

## DECREE

MINUTES PROBATE COURT JEFFERSON COUNTY, March Term 1929

Walter Hawthorne, Deceased, ) state of ) Probate Court

Decree Confirming Exceptions to Widow ) March 11th 1929

This cause coming on to be heard from the Report of George O. Mabry and Eugene H. Hawkins who were heretofore on the 11th day of December 1928 appointed Commissioners to make a full and complete inventory and appraisement of the real estate and personal property belonging to said decedent and to set apart the same as exempt to Lillie Hawthorne, the widow of said decedent, which said report was filed in this Court on the 13th day of December, 1928 and set for hearing January 14th, 1929 and regularly continued to this day.

And it appearing to the court that no exceptions or objections have been filed to said report, and that said thirtydays for such exceptions or objections have expired since the filing of said report; and the heirs having had notice by citations personally served upon each of them and that Izora Pool having accepted service of notice of the filing of said report and waived time and entered her appearance in Court on this day; and it appearing to the court from said report, that said real estate hereinafter described was all of the property owned and left by said decedent at the time of his death, and that said property is less in value and area than the amount of exemptions allowed by law to the widow and minor children or either of them and it further appearing to the court that said decedent left no minor child or children and that said commissioners did set apart the real estate to Lillie Hawthorne, the widow of said Walter Hawthorne, deceased, as exempt to her as provided in Article 4, Chapter 292 of the Code of Alabama 1923.

It is therefore ordered, adjudged and decreed that the said report of said Commissioners be and the same is hereby in all things ratified and confirmed and that said real estate as follows: The north half ( $\frac{1}{2}$ ) of the northwest quarter ( $\text{NW} \frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section 32, and the southwest quarter ( $\text{SW} \frac{1}{4}$ ) of the southwest quarter ( $\text{SW} \frac{1}{4}$ ) of Section 29, also three (3) acres in the southwest corner of the northwest quarter ( $\text{NW} \frac{1}{4}$ ) of the southeast quarter ( $\text{SE} \frac{1}{4}$ ) joining the Central of Georgia Railroad on the west side in Section 29, (known as the Keith lot containing 3 acres more or less) all of said property being in township 18, range 2 east, Shelby County, Alabama, this being all the property owned by said decedent at the time of his death be and the same is hereby set apart as exempt to said Lillie Hawthorne the widow of said deceased; It is further ordered that said Lillie Hawthorne pay the cost of this proceeding for which execution may issue.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA )

JEFFERSON COUNTY ) Probate Court

I, J. P. Stiles, Judge of Probate in and for said County in said State hereby certify that the foregoing contains a full true and correct copy of the Decree confirming exemptions in the matter of the estate of Walter Hawthorne deceased, as the same appears of record in this office.

Given under my hand and official seal this the 20th day of May 1930.

THE STATE OF ALABAMA )

SHELBY COUNTY )

I hereby certify that the within decree was filed in this for record May 29th 1930 at 9 o'clock A.M. and recorded in Deed record 91 page 278 and examined.

Seal - Judge of Probate