

The estate of J^r a County Court began and held for the County of Chancery and Benjamin Glover State of Alabama on the second Monday in April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty for the purpose of Orphan's business at the house of Capt. Busby within a half mile of the City of Montgomery on the south side of which as a boquer Present there were John Lockhart Esq. John Compton Esq. James Bates & Henry Pearson Esq. In order of Letters of Administration granted to Polly Glover & Samuel B. Shields on the estate of Benjamin Glover deceased ordered that Nathaniel Norwood, Briton Capelle, Isaac C. Perkins & Frederick Chord or any three of them shall be the appraisers of the estate of Benjamin Glover deceased. An order granting Letters temporary of administration to Polly Glover wife of Benjamin Glover deceased and Samuel B. Shields in the estate of said deceased. State of Alabama Chancery County August 22nd 1820 I Samuel B. Shields do solemnly swear that I will perform all the duties required in Law as administrator in the estate and effects of Benjamin Glover deceased to the best of my knowledge and ability so help me God signed Sam^l B. Shields sworn before me Deput. Clerk of the Court in the State of Alabama Chancery County of Montgomery 1820 Be it remembered and made known to all whom it may concern that on the application of Polly Glover and Samuel B. Shields to our said Court we have caused these our Letters of Administration to issue in favor of and for the sole use of the said Polly Glover and Samuel B. Shields in and upon the goods and chattels rights and credits of Benjamin Glover deceased and in every case which occasions may require the said Polly Glover & Samuel B. Shields are authorized to bring suit and be sued as the lawful administrators of and to the said Benjamin Glover deceased. Witness John Lockhart Esq. Chief Justice of said Court the 22nd day of August 1820 and the year of our American Independence the forty fifth. William Adams Clerk State of Alabama Chancery County of Montgomery know all men by these presents that we Polly Glover Samuel B. Shields Nathaniel Norwood Briton Capelle and Henry S. Stephens are held and firmly bound to John Lockhart Esq. Chief Justice in and for the orphan's Court of the County of Montgomery and his successors in office in the penal sum of one hundred thousand Dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our executors and administrators firmly by these presents. The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Polly Glover and Samuel B. Shields administrators and administrators of all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of Benjamin Glover deceased do make or cause to be made a true and perfect inventory of all and singular the goods chattels rights and credits of the said deceased which have or shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of the said Polly Glover or Sam^l B. Shields or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for the said Polly Glover & Sam^l B. Shields and the same so made do exhibit or cause to be exhibited into the registers office of the orphan's Court of the County of Chancery at or before the expiration of twelve calendar months or sooner if required by the said Court from the date of this obligation; and the same goods chattels and credits of the said deceased at the time of his death which at any time after may come into the hands or possession of the said Polly Glover & Sam^l B. Shields or into the hands or possession of any other person or persons for the said Polly Glover and Sam^l B. Shields do well and truly administer according to law and further do make or cause to be made a just and true account of the administration within twelve calendar months or sooner if required from the date of this obligation; and all the rest and residue of the said goods chattels and credits which shall be found remaining upon the account of the said administration the same being first examined and allowed by the orphan's Court of the County of Chancery shall deliver and pay unto such person or persons respectively as may or shall be by law entitled to receive the same. and if it shall hereafter appear that any fraud will and dishonesty was made by the said deceased and the executor or executing thereon named or any other person or persons do exhibit the same into the said Court making request to have it allowed and approved of the said Polly Glover and Sam^l B. Shields being thereunto required do render and deliver the said Letters of Administration of such person or persons being first had & made to the said Court then and in such case the above obligation to be void otherwise to be of full force & virtue. Witness our hands & seals this twelfth day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty signed Polly Glover Seal Sam^l B. Shields Seal

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Inty deceased

Bond The State of Alabama Charles Brantley Know all men by these presents that we Charles Brantley and Jacob Chittell and Charles Chittell all of the County of State aforesaid are held and firmly bound unto the Hon^{ble} Judge of the County Court aforesaid in the sum of fifteen thousand Dollars and money of the said State to be paid to the said Hon^{ble} Judge or his successors in office to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves and each of us our heirs executors and administrators and assigns jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seal and date this nineteenth day of February 1824 between and twenty seven The conditions of the above obligation is such that whereas the above said Charles Brantley has duly appointed and administered of all and singular the goods chattels rights and credits of John N. Brantley deceased Now of the said Charles Brantley 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 and virtue (Signed) Charles Brantley Jacob Chittell Charles Chittell Seal signed before me and attested in open Court this 19th day of February 1824 Geo. Cunningham Clerk

Letters The State of Alabama Charles Brantley By the Judge of the County Court for and in said County Whereas John N. Brantley late of said County deceased died in said County having while he lived and at the time of his death being seised of chattels and credits and of the County Court aforesaid by reason whereof the full legal estate and power of granting the administration of all and singular the goods chattels rights and credits of the said deceased and also as final distribution from the same to the Court aforesaid of right belong. That deceased John N. Brantley was and is and is said deceased may be well and truly administered and legally disposed of as heath grant unto Charles Brantley administrator de bonis non full power by the Court of these presents to administer the goods chattels rights and credits 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 as his effects will extend according to law and then the balance to pay over to the legal heirs and distributees of the said deceased and the said Charles Brantley having given bond and security and taken the oath and performed all other requisites required by law necessary to his full qualification as administrator de bonis non he is bound and is sworn to and is virtue of these presents ordained constituted and appointed administering the distribution of all and singular the goods chattels rights and credits of said John N. Brantley deceased Whereas the Honorable the Judges of the said County this 21st day of February 1824 Geo. Cunningham Clerk Clerk of said County Whereas and in and for the County of Jefferson in the State of Alabama on the third Monday in February 1824 for organizing business present the Honorable the Honorable Judge of said Court presiding the following order was read to wit that being made appear to the satisfaction of the Court that the debts due from the Estate of the said deceased are now all fully satisfied and paid excepting a balance due to Elizabeth Brantley the widow and sole administratrix which by and with her consent can be settled and satisfied in the final division and distribution of the said estate so as to avoid a sale of the same and in motion of two of the legal heirs for their distributive shares of said estate It is ordered by the Court That George John N. Brantley John N. Brantley Henry Brantley and Henry R. Chalmers be appointed Commissioners to make division and distribution of the same into eight equal distributive shares one share apportioned to each of the heirs following (to wit)

Elizabeth Brantley widow and Charles Brantley late of said County intermarried with Jacob Chittell James Brantley John Brantley William Brantley Chaddison Brantley and Mariah Brantley children of said John N. Brantley deceased and that said Commissioners make report of the same under their hands and seals on or before the third Monday of May next Given in the State of Alabama Charles Brantley By the Commissioners appointed by the Court of the said County to make division and distribution of the estate of John N. Brantley deceased among the legal or legal representatives of the said deceased to meet on the 10th day of April 1824 and after being duly qualified according to law examine and appraise the personal property of the said deceased namely the negro woman Esther and her child and her at four hundred and fifty dollars negro woman Fidelity and child Mary at four hundred dollars negro girl Phillis at four hundred and twenty five dollars each negro boy Sam at four hundred dollars negro girl Chilly at four hundred dollars negro man Job at four hundred and fifty dollars and negro man Sejour at five hundred dollars amounting in the whole to three thousand five hundred and fifty dollars And there being eight co-heirs namely Elizabeth Brantley widow of the said deceased and Charles Brantley Chittell James Brantley William Brantley Chaddison Brantley and Mariah Brantley children of the said deceased the distributive share of each part amount to four hundred and sixty three dollars and seventy five cents which amount we order and appoint to be received by the legal heirs as aforesaid in the property and if it is not so containing following to wit To Elizabeth Brantley widow of the said deceased we the said Commissioners do allot assign the negro woman Fidelity and the child Mary at four hundred dollars to Charles Brantley one of the heirs as aforesaid we allot and assign the negro man Sejour at five hundred dollars to Charles Brantley another of the heirs as aforesaid we allot assign the negro girl Phillis at four hundred and twenty five dollars to James Brantley another of the heirs as aforesaid we allot assign the negro man Job at four hundred dollars to Elizabeth Brantley another of the heirs as aforesaid we allot and assign the negro girl Sammah at four hundred and twenty five dollars to William Brantley another of the heirs as aforesaid we allot assign the girl child and the boy Sam at five hundred dollars to Charles Brantley another of the heirs as aforesaid we allot and assign the negro woman Esther and her child and her at four hundred and fifty dollars agreeably to which division and distribution Mariah Brantley & James Brantley are to receive six dollars and twenty five cents each more than their distributive proportion William Brantley is to receive six dollars and twenty five cents more than his distributive proportion Charles Brantley is to receive six dollars and twenty five cents more than his distributive proportion proportion of said estate and Elizabeth Brantley Chaddison Brantley are to receive for three dollars and seventy five cents each less than their distributive proportion and Chaddison Brantley and Elizabeth Brantley are to receive sixteen dollars and seventy five cents each less than their distributive proportion of said estate In order therefore to equalize the shares of the said legal heirs we do order and appoint that such of the aforesaid legal heirs as have received more than their proportion shall contribute in due proportion to those who have received less than their exact proportion namely That James Brantley Chaddison Brantley Charles Brantley John Brantley William Brantley Chaddison Brantley and Mariah Brantley pay to Elizabeth Brantley six dollars and twenty five cents each that Charles Brantley pay also to Chaddison Brantley for his share six dollars and twenty five cents to Elizabeth Brantley six dollars and twenty five cents and that William Brantley pay to Elizabeth Brantley six dollars and twenty five cents and to Elizabeth Brantley widow as aforesaid for three dollars and twenty five cents to be paid and received by each of the legal heirs as are under a god by them when they become of age or the payments to be made sooner by their guardians at their discretion

Twenty, or pay for the amount of money above the distributive share to act
the sum of one dollar and twenty five cents or some at the discretion of this
Guardian and that she receive the same or her Guardian for use as in full satis-
faction of her said distributive share as to her allotted and assigned by the commis-
sioners of said report aforesaid. Secondly that William being another of
the heirs receive the sum of four hundred and forty three dollars and twenty five
cents as his full distributive share of the said estate in manner following to wit
that he receive have and retain to his own proper use and service from the said
Willy and the big Jack (slaves) of the personal estate of the said deceased value
of the common slave aforesaid at the sum of one hundred dollars but not more
the amount of his said valuation one and also his said distributive share of the
sum of fifty six dollars and twenty five cents as herein directed and to be paid
him the said fifty six dollars and twenty five cents and to Elizabeth his wife three dollars
and twenty five cents to wit him paid as soon as he attains the age of twenty one
years or sooner by his Guardian if he living, or after and that the said William or
his Guardian for him receive the said slave child in such as in full satisfaction
of the said William's distributive share of the said estate and of the said sum of
money to be to him paid as aforesaid as to the other allotted and assigned by the
commissioners of said report to wit that Madam Bry, another of the heirs receive
the sum of two hundred and twenty five dollars and twenty five cents as her full distributive
share of the estate of the said deceased in manner directed to wit that as soon
here and when it is in her use and service for ever the negro woman named
Thym of the personal estate of the said deceased valued by the said commissioners at
the sum of four hundred dollars and that she receive from Elizabeth his wife the sum
of one hundred dollars and twenty five cents and that her Guardian for her
demand have and receive the same as in full of the said Madam's distributive share of
the said estate as allotted and assigned by the commissioners aforesaid. Thirdly that
Charina Bry another of the heirs receive the sum of four hundred and thirty three dollars
and twenty five cents as the full amount of her distributive share of the estate of
the said deceased in manner following to wit that she receive have and retain to
her own proper use and service for ever the negro woman slave called and the child
of the said child named Amick of the personal estate of the said deceased
valued by the commissioners aforesaid at the sum of four hundred and fifty
dollars to wit that she after attaining the age of twenty one years or her Guardian
some at her discretion pay the amount of the said valuation one and above
her said distributive share to wit the sum of six dollars and twenty five cents
to wit she shall the husband of the said child one of the heirs of the said deceased
and that the said Amick or her Guardian for her receive the said slave woman
and her child known as in full satisfaction of the said Charina's distributive share
of the said estate and of the said sum of money to be to her paid as aforesaid as to the
other allotted and assigned by the commissioners aforesaid. And lastly to appear
and to the satisfaction of the court that the estate of the said John is now
fully administered by the said commissioners considered by the court that the said administrators
after paying over the aforesaid distributive shares as above directed and directed to
be delivered from further administering the said estate.

the estate of (Michael Pearson) the State of Alabama on the third Monday in August in the year of our
Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty three for the purpose of settling and
present the Honorable Thomas Ringgold Judge the following order was passed to wit
It having been sworn to the Court that Michael Pearson deceased has no widow nor
nearest kindred than his wife and sister and Henry Pearson having made applica-
tion for letters of administration and having this day entered into bond and being
duly qualified according to law. It is therefore ordered that letters of adminis-
tration issue to the said Henry Pearson on the goods and chattels right and credits
of all and singular of Michael Pearson deceased in state of this County ordered by
the Court that James Gay Thomas Patton Rodrick Gasby Isaac Green and
Richard Brackenridge or a majority of them be appointed appraisers of the estate
of Michael Pearson deceased and make division thereof of the same within the time
prescribed by law. The State of Alabama (Cherokee County) to the Judges of the
County Court for said County Marquis Michael Pearson late of Cherokee County
deceased died intestate having a wife his wife and at the time of his death diverse goods
chattels and credits within the County aforesaid to wit as follows the full dispo-
sition and power of granting the administration of all and singular the goods
and chattels right and credits of the said deceased and also a final dismission
from the same to the Court aforesaid do hereby grant they desiring that the
said goods chattels right and credits of said deceased may be well and truly
administered and legally disposed of do hereby grant unto Henry Pearson
administrator full power by the tenor of these presents to administer the
goods chattels right and credits of said deceased which to him in his lifetime
and at the time of his death did belong and to ask demand sue for and receive the
same and to pay the debts in which the deceased stood bound so far as his effects
will extend according to law and then the balance justly to pay over to the legal
heirs and distributives of the said deceased and the said Henry Pearson having
given bond and security and taken the oath and performed all the 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 constitutes and
appointed administrator of all and singular the goods and chattels right
and credits of the said Michael Pearson deceased. Witness the Honorable the
Judges of the said County this 18th day of August 1823

Letters

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State of Alabama Cherokee County Know all men by these presents that
we Henry Pearson Leonard Pearson and Wm. Gasby are held and firmly bound unto
Marquis Ringgold Judge of the County Court for Cherokee County
State of Alabama and his successors in office in the sum of five thousand dollars
to be paid to the said Marquis Ringgold and his successors in office to which payment
well and truly to be made we bind our selves our heirs and administrators
jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 18th
day of August 1823. The condition of the above obligation is such that if Henry Pearson
Henry Pearson Leonard Pearson and Wm. Gasby appointed administrators of all and singular the
goods and chattels right and credits of Michael Pearson deceased Wife of the said
Henry Pearson shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be re-
quired of them as such administrators then the above obligation shall be
void otherwise it shall remain in full force and effect.

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State of Alabama charging Henry Pearson deceased before me George Summingham Clerk of the County Court of the said County. Henry Pearson administrator of the estate of Michael Pearson deceased who being duly sworn made the oath and said that the preceding account of sales of the personal estate of the said Michael Pearson deceased as stated in the said schedule is just & true (signed) Henry Pearson June 10th and submitted before me this 19th day of July 1825 George Summingham Clerk.

At a County Court begun and held in and for the County of Champaign in the State of Alabama in vacation on the 5th day of June 1825 for exhibiting lastly the following order as per rule (to wit) When application of John Pearson one of the heirs of the estate of the said Michael Pearson deceased is ordered to the Court that the administrator do file by account current for examination settlement & allowance in or before the third Monday of June next and that citation be to the said administrator Henry Pearson Judge County Court the State of Alabama Champaign County Court for showing business to the May 1825 On Henry Pearson administrator of the estate of Michael Pearson deceased you are at the instance & upon the application of John Pearson one of the heirs of the said Michael Pearson deceased cited and returned in your account current as administrator of said estate for examination settlement & allowance in or before the third Monday of June next extracted from the minutes of the Court June 30th 1825 Geo Summingham Clerk but in so far as to Henry Pearson.

Received in office the 29th August 1825 not do could 29th June 1825 Thomas Edgar Esq.

At a County Court begun and held in and for the County of Champaign in the State of Alabama on the third Monday of June 1825 for the purpose of exhibiting, reading present the Honorable Thomas Ringgold Judge of said Court the following order was passed to wit: That the account of Henry Pearson administrator of the estate of Michael Pearson deceased sitting with the Gro's value of and estate as come to the hands of his administration at the sum of seven hundred and fifty six dollars three cents the fourth cent his charge for debt, need necessary of continuing a commission of five per cent as a compensation amounting to the sum of two hundred and thirty six dollars seven cents and a fourth cent which being deducted leaving in the hands of the administrator for his distribution among the heirs the sum of four hundred and twenty dollars three cents and a half cent and the same coming on this day to be paid for all-worries and final settlement due notice whereof having been given as directed by the statute in such case made and this said account as now stated shewed to having been by the Judge in vacation audited and they stated and his matters and this matter in continuance and referred to being seen & inspected & being by the Court now fully understood & no person appearing to dispute or contest the allowance and settlement thereof. It is considered by the Court that the said account be in all things allowed and entered of record. It being made a show to the satisfaction of the Court now heard that there are now living the following individuals who by the laws of this land are entitled to the distribution of the estate of the said deceased (to wit) John Pearson Henry Pearson Leonard Pearson Henry and Mary Jones alias in the sherry and Francis Albert sister of the said deceased and also the orphan children of Garland Pearson deceased a brother to the said Michael Pearson deceased where upon the Court considered and decreed that the aforesaid net balance of the estate of Michael Pearson deceased now in the hands of the administrator be divided into eight equal distributive shares and distributed paid over and accounted for by the said Henry Pearson administrator as follows (to wit) to the said John Pearson Leonard Pearson Nancy Leonard Mary Jones alias to Henry Francis Albert each the sum of one hundred and eight dollars two cents and one half cent and to the Guardian of the children of the said Garland Pearson deceased the sum of one hundred and eight dollars two

The State of Alabama charging Henry Pearson deceased before me the undersigned Judge of the County Court of the said County. This 21st day of November 1825 the above named Henry Pearson administrator of the estate of Michael Pearson deceased being duly sworn depose & testify that he has no account current with the estate of the said deceased containing a just full and true account of the value of the said estate so far as the same may come to his knowledge or perception that the above coming by the said deceased and the said account current as stated and just & true according to the best of his knowledge & information & belief. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal this 21st day of November 1825.

Thomas Ringgold Judge of said Court.

At a County Court begun and held in and for the County of Champaign in the State of Alabama on the third Monday of September 1825 for the purpose of exhibiting, reading present the Honorable Thomas Ringgold Judge of said Court the following order was passed to wit: Henry Pearson administrator of the estate of Michael Pearson deceased having filed his account & vouchers for settlement this day therefore it is considered by the Court that the third Monday of October next is appointed for auditing said account and making final settlement of said estate & that the Clerk forthwith advertise at Loudon and two other public places in the County the said allowance & settlement. At a County Court begun & held in and for the County of Champaign in the State of Alabama on the third Monday of November 1825 for the purpose of exhibiting present the Honorable Thomas Ringgold Judge of said Court the following order was passed to wit: The account current of Henry Pearson administrator of the estate of Michael Pearson deceased sitting with the Gro's value of and estate as come to the hands of his administration at the sum of seven hundred and fifty six dollars three cents the fourth cent his charge for debt, need necessary of continuing a commission of five per cent as a compensation amounting to the sum of two hundred and thirty six dollars seven cents and a fourth cent which being deducted leaving in the hands of the administrator for his distribution among the heirs the sum of four hundred and twenty dollars three cents and a half cent and the same coming on this day to be paid for all-worries and final settlement due notice whereof having been given as directed by the statute in such case made and this said account as now stated shewed to having been by the Judge in vacation audited and they stated and his matters and this matter in continuance and referred to being seen & inspected & being by the Court now fully understood & no person appearing to dispute or contest the allowance and settlement thereof. It is considered by the Court that the said account be in all things allowed and entered of record. It being made a show to the satisfaction of the Court now heard that there are now living the following individuals who by the laws of this land are entitled to the distribution of the estate of the said deceased (to wit) John Pearson Henry Pearson Leonard Pearson Henry and Mary Jones alias in the sherry and Francis Albert sister of the said deceased and also the orphan children of Garland Pearson deceased a brother to the said Michael Pearson deceased where upon the Court considered and decreed that the aforesaid net balance of the estate of Michael Pearson deceased now in the hands of the administrator be divided into eight equal distributive shares and distributed paid over and accounted for by the said Henry Pearson administrator as follows (to wit) to the said John Pearson Leonard Pearson Nancy Leonard Mary Jones alias to Henry Francis Francis Albert each the sum of one hundred and eight dollars two cents and one half cent and to the Guardian of the children of the said Garland Pearson deceased the sum of one hundred and eight dollars two

charges and debts with their inventory being also inspected. It appearing to the satisfaction of the court now here as represented by the said account current that there now remains in the hands of the said Administratrix after discharging all charges and debts paid and a commission of five per centum allowed to the administratrix the sum of four hundred sixty nine dollars thirty five and a half cents being nineteen head of cattle to be distributed among the legal heirs of the said decedent and no person appearing to contest the settlement and allowance of the account whereupon it is considered by the court now here that the said account be in all things allowed and that the said administratrix be discharged from further administering on the said estate. At a County Court began and held on and for the County of Cherokee in the the State of Alabama on the third Monday in October 1824 for the purpose of orphan business Present the Honorable Thomas Kingfield Judge of said Court Presiding the following order was passed (viz) The commissioners appointed to make division of the personal estate of Reading Woff deceased having reported that the same cannot be equitably divided without to sale thereof and nineteen head of cattle being the remaining personal estate unsold and the administratrix having by order of this Court no settlement of her account had discharged from administering further on said estate and appointed as Guardian to the heirs thereof. It is considered by the court that the said Elizabeth Woff as Guardian of the children of Reading Woff the wife of the said Reading Woff do pay such part thereof as public auction on a credit of six months by may best tend to promote the interest of the heirs and make due return of sales thereof. Thomas Kingfield Clk. a County Court began and held on and for the County of Cherokee in the State of Alabama on the third Monday in January 1825 for the purpose of orphan business Present the Honorable Thomas Kingfield Judge of said Court presiding the following order was passed (viz) It is ordered by the court that the sale of the remaining personal estate this day produced no bid and provided by the Guardian of the children Reading Woff deceased receiver and interest of record

ad. Elizabeth Woff to my wife

to 1 quarter	2 00
to 1/2 quarter	2 50
to 1/4 quarter	2 50
to 1/8 quarter	3 40
to 1/16 quarter	0 00
to 1/32 quarter	0 00
to 1/64 quarter	11 00
to 1/128 quarter	3 35
to 1/256 quarter	3 00

The State of Alabama Charles County, Vassal's appearance Elizabeth Woff Guardian to her children by her deceased husband Reading Woff a County Court duly sworn depose that the foregoing schedule containing a full return of just account of the sales of the personal property of the estate of the said deceased except five cows with their calves one cow and calf reserved for each child which they do not say she believed to be the best method of improving the same to the advantage of the said children sworn in open Court return day of the County Court of Cherokee County Alabama third Monday of January 1825 (signed) Elizabeth Woff of Goshensville

The Estate of State of Alabama Cherokee County, County Court invocation 11th Oct 1825. Whereas James Woff has this day applied for letters of Administration here on the estate of Henry Woff deceased. Now there is to be seen and administered all and singular the hundred and eighty of said Henry Woff deceased (viz) William Adams David Chaff John P. Pruman to be and appointed a County Court for orphan business to be held at Cherokee County House on the third Monday of October current and show cause if any they have why said Letters of administration should not be granted to James Woff on the estate of Henry Woff deceased Given under my hand this 11th October 1825 Goshensville (signed) Adam Receiver in office 11th Oct 1825 The Adams Woff Executors in full Oct 15 1825 The Orphan Woff (H. a County Court began and held in and for the County of Cherokee in the State of Alabama on the 31st day of October 1825 for the purpose of orphan business Present the Honorable Thomas Kingfield Judge of said Court presiding the following order was passed (viz) Citation having issued as directed to cause the heirs of Henry Woff deceased to show cause at this Court why Letters of administration should not issue to James Woff the applicant Elizabeth Woff being solemnly called came not and William Selman and John P. Pruman appearing and stating in their cause is the contrary. It is therefore ordered by the court that Letters of administration on the estate of Henry Woff deceased issue to James Woff upon his entering into bond and security in the sum of seven thousand dollars and qualifying as the law directly also ordered by the court that William Adams John Holland Elijah Worley David Berry and James McKee be appointed appraisers of the estate of Henry Woff deceased and that they or a majority of them make due return of the same according to law. State of Alabama Cherokee County, Know all men by these presents that we James Woff William Selman and John Jackson all held and sworn and made Thomas Kingfield Judge of the County Court of the County and State aforesaid in the sum of seven thousand Dollars to be paid to the said Thomas Kingfield or his successors in office to which payment well and truly to be made we bind our selves and heirs executors and Administrators jointly severally and jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 31st day of October 1825. The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Woff has been duly appointed Administrator of, set and executed the duty and shall by right or credit of Henry Woff deceased. Now if the said James Woff 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 effect. James Woff William Selman and John Jackson and signed sealed and acknowledged in open Court before me Goshensville (signed) Adam Receiver in office 11th Oct 1825. State of Alabama Cherokee County, Now James Woff do solemnly swear that Henry Woff deceased died with the last will and testament as and approved in belief and that you will well and truly administer the same

includes the gross and charitably rectified results of the two debates and returns a true showing that if, as far as they have come to your knowledge and a just account of facts and of good administration as required by law so befalls your Jas James B. Ward, sworn and subscribed before me as your Oath Thomas A. Angell.

Setting *This Petition of Abraham Chalmers Comtys* By the Judge of the County Court for
said County Whereas Henry Wolf late of Chalmers County deceased was in due time sworn
and as he was at the time sworn duly gave & attested within the
County aforesaid by reason whereof the full disposition and power of granting
the administration of all and singular the goods chattels rights &c. of the said
deceased and also of final discharge from the same to the Court aforesaid does of right
belong they desiring that the goods chattels and credits of said deceased may be
well and truly administered and lawfully disposed of & having granted unto James
Wolf administrator full power by the inner of these presents to administer the goods
realities rights and credits of the said deceased which to him in his lifetime and at
the time of his death did belong and to ask demands sue for receive and receive
for same and to pay the debts in which the deceased stood &c. so far as his
estate will extend according to Law and then the balance lawfully to pay
over to the legal heirs and distributees of the said deceased and so James
Wolf having given Bond & security and taken the oath and performed all
things necessarily required by law necessary to his just Qualification as admin-
istrator has & tendered of said Court and by virtue of these presents continues constitute
an &c. into administrator of all and singular the goods & chattels rights &c.
belonging to the said Henry Wolf deceased Whereof the Honorable the Judge
of the said Court this 30th day of April 1898

Swearing: State of Maryland, Harford County. We William Henry John Willians
and Elijah Henry do swear that we will well and truly execute the estate
of Henry West deceased that shall be given to James B West adminis-
trator of the estate of Henry West deceased and make a true return
of the same within the time prescribed by law to the best of your knowledge
so help you God William Henry John Willians and Elijah Henry
Elijah Henry sworn and subscribed to before me David Lewis Justice of
the Peace of said County Baltimore 24th 1823 We William Henry John
Willians and Elijah Henry do certify that this is a true and valid settlement of the
estate of Henry West deceased that has been given by James B West
administrator of the same 5 24 1823

administator of the same	5 00	two blankets	3 00
One hyphenated T-shirt	4 00	Seagull boy's shirt in currency	1 50
One do T-shirt	0 50	1 pair of slacks	2 50
One do T-shirt	4 00	1 pair socks	1 00
One negro woman's valance	2 10	1 do of shoes with laces	15 00
One do T-shirt	1 50	1 do of shoes with laces	17 00
One do T-shirt	1 00	1 do of shoes with laces	1 75
One do T-shirt	5 00	2 whips with 4 hands	10 00
One do T-shirt	6 00	1 do of farming tools	24 00
One do T-shirt	2 30	1 do of old saddle	6 00
One do T-shirt	3 50	1 do of old iron tools	3 00
One do T-shirt	3 00	one do of old tools	2 00
One do T-shirt	1 30	1 do of old tools	6 00
One do T-shirt	1 05	one do of old tools	4 00
One do T-shirt	8 00	four chairs	2 00
One do T-shirt	10 00	1 mule gear & 1 do of tools	12 00
One do T-shirt	3 00	1 do of old tools	3 00

Rice one dollar	\$ 5	10	one hundred and twenty five dollars	269 61
Good silver and gold	7	10	98 50 ad in the two	
on my side	3	10	one act on foot & being for	6 50
one copy of some papers 7 35 two	362	50	one million million more 985 in	122 84
Six Shady fadder	24	10	one hundred and twenty five dollars in a house	
one's Relating	25	10	one million more 985 in	317 62
one note on John Mottman	39	10	one million more 985 in	
			thirty money	

We whose hands many are, herewith subscribe as nearly as truly, that the within is a true schedule of the estate of Henry Mott deceased so far as has been produced to us by James B. Mott, administrator, certified by us this 3^d day of December 1853. We also note and William Wood for \$55 or is constituted by the administrator of no value it being out of date. The drawer noted and William Selwyn John Heltene Elijah Henry affirmers
State of Alabama Chancery Court. Personally appeared before me James Ringgold, Judge of the County Court of said County, James B. Mott, administrator of said estate, the goods and debts, rights and credits of Henry Mott deceased, who being duly sworn deposited & payed that the foregoing schedule of all payment claims, debts and true inventory of the estate of the said deceased so far as the same has come to his knowledge & possession James B. Mott, sworn and subscribed at office this 15th day of December 1853 before me The Ringgold, J. C. C.

144. Decem^r 17th of Court taken and held in and for the county of Calaveras in the State of California, in the third Monday in December 1833 for the purpose of settling business. I Grant the Honorable Thomas R. Nugent, Judge of said Court Presiding, the following order was passed (type) It is ordered by the Court that the Inventory and appraisement of the estate of Henry West deceased as made by the administrator James B. West this day be received and entered of Record the Court having examined the Schedule and appraisement of the estate of Henry West deceased find that it containing articles of a perishable nature and subject to waste and no application of the administrator to an order of sale It is therefore ordered by the Court that an order of said be issued to the administrator of the said estate to sell and dispose of by the Court direct all and singular the articles mentioned in his said schedule as excepting the notes and accounts for negroes and stock of cattle and that the balance of said articles to be sold to the order of sale.

Account An account of the sale of the personal property of Henry Mills, deceased agrees
Daily to an order of the orphans Court of the County of Chatham held at at the house

of this said Henry well deceased January 14th Williams Helman to the heirs of two negroes one mouth & a half to one division to the heirs of one negro one mouth & a half to back to an collar John P. Freeman to the heirs of one negro one mouth & a half to one division to one 1/2 of the 1/2 George Pinner to one plat Elijah Cherry to three shoring plows two hogs one ass two barrel thing Williams Kelly one crop and four to one 1/2 of the 1/2	36 3/4 15 10 50 50 1 1/2 60 1/2 2 10 3 3/4 1 5/8 1 3/4 2 1/2 6 50 1 5/8	one ass one fodder black one width one lot of potatoes one board one fodder black Edwin off flower one rail two barley one lot of hogs Jeremiah Mitchell 15 foot a day 12 1/2 hog new cloth 1 pair of saddle bags 1 new green sheet 3 manna ch 1 barrel of flour 1 barrel	2 1/2 7 1/2 1 3 1/2 5 0 6 0 1 3/4 80 243 1/2 8 1 4 5 2
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One on Holland feeding Edward feeding Hot Bayards & John Spain	160	00
One on J. D. Curry and David Curry for	12	3/4
One on David McAdams and Stephen Lacy	8	18 1/2
One on Edward Barefield Terry Barefield & Garrison Anderson	43	50
One on William Broger & John Jackson	3	35
One on John Ford & John Spain	81	50
One on John Anderson & John Spain	213	3/4
One on Benjamin Lockell & Jackson Green	61	43 1/2
One on Edward feeding & J. D. Curry	7	50
One on Edward H. Lacy & John Bisher	81	8 1/2
One on John Jackson & J. D. Curry	7	57 1/2
One on James Wells & William Kelly	57	15
One on William Anderson	15	50
One on John Jackson & James D. Wells	12	30
One on Hugh A. Reynolds & William Broger	11	3 1/2
One on Henry Faircliff & Richard Bondy	5	50
One on J. D. Curry & David Curry	14	3 1/2
One on Enock H. Cook & David McAdams	8	56 1/2
One on Jeremiah Mitchell William Adams & David Curry	12	53 1/2
One on John P. Freeman and David Curry	15	12 1/2
One on John Spain & William Selman	223	12 1/2
One on George Lacy & Edwin Anderson	13	3 1/2
One on J. D. Curry & James D. Wells	167	4 1/2
One on Thomas Lacy & David Curry	43	8 1/2
One on Elisha Lacy & Jared W. Cherry	3	15
One on Stephen Lacy & Alexander Rindley	30	3 1/2
One on Sarah Cherry & Elisha Lacy	6	3 1/2
One on Philip's Goodbread & Elisha Cherry	7	57 1/2
One on William Kelly & Stephen Lacy	6	30
One on Isaac Browning & John Spain	41	00
One on William Selman	36	3 1/2
Chief for property purchased by the Administrator will then be	221	15 1/2
accountable for the sum of	266	0 3/4
Chief the Administrator for the property that pursuant to an order		
of Court he sold on the 21 st day of February 1834 at public sale		
to the highest bidder the negroes & also the cattle belonging to the		
said Estate being the remaining personal estate upon a credit of		
ten months and that the sales thereof amounted to two thousand two		
hundred and ninety eight dollars & ninety five cents for which		
and a part of the former sales he took and now holds the following notes		
due and payable the 21 st Decr 1834. to wit		
One on John P. Freeman William Adams & David Curry for	1201	00
One on Samuel Harman & John Anderson	521	00
One on Elisha Lacy & William Adams	544	33
One on William Selman	72	35
Amounting to two thousand three hundred and eight dollars & 85	2358	00
And in response the debt of the said deceased so far as they have been		
presented and the funeral expenses and also the contingent expenses		
of the Estate as stated in the annexed account current and pray		
your worship that the same may be allowed to him together with a		
reasonable compensation for his time attention and trouble of		
Administering thereon The Administrator wrote further		

represents that there is not far if any other duty to come against the Estate than those above and the Estate is solvent.

At a County Court begun and held in and for the County of Chatham in the State of Alabama on the 25th day of August 1834 (in Vacation) present Thomas King George & George Cunningham Clerk the following order was made viz: James B. Wells Administrator of Henry Wells Esq. having made application for permission to settle his account as administrator of said Estate. It is therefore ordered by the Court that the monthly Return day of this Court to be held on the third Monday of October next to be appointed for the purpose of adjudicating and allowing the account of the said Administrator it is further ordered that the Clerk give forty days previous notice of this order by advertising the same at the Court house door & three other public places in the County that all persons interested in the settlement of the said account may attend and show cause if any thing have why any part or the whole of said account should not be allowed (Signed) Thomas King George J. C.

At a County Court begun & held in and for the County of Chatham in the State of Alabama on the third Monday in October 1834 for the purpose of settling & allowing the account of the Honorable Thomas King George Judge of said Court. Present the Honorable Thomas King George Judge George Cunningham Clerk & Thomas Coleman Esq. the following order was passed (viz) It is ordered by the Court that the allowance and settlement of account of James B. Wells Administrator of Henry Wells Esq. be continued until the third Monday of November next to give time to examine and audit the account of the said Administrator. At a County Court begun & held in and for the County of Chatham in the State of Alabama on the third Monday in November in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and twenty for the purpose of disposing business in and the Honorable Thomas King George Judge of said Court. Pending the following order was passed (viz) This day came the said James B. Wells and having previously filed his account pursuant to the order of the Court of Henry Wells Esq. for settlement & allowance pursuant to previous notice given and the order of the Court in making having audited examined & installed the same no person appearing to contest the allowance thereof and the same as now stated appearing to the satisfaction of the Court he put & true whereupon it is considered by the Court now here that the same account be in all things allowed and entered of Record & it is further considered & ordered by the Court that the Administrator be paid a third of the sum of a compensation for his services for administering thereon & settling the same a commission of two & a half per cent upon the amount thereof.

By The Estate of Henry Wells Decided in and current until 1834 the Administrator for		
James B. Wells sum paid for whiting men at the satisfaction of	8	15
Whiting furnished having to shuck corn	6	50
Whiting & crooking same	8	00
(Nov 1833 Postage paid		
Lia they purchased for negroes	2	00
Shell purchased for cattle &c	2	00
Jan 23 paid for picking out cotton	2	00
paid for water for public use	3	50
paid for two certificates	1	00
paid Jordan & Mitchell balance of their account	1	98
paid Jeremiah Mitchell Annual expenses Decr	13	00
paid J. D. Curry for medical attendance for Bill	7	00
They and paid the Clerk of justice of Court	23	00
By this amount of money in hand	266	3 1/4
	266	3 1/4
By balance of money in hand as per Court		266 3 1/4

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By this amount due from John Holland on his note \$351 00
 By this amount due from J. M. Cherry 1 00
 By this amount on note above set out due 31st Dec 1824 3375 00
 By this amount on note above set out due 31st Jan 1825 deducting 99 paid on Feb 1825 2185 00
 On addition to the above of a note mentioned in the appraisement the matter being indebted & no proof of debt it is not brought in this account
 The State of Alabama Chancery County, Personally appeared James R. Smith & being duly sworn depose that the foregoing report and account current is a just true & faithful exhibit to him & statement of his account as administrator thereof and possessing them that the charges brought therein against the estate are just & true according to the bill of his knowledge & belief (Signed) James R. Smith sworn & subscribed this day of February 1825 before the undersigned judge of the County Court of said County, Thomas Ringgold

The Court of Chancery in and for the County of Chancery in the State of Alabama on the third Monday in March 1825 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty four for the purpose of appointing trustees the following order was passed (viz) viz day order for same Thomas Anderson and in open court made application for Letters of Administration on the estate of William Anderson deceased and William Anderson the order of the said deceased came also into Court in her own proper person and having all objection removed to Letters of Administration being granted pursuant to the application Whereupon the said Thomas Anderson in and for the said estate in the sum of two thousand five hundred Dollars and took the oath required by Law of him as administrator of the said deceased Wherefore it is considered and ordered by the Court now then that Letters of Administration be given to the said Thomas Anderson upon all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits which word of the said William Anderson deceased at the time of his death It is further ordered by the Court that Phineas Parker James Warren John S. Chastain Thomas Wrightman & Joseph Drachenridge be appointed appraisers of the estate of the said William Anderson deceased & that they make due return thereof as required by Law The State of Alabama Chancery County, Knew all men by these presents that we Thomas Anderson Jordan Anderson & Thomas Wrightman are held and jointly bound unto Thomas Ringgold Judge of the Court of the County of Chancery in the sum of two thousand five hundred Dollars to be paid

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said to the said Thomas Ringgold Judge or his successors or officers to which payment well and truly to be made without delay and duly collected and a administrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated this 16th day of August 1825 The condition of the above obligation is such that Thomas Anderson the above bound Thomas Anderson has been duly appointed administrator of all and singular the goods & chattels rights and credits of William Anderson deceased. Now if the said Thomas Anderson 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 (Signed) Thomas Anderson, Bond Jordan Anderson, Bond Thomas Wrightman, Bond

Sealed and acknowledged in open Court before the Judge of Chancery County of Alabama Chancery County by the Judge of the County Court of said County Whereas William Anderson was one of the heirs of William Anderson deceased and intestate having at the time of his death during goods chattels and credits within the County of Chancery in the State of Alabama the full disposition and power of granting the administration of all and singular the goods chattels rights and credits of the said deceased and also a final discharge from the same to the heirs of said deceased of right belong They desiring that no goods chattels and credits of said deceased may be wrongfully administered and unjustly disposed of do hereby grant unto Thomas Anderson administrator full power by the terms of these presents to administer the goods & chattels rights & credits of said deceased which to him in his lifetime had at the time of his death did belong and to ask demand sue for recover and receive the same and pay the debts in which the deceased stood and to do all such things as may effectually well extend according to Law and then to distribute justly to pay over to the legal heirs and distributees of the said deceased and the said Thomas Anderson having given Bond and security and taken the oath and performed all other requisites required by Law whereby he is just qualified as administrator he is by order of said Court and signature of these presents ordained constituted & appointed Administrator of all and singular the goods chattels rights & credits of the said William Anderson Wherefore the Honorable the Judge of said County this

At a County Court begun and held in and for the County of Chancery in the State of Alabama on the third Monday in September 1825 for the purpose of appointing trustees Present the Honorable Thomas Ringgold Judge of said Court presiding the following order was passed (viz) It is ordered by the Court that James Godwyn Will Thompson Richard Rutledge Samuel Wellens & William Godwyn be appointed appraisers of the estate of the said William Anderson of this County deceased which is in the County of Chancery and that they make due return of the same agreeably to Law

Inventory of the appraisement of the personal property of William Anderson deceased as found out by the Administrators October 5th 1825 to wit

Two five year old Horses	\$35 00	Three cows	\$30 00
Two cows & 1 yearling	22 00	Five yearling	22 00
One cow & calf	10 00		215 00
		(Total)	

The State of Alabama Chancery County, To the undersigned appraisers of who was appraised & appraised the personal property of William Anderson late of Chancery County deceased to find as was provided by the Administrator of said deceased to have certify the above to be a true inventory of appraisement to the best of our knowledge and judgment October 5th 1825 James Godwyn Richard Rutledge W. Thompson State of Alabama By County J. Ransom Esq. an acting Justice of the Peace in and for said County do certify that the above named appraisers were duly qualified by me as the

Account of Sale of the property of William Anderson late of Charing
Crossed Deceased such as printed out by the administrator the
month of October 1824

alliance. 1874 a bounty bond, upon and held at London in the County of Chancery in the
of record State of Alabama for Orphan's business on the third Monday and twelfth day
current of November 1878 Present the Honorable Thomas Livingston Judge President
of the following order was passed, to wit: The account returned and reviewed of
Thomas Anderson Administrator of William Anderson deceased having been
filed for inspection, allowance and final settlement and so final hearing as this
day last motion thereof having been granted as decided by Law. The said account amounting
to the sum of \$1000.00 the amount of \$1000.00 come to hand at the sum of five hundred and eight
four dollars and fifty four cents and a fourth cent the amount of money paid out for
wells and necessary expenses at the sum of five hundred and two hundred and
four and a fourth cent being in the hands of the Administrator the
sum of five dollars & eighty four cents being by the Judge duly audited and
the money thereon contained and referred to being inspected and by the Court
here fully understood and no person appearing to gain any the settlement
and all other things whereupon it is considered by the Court that the said
account is true and accurate and all things allowed and entered &c &c

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 It being made appear to the satisfaction of the Court that the Estate of the
 said Decedent is now fully administered it is therefore considered that the admin-
 istrator return to his own use the moneys and balance of fees Collected and eighty
 four cents now in his hands as a compensation for his trouble that he
 be discharged from further administering said Estate and that he and his
 securities in his administration Bond given in this behalf be dischar-
 ged and go hence without day

Account of the Estate of William Anderson in a bond case with Thomas Anderson

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	No 2. The amount paid to the	properly Estate of the said
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The State of Alabama
 Chavange
 Personally appeared before me Thomas Ringgold
 Judge of the County Court of the said County the above named Thomas Anderson
 administrator of the Estate of William Anderson deceased who being duly sworn depose
 that the above account as stated contains a true and full exhibition of the
 Estate of the said William Anderson deceased and of the assets committed
 and of the debts and necessary expenditures by him paid laid out and expended
 that those of the above charges set forth of his own knowledge are just
 and

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True and the rest he believes just and true. Signed Thomas Anderson. Decemr 8
 subscribed before me at Andover this 15th day of December 1825 Thomas Ringgold.

The State of Alabama County Court Chavange County Return day the 11th Monday
 of November 1825 the account current and correct of Thomas Anderson admin-
 istrator of the Estate of William Anderson deceased having been filed for subject
 in allowance and final settlement and for final hearing to this day and notice
 thereof having been given as directed by Law The said account current being first
 taken a month before the Court came to hand at the sum of \$381.33 the amount of moneys paid
 out for debts and necessary expenditures at the sum of \$312.81 leaving in hand
 to him the sum of \$68.52 being in the hands of the said decedent and the matters thereon
 lawfully referred to being understood and by the Court me fully understood and re-
 ferred to being the settlement and allowance thereof. Whereupon it is
 considered by the Court that the said account as stated and understood be in all things
 allowed and entered of record. It being made appear to the satisfaction of the Court
 that the Estate of the said decedent is now fully administered it is therefore con-
 sidered that the administrator return to his own use the moneys and balance of \$68.52
 now in his hands as a compensation for his trouble that he be discharged from
 further administering the said Estate and that he and his securities in the ad-
 ministration Bond given in this behalf be discharged and go hence without
 day. Signed Thomas Ringgold. 1825.

The Court of the County Court of Chavange County and held at Andover in the County of Chavange
 Thomas Anderson of the State of Alabama in the presence of a jury consisting
 of in the 2nd day of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and
 twenty three the Honorable Thomas Ringgold Judge presiding the following
 Order was passed to wit: Ordered by the Court that the Office of Citation be given to the
 under of Thomas Anderson deceased to appear and show cause why Office of
 Administration should not be granted to the Sheriff or Governor at a Court to
 be held at the Court House in the third Monday next
 Citation State of Alabama Chavange County to the Sheriff of said County to appear and
 and fully commanded to pay money to the Sheriff of said County of Thomas Anderson
 deceased to be and appear before the Honorable the Judge of the County or a Judge
 Court of the County and State aforesaid on the third Monday next may next
 at the Court House thereof to show cause why Office of Administration
 should not be granted to the Sheriff or Governor on the Estate of said Thomas
 Anderson deceased. Whereof said not and have you then than this writ given
 under my hand this 3rd day of May 1825 Test William Anderson
 by his deputy for Chavange County
 Return Andover 5th May 1825 The Clerk of the Court
 The Clerk of the Court

Ordered. At a Court of the Court began and held at London in the County of Middlesex
in the Place of the Court on the the third Monday in May 1753 for
the purpose of Orphan's Business Present the Honorable Thomas Kingzett Esq.
of said Court Presiding the following Orders were passed to wit. Ordered by
the Court that in this of Administration upon the Goods of the deceased and
credits of Thomas Richards deceased issue to the Sheriff of the County of
Middlesex Ordered by the Court that Alexander M. Lead Bridges Esq. Esquire
Esquire John Hart Esq. Esquire for he appeared appearing there a majority
of them is appointed the property Goods and Chattels rights and credits
of the Estate of Thomas Richards deceased shall be shown them by
the Administrator for and make return as the Law directs

Return Received Office of the Secy. of the State of Maryland, 11th Dec. 1823
Bath of the State of Maryland, 11th Dec. 1823. The Clerk of the Court of the State of Maryland, 11th Dec. 1823
affirming a real decree of the Court of the State of Maryland, 11th Dec. 1823, that you will
make a just and true appraisement of all and singular the goods and chattels
(made money excepted) of Thomas Richard deceased as well as proceeds
by Thomas Richard Sheriff and administrator of the said Thomas Richard
deceased and that you will return the same certified under your
hand to the said Thomas Richard Sheriff and administrator as
aforesaid within the time prescribed by law so help you God
(Signed) Bridger Consul Frederick Consul for East and West
Indies and subscribed before me this 14th Dec. 1823 Alexander
C. Good, J.P.

Inventory An appraisement of the personal Estate of Thomas Richards
as produced to us by Thomas Adams Administrator agreeable to
an order of Appraisement from the Judge of the Orphans Court
of the County of Chancery last directed

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State of Alabama Charles County. We whose names are hereunto sub-
scribed do certify that the above Schedule is just and true; provided most of
personal estate of Thomas Richards deceased so far as the same has been
produced to us by Thomas Adams Sheriff and Edmund Miller Justice
of the 14th day of October 1823 (Gives) Bridget Anne, Frederick
Caval Soil, Bart John, Bart of ordinary State of Alabama char-
County. Personal appeared in open Court Thomas Adams Sheriff
the County a named Administrator of all and singular in goods and real
rights and property of Thomas Richards deceased and maketh oath that
 foregoing Schedule or a parchment contains a full inventory of the
goods and chattels in his hands and concerns of Thomas Richards
deceased intestate at the time of his death excepting two pair of horses
something Iron so far as the said County is concerned a parcel of
as Edmund Miller aforesaid (Gives) The Adams Sheriff Sheriff before
me in open Court this 20th day of Feb^y 1823 Edmund Miller

Order
to Sell

A Court of Sessions began at Andover in the County of Hampshire the State of Massachusetts for the purpose of disposing of the goods of the deceased third Monday in June 1828 Present the Honorable Thomas Ringgold Judge of said Court Presiding the following advice was given to wit: The Administrator of Thomas Richards deceased having made return to the appointment and inventory of said estate as far as the same has come to his knowledge and a Application being made by the said Administrator to sell and dispose of the same and expressing to the satisfaction of the Court that actually contained in the said return are perishable and subject to waste and cannot be equitably sold for the benefit of the heirs it is therefore Ordered by the Court that

[illegible][illegible]

Act only A list of sales of the remaining part of the estate of Thomas Colvins deceased the 10th day of June 1825.

bridge and 1/2 of Blue & Bull 8 to Thomas Adams Sheriff of the
the State of Alabama Marshall's County, Personally appeared before the under-
signed Judge of the County Court of said County Thomas Adams Sheriff and
Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Roberts deceased who being duly
sworn depose and say that the foregoing schedule contains a full and
true account of sales of the remaining personal Estate of the deceased
directed by the Order of Court to be sold Given under my hand and seal
this 25th June 1853 Thomas Adams Sheriff

the case of Benjamin Burton President the Honorable Thomas Ringgold
Judge of said Court Presiding the following order was passed to wit
It is ordered by the Court that a citation issue to the administrator in
this case to file his account current and vouchers for settlement on or
before the next term of this Court. It is further ordered that the third Monday
in December be appointed for hearing and allowing the same and that
the Clerk file copies of previous notices of the same to advertise must at
the Court House and three other publick places in the County. It
is also further ordered that Benjamin Burton Sheriff of Chancery County
and his Vice or proxy do office as appointed administrator & issue writs
of Habeas Corpus and writs of Administration here as aforesaid by
David Edward Thomas Ringgold Esq.

1884 a County Court began and held at London in the County of Chancery
in the State of Maryland on the third Monday in October A.D. 1886 for the
purpose of appointing Justices the Honorable Thomas Ringgold Judge presiding
the following order was made to wit It appearing to the satisfaction of
the Court that the citation in the Administration Case No. 131 was not
been returned It is considered by the Court that an adjournment issue
returnable to the next Term of this Court at a County Court Room and
do let at London in the County of Chancery in the State of Maryland for
the purpose of appointing Justices on the third Monday in November A.D.
1886 the Honorable Thomas Ringgold Judge presiding the following

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Final Record of a final account between John for Charles and
was passed at the Court that was held at the Court house
of the County of Charles on the third Monday of the month of February 1808
at the Court house of the County of Charles in the State of Virginia
in the County of Charles on the third Monday of the month of February 1808
for the purpose of settling the Account of the Honorable Thomas King Judge
of the County of Charles in the State of Virginia in the County of Charles
Administrator of the Estate of Thomas King Judge of the County of Charles
current and correct for final settlement It is ordered by the Court that
the third Monday in April next is appointed for hearing and determining
the said settlement and that the clock of this Court for due notice of the
same at the Court house and there other places in the County at least
forty days previous to said term 1808 Thomas King Judge of the County of Charles
as a single Court for orphans business begin and hold in and for the County of Charles
on the third Monday of the month of April in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty seven at least
the return day before the Honorable Thomas King Judge of the County of Charles
giving the following was an order of said Court to read the account current
of Thomas King Administrator of the Estate of Thomas King Judge of the County of Charles
Robert deceased filed for final settlement and allowance and coming on for final settlement
having been given by advice of the Court that the said account settling first
the net amount of the said Estate (after deducting debts due to the said Estate
not recovered to and distributed by the Estate and paid by the Administrator
at the sum of one thousand thirty and three cents and three fourths cents
seven and a half cent the same having been inspected and audited by the Court
the Court has and in pass showing cause why the said account for any part
thereof should not be allowed It is considered by the Court that the said account
be in all things allowed and entered of Record and because the Administrator
ought to be entitled to compensation for administering the said Estate It is considered
by the Court that he be allowed therefor a commission of five per cent on the sum of one thousand thirty and three fourths cents
seven and a half cent and fifty cents the amount of said Estate after deducting
debts not collectible which is equal to the sum of six hundred thirty and three fourths cents
and a half cent and a third part due to from the said net amount in the last year of the sum of one thousand thirty and three fourths cents and a half cent and a third part due to from the said net amount in the last year of the sum of one thousand thirty and three fourths cents and a half cent and a third part due to from the said net amount in the last year of the sum of one thousand thirty and three fourths cents and a half cent and a third part due to from the said net amount in the last year of the <

8. The Estate of Chas a County Court, began and held in and for the County of
Newcastle, Chancery in the Hall of the Sheriff for the purpose of giving
assurances on the third Monday in September in the year of our Lord 1825
present the Honorable Thomas King Esq Judge presiding the following
order was granted to wit: on the application of David Bell & Isaac
Gibson for Letters of Administration on the Estate of John Bailey deceased
deceased previous notice by advertisement having been given to the kindred
and next of kin of the said deceased and no one appearing, do consent the same
and the said John Bailey & Gibson continue appearing in given
consent their and with David Berryman & Thomas Lincolnton
their security in the sum of £1000 & they being duly qualified as
the law prescribes the Administration of the said John Bailey deceased
Bailey deceased His Highness ordered & the Court was here that

Copy Geo. Manning's name & name
 The State of Alabama and Chancery Court by the Judge of the same Court
 and County of Wilcox Enacted this 14th day of said County deceased and in
 estate making made he here and at the time of his death dying good and
 lawful and within the County of Wilcox by reason whereof the full
 disposition and power of granting the Administration of all and sundry
 the goods chattels rights and credits of the said deceased and also of final
 distribution from the same to the benefit of said day of right being they
 desiring that the goods chattels and credits of this deceased may be
 well and lawfully administered as here by grant unto Garrison considered
 and Sarah Butler Administrators and Administratrix full years by
 the term of these their presents to administer the goods chattels rights
 and credits of said deceased which he to him in his life time about the time
 he died did belong and to him to demand sue for and receive and receive
 he have and to pay the debts in which the deceased stood bound so far as
 respects will extend according to Law and the balance partly to pay
 over to the legal heirs and distributees of the said deceased and the said
 Garrison and Sarah Butler having given Bond and sure-
 ties and taken the Oath and performed all other requisites therefore by
 Law necessary to their just qualification as Administrators and Adminis-
 tratrix they are by order of said Court and by virtue of their present
 Orders constituted and appointed Administrators and Administratrix
 of all and singular the goods chattels rights and credits of
 the said Sarah Butler Among the Honorable the Judge of the said
 Court by this 14th day of September 1825 Geo. Manning Clerk
 Order of Court by Court Geo. Manning to return day the third Monday
 of March 1826 and there by just day of the same present the then Judge
 Thomas Ringgold Judge the following order was passed to wit
 It is ordered by the Court that the Subduer be executed and entered