

Orphans Court Vol E. 1846-1850 Marengo, Alabama
Minutes of Thomas Bailey Probate
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Estate of Thomas Bailey, dec'd

28th January 1848

At this day came Gray B. Jones and applied to the court for letters of Administration upon the Estate of Thomas Bailey late of Marengo County deceased and having filed in court his bond ad Admr in the Sum of Five thousand Dollars with Henry W. Hatch and Mary Bailey as his Securities. It is ordered by the court that said bond be approved and that letters of administration issue to him accordingly. It is further ordered by the court that John B. Burch, James S. Morgan, OD Thomason, Lytle Powell and J.W. Northrup be and they are hereby appointed appraisers to appraise the perishable property of said estate according to law and return of the same to this court and it is further ordered by the court that said administrator be authorized to sell the cotton crop of said estate privately.

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Estate of Thomas Bailey, dec'd

2nd February 1848

At this day came Gray B. Jones Administrator of the Estate of Thomas Bailey deceased and filed in court and inventory and appraisalment and list of notes due said estate, which are received by the court and ordered to be entered of record and it is further ordered by the court that said administrator be authorized to sell the perishable property belonging to said estate at public auction upon giving the notice required by law and make return thereof to this court.

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Estate of Thomas Bailey, dec'd

11 September 1848

At this day came Gray B. Jones administrator of the estate of Thomas Bailey deceased and filed in court his petition alleging that it would be more advantageous to the heirs & distributees of said estate to have the land and real estate sold to pay off the debts of said estate, than the personal property and praying the court to grant a decree for the sale of the same accordingly, wherupon it is ordered by the court that the second Monday in October next be set for the hearing of said petition that notice thereof be given to the Heirs and distributees of said estate who are of full age, to appear at that time and show cause why said petition should not be granted, and that S.J. Newton Esq be appointed Guardian ad Litem for the Minor Heirs of said deceased as set forth and named in said petition, and that said administrator have leave to take out a commission to take testimony in support of the allegations of this petition.

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Estate of Thomas Bailey, dec'd

23 November 1848

At this day came Gray B. Jones administrator of the estate of Thomas Bailey deceased, and filed in court a report of the sale of the land and real estate of his said intestate which is received and confirmed by the court and ordered to be recorded and it appearing to the satisfaction of the court that the purchaser of said real estate has complied with terms of the sale. It is therefore ordered and decreed that said administrator execute and deliver to the purchaser a deed of conveyance of all the rights and title and interest of said deceased in and to said real estate at the time of his death.

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Estate of Tho. Bailey, Dec'd

25th February 1850

On the application of Gray B. Jones administrator of the estate of Thomas Bailey deceased it is ordered that he be authorized to ship and sell the cotton crop of said estate at private sale in the city of mobile in the usual manner of selling cotton and make due report of the same to this court according to law.

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Estate of Thomas Bailey, dec'd

19 August 1850

At this day came Gray B. Jones and filed in court his account current and vouchers for a final settlement of his administration upon said estate, whereupon it is ordered by the court that the same be set for hearing at a time of this court to be hold on the second Monday of Septembe _____ and notice thereof be given by publication in the "Argus" a newspaper published in Demopolis, Ala in order that all persons interested can attend and _____ the same if they think proper.

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Estate of Thomas Bailey, dec'd

October Term 1850

In this case Gray B. Jones adm having filed his account current and vouchers for a final settlement of his administration of said estate and also filed his resignation as adm and said settlement having been advertised for forty days by publication for three consecutive weeks in the Alabama Argus published in Marengo county, coming on this day for hearing and said account being audited and stated from which it appears that after charging said admr wherewith he is chargeable and _____ adding all just payments expenses and commissions It appears that there is a balance due to him of two hundred and eighty nine dollars. It further appears that the revenue in his hand uncollected the following note to wit: One on OD Thomasan for 16.80 dated March 29 1849 and payable one day after date and one on JS Wilkerson and ___ Hatch for 100.00 due the 1st January 1851. It is heretofore ordered and decreed that said account so stated be approved by allowed and recorded as a final settlement of said administration and that said admr deliver over to his successor on said administration the order aforesaid. It is further ordered and decreed that said sum of 289.00 so declared as aforesaid and a charge in favor of the said Gray B. Jones against the estate of said intestate and the said Gray B Jones now here files in court said notes as described aforesaid.

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Estate of Thomas Bailey, Dec'd
December Term 1850

This day comes Mary Bailey and applied for letters of administration de bonis non upon said Estate, and the said Mary having entered into bond in the sum of two thousand dollars with G.W. Doly and Wm S. Price as sureties. It is ordered that said bond be approved and recorded and that letters of administration issued accordingly.

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Estate of Thomas Bailey
January 19 1855

It is ordered by the court that Mary Bailey be cited to file her account and vouchers for final settlement of said estate at the March Term of this court next.

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Estate of Thomas Bailey, dec'd
March Term 1855

This day came Mary Bailey and filed her account & vouchers for final settlement of said estate. It is heretofore ordered by the court that said account & settlement be set for hearing at the ____ Term in April next and that the same be advertised for three successive weeks in the Linden Jeffersonian & it is further ordered that WH ____ be appointed guardian ad litem for the minor heirs of said deceased.

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April Term 1855
Estate of Thomas Bailey final settlement continued

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September Term 1855
Estate of Thomas Bailey, Dec'd

In this case the settlement of said estate having been continued to the present term of the court. Now at this day came on for settlement & hearing and now at this day came Mary Bailey administratrix of said estate by her attorney and also came James F. Bailey and N.G. Carlton & wife Rebecca, heirs of said intestate of full age in their own proper persons. And also William Bailey, Lucinda Bailey, George Bailey, Margaret Bailey and Joseph Bailey minor heirs of said intestate by F. _____ esq their guardian ad litem and it appearing to the court that said settlement has been advertised according to law by publication for three successive weeks in the Linden Jeffersonian. And it appearing to the satisfaction of the court from the proof ____ by said administrator that the payments made by said administratrix on account of said estate are just & correct charges against the ____ ____ that she has charged herself with all wherewith she is charged. It is therefore adjudged ordered and decreed that said account as stated be allowed & recorded as a partial settlement of said estate by said administratrix as to the first day of January 1855 and it appears from said account ____ ____ estate is indebted to said administratrix in the sum of three hundred and forty eight dollars. It therefore is further ordered by the court that she retain full amount out of the past money that may come to her hand as such administratrix.