

## The probate records of Joseph Rainwater, 1824-1873, Wood Co., TX

No. 25, Estate of Joseph Rainwater, deceased  
 Final report, filed Sept. 22, 1879  
 M. D. Laukford, Clerk Co. Court, Wood Co.

Now came W. W. Rainwater, administrator of Joseph Rainwater, deceased, and submits this, his final report of the condition of said estate.

Report states that at the date of the filing of his last report he had overpaid to the heirs of said estate and for expenses the sum of \$125.00 as shown by the vouchers filed with report, all of which were filed in the court house of this county, vis the 11th Dec 1878. That since the filing of said report, he has received for the sale of 160 acres of land and rents, \$641.00. That he has paid and since that time to the heirs of estate, and for expenses of administration the following sums of money as shown by vouchers as follows:

Voucher No.:	
1. To E. C. Bell for tombstone .....	\$32.00
2. To W. J. Jones Co. [ ? ].....	2.00
3. To Elisha Crow, Atty.....	30.00
4. To L. B. Wright, Atty.....	25.00
5. To K. A. Fowler & wife.....	125.00
6. To Jno. Q. Cox & wife.....	20.00
7. To Jonathan Russell, per M. L. Russell for Robert Rainwater....	\$95.33
8. To Jno. P. Williams, for taxes .....	\$3.60
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Total paid out.....	\$332.93
Overpaid by me .....	\$125.00
My portion as and of the heirs.....	\$253.80
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	\$711.73
Estate & Heirs due me.....	\$70.73

And now having shown a full and complete administration of said estate your report prays that those citations issued according to law to all persons interested in said estate, and that in a final hearing of this report, to be finally discharged from his trust.

D. W. Crow, Atty.

Two documents follow this one in the file. The first is a document of the county court discharging W. W. Rainwater of his duties. The second is a certification of R. L. Hayes, Publisher, that the notice has been

printed in The Winnsboro Sentinal in accordance with the law. Six vouchers follow and are summarized here:

Summary of vouchers:

Jason Ayer and wife, the daughter of Joseph Rainwater .....	horse, bridle & saddle
Emma L. Ayer, the wife of Jason .....	\$150.00
Mary Ellen Rainwater, now Mary Ellen Fowler .....	\$250.00
Julia P. Rainwater, now Julia P. Cox .....	\$250.00
Robert Rainwater, son of Joseph Rainwater, and Jonathan Russell, Robert's heir .....	\$95.33
C. Rainwater, son of Joseph Rainwater .....	\$253.80

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