

Two share and my daughter one share that is  
my son shall have twice as much as one daughter  
The above division shall take place as soon as any  
one of my children comes of age or marries.

I appoint my wife Mary Prather to be Execu-  
trix of this my last Will and Testament. In  
Witness Whereof I have hereunto set my hand  
and seal this Sixteenth day of May One thousand  
Seven hundred and eighty Six 1786

Acknowledges before me Thomas Prather Seal  
Judge

Matthias Worley

Thomas Speer

John Speer

Codicil to this will made 25th June 1786

I do hereby appoint James Hobson and Henry  
Prather to be Executors of this my last Will and  
Testament with my wife who is appointed Executrix  
Witness my hand and seal

Acknowledges in  
presence of Thomas Prather Seal

Judges

James Hunsos

John Childs Judge

Alla Court held for Mercer County at the Court House on  
1st day of August 1786

This last Will and Testament of Thomas Prather  
Decedent was produced into Court and proved by the oath of  
James Speer & John Speer two of the Justices

1786, with the said indorsement proved by the oath  
of James Speer which together with the said Will is  
Ordered to be recorded Teste: Allen L.C.

Witness  
Me

In the Name of God, Amen I David Woods  
of the County of Mercer and State of Virginia being  
now in perfect sense and memory, do make this my last  
Will and Testament, and as for what Estate I have placed  
God to bestow on me, I give and bequeath as followeth  
First I desire that the Debts that I justly owe should  
be paid, and likewise my burial charges  
Then I give all my household and kitchen grama-  
saw with all my working tools to my beloved wife  
Mary Woods to her and her heirs forever, Item my  
Will is that a Dec of benevolence be made to some  
Famings, Wife of Jonathan Famings, for fifty acres of  
Land being part of the tract I now live on and include  
the Springs I call the three Springs where Jonathan  
Famings late Improvement is. Item my Will is  
that my Mother Ann Woods, be gently maintained  
out of my Estate during her Life. Item I Give all  
the rest of my Estate Consisting of Land, Negro  
Stock &c. to be Equally divided between my beloved  
Wife Mary Woods, and all my Children John Woods  
Nancy Woods, Billy Woods and Billy Woods to  
them and their heirs forever, except my present crop  
of corn and wheat, I desire, and my Will is that  
that be kept together for the support of my fami-  
ly I appoint Capt. Samuel Warren & Capt.  
John Gibson my whole and sole Executors to this  
my last Will and Testament. In Witness  
Whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 17th  
day of September 1786

4. And Eighteen L<sup>ts</sup> &c  
 Wife (David Woods Seal)  
 Bunard & Co  
 John Smith  
 Saml Woods

At a Court here for Meigs County at the Court  
 house on the 5<sup>th</sup> Day of December 1786

22. This last Will and Testament of David Woods  
 Deceased was produced in Court and proved by the  
 Oaths of John Smith and Samuel Woods two of the  
 subscribing Witnesses Thule and ordered to be recorded  
 Teste Thos. Allen Cl.  
 Meigs County August 26. 1786

Belongs  
 to the  
 County

An Inventory of the Estate of H<sup>y</sup> Bowling De<sup>ce</sup>

|                                                            |           |
|------------------------------------------------------------|-----------|
| To 1 Negro girl Sarah                                      | £30.0.0   |
| To 1 Man                                                   | 10.0.0    |
| To 4 cows and calves                                       | 12.0.0    |
| To 3 Sows & 12 Pigg & 3 Fat small Bulls 15/                | 3.15.0    |
| To 3 Hens & 10 To 1 small Iron pot & 2                     | 11.2.0    |
| To 1 Bake Oven & 2 To 1 Pot at £1.0.0                      | 2.12.0    |
| To 1 Right Gun & 6 To 1 Barrel of Old Powder 16/           | 6.16.0    |
| To 3 Tin Pans & 6 To 1 Pot & 1 Pot & 1 Pot                 | 0.5.6     |
| To 1 Bathing Tub & 6 To 1 Drum & 1 Glass & 6               | 0.3.0     |
| To 1 Iron Broom Stand & 6 To 1 P. Shoe Pincher 0.2.0       | 2.0.0     |
| To 1 Barrel of Carrom & 1 Glass & 1 Barrel of Old Iron 18/ | 1.0.0     |
| To 1 Old Saddle 10/ To 1 Plow Iron & 1 S. & 8              | 1.15.0    |
| To 1 Log Chain 12/ To 1 Kettle & 3                         | 3.15.0    |
| To 1 head of Hogg & 10 To 1 Bull Yearling & 6              | 6.10.0    |
|                                                            | £108.15.6 |

Thos. Threlkeld  
 Robert Alkifer  
 John Threlkeld

At a Court here for Meigs County at the Court house  
 on Tuesday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1787

2. 8. This Inventory & appraisement of the Estate of  
 Henry Bowling Deceased was returned into Court and  
 ordered to be recorded  
 Teste Thos. Allen Cl.

Inventory  
 of Hathers  
 estate

Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Thomas  
 Prather Deceased. 14<sup>th</sup> August 1786

|                                                                |         |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| 1 Small mare 10 2 years old with cropped ears                  | £7.0.0  |
| 1 best bed Lg 4 wove D L 6 3 Sheets 18/                        | 15.18.0 |
| 2 Bedsteads 20/ 2 blankets 25/ 2 bolsters 4/ 1 pillow 3. 5.0   |         |
| 1 covered 18/ 3 half gallon & 1 quart barrels 20/              | 1.15.0  |
| 4 tin pails & 1 quart 8/ 2 Pewter dishes & 10 plates 2. 2.0    |         |
| 1 Pewter tea pot 3/ 8 knives & 8 forks 8/                      | 0.11.0  |
| 1 looking glass 6/ 1/2 doz cups & 1. 1/2 4/                    | 0.10.0  |
| 6 tea spoons (silver) 24/ 5 butter pots 6/                     | 1.10.0  |
| 4 earthen mugs 4/ 1 earthen chocolate pot 2/                   | 0.6.0   |
| 1 candle & tea 4/ 2 bags candlesticks 3/ 1 P. 1/2 0. 9.0       |         |
| 2 keels 4/ 1 pair 2/ 1 churn 3/ 1 washing tub 2/ 0. 11.0       |         |
| 7 1/2 lb Wool 15/ 60 lb flax 12/ 15 lb Tow 4/                  | 8.1.0   |
| 3 lb cotton 9/ 8 1/2 lb spun yarn 88/ 1/2 lb string 2. 7.0     |         |
| 4 sack bags 24/ 1 Mann Saddle 20/ 1/2 lb sheet 4/              | 2.13.0  |
| 1 Shawl 4/ 2 flax wheels 80/ 1 basket gun powder 10. 12.0      |         |
| 1 pair tongs & shovel 8/ 1 ladle 2/ 1 1/2 lb 4/                | 0.11.0  |
| 2 axe 25/ 1 hatchet 6/ 1 plow 30/ 1 shovel plow 3. 13.0        |         |
| 2 horn 8/ 2 swinglo trees with fixings eleven 20/ 1. 9.0       |         |
| 1 Wagon with hind gear £25. 2/ 1 harness & trace 80/ 26.10.0   |         |
| 1 lock chain 10/ 1 earthen plates & 2 camp stools 1. 2.0       |         |
| 1 pot & hook 50/ 1 D. 25/ 1 oven 20/ 1 pot rack 10/            | 1.15.0  |
| 1 frying pan 7/ 6 earthen bowls 86 lb & 100 lb 0. 50.6         |         |
| 10 shorn 3/ 1 bonnet & 10 shavers 10/ 2 bands & 10 8/ 1. 11.0  |         |
| 1 shaver when tools 1/ 1 box of cutters 18/ 5 H hinges 3/      | 1.4.0   |
| 1 pewter bottle 4/ 1 nap hook 4/ 1 hand saw 10/                | 0.12.0  |
| 1 foot add 3/ 1 auger 2 chisels & 1 cooking iron 8/            | 0.13.0  |
| 1 carving knife 8/ 1 fish hook & 1 line 3/ 1 horn shod 0. 11.0 |         |
| 1 ground stone 9/ 1 cow 3 calves & 1 yearling butter 9/ 7.0    |         |

38 This copy of the ~~testimony~~ purporting to be the last will and Testament of John Gill Deceased together with a certificate of the proof thereof & also a certificate from the clerk of Highland County that the same is a true copy of the record thereof exhibited into Court by John Pitman and Thomas Pitman Executors therein named And on their motion the same is ordered to be recorded

Atty Genl Geo. Allen Esq.

Invent  
D Taylor

June the 28th 1790 We the appraisers appointed by order of Court to appraise the property of David Taylor Deceased William Fictor, John Sellers Joseph Robison and John Cochran.

1 brown bleath coat 16/ 1/2 small 1/2 linen breeches \$1.3-0

3 shirts & 1 hunting D. G. 1/2 leather breeches & 1 shirt 1/2 --- 0.11-0

1 pair stockings 1/2 shoes 1/2 1 strip linen handkerchief 1/2 --- 0.05-0

1 wool hat 1/2 woolen gloves & other sundries 1/2 1 plate gun --- 0.12-8

1 riding whip & 1 deer skin 1/2 1 blanket 1/2 1 pair of 1/2 --- 0.15-0

20 barrels of corn at 7/6 1/2 barrel 1/2 --- 7.10-0

The fourth part of the App at nine pence per

the fourth part of shilb at six pence per Dozen

1 Gray Mare & bridle at --- \$3.15-0

1 Pair of sole leather --- 0.15-0

John Slack  
Joseph Robison  
John Cochran  
John Sellers  
William Fictor

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At a Court held for minor County at Harrodsburg on the 27th day of July - 1790

This Inventory and appraisement of the estate of David Taylor Deceased was returned into Court and ordered to be recorded

Teste Geo. Allen Esq.

Settlement  
D Woods

1788

Oct 30th

The Estate of David Woods Deceased --- D.

To Samuel Myers and John Gibson Executors

To Bond on Samuel Myers & James Lewis for the sale

of a Black Horse Bond for \$28 Condition for

the payment of \$14. on the 5th March 88

Which was appraised to \$16. --- \$14.0-0

Cash P. by Samuel Myers to the Clerk recording

Will Inventory and Tax --- 2.8-3

Cash P. Peter Butters pursuant to a Proven act

Exhibited by him --- 0.0-0

Cash P. Jacob Myers agreeable to a proven act

Exhibited by him --- 5.2-6

1 Black Mare apprais to \$20. now dead --- 20.0-0

1 Cow D. to \$18. One cow app. to \$3.15 --- 23.15-0

From Meat, Wheat &c. consumed by the Widow & her

family pursuant to the directions of the Will --- 8

1 Bull app. to \$2.5 given in exchange for 14 Hogs --- 2.5-0

Right of which were killed for the use of the Widow &

1 Steer killed for the app. to 50. --- 2.50-0

1 D. app. to 50. given by the Widow for butting at

Stew Churnery --- 2.10-0

1 Steer app. to 25. killed for the use of W. --- 1.5-0

1 Bag apprais to 12/6 now dead --- 0.12-6

1 and lost 2 Bells lost 1 side of Leather made

use of by the Widow --- 8

1 Fallow made use of by Widow W. --- 0.10-0

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Amount of Debts brot forward

At Earthen plates app. to 48

At 2000 sardes sold 43. When ships were out

Note on for salt, p. the 10000 &amp; used by her to build

Contra

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Apr 28

By 2 built 2000 from Lord Marc

At 2 Years old. At 10000 now in possession of

the Lord Marc 1 Yearling 43 calves

increase of the cattle &amp; sheep increase

Pursuant to an Order of the County Court of  
Mercer County we have taken the above account of the  
Estate of David Woods deceased, and appears to be just  
and true

Apr 28th 1789

Samuel McDowell  
John Overton Junr

If a Court held for Mercer County at Harrodsburg on the

Both day of April 1789

This Settlement of the Estate of David Woods

Deceased was returned and ordered to be recorded

Teste Thos Allen Esq.

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March

The Estate of Cornelius Bogum

To Peter Banta & John Brewer Guard. To  
to 2 Bogum Orphans

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July 10th

To 2 days attendance on appraisement of estate

To 2 days p. Lawyer for record

To 2 four and calves p. George's estate of 4000 each

Contra

By rec for amt 2 cows &amp; calves of 4000 each

August Court 1790

Teste Thos Allen Esq.

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Peter Banta and John Brewer Guardians to the Orphans  
of Cornelius Bogum Deceased Exhibited into Court their  
account as Guardians which being sworn to Examined and  
approved of is ordered to be recorded.

1790

Aug 20th

Teste Thos Allen Esq.

The appraisement of the Estate of John Gile Deceased  
To 1 Brown bow staff 3.00 To 1 red bow staff 3.00  
To 1 blue 6. To 1 black mare 4.00  
To 1undry articles of Smiths of Smiths tools  
To 1 p. of old Smiths bills

Thos Caldwell  
Geo Caldwell  
Abraham Brown

Mercer County Sec

August Court 1790

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

Teste Thos Allen Esq.

1790

B Graham

In the name of God amen  
I Benjamin Graham of the County of Mercer in the  
Commonwealth of Virginia being sickly & weak of Body being  
a sound and perfect mind & memory and calling to mind that  
there is a Time for all men to die Do therefore make and  
ordain this my last Will & Testament in the manner & form  
following Now I commit my Soul to the Hands of almighty  
God that gave it my Body to the dust to be buried in a  
Christian

Christian & decent like manner, at the Direction of my Executors hereafter named and as for the worldly Estate that hath pleased God to bless me with, I give, devise and bequeath in the following manner, To wit: I ordain that all my just debt & funeral Charges be justly and faithfully paid. —

Item I give & bequeath to my loving wife Faithful the one third of my real and personal Estate and if she thinks proper to have the same at the appraisement Bill that may be made of my Goods & Chattels & all the remainder and Reversion of my Estate whether real personal or mixt and spirituall a purchase of land I make from David Hazle lying between the Lane Run meeting House and Harrodsburgh, all of the same to be sold and the monies arising therefrom to be equally divided amongst my four Daughters, Alice, Elizabeth, Mary, & Jane; I also devise and ordain that my Daughters Alice to live with my Brother Samuel, and that my Daughter Mary live with my Brother James's Widow until they arrive to full age and that my Daughters Elizabeth and Jane to remain with my Wife as long as she remains single or can deal fitly by them. — I do hereby constitute my loving Brothers Samuel Graham and my trusty friend Elisha Thomas my whole and sole Executors of this my last will & Testament hereby revoking and disannulling all former Wills and Testaments by me heretofore made and done pronouncing and Declaring this only to be my last Will and Testament In Witness whereof I have set my hand & seal this second day of August Anno Domini — 1790  
Signed sealed pronounced Benjamin Graham

Mercer Co. KY Will Bk 1, 1786-1795 www.kentuckypioneers.com

And declared to be his last Will and Testament in the Presence of us  
Joshua Dodson  
William Mackrow

Mercer County Set  
September Court 1790

This last Will and Testament of Benjamin Graham Deceased was produced in Court and proved by the oath William Mackrow a subscribing witness thereto and ordered to be recorded.

Teste  
Thos. Allen

1790  
Sept 25th  
1789  
Dec 15th  
July 28th  
Sept 10th  
1790  
June 10th  
Settlement of Estate of David Woods  
The Estate of David Woods Deceased to James Allen, Guardian for the Orphans D.  
To schooling, Sundry 15/ for David proven account of £11.0  
To two County Leases for Negro, Grow and Louisa... 0.17.0  
To Schooling, Sundry and Biting... 1.5.60  
To Surveying, 500 Acres of Land to a Copy of an Entry  
To hunting, a warrant £1.10 to regularize for the same £2.6.6  
To the Childrens Cloaths to Sundry & Cotton frocks... 0.13.6  
To 1 shirt frock £1.6.6 to 1 buck frock & 3 lining frocks... 2.11.0  
To 1 stuff petticoat 10/ to 1 lining petticoat of Chanderkerchief 1.0  
3 pr. of stockings 8/ 2 pr. of shoes 10/ 2 shifts... 1.10.0  
1 Coat 4/ one pair Shifts of One pr. Gown 1/6... 0.12.6  
to 1 hat 4/ for 1 year to cloaths for Nancy for 5. ten more 1.15.7  
Clothes for Betty for 1 year, to three shirts 12/6... 0.12.6  
2 pr. of drawers 4/ to 1 Coat least coal & 1 Breachtop... 0.19.0  
to 1 pr. of shoes and stockings 4/ to 1 hat 6/... 0.12.0  
to 1 Cloth for five months more 10/... 0.18.7  
Clothes for Betty for 1 year to two frocks... 0.18.0  
to 1 frock 7/ 1 petticoat 12/ to 1 pr. of shoes 4/... 1.3.0  
1 pr. of stockings 2/6 1 shift 12/... 0.14.6  
to 1 Cloth for five months more £1.3... 1.3.0  
Clothes for neare Bill for 1 year to 1 shirt... 0.15.0

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To Coat & overhalls of Deard. leather 1 pair jacket & shoes 70<sup>cts</sup> 1.20  
 to Cloths for five months more 15<sup>cts</sup> 0.15  
 to Cloths for 1 year for our year to 2 shirts and socks 0.19  
 to Cloths for 5 months before the 15th Sept 1889 35.8.4  
 to boarding, the five children for 1 year & five months  
 to a journey to north Elkhorn to look land due from  
 to a journey to Marys Lake in Washington County to  
 lay off 300 acres of land due from the Estate to Sam.  
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July Court 1792

The above Inventory and appraisement was returned into Court and ordered to be Recorded

Teste Thos. Allison

July 1792

Do the State of David Woods Ducaire to Samuel Wager Executor  
to paid Samuel Kirkham for prom and

£ 0. 10. 0

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July Court 1792

The above account was exhibited into Court and being examined and allowed was ordered to be Recorded

Teste Thos. Allison

William of the Case of J. Hartley

1791

A further account of what the Estate of Thomas Hartley is to William Binnup

To paid James Binnup his bond of as Hartley £ 12. 10. 0  
to Court on Ditt 12<sup>th</sup> To 10. 8 10/6

£ 12. 0

To paid Thos. Crawford his bond  
as Hartley £ 20. 0. 0

£ 20. 0. 0

£ 40. 0. 0

William Binnup

A further account of what the Estate of Thomas Hartley is to William Binnup, Exr of Thos. Hartley and examined the Vouchers and find there is due to the said Binnup on the said account forty pounds 1/4 as above stated

Wm Kennedy

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The above account was exhibited into Court and being examined and allowed was ordered to be Recorded

Teste Thos. Allison

Inventory of  
Hollan

An Inventory of all the goods and chattels belonging to the Estate of Alexander Hollan Decd & exposed to sale by W. A. Adams Kles Administrator on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup> of Sept. 1791.

|                               | £  | S  | D    |
|-------------------------------|----|----|------|
| 2 Mare Fide and bridle        | 13 | 0  | 0    |
| 5 Hogs and 3 pigs             | 2  | 0  | 0    |
| 10 Head of cattle             | 16 | 10 | 0    |
| 1 bull                        | 0  | 15 | 0    |
| 1 Cow                         | 1  | 18 | 0    |
| 1 Set of Plow Irons           | 1  | 10 | 0    |
| 6 Mare Saddles and bridle     | 10 | 10 | 0    |
| William Higgins Note of hand  | 4  | 0  | 0    |
| Butter                        | 0  | 10 | 0    |
| 1 Trunk buckles horns & Razor | 0  | 18 | 0    |
| cloth and tuming for a coat   | 2  | 2  | 0    |
| 1 Set Large and Small miter   | 0  | 6  | 0    |
| Cogsw wear                    | 0  | 6  | 0    |
| 1 Spinning wheel              | 0  | 12 | 0    |
| 1 bed and Furniture           | 0  | 12 | 0    |
| 2 sets and Shaps              | 0  | 3  | 0    |
| 1 hoe and Iron Wags           | 0  | 7  | 0    |
| 1 set of work harness         | 0  | 1  | 0    |
|                               | £  | 55 | 12 9 |

W. A. the Subscribers do certify the Estate of the Decd. Alexander Hollan as above mentioned given under our hands this 18<sup>th</sup>

|                                                |    |    |   |
|------------------------------------------------|----|----|---|
| Pewter & Lye                                   | 4  | 4  | 0 |
| Knives & forks. &c.                            | 0  | 3  | 0 |
| 1 Pot & hooks @ 22/6                           | 1  | 2  | 0 |
| 1 Auch Oven & Do @ 13/6                        | 0  | 13 | 6 |
| 1 Small Pot @ 8/1 Graduate @ 10/-              | 0  | 18 | 0 |
| 1 Framing & small frame @ 15/-                 | 0  | 15 | 0 |
| 1 Washing tub 2 buckets 1 paste, 1 box, 1 pail | 3  | 11 | 0 |
| 2 Old parts @                                  | 0  | 3  | 0 |
| 2 Old barrels @ 5/-                            | 0  | 3  | 0 |
| 1 spare of sheep shears & 2 lanate sticks      | 0  | 4  | 9 |
| 1 funnel @ 4/9                                 | 0  | 13 | 3 |
| 1 Liner Lp boards with the furniture @         | 0  | 8  | 0 |
| 1 Currier at 4/1 Smoothing, iron @ 4/6         | 0  | 8  | 0 |
| 1 large Lash @ 2/0 6/9 @ 5/-                   | 0  | 8  | 0 |
| 1 Loom & 6/9 @ 3/6                             | 1  | 10 | 0 |
| 1 Side saddle & small boys do @ 2/3            | 3  | 0  | 0 |
| 1 Blanket @ 12/-                               | 0  | 12 | 0 |
| 6 Gun @ 24/-                                   | 1  | 4  | 0 |
| 1 Old Lash @ 2/4 1/2 Close Lash @ 1/3          | 0  | 3  | 3 |
| 1 Small trunk & razor @ 2/6                    | 0  | 2  | 0 |
|                                                | 22 | 5  | 9 |

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| 186.      | For the Estate of the late Thomas                        | 1793        |
| 1792      | Prather Deceased. in Account with                        |             |
| September | Thomas Freeman                                           |             |
| Freeman   | To Shuckhersch for Peggy                                 | 0 5 8       |
| Gundelf   | To 2 yds for Nelly & Betty                               | 0 5 0       |
| Novem     | To Pair Buckskin Breaches for Stephen                    | 0 10 0      |
| Decem     | To 2 1/2 yds lining a Coat & Jacket for                  | 0 11 4 1/2  |
|           | To 5 yds. do 2 Petticoats for Nelly                      | 0 17 8      |
|           | To 1 yd do a Bed Gown do                                 | 0 3 6       |
|           | To 4 1/2 yds. do 2 Petticoats for Betty                  | 0 15 9      |
|           | To 1 yd do 2 Gowns do                                    | 0 3 6       |
|           | To Pair shoes for Stephen 7/6 do for Mary                | 0 14 0      |
|           | To 2 Pair do for Betty 12/ To pair stockings to          |             |
|           | Stephen 6/-                                              | 0 17 4      |
|           | To footings a pair stockings for Stephen 1/6             | 0 1 5       |
|           | To do 2 pair do for Nelly 2/6 2 pair do for Mary         | 0 4 0       |
|           | To 2 Yards Linnen & Cottons for Nelly 6/-                | 0 6 0       |
|           | To three yds do for Stephen 2 shirts & mags              | 0 10 5      |
|           | To 1/2 yds do 2 aprons for Betty 4/6                     | 0 4 6       |
|           | To 2 1/2 yds do 2 pair Gowns for Stephen 7/3             | 0 7 3       |
|           | To 3 1/2 yds do 2 shifts for Nelly                       | 0 10 6      |
|           | To 3/4 yds do 2 shifts for Betty                         | 0 9 9       |
|           | To 3 yds do 2 shirts for Stephen & mags                  | 0 10 5      |
|           | To 1/2 do 2 handkerchiefs & Bonnet for Nelly             | 0 3 0       |
|           | To 1/2 do do do for Betty                                | 0 3 0       |
|           | To 1 Year Boarding & for Nelly Stephen                   | 15 0 0      |
|           | & Betty                                                  |             |
|           | To Ballance due the Estate                               | 94 17 3 1/2 |
|           | Wrote the last time carried over the Shilling is 6 pence |             |
|           | Remains 1/2 pence in the Shilling                        | 1793        |

|           |                                           |              |
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| 187       | 1793                                      | 1793         |
| August    | by Cash                                   | 94 17 3 1/2  |
|           | by Interest on do                         | 4 15 0       |
|           | by 1 years Rent                           | 10 0 0       |
|           | by Gift                                   | 10 0 0 1/2   |
| 1793      | By Ballance due the Estate                | 119 13 1     |
| Aug 12    | & Entry Expd                              | 94 17 3 1/2  |
|           | Thomas Freeman Guardian                   |              |
|           | Mercer County Set Shown to before me this |              |
|           | 27th day of August 1793                   | Tho Barber   |
|           | Mercer County Set August Court 1793       |              |
|           | This Settlement of the Estate of Thomas   |              |
|           | Prather Deceased was Exhibited into Court |              |
|           | Ordered to be Recorded For                | Thomas Allen |
| August    | The Estate of David Moody Deceased        |              |
| 26th 1792 | to James McAfee Guardian to the Orphans   |              |
| August    | from August Court 1792 to August 1793     |              |
| 21st 1793 | To Schooling of Betty 2/-                 | 1 5 8        |
|           | To Schooling Nancy 7/6 to a testament     |              |
|           | With the Martins 3/6                      | 11           |
|           | to Boarding Nancy Betty & Betty 15/-      |              |
|           | to two pairs of Shoes for Nancy 12/-      | 0 12 0       |
|           | to one pair of Shoes for Betty 5/-        | 0 5 0        |
|           | to one pair of Shoes for Betty 5/-        | 0 5 0        |

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|                                                                |                |
|----------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| To one pair of stockings for Nancy 4/                          | 0 4 0          |
| To two handkerchiefs for do 2/                                 | 0 3 0          |
| To one short Gown for ditto 4/                                 | 0 4 0          |
| To one hunting two shirts two pair of<br>trousers for Billy 2/ | 1 0 0          |
| To one hat for ditto 7/8 Jan 24/                               | 0 11 0         |
| To one petticoat for Mary 5/                                   | 0 5 0          |
|                                                                | <u>220 0 0</u> |

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  
220 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 Record

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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 Executors 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 Orphans of Abraham Decedent for part  
of the rent for the Land aforesaid

To 1 Acre of Land rented to said Daniel  
Watson of 5/ per acre of 1792  
at 5/ there to be paid due the first day  
of March 1794

D &amp; Jeremiah Telford

24th August 1795

Jeremiah Telford &amp; 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 the 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

1792

To paid William McKimby for Newbury at  
his funeral & death Bead

1 11 0

To paid a justice for attending to swear  
the appraisers

0 4 0

To Balance due

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1794

Jan 24

by amount of sale at Vandover as per item

90 15 6

1794

June 24

By Balance

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By Balance due

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E. &amp; J.

L. &amp; J.

Thomas Freeman

The Estate of Stephen McKimby Deceased &  
to Name McKimby administrator

To 1 day to administrator

0 4 0

To 1 day at the appraisement

0 4 0

To 2 days at the sale

0 8 0

To other trouble 4/0

0 4 0

To 2 gallons of Brandy found at the appraisement

0 12 0

of sale

1 12 0

1794 August sworn to in Court

T. &amp; J.

The Allen &amp; C.

1793

Morris County, N. J.

August Court 1793

E. &amp; J.

This Settlement of the Estate of Stephen  
McKimby Deceased was Exhibited into  
Court & Ordered to be recorded

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The Allen &amp; C.

August  
27th 1793  
to  
August 17th  
1794

The Estate of David Moody Deceased to James  
Moody Guardian to the orphans from August  
Court 1793 to August Court 1794

To Schooling Nancy William & Betsy Moody  
Six Months

2 5 4

To Boarding Nancy William & Betsy 1 year

15 15 0

To 2 linen Shirts 1/2 yards each 4/

1 0 0

To 5 yards Linen 2/6 for 2 shirts

0 12 0

To 2 Handkerchiefs 2/

0 4 0

To 2 1/2 yards Linen for one petticoat 2/6

0 6 0

To 1 Bonnet 1/6 1 hat 2/6

1 9 0

To 2 yards muslin 10/6 for 1 frock

1 1 0

To one pair Stocking 4/ 1 pair shoes 4/

0 9 0

To 6 yards of Linen for shirts & towels 10/6

0 15 0

To 1 handkerchief 4/

0 4 0

To 1 Linen jacket 4/

0 3 0

To 1 pair Stocking 4/ 1 pair shoes 4/

0 9 0

To 2 yards of Linen for 2 shirts 4/

0 18 0

To 2 shifts of Linen petticoat 4/

0 14 0

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To 1 Bonnets 10 1/2 hemstitch 1/6

To 1 pair Shays 1/6

To making 3000 Nails & putting them up  
afence at 1/2 p Dunard 1/6To paying James Thompson Surveyor for  
copy of Entries and patents of Land in  
dispute between David Williams & the  
Heirs of David Woods Deceased 10/-To Riding three days for the above <sup>remittances</sup> copy  
& putting them into a Lawyers hands 15/-To Riding today to procure a Committee  
plat of the above disputed Land 10/-Employing a Lawyer to defend the said  
Disputed Land & paying his fee 10/-

The above aug. . . for

By the rent of 20 acres of Land from the  
27th August 1793 to the 26th August 1794  
at 1/2 p acre. . . £20

One fifth for the mowers part . . . 1 13 4

To the hire of Negro Boy . . . £3

James McFadden

1794 August Court

Sworn to in Court

Test Tho Allen C.

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Mercer set

August Court 1794

This Settlement of the Estate of David Woods Deceased  
Was Exhibited into Court and Ordered to  
be Recorded

Test

Tho Allen C.

An Inventory of the Goods being the personal  
Estate of Stephen Lyons deceased  
Appraised by James McAfee Abraham  
Sharp & Martin Adams who having  
been duly sworn before proceeding to the  
said Charge be it

One black Cow with white face . . . 3 12 0

One red Cow &amp; one piea Cow . . . 0 0 0

One red Steer £12 One Black piea Steer 7 4 0

One red Muley Steer £14 1 piea young Steer 4 14 0

To three yearling heifers £11 10 one black yearling  
steer £1

One black Steer £3 One black Cow £3 . . . 6 0 0

Six barrow hogs £3 One sow &amp; three pigs £11 10 4

Eight shoat pigs £3 two sows with three pigs 3 4 0

One staple Ann hogs £25 . . . 25 0 0

One Sorel mare &amp; Colt . . . 15 0 0

two shoat pigs 10/ three sheep £1 1/2 . . . 1 14 0

three Spring Calves £11 10 One mutton 9/ . . . 1 19 0

One old Leg Ham 10/2 Wreathing hams 9/1 2 0