

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

Case Number 226

Dallas Genealogical Society
Founded 1955

www.dallasgenealogy.org



FILMED BY THE DALLAS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY - 1977

226

FILMED BY THE DALLAS GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY - 1977

Inventories and appraisement of the estate of
John Jackson late of Dallas County, Decessa

The individual property of Decedent is as
follows, to wit.

- | | |
|--------|--|
| First | Three hundred and twenty acres
of land lying in Dallas County
in said State Patented from the
State of Texas No 324, Vol 11.
Value at \$ 640 |
| Second | Eighty six acres of land lying
in said County Patented from
the State of Texas No 555, Vol 10
Value at \$ 142 |
| Third | Three hundred and twenty acres
of land lying in said County
Patented by the State of Texas
No 52, Vol 12. Value at \$ 640 |
| Fourth | One hundred and sixty acres
of land lying in said County
Patented from the State of Texas
No 1174, Vol 9. Value at \$ 320 |
| Fifth | Three hundred and twenty acres
of land lying in said County
Acres from A Cocker
Value at \$ 640 |

Sixth Two hundred and forty nine
 acres of land lying in said
 County and a part of M
 Goodwin Valued at \$ 498

Seventh Five hundred and
 one to Three hundred and
 twenty acres of land lying
 in said County Valued at \$ 640

Eighth One hundred and
 thirty Valued at \$ 530

Ninth One hundred and
 thirty horses Valued at \$ 2000

Total amount in currency \$ 6100

The State of Texas We the undersigned
 County of Dallas duly appointed and
 lawfully authorized appraisers
 do hereby certify that as far as we
 have been able to ascertain by the
 above and foregoing is a full and
 correct inventory and appraisal
 of the estate both real and personal
 of John Eschelus deceased to the
 best of our judgment and man-
 standing this 27th day of April
 A. D. 1868.



J. Nupsbaumer Appraisers
 H. Boll

Sworn to and subscribed before
 me this 28th day of April A. D. 1868

L. S. Jones
 Notary Public

The State of Texas }
 Dallas County } }
 To A. Bless - Chief }
 Justice of said }
 County presiding }

The undersigned would respectfully
 represent to your Honor that no
 claims are owing to the intestate
 John W. Wells because he
 comes into his hands. This 20th
 day of May, A.D. 1868

Ben. Long,
 administrator

The State of Texas
Dallas County

Before the undersigned authority personally appeared Ben Long, administrator of the estate of John Gortals deceased and under oath in due form that the above were (pending) inventory and list is a full and complete inventory and list of the property and claims of his intestate that has come to his knowledge

Ben Long, administrator
Sworn to and subscribed before me
this 35th day of May 1868.
G. F. Jones A. C.

The State of Texas,

DALLAS COUNTY.

County Court Pertaining to Estates.

March TERM, 1868

To all to Whom these Presents May Come--Greeting:

KNOW YE, That J. Ben Long as Principal, and V. J. Gouff and G. Portman as sureties, are held and firmly bound unto

the County Judge of the county of Dallas, in the sum of Six Dollars, for the payment of which,

Thiowana well and truly to be made unto the said County Judge, we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors and administrators, jointly and severally, firmly by these presents. Signed with our hands, and sealed with our seals, the seals being scrolls, the 30th day of March A. D. 1868.

The Condition of the above obligation is such, That whereas the above bound Ben Long has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of John Wootch deceased. Now, if the said Ben Long shall well and truly perform all the duties required of him under said appointment, then this obligation shall be null and void, otherwise to remain in full force and effect.



Ben Long
V. J. Gouff
G. Portman

SEAL

SEAL

SEAL

SEAL

SEAL

THE STATE OF TEXAS,

DALLAS COUNTY.

s s.

I, Ben Long of said County do solemnly swear, that John Wootch deceased, died without leaving any lawful Will, so far as I know or believe, and that I will well and truly perform all the duties of Administrator of the Estate of said John Wootch deceased.

Sworn to and subscribed before me, this 30th day of March A. D. 1868

S. B. Jones

Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, Texas.

Herald Print, Dallas, Tex.

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

You are hereby notified, to be and appear before the County Court of Dallas County, in the State of Texas, at the next term thereof, to be held for probate and other like purposes, at Dallas in said county, at the Court House thereof, on the last Monday in *March* instant, (the same being the *30th* day thereof,) then and there to show cause, if any you have, why Letters of *Administration*

upon the Estate of John Guatell

late of said county, deceased, should not be granted to *Benj Long* who has this day filed with me *his* application

in terms of law, praying that the same may then and there be done. This *17th* day of *March* A. D. 18*68*.

J. S. Jones
Clerk of the County Court of Dallas County, Texas.

Herald Print, Dallas, Texas.

*The State of
Dallas Tex*

*No go me to it
cit left
for
see
see
=er*

*Testamentary dispo-
making any Testamentary dispo-
sition of his estate. And that your
petitioner is one of the next of kin
of said decedent whereupon your
petitioner came and files his ap-
plication in terms of the law the
widow of said decedent having
waived her right of administration
which waiver is herewith filed.*

The State of Texas
Dallas County

County Court of said
County sitting for probate
and other like purposes
March Term, 1868.

To the Honorable A. Bledsoe, Chief
Justice of said County, providing
The petition of Ben Long
respectfully shows that heretofore
to wit on the 18th day of January
"A D" eighteen hundred and sixty
eight John Gootsels, a resident
citizen of said County, departed this
life and that said decedent at the
time of his death owned and
possessed within this State, property
both real and personal, ^{of the value of three thousand dollars} and your
petitioner further shows that the
said decedent so far as your petition
er knows or believes died without
making any testamentary dispo-
sition of his estate and that your
petitioner is one of the next of kin
of said decedent whereupon your
petitioner comes and files his ap-
plication in terms of the law the
widow of said decedent having
waived her right of administration
which waiver is herewith filed.

and prays that due notice thereof
may be given. and your petitioner
further prays, that at the next term
of said court to be held in and
for said county, on the last Monday
in March instant letters of adminis-
tration, upon the estate of the said
John Gotsels, deceased, may be
granted to your petitioner
Ben. Long

The State of Texas County Court of said
Dallas County county, sitting for probate
and other like purposes
March Term, 1868.

To the Honorable A. Bledsoe Chief
Justice of said county residing
L. Gotsell respectfully repre-
sents that she is the widow of John
Gotsell deceased of said county.
and that she waives her right of
administration and asks that
letters of administration be granted
to Ben Ling
L. Gotsell

The State of Texas = County Court of
Dallas County = Sola County sitting
for Probate and other
like purposes

June Term 1868
To the Honorable J. Bledsoe Clerk
Justice of Sola County (Mexico)

Ben Long administrator of the
Estate of John Gottsalls late of Sola
County deceased deceased respectfully
shew that at the late residence of
Sola deceased in Sola County on
the twentieth day of June instant by
virtue of an order of Sola Court
passed at the term then held in
May last he the Sola administrator
after due and legal notice given
sole on a writ of six months to
the highest bidder at public
auction certain property belonging
to the estate of Sola deceased a full
and correct account whereof is
respectfully submitted to the con-
sideration of the court as follows.

To wit.

Twenty head of Stock horses +
Fifty head Stock cattle for \$1200.
Bidder failed to comply with terms of sale

The State of Texas } Before me J. Jones
 Dallas County } Clerk of the County
 Court in and for Tarrant
 County came Ben Long, administrator
 of the estate of John Specter, dec-
 ead. who being duly sworn, deposes
 and says that the foregoing report
 is a true and correct account of the
 sale made by him of certain property
 belonging to said estate at the time
 and place aforesaid, by virtue of the
 order aforesaid.

Ben Long
 Sworn to and subscribed before
 me this 29th day of June 1968

Ben Long
 Adm'r of Estate
 of John Specter
 Dallas County

Witness my hand and seal
 this 29th day of June 1968

J. J. Jones
 Clerk of the County

J. J. Jones
 Clerk of the County

The State of Texas
 Dallas County
 County Court of said
 County, sitting for
 Probate and other like
 purposes

June Term 1858

To the Honorable A. Mearns Chief Justice
 of said County presenting
 Ben Long Administrator of the estate
 of John Coitelle. Late of said
 County deceased, Respectfully sheweth
 that the appraisement & inventory of
 said estate made on the twenty seventh
 day of April last, and returned &
 affirmed by this Honorable court at
 the last term thereof (20th May). By
 the appraisers of said estate only
 appointed as such, is incorrect, that
 said appraisement & inventory was
 made upon the representation of the
 deceased, and that upon investiga-
 -tion he finds that fifty head of
 cattle & ten head of horses reported
 and appraised as the property of
 said estate are in fact the property
 in avarance of John Coitelle Jr. Coitelle
 Wrenbosch, Clemens Pangrinerbach
 & Josephine Coitelle, heirs of said John
 Coitelle deceased, wherefore he prays
 that said inventory be so corrected

as to show thirty head of horses &
fifty head of cattle instead of
one hundred head of horses & one
hundred head of cattle belonging to
said estate

The State of Texas }
Dallas County } Before me J. J. Jones
County Clerk of Dallas County

Came Ben Long Administrator of the
estate of John Guinness deceased, who
being duly sworn deposes and says
that the statements herein contained
are true & correct

Ben Long

Sworn to & subscribed before me
this 29th June 1868

J. J. Jones clk

Co. at St. Louis

Deposition
of Ben Long

Ben Long

County Clerk

Filed June 29 1868

J. J. Jones clk

Approved June 29 1868

J. J. Jones clk

Received

The State of Texas }
 Dallas County }
 The petition of Ben Long administrator
 of the estate of John Boetsell late of
 said County aforesaid respectfully shows
 that there is in the possession of your
 petitioner a large amount of perishable
 property belonging to the estate aforesaid,
 to wit: about one hundred head of Stock
 horses and about one hundred head of
 Stock Cattle and your petitioner further
 shows that said property even with the best
 care and attention of your petitioner
 is liable to waste wherefore your petitioner
 prays your honor to grant him an order
 to sell said property at the late residence
 of said decedent in said County, at private
 sale for cash in hand. Your petitioner
 respectfully assigns as a reason for
 asking for a special order to sell at
 private sale for cash, that he is offered
 a better price for the stock, as he believes
 than it will bring if put up to the
 highest bidder as in that case the
 present bid would be withdrawn and
 the property sold at a price considerably
 below said offer. wherefore your petitioner
 makes this prayer and will ever
 pray &c

Ben Long
 administrator

State of Texas } In Probate Court
County of Dallas } December Term 1868

Now comes Ben Long, admin
of the estate of John Gortzels, deceased
and represents to the Court, that at the
November Term ¹⁸⁶⁸ of the District Court of Dallas
County, Josephine Coi Vaugrantbeck, Marie C &
Long and Marie C. J. Vaugrantbeck & her husband
Louis Vaugrantbeck, receiver of this Admini-
strator all the ~~real and personal estate~~
the Inventory heretofore filed herein, and the
said Dist. Court has decreed that all the
right, title, claim and interest of the admini-
strator to said estate be directed out of him and
vested in the said Josephine C. Vaugrantbeck,
Marie C. E. Long, Marie C. J. Vaugrantbeck.
Wherefore this admin says there is no estate of the
said Gortzels to administer upon, and he prays
that upon payment of costs he be discharged
as administrator.

Ben Long, admin.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 28th day of De-
cember A.D. 1868

J. J. Jones clk

Ben Long, Admin
of the Estate of
John Gortzels
Application for
discharge to see
himself and property
of said Gortzels
1868
J. J. Jones
District Court
of Dallas County
Charged for District
clerk, to see and
superintend the
execution of the
said probate
and probate