1849	By Cash pd Sheriff, Taxes 1846 & 47	No 6		24	76
Nov	" " " Jno H Norris dec'd acct	" 7		12	27
Jan 1 1848	" " " Sheriff Cash for fi fa for Mrs Summerlin, & Rent	No 8		144	58
Mar 5 1847	" " " Samuel A Pasehall acct	No 9		2	07½
March 14	" " " Thomas May, Overseer	" 10		46	12½
Mar 1	" " " A Rowland Constable for Judgt in favor of John Backenhill			5	84
June 14	" " " Dr WR Hicks	No 12		14	75
July 27	" " " RJ Williams & M T Lanier Counsel	" 13		20	00
Nov 1 1849	" " " Jaines Blackley Crier	" 14		2	00
Oct 27	" " " Do. Jo. Bryant's acct for provisions, saving Crop 1847	No 15		25	54½
	" " " Mills for Cart & Ox Gears &c			16	50
	" " " Mills for Hire of hands &c &c	No 16		34	50
Augt 27	" " " Jno A Bryant acct for dower in aged Negro.	No 17		175	20
				563	93½
	By Balance			286	52
				850	86½

1850
July By Commissions on Receipts
Ditto " Disbursements

North Carolina }
Granville County } At a Session of the County Court of said County made at November Term 1849. We have examined the receipts and disbursements of James Jo Bryant Admr of Mary Bryant deceased and find that he received the sum of $850.86½ Cts, and that he has disbursed the sum of $563.93½ Cts, which leaves in his hands as about aforesaid the balance of $286.92 and we recommend the allowance of 5 per Cent Commissions on receipts and disbursements— The account Stated in favor of the Administrator against his intestate of $21.74 Cts Constitutes one item of disbursements for which no receipt is exhibited— Given under our hands & Seals this 30th day of January 1850—

L A Pasehall (Seal)
Benj T Hamm (Seal)
William M White (Seal)

North Carolina }
Granville County } Granville County Court. Fall Term 1850—
The foregoing account Current was duly returned in open Court by the Commissioners and ordered to be recorded—
Test Thos P Taylor Clk

The execution of the personal property of William Hargrove dec'd came into the hands of Sarah Hargrove Ex'x aforesaid

I find on a Division of Negroes of Wm Hargrove dec'd allotted to Sarah Hargrove Ex'x aforesaid the following Negroes, viz Jim, Peter, Lucy & her child Mary, Dolly & her child Jane, Old Peter

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In the name of God, Amen. I Nancy Phelps of the County of Granville and State of North Carolina being of sound and perfect mind and memory (blessed be God) do this 25th day of July in the year of our Lord 1848 make and publish this my last will and testament in manner following, that is to say,

First I give and bequeath unto my beloved and dutiful daughter Jemima Phelps my Negro Woman Peden, to her the said and assigns forever.

Secondly, I give and bequeath unto my beloved Son James Phelps two thirds of my remaining property of every description whatever, consisting of household & kitchen furniture, plantation tools, Crop, Stock and provisions &c, to him his heirs and assigns forever.

Thirdly, I give and bequeath unto my beloved Son Benjamin Phelps the remaining third of my property of every description whatever, consisting of household & kitchen furniture plantation tools, Crop, Stock and provisions &c to him his heirs and assigns forever.

And I hereby make and ordain my worthy and beloved Son James Phelps Executor of this my last Will and Testament. And lastly in witness I the said Nancy Phelps have to this my last Will and Testament, set my hand and Seal, the day and year above written.

Signed, sealed, published and declared by the said Nancy Phelps the testatrix, as her last Will & testament in the presence of us who were present at the time of signing & testing thereof

Jno. J. Phelps
George Dickey Jr

Nancy X Phelps
mark

North Carolina }
Granville County } Court of Pleas & Quarter Sessions 1850

The execution of the foregoing last Will and Testament of Nancy Phelps was duly proved in Open Court by William Phelps and George Dickey the Subscribing Witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. Which is done accordingly. And thereupon James Phelps named Executor in said Will & Testament qualified

Test Thos. Hunt C.C.C.

In the name of God, Amen. I Elizabeth Thomas of Granville County & State of North Carolina being of [illegible] do make and [illegible] this my last Will & Testament

[illegible]

Granville County Court A.D. 1850

The execution of the foregoing Last Will and Testament of Nancy Pleasants deceased was proven in Court in open Court by William Pleasants and Burgess Cobbs Jr the Subscribing Witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded. At the same time came forward James Pleasants named Executor in said Will and duly qualified as such.

Witness

N Lewis Clk

In the name of God, Amen. I Elizabeth Brown of Granville County & State of North Carolina being of sound mind & disposing memory do make and ordain this my last Will & Testament.

I give and bequeath to my friend Absalom Allen

North Carolina
Granville County } February Court A.D. 1850

The execution of the foregoing last Will
and Testament of Nancy Pleasants deceased was proven
in Open Court by William Pleasants and Benjamin
Cobb, the Subscribing Witnesses thereto and ordered to
be recorded. At the same time came forward James
Pleasants, named Executor in said Will and duly qualified
as such.

Witness

A. Landis Clk

In the name of God, Amen. I, Elizabeth O'Brien
of Granville County & State of North Carolina being of
sound mind & disposing memory do make and ordain
this my last Will & Testament.
I give and bequeath to my friend Absalom Pleasants

my Negro man Green for the Special Support & Maintainance of my Husband William O'Brien during his natural life and at the death of my said Husband William O'Brien it is my wish and desire that the said Charleton Allen shall sell the said Negro Boy Green on such terms as he may think best and the proceeds arising said Sale I wish and desire to be equally divided between my two grand daughters Catharine Wilson and Mary Wilson daughters of Thomas Wilson to them and their heirs and assigns forever then should either of my grand daughters Catharine & Wilson or Mary Wilson die before they arrive to the age of twenty one years or marry it is my wish and desire that the proceeds of the Sale of the said Negro man or boy Green as above stated shall go to their bodily heirs and assigns forever and Should both of my grand daughters Catharine & Mary Wilson die before they arrive to the age of twenty one years or marry then in that Case it is my wish and desire that the proceeds of the said Negro boy Green as aforesaid shall be equally divided between Robert O'Brien & Polly O'Brien children of my said Husband William O'Brien to them and their heirs forever. Then for the further consideration of the love and affection which I have to Polly O'Brien wife of my said Husband William O'Brien I have bargained and sold for the further Consideration of the sum of one hundred & fifty dollars to me by the said Polly O'Brien my natural life rights and Interests to the said Negro Green for the benefit of the Survivor of two Negro Girls Named Catharine Wilson & Mary Wilson for the term of twelve years after the death of the said William O'Brien

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Case it is my wish and desire that the proceeds of
the said Negro boy Green as aforesaid shall be equally
divided between Robert O'Brien & Sally O'Brien children
of my said Husband William O'Brien to them and their
heirs forever. Then for the further consideration of the
love & affection which I have to Sally O'Brien
daughter of my said Husband William O'Brien
and for the further Consideration of the sum of Love
hundred dollars to me by the said Sally O'Brien in hand
paid the receipt whereof I do hereby acknowledge I have
given granted bargained & sold & by these presents do
give grant bargain & sell unto the said Sally O'Brien
her heirs & assigns forever all my right title interest claim
& demand of in & to the following Negroes to wit
Jack Rose & Jenny & their increase & also the
Household & Kitchen furniture & Stock of every
description now on my plantation to have & to hold
the said Negroes & property unto the said Sally O'Brien
her heirs & assigns forever. And I the said Elizabeth
Brown for myself my heirs executors & administrators
the said Negroes & property unto the said Sally O'Brien
her heirs & assigns forever against the claim or claims
of all & every person or persons whatsoever. In
Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal
this Thirty first day October 1836
Signed sealed & delivered } Elizabeth Brown (L.S.)
in presence of }
Wm. H. Brown
Wm. Brown

South Carolina }
Spartanburg District } Personally came before me William Brown and made
oath that he saw the within named Elizabeth Brown sign seal and as her act
and deed deliver the within written Deed of Gift for the uses and purposes
therein mentioned and that he with Wm. H. Brown witnessed the execution
thereof. Sworn to before me this 31st day October 1836
Wm. Brown