in each of three successive weeks before the 25th day of July next. The report states the amount of sales to be $3530.

W. W. Watkins Clerk

Hereafter to wit: on the fourth day of September eighteen hundred and sixty five was filed here the following certificate of publication.

Office of the Howard County Record
September 4th 1865

I hereby certify that the annexed order of ratification of sale in the case of Mary Cook et al vs Anna V. Cook in the Circuit Court for Howard County in Equity was duly published in the "Howard County Record" once in each of three successive weeks before the 25th day of August 1865. The first insertion thereof being on July 29th 1865. Cost of Publication $4.00

G. W. Davis
for Isiah Wolfersberger

The final order of ratification passed on 24th day of September 1865 as follows, to wit,

Mary Cook et al vs Anna V. Cook	In the Circuit Court for Howard County. In Equity

Ordered on the 25th day of September 1865 that the sale within reported be and the same is hereby ratified and confirmed no cause to thereof having been shown although notice appears to have been given as directed by the proceeding order. The Trustees are allowed the usual commissions and all expenses not personal

Jno. E. Smith
Circuit Judge.

Whereupon on the ninth day of October in the year eighteen hundred and sixty five Th. Donaldson Auditor files herein Court the following report and account, to wit.

Mary Cook + others vs Anna V. Cook	Circuit Court for Howard County In Equity

To The Hon. John E. Smith, Judge of the Circuit Court for Howard County. The undersigned respectfully reports that he has examined the papers in this case and from them has stated the within account, among the expenses shown by the vouchers of the Trustees is a receipt to the auctioneer for $25. paid for his services in selling, as this exceeds the usual amount, the attention of the Court is called to it, although the full charge is allowed in the account. In connection with this case,

the auditor has examined the papers in the case in Equity of George S. Whaley and others, vs Mary Cook, Admrx of John Cook & others, but as the proceedings in that case in this county have been dismissed under an order for further proceedings the proceeds of sale in this case have been distributed without regard to the claims of the Complainants in the other case.

Respectfully Submitted
Th. Donaldson
Auditor

Oct. 6th 1865

Real estate of John Cook, deceased in account with O. A. Linthicum and Daniel Clarke Trustees

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April 19. To the Trustees for their Commissions			135	90		Apl 19th	Proceeds of Sale	3530	00	
" " " for their expenses			60	92						
Complainants for their costs as follows:-										
Solicitor	10	Paid to Mr S. by S. Mackubin								
Clerk	33	Pd to Clk www								
Sheriff (Crim)		45	Pd to Clk www							
Stamps	1	50	44	95						
Auditors fee			9	Pd		Th. Donaldson on and				
To Mary Cook her 1/3			1093	07½						
" Anna V. Cook her 1/3			1093	07½						
" Orilla Stewart " 1/3			1093	07½						
			$3530.00					$3530.00		

Endorsed thereon as follows, to wit:
On behalf of Complainants. I consent to an immediate ratification of this report

Th. S. Alexander

On behalf of Defendant I consent to, an immediate ratification of this report

S. Mackubin Sol

Whereupon the following order was passed.

Circuit Court for Howard County
In Equity, Sept. Term 1865

Ordered that the aforegoing account be + the same is hereby finally ratified + confirmed + the Trustees are hereby authorized + directed to distribute the fund accordingly, with a due proportion of the interest which has been or may be received.

Jno. E. Smith
Circuit Judge

Oct. 11th 1865

Hereafter to wit: on the thirteenth day of January in the year eighteen hundred and sixty six Mary Cook by her-