

September 1785

The Bonds
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Know all men by these presents that Francis
Boyd Son of William Boyd deceased being of the Age
of twenty two Years & old Son of my Father do hereby
declare that as it pleased Almighty God to call my
Father out of this life before he could complete his
last Will & Testament he in Contained which he was
then making that is my Will and desire that the said
writing written Will & Testament should remain and
be in full force and virtue according to the true mean-
ing and Sense thereof I also do hereby give and release
all and every other claim to all and every part of
parcel of all and every Land or Lands House Tenement
or Reversion that is given granted or contained in
the within Will or Instrument of writing and all
and every Land or Lands or Estate whatsoever except
an equal part with my Brothers and Sisters
within named according to the intent and meaning
of the within written Will or Instrument of writing
And I do hereby ratify and confirm the same
In Witness whereof I have here unto set my Hand
and Seal the fifth Day of January in the Year of
our Lord, the first One thousand seven hundred
and Eighty five

Francis Boyd del

Signed Seal and Delivered
in Presence ofAdam Windsor James Boyd
Samuel Irvine Abel Irvine

And know that in confidence of my Son Francis
affirming the above writing I have contracted with
him to give him choice of any Horse in my Possession
belonging to the within Estate & I do stand indebted to
him the same Witness my hand the 5th of Janry 1786

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At Court held for Halifax County the 15th day of September 1785

This Bond of Francis Boyds relinquishing all Right
as Son at Law to his Father William Boyds Estate
and his consent to have a Will recorded made by his
said Father and not signed was acknowledged by
the said Francis and ordered to be Recorded, as also
an Indorsement thereon from Mary Boyds to the said
Francis

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truly Recorded Test Geo Carrington Clk

W. William Sydnor and Benjamin Dickson being
Sworn have viewed and appraised a negro Wench
named Aggy belonging to the Estate of John Dudgeon
decd and do say she is of the value of twenty five
Pounds Current Money of Virginia and no more
August 23^d 1785

Benⁿ Dickson del
William Sydnor del

At Court held for Halifax County the 15th day of
September 1785 This further Inventory and apprais-
ment of the Estate of John Dudgeon deceased was
returned and ordered to be Recorded

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An Inventory & Appraisment of the Estate of
James Fowler del taken the 21st day August 1785

Negro Woman & Child Abba & Marduck	L 60.0.0
Negro Woman & 2 Children Abby Abba & Fleming	125.0.0
White del & 2 daughters Annick Mung & Grace	120.0.0
Negro Man & Child	75.0.0
Negro Man John	65.0.0
Negro Girl Hannah	65.0.0