

In the name of God Amen April the ninth 1719 I William
Goding of Southfarham parish in Dorset County plant: Being in perfect mind & memory thanks be giving
to God & calling to mind the mortality of my body make & ordain this to be my Last Will and
Testament: to say first of all I give & recommend my Soul into the hands of God that gave it &
for my body I commend it to Earth to be buried in a Christian like & decent manner at the
direction of my Executors not doubting but the special resurrection I shall receive the same again
by the mighty power of God as for Vouching from worldly state whereas it hath pleased God to bless
me with in this life I give & devise & dispose the same in the following manner & form. I will
I give & bequeath unto Jane my dearly beloved wife whom I do hereby constitute my sole and
ordin my only & sole Executrix of this my Last Will & Testament: all that tract of Land & plantation
whereon I now live being & being in Southfarham parish in Dorset County freely to her & her
assigns and at her disposal as she shall think fit wth all the rest of my state both personal &
real so inalienable & unalienable by her freely to be disposed & enjoyed & I do hereby utterly
disallow revoke & disannul all former Testaments Wills & bequesting this & no other to be
my Last Will & Testament: In Witness whereof I have set my hand & seal the 9. day of April above
written.

Signe Sealed & Delivered in the
presence of us 4. Subscribers
Edward Price
Abraham Strett
Mary Price

William W. Goding
At a Court hold for Dorset County on Tuesday the 15. day of October 1723.
This Will was presented in Court by J. Gordon Esq^r & it was made who
made oath hereunto & being sworn proved by the oath of the same
Jest one of 4. witnesses hereunto is admitted to record.

Edw. Mewley Clerk

In Obedience to an Order of the County dated the 18. day of September 1723. the 4. Subscribers
have Valued 4. Rates of William Hardin Esq^r:

To 1 Sute of mens Cloaths	1-15-0
To 1 Old Coat & breeches 1 Old Linse & Garters	0-0-6
To 1 Old Saddle & Bridle	0-1-6
To 2 Old Guns	0-15-0
To 1 Old Bed & Bolster Rugg Blankets & Sheet	1-5-0
To 1 Old House 1 Spit 1 prayer Book	0-5-0
To 1 Handkerchief 1 Spoon 1 Shirt buttons & 1 Linnen	0-6-1
To a parcel of Coze in years	0-7-6
To 1 Old Cast & Goodhead	0-4-6
	5-0-1

Joseph Anderson

At a Court hold for Dorset County on Tuesday the 15. day of October 1723.
This Inventory & appraisall being this day returned is admitted to record

Sam. Layton
W. Rothery Piles
Wm. Smith

In pursuant to an ord. of the Court made 4th of June 1723. the Subscribers have divided the estate of John Evans deceased according to the said Order.

Edw. Evans part of the Estate viz.

1 Negro man
1 Negro woman
1 Negro girl
12 head of Cattle
One half his Hogs.
1 a doz. rusty leather Chairs
2 feather beds & furniture
3 pewter dishes
one Spoon
2 pewter dishes & 1 a doz. old plates.
one old Iron pan & an old box
One Chest one frying pan
one brass candlestick
one Grid iron & Cell mottle mortar
one steam fork
One pewter Chamber pot & one old Tansard
One Glass Can & 2 old tin pans
2 Earthen dishes one pewter porringer
one old tin pan one old Cullender
one small Table 2 Woodstoves
one old sheet

Six Sheep

Given and our hands this 10th of Octob. 1723.

Edward Evans part of the Estate

1 Negro woman
1 Boy an Indian Woman
1 Negro girl
1 Negro boy
12 head of Cattle
One half of Hogs
1 a doz. rusty leather Chairs
2 feather beds & furniture
25 pewter dishes & Spoon
one doz. plates
2 sets of old Curtains
One Chest
One frying pan & brass candlestick
one brass Forket one Iron Ladle
one pair of Small Sings
one Copper pot one old pewter Can
2 old tin pans one Earthen punch bowl
one pewter porringer one pewter Salt
one Spinning wheel 2 woodstoves
3 old Napkins
Six Sheep

John Callitt
John Roy

at a Court held for the County on Sunday the 15th day of Octob. 1723.
This Division of the Estate of John Evans deceased being returned is admitted to record.

Joseph Burley Clerk

The Inventory of the Estate of William Gordon deceased

To 2 feather beds & furniture
To 2 Cattle
To 2 Large Cows
To 2 small D.
To 3 Small trunks & 1 Small box.

To a warming pan
To a Large square Table & four
To a round D.
To 7 Bag Chairs to 2 Colles
To a pair of hand Irons

To 1/2 of five Tongs
 To 1/2 parcel of Earthen Ware
 To 1/2 (quintessence) & Shufflers
 To a box for Shooles
 To a Smoothing Iron
 To 2 pair of Sheep Shears
 To a Candle box
 To 2 Looking glass, 1 Drunken glass
 To 2 ppp. box & 1 roll of books
 To 2 pair of Taylors Shears
 To 4 pair of Sifters
 To 2 Saddle & bridles
 To a Set of Trupers arms
 To 2 table Chalks to 6 Trupers
 To 6 Dosses & 6 pair of Shirts
 To a Chasing dist. to two horse whips
 To 2 Shells of Chalks
 To parcel of old Chalks
 To pair of gloves to a razor
 To 11 3/4 yards of Shag
 To 6 1/4 yards of Sweden skin
 To 9 yards of fine flannel
 To 6 yards Coze D.
 To 4 yards Shetland
 To 5 qts of Honey
 To 6 qts D.
 To 12 qts of Penicill.
 To 3 yards of Stuffs line
 To 11 yards of Virg. Cloth
 To 2 fine hats to 2 Course D.
 To 2 pair of Shirts
 To 18 yards of fine Gachins
 To 12 yards of Towels
 To 20 Ells of Purple Shating
 To 17 Ells of brown Oxenbergs
 To 52 yards of Shirts
 To 5 1/4 yards of brown Linn
 To 4 qts of Corus

To 3 yards of Canvas
 To 27 yards of white Oxenbergs
 To 4 yards of blue Linn
 To 4 Wollen Caps
 To 4 pair of yarn Shirts
 To pair of Worsted D.
 To 2 Dove Pens
 Brought over
 To 2 1/2 of yarn & Shirts
 To 2 pair of small Shirts
 To a parcel of Spins
 To a wing saw east & file
 To a parcel of Coopers & Carpenters tools
 To 1/2 of Shornwaters D.
 To parcel of Earthen Ware
 To 2 Shells Meags & 3 Woodges
 To a grinding Stone
 To a Cart & Wheels
 To a fine Wheel
 To 4 meal Sifters & 1 Saw Sifter
 To 4 Wheat Sifters & 1 cutting Knife
 To a Cutting knife To 4 Core cuts
 To 6 yards of fine Canvas
 To 4 Ivory Combs 2 Horns D.
 To parcel of thread 14 1/2 yards of Cotton
 To 2 Sifters To parcel of Woods
 To 2 pair of Sifters & 1 Ivory Comb
 To 1500 hundred 10. nails
 To 1500 hundred 20. D.
 To 10 Quirt Bristles
 To 2 1/2 of Spins
 To 2 1/2 of peewee & pound of Shells
 To 500 hundred 14. nails
 To 2 Doves of Iron Shells
 To 7 narrow hats
 To 1 broad D.
 To a lot of Shornwaters tools
 To a narrow ap

To Woman Jacke & Child
 To 6 Doz of Pipes To 3 from paper
 To a Set of hoop matts
 To 2 Guns To parcel of Iron Ware
 To a Spit two pot ratts
 To a pair of silver buckets
 To a pair of Steel Do
 To 3 fagon pans good Iron
 To 3 pair of pot hoods
 To 2 Stoves of wares & Spire & Corton
 To 2 traps Little & small & killet
 To 2 Sawes To 6 Iron pot
 To 4 horse hood matts & Cist
 To a pair of Stacks
 To 1 of iron patten
 To 13 of old Do
 To 2 Doz of Spoons
 To 2 Doz of glass bottles

To 12 sides of tanned Leather
 To 3 Doz 6 pails to 3 mill bags
 To a small parrell of Sumbon
 To 7 bushels of salt
 To 9 Ryder Casque 3 beafs. Ports
 To 8 old barrells, to 7 bushells Linn
 To 10 barrells of Ingien Corn
 To 17 bushells of wheat
 Brought forward
 To 3 bushells of beans & 12 sheep 2 bushells of peas
 To 2 Chubb. pels to 2 powdering tools
 To 5 Small rumble
 To 3 bags 2 horse pians to 27 head of cattle
 To 30 head of wagg to parcel of old iron
 To a mether. half quire of paper to 12 canvas
 To 14th 8, 14, 9, 1
 To 2 Overcoat men
 To one negro boy named Shippy

Jan^r F Gordon
 mark

At a Court held for the County on Thursday 17. 19. day of November 1723.
 This Indenture being this day returned is admitted to Record.

Test
 Beverley Clerk

In the name of god amen 17. 29. day of November 1722
 I Benjamin Weather of the parish of Southfildham in the County of Essex being in
 perfect sense & memory praise be given to almighty God therefore for the same knowing
 & constancy of his life on earth and being desirous to settle things in order make
 his my Last Will & Testament in manner & form as followeth that is to say first
 principally I commend my Soul to God my Creator assuredly that I may receive full
 pardon & remission of all my sins & be saved by the precious death & merits of our
 Saviour & redeemer Jesus Christ and my body to be decently buried in such decent
 manner as my Executors hereafter named may think convenient & as touching my worldly
 Estate as the Lord in his mercy hath sent me my will is after my death and said that
 it shall be disposed as followeth & be bestowed as in this will hereafter is express re-
 voking & making void all other wills by me formerly made & made & appointing this to
 be my Last Will & Testament. Item I give & bequeath unto my beloved Son William
 Weather my Land & plantation where I now live it being by Estimation one hundred
 Acres to him & his heirs for ever & if in Case he dyes without heirs then to fall to my
 grand son