

State of Tennessee
 Van Buren County $\frac{3}{4}$ J. B. Gorman Clerk
 of the County Court
 of said County have this day made
 final settlement with H. York Sr guardian
 of Leona Curtis formerly Leona Serkey

I find said guardian chargeable
 on last settlement made June
 2nd 1888 with
 interest on same to date
 Total $\frac{\$16.44}{22}$
 $\$15.00$

He is now entitled to
 the following credits - viz

Lo Receipt from Leona
 Curtis formerly Leona
 Serkey for $\$12.00$

I allow guardian
 for his services as
 peace clerk for this
 settlement 2.00
 or in all $\$15.00$

Which shows that
 guardian has paid
 off his ward in full
 making this a final
 settlement this June
 4th 1888 all of which
 is respectfully Submitted
 H. York Sr
 Guardian

Sworn to & Subscribed
 before me this June
 4th 1888 J. B. Gorman Clerk

Read in open Court approved and ordered
 to be recorded June 4 1888 J. B. Johnson
 Chairman

State of Tennessee
 Van Buren County $\frac{3}{4}$ J. B. Gorman
 Clerk of the County
 of said County have this day made
 settlement with T. B. Sparkman John
 of the Estate of Carter Sparkman
 dead
 I find him chargeable on inventory
 made January 16th 1886 with $\$117.16$

Said Adam is now entitled
 to the following credits - viz

As per Receipt from John
 H. Lovels for forty dollars
 dated March 1st 1888 $\$4.00$

As per Receipt from James
 Stipe dated Feb 7 1887
 for two dollars 2.00

As per Receipt from J. H.
 Sparkman dated Feb 7 1887 1.00

As per Receipt from S. C.
 Morgan dated Feb 7 1888 1.00

As Receipt from J. M.
 Sparkman & Co Feb
 19 1887 3.60

As per Receipt from
 J. L. Dinkley dated Feb
 1st 1887 for twenty
 two dollars 22.00

As per Receipt from H. B.
 Statten dated Feb 4 1887 for 1.60

As per Receipt from

W. H. Hall Auction March

At 1886 Am

42 50

Paid Clerk for This Settlement

Or amount to =

100

438 50

Leaves in the hands of

Admr Seventy Eight dollars

+ Fifty five cents This April

10 1886

from B. S. Chapman
made

44 05

Sworn to & Subscribed

before me This April

10 1886

S. B. Garrison

Read in open Court approved and

ordered to be Recorded May 7/886

G. B. Johnson

Chairman

Inventory of the Property of
from W. H. Hall which has come
to my hands on sale

One horse or mare

Aug 6 1886

W. H. Hall

Admr

Letters Testamentary

State of Tennessee

Vanderburen County

To J. H. Moffitt a

Citizen of said County

et appearing

to the Satisfaction of the County Court of

said County that Pershille Jones has

died leaving a will in which you

are appointed Executor which has been

duly proved in open Court and you

having qualified according to law &

it being ordered that Letters Testamentary

issue to you.

These are therefore to empower

you to enter upon the execution of said

will and to take into your possession all

the property of the Estate of Pershille Jones

died and make a true inventory thereof

and return the same to the next term

of our County Court and make collection

of all debts due said Estate and after

paying all just demands upon the Estate

and settling up her Estate according to

law you pay over and deliver all

property and effects that may remain

in your hands according to the directions

of the will and the laws of the State.

Witness my hand at office in Spencer

the 20th day of August 1886 and of

the American Independence of the

United States the 112th year

S. B. Garrison County

Court Clerk

Letters of Administration

State of Tennessee March term
 Van Buren County vs County Court 1868
 To S. B. Sparkman a Citizen of Van Buren
 County It appearing to the Satisfaction
 of the Court that S. B. Sparkman has
 died leaving no will and the Court being
 satisfied as to your Claim to the
 Administration of the Estate of the decedent
 and you having given Bond with
 Security and Qualifier as the Law
 directs And the Court having ordered
 that Letters of Administration be issued
 to you

These are therefore to authorize and
 empower you to take into
 your possession and under your
 Control all the goods Chattels Claims
 & papers of said Estate and return
 a true Inventory thereof to the
 next term of our County Court to collect
 & pay all debts and do & transact
 all the duties in relation to said
 Estate which lawfully devolve
 upon you as administrator and
 after having settled up said Estate
 to deliver the Residue thereof to those
 who are entitled to the same
 at which the 5th day of March
 1868

S. B. Sparkman
 County Court Clerk

Letters of Administration

State of Tennessee Aug term 1868
 Van Buren County vs Sol. Sparkman
 a Citizen of said County It appearing
 to the Satisfaction of the Court that Lavina
 Sparkman has died leaving no will and
 the Court being satisfied as to your
 Claim to the Administration of the Estate
 of the decedent and you having Bond with
 Security and Qualifier as the Law
 directs and the Court having ordered
 that Letters of Administration be issued
 to you

These are therefore to authorize and
 empower you to take into your possession
 and under your Control all the goods
 Chattels Claims & papers of said Estate
 and return a true Inventory thereof
 to the next term of our County Court
 to collect & pay all debts and do & transact
 all the duties in relation to said Estate
 which lawfully devolve upon you as
 administrator and after having settled
 up said Estate to deliver the Residue
 thereof to those who are entitled
 to the same
 Witness my hand at office in Spuman
 Tenn this 5th day of August 1868

S. B. Sparkman County
 Court Clerk

State of Tennessee

Van Buren County & S. B. Grosvenor Clerk
of the County Court of said County
have this day made Settlement with
S. M. Johnson Guardian of Annie Bellingsley
a minor heir of John M. Bellingsley deceased

Said Guardian Reports that he has
Received
Guardian Paid One dollar
at the time he Received said
money for Bond \$1.00
said Twenty five cents
for docketing

net amount Received = \$120.25
interest on same for 2
years & 1 month up to date
Making = \$135.26

He is now entitled to the
following Credits (172)

Paid Clerk for this Settlement \$1.00
I allow guardian for
his services \$1.00
Or in all = \$2.00

Which leaves in guardian \$193.26
hands at this date

This June 1st 1885 S. M. Johnson
S. B. Grosvenor
Clerk as guardian

Read in open Court approved
and ordered to be recorded
June 1st 1885
S. M. Johnson
Chairman

Will of Bershelle Jones

I know all men by their servants
that I Bershelle Jones do make and
publish this as my last will and Testament
hereby Revoking all others by me made
at any time.

1st for and in consideration of the careful
attention given and the valuable
services rendered to me and my husband
David Jones during his life time in
waiting on us in sickness and
health and watching over our interest
and the further consideration of the
affection that bear to Bershelle Elender
Vance, I Bershelle Jones do give and
bequeath unto said Bershelle Elender
Vance all my Personal and Real Estate
that I may die single and possess
it after paying my Funeral Expenses
and the Expenses of settling up my
Estate and debts - This is for her
individual use

2d by I nominate and appoint J. M. Moffitt
Executor without Bond, in witness
whereof I have by my presence
hereunto set my hand & Seal
this the 9th day of December 1879
Witnessed by Bershelle Jones
her

J. M. Moffitt
R. J. Hall

Read in open Court and ordered
to be Recorded Aug. 6, 1885

S. B. Johnson
Chairman

State of Tennessee
Van Buren County $\frac{3}{4}$ S. B. Groom
Clerk of the County Court of said County
have this day made settlement with
L. H. Willis guardian of his children

Said guardian Reports that
he has received the following
Sums viz

Received from County Court
Certificate Sum -

\$203.00

Received from Executor of
John Searleson deed
Total amount Recd

\$42.90

Interest on Same to date
total amount with interest included

\$246.90
\$11.78
\$258.68

Guardian is now entitled
to the following Credits (viz)

Bill for Guardian Bond
Paid Clerk for two settlements

\$1.00
1.00

Paid & Collected Searleson
May 17th 1887

\$49.50

11.50

Which leaves the guardian
nearly at this date

\$246.90

The above amount is
divided among said
children - 22.53 being
a share as follows

& Collected Searleson
to L. H. Willis

\$33.73

\$2.43

L. H. Willis
E. J. Willis
John S. Willis
Solomon V. Willis

\$42.90
\$42.90
\$42.90
\$42.90

\$246.90 + 246.90

Which is Submitted to
The Court

E. J. Willis
Guardian

Done to and Subscribed
before me this 4th of
April 1888 S. B. Groom
Clerk

Read in open Court approved and
ordered to be recorded
J. B. Johnson
Chairman

State of Tennessee
Van Buren County $\frac{3}{4}$

Do G. B. Johnson a citizen of
Van Buren County It appearing to the
Satisfaction of the Court that Lawrence
Johnson has died leaving no will
and the Court being satisfied as to
your claims to the administration
of the Estate of the said And you
having given bond with security and
qualifications as the law directs and the
Court having ordered that letters of
Administration be issued to you

These are therefore to authorize
and empower you to take into your
possession and under your control all
the goods chattels claims & papers
of said Estate and return a true
Inventory thereof to the next term
of our County Court to collect &
pay all debts and do and transact

and the duties in relation to said
estate which lawfully devolve upon you
as administrator and after having settled
up said estate to deliver the residue
thereof to those who are entitled.
Witness my hand at office in Spencer
Sept. 29th day of Aug 1888
S. B. Johnson
County Court Clerk

State of Tennessee, Sept. term 1888
Van Buren County, Do to E. Purcell
a Citizen of said County. It appearing
to the Court that Samuel Ellis has died
leaving a wife and the Executor Elahon
Ellis having died and the Court being
satisfied as to your claim to the adminis-
tration of said estate and you having
given bond and a guarantee as the
law directs

we are therefore to authorize
and empower you to take into your
possession and under your control
all the goods chattels claims & papers of
said estate & return a true inventory
thereof to the next term of our County
Court to collect and pay all debts
and do & transact all the duties in
relation to said estate which lawfully
devolve upon you as administrator
and after having settled up said
estate to deliver the residue to those who
are entitled. Witness my hand
at office in Spencer Tenn. this
29th day of Aug 1888

S. B. Johnson
County Court Clerk

State of Tennessee, Sept. term 1888
Van Buren County, Do to E. Purcell
a Citizen of said County. It appearing
to the Court that Samuel Ellis has died
leaving a wife and the Court being
satisfied as to your claim to the adminis-
tration of said estate and you having
given bond and a guarantee as the
law directs

we are therefore to
authorize and empower you to
take into your possession and under
your control all the goods chattels
claims & papers of said estate and
return a true inventory thereof
to the next term of our County Court
to collect and pay all debts and
do and transact all the duties in
relation to said estate which lawfully
devolve upon you as administrator
and after having settled up said
estate to deliver the residue to those who
are entitled. Witness my hand
at office in Spencer Tenn. this
29th day of Aug 1888

S. B. Johnson
County Court Clerk

County

part of said county but the two day
 said Guardian & L. J. L. Guardian
 & L. J. L. Guardian & L. J. L. Guardian
 in last settlement made in 4th of
 April 1888

Interest to date

Amounting in all to =

\$135.78

of the Emma & L. J. L. Guardian

Laura

Emma

45.80
 45.80
 85.78

to be paid to the following
 rights to oil & land services

at 103 East Ave 53.00

paid for his settlement

paid for L. J. L. & Co. for goods

for Emma for receipt from

1st 1888 5.00

for Laura for goods 5.00

for Emma for 1.00

and also for L. J. L. Guardian

for Laura for receipt 1.00

Emma 1.00

Emma 1.00

Credit in all amounts to 23.25

which leaves Guardian in

as follows

the Emma 30.50

Laura 37.22

Emma 38.25

all of which is due to the

amounted down to before

me at 4th April 1888

of B. J. L. Guardian

of B. J. L. Guardian

of B. J. L. Guardian

of B. J. L. Guardian

State of Minnesota

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cash on hands

One note on 1st 1888

dated March 1st 1888

credit April 1st 1888

One note on 1st 1888

dated Feb 1st 1888

One note on 1st 1888

dated March 1st 1888

One note on 1st 1888

dated March 1st 1888

One note on 1st 1888

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dated March 1st 1888

One note on 1st 1888

dated March 1st 1888

One note on 1st 1888

dec 17th 1894

Lab. Populorum

4102

I do not think that the
 world is so good as it seems to be. The true
 world is a world of suffering and all the personal
 and social evils that are connected with it.
 I do not think that the world is so good as it seems to be.

1871

Read the New Testament the civil and
political rights of the people

1) *Chalcidiscus*
crassus *Evans*

[illegible]

at Union and sell me at 100¢.

may grace this 16th day of 1788

Witness

7^e Street

Lolium subulatum

Armenia. Society

Rail road east and probable
by H.C. Soperley & Co. become working and
entirely to the west of New York City.
H. C. Soperley

Will of Father-in-law

I believe you will be able to find out what
this is by last will and testament. I have
received some money from all other
ways in at any time made
that I give you some to not give
to me. I am sure you will see the reason
of this.

Secondly, I direct that my personal expenses
and all my debts be paid out of my ^{personal} ~~estate~~ ^{property}
to the best advantage of my creditors.
Thirdly, as far as possible out of any money or
property that I may die seised of, I
rescind, or that may come into the
hands of my executor by sale of property
which I direct to be sold if necessary.

I hereby give and bequeath to my
 beloved wife, as also to my son, all of the
 means and income of my personal property, real estate
 of my lands, to my wife for life, for the
 purpose of supporting herself & children
 and after the death of my beloved wife I direct
 that all of my personal property be sold and come
 the nearest division is follows, 1834
 I give and bequeath to my Grand daughter
 Maria Rachel five dollars, for her share is
 to come out of the money share of the estate

Secondly I give and bequeath to my
 eldest son daughter Martha (Widow). The
 remainder of her Mother's share of the estate
 after paying out the five dollars above
 mentioned, each half & several But I should
 like the remaining share her part is to
 report back to her Uncle and I think my
 children -

I direct that the remainder of the Piramide
 property be equally divided among the
 rest of the children -
 and further direct, that at the death
 of the said child, the share of the
 said child be paid to the children of the
 said child - The Valuation of
 said land to be fifteen hundred dollars
 which is to make the houses there & not
 be left to be used of land around the
 houses. The rest of the share to be ap-
 portioned to the children - They paying the heirs
 for their shares according to the above
 valuation -

And I do hereby nominate and appoint
 William W. as my Executor - To this my
 last will and Testament, in witness
 whereof I to this my last will and
 Testament, set my hand & Seal this the
 2nd day of March 1885 - Oliver J. Johnson
 Signed, sealed and
 delivered in the
 presence of me and
 here to signed our names
 in the presence of the
 Legals to this my last will
 and Testament the 2nd day
 of March 1885.

attest Charles L. Bondie
 Notary Public
 Having seen said last will and Testament
 and ordered to be recorded to C. B. Johnson
 C. B. Johnson Chairman

State of Tennessee

Vainqueur County I, John W. Bondie, Clerk
 of the County Court of said County have
 this day made settlement with the said
 guardian of the persons of J. C. Morgan and

Said guardian reports that he received the
 following sums -

Received from the County Court of said
 N. B. Cummings 1000 dollars & seventy
 dollars & seventy cents paid for
 interest on same in full.

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 N. B. Cummings 1000 dollars & seventy
 dollars & seventy cents paid for
 interest on same in full.

The said guardian reports that he received the
 following sums -

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 following sums -

Received from the County Court of said
 N. B. Cummings 1000 dollars & seventy
 dollars & seventy cents paid for
 interest on same in full.

State of Tennessee

Van Buren County J. A. S. B. Lisson, clerk
of the County Court, of said county
have this day made Settlement with
J. D. Cummings, Administrator of
W. B. Cummings, dec'd.

I find an error in Inventory
made in casting up said Inventory of \$582.72
and making true Inventory after
making correction \$2737.41
which makes the settlement, made with
the former clerk on this basis also
erroneous. I find said ledger chargeable
on Inventory after being corrected as
above stated with \$2737.41

Administrator is now entitled to the
following credits, viz:

Receipt from Mrs. J. P. Gandy \$30.00
Receipt from N. A. Cummings for
funeral expenses \$12.80

Receipt from N. A. Cummings for \$9.16

Receipt from N. A. Cummings distrib. share \$1.00

Receipt from G. M. Cummings
distributive share \$15.12

Receipt from Carter Drake claim \$2.00

" " D. F. Wallace Ed. New Eng. \$6.75

" " D. C. Morgan distrib. share \$66.78

Tax receipt \$2.68

Receipt from G. M. Cummings distrib. share \$23.71

" " Wood & Robertson Tomb Stone \$63.00

" " Belia Baston distrib. share \$10.00

" " J. L. Cummings distrib. share \$210.22

County Court Clerk \$5.00

" " J. D. Cummings distrib. share \$200.00

Salaries for settlement \$1.50

Tax receipt for 1886 \$2.60

" " 1887 \$4.00

Receipt from J. M. Cummings distrib. share \$50.00

" " Maggie Elise \$11.50

Receipt from J. F. Morgan distrib. share \$24.20

" " Belia Baston " " \$15.00

" " M. A. Cummings " " \$177.00

" " E. S. Baston " " \$200.00

By an accepted compromise
between Ransom Frasier, guardian
of Maggie Frasier, minor heir of
Ransom & Sarah Ann Frasier
formerly Sarah Ann Cummings
with J. D. Cummings Adm'r.
of W. B. Cummings, dec'd.

Paying said minor one
thousand dollars in full of
her interest in said estate &
adm'r is entitled to a credit
for same \$1000.00

Receipt from J. C. Morgan guardian
distrib. share of his minor children \$41.38

Receipt from G. M. Cummings
distributive share March 18, 1886 \$7.20

Paid clerk for this settlement \$1.10

I allow adm'r for his service \$250.00

Cr. in all \$260.68

which leaves in the hands of
adm'r. one hundred and thirty
five dollars & sixty three cents
all of which is submitted to
the court.

Sworn to & subscribed
before me this 18th Aug. 1888.
J. B. Lisson, Clerk.

J. D. Cummings
Clerk of W. B. Cummings
Adm'r.

Read in open Court, approved
and ordered to be recorded
Oct. 1, 1888.

G. B. Johnson,
Chairman.

John A. Hillis, Adm. of
H. Hillis & Co. dec'd

Report of Sale, Sept. 13, 1888

James N. Hillis,

One sucking milk calf,

\$45.75

Nelson Gully

One year old milk

268.00

Logan Hillis, One calf,

6.50

Benjamin Hillis, One Boudoir

One milk cow

12.75

George Martin,

One yoke Oxen, Half interest,

36.50

Bob Hillis, One well rope

1.00

Bob Hillis, One beehive

1.00

Bob Hillis, One beehive

1.00

Bob Hillis, 3d beehive

50

Logan Hillis, 4th beehive, paid

1.20

Bob Hillis, 5th beehive

1.50

Bethia Hillis, One best steed

1.50

Logan Hillis, One fourth fourth

4.25

interest in Logans mill

177.25

One ox yoke to George Martin, paid

50

\$176.70

Subscribed and sworn to
before me,

John A. Hillis
Adm.

Oct 1, 1888.

S. B. Johnson clerk

Read in open court, approved and ordered
to be recorded, Oct. 1, 1888

S. B. Johnson
Chairman

A True inventory of the estate
of Lavene Spackman deceased
Made the worshipping county
court of San Benito county, now
in session in the town of
Spencers, the first Monday in
Oct. 1888.

As follows, to wit:

Cash on hands.

\$271.00

Notes as follows, one on

A. J. McElroy, for

\$1162.00

due Sept. 23, 1888, with in

cr. of \$100. Nov. 18, 1888

also on the 12th Jan. 1886

of \$400, and also on March

1886 of \$171.

Balance due with out interest,

- \$496.00

Also one note of John Barlow

due April 2, 1888.

- \$10.00

One note on E. D. Huston &

others, due Dec. 24, 1887.

- \$20.00

One note on Wm. Hotchell

due Dec. 17, 1887.

\$75.00

One note on P. L. Johnson &

others, due June 14, 1888.

- \$170.00

One note on George Martin &

others, due April 27, 1888.

- \$10.00

One note of J. S. Holloman &

others, due Dec. 5, 1887.

- \$100.00

One note of Wm. Rutledge & others

due April 25, 1888.

- \$7.00

One note on L. D. Huston &

others, due May 10, 1887.

- \$250.00

One note on J. J. Spackman

due Nov. 20, 1887.

- \$20.00

One note of W. E. Johnson &

others, due May 8, 1888.

- \$12.00

One judgment of Aug. 4, 1888

circ. J. S. Johnson,

\$41.68

One note on M. Sparkman &
others due March 15, 1887.
One note on J. L. Dime & others
due July 4, 1888.
One note of Woods & Willis due Dec. 14, 1888.
Cash sale notes.
One note on J. R. Sparkman &
others due Aug. 17, 1888.
One note of James & John's others
due Aug. 17, 1888.
One note on Dan. Tompkins & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$150.00

- " 15.00

- " 15.00

- \$6.10

- \$80.00

- \$15.00

One note on J. M. Hill's & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.
One note on J. R. Sparkman & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$5.00

- \$9.00

One note on M. Johnson & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$16.40

One note on W. E. Johnson & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$14.20

One note on L. H. Hill's & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$5.00

One note on Sol. Sparkman
& others due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$4.20

One note on Joseph L. Hollenworth
& others due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$42.00

One note on J. L. Dunlap
& others due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$20.00

One note on J. F. Whitley & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$32.00

One note on Rosa Johnson
& others due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$2.50

One note of M. M. Bride & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$1.00

One note on E. S. Dunlap & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$18.50

One note on W. E. Hill & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$17.50

One note on W. E. Sparkman
& others due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$14.00

One note on J. M. Hill & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$15.00

One note on L. B. Johnson & others
due Aug. 17, 1888.

- \$18.50

All the above reported good
amounting in all to

The following reported doubtful
One note on Daniel Davis

- \$25.00

due Oct. 20, 1888 for
The above is all that has
come into my hands or
knowledge this October 1, 1888

Sol. Sparkman Adm'r of Lavinia
Sparkman et al

Read in open court, approved and ordered
to be recorded Oct. 1, 1888.

W. B. Johnson
Chairman

State of Henry

Barren Co. S. B. Grissom
 Clerk of said county have
 this day made a settlement
 with Elijah Grissom and
 W. J. Drake, administrators
 of the estate of Thomas
 Grissom, deceased, as follows.

Said administrators report
 that they have received
 One Hundred and twelve
 dollars and fifty cents
 belonging to said estate,
 received from the Government
 for stock taken from
 said Thomas Grissom, last

Administrators are now
 entitled to the following
 Credits (viz)

Paid over for this Settlement	77.00
Administrators Charge for trouble in prosecuting in the claim for the above amount	20.00
Admins. paid out of his money	2.50
Credits	29.50

\$112.50

\$89.00

Which leaves in administrators
 hands eighty nine dollars
 to be divided among 16 heirs
 making each share five dollars
 & forty six cents all of which
 is hereby submitted to the Court this
 January the 5th 1889. Elijah Grissom
 Administrator

Sworn to & subscribed before
 me this Jan. 5, 1889

S. B. Grissom,
 Clerk

Read in open court, approved and ordered
 to be recorded.

G. B. Johnson
 Chairman

Elifah Gissom &
W. Y. Snake administrators
of Thos Gissom Dec
Paid in to Clarke hands \$89.00
to be divided between the
following heirs

Betsy Bauldin Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Mary Blackes heirs Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Wm Gissom Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Sarah Demoy Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Ratal Walling Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Elifah Gissom Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Margaret Steakley Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Elisha Gissom Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Esaoms Gissom's heirs Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
George Gissom Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Sitha Martin Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Nancy Snake Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Malinda Steakley Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Thos Gissom Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
James Gissom Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Alben T Gissom Received of S. B. Gissom Ck

Margaret Steakley
Wm Steakley
G. H. Steakley Received of S. B. Gissom Ck
Elisha Steakley
John Steakley

Amanda Steakley & Son March 11/20

Five dollars + 50¢ my share in the above Feb 1st 88, Betty Bauldin
one dollar + 37¢ my share in the above Feb 4, 88, R. O. Hillis
Ck one dollar + 37¢ my share in the above Feb 4, 88, A. C. Clark
Ck Five dollars + 50¢ my share in the above Feb 4, 88, Wm. Gissom
Five dollars + 50¢ my share in the above Feb 4, 88, J. H. Gissom

Five dollars + 50¢ my share in the above Feb 4, 88, S. A. G. Perry

Five dollars + 50¢ my share in the above Feb 4, 88, Elifah Gissom
Ck Five dollars + 50¢ my share in the above Feb 4, 88, S. B. Gissom
Ck Five dollars + 50¢ my share in the above Feb 4, 88, Wm. Gissom
Ck Five dollars + 50¢ my share in the above Feb 4, 88, S. A. G. Perry

Five dollars + 50¢ my share in full of the above Alex. Gissom
Five dollars + 50¢ my share in full of the above Thos Gissom
Ck Five dollars + 50¢ my share in full of the above Alben T. Gissom

one dollar + 83¢ my share in the above Feb 4, 88, Jesse Steakley

Received of S. B. Gissom Ck the amount of \$100.00

722 50. Received of S. B. Gissom Ck Twenty Five
dollars & fifty cents the amount allowed me by the
Court in the above case as appears by the
Settlement this in 10th day of Feb 1888

E. Gissom
A. H. Gissom

State of Tennessee

Van Buren County J. S. Williams Clerk
of the County Court & said County have
this day made a final settlement with
J. E. Crain & H. H. Work, Jr. administrators
of the estate of

Crain said administrators chargeable
in that settlement made Oct 15, 1886
with

Said administrators are now
entitled to the following credits:

1st a receipt from Crain and
J. S. Crain for fifteen dollars and 1/2
dimes Oct 20, 1886 15.48

2nd a receipt from Francis
Crain (widow) for seven dollars
and seventy four cents date
Oct 15, 1886 7.74

3rd a receipt from J. S. Crain
for three pairs of shoes
Oct 15, 1886 2.25

4th a receipt from J. S. Crain
and J. S. Crain for fifteen
dollars & 43 cents Oct 15, 1886 15.78

5th a receipt from J. S. Crain
for seven dollars & seventy
four cents date Oct 15, 1886 7.74

6th a receipt from J. S. Crain
for seven dollars & seventy
four cents date Oct 15, 1886 7.74

7th a receipt from J. S. Crain

Crain or Crain family

4 seventy four cents date Oct 15, 1886

8th a receipt from J. S. Crain
for seven dollars & 74 cents date Oct 15, 1886 7.74

9th a receipt from J. S. Crain
for seven dollars & seventy four
cents date Oct 15, 1886 7.74
Paid Clerk for this settlement 1.00
Or in all amounting 71.42

Which shows that administrators
over paid his estate account of seven
dollars & eight cents all of which is
respectfully submitted to the Court this
March 2, 1889 J. E. Crain

George T. & Subscribed administrators
before me this March
2, 1889 J. B. Crain

Read in open Court at said date & ordered
to be recorded March 11, 1889

J. B. Crain

State of Tennessee

I am sworn County Clerk
of the County Court of said County have
this day made settlement with P. B. Spanton
Administrator of the Estate of said

deceased & Commissioner Chargeable on Inventories
and will bill made the 20th day of Sept 1857
to the amount \$39.10

He is now entitled to the following
Credits to wit,

\$ per receipt from John Smith
and others Jan 31 1857 2.50

\$ per receipt from William
Guinnworth Aug 5 1857 40

\$ per receipt from the
State 1857 1.40

\$ per receipt from Messrs
Shankman Mar 12 1857 50

\$ per receipt from Maggie
Gares June 7 1857 40

\$ per receipt from the
Williamworth June 25 1857 40

\$ per receipt from the
Williamworth June 25 1857 70

\$ per receipt from John
Kiddens July 25 1857 40

\$ per receipt from Elijah
Shankman July 10 1857 1.37

\$ per receipt from Messrs
Kellamworth June 11 1857 2.75

\$ per receipt from John
Addison & William Co. for the
Doctors fees July 20 1857 2.75

\$ per receipt from the
Shankman Mar 23 1857 60

\$ per receipt from J. W.
Taylor & Co. for Cashier, June
9 1857 50

\$ per receipt from John
Kiddens July 25 1857 40

\$ per receipt from William
Taylor June 24 1857 1.00

\$ per receipt from the
Kellamworth & Co. for Cashier 40

\$ per receipt from John
Kiddens July 25 1857 40

\$ per receipt from the
Shankman Mar 12 1857 2.75

\$ per receipt from the
Shankman Mar 12 1857 40

\$ per receipt from John
Shankman for 20th day of Sept 40

Bail clerk for this settlement
Administrator charges for his
Services with Colliers & 8.00

Which leaves in Administrator
330

hand Three dollars & thirty cents 30 43 30
 Two dollars & seventy cents 72 70
 of the above belongs to the heirs
 of James H. C. Smith & fifty
 five cents belongs to Floyd 55-
 Sumner Minor heir of Elder
 Sumner all which is respectfully
 submitted to the Court this 1st March
 1887 W. B. Sumner

Constant E. Overhiser 7/13.14

Inventory of Sale Bill of Goods
Estate of James W. To

Leaves a permanent against
Laurinda Hodges, that can not
be made for which I allow
advice a credit

Salv. Judgment amounts to

... 1791 83

[illegible]

7
not able date correct & where? Name

28-73
2006, T. Cas T. Allmar Charge

1164, 91, 1166, 33

1. The first thing is to find out the name of the person who is the owner of the property.

May 24th 1888

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2. - quantity cannot be

100

The ~~Factors~~ are the elements that can

he paid on the above acct according

to 150 rather (639) see the dollar

Sharkskin coat 171, 10

9-11 Western T. Co. 11 27 10.9

Cost of Incident $\frac{11}{1}$

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1	Slip	48
1	10	40

10/13/1913

10. 11. 1911

1000

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Environ 1000000

James S. Gwynne & Co.

1838

100

will in Court approved and ordered

10. 11. 1888.

K. 13. Capivara

State of Tennessee

Vanderburen County 3 of 13 yrs since clerk of
the County Board of Vanderburen County have this
day made settlement with H. H. Johnson under
of J. J. Johnson. He'd act to the money he
received from Trail Road Co. amount
to \$64.00 00

Administrator is now entitled to
The following Credit (Viz)
He per Receipt from Julia
Haston widow of J. J. Haston
Recd for Eighteen Hundred
Dollars \$1800.00

Which leaves me
about thirty six hundred
dollars going to the two minor
bins of S. S. Horton and which amount
Administrator has this day paid to
Delane Horton guardian for said
minor + taken his receipt for same
which receipt was filed this month
13 1889
S. B. Grissom atty S. S. Horton

Read in open court, approved
and ordered to be recorded
April 1st 1889. H. B. Johnson
Chairman

This image shows a blank, aged, cream-colored page, likely an endpaper or flyleaf from an old book. The paper has a textured appearance with numerous small, dark specks and dust particles scattered across its surface. There are also faint, irregular brown stains and discolorations, particularly noticeable in the center and towards the right side. The page is framed by dark borders on the left and right sides, suggesting it is part of a bound volume.

State of Tennessee

Hamilton County J. B. Gissom Clerk
The County Court is said to have
this day made Settlement with Thomas Russell
guardian of the minor heirs of Jackson R. Willis
decd.

I find him chargeable on last Settlement
made Nov. 5, 1887

Interest on same to Dec. 25-88	\$68.18
Recd of S B Gissom Clerk three	2.00
Attorneys & etc May. 30, 1889	3.64
Total	\$73.82

He is now entitled to the
following Credits (Vid)

Raise taxes on the Land
for the year 1888 \$5.13

Prize Clerk for Bond 1.00

Prize Clerk for his
services 1.00

Prize Clerk for this Settlement 1.00

Guardian retains in his
hands to pay taxes on the
land until Murphy Willis
arrives at the age of 21 years
old 1.00

Credits	\$24.3
Recd of S B Gissom Clerk	\$71.39
for Stephen Willis one dollar &c	\$1.82
Total	\$73.21

Murphy Willis Share \$35.69

G. H. Willis Share \$35.69

Stephen Willis Share 1.82

\$73.20

As per Receipt from G. H. Willis

dated Sept. 24, 1888 for \$35.69

his share in full

As per Receipt from Stephen

Willis for his Share in full of said Estate

As per Receipt from Murphy Willis

dated Dec. 24, 1888 for thirty six

dollars & 08 cts due in full

\$36.08

\$71.20 \$71.39

1.82 1.82

Credits in all \$73.21 \$73.21

Thomas Russell
guardian

Sworn to & Subscribed before me this
May 30, 1889 J. B. Gissom Clerk

Read in open Court approved and
ordered to be recorded June 12, 1889

W. H. Johnson
Clerk

State of Tennessee

Vanshire County I S. B. Grissom Clerk
of the Probate Court & said County have
this day made settlement with J. B. Johnson
Guardian of said estate

I find said estate payable on last
settlement made April 5th 1888 was \$2,091
Interest on same to date 18-89

Guardian received January

5th 1889 Fifty Dollars 50.00

Interest on same to date 1.30

One etc on S. B. Grissom

June 27th 1889 6.40

Guardian received April

1889 50.00

Interest on same to date 1.30

One note on John Shockley

Jan 2nd 1887 4.00

Interest on same to date 1.00

Guardian received several hundred

dollars of Cash & one dollar for

franchise 2.00

Total amount 347.30

He is now entitled to the

following credits, to wit

For the receipt for 1888 43.41

One note for bond 1.00

One note for his settlement 1.00

5.41

Leaving in guardian's hands 341.81

Three Hundred & Forty one dollar

and eighty one cents this day met

5th 1889 J. B. Johnson

guardian

Sworn to & Subscribed

before me this 5th Aug 1889

S. B. Grissom

clerk

read in open Court approved and
ordered to be recorded Aug 5th 1889

Robert Mitchell
Chairman Probate

Will of John Morgan Shockley

I John Morgan Shockley of this County
of Vanshire and State of Tennessee
make this my last Will & give and
devise & bequeath my Estate and
Property real & personal as follows
That is to say I will one Horse one
Mare & Colt and five hinds about
20 head of hogs and ten head of
cattle one individual half interest
of which belongs to me and the
other individual half interest belong
to J. J. Shockley Jr. I want my brother
J. J. Shockley to have all of my
individual half interest in said
stock, and for him to pay my sister
Orlina Shockley one hundred
dollars and he is also to pay all
necessary burial expenses all
just debts I owe & devise my
Real Estate as follows
my individual interest in a tract
of land in white County consisting
101 Acres lying in the 3rd civil
line tract and bounded as
follows on the N. by the 1st settle
East George Yates North by Perry
West by my interest in said
tract being one half interest &
give & devise the same to my
brother J. J. Shockley Jr. and
his heirs also 700 Acres in

Van Buren County in civil
 division of 1803, and because
 are North by Bramford
 Shockey South by Shockey
 his West Shockey his
 my interest being one undivided
 half interest I give & devise
 the same to my brother J. J.
 Shockey Jr. and his heirs and
 the said J. J. Shockey is to pay
 all the encumbrances I owe
 on said land also my
 interest in three hundred
 acres of land in Van Buren
 County Tennessee being the
 same three hundred acres
 will by J. J. Shockey Sen. to Bramford
 Shockey, Dinty Shockey & J. Shockey Jr.
 Bramford Shockey and J. M. Shockey
 for a better description of said land
 reference is here made to said will
 I give & devise my interest in said
 land to my brother J. J. Shockey Jr. and
 his heirs also all my interest the old
 Home Place willed by my father to
 mother during her life and then to
 myself and Brothers reference is hereby
 made to said will for a description of
 the same I will & devise all my
 interest in said tract of land to my
 brother J. J. Shockey Jr. and his heirs
 and in fact I give & devise all my
 real estate and all interest I may
 now have or may hereafter come
 to me in any real property to my
 brother J. J. Shockey and his heirs
 also I will my interest in my
 brother Dinty Shockey will being
 one eighth of his property to my
 brother J. J. Shockey Jr. and in fact

all my personal & Real property I will
 and devise to the said J. J. Shockey Jr.
 and I hereby appoint J. J. Shockey Jr.
 Executor of this my will in witness
 whereof I have signed sealed published
 and delivered this instrument as my
 will (at home) Van Buren County Tennessee
 this April 22 1859 J. M. Shockey

The said J. M. Shockey at the above
 named place and date signed and
 sealed this instrument and published
 and delivered the same as his last
 will and we at his request and in
 his presence have hereunto written our
 names as subscribing witnesses

Thomas Mitchell
 J. M. Cummings
 J. C. Mitchell

Read in open Court & proven May
 25 1859
 J. S. Johnson
 Chairman

W R Parine admin dec Bonis non
 of Claborn Hillis dec
 report of Sale of Corn and
 Potatoes Nov 24 1888.
 7 Bushels Potatoes 5¢ per bu. 35-
 1 Bush 1.00
 8 1/2 bushels of Corn 33 1/3¢ per bu. 29.16 1/3
 making in all. \$30.17 2/3

W R Parine admin
 dec Bonis non of
 Claborn Hillis
 dec

Signed & Subscribed
 Wm M dec 3 1888
 G B Johnson

Read in open Court approved
 and ordered to be recorded
 G B Johnson
 Chairman

State of Tennessee J. S. B. Groves
 Van Buren County Clerk of the County Court
 of said County have this made settlement
 with W R Parine admin dec Bonis non of
 Claborn Hillis dec

and find him chargeable in inventory
 & Sale bill with \$51.43

He is now entitled to the
 following Credits (viz)

As per Tax receipt for the
 year 1887 for five dollars \$5.00

As allowed admin for his
 services twenty five
 dollars \$25.00

Clarks fees for qualifying
 Letters & Bond 3.00

for this settlement 1.00
 Or in all \$34.00

\$17.43

Which leaves in administrator
 hands seventeen dollars & forty
 three cents This Sept 27 1889

W R Parine
 admin of dec
 Bonis non of
 Claborn Hillis
 dec

approved Sept 27 1889
 G B Johnson
 Chairman

Start of Tennessee

from Baren County } to B. Grissom
 Clerk of the county court of said
 county, his & his by me
 B. Grissom with W. B. Grissom
 a notary public in and for
 the State of Iowa.

Deposits chargeable on Cash
of the bank made Feb. 3rd 1858, with \$266.04
interest, amount to Feb. 14, 58.
\$ 500.00

826270

For the year 1838, I have been
employed by the collector of the
the share was paid to the collector of the
the share was paid to the collector of the

288.4

8174.2

Let us begin again to take

15.48

218578

I have taken and this settlement \$100.00
 I allow guardian for his trouble \$9.00
 Cr. ~~100~~ \$109.00

8/8-4. 12

Det. 1000 in guardian's hands
 1000 hundred eighty four dollars
 in security two e. 1000, 188

Dr. B. Kristani

The Guardian

Sworn to before me

A R. L. ...

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State of Tennessee

Dear Bureau County, county court of Dist
County at the September term 1884.
S. G. B. Sparkman Executor of the estate
of E. W. Sparkman do hereby report
the sale of the real estate the minor
heirs of Rose Anna Forsitts (died
formerly Rose Anna Sparkman) which
being duly warranted by the will
of the said E. W. Sparkman, decd.
The sale was made on the 14th of
June 1886.

The note was taken from the purchaser with interest from date for the sum of one hundred dollars.

The foregoing is a full & perfect
account of the real estate on the
minor ^{part} of Rose Anna Bertha
formerly Rose Anna Spierman
which goes into my hands by will
of ^{said} R. Spierman deceased.

At the City of September 1858.
J. B. Sparkman
Examiner

approved and ordered to be received
Sept. 2 1889 J. B. Johnson
Chairman

State of Tennessee

Van Buren County, J. S. Johnson
Clerk of the County Court of said
County have this day made final
Settlement with Wm. Paine Administrator
of said deceased of Labonne Hillis
decd.

It find him chargeable on
settlement made Sept 2^d 1884
with
He is now entitled to the
following credits (viz)

\$17.43

\$5 per Receipt from Armando
Cred for four dollars & 35¢ \$4.35-

\$5 per Receipt from Logans
Hillis for four dollars
and thirty five cents \$4.36-

\$5 per Receipt from
Larkin Cuthy guardian
of Alfred Cuthy for four
dollars & 35¢ \$4.35-

\$5 per Receipt from Bethia
Hillis guardian for her
children for four dollars
& thirty five cents \$4.35-
Paid Clerk for this settlement \$1.00
Credits \$18.40

Which shows that said decd
paid out all the funds that
came into his hands all of

Which is respectfully submitted
To The Court this 22^d Oct 1884.

Wm Paine

Administrator of Labonne

Approved Oct 7 1884 Hillis decd

J. S. Johnson
Clerk

Inventory of Property Come
to my hands as Administrator
of Wm McElroy decd

1 Bay Mare

Wm Cooper

Inventory of Sale

July 18, 1888

1 Bay mare sold to
Larinda McElroy \$70.00
on a Twelve Month
Credit and Secured by
Larinda Plummer

Wm Cooper
Admin

This day Came Wm Cooper
and made oath in due form
of Law and Stated that the within
is a true Inventory and Sale
Bill of all the personal property
of Wm McElroy decd that has
Came to his hands July 1st 1887

Wm Cooper
Admin

L. B. Johnson