Guyton Ancestry

Wills and administrations

ROBERT McCURDY GUYTON (21 November 1802 - April 1841) Will 4 April 1841 and proven 3 May 1841 Probate Court, Anderson District, South Carolina

Abstract:

Wife and children to remain upon place I now occupy and family to be kept together, both black and white, and that my man Isaac be allowed a reasonable share of direction and management of my farm for raising of my children so long as he shall conduct as well as he has done heretofore. Wife to have entire control of estate for life or widowhood. At death divided among my children when youngest of age or married, provided all other children are of age at the time. Titles be made by executors to land recently sold to Henry Keasler and Nimrod Smith. Monies arising from estates of my father-in-law Benjamin Duckworth and from estate of my father be put to interest for benefit of my children. Children should be well raised and educated. Wife Hester. Executors: John W. Guyton and William Webb. Dated 4 Apr. 1841.

Wit.: Wm. Steele (Signed) Robert Guyton G.W. Masters Wm. Anderson

Proven 3 May 1841

Sources:

Probate Court of Anderson County, South Carolina, Will Book B, SC Archive Roll 253 Pendleton District and Anderson County, SC, Wills, Estates, Inventories, Tax Returns and Census Records, compiled by Virginia Alexander, Colleen Morse Elliott and Betty Willie (Southern Historical Press, 1980), p 92

NOTES & OPEN ACCOUNTS: Estate of Robert Guyton, dec'd of Anderson District, S.C., E.D. Duckworth, Samuel Martin, Thomas Duckworth, D.M. Stott, Abdiel Stott, J.R. Hunnicutt, William Elrod, Samuel Martin, William Masters, David Jones, William Vermillion, Col. John W. Guyton, Esq. Signed: Wyatt Smith, James C. Duckworth, Herbert Hammond.

Source:

Pendleton District and Anderson County, SC, Wills, Estates, Inventories, Tax Returns and Census Records, compiled by Virginia Alexander, Colleen Morse Elliott and Betty Willie (Southern Historical Press, 1980), p 228

BILL OF SALE: Estate of Robert Guyton Dec'd. 12 Nov. 1845. Hester Guyton, John Guyton, L.J. Hammond, J.D. Amack, Charles Irby, Hosea Simpson, S. ?V. Simpson, Jesse Crow ?, D.H. Cochrane, Samuel Millwee, Wyatt Smith, (boy Isaac), Hester Guyton (woman and children, Caroline, Eliza, John, Ben, Warner, Harry), W.W. Rogers, Benj. Duckworth, Clerk.

Source:

Pendleton District and Anderson County, SC, Wills, Estates, Inventories, Tax Returns and Census Records, compiled by Virginia Alexander, Colleen Morse Elliott and Betty Willie (Southern Historical Press, 1980), p 254

Will of Robert McCurdy [Guyton] found in Vol. 2, Section B, Page 106, Anderson County, S.C. mentions Hester, his father-in-law, Benjamin Duckworth, and children who are minors but not named. They are named Aaron, Martha Jane, Hannah Elizabeth, Mary Robert in Roll 2537 when Guyton Guyton, their father's brother was named as their guardian.

Source:

Application for Membership of the National Association of Daughters of the American Revolution, National Number 601070, in the name of Roberta Ward Alexander, accepted 17 October 1975

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