principals & Warren W. Meadors, Samuel Jeter and Caleb Holloday, 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 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 1st day of October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas D. Hart and James M. Hart have been appointed administrators of the estate of Derryl Hart deceased.

Now, if the said Thomas D. & James M. Hart 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.) Thomas D. Hart (seal)
October 1st 1855.) James M. Hart (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Warner W. Meadors (seal)
Samuel Jeter (seal)
Caleb Holloway (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, October 1st 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Thomas D. Hart and James M. Hart, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Thomas D. Hart and James M. Hart, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Derryl Hart deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Thomas D. Hart and James M. Hart, authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrators to the said Derryl Hart deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 1st day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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GIDEON R. WHEELERS ADMINISTRATION BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents,that we Gideon R. Wheeler, principal and Jesse Fitzpatrick and William H. 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 thousand dollars; for 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 October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Gideon R. Wheeler has been appointed administrator ad collgendum of the estate of Hezekeat Wheeler deceased: Now, if the said Gideon R. Wheeler 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.) his
Oct. 18th 1855) Gideon R X Wheeler (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) mark
Jesse Fitzpatrick (L.S.)
Wm. H. Smith (L.S.)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Cout of Probate, Oct. 18, 1855

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Gideon R. Wheeler to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration ad collgendum to issue in favour of the said Gideon R. Wheeler in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Hezekiah Wheeler deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Gideon R. Wheeler is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator ad collgendum, to the Hezenkiah Wheeler decd.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 18 day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

BAINBRIDGE BOZEMAN ADMINISTRATORS BOND

Know all men by these presents, that we Bainbridge Bozeman principal and Hugh Wallace and John Summers 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 October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Bainbridbe Bozeman has been appointed administrator of the estate of Toliver W. Bradfield deceased: Now, if the said Bainbridge Bozeman 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.) Baibridge Boazeman (seal)
Oct. 26th 1855.) Hugh Wallace (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) John Summers (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Oct. 26th 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Bainbridge Boazeman to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the said Baibridge Boazman in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Toliver W. Bradford deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Bainbridge Boazman authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrator to the said Toliver W. Bradfield, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 26th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ELDRED WILKINSON ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Eldred Wilkindon principal and Francis M. Sutton & Ann 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 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 29th day of October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such whereas the above bound Eldred Wilkinson has been appointed administrator of the estate of Wm. J. Reese deceased: Now, if the said Eldred Wilkinson 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.) Eldred Wilkinson (seal)
October 29th 1855.) Francis M. Sutton (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Ann W. Wilkinson (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Oct. 29th 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 29th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM E. HART GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William E. Hart principal and Charles McLemore 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 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 October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William E. Hart has been appointed guardian of the estate of John Henry Hart a minor & heir of Derryl Hart deceased: Now, if the said William E. Hart 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 E. Hart (seal)
October 29th 1855) Charles McLemore (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) J. S. Mitchell (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 29 Oct.1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of William E. hart, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said William E. Hart in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John Henry Hart, a minor heir of Derryl Hart, deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said William E. Hart is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 29th day of October A.D, one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JESSE M. JACKSON DECD. EXECUTOR'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we John Huguley principal and Jacob Huguley and A. Gullatt 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 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 October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John Huguley has been appointed executor of the last will & testament of Jesse M. Jackson 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 executor then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded) John Huguley (seal)
October 29th 1855.) Jacob Huguley (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) A. Gullott (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 29 Oct. 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of John Huguley in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Jesse M. Jackson deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said John Huguley is aughorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executor to the said Jesse M. Jackson, deceased.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 29th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JAMES R. HODGE GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James R. Hodge principal and George E. Hodge and John N. Hodge 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 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 October 1855. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James R. Hodge has been appointed guardian of the estate of William Nance a minor and heir of Wm. Nance deceased: Now, if the said James R. Hodge 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.) James R. Hodge (seal)
Oct. 30th 1855.) George E. Hodge (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John N. Hodge (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 James R. Hodge to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said James R. Hodge in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of William Nance, minor heir of William Nance deceased, and, in every case which occasion may require, the said James R. Hodge is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this 30th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JAMES R. HODGE GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James R. Hodge principal and George E. Hodge and John N. Hodge 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 30th day of October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James R. Hodge has been appointed guardian of the estate of Stephen M. S. Hodge & Achara A. H. Hodge, minors and heirs of Martha Ann Hodge deceased: Now, if the said James R. Hodge shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guadian--then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.) James R. Hodge (seal)
Oct. 30th 1855.) George E. Hodge (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John N. Hodge (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Oct 30, 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 30th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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GEORGE E. HODGE GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George E. Hodge principal and James R. Hodge & John N. Hodge securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bount unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office, in the penal sum of twelves 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 presence. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 30th day of October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound George E. Hodge has been appointed guardian of the estate of J. A. Nance a minor and heir of Mw. Nance deceased. Now, if the said George E. Hodge 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.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded.) George E. Hodge (seal)
Oct. 30th 1855) James R. Hodge (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) John N. Hodge (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, Oct 30th 1855

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of George E. Hodge to said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said George E. Hodge in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of J. A. Nance, a minor and heir of William Nance, deceased, and, in every case which occasion may require, the said George E. Hodge is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 30th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80 year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JAMES M. REED GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Reed principal, and, Charles McLemore & Evan G. Richards 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 30th day of October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James M. Reed has been appointed guardian of the Persons & estates of Elizabeth Reed deceased: Now, if the said James M. Reed, 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,) J. M. Reed (seal)
October 30, 1855.) Charles McLemore (seal)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Evan G. Richards (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 30th Oct. 1855.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James M. Reed, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said James M. Reed, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Elizabeth Reed, a lunatic, and Mary E. Reed a minor; heirs of Elizabeth Reed deceased and in every ca e which occasion may require, the said James M. Reed, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said lunatic & minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 30th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILLIAM H. SHEPPARD GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we William H. Sheppard principal and Isham Sheppard and Jefferson Falkner securities of the County and State, aforesaid, are held and firmly bount 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 5th day of November 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound William H. Sheppard has been appointed guardian of the estate of Julia F. Grant minor & heir of Grant deceased: Now, if the said William H. 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 br recorded) William H. Sheppard (seal)
Novr. 5th 1855) Isham Sheppard (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Jefferson Falkner (seal)

LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate November 5th 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Julia F. Grant, to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of William H. Sheppard, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of said Julia F. Gresham, a minor & heir of ___Grant deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said William H. Sheppard is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 5th day of November, A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifity five and the 80 year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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GEORGE W. MITCHAN ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we George W. Mitchan principal and James A. McLendon, Joseph C. McLendon, Jesse Fitzpatrick, Wm. C. Morgan and Jeptha McLendon, 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 19th day of October 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound George W. Mitchan has been appointed administrator of the estate of Lucy T. McLendon, deceased; Now if the said George W. Mitchan 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) Geo.W. Mitchan (L.S.)
October 19th 1855.) J. A. McLendon (L.S.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate) Jesse Fitzpatrick (L.S.)
Signed before me Oct 19th 1855) Wm. C. Morgan (L.S.)
John T. Jarrell J.P.) Jeptha McLendon (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate Oct. 19th 1855.

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

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this the 19th day of October A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifity five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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LEE L. JAMES ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Lee L. James principal, and M. L. Smith and R. P. Burton 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 12th day of November 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Lee L. James has been appointed administrator of the estate of Jeusha S. James deceased; Now if the said Lee L. James shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be required by law 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) Lee L. James (L.S.)
Nov. 13th 1855) M. L. Smith (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) R. P. Burton (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate Nov. 13th 1855.

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 favour of the said Lee L. James in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Jerush S. 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 Jerusha S. James deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this 13th day of November A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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THOS. B. BARFORD'S ESTAB. LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate December 10th 1855.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of John B. Barford to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration ex officis to issue in favour of Henry L. Wilkerson Sheriff, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Thomas B. Barford deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry L. Wilkinson is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administratorsex officis to the said Thomas B. Barford deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 10th day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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HENRY P. LACY, GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Henry P. Lacy, principal and Samuel Abanathy and Daniel Coggin 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 hundred dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made, 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 A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Henry P. Lacy has been appointed guardian of the estate of Martha S. Abernathy minor heir of John D. Abernathy deceased; Now if the said Henry P. Lacy shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of him as such guardian, then this obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded H. P. Lacy (L.S.)
January 7th 1856 Samuel Abernathy (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate. Daniel Coggin (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate January 7th 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Martha J. Abernathy, to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship, in favour of Henry P. Lacy, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said Martha J. Abernathy, a minor heir of John D. Abernathy deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry P. Lacy is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 7th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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MARY ANN JOHNSON, GUARDIAN'S BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Mary Ann Johnson, principal and Joseph Greer and James G. Hodge, 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 hundred dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made, 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 A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Mary Ann Johnson, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Thomas A. Johnson, Martha A. Johnson, Ann E. Johnson, Wm. G. Johnson, and Josaphine B. Johnson, minors of John R. Johnson, deceased: Now if the said Mary Ann Johnson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be required by law 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)
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Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.) Mary Ann X Johnson (L.S.)
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Joseph Greer (L.S.)
James G. Hodge (L.S.)

MARY ANN JOHNSON, LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate January 7th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that on the application of Mary Ann Johnson, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Mary Ann Johnson, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Thomas A. Johnson, Martha A. Johnson, Ann E. Johnson, Wm. G. Johnson, and Josephine B. Johnson minor heirs of John R. Johnson deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Mary Ann Johnson 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 January one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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CHARLES MCLEMORE ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Charles McLemore principal, and James S. Mitchell and Fortune N. Chisolm 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 to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this the 5th day of January A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Charles McLemore has been appointed administrator of the estate of William Adkens, deceased; Now if the said Charles McLemore 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 Charles McLemore (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate J. S. Mitchell (L.S.)
F. N. Chisolm (L.S.)

CHARLES MCLEMORE, LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 8th 1856.

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

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this the 8th day of January A. D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 80th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

EVAN G. RICHARDS ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Evan G. Richards principal and Malinda Ann Adkens, Charles McLemore and John A. Frazer 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 twelves 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 February 1856. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Evan G. Richards has been appointed administrator de bonis non, of the estate of Wm. J. Adkins 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 and ordered to be recorded)
Feby. 29th 1856.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.)

Evan G. Richards (L.S.)
Malinda A. Adkins (L.S.)
J. A. Frazer (L.S.)
Charles McLemore (L.S.)

EVAN G. RICHARDS LETTERS OF ADMR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 29th February 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Malenda A. Adkins to my said Court, I have caused Letters of Administration de bonis non to issue in favour of Evan G. Richards, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Wm. J. Adkins 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 de bonis non, to the estate Wm J. Adkins deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 29th day February A.D, one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 30th year of American Independance

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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SAMUEL ABERNATHY, GUARDIAN, BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Samuel Abernathy principal and Danul Coggin & Christopher T. Coggin 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 & truly to be made, 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 January A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Samuel Abernathy has been appointed guardian of the estate of Mary F. Samuel H. Nancy Emeline, and Louisa B. Abernathy, minor heirs of John D. Abernathy deceased: Now if the said Samuel Abernathy shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be required by law 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
January 14th 1856
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

Samuel Abernathy (L.S.)
Danul Coggin (L.S.)
Christopher T. Coggin (L.S.)

SAMUEL ABERNATHY, LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate January 14th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Samuel Abernathy to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Samuel Abernathy in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Mary F. Samuel H. Nancy E. and Louisa B. Abernathy, minor heirs of John D. Abernathy deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said Samuel Abernathy is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 14th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and forty six and the 80th year of American independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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CHRISTOPHER T. COGGIN, GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Christopher T. Coggin principal, and Daniel Coggin & Samuel Abernathy, 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 hundred dollars for which payment well and truly to be made, 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 January A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Christopher T. Coggin has been appointed guardian of the estate of William F. Abernathy, a minor heir of John D. Abernathy, deceased: Now if the said Chrisbopher T. Coggin 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
January 14th 1856
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Christopher T. Coggin (L.S.)
Danul Coggin (L.S.)
Samuel Abernathy (L.S.)

CHRISTOPHER T. COGGIN, GUARD. LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 14th 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern that on the application of William F. Abernathy to my said Court I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Christopher T. Coggin, in and upon the goods and chattels rights and credits, of the said Wm. F. Abernathy, minor heir of John D. Abernathy deceased; and in every case which occasion may require the said Christopher T. Coggin is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this 14th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independeance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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LEWIS F. DOWDELL, EXR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, March 10th 1856.

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

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 10th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JANE F. GARRETT, EXECUTRIX BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jane F. Garrett, principal and Isaac Baker, Greenberry Jenkins and Cicero D. Hudson 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, 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 January A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Jane F. Garrett has been appointed executrix of the estate of Nathan B. Garrett deceased; Now if the Said Jane F. Garrett 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
January 14th 1856
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

Jane F. Garrett (L.S.)
Cicero D. Hudson (L.S.)
Isaac Baker (L.S.)
Greenberry Jenkins (L.S.)

JANE F. GARRETT, EXEUTR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 14th 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that in the application of Jane F. Garrett to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Jane F. Garrett, in and upon the goods and chattels, rifhts and cr dits of Nathan B. Garrett deceased: and in every case which occasion may require, the said Jane F. Garrett is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful executrix to the said Nathan B. Garrett deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 14th day of January A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ELIZABETH RICHARDS, GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Elizabeth Richard principal, and James Hudnuett & Thomas S. Richards of the County and State aforesaid, are held and frimly 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, 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 January A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Elizabeth Richards has been appointed guardian of the estate of Rufus S. Richards and Edna P. Richards minor heirs of Thomas S. Richards deceased; Now if the said Elizabeth Richards 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
Wm. Graggs
William M. Carlisle
Approved & ordered to be recorded

her
Elizabeth X Richards (L.S.)
mark
James Hudnett (L.S.)
Thos. S. Richards (L.S.)

ELIZABETH RICHARDS, GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, January 31st 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Elizabeth Richards to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said Elizabeth Richards, in and upon the goods and chattles, rights and credits of Rufus S. and Edna P. Richards minor heir of Thomas S. Richard deceased and in every case which occasion may require, the said Elizabeth Richards is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this 21st day of Janyary A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifity six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JAMES R. MCGEE, GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James R. McGee principal and Johnathan Callaway 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 two hundred & fifty dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made, 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 February A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James R. McGee has been appointed guardian of the estate of Joan McGee minor and daughter of said James R. McGee, Now if the said James R. McGee, 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 — James R. McGee (L.S.)
February 1st 1856. — Johnathan Callaway (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate — J. S. Mitchell (L.S.)

JAMES R. MCGEE, GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, February 1st 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of James R. McGee to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said James R. McGee, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits, of Joan McGee, minor and daughter of said James R. McGee and in every case which occasion may require, the said James R. McGee, is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this 1st day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JOHNATHAN WARE, GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Johnathan Ward, principal and Joseah Avery & Timothy J. 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 three thousand dollars; for which payment well and truly to be made, 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 A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas, the above bound Johnathan Ware has been appointed gua dian of the estate of John S. and Martha Love minors and heirs of Martha Love decd. formerly Martha McLendon. Now if the said Johnathan Ware shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law require of him as such gua dian, then the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.

Taken, approved and ordered to be recorded — Johnathan Ware (L.S.)
February 4th 1856 — Joseah Avery (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate — Timothy J. Russell (L.S.)

JOHNATHAN WARE, GUARDN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, February 4th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Johnathan Ware, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship, to issue in favour of the said Johnathan Ware, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John S. Love and Martha Love minor and heirs of Martha Love deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Johnathan Ware 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 February A.D. one Thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

JAMES M. KENNEDY ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Kennedy principal, and Thomas L. Kennedy & Jacob C. Fetten 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, 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 January A.D, 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James M. Kennedy has been appointed guardian of the estate of the minor heirs of Elizabeth Penny, formerly Elizabeth Wiley decd., to wit Wm. Penny, James Penny, Mary A. Penny, Melvina Penny, Martha Penny, and Jefferson T. Penny; Now if the said James M. Kennedy 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 — James M. Kennedy (L.S.)
Feby. 7th 1856 — Thos. L. Kennedy (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate — Isaoh C. Fetten (L.S.)
Before me Danl. Taylor J.P.

JAMES M. KENNEDY, GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 7th Feby. 1856.

Be it remembered and made know to all whom it may concern that on the application of Jeames M. Kennedy to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of the said James M. Kennedy in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of William Penney, James Penny, Mary A. Penny, Melvina Penny, Martha Penny and Jefferson T. Penny, minor heirs of Elizabeth Penny formerly Elizabeth Wiley deceased and in every case which occasion may require, the said James M. Kennedy 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 six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JESSE S. CLARK ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jesse S. Clark principal and James D. Waggoner 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 six hundred dollars for which payment to be well and truly made, 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 February 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Jesse S. Clark has been appointed administrator of the estate of Henry A. David deceased: Now if the said Jesse S. Clark 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 — Jesse S. Clark (L.S.)
February 13th 1856 — James D. Waggoner (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate — Strother Gaines (L.S.)

JESSE S. CLARK GUARDN. LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

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

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this 13th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 80th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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HENRY L. WILKINSON, ADMR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate February 14th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that on the application of W. W. Tyson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of the Henry L. Wilkinson sheriff, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Eliza Robertson deceased and in every case which occasion may require, the said Henry L. Wilkinson sheriff, is authorized to sue and be sued, as the lawful administrator ex officio to the said deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate this 14th day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

LUCRETIA H. ROBERTSON

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate January 14th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Lucretia H. Robertson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters to Execurtoship to issue in favour of t e said Lucretia H. Robertson, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Daniel S. Robertson deceased and in every case which occasion may require the said Lucretia H. Robertson is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executrix to the said Danul S. Robertson deceased. Witness Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 14th day of January A. D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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WILEY DUFFIE ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Wiley Duffie principal and Elijah D. McKinley and Lewis D. Morris 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, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 23rd day of February 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Wiley Duffie has been appointed administrator of the estate of James C. Wise deceased, Now if the said Wiley Duffie 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
February 23rd 1856
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

Wiley Duffie (L.S.)
Lewis D. Morris (L.S.)
Elijah D. McKinley (L.S.)

WILIE DUFFIE ADMR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate 23rd February 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that on application of Wilie Duffie, to my said Court I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of said Wilie Duffie in and upon the goods, chattels, rights and credits of James C. Wise dedeased and in every case which occasion may require the said Wilie Duffin is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said James C. Wise deceased. Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 23rd day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 80th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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NOEL L. NELSON GUARD.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Noel L. Nelson principal and S. S. Nelson, and J. D. Gross, 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, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 8th day April A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Noel L. Nelson, has been appointed guardian or the estate of Thomas J. Nelson minor heir of Noah Nelson deceased; Now if the said Noel L. Nelson 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
April 17th 1856
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

N. L. Nelson (L.S.)
S. S. Nelson (L.S.)
J. D. Goss (L.S.)

NOEL L. NELSON GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate April 18th 1856

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Noel L. Nelson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said Noel L. Nelson, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Thomas J. Nelson minor heir of Noah Nelson deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Noel L. Nelson is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Thomas J. Nelson, minor heir of Noah Nelson deceased. Witness Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate this 18th day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

DANIEL H. MCCOY GUARDND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Daniel H. McCoy principal, and Jesse B. Robinson and McCueng B. 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 one hundred dollars, for which payment well and truly to me made, 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 A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Danul H. McCoy has been appointed guardian of the estate of John W. D. Vaughan minor heir of J. J. D. Vaughan deceased; Now if the said Danual H. McCoy 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
March 10th 1856
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

D. H. McCoy (L.S.)
J. B. Robinson (L.S.)
M. B. Taylor (L.S.)

DANUL H. MCCOY GUARD

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate 10th March 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Danul H. McCoy to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said Danul H. McCoy in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John W. D. Vaughan, minor heir of J. J. D. Vaughan deceased and in every case which occasion may require, the sadi Danul H. McCoy is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said John W. D. Vaughan minor heir of J. J. D. Vaughan deceased. Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 10th day of March A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JAMES J. ROBINSON EXECR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James J. Robsinson, principal, and James M. Hill and Wm. B. S. Gilmer, 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, 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 April A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James J. Robinson has been appointed executor of the last will and testament of David Dunlap deceased, Now if the said James J. Robinson 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
April 7th 1856
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

James J. Robinson (L.S.)
James M. Hill (L.S.)
Wm. B. S. Gilmer (L.S.)

JAMES J. ROBINSON EXECUTORS LETTERS'

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 7th April 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, tha on application of James J. Robinson to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said James J. Robinson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of David Dunlap deceased; and in every case which occasion may require the said James J. Robinson, ia authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful executor to the said David Dunlap deceased. Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this 7th day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

RICHMOND PEARSON GUARD. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that, we Richmond Pearson principal, and Alfred D. Bayon 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 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 6th day of February 1854.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Richmond Pearson, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Andrew J. Pearson and Cordelea Pearson, minor heirs of Samuel J. Pearson, deceased. Now if the said Richmond Pearson, 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 t remain in full force.

Taken approved and ordered to be recorded — Richmond Pearson (L.S.)
February 6th 1854. — Alfred D. Bayon (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate. — Samuel Pearson (L.S.)

RICHMOND PEARSON, LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate February 6th 1854.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that on application of Richmond Pearson to my said Court I have caused these letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said Richmond Pearson, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Andrew J. Pearson, and Cordelea Pearson minor heirs of Samuel J. Pearson, dadeased and in every case which occasion may require, the said Richmond Pearson is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Andrew J. Pearson, and Jordelia Pearson, minors of Samuel J. Pearson deceased. Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this 6th day of February A. D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty four, and the 78th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

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JAMES M. ROBERTS, GUARDN. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we James M. Roberts, principal and Noak Bass 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 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 3rd day of December 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James M. Roberts, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Joseph G. Smith, Charles J. R. Smith, Rebecca J. B. Smith and Martha J. Smith minor heirs of Rebecca Ann Smith, deceased: Now if the said James M. Roberts 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 — James M. Roberts (L.S.)
Decr. 3rd 1855 — Noah Bass (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate. — Charles W. Holt (L.S.)

JAMES M. ROBERTS, GUARDN. LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 3rd 1855.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of James M. Roberts, to my said Court, I have caused these letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said James M. Roberts, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Joseph G. Smith Charles J. R. Smith, Rebecca J. B. Smith, and Martha J. Smith, minor heirs of Rebeca Ann Smith deceased; and in every case which occasion may require the said James M. Roberts is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Joseph G. Smith, Charles J. R. Smith Rebecca J. B. Smith and Martha J. Smith minor heirs of Rebecca Ann Smith, deceased. Witness Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 3rd day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty five and the 80th year of American Independance.

Saml. Peason, Judge of Probate.

NOAH BASS, GUARDIAN

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Noah Bass principal and Charles W. Holt and James M. Roberts, 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 3rd day of December 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Noah Bass has been appointed guardian to the estate of Frances Joannah Holt, and James C. Holt, minor heirs of James M. Holt, deceased: Now if the said Noah Bass 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 — Noah Bass (L.S.)
Decr. 3rd 1855 — Charles W. Holt (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate. — James M. Roberts (L.S.)

NOAH BASS GUARD.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate December 3rd 1855

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, tha on application of Noah Bass, to my said Court I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said Noah Bass, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Frances Joannah Holt and James C. Holt, minor heirs of James M. Holt deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Noah Bass is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said Frances Joannah Holt and James C. Holt, minors heirs of James M. Holt deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this the 3rd day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty five and the 80th year of American Independance

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JAMES F. BOYD'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

I James F. Boyd of the County and State aforesaid being of sound mind and memory and knowing the uncertainty of life do make this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills.

First:

I will and bequeath to my mother Mrs. Lucy Boyd hhe sum of five hundred dollars, to be at her own disposal.

Second: I will and bequeath to my sister Orrey, Wife of Angus Ferguson, the sum of two hundred dollars, as on acknowledgement, for her kind attention to me during my present and former illness.

Third:

I will and bequeath to the two surviving children of my sister Orrey (to wit) Isabella C. Taylor and Emma Jane Taylor, the sum of three hundred dollars to be equally divided between them.

Fourth:

I will and bequeath to the two surviving children of my deceased sister Martha E. wife of James Harkness of Butts County, Georgia, (to wit) Mary Ann McJbon and Rossanna Hurkness, the sum of ten dollars to be equally divided between them.

Fifth:

I will and bequeath the residue of my estate after satisfying the four preceeding bequests to all my surviving brothers and sisters to be equally divided between them

It is furthermore my will and desire that my father Wm. Richard Boyd and my brother in law Wm. Angus Ferguson do act as my executors to this my last will and testament.

And now in confirmation of this my last will and testament as set forth in the five foregoing bequests, I do hereunto set my hand and seal this the fifteenth day of March A.D. 1856

In presence of — J. F. Boyd (seal)
Nathan Tally
James H. Forman

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Regular Court of Probate May 12th 1856.

Personally appeared in open Court James H. Forman and Nathan Tally and after being duly sworn, say on oath that they each saw J. F. Boyd, sign seald and publish the foresoing paper writing as and for his last will and testament and that they believed the said J. F. Boyd to be of sound and disposing mind and mmmory, at the time of sigaing the same, that they each signed said paper writing, as subscribing witnesses at the request and in the presence of the said J. F. Boyd and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to in open Court — Nathan Tally
May 12th 1856 — James H. Norman
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

Be it remembered that on the 12th day of May A.D. 1856 the foregoing will was duly probated, in the Probate Court of Chambers County and State of Alabama upon the testimony of James H. Forman and Nathan Tally the two subscribing witnesses to the same and uly recorded in Record of Wills Volume 2 page 642.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

ANGUS FERGUSON & RICH. BOYD, EXECTS. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Angus Ferguson and Richard Boyd principals and James H. Forman and Cornelius P. Hunter 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 to be well & truly made, 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 May A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Angus Ferguson, and Richard Boyd have been appointed executors of the last will and testament of James F. Boyd deceased: Now if the said Angus Ferguson and Richard Boyd 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
May 12th 1856
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Richard Boyd (L.S.)
Angus Ferguson (L.S.)
James H. Forman (L.S.)
Cornelius P. Hunter (L.S.)

ANGUS FERGUSON & RICHD. BOYD EXRS.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, May 12th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Richard Boyd and Angus Ferguson to my said Court, I have caused these letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Richard Boyd and Angus Ferguson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of James F. Boyd, deceased and in every case which occasion may require the said Richard Boyd and Angus Ferguson are authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful executors to the said James F. Boyd deceased. Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 12th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JANE T. DUKES ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Jane T. Dukes, and William A. Winn and William Combs, 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, 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 May 1856. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Jane T. Duke has been appointed administration of the estate of Robert W. Duke deceased, Now, if the said Jane T. Duke 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.

In presence of
John R. Scott J.P.
May 26th 1855
Approved May 28th 1856
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Jane T. Dukes (L.S.)
Wm. A. Winn (L.S.)
Wm. Combs (L.S.)

JANE T. DUKE ADMRX. LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate May 28th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Jane T. Dukes to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of said Jane T. Dukes in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Robert W. Dukes, deceased, and in every case which occassion may require, the said Jane T. Duke is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administratrix to the said Robert W. Dukes deceased. Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 28th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ROBERT GRIFFIN ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, tha we Robert Griffin, principal and Moses Wyatt, and Thomas J. Griffin securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and rimly bound unto Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate for the County and State aforesaid and his successors in office in the penal sum of fifteen hundred dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 2nd day of June A.D. 1856. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Robert Griffin has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Griffin senr. deceased: Now if the said Robert Griffin 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
June 2nd 1856
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate

Robert Griffin (L.S.)
Moses Wyatt (L.S.)
Thos. J. Griffin (L.S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate June 2nd 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Robert Griffin to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of said Robert Griffin, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John Griffin senr. decd. and in every case which occasion may require the said Robert Griffin is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrator to the said John Griffin senr. deceased. Witness Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate this 2nd day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six & the 80th year of American Independance.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

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JOHN L. BOWEN ADMR. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John L. Bowen, principal & George W. Smith and Elener C. Bowen securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Wm. L. Crayton, 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, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally by these presents. Sealed with our seals, and dated this 11th day of June A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound John L. Bowen has been appointed administrator of the estate of John Bowen deceased; Now if the said John L. Bowan shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law require 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
June 11the 1856
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate

John L. Bowen (L.S.)
Elener C. Bowen (L.S.)
G. W. Smartt (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 11th June 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of John L. Bowen, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of said John L. Bowen in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John Bowen deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said John L. Bowen is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrators to the said John Bowen deceased. Witness Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate, this 11th day of June A. D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 80th year of American Independance.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

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BRITTON STAMPS, EXECUTOR, BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Brittain Stamps, principal and Wm. S. S. Gilmer, Wm. C. Morgan, and Thomas Taylor, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound, unto Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office, in the penal sum of one hundred thousand dollars; for which payment to be made, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this the thirteenth day of June 1856. The conditi n of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Brittain Stamps has been appointed executor of the estate of Wm. H. Barnett, deceased; Now if the said Brittain Stamps shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be required by law 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
June 30th 1856.
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

Brittain Stamps (L.S.)
Wm. S. S. Gilmer (L.S.)
Thomas Taylor (L.S.)
Wm. C. Morgan (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate June 30th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Brittain Stamps to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Brittain Stamps in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of William H. Barnett deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Brittain Stamps is authorized to bring suit and be sued as such lawful executor to the said Wm. H. Barnett deceased. Witness Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate this 30th day of June A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independance.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

WM. H. BARNETT'S WILL

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

In the name of God, amen.

I William H. Barnett, of the County and State aforesaid, being sick and weak in body, but of a sound and disposing mind and memory, and knowing that it is appointed for all men once to die, do make, publish and declare this to be my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me made.

First: I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God, who gave it, and my body to be buried in a decent Christian-like manner.

As touching the things of this world, which it has pleased God to bless me with I dispose of the following manner and form (viz:)

Item First: I give and bequeath to my wife Elizabeth E. Barnett, all of the negroes and their increase, that she had when we was married, names as follows: Abram a man, Joshua a man, Mariah a woman, Sucky a woman and her two children Charlotte & Permelia, Darcus a woman, Nancy a girl, Caty a girl, York a boy, Will a boy, and Westley a boy, and my close carriage, and one seventh part of all of my other property except my land and negroes, for her sole use and benefit forever, to dispose as she may think proper. And I do hereby further give to my wife, as aforesaid, during her natural life or widowhood, the following property, to wit: Four hundred acres of land, more or less, lying and being in said County, known and distinguished, as follows: The east half of section thirty three (33), township twenty one (21) and range twenty six (26); and the west half of the north west quarter of section thirty four (34), township twenty one (21) and range twenty six (26); also three negroes, Lindy a woman about forty years of age, her child Ann, about four years old; and Henry a yellow boy about twenty years old; and at the death of my wife, or in the event, she should marry, that executor shall proceed to sell the above described land and make titles to the same; and the proceeds of sale to be equally divided between my six children, hereinafter named; and my will and desire is that at the death of my wife, or in the event she should marry, that my son William B. Barnett shall have the above named negroes, to wit: Lindy, Ann, and Henry, as his own right and property, which I give and bequeath to him over and above an equal share with my other children; and I further give to my son William B. Barnett, my gold watch.

Item second. I give and bequeath to my daughter Nancy G. Culberson, wife of Jefferson Culberson, ten dollars in full of her portion of my estate.

Item third: I hereby give and bequeath to my grand-children, the children of my daughter Nancy G. Culberson, that are born, or may be born of her body, the sum of three thousand dollars; and I do hereby constitute and appoint my brother Benjamin H. Barnett, of the County of Oglethorpe and State of Georgia, trustee for my grand children as aforesaid, who is hereby authorized and empowered, to call on my executor for the sum aforesaid; which sum my executor is hereby to pay over to the said Benjamine H. Barnett, trustee as aforesaid, as soon as funds can be raised from the sale of property of the said William H. Barnett, and my will and desire is that the said Benjamin H. Barnett, shall loan out the money, thus received as trustee; and as the children of my daughter Nancy G. Culberson, shall become of age or marry, that the trustee shall pay over to him her or them, as he may think proper, and circumstances require, so as not to pay to any the interest that may accrue thereon; and when the youngest child shall become of age or marry, my will is, that there shall be an equal division of the three thousand dollars; and the interest that may accrue thereon between the children of the said Nancy G. Culberson.

Item third: My will and desire is that my executor shall proceed to sell at public entery, as soon as practicable, after the present crop is gathered, all of my real estate except what I have given to my wife, and her dower; and I do hereby authorize my executor to make titles to land &c., and he is hereby further authorized to sell all of my other property, that I have not given away as above named, in this instrument, except my negroes. The land to be sole on a credit to be paid in two annual installments, one half on twelve months credits, the other half two years; all the other property to be sold on a credit of twelve months except the cotton crop, which I authorize my executor to have gined, packed and send to market, which he is to sell privately in market.

Item Fourth: My will and desire is that my negroes not otherwise disposed of shall be equally divided between my six children, hereafter named, to wit: Francina E. Matthews, wife of Robert C. Matthews, Melita S. Eberhart, wife of William F. Eberhart, Martha S. Colquit, wife of William T. Colquit, Eliza E. Barnett, Zilla A. Barnett, and William B. Barnett, so as to make them all equal, except my daughter Nancy, to whom I have given only ten dollars, which is all she is to receive from my estate; and to my son William B. Barnett, I have given him three negroes and gold watch extra, as above named.

Item Fifth: My will and desire is, that my negroes shall be valued and lotted off to my six children; and whereas, I have heretofores given off to my three daughters that are married, Francina E. Matthews, Melita S. Eberhart, and Martha S. Colquit, each the sum of three thousand dollars, which I have charged them with, and is to be included as a portion of their distributive share of the estate of the said William H. Barnett, so as to make each one share the same, including my property of every description.

Item sixth: My will and desire is, and I do hereby give and bequeath all of the property of every description, tha I have give or may hereafter give to each of daughters. I give to them and their children, heirs of their boyd, and not subject to be sold by their respective husbands, or liable for debts in any manner whatever.

Item seventh. I do hereby constitute and appoint Britton Stamps, sole executor to this my last will and testament.

In witness whereof, I the said William H. Barnett, hath hereunto set his hand and affixed his seal, this 23d day of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty six.

Signed, sealed and acknowledged in the presence of) William H. Barnett (seal)
E. H. Avary)
E. S. McCurdy)
Stephen Chaffin.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Special Court of Probate, June 30, 1856.

Personally appeared in open Court, Stephen Chafflin, one of the subscribing witnesses to the above and foregoing will, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith on oath, that he saw William H. Barnett, the testator, sign, seal and publish the same, as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date; and that he believed the said Willian H. Barnett, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory, at the time of signing the same; that he, deponent, signed the same as a subscribing witness at the request, and in the presence of the said William H. Barnett; that he saw E. H. Avary and E. S. McCurdy, the other two subscribing witnesses, sign the same as such, at the request and in the presence of the said William H. Barnett; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to & subscribed in open Court,) Stephen Chaffin.
this 30th day of Juen 1856.)
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Be it remembered, that on the 30th day of June, A.D. 1856, the foregoing will was duly probated in the Probate Court, of the County and State aforesaid; upon the affidavit of Stephen Dhaffin, one of the subscribing witnesses to the same; and recorded, in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 648, 649, & 650.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

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CORNELIUS REA, BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Cornelius Rea, principal and Thomas J. Martee and John F. Dickson, 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 dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made, 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 May A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Cornelius Rea, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Susan, a free woman of color. Now if the said Cornelius Rea, 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 Cornelius Rea (L.S.)
May 17th 1856 Thos.J. Martee (L.S.)
Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate J. F. Dickson (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, May 17th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, tha on application of Susan, a free woman of color to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of Cornelius Rea, in and upon the goods and chattels rights and credits, of said Susan, a free person of color as aforesaid and in every case which occassion may require, the said Cornelius Rea, is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian, of the said Susan, free person of color aforesaid.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 17th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 80th year of American Independance.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

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HENRY W. TODD GUARD. BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, Henry W. Todd, principal, and William H. Todd and William A. Johnson, securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Saml. 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, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 22nd day of February A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Henry W. Todd has been appointed guardian of the estate of Susan A. Ried minor and heir of Robert M. Ried deceased; Now if the said Henry W. Todd, 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 H. W. Todd (L.S.)
Feby. 22nd 1856 Wm. A. Johnson (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate W. H. Todd (L.S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 22nd, February 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that, on a application of Susan F. Ried to my said Court I have caused these letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of Huey W. Todd, in and upon the goods and chattels rights and credits of said Susan F. Ried and in every case which occasion may require the said Henry W. Todd, is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said minor.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate this 22nd day of February A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of Ameircan Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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ISAAC P. COLLIER GUARDND.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Isaac P. Collier principal and William P. Collier and Wm. H. Smith, 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 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 27th day of December 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Isaac P. Collier has been appointed guardian of the estate of Eliza Ana, a free person of color: Now if the said Isaac 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
Dec. 27th 1855.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

Isaac P. Collier (L.S.)
Wm. P. Collier (L.S.)
W. H. Smith (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 27th 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, tha on application of Isaac P. Collier to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said Issac P. Collier in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Eliza Ann, a free person of color and in every case which occassion may require, the said Isaac P. Collier is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian of the said Eliza Ann.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 27th day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samule Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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HENRY L. WILKINSON, LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, May 12th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that on application of Samuel Abernathy to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of Henry L. Wilkinson, in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of John D. Abernathy, a minor heir of John D. Abernathy deceased;and in every case which occassion may require, the said Henry L. Wilkinson is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said John D. Abernathy minor aforesaid.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 12th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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PAULINE E. BLOUNT EXECTR. & BENJ. F. BLOUNT EXECUTORS BOND

Know all men by these presents, that we Pauline E. Blount and Benjamin F. Blount principals and William Barrow, Warner W. Meadors and Reuben Jones, 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 13th day of December 1855. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound, Pauline E. Blount and Benjamin F. Blount have been appointed executrix and executor of the last will and testament of Wm. Blount deceased. Now if the said Pauline E. Blount and Benjamin F. Blount 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
December 13th 1855.
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate

B. F. Blount (L.S.)
Pauline E. Blount (L.S.)
William Barrow (L.S.)
Warner W. Meadors (L.S.)
Reuben Jones (L.S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 73th 1855.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on the application of Paulise E. Blount and Benjamin F. Blount, to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Paulen E. Blount and Benja. F. Blount in and upon the goods and chattesl, right and credits of William Blount, deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said Pauline E. Blount and Benjamin F. Blount, are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawfull executrix & executor of said William Blount deceased.

Witness Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 13th day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty five and the 80th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JUDSON C. TATAN, WILL

In the name of God Amen: I Judson C. Tatum, do declare this to be my last will and testament:

Item 1st. I give to my sister Phula B. Manifee, the following negro slaves, to wit; Maria, Isaac, Eudy, Ann. Puss, Marshall, Bobb, Jenney and Simon.

Item 2nd. I give to my nephew Albert Manifee the following negro slaves, to wit; Pad, Ellen, Jack, George, Hanna, Jane, Adeline and Marsfield,

Item 3rd. I give to my neice Ann E. Kennedy wife of John Kennedy the following negro slaves to wit; Milly, Sarah, Susan, John & Judge.

Item 4th. I give to my neice Laura W. Green, wife of John A. Green, the following negro slaves to wit Alley, Stephen, Judy, Bill & Clark.

Item 5th. I give to my nephews Willis Manifee & Tateam Manife and to my neice Mary A. Manifee the following negro slaves to wit: Hany, Yellow John, Jane, Cesar, Peter, Ned, Martha, Franklins, Hamp, Patsey, Dick, Caressy & Isuah to belong to the them jointly & to be kept and managed by my executors; and upon the coming of age or marrying of each of them the said slaves are to be divided by them disinterested person to be selected by my executors, or by the Judge of Probate, and the third put apart and delivered to each coming of age or marrying.

Item 6th. It is my will that all the lands, I now own or may own at the time of my death, shall be sold by my executors, and also all my stock of every kind, horses, mules, cattle, hogs, &c and all my plantation tools and household and kitchen furniture and all kind of produce, & every thing on hand, said land and other things to be sold for cash or credit or seperatly in parcels, or all together & either publicly or privately as my executors may think best. And out of the proceeds, I wish my debts paid and from the balance, if there is enough, I give ten thousand dollars to my brother Albert Tateam, of the State of Texas. If there is not enough to make the said sum of ten thousand dollars, I wish my said brother Albert to have whatevery sum is realized from the sale about directed, after payment of my debts.

Item 7th. I wish if I should die while I have a growing crop that my executors should cultivate & gather it and dispose of it, as directed in the 6th Item of this will.

Item 8th. It is my will that if there should be a surplus remaining after payment of the Legacy of ten thousand dollars, to my brother Albert as provided for in the 6th Item, said surplus shall be equally divided between my sister Phula and her children, above named viz, Albert, Ann E. Laura, Mary A, Willis and Tatean said surplus to comprise every thing that may be realized from the sale of property or the collection of debts.

Item 9th. I appoint Phula B. Manifee executrix and my nephew Albert Manifee executor of this will, and direct that they shall be qualified, without being required to give bond. Witness my hand and seal this the 30th day of May A.D. 1856.

Signed & sealed by Judson C. Tateam, as his last will & testamen in our presence as witnesses, who have hereto subscribed our names at his request and in his presence & in the presence of each other on the day and year above written.
James T. Brock
James M. Stuting

J. C. Tateam (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Regular Cout of Probate July 14th 1856.

Personally appeared on open Court, James T. Brock, one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn, deposeth and saith on oath, that he saw, Judson C. Tatum, the testator, sign, seal, and publish the same, as and for his last will and testament, on the day the same bears date; that he believed he said Judson C. Tateum, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same; that he, deponent, signed the same, as a subscribing witness, at the request and in the presence of the said Judson C. Tateum, that he saw James M. Stuting, the other subscribing witness sign the same, as such, at the request and in the presence of the said Judson C. Tateum; and that they all signed the same in the presence of each other.

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court this 14th day of July 1856.
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate

James T. Brock

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Regular Court of Probate July 14th 1856.

Be it remembered, that on the 14th day of July 1856, the foregoing will, was duly probated in this Court, upon the affadavit of James T. Brock, one of the subscribing witnesses to the same, and recorded in Record of Wills Vol. 2 Pages 655 & 656.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

In the name of God amen; I Thomas McLendon of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama, being afflicted and weak in body, but of sound and disposing mind and memory and knowing that it is appointed unto men once to die and wishing while in life and while capable of doing so, to dispose of what property and effects, a kind providence has blessed me with, do make and ordain this my last will and testament, hereby revoking all former wills, by me made, to wit;

Item 1st. After my decease, as soon as may be, I desire that all my just debts shall be paid.

Item 2nd. I desire that my executors shall proceed as early as possible to wind up and settle all my business here, by selling off, at public sale, on such terms as they may so proper, such property and effects as it may be found inconvinient to remove and by carrying out all contracts by me heretofore made which are still in force and not carried out,

Item 3rd. It is further my will and desire that my executors shall as speedly as practicable purchase, for the use of my estate a tract of land, of suitable size, either in the State of Texas or Arkansas, in some healthy location and where my children can be educated, having due regard to economy in making such purchase, and to which place, I desire my family and effects to be removed by my executors, as early as may be, and I further desire that my whole estate, after the payment of my debts and the necessary expenses, shall be kept together by my executors for the raising and educating of my younger children, untill the close of the year A.D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty two.

Item 4th. It is my will and desire that at or about the close of the year 1862 my executors shall sell and dispose of a sufficient amount of the property belonging to my estate to pay off my children, who may then be of age, then equal distribution shares respectively of my estate, share and share alike, reserving enough, in the hands of my said executors, to raise and educate the children who may then be minors and to make them distributive shares as hereinafter provided, equal with the older children.

Item 5th. It is my will and desire that all my children share equally in my estate and for this purpose, I hereby direct, that each of my children, to whom I have already given off property, shall on the distribution of my estate, be held accountable for what they have already received and in the distribution shall receive only a sufficient amount to make them equal, with those, who have received none. It is further my will, that the property falling to the share of my son Aaron C. McLendon, shall not vest in him, so as to be subject to his debts or liabilities or to be disposed of by him but is for the support and benefit of himself, children and family during his life and at his death, is to go to his children and the property and effects falling to the distributive shares of my daughters, respectively, I give to them, for their sole separate and inclusive use, during their respective lives, free from the debts contracts or liabilities of their respective husbands and at their deaths to go to their respective children, who may be living at their deaths. And should any of my children die, under the age of twenty one years, leaving no lawful issue I desire that hheir interest in my estate shall go then respective brothers and sisters who may be living at the time of their death.

Item 6th. It is my will and desire that my executors hereinafter named shall act as testimentory guardians of my minor children untill they become of sufficient age to choose a guardian, and shall actually choose one and who shall equalify as such.

Item 7th. It is further my will and desire that after the year A.D. 1862, as my children shall respectively become of age or marry, that my executors shall pay over to them respectively their distributive shares of my estate, untill which time they shall be entitled to a support and maintainance out of my estate, provided they continue with the rest of the family on the farm provided for their use.

Item 8th. My executors shall be authorized, at any time to sell and dispose of any property, which may be useless to my estate, or which in their judgement, it shall be to the interest of my estate to dispose of.

Item 9th. It is my will, that after the probate of this my will and the return of the proper inventory, my executors shall not be required to make any further return to the Probate Court here, untill they have removed my property, effects and family, as expressed in the third Item of this will and I direct that on such removal, they shall have this will admitted to Probate in such place as they may remove to and shall return the proper inventory of the estate there, and on making proof of these facts to the Court of Probate of Chambers County they shall be discharged from further responsiblity and settlements with said Court, but all future returns and settlements shall be made with the proper Court in the place to which they have removed.

Item 10th. Lastly I nominate and appoint my sons Isaac N. McLendon, & Thomas J. McLendon and my son in law Thomas B. Elliott, executors to this my will and testament. In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal to this my will, on this & four preceeding pages, numbered 1 2 3 & 4, the last of which is signed by me as well as this, this thirteenth day of July A.D. 1855.

Signed sealed published and delivered in presence of us the date above written.)
W. M. McLendon)
John McKnight Senr.)
F. S. Beating)
M. B. Taylor)

Thomas McLendon (L.S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Regular Court of Probate July 14th 1856.

Personally appeared in open Court, F. S. Bowling and M. B. Taylor, two of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being each duly sowrn, depose and say on oath, that they saw Thomas McLendon, the testator 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 Thomas McLendon, to be of sound and disposing mind and memory at the time of signing the same, that they deponents, signed the same, at the request and in the presence of the said Thomas McLendon that they saw John McKnight Senr. and W. W. McLendon, the other two subscribing witnesses, sign the same as such, at the request and in the presence of the said Thomas McLendon, and that they all signed the same, in the presence of each other.

Sworn to and subscribed in open Court this 14th July 1856.
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate

W. B. Taylor
F. S. Bowling

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Regular Court of Probate July 14th 1856.

Be it remembered, that on this, the 14th day of July 1856, the within will, was duly probated, on the oath of Frederick S. Bowling and M. C. B. Taylor, two of the subscribing witnesses to the same, in this Court: and recorded in Record of Wills Vol. 2 Pages 657, 658 & 659.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

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ELIZA HART GUARDIAN OF JOHN HART MINORS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that, we Eliza Hart principal and Robert Johns and Warner W. Meadors securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate for said County, and his successors in office in the penal sum of thirteen hundred dollars; for which payment well 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 July 1856. The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Eliza Hart has been appointed guardian of the estate of Jesse M. Hart, Jane E. Hart Robert E. Hart and Mary L. Hart, minor heirs of John Hart deceased; now if the said Eliza Hart 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
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

Eliza Hart (L.S.)
Robert Johns (L.S.)
Warner W. Meadors (L.S.)

ELIZA HART, LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

Court of Probate, July 14th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that on application of Eliza Hart to my said Court, I have caused these letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said Eliza Hart, in & upon the goods & chattels, rights & credits of Jesse M. Hart, Jane E. Hart, Robert E. Hart and Mary L. Hart, minor heirs of John Hart deceased; and in every case which occassion may require the said Eliza Hart is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate, this 14th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 81st year of American Independance.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

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PHULA B. MANIFEE & ALBERT MANIFEE,

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate July 14th 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Phula B. Manifee and Albert Manifee to my said Court I have caused these Letters of Executorship to issue in favour of the said Phula B. Manifee and Albert Manifee in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Judson C. Tateum deceased; and in every case which occassion may require the said Phula B. Manifee and Albert Manifee are authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful executors to the said Judson C. Tateum deceased. Witness Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate, this 14th day of July A.D. one thousand eight hundred & fifty six and the 81st year of American Independence.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

LUCY PURYEAR WILL

I Lucy Puryear do make and declare this to be my last will and testament.
Item 1. I give and bequeath to my daughter Elizabeth J. Warlick wife of Judson Warlick the following negro slaves-viz; Peter about sixty five years old Eliza about fifty years old; Jane about twenty three years old; Laura about four years old; and Malinda about fifteen years old-and it is my will that in a reasonable time after my death my executor have Malinda value by three slave holders; and one half of her value is to be paid to be paid by my said daughter which is to be part of the residue of my estate hereinafter disposed of.
Item 2nd. As I have had the use of Peter & Henry, who belong to my daughter Sarah Puryear, and have received their hire for some years without any settlement with her, I hereby give to her my said daughter Sarah Jane one thousand dollars in money, if she is satisfied to receive that sum in full satisfaction of all claims or demands she may have against me.
Item 3. I desire that all the rest & residue of my estate both real and personal be sold by my executors either at private or public sale as he may think best, and either for cash or on a credit in his discretion, and the money when collected together with half the value of Malinda, and the amount realised from debts, due to me by notes and accounts be equally divided between my daughter Mary Anderson wife of Samuel R. Henderson, and Cicero D. Lumpkin my son in law, and William Puryear and John Puryear my sons that is after, out of said sums my debts and the expenses of administering my estate all paid; as also the sum of one thousand dollars give to Sarah Jane in 2nd Item.
Item 4. In addition to the bequest contained in the 2nd Item I give to my daughter Sarah Jane all my household furniture of every kind.
Item 5th. I appoint Judson Warlick the executor of this my last will and testament and desire that he shall not be requires to give bond or security as such executor.
Signed by James T. Brock for Lucy Puryear) Lucy Puryear
at her request & in her presence & signed)
by us as witnesses in her presence & in)
the presence of each other-this 13th day)
of November 1855.)
James T. Brock)
Warrinton Costly)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Special Court of Probate September 15th 1856.
Personally appeared in open Court James T. Brock one of the subscribing witnesses to the foregoing will, who being duly sworn deposeth & saith on oath that he signed the name of Lucy Puryear at her request and direction, and in her presence, as and for her last will and testament on the day the same bears date, that he believed the said Lucy Puryear to be of sound mind and disposing memory at the time of signing the same; that he deponent signed the same as a subscribing witness, at the request and in the presence of the said Lucy Puryear, that he saw Warrenton Costly the other subscribing witness, sign the same as such, at the request and in the presence of the said Lucy Puryear and that they all they all signed the same in the presence of each other.
Sworn to & subscribed in open Court) James T. Brock
this 15th day of September 1856)
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Special Court of Probate September 15th 1856.
Be it remembered that on this the 15th day of September 1856, the foregoing will was duly probated in this court upon the affidavit of James T. Brock one of the subscribing witness to the same and recorded in Record of Wills, Vol. 2, Pages 661 & 2

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

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JAMES MURRAYS WILL

I James Murray of the County of Chambers and State of Alabama do hereby declare this to be my last will and testamant to wit; I give and bequeath unto my daughter Sarah Ann Farris a negro girl by the name of Emily about three years old and the said Sarah Ann Farriss not to come into possession of the said negro until my youngest becomes of age and I will and bequeath unto my wife Martha J. Murray a negro woman by the name of Nelly about twenty eight years of age, and in the event that the said negroes death, to have the value of said negro out of my estate and further I will unto the said Martha J. Murray one hundred acres of land the land upon which I now live and I further will and bequeath unto my sons James Edward George W. Jonathan and Francis Murry all the remainder of my whole estate to be equally divided between them each of them to draw when they become twenty one years of age and I will and bequeath unto my grand daughter Mary C. Wilson one hundred dollars to be paid to her when she becomes of age, to be paid by my four sons and it is my will and I hereby appoint Jonathan Ware and James Edward Murray my executors to this my last will.
In testimony I hereunto set my hand and seal this the 24th of June 1856.
James Murray
In presence of)
John Jennings)
J. Mobly Barnes)
C. P. Hunter)

JESSE J. WILLOUGHBY BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents that we Jesse J. Willoughby, principal, and John L. Wilkins and Thomas J. McLendon, securities, of the County and State aforesaid, are held and firmly bound unto Wm. L. Crayton 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, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, administrators- jointly and severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this 10th day of September A.D. 1856.
The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Jesse J. Willoughby has been appointed administrator of the estate of Nancy B. Willoughby deceased.
Now if the said Jesse J. Willoughby shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be 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) Jesse J. Willoughby (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate) John L. Wilkins (L.S.)
Thos. J. McLendon (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate September 10th 1856.
Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Jesse J. Willoughby to my said Court, I have caused these letters of Administration to issue in favour of said Jesse J. Willoughby in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Nancy B. Willoughby deceased; and in every occasion which may require, the said Jesse J. Willoughby is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrator to the said Nancy B. Willoughby deceased. Witness Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate this 10th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 81st year of American Independence.
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

JOSEPH W. PHILLIPS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents that we Joseph W. Phillips principal and John S. Prather Jr. and James E. Scarbrough securities of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Wm. L. Crayton 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, 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 August A.D. 1856.
The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Joesph W. Phillips, has been appointed guardian of the estate of Sarah E. Phillips, minor daughter of Matthew Phillips deceased. Now if the said Joseph W. Phillips 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) Joseph W. Phillips (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate) John S. Prather (L.S.)
Jas. E. Scarbrough (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Court of Probate August 19th 1856
Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that on application of Joseph W. Phillips to my said Court I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said Joseph W. Phillips in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Sarah E. Phillips, minor and daughter of Matthew Phillips, late of Chambers County Ala. deceased, and in every case which occasion may require the said Joseph W. Phillips is authorised to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said minor.
Witness Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate this 19th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 81st year of American Independence.
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate

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JAMES M. NORWOOD BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)
Know all men by these presents that we James M. Norwood principal & J. S. Matthews, B. D. Harris, W. J. Maddox and R. Maddox of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate of said County and his successors in office in the penal sum of seventy thousand dollars for which payment well and truly to be made, 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 August A.D. 1856.
The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James M. Norwood has been appointed administrator of the estate of Allen Jones 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 the above obligation to be void; otherwise to remain in full force.
Taken approved and ordered to be recorded) J. M . Norwood (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate) J. S. Matthews (L.S.)
B. D. Harris (L.S.)
W. J. Maddox (L.S.)
R. Maddox (L.S.)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate August 16th 1856

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that on application of James M. Norwood to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favour of said James M. Norwood in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Allen Jones deceased; and in every case in which occasion may require, the said James M. Norwood is authorised to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrator to the said Allen Jones deceased. Witness Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate this 16th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 81st year of American Independence.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

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JOSEPH S. JOHNSON BOND & LETTERS GUARDN.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Joseph S. Johnson, principal, and James Johnson and William Johnson securities of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate for said County and his successors in office; in the penal sum of six hundred dollars, for which well and truly to be made we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 11 day of August A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Joseph S. Johnson has been appointed guardian of the estate of Joseph S. Johnson and Alvarado G. Johnson minor heirs of Thomas W. Johnson deceased. Now if the said Joseph S. Johnson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law requires 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) Joseph S. Johnson (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate) James Johnson (L.S.)
William Johnson (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate August 11th 1856

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of Joseph S. Johnson to my said Court I have caused these letters of Guardianship to issue in favor of said Joseph S. Johnson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Joseph S. Johnson and Alvarado G. Johnson minor heirs of Thomas W. Johnson deceased, and in every case which occasion may require the said Joseph S. Johnson is authorised to bring suit and be sued as the lawful guardian to the said minors.

Witness Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate this 11th day of August A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 81st year of American Independence.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

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LEWIS D. MORRIS BOND EXR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we Lewis D. Morris and E. D. McKinly, Benjamin T. Cooper of the county and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Wm. L. Crayton 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 we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly severally, firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated this 15th day of September A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Lewis D. Morris has been appointed executor of the will of Lewis Morris deceased.

Now if the said Lewis D. Morris 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) Lewis D. Morris (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate) B. T. Cooper (L.S.)
E. D. McKinly (L.S.)

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JUDSON WARLICK LETTERS EXR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY))

Court of Probate September 17th 1856

Be it remembered & made known to all whom it may concern that on the application of Judson Warlick to my said Court I have caused these letters of Executorship to issue in favor of the said Judson Warlick in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Lucy Puryear deceased and in every case which occasion may require the said Judson Warlick is authorised to bring suit and be sued as the lawful executor to the said Lucy Puryear deceased.

Witness Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate this 17th day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 81st year of American Independence.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

JAS. T. BARROW BOND EXR.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we James H. Barrow, Wm. Barrow and A. W. Smith of the County and State aforesaid are held and fimly bound unto Wm. L. Crayton 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 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 August A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James H. Barrow has been appointed administrator de bonis non of the estate of John T. Barrow deceased.

Now if the said James T. Barrow 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 Jas. H. Barrow (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate William Barrow (L.S.)
A. W. Smith (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate August 4th 1856

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern, that on application of James H. Barrow to my said Court, I have caused these letters of Administration, de bonis non, to issue in favour of said James H. Barrow in and upon the goods and chattels rights and credits of John Y. Barrow deceased, and in every case which occasion may require, the said James H. Barrow is aughorised to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator de bonis, non to the said John Y. Barrow deceased.

Witness Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate this 9th day of August (1856) one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 81st year of American Independence.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate.

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JOHN L. WILKINS & OTHERS BOND & LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we John L. Wilkins, Thomas J. McLendon and Jesse J. Willoby principals and George S. Turner, James Hodnett, and Augustus M. Pinkard securities of the County and State aforesaid, are held and frimly bound unto Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate for said County in his successors in office, in the penal sum of twenty six thousand dollars, for which payment well and truly to be made 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 September A.D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound John L. Wilkins, Thomas J. McLendon and Jesse J. Willoughby has been appointed administrators with the will annexed of the estate of Thomas McLendon deceased. Now if the said John L. Wilkins Thomas J. McLendon and Jesse J. Willoughby 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) John L. Wilkins (L.S.)
Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate) Thomas J. McLendon (L.S.)
Jesse J. Willoughby (L.S.)
George S. Turner (L.S.)
James Hodnett (L.S.)
J. D. Cook (L.S.)
A. M. Pinkard (L.S.)

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate September 1st 1856.

Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that on application of John L. Wilkins, Jesse J. Willoughby and Thomas J. McLendon to my said Court I have caused these letters of Administration with the will annexed to issue in favor of said John L. Wilkins Jesse J. Willoughby and Thomas J. McLendon in and upon the goods and chattles rights & credits of Thomas McLendon deceased; and in every case which occasion may require the said John L. Wilkins Jesse J. Willoughby and Thomas J. McLendon are authorised to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrators with the will annexed to the said Thomas McLendon deceased.

Witness Wm. L. Crayton Judge of Probate this 1st day of September A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 81st year of American Independence.

Wm. L. Crayton, Judge of Probate

JAMES L. WILLIAMS LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, 16th April 1856.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, that, on application of James L. Williams to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration de bonis non to issue in favour of said James L. Williams in and upon the goods and chattles, right and credits of John J. Williams deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said James L. William is authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrator de bonis non to the said John J. Williams deceased. Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 16th day of April A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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JAMES L. MITCHELL JUNR. BOND & LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we, James S. Mitchell principal & R. W. Allen and J. W. Kellam 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 7th day of December 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound James S. Mitchell has been appointed administrator of the estate of Josiah K. Prather deceased. Now, if the said James S. Mitchell 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) J. S. Mitchell (seal)
Decr. 7th 1856) R. W. Allen (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) J. W. Kellam (seal)

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THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

~~Court of Probate~~, 7~~th~~ day of September 1855.

Be it remembered, and made known to all whom it may concern, tha, on application of James S. Mitchell to my said Court, I have caused these Letters of Administration to issue in favor of said James S. Mitchell in and upon the goods and chattles right and credits of Josiah K. Prather deceased; and in every case which occasion may require, the said James S. Mitchell is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful administrator to the said Josiah K, Prather witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 7th day of Decemaber A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate.

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HUGH WILSON GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Hugh Wilson principal and Angus Furguson & James H. Forman 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, 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 May A. D. 1856.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Hugh Wilson has been appointed guardian of the estate of Thomas Johnson a minor & heir of Airy Ann Evans deceased: Now, if the said Hugh Wilson 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 Wilson (L.S.)
May 12th 1856) Angus Furgerson (L.S.)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) James H. Foreman (L.S.)

HUGH WILSON GUARDIAN LETTERS

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate 12th, May 1856

Be it remembered and made knowa to all whom it may concern, tha, on application of Hugh Wilson to my Court, I have caused these Letters of Guardianship to issue in favour of said Hugh Wilson in and upon the goods and chattels, rights and credits of Thomas Johnson a minor & heir of Airy Ann Evans deceased; and, in every case which occasion may require, the said Hugh Wilson is authorized to bring suit and be sued, as the lawful guardian to the said Thomas Johnson minor aforesaid.

Witness, Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate, this 12th day of May A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty six and the 80th year of American Independance.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

THOMAS M. REED GUARDIAN BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents that we, Thomas M. Reed principal and Wm. L. Potts and Louisa Reed 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 6th day of December 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such, that whereas the above bound Thomas M. Reed has been appointed guardian of the estate of Robert M. Reed minor heir of Robert M. Ried deceased: Now if the said Thomas M. Ried 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) Thomas M. Ried (seal)
Decr. 6th 1855) William L. Potts (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Louisa Ried (seal)

Louisa Reed signed the above bond in my presents December 6th 1855.

Robert R. Cane J.P.

THOMAS M. RIED LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate December 6th 1855.

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 6th day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Saml. Pearson, Judge of Probate

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FRANCIS CALLAWAY ADMINISTRATORS BOND

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Know all men by these presents, that we Francis Callaway principal and Charles T. Callaway & Calib Holloway securities of the County and State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate for the 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 3rd day of December 1855.

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Francis Callaway has been appointed executor of the estate of Martha Wood deceased; Now if the said Francis Callaway 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) Fra. Callaway (seal)
Decr. 3, 1855) Charles T. Callaway (seal)
Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate) Calib Holloway (seal)

FRANCIS CALLAWAY LETTERS OF EXECUTORSHIP

THE STATE OF ALABAMA)
CHAMBERS COUNTY)

Court of Probate, December 3rd 1855

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

Witness, Samuel Pearson Judge of Probate, this 3rd day of December A.D. one thousand eight hundred and fifty five and the 80th year of American Independence.

Samuel Pearson, Judge of Probate.

Will of Hershel H. Brown

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LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

All of my estate I devise and bequeath to Mrs. C. E. Mobbs Aunt for his/her o own use and benefit forever, and I hereby appoint Mrs. C. E. Mobbs, my executor/trix without bond, with full power to sell, mortgage, lease, or in any way dispose of the whose or any part of my estate.

Dated 19day of Dec., 1942.

Hershel H. Brown
Signed in presence of 3 witnesses.

Fairfax, Alabama
Residence

Subscribed, sealed, published, and declared by Hershel H. Brown testator above named, as and for his/her last will and testament in the presence of each of us, who at his request and in his /her presence, in the presence of each other, at the same time, have hereunto subscribed our names as witnesses this 19 day of Dec. 1942 at Lakeland, Fla.
Place

Signature and addresses of 3 witnesses

William N. Stewart
436 Chestnut Street
Cumberland, Maryland
Address

John J. Rozanski
276 E. Main St.
Chicopee Falls, Mass.
Address

Willard G. Mattson
426 Hatch Ave. St.
St. Paul, Minn.
Address

Filed and duly recorded in this office on this the 23 rd day of Feb., 1943.

J. C. Grady, Judge of Probate