

Thomas Barnes Adm. Settlement Continued

Balance of personal property taken to be divided between eight heirs \$531.61
 Less due each heir \$66.20

So bequeathed to Martha in Will \$50.00
 her part of personal property as above 46.20
 Balance due Martha \$96.20

So amount due the Widow Mary Barnes 1/9 of slaves \$104.59
 her part 1/9 of personal property 46.20
 Balance due the Widow \$150.79

Balance due each of the remaining surviving heirs \$46.20

Balance proceeds of slaves due each of the eight children \$235.32 1/2
 " " " Personal property 1/8 due each heir 46.20
 due 8 eldest heirs each \$281.52 1/2

Recapitulation

So amount paid to Amory \$5.00
 " " " Martha 50.00
 " due Widow & 8 eldest children for slaves 1987.17
 " " " 1/9 heirs from personal property 831.61
 Total balance in the Executors hands \$2873.75

I have charged the Administrator with the note on Dr Barnes, the balance deducting his part of the estate \$72.80 which he thinks will not be paid. And is due 28th December next, I have allowed him for his services Two hundred dollars which I think reasonable, and have charged the eight eldest heirs and the Widow with their part of the expenses, that is 1/9 for least in the sale of the negroes and half of the clothes for the settlement two Prunks & one trunk, and the balance of the expenses I have deducted from the other fund in the Executors hands, I have also allowed him credit for his Lawyers fees for defending the Will, out of the personal property also.

He has also filed in this settlement all the inventories now belonging to said estate, all of which is respectfully submitted to the Orphans Court for confirmation.

G. G. Sibley clerk
 of White County Court

Report of an settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with Joseph N. Roberts Administrator of James Roberts deceased on the 7th day of December 1852 AD 1852,

So amount of sale of land subject to Indemns over \$85.50
 Last payment on first land sale 120.00
\$210.50

By

By balance due Adm on last settlement \$38.86
 Cost of selling land (last) 15.88 1/2
 James Roberts affidavit & Jones receipt 50.00
 Wm Dindens receipt for Davis & Shea 21.70
 G. H. Baker " " 26.50
 Wm McGee acct " 2.00
 W B Cape Quar Receipt over a D. Robinson 49.83
 " " " " " " 62.62
 " " " " " " 11.20
 Clothes for this settlement 2.50 286.10 1/2
 Balance due the Administrator \$46.60 1/2

All of which is respectfully submitted for confirmation AD 7th Dec 1853

G. G. Sibley clerk
 of White County Court

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with James Snowles Administrator of David Humphreys deceased on the 5th day of December 1853 AD 1853, So Inventory and account of sales returned Nov Decr 1851. \$240.60

Each note on the Widow debt reported insolvent 16.02
\$256.44

By Solomon Cornishackly account \$2.40
 Mahala Humphreys receipt 15.00
 G. H. Sibley receipt 1.37, Clothes for fuel 5.50 6.87
 William Penchant " 25.00
 James Cook " 4.00
 E. H. Brown " 5.17
 J. B. Johnson " 37
 J. H. Brown " 52
 Administrator charge for services 15.00 71.34
 Balance in Adm hands \$185.10

to be divided between 5 heirs Less due each \$35.02

The Administrator has filed in this settlement the receipt of the Widow in full for her balance due James \$150.00. I have allowed him fifteen dollars for his services which I think reasonable all of which is respectfully submitted for confirmation G. G. Sibley clerk

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with John S. Thompson & Thomas S. Watson Executors of John Watson deceased on the 6th day of June A.D. 1854 B.M.

To Inventory & account of sales returned July Term 1852	\$4225.60
Carlow hand at time of qualifying	22.00
And retained on Wm. Slingard & Thomas note	72.85
" " James Buchanan "	3.10
" " A Jackson & R. Jones "	6.02
" " R. H. Watson note payable to Thos. Slingard	50.57
" " Patrick Slingard first note due	62.72
" " " " second " "	60.20
" " James Hunter & R. H. Watson	13.64
" " George W. Cummings "	1.20
" " Andrew Slingard	1.90
" " Maria Beville	2.00
" " George W. Cummings 1853 Watson note due July 1850	50.00
Inventory & account of sales returned July Term 1852	439.27
" " " " " " " 1853	30.57
	<u>\$5,022.64</u>

(over)

By John S. Thompson affidavit of payment of George W. Cummings note paid amount \$50.00

Lyfthold & Co. receipt	7.50
Depts. B. Clarke "	2.38
Benton & Co. "	2.23
J. S. Cummings "	2.60
Harmon & Co. "	2.50
John S. Jones "	10.90
J. S. Dehuls (2) "	1.50 & 52.50
Geo. B. Slingard "	1.50 & for clothing at last sale 34
J. S. Slingard "	5.80
Wm. B. Baker "	2.50
Wm. Clayburn "	21.25
At all offices Sply. Expenses receipt	1.00
Ed. H. Watson "	53.40
Thos. Watson "	200.00
John Buchanan "	10.00
John S. Slingard "	.50
Indulge Clarke order for making coffin	1.50
W. E. Ashcroft C. & M. receipt	52.37
W. E. Ashcroft "	16.72
B. S. Ashcroft "	22.26
" " " note	5.52
	<u>603.25</u>

John Watson Decd Settlement list over \$503.25 \$5,042.64

By S. S. Slingard receipt on note payable to Benton & Co.	20.72
Ed. Slingard account vs estate	12.15
Clarks fee for this settlement	2.50
allowance to Adm ^r for services	150.00
	<u>\$688.65</u>
	\$4,353.99
At balance on account from 1 st September 1850	200.25
Balance in Est ^r hands now due	<u>\$4,554.24</u>

The Executors report a note on P. Morgan for \$50 due and uncollected also a note on James Hunter for \$50 article is lost & was not inventoried, the Morgan note was given up and is believed good, they also report \$578.25 due 24th July 1855 for land sold & inventoried at the last February Term, none of these debts are entered in this settlement, but will be brought in in final settlement, I have allowed the Executors for their services, one hundred and fifty dollars article I think reasonable all of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation

G. H. Kirtland clerk
of White County Court

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with Robert Howard Special Administrator upon the estate of Mark Andrews deceased on the 5th June A.D. 1854 B.M.

To Inventory & account of sales returned July Term 1852	\$36.66
Carlow hand after paying for Howard	75
	<u>35.61</u>

(over)

By blanks for in full	\$5.50
Administrators debt vs deceased	24.30
Administrators charge for his services	270
Amount paid W. H. Watson on an account for articles due paid	
Howard over security	291
	<u>\$35.61</u>

I have allowed the Adm^r for his services \$270 which I think reasonable all of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation

G. H. Kirtland clerk
of White County Court

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with David Sargent administrator upon the estate of Joseph Lafayette Bravo deceased on the 7th day of March A.D. 1854. *W.H.*

To Cash received of Abraham McChes late Guardian on the 6th March 1854 \$103.48
 " " " W. E. Selover same time balance of the distribution there on hand sold 8.05
 " " " Joseph Fitzgerald balance except in his hands 6.70
\$118.23

W.H.

By clerk for in full 4.50 4.50
 Balance to be distributed to the Widow 14 children \$113.73

By receipt of J. B. Fitzgerald Guardian for \$45.50
 " " " M. McChes " " 22.74
 " " " W. E. Selover " " 22.74
 " " " W. E. Selover on account for the Widow 22.75 \$113.73

All of which is respectfully submitted to the Honorable Court for Confirmation
 & J. E. Selover clerk

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with David Sargent administrator upon the estate of Alvina Graves deceased on the 7th day of March A.D. 1854. *W.H.*

To Cash received of J. B. Fitzgerald late Guardian on the 6th March 1854 \$24.75
 " " " W. E. Selover clerk Master of Chancery Court & for the due law 58.33
\$83.08

W.H.

By clerk for in full 4.50 4.50
 Balance to be divided between four heirs \$78.58

By W. E. Selover Guardian receipt \$19.14
 J. B. Fitzgerald " " 35.23
 M. McChes " " 19.14 \$73.51

All of which is respectfully submitted to the Honorable Court for Confirmation
 & J. E. Selover clerk

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with Charles Meek adm'r upon the estate of Thomas Meek dec'd on the 22nd day of June A.D. 1854. *W.H.*

To Inventory & account of sales returned this day \$287.65

By J. E. Selover & J. E. Selover receipt \$7.00
 Army Greens " 6.00
 S. B. Mitchell " 11.37
 Clerk for in full 5.50
 Adm'r charge for services 10.00
 Cash paid for Lignum at sale 7.50 40.62
 Balance in Adm'r hands due 8 heirs 9/ \$201.03
 Leave to each heir \$26.37½

I have allowed the Administrator Ten dollars for his services which I think reasonable all of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation
 & J. E. Selover clerk

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with William Dured (late Trustee of said County for School fund on the 12th day of April A.D. 1854. *W.H.*

To Balance on hand at last Settlement \$140.58
 Amount rec'd from State Treasury for 1854 1528.39
\$1668.97

W.H.

By Thomas Comptroller on \$1528 1528
 Monitors paid 1st District 132.74 3/4
 " " 2 " 124.13
 " " 3 " 139.63
 " " 4 " 84.00
 " " 5 " 76.70
 " " 6 " 97.75
 " " 7 " 98.00
 " " 8 " 71.34 1/2
 " " 9 " 113.76 1/2
 " " 10 " 81.70
 " " 11 " 134.97
 " " 12 " 90.46
 " " 13 " 85.00
 " " 14 " 52.00
 " " 15 " 37.65 \$1034.17 1/2

Balance in hands of Trustee \$234.78
 All of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation
 & J. E. Selover clerk

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with Arthur Warren
Treasurer of Kourse Seminary on the 6th day of July 1853 A.M.

In Balance on hand at last Settlement	\$50.88
Received balance proceeds of sale of old Academy	80.50
Cash borrowed of S. D. Clenny	400.00
Received from the Seminary in 1852	225.00
	<u>756.38</u>

Let

By H. Lloyd & Sons rec'd eight	1.00
John & Perryman "	47.60
W. & Walker two "	17.92
W. & Walker & Sons one "	6.96
Mary McEless the Old School earnings	109.24
Single Mary J. rec'd	5.00
W. Stephens "	26.45
S. B. Rodger "	27.50
S. M. Campbell "	3.90
John Warren "	98.58
Simon Starnes 3 "	357.91
	<u>702.06</u>

Balance in the hands of the Treasurer \$ 54.32

The Treasurer reports they have borrowed Four hundred dollars from
S. D. Clenny which he is charged with above, and that they are owing other debts
for implements and improvements which are not brought into this account,
the debt for implements is to the Bank for \$496. and for improvements is
\$176.55 to John Warren signor of S. Branch, all of which is respectfully submitted
for confirmation
A. G. School clerk

Sarah Cope widow of John W. Cope deceased years previous
assigned by Commissioners 9th September 1853 A.M.

Eighteen hundred pounds of Pork 1 Black Deer for Wolf
Fifty dollars cash for family uses Sixty five Barrels corn
One choice Pack of Cats, Two thousand birds of Godder
Forty Barrels wheat, all the Wool, Cotton, all the Salt, all the
Potato patches and all the soap on hand 9th September 1853

A. G. School clerk

William Lusk Jr. Clerk

David Hays Clerk

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with John
Warren former Treasurer of Kourse Seminary on the 26th day of
May 1854 A.M.

In Balance in hands of Treasurer at last Settlement	\$ 54.32
Amount received from the Seminary 6 th Sept 1853	230.40
	<u>284.72</u>

Let

By J. Warren receipt on Promissory order 25 th July	\$61.25
" " " " " full 6 Sept	110.00
W. & Walker " 16 Sept 1853	33.10
S. B. Rodger " 17 July "	27.50
S. D. Clenny " for interest on note 12 2 nd 1853	22.40
Amount paid Bank in redeeming note	59.80
	<u>\$ 289.50</u>

Balance due John Warren late Treasurer 4.72

The Treasurer reports the indebtedness of the Academy to be Eight hundred
and fifty five dollars in his notes in Bank, and I find it due him
over 7400 dollars on Settlement, all of which is respectfully submitted
for confirmation
A. G. School clerk

Kitty Bruster widow of William Bruster deceased
years previous assigned by Commissioners on the 29th November 1853 A.M.
17 Barrels Soap supposed to weigh thirty four hundred pounds
1 Box of Eggs, Seven hundred Barrels of Corn, Sixty five
Barrels of Wheat, Two thousand birds of Godder, One hundred
birds of Cats, One load of Hay, 3 Barrels Salt, One sack of Coffee,
Two hundred pounds of sugar, all the Flour, Fifty pounds pickled
Cotton, all the Diggins & Potatoes, all the Cabbage, turnip, apples
dry and green, all the soap on hand, One pen of Shocks and
Ten dollars in cash for other expenses

Given to before me 29th Nov 1853

A. G. School clerk

Andrew J. Smith Clerk

Johnnie McFarland Clerk

James Lowrey Clerk

Andrew McBride deceased report of Commissioners appointed to
assign an year previous to Sarah McBride the widow of said 28th
Sept 1853 A.M. 1 Bed and Furniture 1 Cow and Calf, each
to buy Bacon and fat six dollars One Hog seven to buy Eight
choice shute to make her meat all the salt on hand and
Cash to buy 2^{1/2} Barrels more, Twenty four Barrels wheat
over

Five hundred and fifty Bushels corn, in addition to what old corn is
 on hand. Fifty pounds coffee, fifty pounds sugar, lead to buy that amount
 Five dollars to buy spin sugar, Pepper & Soda, what meal, what Potatoes
 and buck potatoes, One two year old Hays for a Staff, all the soap on
 hand, lead to buy that Five dollars 1 Set of plates 1 Set of cups & saucers, 1 Kitchen
 and 1 Set of iron spade

Thomas B. Johnson

Abraham D. Ghee

David S. Diggs

Sauvign Green widow of John Green deceased years
 Regard of Commission assigned by Court 18th, Five hundred thirty
 dollars, Three hundred pounds of Bacon, Five Bushels of Wheat, Five
 hundred thirty of Oats, One cow, One Goat, Red net to contain over twenty
 five pounds of Oysters, One Red Head, 2 Shirts 2 Blankets 1 Comforter
 12 dozen Spin Sugar, 6 plates 1 Dish, 1 Pot, 1 Baked oven, 1 Spring
 Wheel 1 pair Cotton Cards, 1 chisel, 1 head of sheep, 10 head of Stock
 Sheep all fowls & Poultry, 6 chairs 1 Bed, 1 Hyacinth Brook 1 horse
 and Ox, 1 Horse, 1 Set of New gears, 1 Barrel Stave, 1 Iron bridge, 1 Side
 Saddle, 1 Bridle, and twenty dollars in Cash to buy sugar coffee and other necessities
 which is respectfully submitted

John F. Johnston Jr

Richmond Anderson

Richmond Denver

Elizabeth Heill widow of Jacob Heill deceased years
 Commission assigned by Commission 11th Oct 1852 18th

9 Hogs in the Pen One Bay Steer 400 Bushels Corn, 500 ^{1/2} flour
 \$40.00 for salt coffee and other misc all the cash on hand 1000 Bushels
 of Potatoes, 40 ^{1/2} Corn, 30 ^{1/2} Wool, all the necessities on hand
 all the Bee hives on hand all the Poultry and all the soap on hand
 nine under our hands this 11th Oct 1853

S. K. Davis

James Stand

William E. Camp

In the name of God Amen ¹⁶⁸ ¹⁶⁹ **Isaac Taylor** of the County of
 White and State of Tennessee being weak in body but of sound and disposing
 mind and memory do make and declare this my last will and Testament
 I do bequeath my soul to God who gave it and my body to the earth to be buried
 under the direction of my Executors

I do hereby give and devise that all my just debts be paid as soon after my decease as possible
 I do give and bequeath to my beloved wife Margaret Taylor during her natural life or
 widowhood all of my lands in White County Tennessee with the rents profits and
 emoluments thereof after my death, also a Negro Girl Emily a Negro man Peter
 a Negro boy Vincent a Negro girl Martha, besides which she is to have the
 use later and control of each other of my negroes as she may direct and select
 she is also to have such of the houses, outhouses, barn, corn, & sheep that may be over
 hand as she may direct, and all the personal things of every kind including or
 including, steam hold and kitchen furniture, Dugger, bearing, Luggage, Saddle,
 farming implements and all such other like necessaries as may be on hand at the time
 of my decease, I also give and bequeath to her Five hundred dollars in Cash
 out of the money on hand at my said death, besides which she is to have the
 third of the interest due and which may become due on certain notes below named
 until said notes be collected, she is also to have all the dividends on my Bank Stock
 in the Planters Bank of Tennessee, as the same may be declared, until said Stock be
 sold, And whatever balance may be due on two notes on Capital & Davis
 for the hire of two negroes one dated 11th July 1848 and the other the 11th July 1850
 the notes mentioned above at interest are as follows, One on John Taylor
 for Five hundred and nine dollars dated Nov 29 1847 with Credit of Five
 hundred fifty dollars & 50 Cents, One on S. K. Davis for Five hundred dollars
 dated Oct 1 1845 with a credit of three hundred thirty dollars & 17 Cents One
 on S. K. Davis & S. P. P. for Twenty five hundred dollars dated the 25th Dec
 1846 with Credit amounting to Six hundred & twenty dollars & 50 Cents, And one
 on Peter & Emily for Three hundred and fifty dollars dated 26th July 1853,
 she is to have the right to keep the negroes, Peter Emily Martha & Vincent, real
 and control them as her own during life or widowhood, but she may at any time
 dispose of them or either of them either by and or sell to any of her children or
 grand children, If she thinks proper to do so, But if she marry again or for
 another having first made such a disposition of them, her Will to said negroes
 is to be as and they are and their increase if there be any shall belong to my
 children, the other negroes are only loaned to her for life or widowhood,
 but should she marry she may still retain possession of the land until the death
 she may however give her consent if she think proper, to the sale of the land
 and leased negroes or any part of either of them for distribution amongst
 my heirs, children, And should she consent to a sale of all my in
 lands, she is then to have out of the proceeds thereof Fifty
 hundred dollars, but should she agree to a sale of a part

Isaac Taylor Will continued

= of the lands, and retain the balance, then she is to have the eighth part of the proceeds of such sale, and should she agree to a sale of the negroes owned her as aforesaid or any of them, the proceeds of such sale or sales are to be divided between ~~them~~ my children as they may be respectively entitled to the same, and my said wife she receiving an equal share, provided however that should she prefer it the money shall be loaned out and she shall be entitled to the interest thereon as long as she would have been entitled to the sales or hire of said negroes under this will, and in as much as the negro boy Vince has now consumed ~~over~~ at this time, this my will and I so desire that if he proves to be a cripple or his value impaired in consequence thereof, then my Executors shall take him back and give my said wife Five hundred dollars in his stead, to be paid out of my estate and I further desire that my Executors pay the same on the said ^{negro} and the negro woman loaned out of the estate also, and I further give and bequeath to my said wife the eighth part of all the other articles may be coming or in at my decease, except those for said lady sold to Mr & Drury, also the two eighth part of the proceeds of the sale of all my other singular property and lands, not heretofore named and of the proceeds of my said Black Jack when the same may be sold, provided they be disposed of during her life or widowhood.

It is my will and I so desire that after my wife shall have satisfied such of the personal property & negroes as she may be entitled to under this will by execution shall as soon as convenient proceed to call all the balances of the personally & negroes except such as is herein after comprised of, also my lands in Rockland County Tennessee and so soon as the title to my lands in Texas are secured or perfected they will sell the same, and as soon as they may think it advisable they will sell my stock in the American Bank, and all the debt due to my estate, are to be collected as soon as the same can be done conveniently, and the proceeds of such sales and collections together with the balance of Cash in hand if any, shall be applied first to the payment of all my just debts and the expense of the estate - Second to the payment of the special desires herein made, and the balance to be distributed amongst my children as they or either of them may be respectively entitled to the same, The one who has received the loan in advancements or advancements and bequests, to be the first to receive monies of the Executors, until his her or their share or shares are paid or equal to them who have received the highest amounts, It being my will that all such share equally in my estate coming advancements, and bequests, except such advancements or bequests as are herein expressly saved from and taken out of the general account, and in making said settlement each one of my children are to be charged as follows, that is to say Five hundred dollars to my daughter Maria & Maria's then husband Samuel & Maria in Texas, negroes & other property, thirty five hundred and fifty four dollars to my son, John & Taylor in Cash, negroes & other property thirty five hundred and fifty four dollars, And in consideration of his infirmities and unavoidable hard luck with the property heretofore given him

and the further consideration of Color Women by him performed for me, I hereby give & bequeath to him a negro boy about whom he is to have free of charge and I also give him an old negro man named Benbow, an old negro woman named Child Margaret whom he is also to have free of charge in consideration that he is to take good care of them and they are of little value, I have here before given to my daughter Ann & Eliza, their husband Ed Eliza in Texas negroes & other property thirty four hundred fifty seven dollars, to my daughter Abner & Emily & her husband John & Emily in Texas negroes & other property thirty four hundred and fifty two dollars, to my daughter Mary & David & her husband Frederick & David in Texas negroes & other property thirty four hundred & thirty nine dollars, to my son Thomas & Taylor in Texas negroes & other property thirty six hundred dollars, and I hereby give and bequeath unto him, my Blacksmith tools, the half of my library of books besides which he is to have the third of the interest on the other specified in the preceding article what interest, with said note and bonds, the debt, stocks and interest are not to be charged against him, I have given to my son Isaac Taylor in Texas the sum of ten dollars, and I hereby desire that he shall have thirty five hundred dollars out of the proceeds of the sale of the lands lately made to Mr & Drury, when the same are collected, provided however, that should the fund not be collected, within a reasonable time after my decease, or if collected before and otherwise disposed of, he is to have that amount from some other available source, I have also heretofore given him in Cash One hundred dollars, and I hereby give and bequeath to him my remaining tools & instruments and one half of my library of books, besides which he is to have one third of the interest on the before specified note & interest, the One hundred dollars in Cash to be used in buying instruments and interest he is to have free of any charge, I should desire my wife, my son Thomas & Co, or my son Isaac do before the interest on the before specified note shall have been collected, the balance thus collected whether due or to become due, shall go to the survivor or survivors as the case may be, and should my son Isaac who is now in the Western County never return to receive the legally herein made to him or the property herein mentioned, or given him all of which is now in my possession, it is my will and desire and I so desire, that the same be divided between my other legatees, that is my wife and the balance of my children, except the sum of interest aforesaid, which is to be divided as aforesaid between my wife & my son Thomas & Co.

3^d I hereby give and bequeath to my nephew John & Taylor One hundred dollars out of my estate, to be held in the hands of my representatives, or if they loaned out at interest until he becomes of age, when it is to be paid to him provided he shall have remained with my wife and prove to be dutiful & obedient to her as long as she may live or till he so becomes of age, and to follow instructions & moral, or if he will learn some good mechanical trade and conduct himself well as aforesaid, but if he fail or refuse to so remain with her, or to learn some trade or fail to

Isaac Taylors Will Continued

Conduct himself sober industriously and morally, then this bequest to fail & the fund is to revert to my other legatee

6th I hereby nominate and appoint my said beloved wife Margaret Taylor my executor and my son John & Taylor my sons in law Peter & Philip & John & Abner or each of them as may live the Country or willing to qualify and act as such to be my Executors, to carry out and execute the provisions of this my last will and testament with power and authority to sell such of the property as is to be sold, to sue for and collect my debts or bring any other suits necessary for the performance of the said to make such compromise in relation to claims or other matters of controversy affecting the same as they may think meet to the interest and least expense thereto, to execute deeds upon sale of any of the property when necessary to sell the property privately or publicly for cash or on time as they may think best and to do and execute all other business properly pertaining to this said affair as my representatives, They being allowed to qualify by entering into bond without any security, and should either of them die after qualifying but before he had finished the business or businesses are entrusted to finish the execution of the same, and at my wife's death or at the termination of her widowhood, They well sell all the remaining negroes left with her for life or widowhood, and divide the proceeds amongst my children as they may be respectively entitled thereto, and at her death all the remaining lands of the estate and divide the proceeds as aforesaid according to the true intent and meaning of this Will, And should it turn out that the negro boy Samuel given to my son Isaac be unwound then my Executors will take him back and pay to my said son three hundred dollars out of my estate in lieu of said boy. The Lands spoken of herein as given to my son Thomas & Taylor as a house as the Widow Taylor place and embrace the greater part of the Land purchased from her and of the share of Isaac Taylor's share also embracing a part of a small entry lying between them and the lands of John Sutterman, and to embrace a small entry in the name of John & Taylor and a small piece bought of Wm Erwin, and fifty acres being one half of an entry of other lands, all lying south of an East & west line running with the other half from west to where John Taylor Jr now lives, the land of my son Thomas may however run further North over the land of the other half than the corner of the same, and may run from said corner to near a perpendicular line standing near the house and thence North to John Sutterman's line thence South to, provided my representatives to the same, All in addition to what has been heretofore bequeathed to my son John & Taylor, I hereby give and bequeath to him the Little tract of Land bounded as follows, Beginning at the south East corner of the Land given to R. B. Pinkey Thence North to the line of the original 1,000 acres Survey, thence North and West to the beginning corner of said tract above the Little, thence North 45° East or with the line of the same

90 poles to another corner of the same, thence North with another line of the same to the corner of said Pinkey land, thence West with the line of the same to the beginning, provided however that he may have fifty or one hundred acres more if he desires it to be laid off adjoining & west of the above described Little tract and adjoining the 1000 acres, all of which lands he is to be charged with at a reasonable valuation, Given under my hand and seal this 24th day of April 1850

Isaac Taylor (Seal)

Sealed signed and acknowledged in our presence and signed by us in the presence of the witnesses & of each other as witnesses the date above

Henry Lovell

John S. Sutterman

Codicil

By way of an addition to my foregoing Will and Testament dated the 17th April 1850 It is my will and I so direct that my beloved wife shall have my negro woman Esther in addition to those given to her absolutely, and should my said wife find it necessary for her comfortable and necessary support to sell any or all of the negroes bequeathed her for life or widowhood, my representatives then are directed to sell the same as she may direct, and my said wife is to have the proceeds thereof or any part of the same that she may desire, Since making the foregoing Will I have given to my son in law R. B. Pinkey five hundred dollars as a note on Capt. A. S. Davis with which he and his wife Mary & Mark are to be charged with in the settlement of my estate in addition to what is charged to them in my foregoing Will,

I give and bequeath to my beloved daughter Louisa S. Davis and the heirs of her body three hundred dollars to be used by her as she may think proper which she is not to be chargeable with in the settlement of my estate nor her husband A. S. Davis, this amount is part of a legacy left me by my beloved & dear Jane S. Robinson by her last will and Testament, and I give the foregoing amount of it to my aforesaid daughter, she being called for by said Aunt. I have heretofore given to my son Thomas & Taylor as expressed in my foregoing Will seven the nothing of which I have given a note of his recorded to his Mother John & Taylor for about one hundred fifty dollars, and I have bequeathed to my son Thomas & some money at several times, and I do hereby give and bequeath to him five hundred dollars in cash or cash notes to his interest from my estate, this amount together with the note of his and money heretofore bequeathed him, he is to have free of any charge against him in the settlement of my estate, These several sums I give him in discharge of his last debt with some of the property heretofore given him, and because he is in debt some the Land bequeathed to my son John & Taylor in my foregoing Will. It is at his discretion whether to take it or not at a reasonable value valuation, should he not take it, it is hereby bequeathed

Isaac Taylor Dec: Ordinal to Will continued

to my wife with the balance of my said Ord to be disposed of as she may think proper as set forth in said Will, I have heretofore given in my aforesaid Will to my son Isaac Taylor the sum of one hundred dollars in Negroes which he is chargeable with and thereby five hundred dollars in Cash, And I do hereby give him the amount of a note for about twenty two dollars made payable by him to Thomas E. Taylor, with this amount my said son Isaac is not to be made chargeable with in the settlement of my estate. It at present seems doubtful whether any of or not more than one of the persons named in my will before recited will be here that will act as my Executor And perhaps not one of them in the County, In that event I do hereby nominate and appoint Dr. Madison White my Executor to act with others here before appointed or by himself as the case may be to my aforesaid Will and to this Ordinal to the same. Witness my hand and seal this 20th May 1854. Isaac Taylor Dec

in our presence and signed by us in the presence of the Notary & of each other as witnesses the date above

John Taylor Seal.

John Taylor Seal.

State of Tennessee }
Whit County } July Term A 1854

This day was produced in open Court a paper Writing purporting to be the last Will and Testament of Isaac Taylor late a Citizen of the County of Whit deceased, And the due execution and publication thereof as such was proven in open Court by the oaths of John E. Hyman and Henry Odell the subscribing Witnesses thereto for the purposes and things therein contained. Who also made oath in due form of Law that said deceased at the time of signing said last Will and Testament was of sound and disposing mind and memory. Whereupon in like manner the Ordinal attached to said last Will and Testament was also proven in open Court by the oaths of John Taylor Seal and John Taylor Seal the subscribing Witnesses thereto for the purposes and things therein contained. Who also made oath in due form of Law that said deceased at the time of executing said Ordinal to his last Will and Testament was of sound and disposing mind and memory, said Will and Ordinal thereto attached being deemed by the Court to be sufficiently proven is ordered to be recorded and attested as

Wm at office in Spring the 3rd day of July A 1854
C. C. Deane clerk
of Whit County Court

State of Tennessee Whit County

Whereas on this 2nd day of September A 1854 the death of John A. Simpson late of the County of Whit deceased was suggested in open Court and that he departed this life intestate Whereupon Alexander P. Davis and Mary H. Simpson was appointed Administrators and Administration there are therefore to empower the said Administrators and Administratrix to enter into and report all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased And then into his proper heirs whomsoever the said may be found in this State And an Inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by Law and all the just debts of the said are ordered to pay so far as the said estate will extend or amount to. Witness George C. Deane clerk of our said Court at office the first Monday in September A 1854 and in the 7th Year of American Independence

C. C. Deane clerk
of Whit County Court

State of Tennessee Whit County

Whereas on this 6th day of November A 1854 the death of William A. Pennington late of the County of Whit deceased was suggested in open Court and that he departed this life intestate Whereupon Emory Pennington was appointed Administrator there are therefore to empower the said Administrator to enter into and report all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased And then into his proper heirs whomsoever the said may be found in this State And an Inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by Law And all the just debts of the said deceased to pay so far as the said estate will extend or amount to. Witness George C. Deane clerk of our said Court at office the first Monday in November A 1854 and in the 7th Year of American Independence

C. C. Deane clerk
of Whit County Court

State of Tennessee Whit County

Whereas on this 6th day of November A 1854 the death of John Knowles late of the County of Whit deceased was suggested in open Court and that he departed this life intestate Whereupon William Knowles Jr was appointed and qualified Administrator there are therefore to empower the said Administrator to enter into and report all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased And then into his proper heirs whomsoever the said may be found in this State And an Inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by Law And all the just debts of the said deceased to pay so far as the said estate will extend or amount to. Witness George C. Deane clerk of our said Court at office the first Monday in November A 1854 and in the 7th Year of American Independence

C. C. Deane clerk
of Whit County Court

State of Tennessee White County

Whereas on this 4th day of September A.D. 1804 the death of Abner
Holland late of the County of White deceased was suggested in open Court
 and that he departed this life intestate Whereupon Seaton Holland was
 appointed and qualified Administrator There are therefore to empower the said
 Administrator to enter into and upon all and singular the goods and chattels
 rights and credits of the said deceased and then into his possession take
 wherever the said may be found in this State and an inventory to return
 into the Court within the time limited by law and all the just debts of the said
 deceased to pay so far as the said estate will extend or amount to Whiff George
Clifford clerk of our said Court at Office the first Monday in September A.D. 1805
 and in the 79th Year of American Independence

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 G. G. Clifford Clerk

G. G. Clifford Clerk
 of White County Court

State of Tennessee White County

Whereas on this 6th day of November A.D. 1804 the death of Thomas F
Goodwin late of the County of White deceased was suggested in open Court
 and that he departed this life intestate Whereupon Alexander M Goodwin was appointed and
 qualified Administrator There are therefore to empower the said Administrator to enter
 into and upon all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said
 deceased and then into his possession take wherever the said may be found
 in this State and an inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by law and
 all the just debts of the said deceased to pay so far as the said estate will extend
 or amount to Whiff George & Clifford Clerk of our said Court at Office the first Monday
 in November A.D. 1805 And in the 79th Year of American Independence

G. G. Clifford Clerk
 of White County Court

State of Tennessee White County

At a Court begun and held for the County of White on the first Monday in January
 in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five, Whereas the last will and
 Testament of Richard border late of said County deceased last been exhibited to the said Court
 and proved in due form as required by law Wherein in the same manner have been qualifi-
 ed as Executors Thomas F border and John border, There are therefore to empower the
 said Executors to enter into and upon all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said
 deceased and then into their possession take wherever the same may be found in this State and
 an inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by law and all the just debts of the said
 deceased to pay so far as the said estate will extend or amount to Whiff George & Clifford
 Clerk of our said Court at Office the first Monday in January A.D. 1855 and in the 79th
 Year of American Independence

G. G. Clifford Clerk
 of White County Court

State of Tennessee White County

At a Court begun and held for the County of White on the first Monday in January in
 the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five, Whereas the last will and
 Testament of Madison Diske late of said County deceased last been exhibited to
 the said Court and proved in due form as required by law, Wherein in the same manner
 have been qualifi- ed as Executors and Executrix Eliza Diske Adrian Diske and John Diske
 There are therefore to empower the said Executors and Executrix to enter into and upon
 all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased, and then into
 their possession take wherever the same may be found in this State, and an inventory to return
 into the Court within the time limited by law, and all the just debts of the said deceased
 to pay so far as the said estate will extend or amount to Whiff George & Clifford Clerk of our
 said Court at Office the first Monday in January A.D. 1855 and in the 79th Year of
 American Independence

G. G. Clifford Clerk
 of White County Court

State of Tennessee
 White County

At a Court begun and held for the County of White on the first
 Monday in January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and fifty five
 Whereas the last will and Testament of Martha Hill late of said County deceased
 last been exhibited to the said Court and proved in due form as required by law, Where-
 in in the same manner, have been qualifi- ed as Executors James M Hill and John Hill
William Hill, There are therefore to empower the said Executors to enter into and upon all
 and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased and then into their
 possession take wherever the same may be found in this State and an inventory to return
 into the Court within the time limited by law, and all the just debts of the said deceased
 to pay so far as the said estate will extend or amount to, Whiff George & Clifford Clerk of
 our said Court at Office the first Monday in January A.D. 1855 and in the 79th Year
 of American Independence

G. G. Clifford Clerk
 of White County Court

State of Tennessee White County

Whereas on this 4th day of September A.D. 1804 the death of William Anderson late
 of the County of White deceased was suggested in open Court and that he departed this
 life intestate Whereupon William M Anderson was appointed and qualified Adminis-
 trator, There are therefore to empower the said Administrator to enter into and
 upon all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said
 deceased and then into his possession take wherever the said may be found in this
 State, and an inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by
 law, and all the just debts of the said deceased to pay so far as the said
 estate will extend or amount to, Whiff George & Clifford Clerk of our said Court
 at Office the first Monday in September A.D. 1805 and in the 79th Year
 of American Independence

G. G. Clifford Clerk
 of White County Court

State of Tennessee - White County

At a Court begun and held for the County aforesaid on the first Monday in February in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty five, Whereas the last will and Testament of **Thomas Williams** late of said County deceased hath been exhibited to the said Court and proved in due form as required by law, Whereunto in the same manner have been qualified as Executors and Executrix **Mary Ann Williams** and **Stephen J. Williams** There are therefore to empower the said Executors and Executrix to enter into and upon all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased And then into his possession take whereever the same may be found in this State, And an Inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by law, And all the just debts of the said deceased to pay so far as the said estate will extend or amount to **Wm. George & Dillard** clerk of our said Court at Office in Spring the first Monday in February, A. D. 1855 and in the 79th year of American Independence

G. D. Dillard clerk
of White County Court

State of Tennessee, White County

At a Court begun and held for the County aforesaid on the first Monday in February in the year of our Lord One thousand eight hundred and fifty five Whereas the last will and Testament and Admorsal thereof of **John Ripston** late of said County deceased hath been exhibited to the said Court and proved in due form as required by law, Whereunto in the same manner have been qualified as Executors **McGowen & Dillard** There are therefore to empower the said Executors to enter into and upon all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased And then into his possession take whereever the same may be found in this State And an Inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by law, And all the just debts of the said deceased to pay so far as the said estate will extend or amount to **Wm. George & Dillard** clerk of our said Court at Office in Spring the first Monday in February A. D. 1855 and in the 79th year of American Independence

G. D. Dillard clerk
of White County Court

State of Tennessee - White County

Whereas on this 3rd day of March A. D. 1855 the death of **William Hollenback** late of the County of White deceased was suggested in open Court and that he departed this life intestate, Whereupon **Erastus & Thompson** were appointed and qualified Administrators, There are therefore to empower the said Administrators to enter into and upon all and singular the goods and chattels rights and credits of the said deceased And then into his possession take whereever the said may be found in this State, And an Inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by law, And all the just debts of the said deceased to pay so far as the said estate

will extend or amount to **Wm. George & Dillard** clerk of our said Court at Office the first Monday in March A. D. 1855 and in the seventy ninth year of American Independence

G. D. Dillard clerk
of White County Court

State of Tennessee - White County

Whereas on this 14th day of July A. D. 1854, the death of **Thomas Abnerston** late of the County of White deceased, was suggested in open Court, and that he departed this life intestate. Whereupon **Samuel C. Lowrey** and **James H. Dyer** his executors were appointed and qualified Administrators, There are therefore to empower the said Administrators, Accidental, to enter into and upon all and singular the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased, and then into his possession take whereever the said may be found in this State, and an Inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by law, and all the just debts of the said deceased to pay, so far as the said estate will extend or amount to.

Wm. George & Dillard clerk of our said Court at Office the first Monday in October A. D. 1854, and in the 79th year of American Independence
George J. Dyer clerk
of White County Court

State of Tennessee - White County

Whereas on this 30th day of April A. D. 1854, the death of **John Abnerston** late of the County of White deceased was suggested in open Court. Whereupon **Samuel C. Lowrey** was appointed and qualified Administrator with the Will annexed. There are therefore to empower the said Administrator with the Will annexed to enter into and upon all and singular, the goods and chattels, rights and credits of the said deceased, and then into his possession take, whereever the said may be found in this State, and an Inventory to return into the Court within the time limited by law, and all the just debts of the said deceased to pay, so far as the said estate will extend or amount to. **Wm. George & Dillard** clerk of our said Court at Office the first Monday in October A. D. 1854 and in the 79th year of American Independence

G. D. Dillard clerk
of White County Court

State of Tennessee - White County.

Whereas, on this 6th day of November A.D. 1854 the death of Osborn Walker and Mary Walker late of the County of White, Tennessee, was suggested in Open Court and that they departed this life intestate.

Whereupon Neziah Walker, was appointed and qualified as Administrator. These are therefore, to empower the said Administrator, to enter into, and upon all and singular, the goods and Chattels, rights and Credits of the said deceased, and then into his possession take, whenever or the said may be found in this State and an inventory to return into this Court within the time limited by law, and all the just debts of the said deceased to pay, so far as the said estate will extend or amount to.

Witness George S. Dibrell, Clerk of our said Court at Office, the first Monday in October A.D. 1854 and the 79th year of American Independence.

George S. Dibrell, Clerk
of White County Court.

State of Tennessee - White County.

Whereas, on this 6th day of November A.D. 1854, the death of Charles C. Kelchenside, late of the County of White, Tennessee, was suggested in Open Court and that he departed this life intestate.

Whereupon Anthony J. Smith was appointed and qualified Administrator. These are therefore to empower the said Administrator, to enter into, and upon all and singular, the goods and Chattels, rights and Credits of the said deceased, and then into his possession take, whenever the same may be found in this State, and an inventory to return into this Court within the time limited by law and all the just debts of the said deceased to pay, so far as the said estate will extend or amount to.

Witness George S. Dibrell, Clerk of our said Court, at Office, the first Monday in November A.D. 1854 and in the 79th year of American Independence.

George S. Dibrell, Clerk
of White County Court.

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I Thomas Williams being Sensible of Mortality, now low in body, but sound in memory and of a disposing mind, do hereby make this my last will and testament revoking and making void all other wills by me at any time made.

First - I direct that my funeral expenses and all my debts be paid as soon after my death as possible, first out of any money I may be possessed of or first coming to the hands of my executor.

Secondly - I give and bequeath to my beloved wife Mary Ann Williams all my estate, clearing her widowhood except that part otherwise directed.

Thirdly - I desire that my black woman Pearce and her child continue to serve on a ~~year~~ twelve months credit at public or private sale that matter to be left discretionary with my representatives, and the proceeds after ~~the~~ my debts are all paid, the balance to be laid out to purchase land for my widow and family to live on, clearing her life as widow here.

Fourthly - I desire that Jack and her increase remain in my family until she or he die, and if my youngest child becomes of age then to be equally divided among my children.

Fifthly - I do hereby nominate and appoint my wife Mary Ann and my son Stephen S. Williams my executrix and executor. In witness whereof to this my will I do set my hand and seal this the fifteenth day of December, eighteen hundred and fifty four.

Thomas S. Williams, Senr.
make

Signed Sealed and published, in our presence and we have Subscribed our names herunto in the presence of the testator and of each other

William Glenn
James C. Baker
Dabney C. Baker

In the name of God Amen, I James A. Scott of the County of White and State of Tennessee being weak in body but of Sound mind and perfect memory do make and publish this as my last will and Testament, hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time heretofore made, in manner and form following, To wit:

Item first. - I will and direct that all my funeral expenses be paid to be paid out of the first moneys that may come into the hands of my executor hereinafter mentioned.

Item second. - I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Elizah Cosby five dollars to be paid to her by my Executor.

Item third. - I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Mary Scott two young Cows and the Horse and Saddle now in her possession.

Item fourth. - I give and bequeath to my Son James Franklin Scott five dollars in addition to two

acres of land this day conveyed to him by deed from me. Item fifth. - I give to my Daughter Elizah Scott her Saddle and bridle and when she wants to leave home or marry I direct that she is to have a good horse out of my estate and two Cows.

Item sixth. - I give and bequeath to my Son William Lawrence Scott a Brown mare which he now claims and all the future increase of said mare from this date, also a good young Saddle to be bought for him provided I do not buy the Saddle during my lifetime.

Item seventh. - I give and bequeath to my Daughter Martha Scott one good horse Saddle and bridle and two Cows.

Item eighth. - I give and bequeath unto my Daughter Eliza Scott one good horse Saddle and bridle and two Cows.

Item ninth. - I give and bequeath unto my Son Taylor Scott the youngest child one good horse Saddle bridle and blanket.

Item tenth. - I give and bequeath unto my Son William Lawrence Scott all the balance of my estate of every kind and description whatever, with the express understanding that he in consideration thereof shall maintain and support my wife Rebecca Scott during her natural life in a decent comfortable manner, and that he shall also raise, support and educate as I have done, the children of my children, until they arrive at full age or leave the place, this condition is made also in consideration of the deed I have this day made to him for the land

which I desire shall stand and that he will carry out the request, he is only to have of the household furniture the Bureau, Cupboard and Table, and the balance of the household furniture is to be disposed of by my wife Rebecca amongst all the children as she think proper. Item Eleventh. - I will and direct that during the first week in September next, if I should die before that time my executor herein after mentioned is to set to the highest upon a credit of twelve months at my residence all of my stock of Cattle except four Cows two heifers and one Yoke of Oxen, also all my stock of Horses except four head of work Horses, William Brown mare to which one of that number, which was to remain on the farm for the use of the family, William is to select the stock to be kept on the farm. I desire that all the balance of my stock remain in William possession on the farm for the use of the family, and my Executor hereinafter named is to settle all of my debt out of any money that may come to his hands, and after the requests by one Spurgeon are paid off my desire is that my Son William shall have all the balance of my estate to enable him to pay the other Heirs what is owed to them to make them as near equal as possible not bringing the requests of James Franklin and William into consideration. I further will and desire that my two young sons Carroll and Whitman shall have each one as provided for in this Item.

To wit. - I hereby nominate Carroll and appoint William Lawrence my executor to this my last will and Testament.

In testifying whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal to this my will in my own House on this 30th day of March A.D. 1854.

Signed Sealed and Acknowledged

before us this 30th March 1854

J. G. Gibrell

William Mahan

Witness.

It is my will and desire that my executor above nominated shall see my negro girl and my half of a tract of land I own upon the mountain as soon after my death as convenient to the highest

James N. Scott's Will and Testament Continued
 reader upon twelve months credit, and the proceeds
 applied to the payment of my debts and if any
 surplus remains to be disposed of as the balance
 of my effects above bequeathed. In testimony
 whereof I have hereunto set my hand and
 affixed my seal to this will and testament this 2nd day of May A.D. 1854
 Attest

Thomas Carmichael James N. Scott (Seal)
 William Graham

State of Tennessee

Plans at a Circuit Court begun and held for
 the County of White in the State aforesaid in the Court house
 in the town of Sparta on the last Monday it being the twenty fifth
 day of September in the year of our Lord one thousand eight
 hundred and fifty four and in the seventy eighth year
 of American Independence.

Present the Honorable W. S. Davidson one of the judges
 of the Circuit Court of the State of Tennessee upon a change
 of sitting with the Honorable John S. Goddard judge of the
 fourth judicial Circuit in said State.

Friday Morning October 6th A.D. 1854

James N. Scott administrator of
 James N. Scott deceased

Deceased
 bel now.

William C. Cosby & his wife Delila Cosby Come the parties
 of their own free will and choice have come a party of good and
 lawful men to wit: Joseph W. Hays, Alfred Wilson, Levi
 Harris, George S. Hampton, Anderson S. Hargens, John Smith
 Green & Taylor, Joseph W. Hays, William E. Camp, John
 S. Mark Sowers, who being elected tried and sworn
 the truth to speak upon the issue joined upon their oaths
 do say that said paper writing and will and testament attached
 produce and set forth in the pleadings in this cause is
 the last will and testament of James N. Scott.

It is therefore considered by the Court that it be established
 as his will and that the same Certified to the County Court
 of White County for admission to record as directed by
 law; and it is further considered by the Court

that the plaintiff recover of the defendants and
 William Graham, Joseph S. Hargens and Green & Taylor
 their securities in this cause, and that execution issue

State of Tennessee. I Joseph Brown Clerk of the
 White County Circuit Court in and for the County
 and State aforesaid hereby certify that the within is
 a true copy from the record of the judgment of the Court
 and that the will attached herein is the same filed in
 this cause in this office on 6th July A.D. 1854 a part
 of which now appears of record and on file in my
 office In testimony whereof I have hereunto

set my hand and affixed the seal
 of said Court at office in Sparta
 on this 10th November A.D. 1854
 Joseph Brown Clerk

(Seal)

In the name of God Amen: I John Simpson of
 the County of White and State of Tennessee
 being weak in body but of sound mind and
 disposing memory do make and publish this my
 last will and testament hereby declaring and
 with my me at any time made.

1st My will is that my executors pay and pay just
 debts as soon after my death as possible but in my
 family that may first come to their hands and that
 they proceed to collect all sums of money due
 me in the same manner.

2d I desire my executors to take charge of all my
 real and personal property of every name and kind
 immediately after my death & to sell the same except
 my Slaves upon such terms as to them may seem best
 for the interest of those interested and hereinafter named.
 3d I will and bequeath unto my good friend Henry
 Callaway, Montgomery Jones, Henry Simpson
 and Eliza their freedom at my death I will
 will to my good Slaves above named all my real
 and personal estate of every name and description
 or the proceeds of the same after the payment of
 my just debts.

4th I also desire my said Executors to take charge

John Gipson dec'd, Will Continued.

of my said Slaves above named immediately after my death I have them out for such time as they may deem just & proper to carry into effect this my will the profits of such being to be added to the fund arising from the Sale of my real and personal property named in the 3^d clause of this my will, and that each of my said Slaves above named be entitled to one fourth part of the same at such time as my said executors may desire to send the three boys to the Western Coast of Africa which I desire to be done unless they can be permitted to remain in some of the United States and agree which is my desire if they can do so but if that cannot be done I desire my son-in-law Eliza (she being old and infirm and not able to go to the Western Coast of Africa and should she desire to remain here) to have one fourth of the proceeds of my real and personal property together with one fourth part of the fund arising from the Sale of said Slaves (which being is to be in the discretion of my Executors) but in case the three Slaves cannot remain in the United States and agree then and in that event the other three fourths arising from the Sale of my real and personal estate to, and with the other three fourths arising from the hire & wages is to go to be used by my Executors towards defraying the expenses of the three boys namely Gibson, Henry & Montgomery to the Western Coast of Africa and use the remaining portion of the sum remaining on hand after paying the expenses said is to be divided amongst the last three persons & each share and share alike. And the one fourth above given to Eliza is to remain in the hands of my Executors at interest, to be used for the support of her the said Eliza, But should she die before the proper time arrives for sending said boys above named to the Western Coast of Africa, then and in that event they are to have the whole of my estate to be used and applied as above directed.

5th Should any of the funds remain on hand above given

to Eliza after her death my will is that the same shall go to the three boys above named equally, and I desire my said Executors to transact with the same to them where ever they may be.

6th Should either of the three boys die before the application of the funds as above directed then the said fund arising from the hire and property of said shall be divided amongst the survivors as directed above in this my last will and testament. 7th I hereby appoint my friends J. J. Mitchell, W. L. Carriek, Joseph Brown and S. H. Colins Executors to this my last will and testament. In witness my hand and seal this 14th day of May 1854.

Signed Seal &c in our presence the day & date above written
W. M. Spring
J. M. Clayton

I John Gipson hereby also nominate and appoint as one of my Executors to this my last will and testament Montgomery C. Diabell and this is made as a codicil to this my will. In witness my hand and seal this 14th day of August 1854.

Witness
W. M. Spring
J. M. Clayton

State of Tennessee, De County of term which County Court 1855
White County. This day was produced in open Court a paper writing purporting to be the last will & testament of John Gipson late a citizen of the County of White & State of Tennessee with a correct thereof attached and the due execution and publication thereof as such was proven in open Court by the oath of William M. Spring and William Clayton the subscribing witnesses thereto for the purpose and things therein contained And they also swore each in due form of Law that the said testator at the time of signing said last will and testament and of signing the correct thereto attached was of sound mind and disposing mind and memory, said will and correct being deemed by the Court to be sufficiently proven & ordered to be recorded and certified.

Given at office in Sparta the 5th day of February, A.D. 1855
J. J. Diabell clerk
of White County Court.

In the Name of God Amen. I Nathaniel Fish being of Sound and disposing mind do make and publish the following My last will and Testament.

Item 1st. I first desire the payment of funeral expenses and all My just debts and for this and other purposes hereinafter Stated I leave all of My property both Real and personal to the Control and Management of My legal representatives hereinafter by me appointed until My youngest child is of age.

Item 2^d. It is my wish that My debts (except such as may be otherwise herein disposed of) be collected by my executors and as far as may be necessary for that purpose use in the payment of My indebtedness and it is my further wish that all My property be kept together and used by My family for their maintenance and the education of My Children.

Item 3^d. After My youngest child arrives at the age of twenty one years it is my will and desire that My wife Eliza name of My Slave two of her own choice and that she also have at the same time my home tract of land with my Mountain tract in the neighborhood, and I further desire and direct that the remainder of my slaves with their increase be at the same time partitioned amongst My six youngest children in equal shares.

Item 4th. Softwick & Gibrell of Sparta are indebted to me my debt in the sum of Seventeen hundred Dollars which sum I desire and direct to be paid by my executors in the purchase of a Negro man now the property of the estate of the late Holliston Holloman he can be bought in the estimation of My Executors at a reasonable price said boy is by name of Emanuel and his for his wife one of my Negro women. The balance of said fund if necessary to be used for the benefit of My two Sons Adrian and Theophrastus in acquiring for them professions and if said fund should not be used in this way, then to go into the general fund for distribution.

Item 5th. I wish my son Adrian when he needs it to have money enough out of My estate to buy him a good suitable home.

Item 6th. My small mulatto girl Senebady, now about

two years old I wish and desire Emancipated, and when she arrives at the age of twelve years, deliver her over to the American Colonization Society and for me to the amount of One hundred dollars if it should not require more than this sum to send her to the Western Coast of Africa - furnished out of My estate for the purpose of her emancipation.

Item 7th. Believing that My estate will not justify more, I desire that My six youngest children receive not more than a good English education.

Item 8th. If there shall be any thing remaining of my estate upon the arrival at age of My youngest child, not already disposed of by special bequest, it is my wish that it be equally divided between my wife and six youngest children share and share alike. But this item not to interfere with the following.

Item 9th. When my land on the State of Missouri will bring or can be sold for as much as five dollars per acre I desire that my Executors sell it and when sold it is my will and desire that the proceeds be equally divided between my wife and all my children share and share alike.

Item 10th. I hereby appoint My beloved wife Eliza Fish, my beloved son Adrian Fish and my esteemed friend John S. Gortall, to execute this My last will and Testament, and it is my wish that they be permitted to qualify as such executors and executors without security as I desire that they shall give none.

Given under my hand and seal this 15th day of Oct. 1854

Nathaniel Fish (Seal)

Signed Sealed and acknowledged in our presence this last date above written.
William Softwick
Isaac Paylor

State of Tennessee
White County, January term A.D. 1855
This day was produced in Open Court a paper writing purporting to be the

Last will and testament of Nathaniel Pickle late a citizen of the County of White, and the execution and publication thereof as such, was shown in open court by the oath of William Lefthick and Isaac Taylor the subscribing witnesses thereto for the purposes and things therein contained, and also made oath in due form of law that the said Nathaniel Pickle at the time of signing the same was of sound and disposing mind and memory, said will being ^{deposited} by the Court sufficiently proven is ordered to be recorded and certified. Given at Office in Spartan this 24th day of January A.D. 1855.

J. J. Gibrell Clerk
of White County Court.

In the Name of God Amen I Richard Crowder of the County of White in the State of Tennessee being weak in body but of sound and recollection do make and Ordain this my last will and testament

1st My will is that at my decease that my body shall be buried in a Christian manner and I becommence my soul to God who gave it and as to my worldly property with which I am well and merely dispose of ^{the same} as follows.

1st I give and bequeath to my Son Thomas Crowder five hundred acres of land to be laid off to him off of the tract upon which I now live to include the place where he now resides being the north end of my home tract the balance of my home tract I desire and direct to be divided between my two Sons, Repp E. Crowder and Columbus S. Crowder as equal as may be and that Columbus S. Crowder to have that portion of the land that includes the Mansion house where I now live, this bequest interlined with Columbus S. in two places before signed 2nd My will is that all every of the lands and balance of the lands of which I die seized except the tract in the Western district now in the possession of my Chandler be sold by my

Executors hereafter named at a credit of equal payments of one two and three years and the proceeds thereof to be divided between James H. Crowder and John A. Crowder share and share alike in the above bequest in is my will that the said Repp E. and Columbus S. shall take an Estate in fee simple to them and their heirs forever and also Thomas Crowder to have an Estate in fee simple to him and his heirs forever and that James H. and John A. shall have the proceeds of the Sale of said lands to them and their heirs forever and it is to be understood that I mean to give to the said Repp E. Columbus S. James H. and John A. and also Thomas Crowder my Son the above property and Estate to them and their heirs forever and also to have an equal portion of the balance of my Estate which is hereinafter disposed of as left in hand as the Law may be

3rd It is my will and desire that all and singular the balance of my Estate shall be divided between my Son and Daughters to wit my Sons above named and Ann Eliza Allen Caroline Young Lucy Kemp Jane Sydnor and Matilda Chandler in the manner herein specified first I wish each of my said Sons and Daughters to be charged with whatever sum of money or property which they may at any time receive of me heretofore and also I wish my said Son to be charged with whatever sum of money or property he have heretofore received of my Estate except rent for land which shall not be charged against them nor do I intend or mean that my Sons shall be charged with the land and proceeds of the lands mentioned in this my last will with the same is given to them over and above the above and my will is that when Chandler lease is out upon the land upon which he now lives that the same be sold in the manner prescribed of the Sale of my other lands and that the proceeds added to my personality and that all of the balance of my property be equally

Richard Crowder Dec. last will. Assistant Attorney,
divided between my said Children share and
share alike intending that all of my Children
shall share equally the fullness of my said estate
etc. — I wish it understood that all and singular
the estate which I have herein bequeathed to my
said Daughters is given to them for their separate
use and not to be sold or disposed of by their
husbands and that at their deaths the same
is to cleave or go to the heirs of their bodies and
in no otherwise and I hereby constitute myself
and appoint my Executors hereinafter named
as trustees for this purpose and he shall so
provide that the estate so given to my said
Daughters shall be used by them during their
lives and shall give the same at their deaths
with the increase to the heirs of their bodies, it
is further my desire that my said Executors
shall settle with each of my said Children charg-
ing them with the accommodations as provided
in this will and then give to the use of each
of my said Daughters a negro girl and so
provide as to carry out the true intention
of this will.

5th. — I hereby constitute and appoint Thomas
Crowder Ruff & Crowder and Columbus S Crowder
my executors of this my last will and
testament looking all others and I direct
them to collect all of my debts due to me and
to pay out of the same all of the just debts
which I justly owe and wind up my worldly
affairs as shortly as they can in testimony
whereof I have hereto set my hand and seal
this 21st day of August 1845

Test
Samuel Turney
Green H Baker

Richard Crowder (Seal)

State of Tennessee

White County

February Term A. D. 1854

This day Thomas S Crowder
and Columbus S Crowder presented to the Court
a paper writing purporting to be the last will and

Testament of Richard Crowder late a citizen of the County
of White Tennessee, and asked that the same be admitted
to record, whereupon Samuel Turney and Green H
Baker the subscribing witnesses to said last will and
Testament also appeared in open Court and made oath
in due form of law that the said Richard Crowder
signed sealed and acknowledged said last will
and Testament for the purpose and things therein contained
and at the time of signing the same was of sound and
disposing mind and memory. Done at office in
Sparta this 6th day of February A. D. 1854

J. G. Eichel. Clerk
of White County Court.

State of Tennessee. I Joseph Brown Clerk of the
White County Circuit Court of White County
in the State of Tennessee do hereby certify that the
within is the Original will of Richard Crowder Dec.
filed in my office on the 8th day of February A. D.
1854 as now appears from the records now on file
in my office. In testimony whereof I have hereunto

Set my hand and affixed the Seal of
Said Court at office in Sparta on the
22nd day of December 1854.
Joseph Brown Clerk.

Supreme Court Dec Term 1854

Prosser judges, McHenry, Saxe & Co. Attorneys.
John Young Spake

J. D. & S. Crowder plaintiffs of Richard Crowder case.

This day came the parties of, by their attorneys, whereupon
as well the record and proceedings as the motion for
Error assigned by the said John Young and others being
seen and by the Court we fully understood and that
it appeared to the Court, that neither in the record and
proceedings aforesaid, nor, in answering the argument
aforesaid in anything is their Error. It is therefore
considered by the Court that the judgment is affirmed and
Crown, in the Court below, be in all things affirmed,
and that the said paper writing purporting to be the last
will and Testament of Richard Crowder dec. is the last will

and Testament of said Testator, and it is further
 considered by the Court that a certified copy of this
 judgment be certified to the clerk of the Circuit
 Court of White County, which together with the original
 will also be presented to the County Court of said
 county to be recorded - and that the plaintiffs in error
 and their securities in appeal be the heirs, S M Colyer,
 & S Georgian pay the costs in this Court and in
 the Court below and that execution issue to collect
 the same.

State of Tennessee

I J Clark clerk of the Supreme
 Court at Nashville do hereby Certify that the above
 is a true and true copy of the judgment rendered
 in this cause in this Court at the same appearance
 in my office

In Testimony Whereof I have hereunto
 set my hand and affixed the seal of
 said Court at Office in Nashville this 20th
 Decr. 1854 and 79th year of the Independence
 of the United States

J P Clark Clerk

State of Tennessee

White County

January Term A D 1855

This day the last will and Testament
 of Rebecca Cromer decd. together with a certified
 copy of the Judgment of the Supreme Court of
 the State of Tennessee at Nashville establishing
 the same as the last will and Testament of the
 said Rebecca Cromer decd. was filed in this
 Court by the clerk of the Circuit Court of White
 County where the issue was first tried, which to-
 gether with said judgment was ordered to be
 recorded and Certified

Given at Office in Sparta this 27th day of
 January A D 1855

J B Librell Clerk
 of White County Court

We the undersigned freeholders of White County
 after being duly sworn have proceeded to set a part to
 Rebecca Scott widow of James M Scott deceased. So
 much of the crop and provisions on hand as will be
 sufficient in our opinion to support her and her family
 one year from the death of her husband. We set apart
 to her for said purpose the following article to wit: Five
 hundred Bushels corn of the new crop with the shuck,
 All the old corn on hand, all the hush on hand,
 all the straw on hand, all the crop seed in the field
 Seventeen hundred pounds pork One thousand pounds
 Oats, One thousand pounds Nine bushels salt one
 hundred pounds Coffee, One hundred fifty pounds
 No Sugar, Three Sacks Soap Sugar, Twenty Gallons
 Molasses, One pound Tea, Twelve pounds soda one
 pound Bk pepper, Five pounds Spice 1/2 lb nutmegs
 1/2 lb cloves, 1 lb Ginger, 20 lbs Horse & cow shoe with
 Sole leather, 3 Sides upper sa 25 lbs more with fine
 Cotton, all the flax on hand all the used flax
 on hand, 20 lbs Rice, 2 of Cornmeal 2 Gallons
 Whiskey 1 Gal French Brandy 1 Box salt medicine
 1/2 Bolls Tallow 1 Keef a year & 9 years old beef
 5 Bushels dye. This 31st day of Aug 1854 Given
 under our hands & seals.

Richard H. Bailey Secd
 Esther Gorman Secd
 W H Linn Secd

We the undersigned freeholders of the County of White after being
 duly sworn have proceeded to set a part to Mary C Simpson widow
 of John A Simpson deceased. So much of the crop and provisions
 on hand as will be sufficient in our opinion to support her
 and family one year from the death of her husband. We
 set a part to her for said purpose the following article to wit:

All the present crop of corn on hand and
 all the Oats & Wheat on hand, eight head of the choice hogs
 for killing, all the Sack on hand supposed to be good enough
 to do any work for the purpose of purchasing new ones for the family
 all the wool and all the Cotton on hand one choice steer for beef
 one sheep for present use all the flax on hand.

Sept 21. 1854.

E P Davis
 J C Davis
 J W Linn

August 18, 1854.

We the undersigned have this day met at the late residence of Andrew Gordon deceased and after being duly Qualified, have set apart the following property for the support of the family, (To wit):

The present growing crop of corn and all vegetable crops, four Pork hogs, 5 Sides Bacon, Wheat and Sack on hand, Wheat, Oats, Beans, Peas, Potatoes, and other produce, and the sum of \$1000 in money for the support of the family.

Andrew Gordon
Clark Successor
to J. Gordon

Commissioner

On your Decision for Mrs. Chisum

We the undersigned met and being duly sworn produce a true and correct copy of the following report:

Andrew Gordon has made a good crop of Pork, Corn, Beans, Wheat, Oats, Sack, and Sugar, Coffee, and other produce, and the sum of \$1000 in cash and the sum of \$1000 in money for the support of the family.

A. Moore
Samuel P. H. H.
Saml. P. H. H.

On your Decision for Mrs. Anderson

We the undersigned met and made the following decision of the Nelson Andersons, heirs and assigns as follows:

5 Sides Bacon, Wheat, Oats, Beans, Peas, Potatoes, and other produce, and the sum of \$1000 in cash and the sum of \$1000 in money for the support of the family.

Sworn to by Parker Holland
Clark in Open Court.
2nd Oct. 1854.

G. G. Dineen clerk.

Samuel Parker
James Reed
Seaborn Holland

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with Sarah Eagles Guardian to the Minor heirs of William Willson &c on the 2nd day of October - 1854. To wit:

Total and at last settlement \$38.00
Int on same to date \$1.48
\$39.48

C. C.

By J. G. Dineen clerk of White County Court
\$39.48

All of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation. J. G. Dineen clerk of White County Court

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with James C. Kelley Guardian to Samuel's heirs on the 2nd day of September 1854. To wit:

Total in hands of James C. Kelley \$8.00
Interest on same to date of settlement \$1.00
\$9.00

C. C.

By J. G. Dineen clerk of White County Court
Guardian Charge for services \$1.00
\$10.00

I have allowed the Guardian's fee for his services which I think is reasonable and is respectfully submitted for Confirmation.

J. G. Dineen clerk of White County Court

\$404.81

Received of James C. Kelley my Guardian for his services and four dollars and eighty one cents in full of the amount in his hands due to me as shown by the above Settlement this 2nd day of September 1854.

Test J. G. Dineen clerk

Report of William C. Johnson Guardian to Rosa
Schannon made upon oath 5th Sept 1854 Dr with
That he has this day receive from J. G. Dibreau
part of Sale of Sam's & Meg's $\$625.00$
Sovereign and Subscribed
before me this 5 Sept 1854 William C. Johnson
J. G. Dibreau clk. Guardian to Rosa Schannon.

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court
with William A. Cameron Guardian to Eliza & Mary one of the
minor heirs of James D. Kays Decedent on the 11th day of August
A. D. 1854 Dr with:

Dr Cash received from the estate of John D. Kays of leg $\$3750$
for the same 18 months $\$3.42$
 $\$40.92$

Dr Cash for Bond & Record $\$3.00$
This Settlement & Accounting taken
Guardian & Kays for same after Mary $\$3.00$

$\$7.50$
 $\$33.42$

I have allowed the Guardian for his services in going
after said estate three dollars which I think reasonable
all of which is respectfully submitted for confirmation
J. G. Dibreau Clerk
of White County Court.

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court
with Richard H. Hannon Guardian to the minor heirs of
Anna Shermer Decedent on the 28th day of August 1854 Dr with:

Dr Cash due on last Settlement $\$1312.54$
Int on Same to date 1 year $\$28.72$
 $\$1391.26$

Dr J. A. Johnson Tax Receipts 2.92
Clerk fee for this settlement 2.50
Bal due 3 Heirs $3) \$1386.84$
Bal due each heir $\$462.28$

All of which is respectfully submitted
for confirmation to the worshipping court
J. G. Dibreau Clerk

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County
Court with Joseph J. Cummings Guardian to the minor
heirs of William Jones Decedent on the 18th day of September
1854 Dr with:

Dr Balance on hand at last Settlement $\$610.80$
Interest on Same to date $\$26.02$
C. D. $\$636.82$
By Clerk fee & Bond 2.12
Bal in Guardianship due to heirs J. $\$634.70$
Balance each $\$317.35$

All of which is respectfully submitted for confirmation
by the worshipping court. The guardian has this day
paid off Thomas Jones one of said minors in full
his receipt for registration J. G. Dibreau clk
of White County Court.

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County
Court with Mary Jett Guardian to the minor heirs of John
Jett Decedent on the 20th day of July 1854 Dr with:

Dr Mary & negro hire due 1st January 1854 $\$11.00$
Int on Same to date $\$352$
 $\$11.88$

Dr Balance Guardian on last Settlement 1.00
Int on Same 1.00
J. A. Johnson Tax Receipts 2.12
Int on Same 8 mos $.28$
Bal Dr W. P. Pinks Medicines bill for same 31.00
Clerk fee for Bond & this Settlement 2.12
Bal due the Guardian $\$51.60$

The guardian reports said share due 1st January
next to be taken dollars. All of which is respectfully
submitted for confirmation J. G. Dibreau clk

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County
Court with Joseph W. Hays Guardian to Sampson D. Hays
on the 1st day of September 1854. Dr with:

Dr Balance on hand at last Settlement 114.50
Int on Same to this date 17.02
C. D. $\$132.02$

Settlement with Wm. continued
Out of Debits brot forward \$132.07
C. N. L.

By the fee for this Settlement & Bond	2.12	
E. G. Henson Dr. recpts for 1852	.85	
D. B. Johnson " " 1853	.25	
Geo. Russell " " 1854	.50	
Guardian's charge for services	2.00	5.22
But in Guardian's hands		\$126.85

I have allowed the Guardian five dollars for his services which I think reasonable, all of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation.

G. B. Dibrell Clerk
of White County Court

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court on the 23rd day of July A.D. 1854 with Emory Pennington Guardian to William S. Pennington (deceased) minor son of Simpson Cook Dec.^d
to wit:

Balance on hand at last Settlement	70.56
But on same to date	14.23
	\$84.39

By Dr. Dickson 1853	4.00
By " Hamilton 1853 for Shouting	6.85
E. J. Baker & Co. 1854	3.00
Geo. A. H. H. for Coffee	3.00
Geo. H. for Dr. this Settlement	1.50
Geo. & S. B. Baker Mar 1854	1.25
for Medicine	.25
Guardian's charge for services	10.00
	29.85
But in Guardian's hands	\$54.94

I have allowed the Guardian for his services ten dollars which I think reasonable, all of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation.

G. B. Dibrell Clerk

Report of a Settlement made by the Clerk of White County Court with William S. White late Guardian to John Rufus White on the 14th day of October 1854 to wit:

Balance on hand at last Settlement	\$2589.70
But on same to this date	89.30
	\$2679.00
By Clerk fee for this Settlement	1.00
Guardian's charge for services	12.00
	\$2557.50

I have allowed the guardian for his services in maintaining and supporting her minor son for his services which I think reasonable, all of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation.

Report of William S. White for as Guardian to John R. White twenty five hundred and fifty Seven dollars & fifty Cents in price of the Amman in his hands as shown by the above Settlement this 24th day of October 1854
to wit:
Guardian to J. R. White

Report of a Settlement made by the Clerk of White County Court with Mary H. Russell formerly Mary H. Holland Guardian to James H. Holland Milton E. Holland & Synner & Holland children of George H. Holland on the 19th day of February A.D. 1855 to wit:

Balance on hand for sale of land claiming Oct. Mary H. S.	\$160.26
But on same from 3 rd Aug. 55 to date	22.10
	\$182.36

By Clerk fee for this Settlement	2.00
allowance to Guardian for supporting Mary H. S.	22.10
But in hands of Guardian	\$160.36

I have allowed the Guardian for her services in maintaining and supporting her Mary for upwards of two years fifteen dollars which I think reasonable all of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation.

G. B. Dibrell Clerk

Report of a Settlement made ~~with~~ by the Clerk of White County Court with John H. Little, Guardian to Charlotte Little Minor heir of Harmon Little Decd. on the 4th day of December 1854. To-wit:

Dr. Credit from G. G. Gibrell Commissioner Feb'y 6/54	277.75
Int on this Sum to this date	13.81
Credit rec'd from Same & Adm of H. Little Feb'y 8/54	128.18
Int on Same to date	6.82
Credit rec'd from Same Aug'y 26. 1854	75.00
Int on Same to date	124
	<u>\$502.27</u>

By Credit to H. Little Adm of H. Little Decd.	1.50
Int on Same to date	.30
Clerk's fee for this Settlement & Bond	2.12
Guardian's Charge for his Service	2.00
	<u>8.92</u>
	<u>\$493.35</u>

The Guardian reports that he has rec'd but little from the Adm of Harmon Little decd. and that the balance in the hands of G. G. Gibrell, a Commissioner is due the 1st but has not paid over yet. I have allowed the guardian for his services two dollars, which I think reasonable. All of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation.

G. G. Gibrell clk.

Report of Henry Jones Guardian to Simon & Mary Minor heirs of Joseph W. Rogers decd. made to Ct's Term 1854 To-wit:

That he has received a pension since the marriage of his Mother Mary W. Rogers \$38.84

And has paid

Wm. Moore for getting pension for to Feb'y 1854	25.00
Clerk's fee for this Bond	1.00
	<u>26.00</u>
Balance in hand 2nd Ct's 1854	<u>\$12.84</u>

Simon & Mary
Defendants Decr 1854
G. G. Gibrell clk

Henry Jones

Report of a Settlement made by the Clerk of White County Court with Joseph Brown Guardian to the Minor heirs of Jefe Constance Decd. on the 8th day of Decr 1854 To-wit:

Dr. balance due William on last Settlement	\$412.43
Int on Same one year	20.72
Credit rec'd Feb'y 1854 part Satisfaction of	115.16
Int from Feb'y 1854	73.4
	<u>\$501.55</u>

By Rail Road Tax Receipts Int	1.08
Int on M. Anderson Receipt	2.50
Ward Receipt June 30/54	100.70
Int on Same to date	3.78
Mrs. Russell Int Receipt	1.13
Clerk's fee for this Settlement	1.00
Int in Guardian's account	1.50
	<u>\$111.69</u>

The Guardian reports \$105.10 in his hands since 1856 February 1856. due his Ward and proceeds Same. All of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation.

G. G. Gibrell Clerk
of White County Court

Report of a Settlement made by the Clerk of White County Court with John Whannan Guardian to Maureen Henry minor heir of Joseph Henry decd. on the 5th day of February 1855 To-wit:

Dr. bal on hand at last Settlement	\$151.94
One Quon Int on Same	10.86
	<u>\$162.80</u>
By M. Russell, Cash Receipt 1854	15
J. First	10
Clerk's fee for this Settlement	1.00
Guardian's Charge for his Service	2.00
	<u>\$191.40</u>

I have allowed the Guardian for his services five dollars, which I think reasonable. All of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation.

George G. Gibrell Clerk
of White County Court

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with Jabez D. Mitchell late Guardian of Thomas Nelson Dec. on the 5th day of September 1854 to wit:

Balance due to the estate from former Guardian	\$2707.45
Received on 27th 1854	939.57
Int on 1st amount above	106.00
And 200 from W. Richter for Mary, 1/2 & 1/4	13.00
And 200 from W. Richter for Mary, 1/2 & 1/4	5.50
And 200 from W. Richter for Mary, 1/2 & 1/4	20.00
And 200 from W. Richter for Mary, 1/2 & 1/4	3.75
Total	\$3795.57

By J. B. Cape deposited to date \$233.85

By J. B. Cape deposited to date \$108.92

By J. B. Cape deposited to date \$20.10

By J. B. Cape deposited to date \$14.76

By J. B. Cape deposited to date \$18.56

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From allowed the guardian for his services one hundred and seventy five dollars which I think reasonable all of which is respectfully submitted for confirmation J. B. Cape clerk of White County Court

Recd of Jabez D. Mitchell late Guardian of Thomas Nelson Thos. Thosanna and Sophy four 50 per dollar in note 18 in full of the amt on his hands, (also the bad debts & receipts on the heirs amounting to twenty four hundred & thirteen dollars and 80 Cts, as shown by the above Settlement

This 28th Sept 1854

V. C. Sawney Adm.
of T. Nelson Dec.

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with Joseph Pearson late Guardian to the Minor heirs of Joseph Hunter Dec. on the 6th day of February A.D. 1855. To wit:

What due Sarah on last settlement	\$1000.00
Int on same to date	21.15
By J. B. Cape for this settlement	1402.00
Guardian charge for services	1.00
Balance due Sarah	\$1402.15

What due Elizabeth on last settlement	\$1000.00
Int on same to date	21.15
By J. B. Cape for this settlement	1402.00
Guardian charge for services	1.00
Balance due Elizabeth	\$1402.15

What due Joseph Pearson on last settlement	\$1000.00
Int on same to date	21.15
By J. B. Cape for this settlement	1402.00
Guardian charge for services	1.00
Balance due Joseph	\$1402.15

Receipts
Bal due Sarah 1000.00
" Elizabeth 1000.00
" Joseph 1000.00
Total in hands of Guardian \$3000.00

I have claimed the Guardian's fee of one dollar for his services which I think reasonable all of which is respectfully submitted for confirmation

J. B. Cape clerk

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with J. S. Saylor, Guardian to Zebadiah Saylor's minor heir of Thomas Saylor, dec'd on the 2nd day of July 1854 with

to him 2000 and due 14 Decr 1855 \$23.67

C.R.

By Clarke for Bond of this Settlement 2.52

Up of Rail Road Tax Sept 1854 .54

Up of Other Tax " 1854 .54

Guardian's Charge for Services 1.00

1 year Int. on expenditures 1.19

But due Decr 1855

4.89

\$18.78

The guardian reports a lot of hats sold and hats embraced in the above (Amount not yet ascertained) and due 14th Decr 1855 I have allowed him for his services one \$4.00 dollar which I think reasonable all of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation

G. B. Sidnell Clerk of W. C. C.

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with Aaron M. Welch, Guardian to Robert B. Graves minor heir of Henry M. Graves dec'd on the 16th day of January 1855

C.R.

to him 2000 of J. S. Saylor's 2d Jan 4, 53

\$58.54

Int on Same to date

6.64

Up from J. S. Saylor's 2d Jan 4, 53

22.74

Int on Same from 1st March 1854

1.30

But due 14th of Jan 1855

19.14

Int on Same to date

1.08

\$107.44

C.R.

By Clarke for Bond of this Settlement 2.52

Guardian's charge for his Services 2.00

But due Ward

7.12

\$94.32

I have allowed the guardian for his services nine dollars which I think reasonable all of which is respectfully submitted for Confirmation

G. B. Sidnell Clerk

of White County Court

Report of a Settlement made by the clerk of White County Court with Joseph H. Smith, Guardian to the minor heirs of Joseph H. Smith deceased up to the 31st day of October 1854 with

C.R.

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What due James on

total due William on

last Settlement 809.65

last Settlement 810.78

Int on Same to date 48.54

1 year Int on Same 18.60

Up Cent & Hire 100

Up Rent & Hire 100

100 26/53

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Int on Same to date 4.81

Int. to date 1.51

\$957.10

\$958.35

C.R.

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By J. H. Smith Sept 1854

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Sept 1854 22.10

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Int on Same .65

Int on Same .65

But due J. S. Saylor 2.20

Int on Same .10

Up Star & Sun 4.00

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Report of a Settlement made by the Clerk of White County Court with Edw. B. B. Guardian to James John H. Garrett M. Sarah with minor heirs of Harmon Sittle Decd. on the 15 day of December 1854 D.W.

20 Amk. Rec. from G. B. Dibrell from a. of Sale land & slave	\$225.00
Int. for one year	13.50
Cont'd. of G. B. Dibrell as above July 20, 1854	75.00
Int. on Same to date	3.66
do do 5th Augt. 1854	75.00
Int. on Same	1.89
do do 4th Decr. 1854	208.09
Int. on Same	.17
Cont'd. of Harmon Sittle admors. Harmon Sittle decd.	54.80
Int. from 19th July 1853 date recd.	6.76
Same above Octr 1854	25.00
Int. on Same to date	.25
	<u>\$ 688.22</u>

C.W.

By att. fee for a Bond & this Settlement 2.12
Int. on Guardian's honor \$ 686.10

The guardian reports a balance yet due his ward from the estate of Harmon Sittle Decd. all of which is respectfully submitted to the Worshipful Court for confirmation
J. S. Dibrell C.W.

Report of a Settlement made by the Clerk of the White County Court with Samuel B. Guardian to the Minor heirs of D. G. Morgan Decd. on the 5. day of February 1855 D.W.

Total balance on hand at last Settlement	\$ 121.54
One year Int. on Same	7.29
	<u>\$ 128.83</u>

The Guardian reports that he is living upon 50 acres of Land belonging to his ward, and that he is raising, maintaining and schooling his ward and paying all the expences of the estate out of his private means for the use of his ward. He has paid for this Settlement I think his arrangement to the intent of his ward
J. S. Dibrell C.W.

Report of a Settlement made by the Clerk of White County Court with Joseph Pearson Guardian to the Minor heirs of Joseph Hunter Decd. on this 17 day of December 1854 D.W.

Total due Sarah on last Settlement	\$ 198.66
Int. on Same to date	11.20
	<u>\$ 210.36</u>

By att. fee for this Settlement	.50
Crutcher & Sperry's acct.	38.13
Leffwick & Librell	71.00
of J. Vanhooken's acct. Sept 1854	7.11
of J. S. Gibrell	3.30
Guardian's charge for services	20.00
Int. due Sarah	12.55
	<u>\$ 198.66</u>

Total due Elizabeth on last Settlement	\$ 206.22
Int. on Same to this date	12.65
	<u>\$ 218.87</u>

By att. clerk fee for this Settlement	.50
Leffwick & Librell acct.	5.08
of J. Vanhooken's acct. Sept 1854	7.11
of J. S. Gibrell	3.30
Guardian's charge for services	20.00
Int. due Elizabeth	12.65
	<u>\$ 218.87</u>

Total due Joseph on last Settlement	\$ 200.56
Int. on Same to date	12.08
	<u>\$ 212.64</u>

By att. clerk fee for this Settlement	.50
of J. Vanhooken's acct. Sept 1854	7.11
of J. S. Gibrell	3.30
Guardian's charge for services	20.00
Int. due Joseph	12.08
Elizabeth	12.65
Sarah	12.55
Total Balance	<u>\$ 231.19</u>

I have allowed the Guardian \$75. for his services which I think is reasonable all of which is respectfully submitted for confirmation
J. S. Dibrell C.W.