

Mercer Set

March Court 1798

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Daniel
Howser Deceased was returned into Court and ordered to be
recorded.

Teste
Thos. Allen Ck.

Hartley
to
Barney

1788
1789
May of June
1790
Sept. 1st.

1789

1789 Jan. Dr. The Estate of Thomas Hartley Deceased to William
Barney Cash. —————
To a bond paid bapt. Rowlings at the request of Hartley 15.00
in part of a bond in presence of John Barney. —————
To a house sold to Hartley in presence of John Barney. — 20.00
To funeral Expenses & 4 To Expenses in proving his Will. 5.00
To paid Bar. Dues for Hartley's bond. — 12.50 00
To Ballance Due ————— 1165.00 00
1789
By amount of Sales of Hartley's Estate ————— 58.50 00
By a bond on Robert. W. Green for 500 acres of land sold for 125.00 00
By Ballance Due ————— 5.00 00
1789
1790
1791

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John Barney came to the Delivery of the two
houses at the prices here charged, and William Barney swore to
the truth of the account as it stands, and so far as it is
filled by us.

James Fred
Thos. Kennedy

Mercer Set

March Court 1791

This settlement of the Estate of Thomas Hartley Deceased
was proved in Court by William Barney Deceased and is
ordered to be recorded.

Teste
Thos. Allen Ck.

Will of
James

In the name of God amen I John Kennedy of Mercer
County and State of Virginia being in perfect health and sound
mind do make this my last Will and Testament as follows
I do give my Son James twenty five acres of Land on the
West of my Father's land and North of John Summers
Land I give and my Son Alexander Kennedy twenty five
acres of Land joining the above land on the South and off from

the North East corner of my Survey and to extend North and South for
quantity so as not to take any of the improvement where I now live
also to Samuel I give one Hundred acres joining on the West of
my survey and to include a spring on that side and to my
Son William I give a Milled Bog called Lige and to my
John I give twenty five acres of Land on the East side of
Barney and to my Son Joseph I give the place where I now
live beginning at the East end and including the improve-
ment and to my Daughter Mary I give a Negro Girl
called Anny and to my wife Mary I give a Negro Woman
and the movable Estate and also the house and improvements for
the raising and schooling of the Children till Joseph is of age
and the half of the improvement during her life and my
wife I make sole executor of this my last Will and Testament
in Writing which I have hereunto set my hand and seal the 6th
day of September in the year of our Lord 1790

William McKee
William Gordon
Henry B. Biffing

John Kennedy

Mercer County Set

April Court 1791

This last Will and Testament of John Kennedy Deceased
was exhibited into Court and proved by the Oaths of William McKee
and William Gordon two subscribing Witnesses thereto and ordered
to be recorded.

Teste
Thos. Allen Ck.

Will of
James

In the name of God Amen the Thirtieth day of March
one thousand seven Hundred & Ninety one, I Abraham James of
the County of Mercer & District of Kentucky being sick and weak
in Body, but of sound mind and memory thanks to God for it
and calling to mind the frailty of my body, I knowing that
I am appointed unto men once to die, do make and ordain
this my last Will and Testament (Cecy. Principally)

Principally I first of all I give and recommend my soul into the hands of God who gave it and my body I commit to the earth to be buried in a Christianlike and Decent manner at the Discretion of my Executors, Nothing Doubting but at the General resurrection I shall receive the same again by the Mighty power of God: And as touching such worldly estate whereunto it hath pleased God to bestow me with in this life I give and Dispose of the same in manner and form following

Item. I Give and bequeath to my well beloved wife Mary, one third part of my Stock of Horses, Cattle, sheep and Hogs, Together with one third part of my Household & Kitchen Furniture, together with all my plantation tools also the benefits arising from the plantation whereon I now live, to be fully enjoyed & possessed by her for Ever; Except the land which I give to my Son George when he comes of age, allowing her, her things During her natural life.

Item. It is my desire that the remaining part of my stock of Horses, Cattle, Sheep and Hogs, also the remainder of my Household and Kitchen Furniture should be sold at publick Auction & the money arising thereupon, to be put to interest & Equally Divided among all my Children whenever they come of age.

It is also my Desire that Two Hundred acres of Land which I possess in the Barrens should be sold when my Child comes of age, & the money arising from such sale to be Equally Divided among all my Children. It is also my Desire that the plantation whereon Francis Monfort now lies together with two hundred acres adjoining it shall be rented out, and the profits arising from such rent to be put to interest, & Equally Divided among all my Children as they come of age, & when my two Daughters, Sarah & Leah shall either marry or come of age this Land shall be equally Divided between them, to be fully enjoyed & possessed by them & their Heirs forever.

Item. I Give and Bequeath to my son George Three Hundred Acres of Land, it being the tract of Land Johnson now lives

To be fully enjoyed & possessed by him and his Heirs forever, allowing my wife her third During her natural life.

Item. I nominate and appoint William Brow & Robert Mosley Executors & my wife Mary Executrix of this my last will & Testament, utterly revoking, Disannulling & Making Void all other Wills, Legacies & Bequests by me before now made or mentioned ratifying & confirming this and no other to be my last Will & Testament, in testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal the day and year above written.

Signed, Sealed & pronounced

in presence of

William Rice

Philip Fulkerson

Francis Monfort

Item. It is my Desire that my wife Mary, should have one Leather Bed & Furniture & One Horse and saddle now in my possession mentioned in my Legacy Believed by us.

William Rice

Philip Fulkerson

Francis Monfort

Abraham James (Seal)

At a Court held for Mercer County at the Courthouse on Tuesday the 24th day of May 1791.

This Last will and testament of Abraham James Deceased was exhibited into Court and proved by Philip Fulkerson and Francis Monfort two subscribing witnesses thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Teste Tho. Allen C. C.

2.

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of

Feb. 11th. Mon. 66.

Inventory.

2 Memmory

8 Head of humped cattle £6. 8 ^d £48	£36
20 Head of sheep £6. 7 Head of calves £2. 10 ^d	9. 10
15 Head of sheep £6. 6 ^d 5 Head of hogs £50	56. 10
1 Negro woman & 2 children	10 @ 30 = 300
8 Hides and binding & 20 Stands	17. 0
2 full fute of butter £8. Three Cheats £2. 10 ^d	20. 15
Saddles and saddle bags £1. 10 ^d a horse & ready	2. 15. 6
Wagon & 4 new gears £15. timber & a quantity of lumber	30. 0
a set of tea Ware with some plates & glass	1. 10. 0
set of knives & forks with some other articles	16. 0
Proper loaves £2. 5 ^d 1 fute of 6 bears £4	4. 5
a quantity of Books £2. 10 ^d 1/2 of farming tools	7. 9. 0
2 Spinning wheels & real 12/36 head of guns	9. 12. 0
a quantity of Pot £2. 10 ^d a quantity of hemp £4. 10. 8	0
Bushes and 4 bags £1. 10 ^d a quantity of linen £2. 10. 8	0
A woman's saddle	5. 00

John Thomson
Sam^l Graham
David Mcaston
Elisha Thomas

(719)

November Court 1891 — —

6.

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of John Mumrtry Deceased was returned into Court and ordered to be recorded. —

Letter No. 14

Twenty
famy

[illegible]

1 Case Knives & Forks 14/ 20 Hogs 4/3 £3.10.0
 4 yds Lincenry & Buttons 4/ 1 yd. Black 4/ 2. 5. 0
 2 Bibles & Spelling Book 4/ 0. 5. 0

102. David Lighty, Jeremiah Tifford & Williams Rice
Agreeable to an order of Court being first sworn have
Approved the Estate of Abraham James Deceased as
above Witnessed our hands this 17th. day of June 1798

William Rice
Jeremiah Telford

David Mosby

Mercer County Soc.

November 6th 1791

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of
Abraham James Deceased Was returned into Court
and Ordered to be recorded. —————

Test Tho. Allen B. C.

Convent.
Hatters

As being first sworn to appraise the following property being
being the personal Estate of William Slater deceased.—

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Ligens

John Hall

Charles H. Huxgate

John Kunkel

Mercer County, Va.

Quem per laus typi.

Twenty
Batter

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of ^{William Hesters} ~~William~~ ~~Hesters~~ ~~of~~ ~~the~~ ~~County~~ ~~of~~ ~~Richmond~~ ~~Virginia~~ ~~was~~ ~~returned~~ ~~into~~ ~~Court~~ ~~and~~ ~~ordered~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~recorded~~

Thos. Allison 6, 6

Agreeable to an Order of the Hon^{ble} his High^{ness} Court of Mich^{igan} County
We have appraised the property of William Patton Deceased as follows

To 1 pair of breeches \$1.10 to 1 pair of jackets up to 1 pair of \$2.40	0
To 1 pair of Breeches \$1 to 1 pair of knee breeches 1 pair	0 18 0
To 1 thick blanket \$1 to 1 pair of yarn stockings \$1	0 12 0
To 1 old coat & 1 old shirt \$1 to 1 pair of shoes \$1	0 6 0
	\$ 4. 11 0

John Barber

Stephen Tinker

Ulas Fisher

Merced County, Cal.

December Court 1791

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of William
Matthew Duncan was returned into Court and ordered to be
recorded. —

Text Thos. Allen & Co.

Received of Abraham Bonnier Executor of Isaac Lewis Bonnier
Deceased notes to the amount of £55.¹¹/₁₀ bearing Int.
from the first of August last to be appropriated to the
use of Ann Bonnier as witness my hand this 22nd Nov 1797

Fate

Malcom Worley

John Haggis Guardian

Mercer County Sur.

February Court 1792

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The above account was Exhibited into Court by John
Haggin guardian of Ann Ogden which being sworn to
by the said John is ordered to be recorded

For Tho. Allin

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1 bar knife & forks 1st 20 Hogs 1st £3.10.0
 1/2 do Boundary & Buttons 1st 1/2 do 1st 2.5.0
 2 Bibles & Spelling Book 1st 0.5.0

We David Morby, Jeremiah Telford & William Rice
 Agreeable to an order of Court being first sworn have
 Appraised the Estate of Abraham James Deceased as
 above Witness our hands this 17th day of June 1791

William Rice 1791
 Jeremiah Telford 27
 David Morby 7

Mercer County Set

November Court 1791

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of
 Abraham James Deceased was returned into Court
 And ordered to be recorded.

Test Thos. Allen C. C.

Inventory
 Hatters

Now being first sworn do appraise the following property being
 being the Personal Estate of William Slater Deceased—
 1 good horse £5. 1 bay horse £8. 1 mare both £3. £16.0.0
 1 pair of hags £3. Watch £4 1/2 of velvet horse & saddle £9.0.0
 1/2 another horse 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of horse & saddle £6. 0.18.6
 1 Black silk handkerchief £6 3 yds of white lining £3. 1.3.9
 1 Black coat £1 1/2 1/2 of brown coat 1/2 of waist £2. 2.3.6
 1/2 of 16 notes stockings & yarn 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of 0.18.0
 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of 0.16.0
 15 bushels of corn 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of 1/2 of 1.19.0

Signes
 John Hake
 Charles Hingate
 John Hake

Mercer County Set

December Court 1791

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 E.

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of William Slater
 Deceased was returned into Court and ordered to be recorded

Test Thos. Allen C. C.

Inventory
 Batters

Agreeable to an order of the Hon. Suprem. Court of Merari County
 we have appraised the property of William Slater Deceased as follows
 To 1 pair of breeches £1.10. to 1 pair of shoes £2.11.0
 To 1 pair of breeches £1 to 1 pair of shoes £1.18.0
 To 1 pair of shoes £1 to 1 pair of shoes £1.12.0
 To 1 old coat & old shirt £1 to 1 pair of shoes £1.6.0
 £4.11.0

John Barber
 Stephen Telford
 Elias Fisher

Mercer County Set

December Court 1791

This Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of William
 Slater Deceased was returned into Court and ordered to be
 recorded.

Test Thos. Allen C. C.

Received of Abraham Slater Executor of William Slater Deceased
 Deceased notes to the amount of £53.10. bearing date
 from the first of August last to be appropriated to the
 use of Ann Boyne as witness my hand this 22nd Nov 1791

Test
 William Boyne John Haggins Guardian

Mercer County Set

February Court 1791

The above account was exhibited into Court by John
 Haggins Guardian of Ann Boyne which being sworn to
 by the said John is ordered to be recorded

Test Thos. Allen C. C.

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To one pair of stockings for Nancy 4/	0	4	0
To two handkerchiefs for do 4/	0	3	0
To one short Gown for ditto 4/	0	4	0
To one hunting two shirts two pair of trousers for Billy 2/	1	0	0
To one hat for ditto 7/8 Jan 24/	0	11	0
To one petticoat for ditto 5/	0	5	0
	2	20	0

August
24th 1792

To Rent for 24. acrs of Land from the
24th of August 1792 to the 24th Aug
1793 at 8/ per acre per year the
one fifth of the rents & profits
of the Estate Given to the Children 5 15 3
20 0 0

Mercer County Set James, Wafa

Given to before me
this 27th day of August 1793

Thos Barber

Mercer Set August 1794

this Settlement of Estate of David
Hoods Decedent was Exhibited into Court &
Entered to be Recorded

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Thos. Allen L.C.

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Jeremiah Telford one of the Guardians
of the Orphans of Abraham James Decedent

1792

To Daniel Watsons Note for Cash due
December 1792 for Corn purchased from
the Decedent of Abraham James Decedent
it being given for part of the Corn due
from Danms. Nonfort for the rent of
a certain piece of Land belonging to said
Abraham Decedent

To 50/ due from Daniel Watson and others
in agreement between said Watson & the Executors
of the Estate of Abraham Decedent for part
of the rent for the Land aforesaid

To 1 Acre of Land rented to said Daniel
Watson of 1/ per acre of said Land
at 1/ per acre to be paid the first day
of March 1794

D & Jeremiah Telford

24th August 1795

Jeremiah Telford & Co

1792

By name of an attorney his feelings 1 0 0
Abraham James Will

By the sum on 100 acres of Land given
by me to the Commissioners of said 0 8 0

1790

by a surveyors fee for laying off the same
down a new able to the title 0 12 0
D & Jeremiah Telford 24th August 1793

1790

Sworn to before me this 27th day of
August 1798
Thos Barber

Mercer County Set
August Court 1798

E. V.

This Settlement of the Estate of Abraham
James Deceased was returned into Court &
Ordered to be recorded

Teste
Thos Allen C.

Dr the Estate of the late Thomas Rather
Deceased Acc't with Thos Freeman

1794 Jan	To 3/4 yds Land for Stephen Runkel	0 13 0
	Back to 1/2 Acre by Making	
	To pair shoes for do for to pair do for netty	0 15 0
	To 1/4 yds Land a Red Ground for netty	0 3 0
	To do do do do	0 3 0
	To do do do for Betsy	0 3 0
July	To 3/4 do do do for do	0 7 6
	To do do do do for netty	0 7 0
	To 1/2 Acre Land for Peggy	1 19 0
	Land for do do	0 12 6
	To do for netty 7/8 to do for Betsy 7/8	0 15 0
	To pair shoes for netty	0 5 0
April	3 handkerchiefs one for each of the girls	0 4 0
May	To 3/4 yds Land for Stephen & Betsy	0 11 9

1795

To 3/4 yds do for netty & Betsy	0 9 9
To 3/4 do do for Betsy do	0 9 9
To 3 do do do for do do do	0 9 0
To 3/4 yds Land for netty	0 2 3
To pair shoes for do	0 10 0
To Board for netty Betsy & Stephen	15 0 0
	119 6 3/4

1794 Aug	By amount of the Estate	124 17 3/4
	by Antington do	4 15 0
	By Rent of the plantation	10 0 0
	By Gift	9 14 0
		119 0 3/4
	By Balance due the Estate	94 17 3/4

Ordy Excepted Thos Freeman Guard

Mercer County Set
August Court 1798

E. V.

This Settlement of the Estate of Thomas Rather Deceased
was exhibited into Court & ordered to be recorded

Teste
Thos Allen C.

Dr	The Estate of the late Stephen McKinny	
	in account with Rane McKinny admitted	
1794 Jan	To Cash paid Charles McKinny prompt	60 11 9
	To Balance	10 3 9
		70 15 6
	To paid John Holladay's Judgment	3 0 0
	To paid William Gile for repairs of gate and on his Death Bed	3 0 0

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