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Debts and Legacies Still due from the Estate £

To Benjamin Phillips a Legacy

10

Credits Still Remaining on Testators Books

By Abraham Penn Book Account

£ 10 16 7½

By George Penn Ditto Do

3

By John Phillips Ditto Do

56

By John Rowsa Bond

10 12 10½

By James Page Ditto

7 16

By Archelaus Cox Book Account

1 17

By John Pitches Do Do

2 46

January 1. 1783. The above Contains a True State of all the Just Debts and Credits of the Estate of Moses Penn Deceased as far as has come to my knowledge as yet, Gabl Penn Executor

At a Court held for Amherst County the Sixth Day of January 1783
Ex. Gabriel Penn Gent. presented this Account in Court, and ordered
to be Recorded, Test. Comd. Wilcox At

In the Name of God Amen I John Emmons of the County and Parish of Amherst, being Sick and low in Body but of perfect mind & memory thanks be to Almighty God calling unto mind the Mortality of my Body and that it is Appointed for all Men once to Die do make and ordain this my last Will and Testament that is to say
Principally and first of all I give and Recommend my Soul into the hands of Almighty God that gave it and my Body I Recommend to the Earth to be Buried in a Decent Christian Burial at the Discretion of my Executors Nothing but at the General Resurrection I shall Receive the same by the Mighty Power of God, As touching such Worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to Bless me in this Life, I give Devise and Dispose of the same in the following manner and form First, that my Executors Should Settle and pay of all my Just Debts, And after that is Done, I Send to my Wife Mary Emmons all my Estat both personall and Reall as Long as She Lives my Widow, but in Case She Should Marry, one third part of the same, she is to have and no more and the Remainder It is my Desire to be Taking Care of till my Brother Samuel Emmons Son John Emmons Should

Come to legs which I give to him and his heirs forever, but if my Wife Mary Comonds should dy my Widow, then my Estate, I give to the above mentioned John Comonds to him and his heirs forever, It is my Desire that my Wife Mary Comonds and my friends George Hilton, John Christian, James Pamplin be my Executors to this my Last Will and Testament, Given under my hand and Seal this 24th Day of September 1782

Signed Seal & Delivered
In the Presents of.

James Pamplin

Geo. Hilton

Arthur A Robertson
~ Mark

John I Comonds (L.S.),
~ Mark

At a Court held for Amherst County the third Day of March 1783
This Last Will and Testament of John Comonds, Deceased was
Presented in Court by George Hilton one of the Executors therein,
Named and Proved by the Oaths of James Pamplin and Arthur
Robertson Witnesses thereto, and the said Executors with Samuel
Comonds his Security Entered into and Acknowledged their Bond
in the Penalty of five hundred Pounds, and the said Executors took
the Oath Required by Law, and the said Will is ordered to be Recorded

Test. Edmd. Willcox Clk

Know all men by these Presents that We George Hilton & Samuel
Comonds are held and firmly Bound to William Cabell, James Vird
Ambrose Rucker and David Crawford Gent. Justices of the Court of
Amherst County now sitting in the Sum of Five hundred Pounds,
To the Payment whereof well and truly to be made to the S. Justices
and their Successors, we Bind ourselves, and Each of us our and Each
of our heirs Executors and Administrators Jointly and Severally
firmly by these Presents Sealed with our Seals this third Day
of March in the year of our Lord One thousand Seven hundred
and Eighty three, and in the Seventh year of our Commonwealth
The Condition of this Obligation is Such that if the above bound
George Hilton Executor of the Last Will and Testament of John
Comonds Deceased, do make or cause to be made a true and perfect
Inventory of all and Singular the Goods Chattels and Credits of the

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the above
 Said Samuel Lackey Executor of the Last Will and Testament
 of John Lackey Deceased do make or cause to be made a true and
 perfect Inventory of all and singular the Goods Chatties and Credits
 of the said Deceased, which have or shall come to the hands
 possession or knowledge of the said Samuel Lackey or into the
 hands and possession of any other person or persons for him, and the
 same do Exhibit into the County Court of Amherst at such
 time as he shall be therunto Required by the said Court, and the
 same Goods Chatties and Credits, and all other the Goods Chatties
 and Credits of the said Deceased at the time of his Death which at
 any time after shall come to the hands possession or knowledge of
 the said Samuel Lackey or into the hands and possession of any other
 person or persons for him do well and truly administer according to Law
 and farther do make a just and true Account of his Dealings and
 Doing therein when thereto Required by the said Court, and also
 shall well and truly pay and Deliver all the Legacies contained and
 Specified in the said Testament, as far as the said Goods Chatties
 and Credits will therunto Extend and the Law shall Charge, Then
 this Obligation to be Void, and of none Effect, or Else to Remain
 in full force and Virtue

Samuel Lackey L.S.
 Alex^r. Reid. L.S.

At a Court held for Amherst County the fifth Day of May 1703
 This Bond was Acknowledged, and ordered to be Recorded,

Test. Edm^d. Wilcox Ck^l

An Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of John Edmon & De^d
 Agreeable to an Order of Amherst Court, Taken by the Subscribers
 this 2^d Day of May 1703.

To 1 Negro Fellow Will	£ 35	-	-
To 1 Negro Boy James	60	-	-
To 1 Negro Boy Bob	45	-	-
To 1 Black Horse	12	-	-
To 1 Bay Dittie and Bell	10	-	-
To 7 Head of Sheep	2	16	-
To 13 Head of Cattle	17	-	-

To 24 Head of Hogs	7	4	
To 1 Large Pott 25/ 1 small Ditto 6/	1	11	
To 1 Loom 25/ To a parcell of Quaters 40/	3	5	
To a parcell of Wooden Ware		10	
To 1 frying Pan 5/ 10 Chairs 20/ 1 pr Saddle Bags 6/	1	11	
To 1 Mans Saddle 10/ 1 Bridle 2/		12	
To 2 Flay Whels 24/ 3 pr of Cords 9	1	13	
To a parcell of plantation Tools	1	11	6
To 2 Square Tables 10/ 2 Trunks 25/ 1 Chest 5/	2		
To one Bed and furniture	10		
To one Ditto	12		

James Pamplin
Samuel Allen
Daniel Penno

£ 223 13 6

A Court held for Amherst County the fifth Day of May 1709
This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of John Amherst Deceased
was this Day Returned and ordered to be Recorded

Test. Conrad Wilcox Clk

An Inventory of the Appraisement of the Estate of Job Cartow Deceased			
To 7 Grose Hogs	8	15	
To 7 small Ditto	2	2	6
To 10 Barrells of Corn	5		
To 1 Horse &c	11		
To 1 Saddle &c		10	
To 1 Ditto 10/ To 1 Bell and App 7/6		17	6
To 1 Puter plates &c	1	15	
To 1 Puter Bason and Knives	1	10	
To 1 Box Iron &c 10/ To 1 Bible 12/6	1	2	6
To 1 Bowl 3/ To 1 Pan &c 12/ To 1 Tub &c 8/	1	0	3
To 1 small Chest 7/ To 1 Cloathing &c £2	2	7	
To 1 Lock &c 2/6 To 1 Bed &c £7	7	2	6
To 1 Ditto &c £10 To 1 Ditto &c £12	22		
To 1 Ditto &c 39/ To 1 Pott Iron and Salt 8/	2	7	
To 1 Spining Whel &c		8	

Appraised us Isaac Wright
Joseph Edwards
Jm. Mitstead

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In the name of God Amen I John Edmonds of Amherst
County being ^{in mind & sound memory} of the weak of body knowing the uncertainty
of life make this my last will & Testament Recommending my soul to almighty
God the Father of Spirits and body to be Buried According to the Right of
the Church in hopes of a blessed Resurrection through the merits of Jesus Christ.
My desire is that all my Just debts of what kind so ever be paid. Item I give
and Bequeath unto my Beloved wife Mary Edmonds my whole Estate
during her Natural life at the decease of my wife Mary Edmonds I
give & Bequeath unto my son James Edmonds all my Lands & my negro
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Black walnut Table one Chest & half my Pictors to him and his heirs
for ever. Item after the Decease of my wife Mary Edmonds my desire
that the balance of my Estate be sold at Auction & Equally divided
Between my children Samuel Edmonds Elizabeth Belue Sarah
Woodruff to them & their heirs forever I appoint Moses Campbell &
Ambrose Campbell my Exors. in witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand this thirtieth Day of December in the year of our Lord one
thousand Seven hundred & Eighty Two

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Spent Raines
Richard Battenworth

John ^{his} Edmonds
mark

Alexander Edmonds

At a Court held for Amherst County the Seventh Day of June 1790
This Last will & Testament of John Edmonds was Presented in Court by the
Executors therein Named who Refused to Take ^{them the} on Execution the
On the Motion of James Edmonds Administration with the said Will
Annexed is granted him who with Ambrose Campbell his Surety
Entered into & acknowledged their Bond in the Penalty of three
Pounds to shew the Oath Required by law and the said will was
ordered to be Recorded

Test Edm'd. Wilson Clerk

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Pounds took the Oath Required by law and the said will was
ordered to be Recorded

Test Edmd. Wilson Clk.

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