

Name	Co.	Date	Recorded Copy	Original
O'Brian, Darbe	077	1725	SS 876/31	SS/AR
O'Briant, Alexander	078	1898	WB-19/459	
O'Briant, Denis	078	1817	WI-7/267	CTY
O'Briant, Elijah	078	1878	WB-19/76	
O'Briant, John	044	1867	WB-22/652	CTY
O'Briant, Ransom	036	1896	WB-A/390	CTY
O'Briant, Rebecca	078	1837	WI-13/212	CTY
O'Briant, Sidney	078	1896	WB-19/398	
O'Brien, Elizabeth	044	1850	WB-18/43	CTY
O'Brien, John	019	1874	WB-B/74	AR
O'Brien, John	044	1851	WB-18/289	CTY
O'Bryan, Dennis	082	1800	WB-1/74	AR
O'Bryan, Dennis	100	1843	WB-38/229	AR
O'Bryan, Elizabeth	037	1811	WB-E/9	AR
O'Bryant, John D.	044	1866	WB-22/490	CTY
O'Connell, Jeremiah	040	1894	WB-2/478	AR
O'Connell, John	022	1889	WB-E/400	AR
O'Connell, Lawrence	065	1891	WB-L/586	
O'Daniel, Alexdr.	036	1816	WB-A/370	AR
O'Daniel, Alonza	103	1895	035 WB-4/466	035 AR
O'Daniel, Alonzo	103	1895	WB-2/101	AR
O'Daniel, Archelaus	035	1864	WB-3/90	AR
O'Daniel, Henry	073	1847	WB-F/336	AR
O'Daniel, Henry	073	1829	WB-E/208	AR
O'Daniel, Henry	073	1813	WB-D/377	AR

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of the  
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**Patsey Oakley, Caty Oakley, Nancy Wood, Lucy Carnal.**

**Exrs: son Anthony Wood, sons-in-law Thomas and Yancey Oakley.**

**Wts: William Oakley. Howel L. Ridley, Ezekiel Wood.**

**459- Sept. 17, 1836- proved Nov. court 1836.**

**George A. Nuttall---** wills to wife Salley, all property for her widow-hood but if she marry to go to my son John, all estate. If she remain widow till son 21 yrs. old, she is to deal out to him a half of my estate and at her death all estate to son John Nuttall. If he die to her.

**Exrs: wife Sally.**

**Wts: James H. Bryant George Kittrell.**

**460- 461- Sept. 14, 1831- proved Nov. court 1836.**

**Lucy Parker ---**wills to daughter Priscilla Weathers, a negro slave for her lifetime then to her children, also \$5.00; to daughter Ann Lemay, negroes and furniture, stock and all money I have on hand; to my granddaughter Lucy Freeman, a negro girl for life then to her children; to granddaughter Lucy A. Lemay a negro slave.

**Exrs: son-in-law John T. Lemay.**

**Wts: Saml Young, Stephen Bragg, Thomas Cole.**

**461- Estate of Martha Wilkerson, sold Oct. 29, 1836 by Howell G. Pittard, admstr.**

**462-463- Inv. of estate of Mansfield D. Jenkins, taken by James Wyche, admstr. Jan. 20, 1836- there was firm Jenkins and Morris retailers of liquors.**

**463- Inv. of estate of Charles Glover, deceased, by Mary Glover, admstr. Nov. 2, 1836.**

**463- Inv. of estate of Lucy Parker, deceased, by John P. Lemay, excr. Nov. court 1836.**

**464- thru 470- Inv. and sale of estate of William Cozart, deceased, Aug. 25, 1836 by James C. Cozart.**

**470- thru 475- Inv. and sale of estate of Benjamin Kittrell, deceased, by James Howze, admstr. Nov. 4, 1836.**

**476, 477- Acct. of estate of George Thomason, deceased, by James Thomason, excr. June 8, 1836.-**

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**477 thru 480- Sale of estate of John Webb, deceased Nov. 19, 1836 by Thomas Webb, excr.**

**480, 481- Acct. of negro hire of estate of Southern Higgs, deceased, Jan. 1,**



302- thru 305- Aug. term 1837- Betsy **Hillyard**, Mary **Hillyard**, John A. **Thomas** and Wm. **Bodenhammer**, Loton L. **Watson** and wife Martha, Thomas B. **Littlejohn**-- state that Benjamin **Hillyard** deceased, died possessed of 936 acres which descended to the following heirs at law: Martha **Watson**, Sally **Paschall** wife of Dennis T. **Paschall**, Harriet wife of Edwin **Paschall**, Joseph W. **Hillyard**, Benja F. **Hillyard**, Elizabeth **Hillyard** and Mary **Hillyard** subject to the dower of Betsy the widow of Benjamin **Hillyard**. They also state that Elizabeth **Hillyard** has departed this life, and by her will left Thomas B. **Lewis**, Jas. **Cooper** and John R. **Hicks** as exrs. of her will, and directed her part of land sold and the exrs named refusing to qualify. Donaldson S. **Paschall** was made admstr. but land could not be sold for was left to Betsy **Hillyard** for life then to Mary **Hillyard** for life by will---The **Bodenhammers** have bought the interest of Dennis T. **Paschall** and his wife Sally as they deeded it in trust to Stephen K. **Sneed** who deeded to the **Bodenhammers**. Also Thomas B. **Littlejohn** has bought the interest of Edwin **Paschall** and his wife Harriet and also right of Benjamin F. **Hillyard**. Mary **Hillyard** has one share in her own right and bought the share belonging to her brother J. W. **Hillyard**. The widow has had her dower set off and agrees to take no more land. Therefore the division of land is asked to be made to set off to each his proper land. The land was divided and laid off to proper owners Dec. 4, 1837.

306- Nov. term 1837- Petition of Druciller (Drucilla) **Hester**, Nancy **Currin**, John, Jeremiah **Hester**, Patrick **O'Brient** and wife Faith, Isaac **Duncan** and wife Aphia, Hiram G. **Hester** (minor) by his guardian John **Bates** and William, John, Susan, Ann Eliza, and Candis **Bates** (minors) by John **Bates** their guardian - against Hamilton **Hester** admstr. of Zachariah **Hester**, deceased, Thomas **O'Brient** and wife Elizabeth, Calvin **Gorden**, Sarah, Lawson N., James, William, Samuel and Mary Jane **Gorden**. Zachariah **Hesters** children were: Nancy, John, Jeremiah, Faith, Alpha and Hamilton **Hester**. A son Benjamin **Hester** died, in lifetime of his father Zachariah leaving issue Hiram G. **Hester** and Elizabeth **Bates** a daughter of Zachariah died leaving issue William, John, Susan, Ann Eliza **Bates** children of John **Bates** and also child Candis **Bates** of Elizabeth and John **Bates**. And another

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daughter of Zachariah **Hester**, deceased, was Mary, wife of John **Gorden** who also died prior to her father death, leaving children: Elizabeth who married Thomas **OBrient**, Calvin, Sarah, Lawson N., James, William, Samuel and Mary Jane **Gordon** all living in Tennessee, the last six being minors. Petitioners ask division of negroes- granted Mar. 1838.

309 thru 313- Division of land to above mentioned heirs of Zachariah **Hester**, deceased--- May 1838-

313- thru 318- Nov. term 1837- Petition of John S. **Blalock**, Joseph D. **Hobgood** and wife Nancy, Lucretta **Blalock** (minor) sues by guardian Samuel **Philpott** and Milley **Phillpot** by her guardian Saml **Philpott** against Thomas **Blalock**, Woodson **Washington** and wife Sally, Edward **Boswell** and wife Milley,



464- thru 466- Clement Wilkins against Moses Winston- - - petition that they are tenants in common of land on Beaverdam creek in Granville Co. which contains 186 acres, 1/3rd of which is the dower of Dorcas Searcey widow of Hargrove Searcey, deceased, heretofore allotted her. Ask that land be divided between them excluding the dower. Division made Apr. 17 1843- Lot 1 to Moses Winston and Lot 2- to Clement Wilkins.

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466, 467, 468- Feb. term 1843- James Minis and Wife Mary against Martha J. Johnson, Sarah A. Johnson, Celestia R. Johnson, Drusilla T. Johnson and Lucinda Johnson- State that Stephen Johnson deeded by deed of gift to the above named Mary Minis, then Mary Johnson and the others herein named as tenants in common, certain negroes. Mary and James Minis ask for their share of negroes and since others are minors they, are herein represented by their guardian William R. White Feb. 25, 1843.

468 thru 470- Abner Adcock died January 1843, leaving Rachel, his widow and possessed 200 acres adjoining Wm. A. Gill, Nash Jones and others, that James A. Russell was appointed admstr of will to which will the widow dissented and asked for her dower in land. She got 66 2/3rds acres.

470- Accts of Leslie Gilliam, sheriff, of Granville Co. for 1842- 1843 gives list of jurors for Feb. court 1841, thru 1842- and taxes and cost of New court house. There were 4934 polls in 1841 and 5079 in 1842, also gives pay of jurors thru 1843-

485- July 26, 1839- proved Aug. court 1843.

Rowland Bryant Sr. very advanced in age----wills to wife Mary all estate for life then the land whereon I live sold and money divided to sons James, Rowland, John and Robertson or they may keep the land and divide it; My sons Edward, Robertson, Rowland and James and John to have all I have given them and all else divided between them excepting my daughter Elizabeth Summerhill is to have \$200.00; My



daughter Martha **Woodlief** is to receive nothing as I have boarded her and her children for many years-

Exrs: son James A. **Bryant**, James **White**.

Wts: Thos L. **King**, George **Kittrell**.

486- Aug. 22, 1837- proved Aug. court 1843.

Joseph **Proctor**- - - - wills to wife Nancy the 200 acres I live on for as long as she is my widow and all cattle, the crop, furniture, money, bonds and accounts and all else belonging to me; At her death or re- marriage the whole estate divided to the children she has by me and she to be executrix.

Wts; John T. **Hunt**, Thomas B. **Barnett**.

487- Nov. 1, 1833- proved Aug. court 1843.

Lucy **Jones**- - - - wills to son Everad S. **Jones**, 2 featherbeds and 6 silver spoons; to grandson Frederick Jones **Carter** in trust for benefit of my daughter Louisa A. **Carter** for life, all rest of my silver spoons, 6 beds and furniture, a negro, furniture and 1/3rd of money coming from the sale of the land whereon I formerly lived in Virginia and which Everard S. **Jones** is to collect and at her death to go to my grandson Frederick Jones **Carter**, her son, and he also to have a negro, and to be executor of this will.

Wts: James **Wyche**, H. W. **Peace**.

488- thru 490- Estate of James **Hart** Sr., deceased, by Maurice S. **Hart** excr. from Feb. 11, 1840- to Aug. court 1843.

490- 491- Feb. 6, 1843- Estate of Theophilus H. **Wiggins** deceased, by John B. **Debnam** from Oct. 1839 to Feb. 1843 mentions legatees (not named).

491, 482- Inv. of estate left by Solomon **Perry** Sr. to his wife Rody which she refused to give excr. receipt for. Aug. 7, 1843- by Clement **Wilkins**.

492, 493- Sale of property of Sollomon **Perry** Sr., deceased, May 25, 1843 by John **Guarner**, excr.

493, 494- Estate of Matilda **Barnett**, dec'd by Elijah **Barnett**, excr. refers to sale of Dec. 6, 1840-

495- Feb. 22, 1841- Inv. of estate of Joseph **Lumpkin**, deceased, by M. D. **Royster**, deceased, and sale of same Feb. 22, 1843.

497- Estate of Sarah **Dean**, deceased, by Hamilton **Hester**, admstr mentions sale of Oct. 27, 1841 and judgement against heirs of Jesse **Dean**, deceased Nov. 15, 1838- this acct. Aug. 7, 1843.

498- Apr. 27, 1843- Acct. of sale of personal estate of Dorcas **Jeffreys**, deceased, by John W. **Jenkins**, admstr.



53- thru 55- Estate of Joseph **Barnett**, deceased, by T. B. **Barnett**, excr from 1840- to May 1844.

55- thru 57- Estate of William **Huskett**, deceased, by Jno. **White**, admstr. Mar. 4, 1844- Sally and Archeby and William R. **Husketh** were buyers at sale.

58- Estate of Margaret **Butler**, deceased, Feb. 26, 1844, by D. J. **Young** admstr. and sale Mar. 1, 1844.

59- Estate of Samuel **Briant** by Washington H. **Thomas**, gives receipt to William A. **Philpott** admstr. of Solomon **Philpott**, deceased, for money paid Oct. 28, 1840-

60- Estate of Robert **Wilson**, deceased, by Solomon G. and Samuel P. **Wilson** excrs. May court 1844.

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**Benjamin Hester** - - - - wills to wife Mary Dyer **Hester**, for her lifetime or widowhood, all property real and personal estate and \$500.00 and 12 negroes to do with as she please; to Robert **Hester**, the land bought of William **Shoer** and wife adjoining Col. **Ridley** and **Hesters** line; To Francis **Hester** son of Francis land after death of my wife; To Benjam **Curriu** land whereon he lives 200 acres; to Alfred **Hester** land whereon he lives at death of my wife; to William **Hester** son of Francis, 200 Acres; To Nancy **Huddleston** a negro for her lifetime and then to heirs of her body; to wife a half of household goods and furniture; To William B. **Wirrel** \$100.00; To Thomas **Crocker** \$100.00; To brother Huggins of Warren Co., \$100.00; To Nancy **Thomason**, a bond; to Elizabeth **Parham** a bond; All remaining money and bonds collected and put to interest for my wife's lifetime then divided. Some of my brothers heirs owes me money and this to be taken out of the 100 pds; to Francis **Goodman**, a horse; to Alfred **Haze** (**Hayes**?) a horse; To Baptist Society one acre and spring as long as used for meeting house and no longer; to sell all else not given away and give the children of my brothers and sisters jointly 100 pds. I except John, Jeremiah, and Benjamin **Hester** sons and Patrick **Obriant** and John **Bat** for they are good for nothing and I give them 5 shillings; (John Jeremiah and Benjamin sons of Zachariah **Hester**); \$500.00 given a young Baptist man of good talent; All else to children of my brother Francis **Hester** and my old negro set free. (This will is unfinished and undated.)

66- thru 68- Oct. 10, 1843- - proved Aug. court 1844.

Samuel **Moss**- - - wills to son Banja **Moss**, ½ of money- arising from sale of land on which I live; and also 5 negroes and increase, and the money and negroes taken by Jno **Ellis** and invested in land anywhere wise to buy and not permit it to be used for debts of said **Moss**, and at his death to divided to his children; To Drury R. **Turner** and wife Elizabeth land east of his house and five negroes. for their lifetime then to their children; To Jas. T. **Stark** and wife Sarah, 6 negroes for their lifetime then to their children; To children of Jno. **Ellis** and his wife Fanny 7 negroes and Jno. nor



510- 511, 512- Oct. 24, 1845- proved May court 1846.

Samuel **McGehee**- - - wills to wife Susanah, for life or widowhood, 150 acres of land, 3 negroes, 2 beds and furniture, clock, chest, table, all chairs, tools, cattle, horses, wagon, hogs and sheep etc and at her death to my sons John T and William R. **McGehee** and all else when son William R. is 21 years old.

Exrs: son John T. **McGehee**.

Wts: Jno. **White**, William A. **Bobbitt**.

512- 513- July 9, 1836- proved May court 1846.

William **Lasiter** (**Lassiter**)- - - - wills to wife Elizabeth 3 negroes, a horse, saddle and bridle, a bed. and furniture and lend her, 17 other negroes, all tools, blacksmiths tools, furniture, Hatters tools and all else excepting that herein bequeathed; to son Robert W., a horse, bridle and saddle, furniture, watch capped and jeweled and after wife's death, all I have lent her; To daughter Sarah T. **Thornton** all I have given, her; to daughter Elizabeth P. **Royster**, 5 negroes and at her death to her children. Also to daughter Elizabeth all I have given her that is in possession of her husband Fabian A. **Royster**.

Exrs: wife Elizabeth and son Robert W. **Lasiter**.

Wts: L. and R. B. **Gilliam**.

Codicil Dec 23, 1844- He wills to wife all stock for life then to his son Robert W. **Lassiter**.

Wts: Jas. A. **Pattillo**, Wm. H. **Webb**.

514- 515- Oct. 17, 1833- proved May court 1846.

Sally **Royster** - - - wills to son Willis A. **Royster** all I own and he excr.

Wts: Lewis **Amis**, Jas. A. **Mealer**.

515, 516, 517, 518- - Thomas R. **Brame**, Jesse J. **Kelly**, John R. **Brame**, Saml **Brame**, Nancy J. **Brame**, Sally **Brame**, Elizabeth **Brame**, James W. **Brame**, George W. **Wilkerson**, Nancy **Brame**, widow of John **Brame**, deceased- - agree to have negroes of estate of John **Brame** deceased of whom they are all children and widow Nancy, divided without dissent, and also other property. Feb. 23, 1846.

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518- May 7, 1846- Inv. of estate of hire of negroes of heirs of Thomas **Blalock**, deceased, for 1846, by John **Sherman** admstr.

519- Sale of part of estate of Rowland **Bryand**, deceased, by Jas. H. **Bryant** at Staunton, Dec. 7, 1844- recorded May court 1846.

519, 520- May court 1846- Inv. of personal estate of Littlebury **Tucker** deceased, by Horace H. **Rowland** admstr. -

520- 521- Estate of James **Boswell**, deceased, by Jos. D. **Hobgood** admstr Apr. 13, 1846.



Exrs: John S. **Eaton**.

Wts: Robert **Freear**, Robt. W. **Eaton**, Jas. B. **Ellington**, John O'Brien Jr.

Codicil- daughter Patsy **Edwards**, granddaughter Elizabeth D. **Edwards**, to grandchildren; Sarah, Lumega, Arisa, Rebecca, and Angelina **Edwards** children of my daughter Fanny **Edwards**; to sons John and Vincent- codicil added 1846-

530- July 5, 1846- James H. **Young** said in presence of Dr. William **Thorp** and Dr. John R. **Hicks** that if he died he wished his mother Mrs. Julia **Young** and his grandmother Mrs. Lydia **Hutchinson** should have all his estate and after their death to his brothers and sisters. Richard **Young** excr. - - proved Aug. court 1846.

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531- Joseph H. **Gooch** appointed Sheriff of Co. Aug. 5, 1846.

532- Inv. and sale of estate of John **Bailey**, deceased, May 28, 1846 mentions John **Henly** buying furniture at sale, Ephriam, Peleg, John A. and William P. **Bailey** buyers also- Aug. court 1846.

533- Estate of N. H. **Hill** by Walter A. **Bullock**, admstr- July 11, 1846

534- 535- Estate of William B. **Parham**, deceased. Inv. and sale Aug. 4, 1846- by Williamson **Parham** admstr. mentions N. C., Lewis M., Asa and Collins **Parham** as buyers at sale.

535- 536- Sale of property of Simpson **Mangum**, deceased, by Jas. M. **Mangum**. excr. Aug. court 1846.

536 - Hire of negro of estate of Wm. G. **Elixson**, deceased, by S. **Beasley** Jr., admstr. May 5, 1846.

536- thru 538- sale of estate of Sally **Husketh**, deceased, by Jno **White** admstr- from Feb. 28, 1846 mentions Archeby, William D. **Husketh**, John **Hendley** as buyers and mentions that paid legatees and that coming from estate of William **Husketh** deceased, for two children he is guardian for. Aug. court 1846.

538- Acct. of J. H. **Gooch**, Sheriff of Co. - Aug. court 1846.

539- Estate of Rowland **Bryant** Sr. in acct. with Jas. H. **Bryant**, excr. Aug. court 1846 mentions beef for Mrs. **Bryant**-



204- thru 212- Estate of Mary G. **Hester**, deceased, sold by B. B. **Hester**, admsr Oct. 20, 1847.

212- Sept. 27, 1847- Sale of property of Mary **Bryant**, dec'd by James H. **Bryant** admstr. mentions among buyers: John **Bryant**-

214- thru 217- Sale of estate of Rowland **Bryant**, Sr., deceased, by James H. **Bryant**, excr. Sept. 27, 1847- mentions Mary J. **Bryant** as buyer.

218- 219- Inv. of property of estate of John E. **White**, deceased, mentions William H., Jas. N. **White** and balance due from estate of Jas. **White** Sr. settlement, and lists as legatees paid; Jas. N. **White**, William H. **White**, Thomas, John and Joseph P. **Satterwhite**, each \$250.00 - by John **Satterwhite** admstr. of estate- Nov. court 1847.

220- thru 227- Nov. court 1847- Sale of property of Prudence **Dolby**, deceased, by James W. **Dolby** made Oct. 20, 1847 mentions many of the **Bullock** family.

227- thru 229- Acct. of estate of Low **Jackson** Oct. 15, 1847 by Wm. **Crenshaw** admstr. - and sale Nov. 12, 1846 with Inventory given by Priscilla **Jackson**, widow of Low **Jackson**, deceased.

229- 230- Inv. and sale of estate of Richard **Chappell**, deceased, Aug. and Oct. 1847- by M. A. **Tate** excr.

231- Inv. of estate of Eundice **Miller**, dec'd, by Horace L. **Burton**, her agent. and Richd O. **Burton** admstr. Nov. court 1847.

231, 232- Estate of Moses H. **Roberts**, deceased, by John H. **Harris**, adm. Nov. court 1847.

232, 233- Inv. and sale of estate of Mrs. Elizabeth **Hillyard**, deceased, by A. **Landis**, admstr. Aug. 28, 1847- and Nov. 1847.

233- 234- - Estate of Elizabeth **Tucker**, by Manson **Breedlove**, from Jan. 1846 to Nov. court 1847 by excr. coffin paid for Nov. 1846.

234- [should be 235] Sept. 17, 1847- Estate of Sally L. **Davis** by Lewis **Davis** admstr. from July 27, 1846.

234- [should be 235] Estate of James **Levister** by George **Levister** acct. of estate Oct 21, 1847- perishable property sold July 14, 1845.  
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236- 237- Estate of William **Meadows**, by Elijah **Meadows**, admstr. Nov. court 1847.



238- Estate of James **Huskett**, deceased, by John **White** admstr, from Nov. 1845 to Oct, 30, 1847.

238- thru 242- Estate of Warren **Amis**, deceased, in acct. with Wm. **Amis** admstr. settled Nov. court 1847.

242- thru 252- Estate of William **Blacknall**, deceased, by Jonathan T. **Blacknall**, admstr. contains Inv. of notes and bonds and sale of property Aug. 23, 1847 and on Dec. 14, 1847- Richard **Ward** bought much at sales and mentions Mary N. **Blacknall** and family, years support of Staunton, N. C.

252- thru- 255- Inv. and acct. of sales of estate of Mary **Bryant**, deceased by James H. **Bryant**, admstr. Nov. 24, 1847 and Jan. 15, 1848.

255 thru 257- Sale of property belonging to estate of Rowland **Bryant** deceased, by Jas. H. **Bryant**, excr. Nov. 24, 1847 and Jan. 15, 1848 and hire of and sale of certain negroes.

258- thru 261- Estate of Benjamin **Norwood** Sr. deceased by Benja **Norwood** Jr. and T. B. **Barnett** excrs, Feb. court 1848.

261- thru 265- Sale of estate of William B. **Norman** by Thomas B. **Norman** Dec. 3, 1847, excr. mentions widow among buyers.

266- thru - - Estate of James **Satterwhite**, deceased, listing bonds and Inv. and sale of property Nov. 29, 1847 which was administered on by Mrs. Fanny **Satterwhite** also, and Stephen **Satterwhite**, admstr.

274- 275- Estate of James **Satterwhite** sold to Mrs. Susan, Jos. P. **Satterwhite**, R. H. **Hunt**, William L. **Satterwhite** by Fanny **Satterwhite** admstrx. Feb. court 1848.

275- thru 281- Inv. and sale of property of Philip W. F. **Harris**, dec'd by Benja F. **Harris** admstr. Nov. 23, 1847- bought by George W. **Harris**, A. M. **Harris**, R. W. **Harris**, Simon J. **Harris** mentions wagon claimed by George W. **Harris**.

282 thru 287- Estate of Lewis **Wilkerson**, deceased, by Hamilton **Heater** admstr. -sale Nov. 22, 1847, Mentions among buyers Daniel, Willey, John, James, Howel L., George **Wilkerson**. Account made Feb. court 1848.

287- thru 292- Estate of John **Hunt**, deceased, by William H. **Hunt**, mentions among buyers Margaret and Matilda **Hunt**, John **Hunt**, Jno. R. **Hunt**, Malissa **Hunt**, Allen **Bridges**, Angaline **Hunt**.

292- 293, 294- J. W. **Hargrove**, Thomas S. **Williams** and John **Bullock** commissioners appointed by Benjamin **Norwood**, Jos. A. **Norwood**, Thomas B. **Barnett** executors of will of Benjamin **Norwood** deceased, ask division of lands



28- 29- Estate of **Mary Bryant**, deceased, by **James H. Bryant** admstr. from Mar. 1848 to Feb. court 1850.

29- 30- Inv. of estate of **William Mangum Sr.** deceased, by **Burrel Mangum** admstr. Feb. court 1850.

30- 31- Estate of **Kesiah Harris**, deceased, Inv. and sale of estate by **G. W. Harris**, her admstr. Feb. 9, 1850.

30, 31- Sale of estate of **William Blacknall**, deceased, by **Jonathan Blacknall** mentions **Mrs. Mary N. Blacknall** Feb. court 1850.

31- Estate of **John Wood** deceased, by **A. S. Webb**, admstr. mentions 8 shares from sale distributed- 2/8ths to **Bedford Vaughn**, 1/8th to **Barnett Hobgood**, **Anthony B. Wood**, **Martha Oakley**, **Sarah Carnal**, **James Lyon**, **J. Y. Parker**- Share paid to **W. W. Smith** for **Martha Oakley**.

32- Estate of **Elizabeth Blanks**, deceased, by **James Winfree**, mentions money received from **John Y. Wilkerson** excr. of **Richard Blanks** and belonging to estate of **Mrs. Blanks**- Jan. 24, 1850.

33- thru 38- Sale of estate of **Edward Hunt** deceased, Jan. 30, 1850- by **E. Howard** excr. and **Joseph Howard** in right of his wife, as excr. and **Lucy C. Howard** excrx. of estate.

38- thru 39- Inv. and sale of estate of **Nancy Gooch**, deceased, by **Dudley S. Gooch** admstr. - Dec. 5, 1849 mentions as buyers **Amos**, **Joseph**, **Daniel F.**, **James**, **Hannah Gooch**.

39- thru 42- Current acct. of estate of **Joseph Lewis** deceased; by **Thos. B. Lewis** excr. - from Dec. 1844- mentions children **Sally**, **Ann** and **Henrietta Lewis** and **John Lewis**, also mentions **Thomas**, **Emily**, **Polly**, **Martha**, **Susan**, **Charles**, **James** and **Eliza Lewis** as receiving equal amts. of his estate. also mentions **James Speed** in right of his wife, **Martha Glover**, **Susan Thomas**, **Eliza French** as receiving share in estate. - - and states it was divided into 12 parts- and given to **Sally Paine**, **Ann Wiggins**, **Henrietta Amis**, **John Lewis**, **Thomas Lewis**, **James Speed**, **Polly Lewis**, **Martha Glover**, **Susan Thomas**, **Charles Lewis**, **James Lewis**, **Eliza French**- **James Speed** married **Emily Lewis** Feb. court 1850.

42- Apr. 11, 1845- proved Feb. court 1850-  
**James Beasley**- - wills to wife **Mary A.**, all estate real and personal for her life or widowhood and if she marry again then divide to her and all my children at that time.

Exrs: wife **Mary A. Beasley**.

Wts: **Nathaniel E. Cannady**, **William Green**, **Stephen Beasley Jr.**

43- July 25, 1848- proved Feb. court 1850.



horses, 2 cows and calves, a yoke of oxen and cart, 10 hogs and sheep, crop as long as she is a widow and if she marry then a child's part; To John **Burwell**, the negroes in my possession and those in possession of my children, namely Spencer, John, Edwin **O'Brien**, Martha **Blacknall**, Francis **Landis**- to be divided into five equal shares and one share to each of my children and at their death to their issue and also the land on east side of Tabbs creek sold and all else of my property including the house and lot in Oxford I bought of Augustine **Landis** (which if sell for more than \$629.00, the overplus too go to Francis **Landis**) and the money held in trust for benefit of my children, and at wife's death that left her divided to my children for their life then to their children; the 378 acres, after my wife's death, to be sold and be part of equal division to all my children; Spencer and John, my sons, have been given money and this they must pay back before they enter the division of property and estate.

Exrs: John **Burwell**.

Wts: Hartwel W. **Hargrove**, Wm. A. **Eaton**.

Nov. 30, 1846- codicil added deducting money from shares of Martha **Blacknall** and son Edwin **O'Brien**.

Wts: James H. **Bryant**, Wm. A. **Eaton** -James M. **Wiggins** made admstr. of will.

292, 293- Apr. 25, 1851- Land of Charles **Heflin**, deceased, which was willed to Elizabeth **Heflin** and Lewis **Heflin** by said Charles **Heflin** - Lot No. 1 is allotted William R. **White** assignee of Lewis **Heflin** and contains 285 acres; Lot 2 to Elizabeth **Heflin** containing 275 acres.

293, 294- Aug. court 1851- Estate of Mary **Cozart**, deceased, by Allen **Cozart** and John J. **Rogers**.

294- 295- Account of estate of Stephen **Hendrick**, deceased, by John **Reed** excr. from Mar. 1848- to Aug. court 1851.

295- Inv. of estate of John **Blackwell**, taken by Thomas S. **Beasley**, admstr, Feb. 11, 1851 and sale of same Feb. 25, 1851.

299- thru 305- Inventory and acct. of sales of property of George **Williams**, deceased, by William **Williams**, admstr. June 6, 1851- mentions among buyers Elizabeth, Priscilla **Williams** and Henry **Hendley**, Wilson **Williams**, Jonathan **Williams**-

305- thru 309- Inv. and acct. of sales of estate, of James H. **Harris**, deceased, May 29, 1851- by George A. **Harris** and Kenelin **Harrison** admstrs., also inv. of cash bonds, negroes, and property unsold.

310- thru 317- Inv. and acct. of sale of property of Winfield **Morgan**, deceased, sold by Abram **Lawrence** Jan. 1, 1851- mentions Haskin, Irvin and the widow among buyers, also sale of property Feb. 28, 1851. and hire of negroes, and cash and notes on hand, the property left in hands of Haskey **Morgan** as per the will, and list of bad debts returned to court Aug. 1851 by Abram **Lawrence** excr.