

Witness their hands &

John Kuly  
C. Barnes  
Auditors of said Court

The State of Alabama  
Shilby County Orphans Court 14 July 1850

Joseph D. Kuly appeared in open court and made oath in due form of law that the within is the genuine last will and testament of Elizabeth Brandon late of said County dec'd & proved that the same be admitted to record. Tho D. Kuly  
Licenser to Subscribed 14<sup>th</sup>  
July 1850 John McClanahan  
Judge

Orphans Court in vacation 12 March 1850 John Kuly appeared and made oath in due form of law that he saw the testatrix sign seal publish and deliver the within will on the day it bears date that same was signed in presence of all the witnesses and that the witnesses signed the same in the presence of one another and in the presence of the Judge & Jurors to be Subscribed 13<sup>th</sup> March 1850 J. W. McClanahan  
Judge

The State of Alabama  
Shilby County In the County Court sitting  
13 day of February 1850

Before John W. McClanahan Judge of the County Court of said County. To any Sheriff of the State of Alabama You are hereby required to summon William G. Brandon James P. Brown Catharine Brandon and Sarah Brandon heirs at law of the Estate of Elizabeth Brandon deceased who are of age to appear before the said John W. McClanahan Judge of the County Court of said County on the 10<sup>th</sup> day of March next at the County Clerk's office of said County there to show if they have any thing to allege against the applications of Joseph D. Kuly for that or whether upon the said Judge's paper purporting to be the last will and testament of the said Elizabeth Brandon deceased and made out to have the same admitted to probate and to grant unto the said Joseph D. Kuly letters testamentary on the estate of the said Elizabeth Brandon dec'd them fail not and have you there and there this precept

with a good return Witness Elizabeth Landry Clerk of the County Court of said County this the 13<sup>th</sup> February 1850  
I do acknowledge same Catharine Brandon & C. Landry Clerk  
I do acknowledge same Sarah Brandon

Notices given to Sarah Brandon & Catharine Brandon James William Brandon are non residents and the rest are minors  
Jos. D. Kuly

The State of Alabama  
Shilby County That we Joseph D. Kuly and

John Kuly an held and freely bound unto John W. McClanahan Judge of the County Court of Shilby 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 and heirs severally by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 15<sup>th</sup> day of March 1850 Now the condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Joseph D. Kuly has been duly appointed Executor of the Estate of Elizabeth Brandon dec'd & said Sarah Joseph D. Kuly 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 and effect Witness our hands and seals this date above written  
Joseph D. Kuly  
John Kuly  
John W. McClanahan Judge

Alabama Shilby County  
In the name of God Amen I Thomas Amitt of Shilby County do make this my last will and testament in manner following I the said Thomas Amitt do by this my last will and testament make the following disposition of my property that is to say I will and devise to my beloved wife my next near named Truman and my interest in a small negro boy in South Carolina in the possession of her sister Ales and her and provision sales will to my beloved wife Lucrecia Amitt six hundred dollars in specie to be paid to her out of the first money that comes into the hands of my Executors from my estate I also do direct that my wife be allowed a sufficient support to last her twelve months from my decease and to her

possessor of my house and what land she wants  
to cultivate for one year after my death & also will  
and direct my executors to sell a sufficient quantity of  
my personal property to pay my debts and to pay  
my wife the six hundred dollars bequeathed to her  
and the share of my estate thus bequeathed to my  
wife to be in lieu of her dower at common law if  
she shall so elect

I also declare that the real and personal bequeathed equally  
as it came to me than and I have also directed  
my several children if my property can be  
divided by lots so as to be equal in value it  
done so if not I do direct that the whole of my  
property both real and personal be sold  
and the net proceeds divided as heretofore  
directed And I do hereby make and Ordain  
my esteemed friends Henry Mills and Mr  
Horton executors of this my last will and  
Testament to carry into effect this my will  
and I request them to see that it is in  
all things carried into effect And I do hereby  
make hereby and all wills heretofore made  
by me in witness whereof I Thomas Arnett  
the testator have to this my will written a  
short paper fastened together with rings set  
my hand and seal the 22nd day of November  
in the year of our Lord one thousand eight  
hundred and forty eight Thomas Arnett

Witness my hand and seal  
in the presence of us who  
have subscribed in the  
presence of each other  
John Alexander  
Phasant Dillson  
Robert T. Alexander

The State of Alabama, appeared in open Court John  
Whitby County, Alexander and Robert T. Alexander  
and made oath in due form  
Law that they saw Thomas Arnett sign seal declare  
and publish the foregoing for his last will and  
Testament that they with Phasant Dillson  
subscribed the same as witnesses in the pres-  
ence of said at the request of Testator and in  
the presence of each other on the day <sup>named</sup> therein  
Sworn to & subscribed 20 April 1849 John Alexander  
1849 Robert T. Alexander

Mr John McClellan  
I have concluded not to  
act as Executor to old man Arnett will provided  
Judge Horton will except if it alone as if he appe-  
ars you can appoint him to act alone April 20  
1849  
Henry Mills  
Filed the day of April 1850 E. G. Lawley clerk

The State of Alabama, To my Sheriff of the State of  
Whitby County, Alabama - you are  
notify Lucinda Arnett widow  
William H. Young, J. S. Doak & Ed. Horton in right  
of their niece Missy Arnett Caroline Arnett  
& E. G. Lawley Guardian ad litem for James Arnett  
to appear at the County Clerks office of said  
County on the 1st Monday in June next to  
contest the probating the last will & Testament  
of Thomas Arnett Decd if they think proper by  
Order of the Court. 20th April 1849

E. G. Lawley Clerk  
Executed April 20th an young 1849 J. S. Doak  
Executed an Ed Horton April 20th 1849 Executed an  
Ed W. Smith N. C. Arnett J. S. Doak Lucinda Arnett  
April 20th 49 by M. J. Horton

The State of Alabama, Know all men by these  
Whitby County, I promise that we Edward  
J. Horton David M. McClellan  
& Milio H. Pope are held and firmly bound unto  
John M. McClellan Judge of the County Court  
of Whitby County State of Alabama and his  
successors in office in the penal sum of eight  
hundred dollars to which payment will  
and truly to be made we and each of us do  
bind ourselves our heirs &c firmly by these  
present sealed with our seals and dated the  
23rd day of April 1849 Now the condition of the  
above obligation is such that whereas the above bound  
Edward J. Horton has been duly appointed Executor  
of the last will and Testament of Thomas Arnett  
late of said County deceased Now if said Edward J.  
Horton shall will and truly perform all the duties  
which are or may be by law required of him as  
an Executor then the above obligation to be void else to  
remain in full force and virtue withy and he and  
and seals the date above written

Edward J. Horton

Examined before me & approved 23 April 1847  
J. Little of Savannah  
Judge of the

Wm. St. Pope Esq.  
David S. McCallum Esq.

An apprais bill of the personal property of the estate of Thomas Smith deceased - 1840

9 Cows and calves \$ per cow	72 00
14 head Stock Cattle per head 50¢	70 00
14 head of Sheep per head 1 00	14 00
20 head of hogs per head 1 75	35 00
50 head of hogs per head 2 00	100 00
Bay mare	25 00
Gray mare	50 00
Gray mare and Colt	60 00
Gray horse	45 00
Bay filly	15 00
Bay mare filly	50 00
Gray filly	45 00
100 bu corn more or less per bu 1 00	100 00
3 Stacks of Fodder	15 00
8 bu wheat per bu 1 50	12 00
Dutch feed	6 00
2 1/2 bu peas per bu 1 00	2 25
Lot of boxes & barrels	2 00
0 Syr. Hubs & Cradles	7 00
Lot of tools	4 00
Lot of Collars & Gears	5 00
2 Cotton hammers 100	2 00
Cutting box	1 00
Lot of boards 1000 per hundred 20	2 00
9 head of Geese per head 25	2 25
Wagon harness and Cotton frame	60 00
11 Bu hives	4 00
6 Empty tin kettles	1 25
Lot of irons	1 50
Lot of plates and hoes	20 00
Ground Stone	2 00
Amount brought forward	\$921 75
Sound	6 00
3 wheels 1 real 2 pair carts	6 00
Lot Castings	8 00
Lot of other vessels and other articles	3 00
Chair and blanket	75
Lot of barrels and boxes	2 00
Lot of bacon 600 more or less 5¢	30 00
Land 80 lbs more or less 8	6 40

80 lb more or less 4	3 20
2 pair of Shovel	1 50
Shot Gun	3 00
dining table	2 00
9 Small beds and steds	16 00
1 pair saddle matts	1 50
Table and lot of crockery	4 00
9 pair Sheep skins 27¢	75
9 Chairs	3 00
Trunk and contents	2 50
2 horse 9 room Strap box and brush	1 00
drift	2 50
Hand irons	1 50
Wood clock	5 00
Table	2 00
Table	50
Stall	1 50
Lot of bottles and phials	4 00
Chest	75
Lot of jugs & jars	3 00
Sugar and Coffee	6 00
Dining Table	1 50
Small Table	1 00
Looking Glass	4 00
Lot of books	8 00
2 Smoothing irons pair hand irons & shovels	9 00
Amount forward	1064 40
2 candle stands	1 00
Saddle and Sheep skin	8 00
Saddle	2 50
Sack of salt	2 50
Cat	1 00
Sew	50
Sain & Cot	1 00
80 lbs more or less Cotton 5	1 50
Lot of iron	4 00
Side Saddle Bridle & blanket	4 00
2 Sheep skins	2 00
(Bed and clothing	40 00
Ironman boy belonging to the widow	7 00
Boy Adam	6 00
Boy Moby	5 00
Girl Mary and Child Gray and girl Easter	6 00
Girl Ann	2 50
Girl Jane	2 50
Boy John	2 25
Girl Melly child Margaret and boy Lewis	6 00
Girl Abeline	2 50

W L Brantice  
Edward Seal  
Jefferson West

The adms is indebted the following viz  
 Cash on hand at time of testator's death \$ 470.00  
 note on Mrs Guy due 25 Dec 1829 1500  
 note on Jubin Alphin due 12 Feb 1829 3500  
 note on St Thomas due 1 January 1829 525  
 a receipt on of Perry for note on C. B. Lucas 369  
 2 notes on L. D. Deak 420  
 a note on L. D. Deak 1525  
 a judgment on Wm Young Mill, cont 2600  
 6913222

The State of Alabama } personally came before me  
 Whitley County } Perry are acting justices of the peace  
 in and for said County and Brantice  
 Jefferson West and Edward Seal as witnesses of the  
 Estate of Thomas Arnett deceased and was qualify  
 ed as the Law directs this 27<sup>th</sup> day of April 1829  
 Jacob Perry J.P.

The State of Alabama }  
 Whitley County } Came to of Horton executor of the  
 last will of Thomas Arnett  
 and made oath in due form of Law that the  
 above and foregoing contains a true inventory and  
 appraised Bill of the personal Estate of Testator  
 so far as the same has come to his knowledge  
 Test J. West of Alabama judge of Horton  
 25 April 1829

Val Bill of the Estate of Thomas Arnett June 1st 1829

Mr Butler	Brown Cow & yellow calf	650
L D Deak	Spoke Cow & calf	600
Mr Butler	Red Cow & yellow calf	600
Peter Harris	White backed cow & calf	660
Peter Harris	Spoke Cow & calf	720
George Randall	Spoke cow & calf	715
Wesley W Arnett	2 hufers	900
George Randall	Three yearlings	550
Wesley W Arnett	two yearlings	500
do do	Red Steer	1100
" "	Spoke & brandle Steer	1400
" "	14 head of sheep & 100	1400
George Randall	10 head of hogs	1200
do do	Bay mare & colt	2200

Alkins Music	any felly	1600
J. H. Smith	Gray Horse	5500
James Harris	2 bu wheat 2000	400
Moses Lethell	to lot of wheat 125	700
L D Deak	Lot of Gear	150
James Richardson	Side barrow	50
George Randall	" "	40
do do	Be here	50
L D Deak	3 " "	095
D. A. Horton	2 Sharp Shins 200	100
Moses Lethell	3 Sharp Shins	30
L D Deak	2 " "	25
D. A. Horton	1 sack Salt	200
J. J. Alexander	Lot of sundries	70
George Parker	9 Lot	35
W. C. Richardson	3 "	31
James Harris	10 Cell	40
Moses Lethell	Lot of rions	50
D. A. Horton	2 Lot	125
L. D. Deak	2 Cradles	70
Wesley W Arnett	Lot of leather	100
John Alexander	Fish sand	30
L D Deak	Sitting Cradle	50
George Randall	10 lbs Sire	50
" "	22 lbs Cotton	55
James Harrison	W saddle	300
Alkins Music	" "	550
Wesley W Arnett	to side saddle	300
John Alexander	Cox and Carters	30
John V. Alexander	Grind Stone	200
W. C. Richardson	Kettle	50
Jesse Cushatt	to oven	100
L D Deak	Lot pot ward	75
Jesse Cushatt	Spiders pan	100
John Alexander	Loam & Grass	600
Wesley W Arnett	Lot vessels	100
" "	Bacon 100 lb 04	548
" "	" 100 4	505
J. J. Alexander	9 lbs tallow 07 1/2	67 1/2
L D Deak	8 " " 7 1/2	60
D. A. Horton	7 dook 7	50
" "	acope	300
Wesley W Arnett	Lard	200
D. A. Horton	To Hg	30
Wesley W Arnett	1 barrel Hg	25
J. J. Alexander	matter and sundries	120
George Randall	Lot rions	100

Wishy W. Smith	lot of glass & horn	35
J. C. Philson	Shot Gun	475
J. C. Smith	Tobacco	175
Wishy W. Smith	2 Sables	225
"	Bed axes	200
D. A. Horton	Fine iron & shovel	175
George Baker	Exp table	100
W. H. Young	Looking Glass	475
M. J. Horton	lot of phial and some	50
L. D. Doak	side board	175
Wishy W. Smith	Bottles & box	100
M. J. Horton	2 pipes	25
Wishy W. Smith	Spice	100
J. C. Richardson	Table & umbrella	50
Wishy W. Smith	plate & spoons	105
J. C. Smith	Tea pot & some	125
"	Cups & saucers	75
James Richardson	Dish & Pitcher	150
J. C. Smith	Knives & forks	50
Wishy W. Smith	9 pair ship shoes	40
"	Tobacco	50
A. H. H. H. H. H.	lot of soap	65
W. H. Young	glass and jars	150
W. C. C. C. C.	lot of coffee	250
L. D. Doak	34 lbs sugar & yx	215
"	2 jars	50
J. C. Alexander	sand bags	250
L. D. Doak	lot wood 100000	300
John C. H. H. H.	5 lbs wood	240
William H. Young	2 Smithy irons	625
Wishy W. Smith	Fire stones	125
"	100 Shetlands	100
L. D. Doak	1 Clock	400
Wishy W. Smith	3 yd Glass	105
M. J. Horton	1 Chair	75
John Alexander	Chair	25
Wishy W. Smith	lot of tools	375
"	lot of tools	50
James Harrison	2 lot tools	25
John Alexander	guns domestic mule	115
M. J. Horton	Walker D	50
Wishy W. Smith	Pl. Tobacco C	250
John Alexander	R. H.	70
D. A. Horton	B. F.	30
L. D. Doak	L. C.	115
M. J. Horton	shaving box and some	30
D. A. Horton	shod hammer	20

J. C. Smith	Desk	1625
L. D. Doak	to feather bed	6100
"	" " "	775
George Randall	Bed steel	1240
D. H. Horton	Shaving apparatus	150
J. C. Smith	Shop & house	75
James Richardson	Lead & shot	96
M. J. Horton	Shot and flints	30
J. C. Smith	powders & cartridges	100
John Alexander	9 pocket knives	50
W. H. Young	lot of Gambuts	27
J. C. Smith	Box and sundries	60
W. H. Young	Knives & pocket books	2375
"	Small table	100
J. C. Smith	67 pencils	175
L. D. Doak	lot buttons	2125
See Cooper	Cash lot chains	140
R. C. Richardson	3 chains	150
L. D. Doak	Small study table	40
John Alexander	2000000 wood	35
		\$39624

M. J. Horton appeared in open Court and made oath in due form of Law that the above and some paying for of each of a part of the estate of ~~Wishy W. Smith~~ late died in Court so far as it respects to go 14 July 1849 J. C. Alexander (Clerk) M. J. Horton

Part bill of the estate of Thomas Smith

Dec 24 1849		
Wm. B. B.	black cow & red calf	700
K. C. Smith	black cow & bull	630
L. D. Doak	white cow	570
B. F. Randall	1 large bull	655
B. F. Randall	1 brown cow	600
John Alexander	1 white bull	670
W. H. Young	50 lbs corn 030	2500
W. H. Young	475 lbs corn 030	2375
D. A. Horton	50 lbs corn 030	2500
B. F. Randall	lot fodder 826 birds	
	weighing 25 lbs per doz @ 70%	1247
L. D. Doak	7 hgs per head @ 070	3500
W. H. Young	11 hgs per lot	4650
W. C. C.	7 hgs " "	3000
B. F. Randall	5 hgs first choice	3725
James Busby	8 hgs second choice	3350
W. C. C.	15 hgs third choice 750	4250
J. C. Smith	20 head black hgs	3200

W. J. Smith	Sea and fire shales	4 00
J. H. Smith	Gamma lead	3 00
J. H. Smith	Gamma six shales	7 12
J. H. Smith	3 Spotted some	5 25
J. H. Smith	3 head legs	2 20
J. H. Smith	Shoes & sholes	11 00
J. H. Smith	2 head legs	4 00
J. H. Smith	13 head some	20 25
William Criss	Gray mas	60 00
W. S. Purdie	Ball horse	60 00
J. J. Mills	Dutch gun	2 50
J. H. Smith	1 wheat sifter	3 25
J. H. Smith	Wheat	1 25
H. Purdie	Set shingles	1 35
J. J. Mills	Cotton frame	3 00
J. J. Deke	Wagon and harrow	66 25
W. H. Young	1 Iron plow	38
W. H. Young	1 Shovel plow	87
Book Richardson	Shovel	50
Book Richardson	1 Shovel	50
Book Richardson	2 hoes	60
D. A. Horton	2 hoes	50
W. H. Young	Set sundries	55
Sea Cooper	Set	25
W. H. Young	Cutting knife box	50
M. J. Horton	Port sack	65
R. C. Richardson	hairs & collars	1 35
J. J. Mills	Castles & haly	25
James Richardson	Arm and lid	55
Book Richardson	Port and hooks	1 35
W. H. Young	Pail and bucket	1 05
E. Grind	Spur and set	20
J. A. Horton	2 Pails	25
D. S. Randall	1 half bushel	50
J. J. Mills	2 jars	50
D. S. Randall	1 Churn	20
D. S. Randall	1 Chain	12
R. C. Arnett	2 Spinning wheel	2 05
W. H. Young	Spinning "	60
W. H. Young	Set cotton	60
W. H. Young	Spinning wheel	20
J. J. Deke	Large pot	2 25
Hillingsworth	St salt	50
R. C. Richardson	1 Box	25
J. J. Mills	Set lambs & boxes	18
J. J. Harrison	12 lb isolators & 2%	2 52
W. S. Purdie	1 half bushel	50

M. J. Horton	3 pad locks @ 25	75
M. J. Horton	Syring	50
W. H. Young	Set blocks and shells	15
W. H. Young	Boy Adam	700 00
J. H. Smith	Boy Moby	252 00
W. S. Purdie	Mary & George	600 00
R. C. Arnett	Gill Ann	120 00
D. A. Horton	Girl Jane	355 00
D. A. Horton	Boy John	245 00
W. H. Young	Girl Esther	217 00
James Richardson	Milly & Child	305 00
M. J. Horton	Girl Addie	500 00
M. J. Horton	Boy Lewis	250 00
W. H. Young	3 pigs	80
W. H. Young	1 Barrel	20
J. J. Harrison	1 St	25
		<u>\$5313.20</u>

The State of Alabama } M. J. Horton admin of  
 Shelby County } Thomas Arnett appeared  
 in person and made  
 oath in due form of Law that the above and  
 foregoing contains a correct account of sales  
 of the personal Estate of J. H. Smith  
 27 Dec 1849 } M. J. Horton  
 John McLaughan }  
 Judge

M. J. Horton Sec of Thos Arnett reports  
 to the Orphans Court as  
 Sales of Cotton in 1849 \$5875  
 do do 1657  
 amt \$7532  
 He also inventories a quilt and Thos Ar  
 Flemming assigned by M. J. Arnett for \$ 13 32  
 and a set M. J. Arnett 2 63  
 M. J. Horton makes oath that the above  
 report is not a true 28 May 1850  
 28 May 1850 } M. J. Horton  
 John McLaughan }  
 Judge  
 Filed 28 May 1850 C. G. Lawley

The State of Alabama } Know all men by these  
 Shelby County } presents that Wm Synther  
 & Mary William Ray  
 are held and firmly

bound with William G Bowden judge of the County Court of Shelby County State of Alabama and his successors in office in the sum of Ten thousand dollars to which payment will and truly to be made in and each of his do kind currencies and here &c firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 6th day of November

The condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound Cynthia Ray & William Ray has been duly appointed admors & admors of the estate of John Ray Now of said Cynthia Ray & William Ray shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as such admors & admors then the above obligations to be void - else to remain in full force and virtue

Witness our hands & seals the date above written  
 Test  
 W G Bowden  
 Cynthia Ray  
 William Ray  
 Daniel Gardner  
 S. G. Richardson

Filed the 6th day of November 1848 C. G. Law by att

Sale Bill of the personal property of John Ray  
 Died the January 1 1844

Widow	1 Lot of 5 hgs	\$ 8
William Ray	2 Lot of 5 hgs	8
Widow	3 Lot of 5 hgs	5
Widow	4 Lot of 5 hgs	5
Widow	5 Lot of 4 hgs	200
Widow	2 Lot of 4 hgs	500
William Ray	Lot of 100	400
Do	1 ch lot of horse hgs	700
J P Robertson	2 lot of do do	425
William Ray	1 Lot of corn 100 Bushel	25
Widow	2 lot of corn 100 Bushel	16
Do	3 lot of c 100	24
Widow	a black horse	\$16 1/2
William Ray	4 sound horses	5000
Widow	Shaw late horses	63 1/2
William Ray	1 Stack of fodder	2
Widow	2 Stack of fodder	100
W G Bowden	3 Stack of fodder	655
Widow	4 Stack of fodder	125
Widow	1 Stack oats	200
Widow	a year of steers	340

Jasper Robertson	3 White Steer	\$12
Jasper Robertson	the 2 Steer	10
Bloston	the older cow killed	350
Bloston	2 Cows & calf killed	400
Widow	2 heifers	6
Widow	Red cow	6 01
James Tigue	2 bulls	450
Widow	and calf	25
Widow	the last lot	2 3/4
Widow	Corn	282 3/4
Widow	Corn	4500
Widow	Road wagon	90
Allen Blakka	lot of cotton	16
Widow	Bowden or goat	40
Widow	Far still	\$17 1/2
Widow	2 of goat	25
Widow	3 cows	101
Widow	lot of bees & gums	25
Widow	bed & furniture	8 62 1/2
Widow	bed & bed	25
Widow	a box	26
Widow	1 Trunk	175
do	chest	32
do	womans saddle	4
Widow	Ray mens saddle	8
Widow	Brauns	5
do	corn Brauns	6
do	1 Crank	1 01
do	looking glass	40
do	lot of chairs	75
Widow	Land negro girl	3 15
Widow	Harriette negro girl	43
do	marth	37 1/2
do	James a boy	557
do	Goum	450
James Tigue	negro woman Nancy & children	750
David Mason	a boy	375
Widow	barrels	25
Widow	lot of barrels	25
do	a lot of chairs	25
do	Talk	50
do	measur	100
Widow	2 bulls	450
Widow	set of hogheads	500
Widow	Far 6 hogheads	200
Edward Bloston	50 bu potatoes	500
Alon Ray	10 bu potatoes	50

Mrs Ray 406 Bu Corn for the 1st 100-Ke<sup>ts</sup> 16 00  
 Mrs Ray 100 Bu Corn 25 20  
 All in Cotton 20.130 lb seed cotton 106 213 30  
 2000  
 213 30  
 15776 29

The State of Alabama 2 Personally appeared before  
 Shelby County 3 Mrs William G Borden  
 Judges of the County Court of  
 said County Mrs Cynthia Ray adm<sup>r</sup> & William  
 Ray adm<sup>r</sup> of the estate of John Ray dead and  
 where oath that the above is a true account of  
 the sale of the personal property of said said  
 deceased & subscribed  
 to March 13 1849  
 W G Borden judge  
 Mrs Ray

Afn Current for the settlement of the estate of  
 John Ray dec<sup>d</sup> by the adm<sup>r</sup> Cynthia Ray  
 and William Ray  
 Dr the amount of sale Bill \$4267.28  
 Cash rec<sup>d</sup> on debts due 20.00

Amount brought into hotel root by J. J. Jones 100.00  
 Dr by Perry Robertson 100.00  
 4477.48

Sub Involvements  
 divided among 10 heirs  
 440 00  
 4038 80  
 40 70  
 1015251.20  
 333.12

Disbursements by the adm<sup>r</sup> of  
 N 1 To D N McClanahan 76.69  
 2 J H Brasher 8.93  
 3 R H Brasher 1.05  
 4 J S Brasher 2.38  
 5 J W Jones 1.07  
 6 J Moore & Co 31.37  
 7 Wilson & Jones 24.01  
 8 Jay 16.80  
 9 J Holland 8.00  
 10 J S Brasher 9.67  
 11 J H Brasher 38.00  
 12 J B Allen 3.42  
 13 & 14 E A Reinhart 2.70  
 15 J B Allen 4.30  
 16 W G Borden 7.80  
 17 J W Robertson 1.50  
 18 B Robertson 2.00  
 15247

Sub tract Com<sup>s</sup> to Adm<sup>r</sup>  
 Cost of settlement

29475  
~~13000~~  
 16475

The State of Alabama Mrs Cynthia Ray appeared  
 Shelby County 3 in person as one of the ad-  
 ministrators of John Ray dec<sup>d</sup>  
 and made oath in due form of law that the above  
 and foregoing afn current is correct and to the personal  
 Estate of John Ray dec<sup>d</sup> and that Elizabeth Segue wife  
 of James D. Segue Sarah Ann wife of Henry Rob-  
 ertson and William Henry Ray and the heirs of  
 and that John Rufus Simon the James Thomas  
 George Sela Eleanor Edward Court James Lafayette  
 & Jasper Nelson are the heirs under gov<sup>t</sup> who  
 with affiant as the residing who all reside in said  
 County and the heirs of said Estate  
 sworn to & subscribed  
 10 January 1850  
 J. M. McClanahan Judge  
 Filed 10 Jan 50 E. G. Lawley adm<sup>r</sup>

The State of Alabama November 12<sup>th</sup> 1849  
 Shelby County 3 I know all men by their presents  
 That our George M. Randall and  
 Noah T. Richardson P. D. Maroney & B. F. Randall securities  
 John B. Wilson are full and jointly bound unto John  
 M. McClanahan Judge of the County Court of Shelby County  
 State of Alabama and his successors in office in the personal  
 sum of four thousand dollars to which payment well  
 and truly to be made and each of his heirs  
 ourselves our heirs &c firmly by their joint & several  
 with our seals and dated the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November  
 1849 Now the condition of the above obligation is such  
 That whereas the above bound George M. Randall &  
 Noah T. Richardson has been duly appointed Adm-  
 inistrator of the Estate of Mary Richardson dec<sup>d</sup>  
 Now if said George M. Randall & Noah T. Richardson  
 shall well and truly perform all the duties and  
 or may be by law required of them as Administrators  
 then the above obligation to be void else to remain  
 in full force and virtue Witness our hands and  
 seals the date above written  
 Approved 14 Nov 1849 J. M. McClanahan Judge  
 Filed in my office the 14<sup>th</sup> 3  
 November 1849 E. G. Lawley 3  
 George M. Randall  
 Noah T. Richardson  
 B. F. Randall  
 J. B. Wilson

The State of Alabama Know all men by these presents  
 Shelby County of that Wm Robert C Richardson  
 Mord of Horton & Bynon B  
 Blasingame are held and firmly bound unto  
 John M McClanahan judge of the County Court  
 of said County and his successors in office in  
 the just and full sum of sixteen hundred  
 Dollars for the pay ment of which will and truly  
 to be made and done he binds ourselves and  
 heirs Executors and administrators jointly and  
 severally form by by these presents sealed with  
 our seals and dated this 24 day of December  
 A D 1849 The Condition of the above obligation is  
 such that whereas the above named R C Richardson  
 has this day been appointed Guardian for William  
 A Richardson minor heir of Mary Richardson  
 deceased now of the said R C Richardson shall  
 will and truly discharge all the debts which  
 the Statute requires of him to said Richardson  
 as Guardian then this obligation to be void and non  
 aim in full force and virtue writing evidence  
 and seals this day and date above written  
 Approved 22 Dec 1849 R C Richardson Seal  
 John M McClanahan M J Horton Seal  
 Judge C C Blasingame Seal

An apprais bill of the property of Mary  
 Richardson died November 21st 1847

Fifty head hogs	112 85
1 head of work Steer	15 00
Two head stock Cattle	26 00
Four hundred bushels of corn	140 00
Forty two hundred lbs fodder	31 50
one wagon and harness	40 00
one small mare	40 00
and several filly	40 00
and hay coft	25 00
Three Slaves gely Caroline & Martha	400 00
one wheat fan	8 00
one pair of stutycards	2 00
one lot of Farming tools	10 00
one set of the black	5 00
Three axes three axes two dressing stumps	3 00
one hand saw	5 00
one lot of rounding hoes	1 00
one post	3 00
one loan three axes one par harness	3 00

Three axes one post one span one gelding one horse one plow one  
 one trail one chion rogan  
 one meal Tub one tray and two sifters  
 one lot of crockery one set of knives & forks  
 one coffee pot one span one coffee mill  
 one barrel of salt one barrel soap one by land  
 one wash tub  
 Two Sables  
 one Looking Glass  
 one lot sundries  
 one clock  
 one bed and furniture & stea  
 one lot of bed clothing  
 Two pair fine iron  
 one lot iron  
 Ten chairs  
 one track of land

4 00  
 1 00  
 1 00  
 3 00  
 3 00  
 6 50  
 25  
 3 00  
 1 00  
 1 25  
 3 00  
 5 00  
 12 00  
 1 00  
 50  
 3 75  
 715 00

Edward C Seal  
 Jefferson West  
 James Proudie

sworn to before me W H Young an acting justice  
 of the peace in and for said County in the  
 State of Alabama Shelby County  
 W H Young Justice  
 Dec 22 1849

Noted J Richardson one of the administrators  
 of Mary Richardson makes oath that the above  
 is a correct Inventory of the Estate of Mary Richardson  
 so far as the same has come to the knowledge of  
 the adms except the notes & accounts  
 sworn to & subscribed 22 Nov Noted J Richardson  
 Nov 1849 J M McClanahan judge  
 Filed 22 Nov 1849 C C Lawby CLK

The State of Alabama Know all men by these presents that  
 Shelby County of Wm Ransom W Capps and James  
 Heath & John C Primm are held  
 and firmly bound unto W G Borden judge of the a, plain  
 Court of the County aforesaid in the sum of three hundred  
 dollars to be paid to the said W G Borden or to his suc-  
 cessors in office to which payment will and truly to be  
 made we bind ourselves our heirs Executors and admin-  
 istrators jointly severally and firmly by these presents  
 sealed with our seals and dated this 30 day of Novem-  
 ber 1846 The Condition of the above obligation is such  
 That whereas the above bound Ransom W Capps has

been duly appointed Administrator of all and singular the Goods and Chattels Rights and Credits of Parmelia Healy deceased Now if the said Ransom W. Capps shall will 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 Liquid sealed and acknowledged Ransom W. Capps in open Court before me  
 James Healy  
 E. G. Lawley Clerk John S. Thomas

Val Bill of the Estate of Parmelia Healy deceased Maied by Ransom Capps administrator of said Estate

1 Lot of Tools to David Post	1 25
1 Trough pan " " "	62x
1 Oxen & led to James Healy	60x
1 Oxen & led to Coleman Healy	14x
1 Skillet " " "	25
1 Kettle to David Post	60
1 Smoothing Iron " " "	62
2 Chairs to Samuel Kelly	30x
1 Ax to John J. Smith	1 12 1/2
1 Saddle to James Healy	25
1 Saddle to James Kelly	25
1 Churn to J. L. Thomas	38
To Candles nicks & Snuffins to David Post	37
1 Smoothing Plain to G. R. Allen	32
1 Side Saddle to James Healy	4 00
Bidsted & Bid No 1 to Coleman Healy	15 60
1 Bidsted & Bid No 2 to John J. Smith	14 00
1 Lot of Crochery to David Post	1 25
1 Trunk large size to Samuel Kelly	74
1 Trunk small size to James Healy	50
1 Lot Bid Clothing No 1 to J. L. Thomas	3 25
1 Counterpane No 2	4 00
1 Counterpane No 2 Coleman Healy	2 12 1/2
1 Quilt & Blanket to John J. Smith	1 80
1 Lot of Shirts to Ransom Capps	1 00
1 Bay Horse to James Healy	20 00
1 Cows to John J. Smith	5 62

\$ 82.00

The State of Alabama Personally appeared before me Shelby County - E. G. Lawley Clerk of County Court of said County Ransom W. Capps admr of the Estate of Parmelia Healy deceased who after being duly sworn said an oath that the above or certain sale bill is just & true to the best of my knowledge & belief Sworn to & subscribed before me Ransom W. Capps this 25th day 1847 E. G. Lawley Clerk

January 2<sup>nd</sup> 1847  
 Inventory of Parmelia Healy died

1 Lot of sundryy Irons	100
2 Smoothing irons	50
1 Lot pot ware	300
2 Chairs	50
1 Ax	50
1 Lot Copper ware	50
1 Lot Candles mites and others	50
1 Side saddle	5 00
2 beds & paravents	2 50 00
2 trunks	1 00
1 Lot earthen ware	50
1 Bay Horse	20 00
1 Red heifer	6 00

M. J. Horton  
 W. L. Horton  
 J. J. Smith

Shelby County 3 Personally came before me Oliver B. Harris a Justice of the peace in and for said County John J. Smith W. L. Horton M. J. Horton who being sworn in due form of law said that the above is a correct list of appraisement of all the property of Parmelia Healy died as shown to us by Ransom W. Capps the administrator of said estate J. J. Smith sworn to and subscribed W. L. Horton before me 1st February 1847 M. J. Horton O. B. Harris J. P.  
 Filed for Record 9<sup>th</sup> Feb 1847 E. G. Lawley Clerk

The State of Alabama Shelby County To W. G. Bowden judge of the County & Orphans Court of said County I shew you to read and as security on the bond of Ransom W. Capps admr of Parmelia Healy died forthwith Oct 13 1847 John S. Thomas

The State of Alabama Whereas Ransom W. Capps admr of Shelby County 3 - estator of the estate of Parmelia Healy late died has abandoned the County without a settlement of his administration of his said administration the judge of the Court after due and legal notice states the following aff. account pursuant to the statute in such cases provided by the State by The said admr or the amount of the Sale bill \$ 82 00  
 I submit thereon to this day 11 48

To amount Collected from Ryly \$ 30 40  
 Interest thereon to this date 4 06  
 To amt Collected from J M Arnold 37 50  
 Interest thereon to this date 5 25  
 To amt Collected from W Right 40 00  
 Intt thereon to date 9 00  
 To amt laid by J J Smith to him 16 00  
 Interest thereon 3 84  
 To amt paid him by M J Weston 7 25  
 Interest thereon 1 75  
 The judge allows the following \$ 248 53  
 Credits for costs paid Court \$ 3 50  
 To paid for her Coffin 7 50  
 Allowance to the administrator  
 made by the Court 15 00 \$ 26 00  
 222 50  
 Costs due the Court this day 25 00  
 debts presented and not paid  
 and which are now due owing  
 To Eliza B Steadman wife of  
 David McCallanahan 8 79  
 To Isaac McThomas use of  
 David McCallanahan 12 77  
 Alfred W Caldwell use of  
 David McCallanahan 4 30  
 51 30  
 \$ 51 30 \$ 177 23

Due the heirs this day -  
 viz Robert Healy James Healy and Aaron Healy  
 the minor children of said Healy for whom David  
 Post is Guardian - This amount stated by me  
 this 9 Novr 1849 J M McCallanahan Judge

The State of Alabama know all men by these presents  
 Shelby County That John P West Alexander  
 Nelson & H Sumner and held and  
 firmly bound unto John McCallanahan Judge of the  
 County Court of Shelby County State of Alabama and  
 his successors in office in the penal sum of two  
 thousand dollars to which payment well and truly  
 to be made now and each of us do bind ourselves  
 our heirs & firmly by these presents sealed with  
 our seals and dated the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October 1849  
 Now the condition of the above obligation is such  
 That whereas the above bound John P West has been  
 duly appointed administrator of the Estate of Ann  
 P. Birrell late decd Now if said West shall will

and truly perform all the duties which and or may be by  
 law required of him as 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  
 Approved John P West  
 J M McCallanahan A Nelson  
 Judge H Sumner

The undersigned appraiser of the Estate of Ann P Birrell  
 late decd make the following appraisement to wit  
 Jim a mulatto boy at \$ 700 00  
 Harriett a Girl at 350 00  
 The undersigned makes oath to the above appraisement 20<sup>th</sup>  
 1849 Joseph Kuper  
 John M McCallanahan D. McCallanahan  
 Judge S. C. K. D. Llanid

J P West admr of Miss Ann P. Birrell decd makes  
 oath that the above is a true inventory of the personal  
 estate of his said Intestate so far as the same has  
 come to his knowledge 9 Oct 1849 John P West  
 J M McCallanahan  
 Judge S. C.

John M McCallanahan Judge  
 The undersigned administrator of Mrs Ann Birrell decd  
 reports that he has sold an six months term from this  
 day Jim a boy for \$ 740 00  
 Harriett a Girl for 380 00  
 \$ 1120 00

Which is all the personal Estate of said Intestate which  
 has come to his knowledge sworn to & subscribed  
 Sworn to and subscribed John P West  
 12<sup>th</sup> Nov 1849 J M McCallanahan  
 Judge admr  
 Filed 10<sup>th</sup> Nov 1849 E. C. Lawley clk

John P West admr of A P Birrell decd reports that  
 he has rid for him of boy Jim for 1849 \$ 90 00  
 That of this amount A P Birrell as husband of  
 intestate is entitled to him from 1<sup>st</sup> to 14<sup>th</sup> Jan 1849 \$ 3 75  
 for clothing and tax 10 00 18 75  
 \$ 76 25

The State of Alabama J P West admr of A P Birrell decd makes  
 Shelby County P West oath that the above report is just &  
 true & correct J P West  
 Sworn to & subscribed 4 Feb 1850  
 J. M. McCallanahan



orders and decrees then and there made and recorded now  
are in the words and figures to wit

In the matter of the Guardianship of James J. Williams John W. Williams minor heirs of Levi Williams  
On Reading and filing the petition of Levi Williams it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the said Levi is the  
Father and natural Guardian of said James J. & John W. Williams It is ordered that Letters of Guardianship be  
Granted to the said Levi Williams of the persons and  
Estate of the said James J. & John W. Williams on his  
taking the oath prescribed by law and entering into  
two several Bonds one for each ward in the sum of  
five hundred and fifty Dollars each with good and  
ample security to be qualified and approved by the  
Court

In the matter of the guardianship of James J. &  
John W. Williams minor heirs of Levi Williams  
Levi Williams having this day appeared and in  
pursuance of the Provisional in this matter taken the  
oath prescribed by law and together with his approved  
securities signed sealed and delivered in the form of  
the Statute two several Bonds in the tenor therein directed  
by said Order Letters of Guardianship of the persons  
and Estate of said James J. & John W. Williams  
-ians and thenceforward granted to said Levi Williams  
and Order to be issued and recorded according to  
the Statute in this behalf

<sup>(Sd)</sup> Intestimonies whereof I Chesley D. Key  
Clerk of the said Court have hereunto set my hand  
and seal of said Court at office this 9th October A.D. 1849  
Chesley D. Key Clerk

The State of Mississippi Tishamingo County  
I Buy to Rivers Judge of the Probate Court do and  
Pending of the County of Tishamingo State of Mississippi  
do hereby certify that Chesley D. Key whose genuine signature  
appears to the foregoing Certificate and attestation is  
and was at the date thereof Clerk of said Court duly  
elected qualified and Commissioned that his said Certi-  
-ficate and attestation are in due form of Law and  
that all of his acts in the premises are and ought to  
be entitled to full faith and credit in judicature  
and thenceforward Given under my hand and seal this 9th  
day of October 1849  
Buy to Rivers J.P.  
Probate Judge

The State of Mississippi Tishamingo County  
I Chesley D. Key Clerk of the Probate Court of said

County do hereby certify that Buy to Rivers whose genuine  
signature appears to the foregoing Certificate is and at the  
date thereof Judge of said Court do and proceeding duly  
qualified and Commissioned and that all of his acts in the  
premises are and ought to be entitled to full faith and  
credit in judicature and thenceforward

Given under my hand and seal of Court at office this  
9th day of October A.D. 1849  
Chesley D. Key  
Probate Clerk

Sept the 14th 1849 Appraisal bill of the property of  
George Louis de laune

1 Carryall	40
Lot of Barrels	<del>40</del> 75
half Bushel	25
One Road waggon appraised at	4500
Five head of Stock cattle appraised at	3600
Five cows and calves appraised at	4200
One Bull appraised at	900
One lot of hogs	4000
One Note of Ann	4500
One Hay horse	3500
One Saddle horse	3500
One lot of Year and four Drilled	1000
One lot of plows	800
One Crop cut saw	400
One lot of Harrow bark and other iron	500
One lot of hoes	100
One Broad ax 1 foot edge and pot iron carrying Wagon	650
One lot of shovels and spades	250
One lot of Nails & Coals	300
One lot of axe	200
One lot of Axes other tools	300
One lot of Blacksmith tools	1000
One lot of plowstock and swivelbars	250
One spinning masher	2500
One Clock	1500
One Musket	100
One double barrel Shot Gun	1500
One lot Table	150
One bed and Furniture and bedstead	1000
One lot of pot vessels	600
One lot of Chairs and bedstead	450
One bed and furniture and bedstead	1200
	<u>46550</u>

One tourmal bed and furnishing and shoe	5.00
One lot of bed clothing	12.00
One table and stool	4.00
One lot of Books	20.00
One lot of Medicines and furniture	50.00
Two Trunks and Box	3.00
One lot of furs and furs	1.50
One lot of dishes	3.00
One mortar and doctor mallets	2.50
One map	3.00
One spinning wheel	3.00
One corn and water wheels	7.00
1d head of Oxen	2.50
One saddle	2.00
One black horse	5.00
2 Yearling mules	60.00
600 bushels of Corn more or less at 50¢ per bu.	20.00
2000 bundles of fodder	30.00
14000 Sud cotton at \$2 per h more or less	52.00
275 Acres of land more or less	426.50
	120.000

Jacob Perry  
Wm L. Pruitter  
Wm Pitts

State of Ala - 3 Personally appeared before me Hiram  
Whitby County 3 Summers an acting justice of the peace in  
and for said County Wm L. Pruitter Wm Pitts  
Jacob Perry and was qualified to the above this 14th of  
Sept 1849

Hiram Summers  
Justice of the Peace  
Whitby Co Ala

Hugh Jones one of the Admrs' makes oath that the  
forgoing is a correct inventory of the personal estate of  
George Jones except the debts due the said so far as the  
said have come to the knowledge of the admrs.  
Hugh Jones

A sale Bill of the Personal Estate of Dr Geo Jones sold

1 copy of Novis 1849			
Wm White 1 Phrenology	1.00	Army Laphy 1 Blau patch	3.50
All Jones' Wd disbursement	3.00	P. D. Shays & Donald hair	27
Wm White 1 Remond's Phrenology	50	Wm D. Shays 1 Dental	25
Wm D. Shays 1 Eaton's Botany	1.00	John Lawby 1 Birdw	26
Wm White 1 Broadbent's Chemistry	50	Dr. Holsander 1 Lot Tools	1.25
Wm White 1 Kalk's Com	25	Wm Harris 1 box Tools &	1.10
Wm White 1 Journal leather	3.00	A. J. Mills 2 plow steels	35
Michael Ober 1 Journal rain	50	Wm Harris 2 plow steels	30
Wm D. Shays 1 head Oxen	2.75	2 bushels corn	3.00

Asa Cooper 1st black Smith Tools	11.50	St. Jones 1 lot bottles	1.50
B. F. Randall 7 Head Hogs	12.50	Joseph Pligzer 1 Carry all	37.50
Wm. Mills 1 head Ox & calf	6.00	John Alexander 1st horse	35.00
B. F. Randall 1 muley cow	7.12	John Lally 1 Bay horse	37.50
B. F. Randall 1 Red heifer	7.00	Thomas Johnson 1 second horse	10.00
B. F. Randall 1 spotted heifer	4.25	Hugh Jones 1 brown mule	34.00
B. F. Randall 1 white steer	9.25	Wm. Hills 50 bushels corn 20 cts	
B. F. Randall 1 white muley heifer	4.50	Army Lally 100 bushels corn 54	
H. O. Haggard 1 bull cow calf	11.30	John Wilson 50 bushels 26 cts	
B. F. Randall 1 Corn cow calf	10.25	Milton Holly 100 bushels 26	
B. F. Randall 1 Bull ash mule	11.00	H. Summers 100 bushels 45	
Army Lawby 1 York oxen	47.00	H. Summers 100 bushels 46	
A. J. Nelson 1 Road Wagon	44.00	Dr. Willson 50 bushels 46	
Joseph Pligzer 1 Carryall	37.50	A. C. Clayton 50 bushels 25	
John Alexander 1 Bull horse	35.00	H. Summers 100 bushels 45	
John Lawby 1 bay horse	37.50	H. Summers 50 bushels more	
How John son 1 second horse	10.00	at 41	
Hugh Jones 1 Brown mule	34.00	Wm. L. Jones 1st stack fodder	5.62
Wm. Hills 50 bushels corn 47		H. Summers 1 stack fodder	4.50
Army Lawby 100 bush corn 45		Eliot Nelson 1 stack fodder	3.75
John Wilson 50 bushel corn 46		E. Nelson 1 stack fodder	3.40
Milton Holly 100 bush corn 46		E. Nelson 2 kinds of a stack	" "
H. Summers 100 bush corn 45		fodder	2.30
H. Summers 100 Bush corn 46		Hiram Butler 1 stack fodder	5.12
John Wilson 50 bush corn 49		Hiram Butler 1 stack fodder	2.62
A. C. Clayton 50 bush corn 45		Marion Jones 1st horse mule	1.00
H. Summers 100 Bush corn 45		Marion Jones 2 Hays 4.50	2.00
H. Summers 1 lot 50 Bush corn more		Thos. Lorenz 1 box razors	2.15
or less 41 This row 47		Michael Ober 1 set scales 10 lbs	50
William Lucas 1 stack fodder	5.62	Wm. C. Harris 1 Box Candles mule	9.00
H. Summers 1 stack fodder	4.50	My White 1 Singer	1.50
A. J. Mills 1 bunch musk mus 4	55	Wm. Egan 1 road Wagon	40
John Jones 1st musk mus	25	Wm. D. Shays 1 saddle warts	6.00
Wm D. Shays 1 lot No 6	56	Wm. White 1 lot medicine No 1	1.25
Wm D. Shays 1 lot No 7	56	My White 1 lot medicine No 2	50
H. Jones 1 lot No 8	52	Wm. D. Shays 1 bunch Cleve	65
Wm D. Shays 1 lot No 9	71	A. J. Mills 1 lot musk mus No 4	55
H. Jones 1 lot sealig wax	10	Wm D. Shays 1 lot bottles	1.15
Wm White jug 1 Butter m. 1/2 gal	20	H. Jones 1 bottle oil Spire	6.25
Wm D. Shays 1 Box milk cans	40	H. Jones 1 bottle oil Spire	4.2
A. J. Mills 1 box bay lary	20	Wm D. Shays 2 bottles Spire's kerpant 60	
Marion Jones 1 lot jars & bottles	2.10	E. Darnest 1 bottle Cedar oil	30
H. Jones 1 lot jars & bottles	3.25	H. Summers 1 letter press oil	1.00
H. Jones 1 lot jars & bottles	3.00	Princy Hill 1 cast mortar	" "
Wm D. Shays 1 Lot bottles	2.10	2 jars oil (praid)	75
H. Jones 1 lot bottles	1.50	Wm D. Shays 1 box vials	1.00
H. Jones 1 lot bottles	1.30	H. Jones 1 box vials	1.00

W K Dishara 1 Can alcohol	2.00	Wm White 1 Spring (noe hind)	22.00
Wm Lawley 1 table	25	Wm Lewis 1 Spider & lid	1.00
John Lawley 1 table	75	Chair 1 Pot & Gaudle &	" "
Wm C Harris to 1 bed of iron wire	25.50	Iron (paid)	" 75
Clamus Lewis 1 bedstead	48	D Stator 1 Sea Crest & bed	" "
Soloman Lewis 1 table	1 1/2	(paid)	" 50
Henry Lawley 1 table	1.00	Wm Lewis 1 Chair	5.00
Alex Nelson 1 stack fodder	3 8/10	Wm Lewis 1 Chair	75
Alex Nelson 1 stack fodder	3.40	Wm Lewis 2 table study of medium	5.00
Alex Nelson 2/3 stack fodder	2.80	Wm White 1 Thompsons Barrow	1.00
A Butter 1 stack fodder	5 1/2	Alex Nelson 1 Gun Domestic	" "
A Butter 1 stack fodder	4 6/10	Medicine	1.50
Marion Jones 1 table	1.00	W K Dishara 1 leather & metal	" "
Marion Jones 2 Bys 400	2.00	Chair	3.00
Thos Lewis 1 box Chairs	2.15	A. J. Mills 1 bill on the merits	50
Michael Chair 1 set table	" "	This date bill amounts to \$89.48	
rights (paid)	" 50	A schedule of notes & a/c due	
Wm C Harris 1 box & metal notes	90	notes at his death	
Wm White 1 box of	1.50	C Pearson note	\$ 15.70
Wm Eldon to 1 box of	40	J Fairclough "	14.50
Wm K Dishara 1 table wood	6.00	C Lewis	4.74
D F Randall 1 table	6 8/10	J Stiles back	6.42
E Whalley 1 lot of	1 1/2	Wm Lewis "	3.21
Wm White 1 lot of	50	R Booth	10.60
W K Dishara 1 bunch Chairs	65	Wm Garrison "	10.88
E Whalley 1 lot of	1 6/10	D Mc Bride	5.00
E Whalley 1 lot of	1.50	C Seal	13.10
Peter Dishara 1 Coopers saw	3.50	J Farmington "	11.00
Mercia Bennett 1 Broad ax	4.00	Wm Lawford "	8.21
Mercia Bennett 1 foot axle	2.25	A Lawley "	3.44
A J Mills 1 Spade & shovel	2.00	J Lawley "	4.00
A J Mills 1 shovel	50	C Crosby "	40.00
A J Mills 1 by the Cradle	2.25	E Whalley "	18.07
E Barnes 1 Cutting Knife	75	Jellison "	4.77
John Lawley 1 lot of Tools	1.25	J L Maggauer "	10.00
Rick Crossman 1 Iron	1.00	B M. total	11.00
Thos Lewis 1 lot of Plans	1 1/2	R J Dop	5.20
Soloman Lewis 1 lot of Plans	1.50	C Farley	20.00
Jamus Lewis 1 lot of Plans	1.75	Wm S. Clannan	3.74
A J Mills 1 burning Plan	75	J J Jarvis	35.57
A J Mills 1 by the black	75	Spas died 1848	
J Stiles back 1 paid	1.50	K Staggard	\$ 6.00
Thos Lewis 1 mustet	2.00	D Kelly	14.18
John Lawley 2 Chairs	1.00	A F Gamble	2.10
Wm Lewis 2 Chairs	1.25	Bailey Bayne	75
John Lawley 1 small chair	50	D A Horton	7.00
" " 1 do do	25	J P. mitter	2.14

Sea Cooper	1 1/2	Spis for 1849	
W Lawley	3 15	J Lewis	\$ 4.70
J Perry	7 60	Wm Lewis	0.75
W D Melony	1 00	Wm White	48.23
M Bennett	7 00	W Lanard	1.00
Wm Pitt	1 70	W Washy	6.62
A Ward	7 93	J W Jones	3.00
J Rud	7 91	A Ward	23.83
E Booth	45	B M. McHenry	1.00
J Alaway	7 07	A Stiles back	5.75
A Stiles	7 50	A J Mills	15.25
A Horton	25	R Washy	12.90
A Cashate	1 00	J Tompkins	6.00
J Doy	2 15	J W McHenry	1.75
J Harris	2 00	J Perry	47.00
A Sawyer	4 25	Wm Gilb	5.00
Wm Guy	4 50	Wm Brunten	3.00
W Harris	1 00	J F Gamble	50
G M Bell	26 40	A Fairclough	4.25
Black	1 50	A Kelly	29.00
A Stone	2 80	R Alexander	1.00
John	1 75	J Arnitt	1.00

This date bill amounts to \$89.48

J Staggard	6.42
J Arnitt	1.50
Wm Lewis	1.80
M Jones	1.40
R Booth	40
J Kelly	60
Jell Mc Clannahan	1.75
C M. Stator	59.00
S Crostian	

The State of Alabama High Jones admr of the Estate of Shelby County 3 of Geo Jones died appeared & made oath in due form of Law that this within is a correct account of sales of the personal estate of his said Substate & an inventory of the notes & a/c due said Substate at the time of his death except some supposed a/c which as yet are indefinite so far as the same has come to the knowledge of affiant sworn to & subscribed 7 Nov 1849 Hugh Jones  
Jell Mc Clannahan Judge  
Filed 7 Nov 1849 W Lawley clk

To the Honorable John Mc Clannahan judge of the County Court of Shelby County Alabama The petition of High Jones admr of the estate of all and singular the goods and Chattels rights and Credits of George Jones late of said County deceased respectfull

Sheweth that the said deceased did seized and possessed of certain tracts or parcels of land situate in the County of Shelby and known as the E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of section 7 T22 R3 W The NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> S W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec 8 T22 R3 W 35 acres lying in the NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of the S W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Section 8 also 45 acres of the South end of the S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Section 8 T22 R3 West the N W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> S W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec 33 T24 R13 E and also a part of the S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Sec 8 T22 R3 W say in the last piece 31 acres -

That it is necessary to divide the before mentioned lands between the heirs of the said George Jones and that the said lands be equally fairly and impartially divided among the said heirs with out a sale thereof That said George Jones left the following named Children who are the heirs of said estate this is to say Strony Jones who is an infant under the age of twenty one years <sup>Martha</sup> ~~Martha~~ Jones is an infant under the age of twenty and years Katharine who is an infant under the age of twenty and years and Hugh who is an infant under the age of twenty and years all of whom are residing in the said County of Shelby Plaintiff prays therefore that said proceedings may be had in the premises as the law directs so that a sale of the before mentioned lands may be had for the purpose aforesaid pursuant to the statute in such cases made & provided Hugh Jones administrator

Filed Nov 1847 G. E. Lawley Clerk

In the Orphans Court at Columbiana Shelby County Alabama Under Oath to be pronounced to James F. Gamble Jacob Perry and B. J. McHenry material witnesses for petitioner whose testimony when taken will be read on the hearing of a petition for the sale of the real estate of George Jones late of said County deceased now pending in the Orphans Court of said County & which was filed by Hugh Jones executor

Interrogatory 1st To each witness Are you acquainted with the said Hugh Jones and the heirs of the said George Jones? If you answer yes please state the numbers and names and ages of said heirs

Interrogatory 2d To each witness Did the said George Jones die seized and possessed of lands in said County? and if you answer yes please say whether or not the following described lands are the same described The E<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of sec 7 T22 R3 W The NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> S W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec 8 T22 R3 W 35 acres lying in NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of the S W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of sec 8 also 45 acres of the south end of the S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of sec 8 T22 R3 West The NW<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> S W<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> Sec 33 T24 R13 E and also a part of the S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of sec 8 T22 R3 W say in last piece 31 acres

Interrogatory 3d To each witness Could said lands be equally fairly and impartially divided among said heirs with out a sale thereof?

Interrogatory 4th - To each witness Do you know any

thing more calculated to benefit said petitioner? If you do please state it

George Storms att for petitioner To N. B.illard's guardian ad litem of Strony Jones Katharine Jones and Hugh Jones the minor heirs of George Jones deceased Take notice the above interrogatories are on file in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Shelby County and that a Commission will issue to take the depositions of the witnesses after you shall have been served ten days with a notice hereof you may file Cross interrogatories if you think proper

George Storms att for petitioner Filed in office the 14th day of November 1847 G. E. Lawley Clerk I do certify to the within the 14th day of November 1847 N. B.illard's Guardian ad litem

The State of Alabama Orphans Court Shelby County 3 To Wilbur Pope beque Know ye that we having full faith in your prudence and Comptency have appointed you Commissioner and by these presents do authorize you at such time and place as you may appoint to call before you and examine James F. Gamble Jacob Perry and B. J. McHenry as witnesses in a cause pending in our said Orphans Court wherein Hugh Jones administrator is Complainant and the heirs at law of said estate and Kaplan depts an oath to be by you administered upon interrogatories annexed to this Commission to take notice to writing and certify the deposition of the witness and return the same to our said Court to be holden on the 17th day of December next under your hands and seals Witness Elijah G. Lawley Clerk of said Court this 3rd day of December 1847 G. E. Lawley Clerk

Deposition of Barnabas McHenry a witness for petitioner in the case of Hugh Jones admr of George Jones dec'd vs the heirs at law of said George Jones dec'd sworn & examined the 10th day of December A. D. 1847 under & by virtue of a Commission issued in said case from the Orphans Court of Shelby County on the day of December 1847 & to me directed & returned the 14th Decem-ber 1847 To 1st Qut he says I know Hugh Jones the p<sup>l</sup>ff & I know the family of George Jones dec'd when I see them & know there are several children but I do not know their names and ages last they are all young & probably under the age of four -teen To 2d Qut he says I am satisfied he died from my own knowledge of his buying land from my Bro. William McHenry The numbers of land stated in this question except the 40 acre piece lying in Range one East corner of described the lands that I know to belong to the heirs of said George Jones dec'd I do not know any thing about the 40 acre piece lying in Range one East he may or may not have died & excess of it as far as I know To 3d Qut he says I think they could not

To 4<sup>th</sup> Inst he says I know of nothing more that will so far as I know benefit petitioner

Bill McHenry

Examination taken reduced to writing subscribed & sworn to this 14<sup>th</sup> December 1849 before me as witness my hand seal  
 Wm H Pope  
 Commissioner

Disposition of Aaron F Gamble's sword & examined on the part of the plaintiff in a case pending in Shelby Orphans Court between Hugh Jones admr of Geo Jones dec'd vs the heirs of said Geo Jones dec'd under & by virtue of a commission issued from said Court on the 2<sup>d</sup> Decr 1849 and to and divided relevant to a term of said Court to be holden on the 17<sup>th</sup> December 1849

Aaron F Gamble of Shelby County being sworn on the part of the petitioner doth depose & say as follows To 1<sup>st</sup> Inst he says I have seen them all the same not particularly acquainted with them the oldest are of the children of whom three and three living as I now recollect is named Henry & about seven years old I would judge the other two younger ones I do not recollect the names of

To 2<sup>d</sup> Inst he says he has William McHenry's George Jones both say that said Jones had bought some land from said McHenry & heard them both speak of what land they would he was also present when the last payments were made for the lands & he is satisfied that George Jones did seized & pay for of these lands so bought & paid for he is further satisfied that the lands described in 2<sup>d</sup> Inst (to which this is in answer) as lying in sec 8 Tow 22 Range 3 more or less the same lands bought as above of which the said Jones did seized & pay for as to the 40 acre piece lying in Range and East he knows nothing To 3<sup>d</sup> Inst he says I am well acquainted with the situation of said lands & I think they could not To 4<sup>th</sup> Inst he says I don't know that I do know of any thing more that would benefit petitioner

Aaron F Gamble

Examination taken and reduced to writing subscribed & sworn to this 13<sup>th</sup> Decr 1849 before me as witness my hand seal

Wm H Pope Commissioner

Valu bill for the land of the estate of George Jones deceased

January 31<sup>st</sup> 1850 Wm J White \$1220.00

James Hargrett vs to 40 acres of land 56.00

A of Mills To 1 msp 3.45

Solomon Lewis To per 100 yards 1.25

Colton Crop for 1849 sold at private sale 150.50

The State of Alabama Hugh Jones the admr of Geo Jones dec'd

Shelby County 3 makes oath that the above copy of sale is correct

Hugh Jones

Sworn to & subscribed 26 Feby 1850 J. McCarahan judge

To J. McCarahan judge of the Orphans Court of Shelby County I hereby resign the office of administrator of the estate of George Jones dec'd 30 Oct 1849

See born Jones

The State of Alabama To Alfred Mc Goldwell & Susan his wife  
 Shelby County 3 Samuel McCarahan and Emily his wife  
 Mary & Rushing wife of Mr Rushing late dec'd to Elizabeth Sawyer  
 yet wife of C H Sawyer and to Henry J Sawyer & Mary his wife  
 take notice that Robert R Rushing Washington R Rushing & Elbert  
 H Sawyer the executors named have this day presented to the  
 Orphans Court of said County a paper purporting to be the last  
 will and Testament of Bryant Rushing late dec'd for probate  
 & the said Orphans Court has appointed the 8<sup>th</sup> Inst to try  
 the validity of said will at the County Clerk's office of said  
 County & ordered Citations to issue to you and each of you  
 to appear at said Court on said day & show cause if any  
 you have why said will should not be proven & recorded &  
 letters issue thereon all of which you will notice and observe  
 1 April 1850  
 J. C. Sawyer Ck

We acknowledge service of this notice 2<sup>d</sup> day of April 1850

Alfred Mc Goldwell J. C. Sawyer J. C. Sawyer Mary &  
 Rushing Elizabeth Sawyer J. C. McCarahan Emily McCarahan

The State of Alabama Shelby County 3  
 I Bryant Rushing of said County being sick of body but of sound  
 mind and memory In the name of God Amen make this my  
 last will and Testament to wit first I resign my soul to God  
 who gave it second I give my body to its mother to be buried  
 after the manner of Christians Thirdly I direct my funeral expenses  
 and debts to be paid out of my estate by my executors herein  
 after named and appointed next I give and bequeath to my  
 daughter Mary Ann now supposed to be the wife of Henry J  
 Sawyer fifty dollars next I desire and direct the remaining  
 part of my estate both real and personal to be divided into  
 six equal parts one of which said parts I give bequeath and  
 devise to my son Robert R Rushing one part of which I give  
 bequeath and devise to my son Washington R Rushing one  
 part of which I give bequeath & devise to my daughter Elizabeth  
 wife of Elbert H Sawyer one part of which I give bequeath &  
 devise to my son Robert R Washington R & Elbert H Sawyer  
 in trust as trustees for the sole and only use of my daughter  
 Emily wife of Samuel McCarahan and the heirs of her  
 body next are part of which I give bequeath & devise to my  
 sons Robert R and Washington R & Elbert H Sawyer in trust  
 as trustees for the sole and only use of my daughter Susan  
 wife of Alfred Mc Goldwell & the heirs of her body next I  
 give bequeath & devise the remaining sixth part aforesaid of  
 said estate to my Grand son William Rushing do hereby  
 hereby that his mother be supported out of the same  
 during life Next I desire and direct the legacies aforesaid  
 to make division of my estate aforesaid among themselves

as for my said Grand son so far as the same can be paid and apportioned and the residue of any either real or personal I direct to be sold by my Executors hereinafter named at private or public sales every little in fee simple and divided the proceeds according to the direction before named next I hereby appoint my sons Robert R Rushing Washington R Rushing my son in law Colbert St Sawyer Executors of this my last Will and Testament & also Guardian for my said Grand son William Rushing and I hereby revoke all former wills testaments & Covenants touching my hand and seal this the 11th day of January 1850

Bryant Rushing  
Signed sealed delivered and published by Bryant Rushing as for his last Will and Testament in his presence who attested the same in presence of each other and in presence of said Bryant Rushing J. M. McClellan  
A. H. Brasher  
D. H. Horton

On the application of Robert R Rushing Washington R Rushington and Colbert St Sawyer to the Orphans Court for the probate of a paper purporting to be the last will and testament of Bryant Rushing and Mary Sawyer one of the heirs at law of said Bryant Rushing by her husband Henry Sawyer for his use Entreats the validity of said will

The State of Alabama To any Sheriff of the State of Shelby County of Alabama Greeting  
You are hereby Commaund to subpoena Samuel Brasher Abraham Brasher David Goddard and Joseph Horton to be and appear before the Honble the Judge of the Orphans Court in said County on the 8th instant to testify and the oath to speak in a case pending in said Court wherein Henry J Sawyer and his wife Mary A Sawyer is Plaintiff and Robert R Rushing Washington R Rushington and Colbert H Sawyer are defendants for Plaintiff's favor not and make due return hereof to J. M. McClellan  
Signed the 3rd April 1850

Entered in office the 3rd April 1850 and executed 5th an all the above names James M Finley Sheriff

The State of Alabama To any Sheriff of the State of Shelby County of Alabama Greeting  
You are hereby Commaund to subpoena Samuel A Brasher and Daniel Horton to be and appear before the Honble the Judge of the Orphans Court

in said County on April the 8th instant to testify and the oath to speak in the matter of Probating the last will and Testament of B Rushing and by the Executors Robert R Rushing Washington R Rushing and Colbert St Sawyer in behalf of said Executor this the 3rd April 1850  
E. G. Lawley Clerk  
Entered in office the 3rd April 1850 and executed the 5th an all the above names James M Finley Sheriff

We the jury sustain the objections to the will & April 1850  
J. St. Brasher

The State of Alabama Know all men by these presents Shelby County That we Robert R Rushing Colbert H Sawyer and Thomas H Brasher Samuel McClellan Daniel Brasher & David McClellan and hold and firmly bound unto John M. McClellan Judge of the County Court of Shelby County State of Alabama and his Successors in office in the penal sum of one hundred and fifty thousand Dollars to which payment will and truly to be made now and each of us do bind ourselves our heirs &c jointly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 8 day of April 1850

Now the Condition of the above obligation is such that when soe the above bound Robert R Rushing and Colbert St Sawyer has been duly appointed Administrators of the estate of Bryant Rushing Dies Now if said Rushing & Sawyer shall well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by law required of them as administrators then the above obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue Witness our hands and seals this date above Written  
Colbert St Sawyer  
Robert R Rushing  
Thos H Brasher  
Samuel McClellan  
Daniel Brasher  
J. M. McClellan

Approved 8 April 1850  
J. M. McClellan  
County Judge  
Filed 8th April 1850 E. G. Lawley Clerk

Daniel Brasher Guardian of Columbus Burton Or in account current from 1st May 1848 to 1st July 1850  
May 1st 1848 Due word at Settlement 1st day 1848  
To Interest 1 year 1848 1 year 8 months  
by entry  
\$713.70  
26.44  
\$740.14  
137.42  
\$602.72



1 Boy Benjamin about 12 years old 6000  
 1 Girl Gaster " " 9 " " 350 00  
 1 Rachel Girl " " 9 " " 350 00  
 1 Genl Sarah " " 7 " " 300 00  
 40 Acres Land that the House is on 320 00  
 40 Up the Creek North of the house 120 00  
 60 More or less Lying West of Warhatchy Creek 150 00  
 80 Lying East of the House & adjoining 240 00  
 80 " " Mill East & adjoining Willard's place 160 00

The State of Alabama The undersigned appears and  
 Shilley County 3 as said in person & made oath in  
 due form of Law that the above appraisement of the Estate of H B  
 Robertson dec'd is just true and correct to the best of their  
 Judgment

David Croin  
 Wm R Horton  
 S. K. McClanahan

Jasper Robertson admr of H B Robertson dec'd makes oath  
 that the above with the Cotton Crop now on hand is a true  
 inventory of the estate of said dec'd so far as the same has  
 come to his knowledge

Jasper Robertson

27 Oct 1849 J. M. McClanahan  
 Judge  
 Filed the 29th October 1849 G. S. Lawley clerk

W B Willard's	foot odds	124x
50 5 hogs 360	17 50	1 Lot August 200 fur 180
13 Whk 150	1 Lot plow 3/3 22 63	Lot do 66 1 Aug 110
" 1 Boy Screws 200 Cutting Knives 100	3 25	1 Grindstone 300 1/4 105
1 Van 145	1 Lot hams 100	2 45
2 Cows 246	White hams 115	2 41
John B Porter's 1 Lot Hogs	49 64	1 Gun flint 25 Majed 25
4 Hogs	3 00	1 Cattle 49 06 1/4
Willis A Morgan	20 50	1 Mill Sack
To 1 Lot hogs 1275	1 Van 965	22 40
Lot hogs 850	1 Cow 725	16 05
1 Cow 925	1 far 79	10 04
1 Lot of Plow 340	1 Cattle 112	4 52
1 Chain 330	2 hars 50	3 30
1 Blk 100	1 Iron Shovel 233	2 43
20 10 Cows 14 60	152 Cows 802	55 10
John Willard's		75 34
To 1 Lot hogs 10 62	1 Lot do 705	20 10
1 Cow 575	1 Lot do 205	16 25
A Robertson		42 28 1/4
To 1 Lot hogs 730	1 Cow 901	18 91
1 Cow 690	1 Star 512 1/2	14 37 1/2
1 Star 500 1/4	1 Bull 912 1/2	14 18 1/2

This Sale was made the 5th day of December 1849 and falls  
 due 1 January 1851

The State of Alabama Jasper Robertson makes oath in  
 Shilley County 3 In due form of Law that this is a correct  
 sale Bill of the sale made by him 5 Dec 1849 as admr of  
 H B Robertson dec'd  
 S. K. McClanahan Judge

4 hogs 8. each	32 00	Whel & Gardner	226
Lot Corn 510 per lb	40 40	Churn Mr Beckwith	35
" refined Corn 167 per lb	4 95	Wash pot A Robertson	2 60
1000 lb fodder 50 per 100 lb	8 80	Cornucop of C Hand	53
Solomon Filly Cynthia Ray	70 25	Cornucop of C Hand	35
Cornucop Filly Willis Morgan	28 50	Cornucop of C Hand	50
Old ball iron	18 50	Table of C Hand	45
Wagon body from Shilley's	73 00	Blacker land W H Spu	158
Cornucop R S Moon	80 00	Trunk A. L. Lester	118 1/2
Bed Stee and Willis Morgan	15 00	Pot hogs of C Hand	95 1/2
do - John Moore	16 79	Five dogs David Cowen	1 30
do Lewis Henderson	12 00	1 Kille's lot A Robertson	75
Small Table	1 36	Shovel Tongue R. Moore	1 50
1 Desk Willis Morgan	2 98	Foot race R. B. Robertson	1 00
2 Vals Belas History A Robertson	2 51	Pot hogs M. A. Morgan	158
History of Maryland do	1 35	Cornucop of C Hand	1 00
Lives of Presidents do	" 70	Looms tooth Alex Erady	5 00
Revolutions in Europe for Healy	1 00	Safe Mr Beckwith	2 32
1 Table	1 50	A Robertson to sundry	65
6 Chairs W. A. Morgan 570 5	3 06	Coffin mill S. K. McClanahan	2 12 1/2
6 Chairs Thos of Hand 520 6	3 24	Lead Book A. L. Caldwell	75
1 Arm Chair A Robertson	31	Iron W. A. Morgan	5 1/2
1 Chair do	1 50	C. C. Saw A Robertson	40 00
Clock W. A. Morgan	18 25	Sack Salt do	3 00
Whip Sharps A. L. Caldwell	75	Aug Hardy Horton gun train	15
1 Large Table W. A. Morgan	3 26	Bill Cows Coff of Robertson	11 68
6 Large Spoons Jasper Robertson	2 96	Negro Sam S. K. McClanahan	502 00
6 Tea Spoons A Robertson	1 60	Cynthia do	458 00
6 Silver Teaspoons of Robertson	5 00	Martha James & Coe Robertson	207 00
2 Shovel & plates S. Gardner	35	Boy Ben of Robertson	675 00
Bowl & Plate A Robertson	81	C. S. H. for Healy	450 00
6 plates W. Beckwith	30	Rachel R. S. Moon	486 00
2 Jars W. A. Morgan	44	Sarah S. K. McClanahan	404 00
1 Cornucop S. Gardner	50	1 Star S. K. McClanahan	" 65
Cupboard A Robertson	5 00	A Robertson	1 06
Five dogs Cynthia Ray	1 25		
1 oval & Cynthia W. A. Morgan	57	Jasper Robertson makes oath	
1 Whel Mr Beckwith	2 95	in due form of Law that	

This is a correct account of the 2nd sale made by him as  
 Adm<sup>r</sup> of H<sup>rs</sup> Robertson and said sale was made the 1  
 January 1850 & falls due 1 Jan<sup>y</sup> 1851 Jasper Robertson  
 S<sup>er</sup> J. M. C. Claiborne Judge

The State of Alabama Jasper Robertson who is adm<sup>r</sup> of  
 Shelby County 3<sup>rd</sup> H<sup>rs</sup> B Robertson died reports to the Or<sup>phans</sup>  
 Court of said County that his in testate died, seized  
 and possessed of the following land lying and being in said  
 County viz the N<sup>W</sup> 1/4 the E<sup>W</sup> 1/4 the S<sup>W</sup> 1/4 of the N<sup>W</sup> 1/4 and  
 all that part of the N<sup>W</sup> 1/4 S<sup>W</sup> 1/4 which lies South of the road  
 all in Section 28 T<sup>21</sup> R<sup>1</sup> W<sup>1</sup> the S<sup>E</sup> 1/4 S<sup>W</sup> 1/4 of section 21 T<sup>21</sup>  
 R<sup>1</sup> W<sup>1</sup> that S<sup>er</sup> Robert is the widow of the said that 4<sup>th</sup> is  
 in Robertson Matilda wife of Mr. Mardis Cynthia Ray  
 Mariah wife of Stanford Moore Nancy wife of James  
 M<sup>rs</sup> said two last are non residents of said State  
 Elizabeth wife of Daniel Gardner Lydia M<sup>rs</sup> wife of Millie  
 A. Morgan and this petitioners are heirs of age and that  
 Antoinette M<sup>rs</sup> M. Mary and Aaron L. Moore children of  
 Mary Moore wife of Alex Moore died are heirs an right  
 of their said Mother under age that said land cannot be  
 fairly Equally & benevolently divided among said heirs  
 without a sale wherefore petitioners pray necessary steps and  
 that the same be sold under and by authority of the Orphan's  
 Court of said County pursuant to the Statute in all things  
 7 January Jasper Robertson

Alexander Moore Guardian ad litem of Antoinette William H. Mary  
 & Aaron L. Moore infants and heirs to the estate of H<sup>rs</sup> B  
 Robertson did do hereby in the within petition and require strict  
 proof of the same February 7<sup>th</sup> 1850 Alexander Moore  
 Filed 7 Jan<sup>y</sup> 1850

The State of Alabama 3<sup>rd</sup> County Court Sitting for Orphan's heirs  
 Shelby County 3<sup>rd</sup> To any Sheriff of the State of  
 Alabama - Greeting You are hereby required to summon  
 Arthur Robertson Cynthia Ray Daniel Gardner and Elizabeth  
 his wife Alexander Moore Guardian ad litem for Antoinette  
 William H. Mary & Aaron L. Moore minors & heirs in right of  
 Mary Moore their deceased Mother William Mardis and  
 Matilda his wife Stanford Moore and Mariah his wife  
 James M<sup>rs</sup> Nancy his wife and Millie A. Morgan and  
 Lydia his wife heirs and devisees of Henry B. Robertson  
 late of said County deceased to appear before the judge of  
 our said Orphan's Court at a court to be holden on the  
 16<sup>th</sup> day of February next at the County Clerk's office of

said County then and there to answer the petition of Jasper Rob-  
 ertson Administrator of H<sup>rs</sup> singular the Goods & Chattels right &  
 Credits of the said Henry B Robertson who hath filed his petition  
 in said Court this day setting forth that there are some of  
 the heirs of said Henry B Robertson that are of full age & reque-  
 -ire a distribution of said estate & that the real estate cannot  
 be fairly & Equitably divided without a sale thereof and pray-  
 -ing this Court to Grant an order for as sale of the same  
 Consenting as alleged the N<sup>W</sup> 1/4 the S<sup>W</sup> 1/4 S<sup>W</sup> 1/4 of the N<sup>W</sup> 1/4  
 and all that part of the N<sup>W</sup> 1/4 S<sup>W</sup> 1/4 which lies South of the  
 road all in Section 28 Township 21 Range 1 West and the S<sup>E</sup> 1/4 S<sup>W</sup> 1/4  
 of section 21 T<sup>21</sup> R<sup>1</sup> West And the said heirs are the only  
 heirs of said Henry B Robertson herein fail not and have  
 you then and then this precept with your return

Witness Myself & Lawley Clerk of the County Court of said County  
 this the 7<sup>th</sup> day of January A. D. 1850 G. J. Lawley Clerk

We acknowledge service of the within notice & receive Copy the 7<sup>th</sup>  
 January 1850 A. Robertson James Hally Daniel Gardner  
 W<sup>rs</sup> Mardis - Entered in office the 8<sup>th</sup> day of January 1850  
 Executed an all the within named heirs January 12<sup>th</sup> 1850  
 James M. Fenley S<sup>er</sup>

In the Orphan's Court at Columbiana Shelby County Ala  
 Antoinette to be propounded to D. M. Claiborne and John  
 Johnson material witnesses for the petitioner whose testimony  
 when taken will be read in evidence on the hearing of a petition  
 for the sale of the real estate of Henry B Robertson deceased  
 which said petition was filed in the said Orphan's Court by  
 Jasper Robertson the Administrator

Interrogatory 1<sup>st</sup> To each witness Do you know the said Jasper  
 Robertson and the heirs of said Henry B Robertson deceased  
 If you answer Yes please state the names of said heirs &  
 whether any of them and who of them are minors Interrogatory  
 2<sup>d</sup> To each witness Do you know whether or not the said  
 Henry B Robertson died seized and possessed of lands in said  
 County And that if you answer that he did state whether the  
 following described lands are the same land The N<sup>W</sup> 1/4 the  
 E<sup>W</sup> 1/4 S<sup>W</sup> 1/4 of the N<sup>W</sup> 1/4 and all that part of the N<sup>W</sup> 1/4 S<sup>W</sup> 1/4  
 which lies South of the road all in Section 28 T<sup>21</sup> R<sup>1</sup> W<sup>1</sup> and  
 the S<sup>E</sup> 1/4 S<sup>W</sup> 1/4 of Section 21 T<sup>21</sup> R<sup>1</sup> W<sup>1</sup>  
 Interrogatory 3<sup>d</sup> To each witness Could said lands be equally  
 fairly and benevolently divided among said heirs without  
 a sale thereof Interrogatory 4<sup>th</sup> To each witness please state  
 any thing more you may know that would benefit the  
 petitioner  
 George Harris att<sup>or</sup> for petitioner

To Alexander Moore Guardian ad litem of Antoinette William H.  
 Mary and Aaron L. Moore Take notice that the foregoing

interrogatories are on file in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Shelby County Alabama and that a Commission will issue to take the testimony of the witnesses after you shall have had ten days notice hereof In the meantime you may file your Cross interrogatories if you choose George Harris atty for petitioner

I do know of no other of the foregoing interrogatories & want a copy & desire that you consent for a Commission to issue in state January 28<sup>th</sup> 1850 Alexander Bullock

We consent that a commission issue in state to take the testimony in the foregoing interrogatories this 16<sup>th</sup> of January 1850

V Lister atty for W. Llanas & D. Gardner Filed 28<sup>th</sup> January 1850 E. G. Lawley Clerk

The State of Alabama & County Court sitting for Orphans Shelby County - 3

Knows you that we having full faith in your prudence and Constancy have appointed you Comissioners and by their presents do authorize you at such times and places as you may appoint to call before you John Johnson and William R. Jolly and David McCallanahan as witness in said a Cause pending in our said Court when in Jasper Robertson Administrator of the estate of H. B. Robertson are complainant and the heirs at Law of said H. B. Robertson are respondents an oath to be by you administered upon interrogatories annexed to this Commission to take notice to writing and certify the deposition of the witnesses and return the same to our said Court to be holden on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of February A. D. 1850 Witness E. G. Lawley Clerk of said Court at Office this 10<sup>th</sup> day of February A. D. 1850

Spued 15<sup>th</sup> day February 1850

Deposition of John Johnson & David McCallanahan witnesses sworn & examined on the part of the Plaintiff in a matter pending in the Orphans Court of Shelby County in which Jasper Robertson admor of Henry B. Robertson died is petitioner & Plaintiff & the heirs at Law of said Henry B. Robertson died are defendants under and by virtue of a Commission issued in said Cause by the Clerk of said Court to and directed dated 13<sup>th</sup> Febry 1850 and returnable the 16<sup>th</sup> Febry 1850 said John Johnson being duly sworn doth depose & say as follows -

To 1<sup>st</sup> Sub he says I know Jasper Robertson and all the Children now alive of said Henry B. Robertson who are Arthur Robertson Cynthia Ray widow of John Ray died Elizabeth Gardner wife of Daniel Gardner Nancy Hasty wife of James Hasty Matilda Llanas Llanas wife of William Llanas Llanas (Given name not recollectd) wife of Willis A. Morgan Llanas (Given name not recollectd) wife of Stanford Llanas

& said Jasper Robertson all over the age of twenty one years and also the Children of Alexander Llanas by his first wife who was a daughter of said Henry B. Robertson died but whose name I do not recollect & in fact I do not recollect that seven was personally acquainted with her tho I know by common rumour a general neighborhood information that she was a daughter of said Henry B. Robertson died & that she died some several years ago (I do not remember exactly how many years as I know recollect them children and Girls two boys the oldest of which I suppose is broter or fourteen years of age the oldest being named Antoinetta the next William the youngest Aaron

To 2<sup>o</sup> Sub he says said Henry B. Robertson died died seized & possessed of lands lying in Shelby County on the old State road some 2 1/2 or 3 miles west of Columbus but I do not know whether the Accusers in the interrogatories to which this is in answer are the correct numbers of said lands or not

To 3<sup>o</sup> Sub he says he thinks said lands which he described as above could not be equally fairly and lawfully divided with out a sale To 4<sup>th</sup> July he says he does not know of any thing more that will benefit petitioner John Johnston

Examination taken reduced to writing subscribed & sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> Febry 1850 as witness my hand & seal Wm. H. Pope Clerk Comissioner

David McCallanahan being sworn doth depose & say as follows To 1<sup>o</sup> July he says I think he did & that the description given in the second Sub to which this is in answer is a correct description of the lands of which he died seized & possessed which said lands lay west of Columbus in Shelby County containing about two miles from said Town

Examination taken reduced to writing subscribed & sworn to before me this 16<sup>th</sup> Febry 1850 before me as witness my hand and seal Wm. H. Pope Comissioner

To the Orphans Court of Shelby Co Ala the undersigned Comissioner was appointed to sell the real Estate belonging to the estate of Henry B. Robertson dead report that he has sold the same as required by law and the Order of said Court to wit the Eqs 1864 sec 28 & 29 R. W. to John Llanas for the sum \$332.00 The Mfg 1864 and all of the Eqs 1874 which lies east of the Creek in sec 38 & 39 R. W. the Eqs 1874 sec 28 & 29 R. W. & Gardner 100.00 And all of the tract which lies on the west side of the Creek in sec 28 & 29 R. W. to D. McCallanahan for \$105.00

Notes with approved security taken all of which is respectfully Submitted 11. April 1850 David Brown Wm. R. Horton

Filed the 16<sup>th</sup> April 1850 E. G. Lawley etc

The State of Alabama Know all men by these presents  
 Shelby County } That we Alexander Elton John Elton  
 are held and firmly bound unto John McCallan  
 Judge of the County Court of Shelby County Alabama and  
 his Successors in Office in the penal sum of fifteen hundred  
 dollars to which payment well and truly to be made we  
 and each of us do bind ourselves our heirs & assigns by these  
 presents sealed with our seals and dated the 17th day of  
 November 1849. Now the Condition of the above obligation is  
 such that whereas the above bound Alexander Elton has  
 been duly appointed Guardian for the person & Estate of the  
 -Linnaea Elton William Henry Elton Mary Elizabeth Elton  
 Aaron Lafayette Elton Now if said Alexander Elton shall  
 well and truly perform all the duties which are or may be by  
 Law required of him as Guardian then this obligation to be void  
 else to remain in full force and virtue  
 Witness our hands and seals the date above written Alexander Elton  
 Approved 26 Jan'y 1850 J. McCallan Judge of the County Court

To the Honorable County Court of Shelby County Ala. The petition of  
 Volentine Young admin of all & singular the goods & chattels right &  
 Credits of Lovy Brading late of said County died respectfully shew  
 -eth that said dec'd died seized & possessed of a certain tract or parcel  
 of land situate in said County and known as the N. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4  
 Sec. 17 T. 21 R. 1 & that it is necessary to divide the said land betw  
 -en the heirs of the said Lovy Brading that the said land can  
 not be equally fairly & impartially divided among the said  
 heirs with out a sale thereof that said Lovy Brading left  
 five sons and two daughters who are the heirs of said estate that  
 is to say Volentine Brading who is an infant under the age  
 of twenty one years Rebecca Brading who is an infant under  
 the age of 21 years Russel Brading who is an infant under the  
 age of twenty one years Nathan Brading who is an infant under  
 the age of twenty one years Nathan Brading an infant  
 under the age of twenty one years Jonathan Brading an infant  
 under the age of twenty one years Nancy a married woman  
 the wife of Orail Perkins all of whom are of the Volentine Brading  
 are residents in said County of Shelby The said Volentine Brading  
 resides beyond the limits of this State The above named Nathan  
 Nathan's Jonathan are under the age of fourteen years The other  
 infants named above to wit Volentine Rebecca Russel and  
 over the age of fourteen years Petitioner for the residents above  
 shal'de pray that such proceedings may be had in the premises  
 as the law directs so that a sale of said land may be  
 ordered for the purpose aforesaid pursuant to law August  
 11th 1849 Volentine Young

The undersigned admit that the allegations contained in the within  
 petition are all true and consent that a decree shall be rendered  
 by the Court for the sale of the land specified in said petition accord  
 -ing to the prayer thereof Oct 22<sup>d</sup> 1849 Isaac Bellard's Nancy Bellard's  
 W. S. Bellard's Guardian ad Litem of the minor heirs of Lovy Brading  
 do hereby deny all the allegations contained in the within petition  
 and require strict proof of the same W. S. Bellard's Guardian  
 -ad Litem in Sheriff's office Oct 22<sup>d</sup> 1849 Entered same day

James M. Finley Sheriff  
 On the Orphans Court at Columbiana Shelby County Alabama  
 Interrogatories to be propounded to Samuel Post and David Post  
 The answers to which will be read in witness are the hearing of a  
 petition for the sale of the real estate of Lovy Brading deceased  
 which said petition was filed in the Orphans Court aforesaid of  
 said County by Volentine Young administrator of all & singular  
 the goods & Chattels rights & Credits of the said Lovy Brading  
 Volinterrogatory 1st To each return Do you know the said Volentine  
 Young and the heirs of the said Lovy Brading If you answer  
 -yes please state the numbers of said lands  
 Volinterrogatory 2<sup>d</sup> To each return Do you know whether or not the  
 said Lovy Brading died seized and possessed of land in said  
 County? And if you answer that he did state whether the following  
 described land in the same to wit The N. E. 1/4 of S. E. 1/4 Sec. 17 T. 21 R. 1  
 Volinterrogatory 3<sup>d</sup> To each return Could said land be equally fairly  
 and impartially divided among said heirs without a sale of  
 the same? Volinterrogatory 4<sup>th</sup> To each return State any thing more  
 you know calculated to complete the petitioners prayer

To Volentine Brading Rebecca Brading Russel Brading Nathan  
 Brading Nathan Brading Jonathan Brading as to your Guardian  
 ad Litem W. S. Bellard's Take notice that the foregoing interrogatories  
 are on file in the Clerk's office of the County Court of Shelby County  
 and that a Commission will issue to take the testimony of the  
 returns after you shall have had ten days notice hereof you  
 may file Cross interrogatories if you choose Georg Harris atty  
 -for petitioners  
 Entered in office Filed in office Oct 22<sup>d</sup> 1849 Entered the same day  
 James M. Finley Sheriff & Filed in office the 22<sup>d</sup> day of October  
 1849 G. P. Lawley Clerk

On the Orphans Court for Shelby County Alabama  
 To Wm. H. Pope Esqr Know ye that we having full faith in  
 your prudence and Conscience have appointed you as commis  
 -sioner and by these presents do authorize you at such  
 time and place as you may appoint to call before you  
 and examine Samuel Post and David Post as witness  
 for the petitioner in a cause now pending in our said  
 Orphans Court wherein Volentine Young admin of Lovy

Brandon by his petition is Complainant and the heirs at Law of said estate are respondents an oath to be by your administration upon Interrogatories annexed to this Commission to take notice to writing and certify the disposition of the moneys and return the same to our said Orphans Court to be holden on the first Monday in November next under your hand and seal Witness Myself G. Sawley Clerk of our said Orphans Court at office in the Town of Columbiana this 5th day of November A.D. 1829

G. Sawley Clerk S.C.

Examination of David Post a witness for petitioner in a cause now pending in the Orphans Court of Shelby County wherein William Young as administrator of Leovy Brandon died is petitioner & plaintiff & the heirs at Law of said Leovy Brandon died are defendants taken at the office of George James Esq in the Town of Columbiana on the 5th day of November 1829 under and by virtue of a Commission issued in said case from the Orphans Court of said County bearing date the 5th day of Nov 1829 The said David Post of Shelby County being sworn according to Law deposes & swears as follows To the 1st Q<sup>st</sup> he says I do know them all the names of the heirs of said Leovy Brandon died and Nancy Perkins (late Nancy Brandon) Volentine Brandon Rebecca Brandon Martin Brandon Shalorn Brandon Arthur Brandon & Gustavus Brandon being sworn in number To the 2<sup>d</sup> Q<sup>st</sup> he says It was my understanding & it was generally understood that he owned land at the time of his death and I know the land very well but do not know it by numbers & consequently cannot say whether the numbers stated are correct or not said land was a forty acre piece & lay adjoining to lands which Abraham Smith & William Cook owned at the time of said Leovy Brandon's death & was cultivated that year as I now recollect by Mr John Henry To the 3<sup>d</sup> Q<sup>st</sup> he says I think said land could not be equally fairly & conveniently divided among said heirs without a sale of the same To the 4<sup>th</sup> Q<sup>st</sup> he says I know of nothing more that would benefit the petitioner so far as I am able to judge

David Post

Examination taken & returned to writing subscribed & sworn to before me this 5th day of Nov 1829 as witness my hand & seal

Wm. S. Pope Esq. Commissioner

On the name of God Amen I Robert McClellan of the State of Alabama & County of Shelby being of sound mind and memory yet mindful of my mortality do make & publish this my last will & Testament in manner & form following First I bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God hoping and believing in a redemption of my sins by the merits

of Jesus Christ and my body I commit to the earth to be buried with decent Christian burial and as to such worldly Estate as it hath pleased the Lord to intrust to my care I dispose of in the following manner My my just debts are all to be first paid Then I will that all my property both real & personal shall continue in the possession of my beloved wife Nancy McClellan as long as she may live for her use & benefit at her death I will that it be disposed of in the following way Viz To be equally divided among my five Children whose names follow namely James Belle McClellan James Belle McClellan Drury McClellan Willis C. McClellan & Semath. McClellan taking into consideration each portion of my property as I may have already given To John Belle McClellan I have already given him a horse worth fifty dollars a cow worth eight dollars & gilt worth two dollars To James Belle McClellan a mare worth fifty dollars and cow at eight dollars & one hundred & thirty three pounds pork at four dollars To Drury McClellan I have given five dollars in cash To Willis C. McClellan one horse at fifty dollars & one saw at two dollars and fifty cents To Semath. McClellan my daughter my will is that she have her beds & furniture now in her possession and my tract of Land on which I now live containing forty acres also her Mothers saddle She and her two other cows & calves an equal share with the rest of the Children and should she die without issue her portion to be equally divided among the rest of my Children Lastly I do hereby nominate & appoint my son James Belle McClellan my Executor of this my last will & Testament making & making void all other wills by me made In testimony whereof I do hereunto set my hand and seal this day of Jan 1830

Robert McClellan Esq.

Signed sealed & acknowledged in the presence of Larkin Vandiver James Williamson William Williamson & The State of Alabama Larkin Vandiver appeared in Shelby County 3<sup>rd</sup> Open Court and made oath in due form of Law that he saw Robert McClellan the Testator sign seal & publish the foregoing as for his last will and Testament in the presence of aforesaid James Williamson and William Williamson who attested the same at the request of said Testator and in his presence and in the presence of another Larkin Vandiver sworn to and subscribed 11 January 1830 J. McClellan Esq. Judge

Filed the 11th January 1830 G. Sawley Clerk

The State of Alabama Shelby County Know all men by these presents that we James Belle McClellan

and hold and firmly bound unto John Mc Clellan Judge of the County Court of Shelby County Alabama and his execs are in office in the penal sum of Three hundred 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 11th day of January Now the Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas the above bound James Bellefontaine has been duly appointed Executor of the last Will & Testament of Robert Mc Clellan deceased now the said J Bellefontaine shall well and truly perform all the duties which and or may be by law required of him as such Executor then the above obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue Weup our hands and seals the date above written

James B. Bellefontaine  
 Martin Vandiver

Filed 11th January 1850 E G Landry Clerk

David Meredith Guardian for Nancy G best reports in his hands £ 495.10  
 1 years interest thereon 71.31  
 Sub allowance for 1847 876.74  
 Sub allowance for 1848 54.74  
 Sub Cost 71.74  
 Sub allowance to Guardian 56.02  
 852.24  
 10.32  
 862.56

David Meredith Guardian of Henry best amt in his hands \$ 495.10  
 1 years Int 71.31  
 Sub allowance for 1847 876.74  
 Sub allowance for 1848 54.74  
 Sub Cost 71.74  
 Sub his allowance 56.02  
 852.24  
 10.32  
 862.56

The David & Sarah G best reports amt in his hands \$ 835.10  
 Add 1 years Int 96.74  
 Sub allowance for 1847 977.74  
 Sub allowance for 1848 45.74  
 Sub Costs 86.02  
 862.56  
 10.32  
 872.88

David Meredith makes oath that above account is correct  
 21 May 1849 David Meredith  
 J. M. McClellan  
 Filed 21st May 1849 E G Landry Clerk

Harriet Prindexter Guardian for Sarah G Prindexter would Report to the honorable the Judge of the Orphans Court that she has in her hands belonging to her said ward To Cash of B Prindexter admors of 125.21 Interest from

from 11th August 1849 which with the Wards interest in 120 acers of land is his estate Harriet Prindexter Sworn & Subscribed 3 Decr 1849 J. M. McClellan

To the Honorable the County Court of Shelby County Alabama  
 The petition of Elizabeth Rogdale respectfully sheweth that she was married to William Rogdale on the day of that the said William Rogdale departed this life on the day of that he died intestate that he died seized of the following land lying and being in the County of Shelby aforesaid to wit the west half of the South west quarter of section eighteen in Township eight - teen of Range two East Containing eighty acres and ten hundredths of an acre the South East quarter of the South west quar - ter of section eighteen in Township eighteen of range two East Containing forty acres and five hundredths of an acre the South East quarter of the South East quarter of section thirteen in Town - ship eighteen of Range one East Containing forty acres and six hundredths of an acre the East half of the North west quarter of section fifteen in Township nineteen of range two East Containing eighty acres and thirty nine hundredths the West half of the South West quarter of section fifteen in Township nineteen of Range two East Containing eighty acres and thirty nine hundredths of an acre the SW 1/4 quarter of section No 18 in Township No 18 of Range No two & Containing forty acres and 05 hundredths the SW 1/4 section No 13 Township No 18 Range No 1 & Containing 40/100 acres Elizabeth further state that the estate of the said deceased after the payment of all debts & incumbrances amounts to five hundred dollars petitioner for the foregoing reasons prays that such proceeds may be had in the premises as the Law directs that same may be applied her of the aforesaid lands and of the personal property of the said William Rogdale and your petitioners will ever pray &c Elizabeth Rogdale  
 I waived notice & copy and acknowledge service of the fore - going petition September 24th 1849 Samuel Rogdale Adm

The State of Alabama Shelby County  
 To any Sheriff of said County You are hereby Committed to Summon five discreet persons freeholders of your Coun - ty Connected with the parties neither by blood nor marriage and entirely disinterested who being first duly sworn for that purpose and being authorized and required fairly justly and impartially according to the best of their jud - gments to meet and call and set off by writs and bounds according to quantity and quality to Elizabeth Rogdale widow of William Rogdale late of said County decd