

# Dallas County, Texas Probate Cases 1846 – Early 1900's

Case Number 537

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Received of Anson M. Cracker adm<sup>r</sup> of the  
Estate of William Pearson Dec<sup>r</sup> one hundred  
and sixty dollars in full of the distribut<sup>n</sup>  
share of the Th<sup>r</sup>s of Lemuel Pearson son  
of Wm Pearson Dec<sup>r</sup> this 26<sup>th</sup> December  
1853 Elizabeth X<sup>hu</sup> Newby  
Mark

Received of Anson M. Cracker Adm<sup>r</sup> of the  
Estate of Wm Pearson Dec<sup>r</sup> one hundred and  
sixty dollars in full of my part of said  
estate as one of the Distributors of the  
same this 31<sup>st</sup> December 1853  
Dudley H. Pearson

Received of Anson M. Cracker  
Administrator of the Estate of  
Wm Pearson Dec<sup>r</sup> 75<sup>00</sup> Dollars in  
full of State and county Tax  
for the year 1848  
Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> 1849 Bm Mennace

Anson M. Cracker adm<sup>r</sup>  
Est. of Wm Pearson Dec<sup>r</sup>

Book B

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Final Record

Received of Andrew McLanahan  
 Comr. of the State of New Mexico  
 one two dollars in full of State  
 and County Tax for 1849  
 Dec. 1849 Ben Merritt  
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Dallas Texas Nov 11<sup>th</sup> 1857  
 Recd of Nelson M. Cracker for Dallas and  
 County Tax in full of Tax in the case of McLanahan  
 and vs. Merritt  
 \$4.20  
 A. Powell J. D. W.

Received of Andrew McLanahan Comr. of the State  
 & County Tax for 1850 the sum of \$1.50  
 the 27<sup>th</sup> 1857 W. M. Lawrence  
 for Collector's Office

Estate of Mrs. Pearson dec'd.

In account with A. M. Cracker Adm'r.  
 For Cash paid Mrs. Madenard for appraising property \$2.00  
 " " " do do " " " " " " " " 2 -  
 " " " " M. M. Cracker " appraising property 2 -  
 " " " " Midwife for Negre Woman 3 -  
 " " " " Printers Fee 500  
 \$14.00

Recd of Andrew McLanahan administrator of  
 the Estate of William Brown of Dec. 1857  
 the sum of \$100.00  
 W. M. Lawrence Clerk

Recd of

Received of Andrew McLanahan Comr. of the State  
 of New Mexico five dollars and fifty cents in full  
 of an account against said Comr. in favor  
 of J. C. Hamilton the 25<sup>th</sup> Feb. 1857  
 Richard Milgrom

Received of A. M. Cracken Two dollars  
 as Commissioner for the affairs of property  
 of the Estate of Wm Pearson Deed  
 this the 6<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1852

J. S. Cole

Received Feb. 15<sup>th</sup> of 1854 from A. M. Cracken four  
 dollars in full payment for publishing notice for  
 final settlement of the estate of William Pearson deceased  
 Latimer Dallas Tex.  
 Publisher Dallas Herald

Dallas Jan'y 23 1854

Estate of Wm Pearson

To Andrew M. Cracken ~~Adm~~ Dr

For services as Administrator

\$20.00

" Keeping Mary Pearson 12 months

33.03

" Attorney fee

\$85.00

50.00

\$158.03

Received of James M. Cracken Administration  
 - box of the estate of William Pearson  
 - \$200 property to the amount of one  
 hundred and ninety - three dollars and  
 43 cents according to the agreement  
 of the same. Given under my hand this  
 9<sup>th</sup> day of Octob - 1854 G. B. Johnson

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" Received of Anson McClrackin <sup>admr</sup> the Dollars in full  
Satisfactions of my pay, as a Commissioner, appointed  
by the Honble County Court of Dallas County, to  
appoint the distribution share of the estate of  
William Pearson Deceased -  
Apr 29<sup>th</sup> 1852 James Horton

Recd of McClrackin admr of the  
Estate of William Pearson Dec'd five dollars  
and fifty cents This 31<sup>st</sup> day of July 1852  
W H Board

April 6<sup>th</sup> 1852  
Received Anson McClrackin admin  
istrator of W Pearson Deceased  
two dollars for appraising property  
for distribution  
W H Board

Two from Anson McClrackin the  
sum of Three hundred and twenty  
dollars amount of distribution <sup>share</sup> due  
Nancy Jane & Sarah Ann Pearson minor  
heirs of William Pearson deceased.  
26 Dec 1853  
Arthur Ledbetter  
Guardian of Nancy Jane  
and Sarah A Pearson

Two from Anson McClrackin  
the Administrator of William Pearson  
deceased the sum of Five hundred and  
thirty six dollars the amount of distrib  
share of Elizabeth Ledbetter partner  
of the said William Pearson with Arthur Ledbetter  
26<sup>th</sup> December 1853 for her  
per his wife Elizabeth Ledbetter

Office of The Dallas Herald  
Dallas Texas Jan 27<sup>th</sup> 1850  
Anson M Cracker, to Latimer, Wallis & Co. D.C.  
In publishing notice for final settlement of the  
estate of William Pearson <sup>his unpaid</sup> debts <sup>by</sup> <sup>institutions</sup> \$400

Receipt of Anson M Cracker Adm<sup>r</sup> of the  
Estate of William Pearson Dec<sup>r</sup> One hundred  
and sixty Dollars in full of the distribution  
share of Sarah Pearson in said Estate  
This 31<sup>st</sup> December 1853.  
Dudley J. Pearson  
Agent for Sarah Pearson

Receipt of Anson M Cracker adm<sup>r</sup> of the  
estate of William Pearson Dec<sup>r</sup> One hundred  
and sixty dollars in full of the distribution  
share of Robert S Pearson son of William  
Pearson Dec<sup>r</sup> this 26<sup>th</sup> December 1853  
Josiah Harrison

Rec<sup>d</sup> Dallas Texas Dec<sup>r</sup> 27<sup>th</sup> 1852  
of A M Cracker adm<sup>r</sup> of the estate of  
Wm Pearson Dec<sup>r</sup> Two Dollars as fees for  
selling property belonging to said estate on  
the first Tuesday in October A.D. 1851 at  
the Court house door in Dallas  
W. W. Davis Sec<sup>y</sup>

1861  
 1/1000 in Scales month after that as in order  
 of as for money to pay for new M. Graham  
 of the estate of William Graham died for three  
 hundred dollars for value therein as in our  
 hands and records for Feb the 7<sup>th</sup> Oct 1861

1861

Arthur Ledbetter  
 J. C. Waup  
 J. P. Cole

D. Dudley F. Pearson	8.00
2.. log Chains	4.00
1. hand saw	1.00
3. Augers & drawing knife	1.00
1. yab Red and white oxens	40.00
1. saw and Pigs	8.00
5. head Shroats	12.25
1. trunk	25
1. hoe	25
one Sutter	66.50
	75

8/11/33

On or before the twenty-seventh day  
 of December next we will make of us  
 promise to pay to your children and  
 to the estate of your deceased  
 children dollars and 33 1/3 cents for value  
 received this 11<sup>th</sup> day of March 1861  
 although we have the bills

Arthur Ledbetter  
 J. C. Waup  
 J. P. Cole



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Notice  
I will offer for hire, to the highest bidder, at  
my residence, on Saturday the 19<sup>th</sup> Inst. one  
Negro woman and two children belonging to  
the estate of William Pearson dec<sup>d</sup>. - Said Negroes  
will be hired for six months - Bond and approval  
securely will be required - Anton McCracken  
Dallas Texas 7<sup>th</sup> May 1850  
Admin<sup>r</sup> Int<sup>r</sup>

The State of Texas,  
County of Dallas

County Court December Term 1850

To the Sheriff of Dallas County, writing  
Whereas Anton McCracken Admin<sup>r</sup> of the estate of  
Wm Pearson dec<sup>d</sup> has filed in the Clerk's office of said Court  
his application in writing to make partition and distribution  
of said estate at the next term of said Court -

There are therefore to command you to cite Arthur  
Lidbetter and Elizabeth Lidbetter, and Stanley J. Pearson to  
appear at the next term of said Court, and shew cause  
if any they know, why such partition and distribution should  
not be made -

Given under my hand and seal of office  
at Dallas, this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of Jan<sup>y</sup> A.D. 1851  
J. M. Smith C. C.  
C. C. D. 1851

Received of Anton McCracken Property to the  
amount of Sixty six Dollars and 75 cents of  
the estate of Wm Pearson dec<sup>d</sup> this 9<sup>th</sup> day of October  
by the undersigned  
Dudley B. Pearson  
4849

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1850/10/09

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Property advanced to heirs of Mrs  
Pearson Dec?

Elyahed Leebetter	183.56
Mahala A. M. Teraden	74.25-
D. F. Pearson	66.25-
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	234.56

Amount to be divided 994.42  
Distribution share 110.494

The State of Texas County Court  
County of Dallas February Term 1850

William M. Leonard and Wm. V. Martin  
appraisers for the Estate of William Pearson  
deceased, after being duly sworn, upon view  
of an infant myrtle named Clara in value  
and appraise said myrtle at the sum of \$1000  
all of which is respectfully submitted  
This 18th day of February A.D. 1850

Sworn to and subscribed At my request  
before me this 18th Feb. 1850 Wm. M. Leonard  
A. Harwood Deacon  
~~Attorney at Law~~ or 2163

Recorded this 18th Febry A.D. 1850  
A. Harwood  
Deacon

Came to hand  
Jan 31<sup>st</sup> A. D. 1850.  
R. Morris, Co  
Saved the within  
relations by copy on  
W. C. Leebetter  
Jan 5<sup>th</sup> A. D. 1851  
R. Morris

Anden M. Teraden  
Adm. Wm. Pearson  
To J. Clinton  
Arthur Leebetter and  
Elyahed Leebetter  
Come Bond. Fee 1.00.

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Shares of the Heirs of Mrs Pearson Decedent

1. Elizabeth Seabrook widow	\$ 536.00
2. " " " " "	80.77
3. " " " " "	93.25
4. Nancy Jane Pearson	166.00
5. Sarah Ann Pearson	166.00
6. Mary Pearson	166.00
7. Sarah Pearson Miss	166.00
8. Robt N Pearson	166.00
9. Sarah Weisman	166.00
	\$ 1675.00
	\$ 244.86
	\$ 1930.14

Supplemental Inventory  
 of  
 Mrs Pearson's Estate  
 By  
 A. W. Carahan Adm

Filed this 18<sup>th</sup> day of Jul 1857  
 At Howard  
 Spc Cen

Approved 25<sup>th</sup> July 1857  
 W. W. Wood  
 C. J. P. Co

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Witness my hand and seal this 29th day of July 1857

It is agreed between Mrs M [unclear] attorney for A M [unclear] administrator of the estate of Mrs Pearson and one [unclear] attorney for E [unclear] and Sarah Ann and Mary Jane Pearson, that the final settlement of said Administration, and distribution of said Estate shall be made at the next Term of the County Court of Dallas County and that said decrees remain open and undisturbed until that time, and that they should stand confirmed until then by consent.

Attest my hand and seal  
Attorney for E [unclear]  
J W [unclear]  
Attorney for [unclear]

The State of Texas  
County of Dallas  
County Court  
Feb Term A.D. 1857  
Hon. Mr. Chief Justice  
Amos McCracken administrator of the estate of Mrs Pearson. Prays your Honor to grant him an order to view the farm and share out the improve belonging to said estate and as his duty bound he will so pray &c  
Cricket  
For Court

State of Texas  
County of Dallas  
County Court January Term 1851

To Hon. Smith Atkins Chief Justice & Co.  
the undersigned guard-  
ian of Nancy J. Sarah A. Barrow would respec-  
tfully represent unto your Honor that nothing  
has as yet come into his hands as such  
Guardian, therefore he cannot render an Inven-  
tory as required by Law. Your Petitioner therefore

Administration  
of  
Pearson, Administrator  
Account of  
Council

Filed 29<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 1851  
A. Starwood

~~State of Texas  
County of Dallas  
County Court January Term~~

Account of

anson McCracken  
Admin: of the Estate  
William Pearson  
Petition To Remove  
& Hire -

Filed this 27<sup>th</sup> Feb 1851  
A. Starwood  
Clerk

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Account of Hiring of the Negroes belonging to the  
Estate of Wm Pearson dec'd by Anson M Cracker  
att'd on the 18<sup>th</sup> May A.D. 1858.

One Negro Woman + 2 Children hired to Mahala A  
M Cracker for 6 months for \$11.50

State of Texas )  
County of Dallas ) Personally appeared before the  
undersigned authority Anson M Cracker att'd  
of the Estate of Wm Pearson dec'd and made oath  
that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the  
Hiring of the Negroes belonging to said Estate as  
therein stated

Given to be as entered before ) Anson M Cracker  
me this 31<sup>st</sup> May 1858 )  
A. H. Aswood Notary  
C. C. B. Gray

The State of Texas } County Court  
County of Dallas } April Term 1850

To Hon<sup>ble</sup> Wm<sup>th</sup> Wood Chief Justice

Anson McCrackin administrator of  
the estate of William Pearson would  
represent that on the 11<sup>th</sup> day of March  
1850 Healer J<sup>r</sup> of The Cultivator Co  
of said estate for the sum of \$11,333  
and offered the more prominent  
children for said but failed to get  
a bid.

All of which is respectfully  
submitted on oath this 5<sup>th</sup> April  
1850

Anson McCrackin

Sworn to before me this 5<sup>th</sup> April 1850  
Wm<sup>th</sup> Wood  
Clerk

Anson McCrackin  
Attor<sup>y</sup> Wm<sup>th</sup> Wood  
of His Honor

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Filed 31<sup>st</sup> May 1850  
Wm<sup>th</sup> Wood  
Clerk

Approved this 20<sup>th</sup> June  
1850  
Wm<sup>th</sup> Wood  
Clerk

Recorded 3<sup>rd</sup> July 1850

Wm<sup>th</sup> Wood  
Clerk

# Notice

By order of the County Court of Dallas  
 County I will sell to the highest bidder  
 on a credit of Twelve months at the  
 Court House door in the Town of Dallas  
 On the first Tuesday in October next  
 The Land and Negroes belonging to the  
 Estate of Mrs. Pearson Her Bonds  
 and security with a lien on the  
 property until paid will be required  
 Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> 1851

A. Mitchell  
 Adm<sup>r</sup> of the  
 Estate of Mrs. Pearson

A. Mitchell  
 Adm<sup>r</sup> of the  
 Estate of Mrs. Pearson

Call Bill

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Filed 5<sup>th</sup> April 1850  
 A. Mitchell

Approved 30  
 April 1850  
 W. B. Woods  
 C. J. 6 J



The State of Texas }  
 County of Dallas } An Inventory of  
 a part of the property of the estate of  
 William Pearson Supplementory to an  
 Inventory heretofore Rendered To wit:

1 Hat Stand	valued at	75-
1 Fish Gyg	" "	25-
2 Water Buckets	" "	50
1 Saw & 3 Coffin mils		50
1 Barrel		37
1 Spinning wheel		1.50
1 Bed of furniture		21.50
		<u>\$35.27</u>

The State of Texas }  
 Dallas County } Personally appeared  
 before me the undersigned authority  
 Anson McLerackin William J Walker  
 & William M Canard who after being  
 duly sworn says that the foregoing inven-  
 tory & appraisment is just and true  
 to the best of their knowledge & belief  
 sworn to & subscribed } Anson McLerackin  
 before me this 30<sup>th</sup> Oct 1848 } Wm J Walker  
 by } William M Canard  
 W. C. J }  
 Chief Justice

The State of Texas To the Hon. The County  
 County of Dallas Court of Dallas County  
 W. H. Wood, Clerk

I Anson McCreath administrator of  
 the Estate of William Pearson deceased  
 By leave of the Court this on the 13<sup>th</sup>  
 day of June 1849 according to an or-  
 der of Court I proceeded to hire to the  
 Sheriff Bidan after given legal notice  
 the Negro Woman & child of said Estate  
 and which were for the sum of twenty  
 dollars until the 25<sup>th</sup> day of June 1849  
 to Anson McCreath no other person  
 bidding -

That the foregoing is a true and  
 correct return of said Negro & as  
 solemn sworn to help me God -

Given to in open Ct  
 the 25<sup>th</sup> June 1849 — Anson McCreath  
 J. M. Smith cler  
 W. J. M. Corbett se.

Read & approved this 25<sup>th</sup> June 1849 —  
 W. H. Wood  
 C. C. J. 25

Septent  
 Anson McCreath  
 Executor, Adm  
 Bill of  
 Wm Pearson's Estate

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Filed in open Court  
 31<sup>st</sup> day of Oct  
 1848  
 J. M. Smith cler  
 J. M. Corbett se  
 Recorded  
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*A. M. Cracker* *Adms*  
 1848  
 July 17 Filing Petition  
 Rocking  
 Issuing Notices  
 31 Men & filing  
 order approval  
 Letters  
 order appointments  
 Sept Filing Inventory  
 Recording same  
 order sale  
 " Allowance  
 " Exempt property  
 Issuing 2 orders  
 order to Record Inventory  
 Oct Filing Capt. Brunsom  
 order to Record same  
 order to Give Receipts  
 Nov Issuing order  
 Filing Report  
 1 each  
 1 order et  
 Aug Filing Showing  
 order et  
 " to sell  
 Nov Filing Petition  
 2 orders  
 Issuing Notices  
 Dec 31 order Comb  
 1849  
 July 3 Petition to Seal title  
 23 Filing 2 papers  
 28 order et  
 Issuing Notices  
 Filing Publication & Partition

*Answer*  
*Wm. Pearson*  
*His attorney*  
 Filed this 25<sup>th</sup> June  
 1849 - J. M. Southwell  
 By J. M. Corbett  
 H. C.

Jan 27 Filing Abstract  
 Oct 18 " Lap Summary  
 Recording same  
 25 order book  
 26 " "  
 " Filing papers  
 27 " Petition & order ct  
 Sep " Sale Bill & 2 orders  
 Dec " Ape Head & Notice  
 order ct  
 Recording of this  
 Jan 13 order & Filing Petition  
 18 Filing case Exhibit  
 & 4 witnesses  
 order & order ct  
 29 Filing agreement of  
 Counsel & order ct  
 Mar Filing of this & order

The above  
 is a list of  
 the papers  
 filed in  
 the case  
 of  
 the  
 estate  
 of  
 John  
 W.

Dallas 1847

W. Pearson Secy. Dr	
To W. W. Connor	1.50
for 1 George Kille	7.75
" Medical Bill	
amt due Jan 1 <sup>st</sup> 1849	<u>14.25</u>

The State of Texas }  
 County of Dallas } Before me the undersigned  
 Chf Justice in and for said County W. W.  
 Connor made oath in due form of Law  
 that the above account is a just claim  
 against the Estate of said Miller and Person  
 and that all legal affidits payments and  
 Credits known to him have been given  
 sworn to and satisfied  
 Before me this 26<sup>th</sup> June  
 A.D. 1849 W. W. Connor

Chf Justice  
 July 22<sup>nd</sup> Rec<sup>d</sup> on the above act. \$4.90

14.25	14.25
1.8	6.90
<u>1.14.60</u>	<u>9.35</u>
	20
	<u>1.10</u>
	<u>\$10.69</u>

The State of Texas In County Court  
County of Dallas  $\frac{2}{3}$  July Term A D 1830  
To the Hon W H Horden Chief Justice  
of Dallas County

~~Quadrato~~  
~~Anderson~~ I solemnly represent  
that she is a distributee of the estate of William  
Pearson deceased, that she was the wife of said  
Pearson at the time of his death, and consequently  
is entitled to a distribution portion of said  
estate of her deceased husband; that Andrew  
McLernon administrator of all and singular  
the goods and chattels of the estate of William  
Pearson has filed his report for final settlement  
in which the name of your petitioner does not  
appear as one of the distributees of the estate of  
said decedent

The premises considered your petitioner prays  
that this court decree her, that portion of  
the distributees interest of the estate of decedent  
that by law she is entitled as his wife at the time  
of his decease and that she be declared a distributee  
of the said estate, and as such that she sit  
apart for her use that part of said estate to  
which she is by law entitled as such distributee  
and as in duty bound she will ever pray

Witness her hand  
By her attorney  
Not M. D. [unclear]

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114.25  
W. Conroy,  
in Trust  
for  
William Pearson  
Accepted this 16<sup>th</sup>  
June 1849  
J. M. [unclear]  
Approved 16<sup>th</sup> August  
1849 W. H. Horden  
Chief Justice  
Filed 20<sup>th</sup> Aug 1848  
W. H. Horden

Filed August 16 1851  
J. M. [unclear]

State of Texas  
County of Dallas

To the Hon. Williams Ford Chief

Justice of Dallas County  
Arthur Leabitter, <sup>and Elizabeth</sup> Guardian of Langdon & Sarah Peason respectfully represent that they are heirs at law of William Peason deceased, that by the law of distribution they are entitled to an equal portion of said decedent's estate, in equal portions to other heirs of said decedent. That the administrator Arthur M. Crasman has made his report for final settlement, in which report the names of Peasons were as are excluded & the Primitives Committed your petition prays that his names Langdon & Sarah Peason be declared entitled to a distribution share of the estate of William Peason deceased and that your Honor decree accordingly & and as in duty well ever pray &c.

Arthur Leabitter by  
Robert M. [unclear]

And for

Elizabeth Leabitter  
Prayers for  
Distribution Share  
of the estate of W. Peason  
County Court.

Filed 26 Feb 1880  
R. H. [unclear]  
[unclear]

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granted

The State of Texas } County Court  
County of Dallas } In Chamber  
13<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 1851

Hon Smith Elkins Chief Justice

Simon McCrackin administrator  
of the estate of W<sup>m</sup> Pearson died asks leave to  
to clear out the negroes and rent the land of  
said Estate and asks leave to rent said land  
for improvement to fences as they are becoming  
incapable to crops, whereby said land is rendered  
less rentable and as in duty bound your petitioner  
will ever pray &c

Geo Hill  
Petitioner

This petition is granted and the Clerk of the  
County Court orders to Record the same  
This 13<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 1851 -  
Smith Elkins  
C. J. C.

Arthur L. Little Guardian  
of Elizabeth Little  
No 3 Petition for  
Distribution  
County Court

Filed this 26<sup>th</sup> Feb 1850  
A. H. Hammon  
Clerk

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granted



An account of the Hiring of the Negroes belonging to the  
estate of William Pearson dec'd, by A. McCreacken Adm'r  
on the 5<sup>th</sup> of February A.D. 1857, Texas

Pricey & two Children (Marissa & others) hired for 4 months  
by Mahela A. McCreacken at 50<sup>cts</sup> per month - on a credit  
until the expiration of said term -

State of Texas, I personally appears before the undersigned  
Dallas County & personally appears before the undersigned  
authority Anson McCreacken Adm'r of the estate of Wm  
Pearson, and made oath that the foregoing is a  
correct copy of the Hiring of the Negroes belonging to  
said estate as therein set forth -

Sworn to & subscribed before me this  
7<sup>th</sup> March 1857 -

Anson McCreacken

A. McCreacken

Anson McCreacken

Adm'r of

Estate Wm Pearson

Petition to Short  
Rent

Filed 13<sup>th</sup> January 1857

A. McCreacken  
J. C. & Co.

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Know all men by these presents that  
 Anson McCracken Robert Sloan and William Earnest  
 of the County of Dallas and State of Texas are  
 held and firmly bound unto the Judge of the Probate  
 Court for Dallas County and his successors in office  
 in the penal sum of Five Hundred - Dollars  
 for the payment of which said bill and truly to be  
 made on bonds ourselves, our heirs, executors and adminis-  
 trators severally and jointly, firmly by these presents, sealed  
 with our seals and dated this 31<sup>st</sup> day of July 1848  
 Whereas the said Anson McCracken has this day been by  
 the Probate Court of Dallas County, appointed Administrator  
 of the Estate of William Pearson late of said County  
 deceased Now the Conditions of the above bond are such  
 that if the above bounden Anson McCracken shall  
 well, truly, and faithfully perform his several duties and  
 trusts, as such administrator aforesaid, and do and  
 perform such matters and things in the premises, as  
 may be ordered, adjudged and decreed by the Court, according  
 to Law then this obligation to be null and void else  
 to be and remain in full force and virtue in Law  
 taken and approved by the Court  
 in open Court.  
 Anson McCracken  
 Robert Sloan  
 W. Earnest  
 Attest Wm. M. Cochran  
 C. J. C. C.  
 Dudley J. Pearson

A. M. McCracken Adm  
 Wm Pearson  
 ex Charing Herring

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Filed 7<sup>th</sup> March 1861  
 A. H. Woodward clk

Approved 1<sup>st</sup> Apr 1861  
 J. E. Herring  
 C. J. C. C.

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The State of Texas 3 County Court  
 County of Dallas 3 Sept Term 1848  
 To William H. Ford Judge &c  
 Your petitioners Anson M. Cracker a  
 Citizen of the County & State aforesaid and  
 adm<sup>r</sup> of the Estate of William Pearson  
 would respectfully represent that a  
 large amount of the property of said  
 Estate is of a perishable character and  
 therefore likely to waste and become  
 lost to said Estate and therefore con-  
 sidering the premises your petitioners  
 pray your honors that said Estate  
 may be sold on such terms as  
 your honors shall think most advan-  
 tagious to said Estate and as in duty  
 bound your petitioners will ever  
 pray &c  
 Anson M. Cracker  
 Petitioner

Anson M. Cracker

is of the Estate  
 Administrator

Private Judge of  
 Dallas County

Filed 31<sup>st</sup> July 1848

Wm. M. Cochran  
 Ch. C. Clk.

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Amos McCracken Return of the  
hire of a Negro woman belonging to  
The estate of William Pearson  
in accordance with an order of  
The Honorable Probate Court at the  
October Term 1848 - And also a dupli-  
cated list Bill of property of said  
estate - To wit

Hire of Negro woman	for	
The term of six months	bid off	
By Rudly H Pearson	for	\$20.00
35 Bushels of wheat	to William	
McCraw	at 45 cts per bu	15.75
		<hr/>
		\$46.25

The State of Texas, Personally appeared  
County of Dallas, before me John W.  
Smith Clerk of the County Court for  
said County Amos McCracken and  
made oath in due form of Law that  
The foregoing Hiring and Sale Bill is  
true and correct to the best of his  
knowledge and belief - Amos McCracken  
swore to and subscribed  
before me this 26 Dec 1848

John W. Smith

Amos M. Crackin  
 Petition to  
 Probate Court  
 Filed Sept 25<sup>th</sup> 1848  
 M. Smith c. c. c. c.  
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State of Texas - In County Court  
Dallas County August Term 1851

To the Hon J. W. Latimer  
Chief Justice and Judge of County Court  
in and for the County and state aforesaid

The undersigned Commissioners appointed by  
your Honors Court to make partition of  
Land Certificates, and Negroes belonging to  
the estate of William Pearson dec'd would  
most respectfully represent unto your Honor  
that the said property is of such a character  
as cannot be equitably divided between  
the heirs and distributees of said estate

That we appraised said property as follows  
To wit.

One Negro woman named Patsy	appraised at	\$400.
One D <sup>o</sup> Girl	— Narcissa —	225.
One D <sup>o</sup> " "	Clary —	125.
Land Certificates 640 acres @		150.
		\$950.

And the Clerk on hand being at the dis-  
posal of the Court. Your Commissioners not  
being able to distribute any of the other property  
have not thought proper to do so.

Received  
of the  
Supplemental  
Sale Bill

Filed in my office  
this 26th day of Decr  
1851

Revised in my office  
this 26th day of Decr  
1851

Wm. M. C. C. C. C.

all of which is respectfully  
and commissions pray to be  
accepted

W H H  
James H  
John & Cole  
A H H

Arrive to Habs, extra before me this 23 day

Ward St al. Amos  
P. B. Roberts  
County Court

Adm 25<sup>th</sup> Aug 1897  
A. H. H

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8.00

**L. E. Mardoeh**

~~FOR E. LEEIS~~

County Clerk

DALLAS COUNTY, TEXAS

No. PC- **21453**

**REQUEST FOR CERTIFIED COPIES  
PROBATE DEPARTMENT**

DATE **5-21-76**

Certified Copies of **Probate Proceedings**

Cause No. **537** Estate of **William Pearson, dec'd.**

Ordered By \_\_\_\_\_

Remarks **Cash**

FEE \$ **8.00**

BY **Marie Joyce** Deputy

	Copy Prepared	Delivered to Customer	Mailed
Date		<b>5-21-76</b>	
Initial		<b>mj</b>	

**L. E. Mardoeh**

Remittance Should be Made Payable to ~~FOR E. LEEIS~~, County Clerk  
and Mailed to ~~FOR E. LEEIS~~, County Clerk, Records Building,  
Dallas, Texas 75202.

**L. E. Mardoeh**

The State of Texas Probate Court  
 County of Dallas July Term 1848  
 To the Hon<sup>ble</sup> John W. Wells Judge of the  
 Probate Court of Dallas County Texas presiding  
 at Dallas

Your petitioner a Citizen of Dallas  
 County and State of Texas would respectfully  
 represent to your Honor that on the 5<sup>th</sup> day  
 of July 1848 William Pearson - a Citizen  
 of said County of Dallas, and State aforesaid  
 departed this life intestate, leaving a widow  
 and six Children and ~~three~~ grand children  
 in him, at Law - and an estate of real  
 and personal property to the probable amount of  
 \$600.00. Your petitioner would further represent that  
 he the Son-in-Law of said decedent by mar-  
 riage with one of his daughters, and that  
 the widow and eldest of said decedent  
 Elizabeth Pearson, declines her right to take  
 out letters of Administration, as doth likewise  
 his only Son Resident of the State of Texas  
 Dudley J. Pearson. Therefore considering  
 the premises Your petitioner prays that  
 letters of administration may be granted  
 to him, and that notice ipse &c and  
 as in duty bound he will ever pray &c

Asworn M. Drackett  
 By J. M. Kerckhoff  
 His Att<sup>y</sup>



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Sale Bill of the Land and Negroes belonging to the estate of Mrs Garrison Dec<sup>r</sup>, as sold by Anson Milerackem Admr in a credit of twelve months, on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1851. Pursuant to an order of the N<sup>w</sup> Country Court passed at the August term thereof

Property sold.	Purchaser's Name	Am <sup>t</sup>
1 Neg <sup>r</sup> woman Betty	Margaret Bayan	487-
1 " Girl Narcisso	W. J. Prindin	385-
1 " Do Clara	Margaret Bayan	260-
The Headright of Mrs Garrison Dec <sup>r</sup> for 600 <sup>0</sup> Acres of Land, in a water in Peter's Colony	A. Ledbetter	500-
purchased by		Total
		\$1632-

State of Texas  
Dallas County

I solemnly appear before the undersigned County Clerk for the County of said Anson Milerackem Admr of the Estate of Mrs Garrison Dec<sup>r</sup> and made oath in due form of Law that the foregoing is a true and correct Sale Bill of the property of said estate as therein set forth.

Anson Milerackem Admr  
Subscribed before me this 28<sup>th</sup> Oct 1851  
A. Harmon Clk

1857  
Anson Milerackem  
Petition for  
Letters of Administration  
filed in office 17<sup>th</sup> July  
A.D. 1857  
W. M. Cochran, Clk  
Ch. D. C. Clerk

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County Court Dallas County Tex Term 1853.

Amos McCrackin Administrator of

The Estate of William Pearson dec'd in and

Current with said Estate. Received

1853.

Debit

Dec 26- Amt of assets as per final Exhibit \$1693.62

Cr.

Expenses on hand	675.00	
Set apart to Widow & Children	334.38	
Admrs. amt and atts fees	100.00	
One third of years support on acct of Henry Pearson	33.33	
Amt pd. appraisers	14.00	
" " Samson	5.50	
" " Dallas Herald	4.00	
" " Paper	2.95	
" " Note not collected	282.11	\$1451.27
Bal cash on hand		42.15

Amt. Claims accepted & not paid \$63.77

Restatement of Supplement 23 Jan'y 1851 - Debit		
Amt Note not collected	282.11	
" " Paper since Rest. above	22.58	
		304.69

Cr.

By notes paid Hunt & Kelly	\$29.52	
" " Collected by cash	116.85	146.37
Bal notes not collected		\$138.57

Bal cash on hand		\$42.15
Amt collected on notes		116.85
		\$159.00.

A. McCrackin Adm  
7th Jan'y 1853  
Sale Hall

Filed 25th Dec 1851  
A. Harwood

Approved Oct 26  
1857

J. W. Samson  
Clerk

Received  
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Ant Cash brought forward \_\_\_\_\_ \$159.00-

Cr

By amt for Sept 16. \_\_\_\_\_ 23.17

Bal Cash on hand \_\_\_\_\_ \$135.83

Restatement of Supplement July 30<sup>th</sup> 1888 \_\_\_\_\_

Debit

Bal notes on hand last Supplement \_\_\_\_\_ \$138.59

Cr

By notes paid concern \_\_\_\_\_ \$14.25

" " Collected in Cash \_\_\_\_\_ 112.98-

" " do on hand \_\_\_\_\_ 11.36 \_\_\_\_\_ 138.59

Debit

Bal Cash on hand last Supplement \_\_\_\_\_ \$135.83

Ant Cash collected on notes \_\_\_\_\_ 112.98

\$248.81-

Cr

By ant Cash expended as in last Sup. \_\_\_\_\_ 96.14

back on hand \_\_\_\_\_ \$152.67

" " Atts for McCoy \_\_\_\_\_ 20.00

\$152.67

Debit

To Cash coll. since last Sup. \_\_\_\_\_ 16.34

\$169.01

County Court Dallas Co Tex. Term 1883  
 Anson McCracken admr of  
 The Estate of W. Pearson decd. Dr.  
 To Amt Cash from old acct \$149.00  
 " " " Sale mgs to Bryan 681.67  
 " " " " " " Pearson 386.00  
 \$1216.68

Cr  
 By attor fee + comm acct \$50.00  
 " Court Costs 33.51  
 788.51

Debit  
 Note on A Lidbetter \$500.00  
 Int to date 48.25  
 \$548.25

And now comes the said admr and says that  
 A. Lidbetter is the husband of the widow and  
 Guardian of Two children of his intestate  
 that he will therefore have control of an  
 amt of said estate equal or more than the  
 note above, so that the same may be distributed  
 without collecting the same, and your petition  
 would represent that he is the agent of said  
 of Pearson and gets leave to control his in  
 trust and prays that said estate be distributed  
 known to & subscribed before me Anson McCracken  
 this 26<sup>th</sup> Decr AD 1883  
 W. W. Peck npx ckr

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Austin McCracken  
estate  
You're account  
with 3<sup>rd</sup> Current  
Said Estate

Filed 26<sup>th</sup> Dec 1853  
H. N. Peak

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-5868  
-51797

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The State of Texas County Court  
 County of Dallas Term 1857

Now Smith Elders Chief Justice  
 Now at this Term comes Anson McCreck  
 admr of the Estate of William Pearson  
 decd, and presents the following suppli-  
 ment to his final exhibit filed 25<sup>th</sup> Feb.

1857-  
 To Amt Cash bal as per exhibit \$42.15  
 " " " Receipts up to date 116.85  
 " " " " \$159.00  
 By Amt p<sup>d</sup> as per 27 4.20  
 " " " Clks fees &c 12.45  
 " " " Clks & Clks fees 5.00  
 " " " Tax Apr 28 1.52  
 \$23.17  
 \$135.83

To Amt notes on hand as per Exhibit \$282.11  
 " " " Cotton since then 11.33  
 " " " " " " 11.50  
 " " " Cr. \$304.94  
 By Amt notes settled by acct \$49.52  
 " " " Cash paid on notes 116.85  
 \$166.37  
 \$138.67

To admr acct & atts fees \$57.00  
 Anson McCreck  
 admr

All of which is respectfully submitted &  
 prayed to be made part of the original  
 final exhibit and he will ever pray &c  
 sworn to in open Court this 3<sup>rd</sup> Crockett  
 27<sup>th</sup> day of Feb. 1857 - Anson McCreck  
 atts

The State of Texas  
County of Dallas & County Court July Term 1861

Now at this time comes Anson  
McCracken administrator of the Estate of Wm  
Pearson dec'd, and reads leave to state  
that from the unavoidable procrastination  
that has attended the closing of this execution  
he has been necessarily compelled to make  
some slight changes therein since the  
filing of the final exhibit, and therefore  
prays that the following Supplement be made  
a part of the original exhibit.

Anson McCracken Adm'r  
In ac' with said Estate  
To Amt Paid Cash as per 1<sup>st</sup> Suppl 135.83  
" " Cash Collected 113.08 1/2  
" " Contra Cr 248.91 1/2  
By Amt paid Wm S Patton 9.00  
" " " Cash Paid A.C. 18.79  
" " " do do 8.00  
" " " do do 10.35  
" " Administration fee 50.00

19614  
\$152.77 1/2  
158.67

Amt Paid as per 1<sup>st</sup> Supplement  
Contra Cr  
Vouch 14 By Amt Paid still on hand 11.33 1/2  
" Note to pay estate account 14.25  
" Cash Collected 113.08 1/2  
138.67

No  
Anson McCracken  
adm'r of the Estate  
William Pearson  
Supplemental  
Exhibit

Filed 27<sup>th</sup> Jan 1861  
A. Harwood ex  
c. c. cl.

Approved this  
28<sup>th</sup> Jan - 1861.

S. S. Hines  
C. J. D. C.  
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J.P. Ferrard

To Cash on Hand	152.77 1/2
" Notes " Dr	11.33 1/3
" Hire of Regs	5.00
" Regs still on hand	675.00
" Colonial head right certificate for 640 acres of Land	<u>944.11</u>

Cr

By Amt. p. Williams fee	\$ 20.00
" Colonial head right certificate for business of Land in hand of A.S. Walker Surveyor	\$ 824.11
By amt. property p. to Mrs. M.A. McCracken	3 74.25
	<u>\$ 749.96</u>

Wm. Administrator would represent  
that the following are the heirs and  
distributees of said Estate. To-wit  
Elizabeth Ledbetter, wife of deceased  
Mahela A. McCracken  
Ritt D. Pearson  
Sarah Pearson  
Mary Pearson  
Audley B. Pearson  
Wm. of Lemuel Pearson  
Nancy Jane Pearson  
Sarah A. Pearson  
all of which is respectfully submitted  
Aron W. Brockman  
Admin



Order to pay only entered in order  
Court 31<sup>st</sup> July 1857  
A. S. Hammond  
Co. Ct. A. S. Jones

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Anders M. Ceraudini  
Jm Pearson  
Suppl. Exhibit



July 31<sup>st</sup> July 1881  
A. Hammon etc

Approved July 31<sup>st</sup>  
1887

J. W. Salines  
Ch. Cushman  
D. C. L.

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The State of Texas  County Court  
 County of Dallas  May Term 1853

Now Comes the Administrator of  
 the Estate of William Pearson dead  
 & makes his exhibit of said Estate  
 which he prays may be taken as his  
 August Showing because he says that  
 he would have made his said showing  
 at its proper time if he had not apper-  
 ted to be ready to finally close said dis-  
 cussion about the time it should have  
 been made, but from an avoidable de-  
 lay in collecting the money due said  
 estate he cannot so finally close the  
 same for the reason that the note on  
 Mary Ann & John & Bryan & others for  
 the Myra Woman and child is now  
 in suit and cannot be collected by  
 law until after the next term of the  
 District Court. Wherefore he prays that  
 this cause be continued and that  
 he be allowed time to collect said  
 claims & as in duty bound he will  
 ever pray &c.

A. W. Crocker adm

By Crocker & Bond

Att. Coun.

Shown to & subscribed  
 before me this 30<sup>th</sup> May 1853.  
 W. W. Peak D.C.

Amos McCracken Adm  
 Estate of Wm Pearson dec'd  
 1853 In Acct with said Estate D<sup>r</sup>

May 30 <sup>th</sup>	To	Cont Cash as per Cont Exhibit	\$152.77
" "	"	" " " Collected	11.86
" "	"	" " " " " "	5.10
" "	"	" " " " " " (Prinsons note 200)	376.00
			<u>\$545.73</u>

			Cr
By	Cont alle for Welling	\$20.00	
"	" Copying Sale	2.00	
"	" Appraisers fees	6.00	
"	" Admn. & alle for for Sale	20.00	
		<u>\$48.00</u>	
	For Cash on hand		<u>\$497.73</u>

			Dr
	At Debtors note on hand	500.00	
	Margaret & J. W. Bryan note	747.00	
		<u>\$1247.00</u>	

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A. W. Crockett adm  
Estate Wm. Pearson  
Annals Exhibits

Filed 30 May 1853  
W. W. Peck D.C.

Approved 30<sup>th</sup> May 1853  
L. W. Carter  
C. G. 2062

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The State of Texas } County Court  
 County of Dallas } Columbus Term 1899-  
 To Hon. William H. Hovey  
 Chief Justice.

Now Petitioners Andrew McBr  
 - action Adm of the Estate of William Hovey  
 son would respectfully represent that  
 at the August Term of Your Hon Court  
 He made a full and complete showing  
 of the situation of said Estate, and  
 that no change has been made in it  
 since that term, save the collection of  
 a small amt of money - about enough  
 to pay the liabilities of said Estate -  
 and Your petitioners would ask leave  
 to refer Your Honor to his said showing  
 at August and call Your attention  
 to the items of property remaining on  
 hand &c. Your petitioners would further  
 represent that the 12 months in which  
 claims shall be presented to Your petition  
 for acceptance and pay ments is out  
 and ample notice has been given for  
 same to be presented and Your petitioners  
 believe that about all of the claims  
 against said estate have been presented  
 and that they should now be paid off.

wherefore your petitioners pray your Hon.  
 To grant him an order to pay and  
 discharge all the claims against said estate  
 that have been presented and accepted and  
 further pray that at the next term of  
 your Honors Court distribution be made  
 of the property of said estate among the  
 distributees and that the Clerk of your Honors  
 Court be instructed to give notice to all  
 the heirs as the Law directs, at which term  
 your petitioners will present a full and  
 complete showing of the situation of said  
 estate together with his administration ac-  
 counts and will ask motion for final  
 settlement at the then succeeding term.

The term for the term of the said is about  
 expiring and also for the honor of the Mayor  
 and your petitioners is desirous of being  
 relieved of the responsibility as well as  
 the labor and expense of taking care  
 of said property and pray your Honors  
 To grant his petition and as in duty  
 bound he will ever pray &c.

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Amos McCrackin

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3  
3 Petition for  
distribution  
& pay mts of  
 debts

Est. Mrs. Pearson

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Filed in my office  
this 26 Nov 1849

J. M. Mitchell  
Co. Clk. H. C. Tex.

Crocketts. Alts

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It known all men by these presents that I  
 Robert Pearson of the County of Cass and State of  
 Missouri have this day made constituted and appointed  
 and so by these presents make constitute and appoint  
 Jacob Harrison of the same County and State my true  
 and lawful attorney for me and in my name to  
 collect any and all money that may be due me  
<sup>as distribute of my own</sup>  
 in the State of Texas, and particular any money that  
 may be due me from Anson McBracken administrator  
 or of William Pearson deceased and to receipt for and  
 in my name as my own act and deed in any manner  
 that my said attorney may think Expedient;  
 hereby ratifying and confirming all such acts  
 as shall at any time hereafter be made by my said  
 attorney touching or concerning the premises. Given  
 under my hand and seal this 21<sup>st</sup> day of September  
 A D 1853 Robert Pearson

State of Missouri }  
 County of Cass } 2

Be it Remembered that on the  
 21<sup>st</sup> day of September A D 1853 before me  
 the undersigned one of the acting Justices of  
 the Court of Cass County, personally  
 came Robert Pearson who is personally known  
 to me to be the person whose name is sub-  
 scribed to the foregoing power of attorney as  
 a party thereto, and after me acknowledge  
 the same to be his act and deed for  
 the purposes therein mentioned Taken and  
 certified this the 21<sup>st</sup> day and year above written  
 W. M. [Signature] C. C. C.

State of Missouri  
County of Cass

I Hamilton Loring  
Clerk of the County Court in and for  
said County do hereby certify that Wil-  
iam M. Bowers whose genuine signature  
appears to the within acknowledged  
to the within power of attorney is and  
was at the time of signing the  
same an acting Justice of the Peace  
County Court duly Elected, Commissioned,  
and qualified, that all the special  
acts as such are enacted to full  
faith and credit. And that  
the County Court of said County is a  
Court of Record.

In testimony whereof I have  
set my hand and seal at  
the Seat of said Court  
this 24<sup>th</sup> day of September  
A.D. 1833

Hamilton Loring  
Clerk

Known all men by these presents, that one Henry C. Bushman and Sarah Bushman (formerly Sarah Pearson) his wife of the County of Jackson in the State of Illinois, have made Constituted and appointed and by these presents do make, constitute and appoint Aubrey B. Pearson of the County of Dallas in the State of Texas our true and lawful attorney for us and in our name, place and stead to ask, demand and sue for, have and receive of and from Anson M. Cracker Administrator of the Estate of William Pearson deceased, late of said County of Dallas in the State of Texas, all debts, demands, monies and effects in his hands or due of him ~~as~~ Administrator to us by reason of the husbandship of said ~~Henry~~ Bushman (formerly Sarah Pearson and one of the daughters ~~and~~ heirs of said William Pearson deceased) in and to the Estate of said William Pearson deceased, and generally for us and in our name, place and stead to have and receive, sue for and collect all debts that may be due and owing to us on the above or any other account of and from said Anson M. Cracker as Administrator or executor or on any other account, and also of and from all and every person or persons in said County of Dallas, in the State of Texas on any and all accounts whatsoever.

Now by giving and granting unto our said attorney full power and authority for us and in our name, place and stead to do and perform all acts or acts, things or things, and to have and use all devices or devices in the law needful and necessary in and about the premises, and on the receipt of any such money, effects, moneys or moneys, in our name to execute and deliver as fully and effectually as we our selves might or could do if personally present. Now by ratifying and holding for firm and effectual whatsoever our said attorney may do and perform by virtue hereof.

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals

This 26th day of September A.D. 1853.

Attest  
 O. P. W. Baker

H. Knight  
 Sarah Bushman  
 H. Knight  
 Sarah Bushman  
 H. Knight  
 Sarah Bushman

State of Mississippi  
 Jackson County

Be it Remembered that  
 Henry C. Buhman & Sarah Buhman his wife  
 who are personally known to the undersigned Clerk  
 of the Circuit Court within and for the County  
 aforesaid to be the person whose names are  
 subscribed to the foregoing Power of Attorney  
 as parties thereto this day appeared before me  
 and acknowledged that they executed and delivered  
 the same as their voluntary act and deed for  
 the uses and purposes therein contained  
 and the said Sarah Buhman being by me  
 made acquainted with the contents of said  
 Power of Attorney acknowledged that she executed  
 and delivered the same as her voluntary act  
 and deed separate and apart from  
 her said husband that she executed and  
 delivered the same as her voluntary act and  
 deed for the uses and purposes therein contained  
 In Testimony Whereof I hereunto  
 set my hand and affix the Seal  
 of said Court at office in  
 Independence this 27<sup>th</sup> day of  
 September A.D. 1853

Saml A. Jones Clerk  
 By O. F. W. Bondup D.C.

Annex Exhibit of George C. Parks  
Administrator of the Estate of  
Maraday Parks, Decd.

G. C. Parks adm'r  
In acct with the Estate of Parks  
1851

Aug. 25<sup>th</sup> 1851

To property as per appraisement of \$468.57

Or,

By	2 Yearlings dead	\$6.00
"	1 Suckling Calf	2.50
"	2 Hogs dit	1.00
"	8 do consumed by widow	6.40 - \$16.50
		<u>\$432.07</u>

All of which is Respectfully submitted  
under oath and prayed to be approved  
& allowed

George C. Parks Adm'r  
Sworn to and subscribed  
in open court 25<sup>th</sup> Aug 1851  
A. S. Hansen

N. C. Putnam  
Eason Putnam  
J. P. Pennington  
Wadley J. Pearson

Sept 1853

*Ansie M Cracker vmt W. H. Basson*  
*In case with County Court*

1898 *Judges Cost*

July 31 <sup>st</sup>	Order Appointment	1.00	
"	Appraisers	1.00	2.00
Sept	Sale	.50	
"	to let apart property family	.50	
"	" " " " exempt funds	.50	
Oct	Approve Sale	1.00	
Nov <sup>29</sup>	View Record	.50	
May	" " "	.50	
June	Approve Sale	1.00	
Nov	Court	.50	
Dec	Do	.50	
1899 Jan	Do	.50	
June	Do	.50	6.50
Oct	Do	.50	
Nov	Do	.50	
Jan	Do	.50	1.50
July 31	Do		

1897 *County Ct*  
 Jan 27<sup>th</sup> By Cash *Malone* 2.00

1898 *Clerks Cost*

July	Order Petition 10	.25
	Stocking 10	.25
	Upsetting Notices	1.00
	Taking Views 50	.60
	Order Appointment	.25
	Granting Letters	.50
	Order Appraisers	.25
1898 Sept	Order Appraisers	1.25
	Recording 125	4.25

*Ansie Exhibit*  
*Ansie M Cracker*  
*Ansie M Cracker*  
*Estate W. H. Basson*

*Filed 25<sup>th</sup> August*  
*1897. A. H. Woodman*

*Approved this*  
*25<sup>th</sup> Aug 1897*  
*J. W. Salmons*  
*Chief Clerk*  
*40.7*

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	Acct West Coast	4.20
Sept	Order Sale	.50
"	" Allowance	.50
"	" to extent property	.50
"	Receiving 2 orders	1.00
"	Order to Recd. Inventory	.50
Oct	Order to Recd. Inventory	.10
"	Order to Recd. same	.50
Nov	" " New Negroes	.50
"	Receiving same	.50
Jan 49	Order to Recd. 107 orders	.70
Aug	Order to Recd. 107 orders	.60
"	Order to Recd.	.50
Nov	Order to Recd. 2 orders	1.10
"	Receiving Notices	.50
Dec 31	Order Court	.50
Jan 3	Receiving Citation to Adm. & Recd.	.50
" 23	Order to Recd. 20	.20
" 28	Order to Recd. 15	.15
"	Receiving Notices	.50
"	Order to Recd. 20	.20
"	Citation 107 orders for receiving same	.10
Feb 18	Order to Recd. Inventory	.10
"	Receiving same	.15
"	Administering 2 orders	.20
"	1 Certificate	.25
" 25	1 order Court	.50
" 26	Receiving 3 Notices 50 & 1 order 10	.80
"	Order to Recd. 8 papers	.80
" 27	" Petition & order of	.60
April	" Sale 10. 2 orders 100 1.10	1.10
May	Transcript to Recd. Court	1.50
June	Order to Recd. 20	.20
"	Order to Recd. 25	.75
"	Receiving of New	.20
		2.25

Acmt P. 2000 up 22.50  
 Jan<sup>y</sup> 13 1 order Comb 50 & filing Station 60  
 28 Filing Suppl Exhibit & 4 vouchers 50  
 " Order ct & cash & exp 25 75  
 29 Filing Agreements of Council 10  
 order ct 50 50  
 Mar Filing apc. H. 11. each 4 exp 25 50  
 order Comb 50. Recording late Fee 1.50  
 July 31 2680

Final Record

Contra Cr

1910			
Nov 11	By Cash	5.95	
"	"	6.50	
Jan <sup>y</sup> 31	"	3.00	
Apr 27	"	1.00	16.45
Apr 26	"		<u>\$10.35</u>



Amos M. Crockett Adm. of the Estate of William Pearson dec'd In ac current with said Estate

Date 1848	Description of Debits	Debits		Date 1849	Description of Credits	Credits	
		/\$	¢			/\$	¢
November	To Amt of sales for sale Bill	275	94	July 30 <sup>th</sup>	By Property not sold, on hand	907	35
	To Amt of property (Cypress) Inventions and not sold	907	35	-	By Amt of notes & afs. on hand, falling into his hands as admr. Interest &c	165	53
	To Skin of Sheep	20	00		By Aff. of S. P. Pearson, for skin of Sheep	20	00
	To notes and afs. falling into his hands due estate, with interest &c	165	53		By notes of sale, Point		
	Total	1368	82		By note on McElmuth & McGeary for	50	00
	To Amt of sales for cash not placed on sale Bill	1	97		By - - - - - Hon. O'Fallon	10	90
	Grand Total	1370	82		- - - - - Boydston & Cromb	19	61
					- - - - - Myers & East	21	15
					- - - - - Wilson & Lockull	20	02
					- - - - - East & Lerow	23	00
					- - - - - Myers & Corwin	10	25
					- - - - - Pryor & McElmuth	28	85
					- - - - - Lerow & East	40	50
					- - - - - Naught & Bryan	51	25
					By Amt of Cash on hand	1	97
					Grand Total	1370	82

Balanced

And this has been presented and accepted  
The following notes & cash to wit:  
An acct pay acc to Hewitt & Day \$ 49 52  
" " " " Mrs W. Connor 14 25  
" " " " J. L. Landon 5 00  
" " " " \$ 68 75

E. E.

all of which is faithfully Submitted this 27<sup>th</sup> day  
of Aug 1849  
Amos M. Crockett  
Sworn to before me this 27<sup>th</sup> Aug 1849  
John W. Smith clk  
By J. M. Crockett dec.

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*A. M. Crockett*  
*of Estate of W. Parsons*  
*in 3<sup>d</sup> of court*  
*with said Estate*  

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*Filed July 25 1818?*  
*W. Smith*  
*CLK.*  
  
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*Crockett*

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The State of Texas  
 County of Dallas  
 Peter Kertax and William Pearson together  
 with Anson W. Cractus administrators of  
 the Estate of S. William Pearson have this day  
 after being duly sworn proceeded to inventory  
 and appraise the estate of said William Pearson  
 and report the following list to the Probate  
 Court

Kind of Property	\$	cts	Kind of Property	\$	cts
137 feet plank	2	74			
40 Bushels Wheat in stack	30	00	37 do - do	1	11
407 Bushels corn in the field	170	50	1 plow -	3	00
1 Trough and sheet	65	00	1 Red cow & calf	10	00
2 Hog chains	6	00	1 White faced do. do	6	00
1 pr. Stilliard	1	00	1 White cow & calf	10	00
1 Seara saw	1	00	1 Spotted do - do	12	00
3 various sawing tools	1	00	<del>1 Black cow</del>	<del>2</del>	<del>00</del>
1 pr. Gear & spur saws	2	25	1 Red speckled cow	12	00
2 Chain hammers	7	00	1 Black cow	12	00
2 Pumps sole Leathers	4	12	1 Dark brown cow	12	00
1 Single tree	5	00	1 Black & white steer	10	00
1 as and wedge	1	00	1 White spotted steer	10	00
1 Lot of iron	1	00	1 young Bull	16	00
2 Axes	1	50	1 yoke iron and white	40	00
1 Flat Adzge	1	25	1 or 12 ash & iron	45	00
2 Hiding hoes	25	00	4 Large post & legs	24	00
1 Steel mill	5	00	5 Head 2 choice do	15	00
1 Hoe	50	00	5 Head shorter 3 choice	12	25

	\$	cts		\$	cts
1 Note on W. J. ...			1 Note on W. J. ...	38	25
1 Sew & Seige	8	00	Meaning, instrumt from		
1 Large Sew	6	00	1 Receipt on J. J. ...		
1 Bed & Pillow	12	50	for the collection of a note		
1 Overstid	5	00	on P. Lebell & Co. Lebell		
1 Bed Blanket	2	10	for (considered bad)	75	25
1 Checked Bed Blanket	1	00	\$92.38 - Appraised at	"	"
1 Bed quilt	1	00			
1 " " "	1	25	about 15 bushels		
1 Cook pot	1	10	of old iron	5	00
1 Tea Kettle		50	one Pistol	2	00
1 Bag		50	one note on Corp		
1 Stone jar		25	Key for \$10 -	10	00
1 Small Kettle	1	25	An account on		
1 Churn		75	Count Shavers	7	45
1 Set cupboards ware	8	00	1 Bay Mare	40	00
1 Tin Lantern		25	An indefinite no.		
1 Trunk		25	of nails appraised		
1 pine Box		50	at \$100 per hundred		
1 Flat Iron		75			
1 Fire Shovel		25			
1 Horse		50			
1 Negro woman	275	00			
1 Negro white	2	00			
6 Bee stands	1171	72			
1 Note on B. N. Woodruff & Co. Kelly	59	20			
Trust on note after all credits	6	21			
1 note on W. S. Patton & Co. Dallas	40	20			
Trust on note after all credits	4	22			

The State of Texas }  
 County of Dallas }  
 the place in, and for said County and }  
 State. William J. Walker and William Leonard }  
 and made oath in due form of Law }  
 that the foregoing is a correct list and }  
 appraisement of the estate of William }  
 Pearson so far as have come to their }  
 knowledge and view }  
 Given to before me }  
 this 14<sup>th</sup> Aug. 1848 }  
 W. G. Woods J.P.

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Inventory of William  
Pearson

Willed Sept 25th 1846

J. M. Keith & Co.

Received Oct 4th 1846

By

J. M. Keith & Co.  
Dec 4th

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The State of Texas County Court  
 County of Dallas February Term A.D. 1857  
 Do Now William A. Ford Chief Justice  
 Anson McCracken admr. of the Estate of William  
 Pearson Decd, asks leave to present the following  
 as a full and complete showing of the Situation  
 of said Estate and therewith his administration  
 account, To wit:

Anson McCracken admr.  
 In Acct. with Estate of Wm. Pearson  
 February 25<sup>th</sup> 1857. Dr.

--- To 1 Negro Woman appraised at	\$ 375.00
--- " 1 Negro Child Do "	200.00
--- " 1 Negro Do Do "	100.00
--- " Property appraised & not sold.	334.35
--- " Note due decedent in his life time (unpaid)	145.05
--- " Note due admr. Yet unpaid	134.05
--- " Cash acc. on Note due admr.	141.91
--- " Do Do " Two Negro	40.00
--- " Do Do " Note due decedent	17.45
--- " Do Do " Note of property	1.97
--- " Do Do Interest on Note	.60
--- Total Liability	\$1195.42

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--- Two Negroes Still on hand	\$675.00
--- " Property Still apart to W. & C. S.	334.35
--- " Note Yet unpaid	253.11
--- " Admr. acct. & alle. exp. & c.	100.00
--- " Our Third of allowance for the support of Widow & Children for m. 2 <sup>d</sup>	33.33
--- " By amt. Paid apprais. & c. as per Bill 3 <sup>d</sup>	46.00
--- Total	\$1438.82

Amt Debits tot up \$1493.42  
 Amt Credits tot up \$1458.82  
 Amt paid to C. Lamson Feb 4 5.50  
 " do Dallas Herald Feb 5 4.00  
 " do Ben Harris Feb 11 2.95  
 -----  
 \$1451.27  
 Balance cash on hand \$ 42.15  
 -----  
 \$1493.42

Sentinal Claim. Receipt on transfer  
 in Mrs. for claim on title.

Demand not unpaid though accepted and  
 approved in an.  
 Account payable to Auditor May 1957 \$49.52  
 do " " W. W. Conner 14.25  
 -----  
 \$63.77

And arrangements have been agreed  
 upon for this settlement without paying  
 out any money, which no doubt the holder  
 will take to complete.

All of which is respectfully submitted  
 on oath this 25th February A.D. 1957

A. M. A. [Signature]  
 In view to and Subscribed  
 in open Court this 25th  
 February A.D. 1957  
 A. Hamon  
 J. P. [Signature]



Now the said Anson McCrae adminis-  
 tor as aforesaid would respectfully re-  
 present that his term had fully expired  
 that he has fully administered said estate  
 so far as it has come to his knowledge and  
 has herewith made a complete showing  
 thereof and he would further represent that  
 there is a considerable amount of property  
 remaining in his hands that will not be  
 necessary for the payment of debts. That due  
 notice has been given and doubtless all claims  
 against said estate has been presented. The  
 adm<sup>r</sup> is familiar with the situation of  
 decedent's affairs and knows of no other  
 claims. And he would further represent that  
 there are minor heirs of decedent who must  
 necessarily be provided for, and there is  
 property in said adm<sup>r</sup>'s hands that in situ-  
 ation must be an expense to said estate, and  
 therefore he prays that said estate be distrib-  
 uted among the heirs whom so far as known  
 to this adm<sup>r</sup> are Mahala Ann Pearson McCrae  
 the infant heirs of Lemuel Pearson decd. Let  
 N. Pearson Sarah Burman, & Mary Pearson  
 and as in duty bound said adm<sup>r</sup> will and  
 pray &c.

Coactula  
 J. C. C.

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Amos M Crocker  
Final Exhibit  
Estate of  
Wm Pearson died

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Filed 25<sup>th</sup> Feb 1857  
McHarrod  
Spicer

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A list of Property of the Estate of William Pearson dead set apart to the Widow and children of said decedent as exempt from forced sale

1 large cow	6 00
1 par geese	2 00
1 Plow	3 00
1 ax	75
1 Hoe	25
1 Red cow calf	10 00
1 White face cow calf	6 00
1 White cow calf	10 00
1 Brown cow	12 00
5 Head 2nd chair Hags	75 00
1 cow 10 Pig	1 00
1 Tea Kettle	50
1 Key	50
1 Set Capt and Horse	2 00
1 flat Iron	75
1 Iron Shovel	25
2 Bee Hives	4 00
1 Bay 2nd	40 00
1 churn	75
105 Bushels Corn	43 75
1 Small Kettle	1 25
1 Pine Box	50
1 par Sutters	1 00
1 Sample Iron	50
1 Steel Mill	5 00
37 ft Plank	1 00
2 Mether Buckets	50
1 Saw & 2 cut mill	50
1 Barrel	30
15 Spinning Wheel	1 50
1 Bed of furniture	21 50
	20
	20

2 Dog chains	19	25
1 Hand saw		1 00
3 augers driving knife	096	1 00
1 Gole paper		40 00
1 Saw Pipe		4 00
5 Head Shroats		12 25
1 Gun turn		25
1 Trunk		25
1 Hoe	67.00	25
137 feet Planks		2 75
4 large Hogs		24 00
1 Bed salting		22 75
1 foot adds		1 50
1 free		50
1 Black & White Steer		10 00
1 Black cow		12 00
1 Hat stand		75
		\$ 334.75

The State of Texas Personallly appeared before me  
 County of Dallas } The undersigned Chief Justice  
 in and for said County } and after Interacting adm  
 inistrator of the Estate of William Pearson died  
 and made oath in due form of Law that the  
 foregoing is a correct & Just list of the property  
 belapant to the Widow and Children of said  
 decedent as being exempt from forced sale  
 Inworn to and subscribed } Asare M. Cracker  
 before me this 8<sup>th</sup> Nov 1848 }  
 Wm H. Hord  
 Chief Justice

A true and correct Return of the Sale  
of the personal property of the Estate of  
William Pearson dead.

J. N. Bryson	1 Leg Cane	3 75
J. P. Cole	1 do	25
J. A. Bryan	1 do	1 00
W. D. Walker	1 Wagon	376
W. Myers	1 lot of old Iron	50
Wesley Cookland	1 Fish gip	62 1/2
Wick Myers	1 pair Blankets	31 1/2
do do	2 Blind Bridles	25
do do	2 1/2 lbs Seal Soots 26 lbs	86
R. Wilson	1 Pistol	2 25
William Myers	3 cows & calf	15 00
Saul B. Poyor	1 Milked cow	11 00
George Alvey	1 Bull	10 93
<del>A. B. Poyor</del>		
J. A. Bryan	1 yoke oxen	47 50
William Myers	1 Steer	10 00
do do	2 Bee Stands	2 00
D. W. Mac Dermid	1 Wagon	50 00
R. Wilson	52 1/2 Bushels corn 35	14 37 1/2
A. B. Poyor	52 1/2 Bushels corn 34	17 85
Saul B. Poyor	53 Bushels Corn	19 61 1/2
A. B. Poyor	26 3/4 Bushels corn 40	10 66 3/4
W. Crow	20 Bushels corn 40	8 00
A. B. Poyor	12 acres of land 50	24 00
Mr. Grounde	1 Horse	1 00
		238 20

Sale Bill of  
The Personal property  
of W Pearson Decd

Amt Paid on 258.20  
Railroad 17.74  
Total 275.94

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Filed in this office  
8th day of November  
AD 1844

J. M. Smith  
Clerk

Recorded in my office  
this 20th day of December  
1844

J. M. Smith  
Clerk

The State of Texas } Personally appeared before  
County of Dallas } me the undersigned Chief  
Justice in and for said County, Aaron W. Granger  
and made oath in due form of Law, that  
The foregoing is a true & correct copy of the  
Sale Bill of the personal property of said  
William Pearson decd  
Sworn to and subscribed  
before me this 8th Nov 1844

M. H. Woods  
Chief Justice  
J. C. T.

William. Pison  
 Dr. J. M. & M. M. Dr.  
 1846  
 May 19<sup>th</sup> 1/2 doz paper Calicut 37 1/2 \$ 2.63  
 " " 1 " " " " .75  
 " " 1 " " " " .37  
 " " 7 " " " 25c 1.75  
 " " 6 " " " " 1.50  
 " " 2 paper needles 25c .50  
 " " 2 pairs side combs 12 1/2 .25  
 " " 1 Handkerchief .37 1/2  
 " " Whiskey 1.50  
 20 " 2 Pans 37 1/2 .75  
 " " 1 oz Camphor .25  
 " " 1/2 paper pins .15  
 " " 52" Bacon 15¢ 7.80  
 " " 50 " " " 3.50  
 " " 14 yards Calico 12 1/2¢ 1.75  
 " " 2 paper Whiskey 10 1/2 .25  
 " " 1 Pint " .25  
 " " Pins .15  
 " " 2 1/2 yards Calico 25¢ .62  
 " " 1 Shawl 2.00  
 " " 6 glasses Whiskey .75  
 " " 8 yards Calico 12 1/2 1.00  
 " " 7 " " 37 1/2 2.63  
 " " 2 3/4 " " 50¢ 1.38  
 " " 1 pair Stockings .50  
 " " Whiskey 1.38  
 Aug 12 " 2 glasses Whiskey .25  
 " " 1 pair Socks .68  
 " " Sugar & Coffee 2.00  
 " " Thread 25. Sack combs 25c .50  
 " " 4 Macaroni 12 1/2¢ .50  
 " " Amount carried over 38.57

For amount ~~But~~ \$ 38.57

Aug 23	"	4 Glape Brandy 187	\$ 75
"	"	3 " Copera	.50
"	"	2 Glape Brandy 187	.38
"	"	1 Bottle Whisky	.50
"	"	2 Glape Brandy	.38
"	"	2 " "	.38
" 26	"	1 Bottle & Brandy	1.00
"	"	1 " & Whisky	.63
"	"	2 Glape Brandy	.38
"	"	1 Cotton Handkerchief	.38
Sept 1	"	2 Mackinac	.25
"	"	1 Bottle & Whisky	.63
"	"	1 Plug Tobacco	.63
July 1847	"	1 Barrel	.50
amt of debt			\$ 15.86

William Pardon

1846 To S<sup>y</sup> Newton

Dec 19	"	1 Plug Tobacco	\$ .63
1847 Feb 11	"	12 " Coffee	2.10
"	"	12 " Sugar	3.10
"	"	4 oz Indigo	1.00
"	"	Madder	.18
"	"	Tobacco	1.00
"	"	1 lb Cotton Cord	1.00
"	"	1 Buckett	.75
"	"	1 box First Noodle	.51
"	"	1 New & Bar	1.50
"	"	1 Ivory Count	.25
31	"	Amount paid for	1.00
May 14	"	2 Plug Tobacco by Indigo	.20
"	"	1/2 Dyer Paper	.25
amt carried over			\$ 12.00



	For amount knit over	\$ 12.02
June 3 <sup>rd</sup>	1 Plug Tobacco by sundry	.63
14 "	Amount Hair Black	1.91
19 "	Tobacco by sundry	.25
July 3 "	1 Knife	1.25
" "	Calico	.25
" "	1 Hair Shou	1.25
15 "	1 Razor Strip	1.00
" "	4 yards Strip Cotton	1.00
" "	1 Hat	1.25
" "	3 yards Cheese	.75
" "	1 Handkerchief	.25
" "	1 Hair Suspension	.25
" "	104 " Salt 4¢	4.16
" "	3 Plug Tobacco	.25
" "	1 " "	.15

Amount of Dept \$ 30.55  
 Amount of Salary & Profit \$ 45.86  
 Total \$ 76.41  
 Balance due \$ 54.41  
 Interest as per agreement - 7.80  
 Amount due from the Est \$ 59.21

The State of Texas  
 County of Dallas } I, J. H. Newton do solemnly  
 swear according to the best of  
 my knowledge and belief that the foregoing  
 account is just and that all legal offsets  
 payments and credits known to me have been  
 allowed  
 Sworn to and subscribed  
 before me this 4<sup>th</sup> day of  
 Decr A.D. 1845  
 William M. Conrad, J.P.

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1891  
E. H. H.  
Wm. Pearson

Accepted Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> 1849  
Amos M. Crickum  
Administrator of  
William Pearson De<sup>d</sup>

Approved seeing what is barred by statute  
of limitation Nov 26<sup>th</sup> 1849

W. H. Woods  
62 & 63

Received Payment in full of  
Amos M. Crickum Administrator of Estate

A. J. [unclear]  
[unclear]

Dr 1852  
Apr 12

George C Parks Adm<sup>r</sup> Estate of Meriday Parks Dec<sup>d</sup>  
In final ac<sup>t</sup> current

To Amt of Property belonging to  
Estate as app<sup>r</sup> of Commission \$ 1977.02  
To Amt of cash collected 145.50  
To Amt of <sup>particulars</sup> first appraisment  
Not reappraised and distributed } 181.65  
Total Amt due \$ 2304.17

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1851.	Apr 1.	By Amt p <sup>r</sup> W. J. Walker for sampling	No 1	\$ 9.00
	Dec 3	By Amt p <sup>r</sup> Latorin Printing fees	No 2	7.00
	3	By Costs of Court.	3	13.20
1852	Apr 1	By do - do	4	10.00
	3	By do p <sup>r</sup> J. J. Patton Sampling	5	9.00
		By - p <sup>r</sup> Atto. fee	6	10.00
	Apr 22	By Amt p <sup>r</sup> Widow	7	18.00
	May 12	By - - do	8	150.40
	Apr 2	By - p <sup>r</sup> Widow Distribution share		\$ 658.82
	5	By - p <sup>r</sup> John R. Parks do		97.98
	7	By - p <sup>r</sup> William Robbins do		127.98
	14	By - p <sup>r</sup> William A. Porter do		184.98
	3	By - p <sup>r</sup> Sally H. Lewis do		61.48
	6	By - p <sup>r</sup> Aquila K. Crockett do		97.98
	12	By - p <sup>r</sup> Geo C Parks do		97.98
	17	By - p <sup>r</sup> Geo C Parks (to Widow) do		764.98
	19	By - p <sup>r</sup> James M. Parks do		164.98
	21	By - p <sup>r</sup> Geo C Parks do		104.98
		By - p <sup>r</sup> Rebecca S. Parks do		104.98
				\$ 659.92
				\$ 1977.02
	May 31.	By Amt p <sup>r</sup> McLeary Atto. fee		10.00
		By - - Crockett		10.00
		By - - Costs of court official settlement		17.40
		By Amt p <sup>r</sup> J. C. Atterbury Court		6.00
		By - - P. K. Rawlins do		8.00
		By - - Isaac Kellan do		4.00
		By - retained for Commission as adm <sup>r</sup>		39.55
				Total Amt due \$ 2304.17

The undersigned Adm<sup>r</sup> of the Estate of M. Parks Dec<sup>d</sup> having fully administered the estate of said Decedent which is fully shown in the above exhibit, showing or a/c current ~~to~~ comes into open court and makes oath that the same is a true and correct showing or exhibit of said estate, and that he has administered the same fully so far as it has come to his hands - and prays that the same be taken as his final account current and he be released from further responsibility as such administrator.

Witness my hand and subscribed in open court this 31<sup>st</sup> May AD 1852

George C Parks Adm<sup>r</sup>  
John David Hopy clk

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Prop. Parks  
Adm. Estate of  
M. Parks ad.  
By 5 final  
settlement  
of said  
with said estate

Given 31<sup>st</sup> May 1852  
J. S. Davis att.

Approved 31<sup>st</sup> May  
1852 J. W. Latimer  
att. for  
M. Parks

M. Lem att.

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