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Henrietta Brown

Part of ADMINISTRATION
[FIRST OF FOUR]

ACCOUNT OF ESTATE OF SOLOMON BROWN
(citation on back of last page)
(need to get the rest)

J.P.

Certificates and notes of the accounting officers of said Banks, as per note and receipt 10th October 1819	1800.50
Of money due by the deceased to the Farmers Bank of Maryland on note discounted for his use the 11th day of August 1819 and paid by this accountant, as per note & Certificate of the accounting officers of the said Banks as per note and receipt 10th October 1819	1050.50
Of money due by the deceased to the Bank of London on note discounted for his use the 13th day of July 1819 and paid by this accountant to the said Bank as per note from, and acknowledgment the 10th day of November 1819	2100.06
of money paid by this accountant to <u>Mr McDonald Esq Sheriff</u> for <u>William Hayward Tickett</u> in 1820. as per tickett papers by the Court appears	6.67
of money paid by this accountant to <u>William McDonald Esq Sheriff</u> for <u>Thomas S. Bullitts tickett</u> March 1819. as per tickett & receipt 16th July 1821	6.67
of money paid by this accountant to <u>William McDonald Esq Sheriff</u> for tickett agt him for <u>Thomas S. Bullitt</u> at Oct 1819 as per Tickett papers appears	6.66
of money due by the deceased to <u>William McDonald Esq Sheriff</u> for his own Tickett of fees and for sundry officers fees of 1818 and placed in his hands for collection in the year 1819. and paid by this accountant, as per account thereof & receipt 16th July 1821	50.49
of money paid by this accountant, to <u>Jos. Richardson Coler</u> for his tickett against the deceased in 1819. as per Tickett papers and receipt appears	1.80
of money paid by this accountant to <u>Geo. Ashmith</u> for an order of Court for attendance against <u>Dawson</u> as per order & receipt. 28th June 1821	2.00
of money paid by this accountant to <u>William McDonald Esq Sheriff</u> for his tickett in 1820 against the Heirs of the deceased as per Tickett papers by the Court.	1.30
of money due and paid <u>John Young</u> late Register of Mills for his fees on this adm ⁿ including endorsing accounts to the 31st December 1821	20.32 1/2
of 10 per cent Commission allowed this accountant on the sum of \$10390.60. being the balance of the estate in his hands after deducting the sum of \$1203.35 the loss on two accounts of sales	1039.06
of money due <u>Geo. Ashmith</u> Reg ^r of Mills for his fees on stating passing and recording this account & searched & endorsing vouchers &c	22.58
First account of administration (time prayed to add)	\$14078.36
Balance overpaid the deceaseds Estate	\$2481.10
	\$11593.96

James Sangston J^r

Frederick Holbrook } Securities on the Testamentary bonds

Caroline County to wit: Thos. C. Brown Executor of the last will and testament of Solomon

REPUBLICAN STAR,
OR
GENERAL ADVERTISER.

EASTON:

TUESDAY MORNING, APRIL 4, 1815

MARRIED, on Sunday the 26th of March
last, by the Rev'd. Mr. Bishop, Mr. SOLOMON
BROWN, to Mrs. HENRIETTA SMITH, both of
Denton.

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1850

Roll 382

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Wayne, Wilkinson, Winston, Yalobusha,
and Yazoo Counties



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SCHEDULE I.—Free Inhabitants in The City of Vicksburg in the County of Warren
Miss. enumerated by me, on the 10th day of August 1850, by A. Williams

Order of Enumeration	Family numbered in the order of residence	The Name of every Person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1850, was in this family.	DESCRIPTION.			Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each Male Person over 15 years of age.	Value of Real Estate owned.	PLACE OF BIRTH. Naming the State, Territory, or Country.	Marr'd within the Year	10	11	12	Persons over 20 years of age who cannot read & write.	W do id cu
			Age.	Sex.	Color, (White, Black, or Mulatto.)									
2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	
119		L. Davis	32	m.		Sailor		Poland	✓					
120		L. C. Moon Jr.	22	"		Clk		N. C.	✓					
		Joseph Smith	38	"		None		Me.	✓					
121		Mary Mayfield	36	f				Miss.						
		William "	11	m.				"						
		Sarah "	8	f				"						
122		Catharine McLaughlin	37	"				Ireland	✓					
		John Daley	21	m.		Barkeeper		"	✓					
123		M. Cohen	35	"		Sailor		Poland	✓					
		Caroline "	40	f				Germany	✓					
		Charles Layman	7	m.				Miss.						
		Bennie Archild	20	f				Germany	✓					
124		A. C. Samson	40	m.		Gen. Wright		Hy.	✓					

122	124	A. B. Garrison	40 m	Wright	Wey
123	125	Henry A.	29 f		Wey
124	127	James M.	11 m		Wey
125	129	Andrew G.	2 "		Wey
126	131	John	2 1/2 "		Wey
127	133	David McGraw	19 f		Wey
128	135	Walter Sherris	18 m	Carpenter	Wey
129	137	Henry Ringey	27 "	Wright	Wey
130	139	W. H. David	29 "	Carpenter	Wey
131	141	Walter	24 f		Wey
132	143	Charles H.	12 m		Wey
133	145	William R. Smith	32 "	Wright	Wey
134	147	Ann	23 f		Wey
135	149	Annella	8 "		Wey
136	151	Julia W.	6 "		Wey
137	153	Emma W.	4 "		Wey
138	155	Ann G.	3 "		Wey
139	157	Caroline G.	1 m		Wey
140	159	Annica Brown	55 f		Wey
141	161	David W. Hall	30 m	Wright	Wey
142	163	Richard	26 f		Wey
143	165	James	2 m		Wey
144	167	John	1 "		Wey

HENRIETTA BROWN

- Inherited house through will of Solomon Brown in September, 1919.
- Only house left to her out of fifteen homes in Denton owned by Solomon Brown at his death in 1919.
- Solomon directs that the "new hosue" should be finished "in a plain and simple manner" by his executor for his "beloved wife Henrietta".
- Solomon also directed that the stable on the adjoining property be divided with one half to the new house; the lot of adjoining property to be divided with one half to new house; and a division fence to be erected across the front of the property and along the boundary line between the two lots.
- Solomon Brown left Henrietta (a) the furniture she possessed at the time of their marriage, (b) a pair of mahogany end tables, (c) six yellow Windsor chairs, (d) one sette, (e) one bed and furniture, and (f) two imported carpets. He also left her his "Jack horse" and "gis".
- Solomon Brown also left Henrietta "the sum of \$400 per annum during her widowhood". (In other words, these monies would terminate if she remarried.)
- Henrietta married Solomon Brown in Denton on March 26, 1815.
- At the time of the marriage in 1815 she was described as "Mrs. Henrietta Smith", indicating that she was probably a widow.
- She was described as a resident of Denton at the time of her marriage in 1815.
- The 1820 census of the household of Henrietta Brown includes her (age 26-45) plus a white male (age 10-16), a white male (16-26), a white female (under 10), a male slave (under 14), and a female salve (age 14-26).
- The 1820 census states that the household of Henrietta Brown is involved in "commerce". (This may refer to the activities of the white male aged 16-26.)

- John Brown (the eldest son of Solomon) sued Henrietta and the other heirs of Solomon in 1825.
 - Henrietta sued the other heirs of Solomon in 1831.
 - William Turner sued Henrietta and the other heirs of Solomon in 1832.
 - Henrietta is defendant against various heirs of William Jones in a chancery case in Caroline County in 1852.
 - The Annie Taylor House property is still subject to life estate of Henrietta in 1852, 33 years after Solomon's death.
 - Henrietta is listed as "of Mississippi" in the 1852 case and still referred to as "Mrs Solomon Brown", which indicates she was still not remarried 33 years after Solomon's death.
 - The assessment of properties in Denton in 1820 assessed Henrietta Brown for the "dwelling house and lot where she lives...300 pounds." Inasmuch as this is the same as the assessment on the unfinished house in 1819 and she was left only one dwelling by Solomon, it is a clear indication that she had moved into the dwelling following Solomon's death.
- 1850 Henrietta is living in tavern w/ relatives in Vicksburg, Ms. (ase 53-)

STRATHMORE BOND

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HENRIETTA BROWN

Relationship to dwelling

Widow of Solomon Brown, first resident of completed house.

Probably resided in house until about 1849.

Key characteristic/items

Twice widowed. *Married March 26, 1815 to Sol. Brown.*

Only 24 years old when her second husband Solomon died, she must have struggled to maintain household under pressure from husband's creditors. Possibly engaged in "commerce", i.e., running her husband's store. Creditors still seeking to collect on husband's debts in 1836 (i.e., 17 years after his death).

Relationship to historical period

To escape Long Depression on Shore, moved West to Vicksburg, a thriving commercial center. Living in tavern in Vicksburg in 1850, and still there in 1852.

Other

Several children named for her, but she had no children.

Chose paint? Furniture left by husband supplemented her furniture.

Early years unknown.

She was described as "Henrietta Smith, widow" when she married Solomon in 1815.

Items

- ✓ Newspaper notice of her marriage to Brown in 1815.
- ✓ Various estate documents of Solomon Brown mention Henrietta. - *esp. will*
- ✗ Various court cases of Brown's creditors mention Henrietta, including 1852 case that states that she is in Mississippi.

Denton assessment indicates she occupied Ave in 1820

Census of 1820 shows occupants

✓ 1850 Census of Mississippi shows she is living there.