

James Smith
noncupative will

This is to certify that Dorkis Harwell being very sick in body, but of sound mind and memory did openly say, in presence of Charles Otthins & Archibald Parkinson, that it was her will and desire that as James Smith of Brunswich had her son Mark Harwell bound to him by the said Dorkis Harwell sometime ago that it was her will & Desire that the hole of her Estate should by put in the care of the said James Smith to dispose of agreeable to Law & the Money arising from such Sales & all the Money that may be owing to the said Dorkis Harwell should be put out to Interest agreeable to Law for the benefit of the said Mark Harwell and his Heirs ever he the said Mark Harwell her only Son should live to the years Twenty one & that he the said James Smith should be appointed Guardian for the said Mark Harwell by the Court.

The said Dorkis Harwell departed this life on Saturday 23rd January One Thousand Seven Hundred & Ninety six

Brunswich County Court January 25th 1796

This Noncupative Will of Dorkis Harwell was proved by the Oaths of Charles Otthins and Archibald Parkinson & ordered to be recorded &c
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C. D. Justice

Inventory of the estate of James Smith

Account of the appraisement of the Estate of James Smith on 31st Aug 1796

1 Black Mare	2. 5. 0
1 Bay Colt	9. 0. 0
6 Head of Cattle	9. 0. 0
24 Head of Hogs	0. 0. 0
2 Fat Hogs	1. 5. 0
1 Feather Bed and furniture	4. 10. 0
3 Chests	0. 18. 0
1 Saddle and Harness	1. 4. 0
1 Spinning Wheel & 1 sp. bar	0. 10. 0
2 pine Tables	0. 5. 0
1 Washing Tub 3 Water pails 1 Churn	0. 12. 0
1 Barrel 3 Guns & 1 shd.	0. 3. 0
1 Pot and Hooks	0. 10. 0
1 pair of plates 1 Mason 1 Tin pan 1 tin & 1 fork	0. 12. 0

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Apparel of Simba	L 4. 1. 6
1 pair of Iron 1 pair Small Steepers	0. 5. 0
1 collar & Hames	0. 2. 0
1 Many Saddle and Bridle	1. 5. 0
2 Axes & 1 pair Wedges	0. 15. 0
7 Old hoes	1. 15. 0
2 Spelling books	" 3. 0
Apparel of Sea Cotton	" 16. 9
Apparel of Tatted boots	4. 10. 0
3 Coarses of Hogs Lard	" 7. 0
Apparel of Corn	2. 0. 0
2 Old hoes & 1 Hammer	0. 3. 0
Apparel of Tanned	" 5. 0

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Nathan Fletcher Adm'r

As the Subscribers being first sworn agreeable to Law have Appraised the Estate of James Smith dec'd to what we think it worth in ready Cash

John P. James
William James
Jesse Braswell

Brunswick County Court Jan'y 25 1796

This Inventory & Appraisement of the Estate of James Smith dec'd was returned into Court by Nathan Fletcher his Adm'r & ordered to be recorded

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CP Jones 6/12/96

Inventory of the
Estate of Michael
Upchurch

An Appraisement of the Estate of Michael Upchurch dec'd October 24 1795

3 Hags	L 6. 0. 0
3 Shoats	" 16. 0.
1 Cow & 1 Steer	3. 15. 0
1 Horse & Bridle	10. 0. 0
Parcel of Corn	" 2. 6
1 pair of Furniture	6. 0. 0
1 Saddle	1. 10. 0
Parcel of Leather	" 15. 0