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Recorded

John S. R. Edwards, Clerk, &c.

The Estate of Benjamin Cobb dead

Int. Account with John M. Surry Administrator

		1847	1848
1847	By Cash from sale of property		106.07
	To Cash paid over at sale	21.00	
	" Cash paid for support of family and expenses of cultivating crop.	63.50	
	To Cash paid for coffee	8.10	
	" Cash paid Charles Hicks & Sons	6.04	
	" Commissions at \$106.07 @ 5 per cent.	5.30	
	" Balance	21.23	
		106.07	106.07
1848	By Balance due the Estate		21.23
	To Cash paid Constable Executions	9.35	
	By Interest on Balance last year		1.27
	To Commissions for returned	1.00	
	" Balance	12.15	
		21.50	21.50
1848	By Balance due the Estate with Interest from the date here paid.		21.50

Respectfully Submitted
Wm. B. Shanks Clerk

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Now the Name of said decedent: I William Barnes of the County of Southampton
and State of Virginia being of sound mind and memory and taking into consideration
that it is appointed unto man once to die: I do hereby make and publish this my last
will and Testament in manner and form following that is to say:
I then 1st After my decease: it is my desire that my body be laid away in a decent
manner in a plain coffin in the grave yard at my Land: and that all my just
debts and several expenses be paid out of my estate by my Executors herein after named
2nd I bequeath to my beloved wife Susan Barnes about twenty five acres of Land including
my dwelling house during her Natural life to be laid off by her chosen by her or my
heir John Barnes for that purpose without any Court expenses;
3rd I Give and bequeath to my heir Jacob Barnes and his heirs forever.