

Houston C ounty Will B ook A (1827-1855)

Adams, William 1/13/1827:4/9/1827. To my children, each a heifer yearling. Children: Joel, Patsy, Abey, Jerry, Nelly, Elijah. To: Ginney Jyners all household and kitchen furniture, cattle, hogs, black blind man and all land in Houston Co. except for Lot 15 in the 9th district is to go to Jerry Adams and 50 acres on the North end of said lot is to go to Henry Griffin. Joel Adams to have his rifle and Jerry Adams to have his shotgun. Wit: Abigail Griffin, Thomas Adams, Elijah E. Crocker.

Ammons, Stephen. Probated 7-8-1851 in Crawford Co. To wife of 9 years, Nancy, one years provisions, etc. Five oldest children: Jesse Ammons, Josiah Ammons, Hannah Duncan, Sarah Clark, Nancy Clark. Youngest son, Stephen Ammons, a promissory note of \$300 by Joel Walker due 5 December next. Executor: Joseph Walker. Wit: Napoleon B. Corbin, J. J. Hicks, William R. Perry (testified in Crawford Co. Inferior Court on 19 May 1851). Appraisers: James Montgomery, David Ballard, Perry C. Carr, West W. Stephens, John B. Lucas.

Anderson, Thomas W. 6/20/1843:9/25/1843, Twiggs Co. To children of my first marriage, viz: Lemuel Faircloth Anderson, Sarah May Anderson, Margaret Elizabeth Anderson, William Francis Anderson, Negroes as follows: Israel, Willaby, Rosetta, Peter, Frank, Nancy, Emma, Rosabella, Kit, Robert, Adam, Lydia. To the children of my last wife - George Hipp Anderson, Susan Frances Anderson, Christopher B. Cowen Anderson, the following Negroes - Lupo, Louisa, Tellus, Cherry, Ginny, Charles, Maria, Jane, Sarah. One bed and furniture each to Charles Barden and Catherine Bunn. I appoint as guardian of the children of my last wife, Marcus H. Bunn. Guardian of children of my first wife: Thomas Johnson Cato. Executors: Marcus H. Bunn, Thomas J. Cato. Wit: Isiah Allaway, Ezekiel Evans, Levi Ezell.

Baldwin, John. 8/8/185:8/8/1825. Estate to be divided among 6 children: Madison Baldwin, Washington Baldwin, Moses Baldwin, Franklin Baldwin, Jackson Baldwin, Martha Baldwin. Executors: Friends, Jacob Dunn, John Staples, Madison Baldwin. Wit: Wilson Collins, Ira Scott, Tuttle H. Moreland.

Ball, William. Probated: 3/6/1837. Son: William H. Ball, Negroes-Charlott, Adam, Andrew, Ann. To son, James G. M. Ball, Negroes-Becky, Jack, Tom, Jackson. To daughter, Elizabeth J. Allen, Negroes-Jacob, Nancy Abram and Lucy to be held in trust by William B. and James G. M. Ball. Daughter: Amanda M. Lackey, Negroes -- Rachel, Ben and M.? Wife to have Negro, Will. Daughter: Saraqh Ann. Executors: William B. Ball, James G. M. Ball. Wit: Morgan Giles, Leroy Mims, Seaborn C. Bryan, J. P.

Barden, Simon. 1/24/1838:1/30/1838. Wife, Martha, 100 acres of land in fork of Jones Creek north of my dwelling house, bounded on West by lands of James Pratt, being parts of lots 111 and 113 in 13th district. To wife, Negroes, Tenor, age 25 and her son York age 3 months, etc. At her death to be divided among two sons, Brunson and Arthur Barden and to Sally Waldin. Also to Brunson and Arthur Barden and Sally Waldin, Negroes--Harry age 50, Betsy age 50, Lucy age 15, Amy age 12, and blind Harriet age 30. To son, Brunson and Sally Waldin, 175 acres in Lot 112 in 13th district on South side of Jones Creek. Executors: Arthur Barden, Green Waldin. Wit: Charles Pattillo, James Pratt, Henry Nowells.

Barr, John. 11/9/1828:3/2/1829. Son, Thomas G. Barr one half of Lot 235 in 10th district. To wife, a horse, household furniture, cattle, hogs, a horse. Executors: Sons, Roger D. Barr and Thomas G. Barr. Wit: Thomas Gilbert, Reddick T. Bryan, Elizabeth S. Bryan.

Barron, William. 8/4/1851:9/8/1851. Wife, Nicy, the South side of lot 250, Negro man (March about 55), Negro woman Vilot about 50, etc. Son, James, the South half of Lot 213. Son, Thomas, the North half of Lot 250 and Negro Assrel aged about 29. To son, William A., the North half of Lot 213, Negro boy Harry age 21.

To daughter, Matilda Horton. Granddaughter: Susan A. Rebecca. Executors: Wife, Nicy and friend, Drewrey W. Taylor. Wit: Allen P. Spradley, Mathew Sheppard, William C. Taylor.

Bateman, Bryan Sr. 11/28/1843: 7/1845. Wife, Charity, lots 117, 118, one half of 100 and 1/4th of hundred right in 6th district during her life, then at her death to go to my three youngest sons: Bartley M., Bryan and John Baqteman. Wife to have Negroes: George, Ransom, Dick, Ellick, Harriet and her child Jane, etc. My 9 children: William M. Bateman, Seaborn Bateman, Mary Vinson, Charity Mills, Bartley M. Bateman, Bryan Bateman, Claiborne Bateman, Seaborn Bateman, Marthina Hunt and John Bateman. To Marthina Hunt Negro Rose and her 4 children Wyatt, Sarah, Orange and Erasman. Trustee for my daughter, Charity Mills, Negroes Frank and Morris. To son, Bartley M., Negro boy Clark. To son, Bryan Bateman, Negro boy Ned. To son, John Bateman, Negro boy David. Friends to appraise my estate: Hugh Lawson, David Avera, James Holderness, James M. Kelly, Solomon Fudge. Executors: Sons, William M. and Seaborn Bateman. Wit: David Avera, James Avera, Daniel B. O'Sullivan.

Batey, Catharine. 6/24/1842: 7/5/1842. Daughter, Nancy, Negro woman Kitty. Daughters: Catharine, Elizabeth. Sons: Robert, James. Elizabeth's part to remain in her brothers hands until she becomes of age. Executor: Friend, William Haddock. Wit: John C. West, Joseph N. Carr.

Brunson, Daniel. 1/31/1831: 9/5/1831. To heirs of daughter, Sarah Cunyers, deceased. Granddaughter: Rachel Bebecca Brunson. Son, William. Daughters: Elizabeth, Mary, each a horse. Remaining property divide between: David Brunson, Charlotte Bateman, William S. Brunson, Elizabeth S. Brunson and Mary Brunson during life of wife, Frances. Executors: Sons, David and William Brunson; Simon Bateman. Wit: Alex Smith, David Watson, Frederick Watson, Jr.

Burgay, John. 1/13/1853:----. Wife, Rebecca, Lot 199 in lower 5th district, 202 1/2 acres; 50 acres of lot 193, Negro woman Lucy age 40 and a nChew Rockaway or Carriage. Daughter: Frances, wife of George Benton born to me by former marriage, Negro man

Sam. Executors: Wife, Rebecca and her father, Gillie Wright. Wit: Peter B. Humphries, George F. Cooper, Julius C. Gilbert, Reuben Fitzgerald.

Burnsides, James. 11/29/1851: Feb Term 1852. Daughter: Sarah Grace, wife of Thaedeus Grace. Daughter: Catharine Hobbs, wife of William Hobbs. Daughter: Malinda Summerford, wife of James Summerford. Sons: Mathew, James M. and Alexander. Daughters: Martha Jane and Angeline, all rest of property and lots 180 and 205 in 14th district. Executor: Son, James M. Burnsides. Wit: David M. Brown, Axiom S. Alford, Zachariah Fedder, Osborn Jones.

Chance, Simpson. 3/30/1837: 1/1/1838. Wife, Margaret land lot 237 and adj. lot 212 in 14th district, etc. for her natural life, including Negroes Patrick, Elirma, Jack. Opon her death above to go to children of daughter, Sarah Jones. Son, James, Negroes Esquire and Lydia; land lot 266 in 14th dist. To son, Isaac, Negroes Richmond and Jinney and 40 acres "I drew" in the late land lottery. Grandson, Ausborn Jones, son of Sarah, horse, etc. Grandchildren of deceased daughter, Margaret Mann, Negroes Sally and her children (Nancy and Mariah). Daughter, Malinda Jones. Children of daugfhter, Elizabeth Rawls. Executors: James Chance and friend, Henry B. Hathaway. Wit: Edward G. Brown, John D. Gillett, Legrand Guerry. Codical 3/29/1837.

Chastain, Allen B. 10/3/1847: 11/1/1847. 1/4th estate to sister, Bersheba Hose. Brother: William Chatain, 1/4th of estate. To brother, John W. Chastain, 1/4th of estate. To brothers William and John W. Chastain, 1/4 of estate for the sole use of his brother, James Chastain. Executors: Brothers, William and John W. Chastain. Wit: Eli Warren, P. B. D. H. Culler, James Turrentine, Joel W. Mann.

Chewning, David. 9/25/1832: 1/28/1833. Daughter: Elizabeth Chewning, Negroes Aggy and Jenny. Daughter, Permelia Rutlin, Negro girl Mary.. Daughter, Amanda Manson, Negro Bidy. Son, John Chewning, 150 acres from lot no. 154 in 11th district; balance of said lot to son, David H. Chewning. William I. V. Chewning was given money to purchased 1/2 of lot 213 in the 12th district. Wit: Creed T. Woodson, Fauntleroy F. Chain,

McKinne Howell.

Christmas, Moses. 5/27/1818: 5/24/1819, recorded 11/29/1827 in Sumpter Dist., S. C. Wife, Sarah, use of plantation during widowhood, etc Four children: Charlotte, Sarah, Eliza, Moses, the plantation, Negroes, etc. Executor: Friend, Gabriel Capen. Witness: Joseph Salliman, Epay Christmas, Samuel Murrell.

Clark, Daniel. 6/5/1831: 7/5/1831. Wife: Sarah, Negroes, Anthony, Claudis, Randy, etc. for her life and 150 acres on South line of Lot 38 in 5th Dist. Children: William Jams, Drury, Frances, Margaret, Daniel, Samuel, Martha, John G., Wiley, Sarah, Hildred Judge, Mary Caroline. To son, William James 50 acres of SE corner of Lot 14 in 5th dist; 50 acres of lot 38 where son now lives. Son, Drury, Negro Moses. Daughter: Frances, Negro boy Clim. Daughter, Margaret, Negro Boy Calsp. Son, Daniel, Negro girl Army. Son, Samuel, Negro girl Mariah. Daughter, Martha, Negro girl Sylvey. Son, John, Negro boy Ben. To son, Wiley, Negro boy Arch. Daughter, Sara, Negro girl Liz. Son, Hildred Judge, Negro girl Luzie. Daughter, Mary, and negroes Caroline, Negro Girl Lulian. Son, Drury Clark, 6 acres of lot 14th in 5th dist. lying on north part where he now lives. Executors: Sarah Clark and Joshua Pattishall. Wit: Scarborough Rembert, Thomas Doles, Sarah Christmas.

Clark, David 5/10/1851:6/7/1853. Wife, Lucretia. Manager of plantation to be hired until son Columbus comes of age. Columbus upon age to receive \$2000, horse, etc., which equals that already given my first born son, John David. To third son, George Franklin. Daughter, Mary Lucretia. Executors: Friends, Dr. Edward T. McGehee, Larey C. Manning, Henry Till. Wit: James A. Stubbs, W. C. Taylor, Z. Fedder, David M. Brown. Indenture filed with LWT on 5/10/1851 between David Clark and daughter, Mary Lucretia granting her property--Negro man Jim age 22, Negro girl Hatty age 16, Negro boy Bob age 8, Negro girl Betty age 6, Negro girl Eve age 4. Trustee: Son, John David Clark. Wit James A. Stubbs, W. C. Taylor, Z. Fedder, David M. Brown.

Clark, James. 5/19/1844: 6/22/1844. Sons-in-law: Bryant Lane, Wiley Lane, Larry Manning. Grandchildren: James H. Wall,

William Wall, Eliza Wall, Mary Wall, Jesse C. Wall, 3 Negroes, Ginsey, Elbert, Moses. Son, James David, one Negro girl Penny and 100 acres on E. half of lot 290 in 13th dist, etc. Rest of property to wife and younger children including Mary T. Executor: Friends, James Dunwoody. Wit: Daniel M. Bruce, John J. Moring, Henry C. Hornaday.

Cook, Samuel. 5/21/1828: 9/1/1828 in Jones Co. Wife, Sarah E., Negroes Anna and Ben, and to be in charge of Negroes belonging to two youngest sons, Samuel T. Cook and George W. Cook. Son, William W. Cook, profits of Darien Bank Stock. Daughter, Caroline C. S. Cook, land lot 16 in 9th dist. of Jones Co. and Negroes, Frank, Pleasant, Milly, Harriet, Wiley, Ganies. Daughter, Polly H. Harvey, house and Lot No. 20, and gin house in town of Clinton where John Harvey now lives opposite Louther Mansion and Negroes Jack, Susan, George, Clara, Matilda, Nathan. Son, Asa B. Cook, land lot 15 in 9th dist. of Jones Co. near Elam Meeting House and Negroes: Hartwood, Big Sam, Robin, Inda, Litty, Charles. Daughter: Martha H. Cook lot 34 in 9th dist. whereon Elam Meeting House now stands and Negroes: Joe. Will, Maria, Levina, Seth, Saria, Celey. Son: Andrew J. Cook land lot 397 in 9th dist. of Jones Co. and Negroes, Michael, Big Tom, Phetis, Leary, Eli, Jordan. Son: Samuel T. Cook, Negroes, Napper, Harry, Charlotte, Henry, Silvia, Emanuel, Solomon, Selma and when of age 1/2 of land and plantation whereon I now live. Son, George W. Cook, Negroes-Sam, Riz, Jane, Hall, Sarah. Executors: Wife, Sarah E. Cook, Jonathan Parish, Asa B. Cook, Andrew J. Cook. Wit: William D. Dunkley, William H. Atwood, James Thweatt.

Culpepper, Charles 6/1/1828: 9/5/1831. Wife, Rachel, North 1/2 of lot 20 in 13th dist. whereon he now lives and Negroes, Bob, Sarah, Eff, Joshua, Jim, Miriana, Dave. Upon wife's death, Negro Jim to go to Lott Warren and Negro Dave to Eli Warren and old Negroes Bob, Sarah and Eff to have their choice to live with Culppers or Warrens. Executors: Wife, Rachel Culpepper, Eli Warren. Upon wife's death, Brother, Sampson Culpepper and Eli Warren to serve. Wit: Robert W. Baskin, John M. Smith, J. P.

Culpepper, Joseph. Probated Nov Term 1843. Daughter, Emily,

Negro woman Pheraby. Son, Charles S., Negro woman Minerva. Daughter, Eliza, Negro Woman Sarah. Daughter: Eleanor, Negro woman Mary. Daughter, Martha, Negro woman Ann. Son, Joseph John, Negro boy Andrew. Son: Sampson, Negro boy Floyd. Son, James Baskin, Negro boy Isaiah. Son, Robert Mallery, Negro boy Austin. Wife, Margaret homestead and West 1/2 of lot. Executors: Sampson Culpepper, Reuben Hargrave. Wit: James Holmes, Charles S. Culpepper, James B. Baskin.

Culpepper, Rachel. 8/16/1832: 9/10/1832. Brother-in-law: Joseph Hill of Wilkinson Co. all land consisting of 2 tracts in 4th dist. of Wilkinson Co. Brother: Lott Warren of Twiggs Co., Negro Joshua. Brother, Eli Warren of Larens Co., Negro Miriam. Brothers, Lott and Eli to pay \$350 for Negroes of which \$100 is to go to brother, Kittrel Warren, \$100 to sister Sally Scarborough, \$78 to cousin Elizabeth Gilbert now living with me and \$72 to brother-in-law Joseph Hill. Nephew, Abraham M. Scarborough. Brothers: Joseph and Sampson Culpepper. Sisters: Sally Scarborough, Polly Hill, Patsy Warrenn. Executor: Brother, Eli Warren. Wit: James S. Baskin, Charles F. Patillo, John W. Smith, J. P.

Cutts, Joseph. 11/25/1832: 9/9/1833. Wife, Mary, 60 acres in 13th dist. along Jones Creek on West line of lot 141, etc. Daughter: Mary Ratliff. Son: Elisha Cutts. Daughter: Nancy Hilyard. Money to be divided between Elisha Cutts' children; Elizabeth Carrell's children; Sarah Smith's children; Phoebe Watson's children, William Cutts children. Executors: Nathan F. Hooker, James H. Killen. Wit: Loverd Pearce, Jeremiah Cutts, James Parker Jr.

Daniel, Curtis. 12/23/1851: Jne Term 1852. Son: Curtis, land lot 9 (100 acres) and part of Lot 10 on South side of Beaver Creek and Negro woman Susan about 22. To take care of my daughter, Penny, for her natural life. Son: Noah Daniel. Daughter: Nancy. To Marcus Bunn money from my present cotton crop. Son: Robert Daniel. Daughters: Martha Opry, Nancy Singleton. Executor: Friend, Thomas Pollock. Wit: Richard S. Farr, William Singleton, John Kirkland, Robert Opry.

Dennard, Shadrack 12/1/1837: 5/2/1838. Property be sold and divided into 7 parts, viz: wife, Nancy; daughter, Narcissa McKensie; daughter, Louissa Reese; daughter, Linny Graham; daughter, Allifair Beall; daughter, Mary Harvey and her children (Alfred Harvey and Mary Jane Harvey) to be paid Alfred R. Harvey as trustee for his mother, Mary Harvey and sister, Mary Jane Harvey. To grandchildren: George F. Spann, Augustus Spann, Vessenoy Deveraux and Louisa Spann. George F. Spann, trustee for his brothers and sisters. Wife, Nancy, Negroes-Harriet, Roallis, Andrew, then to go to grandson, Shadrack S. G. McKensie. Daughter, Narcissa McKensie, Negroes-Sellars, Peter, Caroline. David Graham of Dooly Co. apptd trustee of Narcissa. Grandsons-John C. Reese, Shadrack S. G. McKensie. Negro woman Edy and her 4 children to be sold (Emaline, Georgeann, Cordellia, Jane). Any disputes of friends, James M. Kelly, Hugh Lawson and John E. Dennard to be settled. Executors: Sons-in-law, David Graham of Dooly Co. and Charles C. Beall of Wilkinson Co. Wit: James Holderness, Jediah Wood, William H. Hudd.

Doles, Thomas. 2/10/1842:-----. Wife, Mary, 33 acres in NW corner lot 70, 5th dist. Children of three daughters, Patsey Wilsher, Jinsey Windham and Sarah Grice. Children of son, Josiah by his present wife Martha W. Doles, Negroes (Willis and Cooper). To children of son, John Doles and his present wife Vicey, Negro (Adam) and Western half of lot 60 in 5th dist. Negro Judy to go to granddaughter, Betsey (daughter of his son John and wife Vicey. Children of daughter, Patsey by present husband, Jerry Wilsher. To two children of daughter, Jinsey by her present husband, Reubin Winham. To children of daughter Sarah by her present husband, William Brice. Executors: Son, Josiah Doles and Rev. John Fulwood. Wit: Stephen Bassett, John M. John, William Sego.

Dozier, James C. 3/10/1836: 11/3/1840. Wife, Sarah, executrix, all estate. Wit: William Stevens, James H. Smith, Robert Hodges.

Dupree, Jeremiah. 4/9/1834: 10/22/1838. Wife, Nelly, West 1/2 of lot 214 in 10th dist., and Negroes (Zenith, Daniel, Isham), etc. Daughter, Nancy Worthy, to receive Negro Zenity at wife's death. Son, William H., Negro boy Isham. Son, Daniel, Negro

man Daniel. Grandson, Jeremiah Henry Dupree, the son of Simon Dupree, West 1/2 of lot 214 in 10th dist. Son, Simon, a Negro man (Jacob) and lot 182 in 10th dist., 202 1/2 acres. Daughter: Elizabeth Pain, Negro girl (Phillis). Daughter, Polly Harvy. All property already given to my children, viz: Tabith Tomberlinson, Samuel Dupree, Ira E. Dupree. Executors: Sons, Ira E., William H. and Simon Dupree. Wit: James M. Kelly, F. W. Jobson, Alexander Smith, Joshua Pattishall.

Dupree, William H. 6/9/1836 headed Twiggs County, but a resident of Houston Co. 9/10/1832. Wife, Rebecca. Daughters, Sarah Ann Gregory, Vaney Jordan Rockmore, Eliza Boykin, Elenor Huff Lofton and Jamise Ann Dupree to receive 1/5th part of estate. Executor: Brother, Ira E. Dupree. Wit: Henry Bunn, Thomas J. Johnson, John G. Slappy, Thornton Perry.

Edwards, Wilson. 5/14/1828: 7/7/1828. To Allen Sutton 1/2 of lot 29 in 11th dist. Wit: Duncan Nicholson, Leary Stanley, Meredith Joiner.

Engram, Edward. 8/15/1843: 11/25/1843. Wife, Elizabeth, lot 271 in 13th dist. where I now live. Negroes- Alfred, Stephen, Nancy, Lettica, Dopkna, to wife, etc. until her death or when son, Seaborn T. Engram comes of age. Minor children: William F., Edward W., Amanda C. Son, Robert N. Engram lot 48 in 14th dist, etc. Son, James, lot 36 in 10th district. Son, John, lot 7 in 11th dist. of Dooly Co., etc. Daughter, Elizabeth Smith, negroes. Grandchildren: Mary Jane and Charlton C., children of son, Oliver C. Engram, Negroe (Sandy), a legacy bequeathed by my brother John Engram, late of Lenoir Co., N. C. Henry, Negroes. To son, Seaborn, the East half of lot 17 in 14th dist., lot 48 in 14th dist. not given to my son, Robert. etc. Son, William F., lot 275 and North half of lot 276 in 13th dist., etc. Daughter, Amanda C., Negroes. Children: Robert, James, Eliza, Elizabeth, Henry I., Seaborn, William, Edward, Amanda. Two grandchildren, Charlton C. and Mary Jane (children of Oliver C.), but James to have 1/16th part of crop, etc. Daughter: Elizabeth Walden. Executor: Charles West Sr. Wit: James Holderness, John Laidler, Seth Barnes.

Everett, James A. 5/8/1848: 7/24/1848. Wife, Mary Beauford,

\$15,000 to purchase Negroes. Friend, Adolphus D. Kendrick apptd Trustee of property bequeathed to wife. To children of deceased brother, Charles Everett; to 3 daughters (names I do not know) of sister, Patsey Bynum, their brother, Sugars Bynum apptd trustee. Nephew, Sugars Bynum, son of deceased sister, Patsey Bynum. Nephew, George C. Everett. Nephew, Turner C. Everett. To Rev. Reuben H. Luckey. To nephews, James M. Everett and Charles H. Everett. To sister-in-law: Elizabeth Greene. Brothers-in-law: William and Peter B. Greene. Brother-in-law: Myles L. Green. Mother-in-law: Mrs. Sarah W. Kaigler. To Methodist Episcopal Church South. To old friend, Rev. James Dunwoody. Old friend, Rev. John Fulwood. To Charley and Sarah Harrell. To Mrs. Mary Mathis, widow of Isham Mathis, deceased. To Foreign Missionary Society. To sons: Jamrd S. and Henry Peter, his Hogcrawl Plantation. Five children: James A., Henry Peter, Sarah E., Ann E., Theodocia. Turner Everett apptd trustee for his three daughters. Executors: Friends, Turner Snead, Allen Wiggins. Codicil 6/20/1848 gives brother-in-law Myles L. Greene \$1000. Wit: Allen Wiggins, J. A. Kendrick, William J. Anderson.

Fagan, Henry 3/23/1842: Sept. Term 1842. Property to be kept together for wife and children. Executors: Wife, Missouri Fagan and John H. Thomas. Wit: Stephen Castellow, George W. Scarborough, D. McLendon.

Farless, Abigail. 9/20/1837: 118/1850. To Serenay Green Bozeman all property including Western 1/2 of Lot 215 and 50 acres in NW corner of Lot 230 6th district. Then to Alyathany Hodges. Wit: William Avery, James Vinson, James W. Bateman, J. P.

Flint, Ira H. 12/6/1836 headed Clarke Co.; 2/16/1837 Clarke Co., recorded Houston Co. 3/6;1837. All estate to his mother Olive Flint of Vermont, then after death to brother, Alvin Flint. Executor: Friend, Jedidiah Wood of Houston Co. Wit: Lindsey Durham, Milledge S. Surham, John H. Lowe, Sr., all of Clarke Co.

Flowers, Rhoda. 8/9/1849: 9/10/1849. Daughter, Mary Finley, placed in care of Isaac Loftin. Sons: Thomas, John, Jesse. Daughter: Clarkey Duket her home and lot in East Macon after

paying \$10 to her son, David Flowers. Executor: Friend, Isaac Lofton. Wit: Robert C. Bryan, Marcus H. Bunn, Isaac Lofton.

Finley, Elijah. 7/9/1849: 9/10/1840. Wife: Annis, whole estate. Children; Major Eubanks Wilkins, Mary Wilkins, James Finley, Wealthy Ann Finley, Sarah Jane Finley. Executors: Wife, Annis and friends, Josiah Hodges and David Adams. Wit: William Barton, Rolen Mercer, Thomas Pollock.

Gower, Sarah. 1/1/1842: 5/23/1843. Brother: Miles Harrell, Negro Aggy and child Nelson, then to go to son, Robert Harrell. Brother-in-law: David Goodman and wife, Mary. Executor: Brother, Miles Harrell. Wit: John W. Babb, Alex. Everett.

Grace, James. 1/2/1849: 3/5/149. Daughter: Fama McWilliams. Wife, Elizabeth. 4 children: Mary McNeese, Martha West, Mathew Grace, Thomas Grace. Executors: Son, Mathew Grace and son-in-law, Emanuel McNeese. Wit: John Laidler, Joel W. Mann, George F. Cooper, Sr., George F. Cooper, Jr., Eli Warren.

Grace, Thomas F. 6/26/1853:----. Wife, Elizabeth Jane 8 acres in NW corner of lot 166 in 13th dist. Sons: William W., John H. (not 21). Friend, Needham T. Johnson, executor. Wit: D. W. Taylor, William H. Holmes, William F. Griffin, Robert O. Holton.

Graddy, Arthur. 5/8/1826: 1/25/1827. Son: Winston. My children. Executors: Two sons, Winston and W. Graddy. Wit: Edward Stafford, James Chance, Ratliff Eckels.

Hamlin, John E. 6/29/1853:----. Sister: Harriet C. Hamlin, all money, etc. To mother. Brother: William E. Hamlin, executor. Wit: Creed T. Williams, Allen Williams, H. J. Lamar.

Hancock, Joseph. 5/21/1844: 7/28/1845. Wife, Mary of 35 years. To Josiah J. Hancock; Thomas Pollock; Eliza Jane; John M. Hancock; James W. Hancock; Josiah J. Hancock (gdn of daughter, Nelly N. Hancock). Executors: Sons, Josiah J. and James W. Hancock. Wit: Marcus H. Bunn, James H. Gordon, James B. McMurray.

Hancock, Margaret. LWT recorded in Burke Co. on 1/7/1812, and

entered in Houston Co. Will Book A January Term 1836. Deed of Gift to George Walker (Friend) of Pulaski Co. who intermarried with her niece, Betsy Walker, a Negro (Pomssey). Niece, Betsy Walker, a Negro woman (Lucy) and her children (Celia and Patsy), a Negro (Poll) and her two children, Peggy and Nelly, and a Negro woman, Juno. Wit: John Fryer, Thomas Sander of Burke Co.

Haskins, Harrison D. 3/1851. Friend, Nathan G. Philips of New Orleans, Negro woman named Sophia, age 25. Property to be sold and divided between his sisters, Sarah Emerson and Jane Alford. Executors: James Alford, Shephard Rogers. Wit: William Barton, John A. Sperry, Josiah Hodges.

Heard, James. planter of Houston Co. -----:8/18/1843. Bibb Co. Wife, Nancy. Sons: Joseph P., Andrew J., Jacob F., Isaac. Daughter: Rachel Horden. Sons-in-law: William Cherry, Benjamin Williams. Elvira O. Heard to have a full share in her grandfather's estate. Executors: Son-in-law, William Cherry, and wife, Nancy Heard. Wit: T. P. Stubbs, Henry A. Chandler, James A. Ralston.

Holly, William Sr. 6/25/1842: 7/24/1842. Wife, Mazy, 15 acres in NW corner of land lot 217 in 9th dist. and an adjoining 15 acres of SW corner of lot 216 in 9th dist. Two notes of John Bryan, one note of A. J. Holmes, two notes of Hardy Price, one note of John Mully, one note of John Brown. Notes to go to grandson, Thomas Holly. Executor: Son, William. Wit: Enos Young, Stephen Johnson, Amos Young.

Holton, Samuel. 6/1/1845:---. Son: James Fitzgerald Holton, Negroes and land lots 130 and 164 in 13th dist. of Houston Co., 202 1/2 acres each. Wife: Mary, Negroes and Lots 122 and 131 in 13th dist. during her life. To wife's daughter, Malinda, a Negro boy. Executor: Hugh Lawson. Wit: Dempsey Brown, Stephen Brown, James Fitzgerald, Robert O. Holton.

Howard, Michael. 3/12/1851: 7/7/1851. Wife of 30 years, Temphester. To: Wade N., Jowest, Richmond W. and Enoch Howard each a horse and saddle to equal with his other sons. Daughter: Temphester. Grandchildren: Lawry Ann Lucinda and

John F. Howard. Executors: Wife, Temphester and son, Stancil Howard. Wit: Hillard J. Clark, John W. Bassett, James E. Price.

Howell, John. 2/16/1826: 9/5/1826, recorded 1/24/1827. Wife, Mary. Sons: Thomas, Elhraldred, John. Grandson: John Howell, son of his daughter, Deborah Howell. Executors: Friend, Henry Pitts, and son, Thomas Howell. Wit: James B. Stephens, Milledge Stephens.

Irwin, Thomas A. 6/18/1731: 7/15/1831. Wife, Nancy, the plantation and dwelling house in Washington Co. on Big Ohoopie known as William Irwin's old place, etc. Son: William. The land he drew in Lee Co. land lottery to be sold by his executors.

Jenkins, Samuel. ----:5/8/1842. Wife, Anne. Dau: Julia Catharine Corbett, house and lots 1 and 2 in town of Lanier, Macon Co. on which she and her husband, William W. Corbett now reside. Dau: Harriet Newell Giles, wife of John M. Giles of Macon Co. Dau: Elizabeth J. Leget. Sons: Wesley Hemmingway Jenkins, John Fletcher Jenkins. Dau: Anne Judson Jenkins. Dau: Arabitha Adelaide Jenkins. Dau: Mary George Jenkins. Wife appointed trustees for daughter's Julia Catharine Corbett and Harriet Newell Giles and as guardian of her minor children. Executors: Wife, Anne Jenkins, John W. Jenkins, John E. Dennard, Charles H. Rice. Wit: J. C. Postell, John T. Graves, Conrad Murph.

Jenkins, William F. 3/18/1844: 5/25/1844. Grandchildren: William and Eliza Bragg, children of Drucilla Bragg, deceased. Wife, Margaret. Children: Harriet Smith, Elizabeth Meadows, Martin Jenkins, Rebecca Rawls, Mary Nelson, William Bragg and Eliza Bragg representing the share of their deceased mother. Harriet Smith's share to be vested in Richard Meadows, her trustee. Executors: Wife, Margaret Jenkins and son-in-law, Richard Meadows. Wit: Charles H. Rice, Bryant Batton, John Killin, James E. Duncan.

Kelly, Amey. ----: 5/9/1854. To be buried in a tomb above ground. Grandchildren: James Griffin, Geraldine Griffin; Henrietta E. Moore and Laura V. Smith, formerly Laura V.

Moore. Son: James B. Johnston land in Randolph Co., etc. Son, Thomas J. Johnston her house and lot in Houston Co. Executors: John Killen, Samuel Felder. Wit: William H. Miller, P. B. D. H. Culler, J. W. Mann, W. H. Talton, Joseph W. Giles.

Kelly, James M. 8/5/1843: 5/7/1849. Wife, Amey, executrix. His professional business in Houston Co. to go to his partner, Charles H. Rice. Warren & Scarborough to act as his representative in collecting fees, etc. Wit: James R. Oliver, William B. Penuel, W. D. Whitehead.

Killen, James H. 4/11/1836: 4/15/1836. Wife: Rebecca. Son (not named) and daughters, Martha Ann, Sarah Catharine and Frances Camilla to have 1/4th part of money at age 21. Exeutor: Brother, John Killen. Wit: Jordan Reese, James J. Scarborough, Edward T. McGehee, Ira T. Hobbs, J. P.

Killen, Jane. 1/15/1831 Johnson Co. NC: 10/2/1832 Houston Co. Dau: Harriet C. Peacock all money coming vrom brother, William Miller's estate. Sons: Robert, John, William, Samuel, James, McNeil. Executor: Son, Lewis Peacock. Wit: John Peacock, Asa Peacock.

King, Nehemiah. 6/22/1839: 10/26/1840. Wife, Direstor. Dau: Elizabeth Minshew and grandchildren, James Brim, Martha Brim and Mary Brim have received their portion elsewhere herein. Daus: Elizabeth Minshew, Mary Mount, Sarah Reynolds, Margaret Marshall, Rebecca McLendon, Alsey McLendon. Children of dau., Rachel Brown, deceased. Sons: William, Levi, Thomas, George W. Executors: Sons, William, Levi, Thomas and George Washington King. Wit: John V. Brown, Jess Almonds, William Herington.

King, Samuel. 2/13/1849: 5/6/1850. Two youngest children, Sarah Ann and Benjamin. 4 children: Thomas, William John, Sarah Ann, Benjamin Charles. Executors: Son, Thomas King with James Nephew King of Monroe Co. as his replacement if necessary. Wit: Thomas Redding, William A. Johnson, Thomas H. King.

Lafoy, John G. 8/24/1832:11/5/1832. Executor to sell any land

drawn in his name in approaching land lottery and divide what is left between two children, Adaline Melvina Lafoy and Marion Lafoy. Executor: John M. Allen. Wit: Bryant Daughtry, George W. Nix, Arthur A. Morgan.

Lowe, Aaron. 10/8/1840: 1/4/1841. Wife, Jincey. Sons: Aaron A., William H., Daniel B. Daughter: Patsy Warren. Grandson: Kittrel Warren. Four youngest children: Mary A. W., Permelia E., Sarah F. and Aaron A. Lowe. Executor: Son, Daniel B. Lowe. Wit: James Fitzgerald, John West, John W. Brown.

Mahon, William. 6/13/1843 Putnam Co.: 9/6/1847 Houston Co. Dau: Anne Rebecca Bagley. Negroes to surviving children of his last wife. The land where I now live and land in Floyd Co. in the Cherokee purchase to be sold and money used to educate his children. Land in Sumter Co. to be left as a home for his wife and children. Brother: Jackson Mahon. Wife, Mary A. B. Mahon all the legacy coming to her from her father's estate. Executors: Eli Warren and wife, Mary A. B. Mahon. Wit: William H. Gregory, Riley Batchelor, Thomas G. Wood.

Mercer, Joshua. 9/29/1843: 1/18/1844. Wife, Dorcas lot 11 in 11th dist. except 40 acres where Jacob Mercer now lives. Margaret Mercer, widow of John Mercer, to keep possession of the land she lives on during her life. Children: Joshua F., Rolen, William, James, Nancy, Elizabeth and Joseph Mercer. Executor: Wife, Dorcas Mercer, and friend, Thomas Pollock. Wit: Canny Rogers, A. Sasser, William P. Gilbert, Thomas Pollock.

McBride, Alonzo. 2/6/1836:-----. Letter dated 2/6/1836, Hayneville to his brother and sisters, Frances and Elmira, prior to departing for Picolate, Florida with the Houstoun Cavalry to engage the Seminole Indians. He said that he joined with Samuel Buffington after the co. was ordered to march and that Mr. Smith "regrets very much that I leave him" - "that if I never return Lee is for John McKinney my watch also and Adeline to be divided among you all". LWT was proved by Frederick D. Wimberly, Isaac H. Smith and John L. Howell.

McInvale, Robert. -----: 4/28/1853. Wife, Mary. Son: William B. Estate to be divided between: James D., William B., Mary

Frances and Emily Caroline McInvale. Executors: Wife, Mary McInvale and son, William B. McInvale. Wit: Samuel H. J. Sistrunk, Theodore G. Norwood, Seaborn C. Bryan, Silas Rawls.

McKenzie, William. --- 1/11/1847. Equal shares to: James W., Laura Ann, John H., Millessa E., Martha Ann Josephine and wife, Susan McKenzie. Executors: Wife, Susan and brothers, John Sutton and Henry McKenzie. Wit: J. W. Horne, William W. Russell, Hamilton Harvey, J. P.

McLamore, Henry. 2/4/1850: 5/5/1850. Granddaughter: Tabitha Matilda Pate. Son: Henry James McLamore. To John Wright McLamore, Nancy Ann Sanders, William McLamore, Catharine J. C. Pervis, Zilpha Bullard, Lecretia Ellis, Margaret T. Brim and Sarah B. McLamore, one dollar each. To minor children: Ann Eliza McLamore, John Wesly McLamore and Archabald McLamore. Executors: Friends, Joseph Kemp and William Smith. Wit: Nathan Hollerman, John Adkins, James Adkins, James E. Price.

Minshe, Nathan. 11/15/1845: 3/2/1846. Wife, Elizabeth land on which I now live, 194 3/4 acres, etc. Daus: Clara Holstead, Ivey Hill, Ava Hill, Margaret Thomas. Sons: Nathan, Reddin. Grandaughtes, Catherine and Missouri, the children of Nathan and Joseph. Executor: Son, Reddin R. Minshe. Wit: John Land Sr., Samuel H. Everett, Seth G. Watson.

Moreland, Tuttle H. 10/14/1829 Bibb Co.: 11/2/1829 Houston Co. Wife, Sarah S., executrix. Wit: Albert G. Clifton, William Harrison, Nimrod W. Long, J. I. Ct.

Murray, Ezekiel. 9/15/1851: 9/17/1851. Wife, Matilda during her natural life then to be divided equally among the heirs. Executors: Son, Stephen Z. Murray, and Columbus W. Hand. Wit: Abram Batton, B. F. Moore, David Murray, Hardy Batton.

Newson, Elendor. 11/14/1847: 5/1/1848. Everything to grandchildren, the children of William and Nancy Felts. Executor: Thomas Pollock. Wit: William Vinson, Henry Barton.

Pattishall, Joshua. 10/12/1841: 10/20/1841. Wife, Martha, executrix. Son: Daniel. Daus: Laura and Arabella. To Jackson Parker at age 21. Wit: William H. Rudd, Thomas Williams, Arthur A. Morgan, James M. Kelly.

Pollock, Jesse. 11/15/1832: 12/3/1832. Wife, Sally. 5 Notes of Ressey Hamilton and one note of Thomas Pollock. Executors: Lewis Pollock and Frederick Watson. Wit: William Melton, Joseph Hancock.

Pope, James. 6/16/1849: 1/1854. Nancy, my second wife of 6 months. 8 children: Mary, now wife of Ezekiel Wimberly; Catharine, now wife of William Tooke; James S. Pope; Martha Pope; Smitha Pope; Jeanette Pope; Eliza Pope; Josephine Pope. Executors: Friends, Alexander Everett and Adam T. Holmes. Wit: A. T. Holmes, Alexander Everett and Samuel Felder. Codicil dated 12/13/1853 leaves Martha, now wife of Stephen W. Brown, negroes. Adam T. Holmes having moved from the county is replaced as one of executors by Ezekiel H. Wimberly, son-in-law. Wit: John L. Felder, A. J. Campbell, Alexander Everett. Appraisers appointed for estate in Dooly Co.

Powell, Sampson. 11/25/1832: 1/3/1833. Dau: Amelia Webb part of lot 59 in 14th dist. that lies on the north side of Savage Creek containing 60 acres. To Winney Barrow now living with me, one heifer. All other property to be divided equally among my children. Executor: Son-in-law, Benjamin Webb. Wit: Wilson Hemingway, Erasmus P. Stuckey, James Martin.

Prescott, Richard. 7/13/1849: 9/1/1851. Cousin: Nancy Giles, wife of William Giles, land I purchased from Timothy Furlow. To William Giles, the 4th child and 3rd son of William and Nancy Giles; John Gray, the eldest son of Felix and Matilda Gray; Elsey Jane and Sarah Ann, only daughters of Christian and Mary Davis. Executor: James A. Pringle. Wit: George W. Smith, Sanders D. Outlaw, David M. Smith.

Renfroe, Elisha. 8/14/1843: 7/22/1844. Wife, Lucy, 150 acres in lot 149, 6th dist., etc. Son: Seaborn. Grandson, Elisha Renfroe, son of John A. Renfroe. Grandson: Bryant Renfroe, son of Nathaniel Renfroe. Wit: Bryant Bateman, Green S. Mills.

Royal, John. 4/11/1837: 9/24/1838. Wife, Rebecca. To Hugh Allen and his present wife, 7 Negroes. To son, Huldin C. Royal land in Burke Co. Son: James H. Royal. Son: Isaac Royal. To Mary Ann Moore, 3 Negroes. To Narcissa H. Hurst. To F. C. Royal, James H. Royal, Mary Ann Moore and Isaac H. Royall all property bequeathed to my wife at her deaqth. Executors: Friends, Anthony M. Thompson and Isaac H. Royal. Wit: Maria Allen, James P. Allen, Anthony M. Thompson, J. P.

Rawls, Jacob. 3/30/1839: 7/29/1840. Wife, Christian. Son: Lawrence. Grandson: Henry Sawls. Grandson: Thomas Sawls. Grandson: Thomas Pace. All other property to be divided between my children. Executors: Friend, William Haddock and son, Lawrence Sawls. Wit: Joseph N. Carr, Alfred S. Hudson, Henry W. Raley.

Shepard, Robert -----:6/9/1854. Wufem Sarah M. and all children to remain together on the plantation. Executors: Wife, Sarah M. Shepard and friend, Augustus H. Laidler. Wit: John H. Kendrick, Osborn Jones, Durham Bowers.

Shiver, Fleming. 2/19/1833: 5/6/1833. Wife, Elizabeth. My children to have choice of cattle and sheep. John C. Calhoun to be paid for his services. Executors: Joseph Calhoun, Enoch Shiver, Maning Shiver. Wit: William Farnell, John Farnell.

Sikes, Jonathan. 7/4/1818 Bladen Co., NC., recorded 5/8/1828 in Houston Co. Wife, Sarah. Youngest children: Catherine, Isaiah, Caleb, Amos. Son-in-law, William Kemp and his wife, Lucy. To Benjamin Turner and his wife, Ellizabeth who was the daughter of my brother, Joseph Sikes. To 3 children of brother, Joseph Sikes, viz: Colin, Mary and James Sikes. To son, Samuel, 100 acres adj. Richard Singletary east side of Harrison's Lake and 75 acres where he resides. To son, Joshua, the tract where I now live containing 618 acres called Cain's Hill and 28 acres I purchased from Sampson Davis. To sons, John and Richard Sikes, Negroes. Sons: Samuel, John, Richard, Joshua to receive 1/2 the cattle. Executor: Son, John Sikes. Wit: John Dickson, J. Cain.

Spear, Washington. -----: 5/8/1854. "I make no bequeath to my wife as we had an agreement she would have no interest in my estate." Daughter: Caroline E. Jobson and her son, John R. Speir, to have whole estate. Executors: William G. Speir, John S. Jobson. Wit: F. W. Jobson, J. W. Mann, S. J. Fordham.

Spivey, Littleton. 5/8/1836: 11/19/1836. His executor to give title to Dr. Isaac D. Newton for 10 acres in NE corner of lot 273, 13th dist. on east side of Mulberry St. adj. Howell Cobb's land. Son: James. Wife and daughter not named. Executors: Brother, James Spivey and brother-in-law, John W. Cowart, both of Sumter Co. Ga. Wit: Howell Cobb, John M. Chastain, Joseph J. C. Jackson, Philip West.

Smith, Harriet. ----:8/2/1854, All property divided between sons, Thomas J. Gardner, heirs of Lewis W. Gardner, deceased, John Gardner, Matthias L. Gardner and daughters, Louisa C. Royal, Sarah D. Batton and Margaret E. Giles. Executor: Son, John Gardner. wIT: Francis Moore, William Nelson, Silas Rawls, Richard Meadow.

Smith, James D. 3/28/1831: 3/5/1832. Brother: Wiley Smith. To Alsey Ellis, in trust for Wiley Smith. Brother: Andrew D. Smith, executor. Wit: George Williams, Theodore Guerry.

Smith, John. 3/28/1831: 3/5/1832. Wife: Ann. Plantation, etc. to wife and after her death to go to daughter, Sarah Ann Urydice. Sons: John Gardiner, Joseph Andrew. To two children of Sarah Ann Urydice and Joseph Andrew Smith. My oldest children, Thomas L. Smith and Daniel W. Smith, have already received their portion. Executors: Wife, Ann Smith and her brother, Thomas Gardner. Wit: David L. Morris, Jason Gardner, Elias Bryan.

Smith, John M. 1/27/1842: 3/7/1842. Five shares: Son, Burkett D. Smith, my wife, two minor children and daughter, Mrtha. Wife, Elizabeth and 2 minor children, Homer Smith and Jackyann Smith. Son, Britton J. Smith. Son, Benjamin G. Smith. Dau: Louisa C. Baskin. Executor: William O. Baskin and wife, Elizabeth Smith. Wit: Calvin Minshe, Hugh A. McLain, James G. Baskin.

Smith, Thomas. 11/13/1840: 10/16/1841. Wife, Sarah. Five minor children: Dawson, Edwin, Warren, Rebecca and Nancy. Dau: Lucinda Smith. Dau: Imcey Smith. Sons: Edward and Warren Smith. Land to sons, Dawson, Edwin and Warren Smith. Dau: Mary Tull, wife of Joseph Tull. Executors: Son, Turner Smith and Nancy Smith. Wit: James Holderness, William H. Miller, James R. Oliver.

Smith, Richard. 1/25/1826: 3/6/1826. Wife, Mourning Elizabeth Smith. Dau: Susan Caroline. Mentions herds of pigs, sheep, goats in Twiggs Co. Son: Sion Smith the ferry at Buzzard's Roost on Ocmulgee River. Son: Etheride Smith my mill in Houston Co. and lots in Perry. John Owens to be guardian of daughter, Susan Caroline Smith. Executors: William Hamilton, John I. Owens, Abner Wimberly and Theophilus M. Chamberlin. Wit: James H. Killen, David W. Man, Wilson Collins, Tuttle H. Moreland, J. I. Ct.

Smith, William. 1/10/1851: March Term 1852. Son: Alexander. Daughter: Ardilia Smith, wife of Needham Smith. Daughter, Deborah Hodge, wife of Josiah Hodge. Son, Jesse Smith. Daughter, Harriet Fatten, wife of John Fatten. Son, Garrett Smith. Deceased son, Resdon Smith. Executors: Friends, Abner E. Wimberly, William P. Gilbert, Howell Cobb, Wilson Smith, George Walker. Wit: George W. Jordan, James D. Whitehead, Joel Walker.

Staley, Jane. 3/26/1845: 4/4/1845. Daughter: Cornelia J. E., a Negro woman (Anna) and her youngest child (Frances). To all my children, viz: Olivia M. Riley, John Staley, Cornelia J. E. Staley. Son, John, apptd gdn of Cornelia and executor with son-in-law, David Riley. Wit: Howell Cobb, P. B. V. H. Culler, Hugh A. McLain.

Staley, Samuel. --- 5/21/1838. Wife, Jane and her children: Charles Hilliard, Oliver, John and Cornelius. All my land in Houston Co. Dau: Keziah M. Michael. All rest of estate to be divided equally between wife and all my children except Christian J. to pay to estate \$375.00. Executors: Wife, Jane Staley and son, Charles Hilliard Staley. Wit: H. W. Terry, H. Cobb,

Leonard King.

Statham, William. 4/25/1845: 9/7/1845. Sons: Richmond, Garland. Daughter, Julian McCoy, wife of Charles M. McCoy. Charlton Wellborn trustee for Julian McCoy. Daughter, Frances Bason, wife of Jacob W. Bason. Daughter: Nancy Hall, wife of William Hall. Grandsons: Merideth, John and Thomas Crutchfield, sons of John Crutchfield, Sr. To my afflicted daughter, Eliza Statham. Executors: Sons, Richmond and Garland Statham. Wit: Thomas Crutchfield, Stephen Castellaw, Charles R. Law, J. P.

Strong, Christopher B. 2/7/1847: 5/12/1851. Older children: Martha D. Baley, Sarah T., Creed T., Samuel M. and Christopher B. To be buried beside wife, Lucy Ann. Son, Creed T. Strong and George F. Cooper entrusted all estate for benefit of daughter, Emeline S. Strong and son, Blake Baker Strong, both children to receive a clerical education, to study divinity under the Protestant Episcopal Church of Georgia. Executors: Son, Creed T. Strong, Dr. George F. Cooper and nephew, Creed T. Woodson. Wit: Bryant Batton, Elijah Williams, John W. Brown.

Tarvin, George. 6/28/1830: 1/20/1834. Wife, Martha H. 100 acres of lot 73 in 7th dist. of Dooly Co. adj. town of Berrien and lots 23 and 24 in Berrien. Youngest son, George Franklin Tarvin lot 54 in 10th dist. of Houston Co., 202 1/2 acres. Children: William M., David D., Martha D., Clarissa I., Mary A. and George Franklin Tarvin. Wit: William B. Ball, James E. Duncan, James M. Kelly.

Taylor, Isaac. ---: 3/12/1849. Wife, Eleanor. Sons: William C., John W. Daughter: Fanny Hawkins. Lots 234 and 235 in Dooly Co. Daus: Nancy Gilmore, Ardillacy Bridges. Granddaughter: Mary Powel Taylor, dau. of son, John W. Taylor. Son, William C. Taylor. Son, John W. Taylor. Son, William C. Taylor. Executors: Sons, William C. and John W. Taylor. Wit: Mathew Sheppard, Daniel Bridges, Ira T. Hobbs.

Taylor, Jacob. 7/9/1838: 9/3/1838. Wife, Rachel and unnamed child. Executor: Thomas Pollo k. Wit: Euphany Warren, Elbert D. Watson, F. Watson.

Tison, Sterling. 3/30/1831: 5/2/1831. Wife, Judith. Daughter: Martha Elizabeth. Executors: Wife, Judith Tison, Augusta B. Higgins, Abner Wimberly. Wit: John G. Slappy, Osborn F. Wimberly, William Haddock, J. P.

Todd, John. 11/7/1843: 11/15/1843. Children: James Todd, Susan Todd Clark, John Todd, Richard Todd, Elizabeth Todd and Mary Frances Todd. Executors: Friends, Thomas Pollock, James P. Hamrick. Wit: Mathew Freeman, John Deshart Walker, John A. Freeman, Noah Daniel.

Tooke, Allen. 9/20/1837: 11/6/1837. Wife, Julia Ann, Negroes and 20 acre lot in town of Hayneville, etc. Brother: Joseph Tooke, executor. Sons: James E., Furney F., William Joseph. Wit: George Williams, William S. Coulson, Charles F. Patillo.

Tull, Arthur. 6/19.1840: 12/7/1841. Wife, Nancy. Sons: Bennitt and Francis Marion Tull. Daus: Louisa, Martha Ann, Susan Jane, Nancy, Catherine, Louisa Smith. Executor: Edward Engram. Wit: William B. Fennel, James B. McMurray, James Holderness.

Vinson, George. 2/21/1849: 3/27/1849. Wife, Deborah lot 184 in 6th dist., 202 1/2 acres and 1/2 of lot 170 in 6th dist., 101 1/4 acres, etc. Daughters: Elizabeth Brooks, Nancy Hunt, E.? Brookin, Mary Renfro, Martha Peavy. Sons: Jonah, James, Benjamin, Owin, and George Washington Vinson. To Mandy Jane Giles. Executor: Son, George W. Vinson. Wit: William L. Hunt, A. Young, William Avera, William Richardson.

Vinson, James. 2/26/1849: Jan Term 1851. Wife, Frances K., land lot 104, 202 1/2 acres, and other lots plus Negroes. Executors: Friends, Thomas Lewis and William R. Harris. Wit: Josiah Vinson, William L. Hunt, William Richardson.

Walker, Betsy. 1/16/1834: 1/4/1836. Daughters: Sarah Frances Fuller, Betsy Martin, Rebecca Dennard, Sarah Frances Fuller. Son: David Walker. Executors: My three sons, Joel Walker, George Walker and David Walker. Wit: Henry P. Harris, William F. Taylor.

Walker, George, Sr. 8/21/1829: 11/1/1830. To son, Joel, 404 acres (lots 193 and 194) in 24th dist. of formerly Wilkinson Co., now Pulaski Co. where son resides. Son, George Walker, 202 1/2 acres, lot 191 in Pulaski Co. where son lives. To son, David Walker, 405 acres, lots 172, 192 in 24th dist. of Pulaski Co. To son, Charles Walker, 257 1/2 acres, lots 201 and part of 200, and 100 1/4 acres. Daughter: Betsey Martin. Son, Thomas Walker, 303 3/4 acres, lot 202 and west 1/2 of lot 217 in Twiggs Co. Daughters: Rebecca Dennard, Sally Fuller. To George Walker Bryan, Mary Ester Bryan, Emmily Antinett Bryan. Wife, Betsy. Numerous land tracts of many Negro slaves bequeathed. Executors: Sons, Joel, George, David and Charles Walker. Wit: John Jones, Asa Jolly, David Jameson.

Warren, Aaron L. Nuncupative: 4/1/1839. To mother Patsy Warren, all estate, then to his surviving brothers younger than himself and his sister, Nancy D. Warren. Wit: Aaron Lowe, John Brown, Jordan Reese.

Wheeler, John. 1/17/1832: 2/13/1832. Wife, Mary. Daughters: Delity and Hannah, his estate including land in Twiggs Co. Andrew Howad. Wit: Charles F. Pattillo, John Farnell, William Alexander.

Whetstone, James Mallard. ---5/5/1851. Children: James, Sarah, Ann, Cornelia, Mary L. M., Frances Jane and William Joseph Whetstone. Wife, Belinda, executrix. Wit: P. B. B. H. Culler, William Allen, Zach Lamar, Mary A. Houser.

Wiggins, Sarah. 6/4/1840: 3/7/1842. Sons: Arthur and Osborn Wiggins. Grandson: William Arnold Wiggins, son of Allen and Catharine Wiggins. Executors: Osborn and Allen Wiggins. wit: Enos Young, A. B. Greene.

Wiggins, William. 4/3/1828: 8/11/1829. Wife, Sally. On wife's death, Negro (Randal) to e divided between the lawful children of Osborn Wiggins and Allen Wiggins. Daughter: Dicy Ross. Son, Osborn Wiggins. Son, Allen Wiggins. Wife, Sally and sons, Osborn and Allen, executors. Wit: John Evans, Catherine Rembert, Scarborough Rembert.

Williamson, Sterling C. 6/19/1838: 1/10/1842. Wife, Mary, plantation where I now live, consisting of 3 lots (94, 95 and 99) in the 10th district. Children: Sterling C., Mary A., Charles, James E., John T., Priscilla E. Williamson now Dinkins, Timothy T., Martha L., Harriet A. R. and Warren W. Executors: Sons, Sterling C. and Charles Williamson and Samuel A. Dinkins, Paul S. Dinkins. Wit: W. E. Sanders, Ephraim Kendrick.

Wilson, Matthew. ----:12/19/1854. Wife, Zady the house and lot in Perry where I now live, etc. Remainder of property to be divided between my children: James of N. C., John D. of Dooly Co., George Rebecca Lo kman, the wife of John Lockman of Dooly Co, Nancy Jane Segrist, wife of Laban Segrist of Houston Co., Enoch of Macon Co., Joel of Stewart o. and Eliza Burket, wife of Jesse Burket of Decatur Co. Executor: Son-in-law, Laban Segrist. Wit: P. B. D. H. Culler, Samuel Felder, R. W. Baskin.

Wimberly, Henry. ----: 5/19/1840. Daughter, Betsey Ann Perry, with John S. Childers as her trustee. To wife, lot in Hawkinsville. Son, Augustus Howard Wimberly. Executor: Wife, Nancy Wimberly, Terrel Perry and John S. Childers. Wit: James Holmes, George Williams, William S. Coalson.

Woodward, Thomas 10/22/1843: 11/5/1843. Son, Stephen Woodward's son, James Thomas Woodward. To Thomas S. Bryan's little son, David William Thomas Bryan. Daughter, Nancy Lee. To Christiana Lee, daughter of Nancy Lee. To Mary Buckles. To son, John Woodward's little son, Thomas Wooward. To sons of Nancy Lee and Mary Copeland.