

Est The Estate

1797. To Balance due for within account	£ 39. 10. 7.
To black and sheriffs Tickets paid since by me as debt in suits	0. 14. 5
To paid Amey Griffith Judgment for rent	1. 0. 0
To paid James Simple fees in defending suits	3. 5. 0
	44. 16. 0
By	7. 0
By sales of the estate willed to dec ^d widow	£ 37. 16

Charles City County to wit,

In obedience to an order of the Court of said County, we the subscribers have examined stated and settled John Ballard's Executorship account on the estate of William Austin dec^d and find the above balance of £ 37. 16 due the Executor and make report thereof in the a foregoing statement given under our hands this thirteenth September 1800.

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Samuel Pryor

Miles Carey

At a monthly Court held for Charles City County at the Courthouse on Thursday the sixteenth day of April 1801.

The aforementioned settlement of the estate of William Austin deceased was this day returned and ordered to be Recorded.

Wyatt Walker & Co.

In the name of God Amen I Francis Durfey being weak in body, though in perfect Francis Durfey mind and memory, calling to mind that all men are once to die, do make and ordain says will this my last will and testament, utterly revoking all others this twenty first day of February in the year one thousand eight hundred. — First I recommend my soul to God, and my body to be decently buried by my executors, as to my worldly goods with which it has pleased God to possess me, I give and bequeath as follows to wit. Item I give and bequeath to my daughter Eliza Cath Durfey the plantation wherein I now live, and the land lying on the same side of the road with the house, to her and her heirs forever, and all the residue of my estate I leave to be sold for the payment my debts and if any remains after the debts are paid to be equally divided amongst all my children. I make and appoint Robert Chandler and Edward Walker, executors to this my last will and testament.

Signed and sealed }
in presence of }
Charles Parrish
Jas. Durfey
Stephen Buck

Francis Durfey *seal*

At a monthly Court held for Charles City County at the Courthouse on Thursday the 19th day of June 1780, The after written last Will & Testament of Francis Duffey deceased was put into Court by Robert Chandler and Edmund Walker the executors therein named, and being proved by the oath of Charles Parish one of the witnesses - thereto is continued for further proof; and on the motion of the said Executors, who made oath as the law directs, certificate is granted them for obtaining a probat thereof in due form, and thereupon they together with William Monrooke, and John Timberlake their securities entered into and acknowledged their bond in the penalty of two thousand dollars conditioned as the law directs, and at a quarterly Court held for said County at the Courthouse on Thursday the 21st day of May 1781, the said Will was further proved by the oath of Stephen Buck another witness thereto and ordered to be recorded.

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Wyatt Walker C.C.

James Barlow's
Will.

In the name of God Amen, I James Barlow of Charles City County being of sound mind do make and constitute this to be my last Will and testament, in manner and form following to wit, to that alwise Creator, who gave me being I recommend myself to his mercy and protection, and as to my temporal possessions dispose of them as follows. Item, to my much esteemed wife I leave the whole of my negroes except - One by name Esther, untill my eldest Son comes of age, or marries & when that shall happen, in that case the negroes of my estate shall be equally divided between my wife Aggy & my two Sons, to wit William Tomkins Barlow & James Barlow, it is in that case my meaning, that if my eldest Son comes of age, or marries, or in case he should die before either of the two things happens, then in that case, when ever my youngest son comes of age, or marries, that my wife, shall have the negroes divided, as the law directs in case a man dies intestate, giving to my wife one third, for and during the term of her natural Life, at the termination of which, then to go to my two sons, or their issue & the other two thirds divided between my said sons William Tomkins Barlow and James Barlow. - Item it is my will and desire that my wife shall keep together the whole of my household and Kitchen furniture and all my stock of every kind, hogs, horses, cattle &c. and not sell untill my said Son, or Sons comes of age, or marries & then for my wife to divide the same, keeping one third part to herself, during her life & the other two thirds equally divided between my two sons, or in case of either of their