

Agreeable to an Order of the Court of Halifax we have noted & settled
the account Current of George Boyd Esq^r dec'd Acting Treasurer of -
the said Wethers Dec^y with Milnes & Coys Executors of said George Boyd
up to the Fifth Inst per the Transactions of s^d George Boyd & extended
and find that to all moneys &c. due from him by the said

August 1783

A Court held for Halifax County the 21st day of Aug^r 1783
This account Current of the Estate of Michael Matthews deceased
was returned by the Person appointed for settling the same. and the
same was passed & ordered to be Recorded.

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Test.

Geo. Carrington. Ck.

Truly records

Test Geo. Carrington Ck.

In the Name of God Amen. I Stephen Towns of Halifax
County being in a low state of health. but of perfect mind and
memory. I pray you God for the same. do make Constituted and
ordain this and none other but this to be my last Will and
Testament in manner & form following. Viz.

My Will and desire is that all my lawfull Debts to paid by
my Ex^{rs}. Item. I lend to my will beloved Wife Lucy Towns
during her natural life or widowhood the Land & Plantation
whereon I now live containing four hundred Acres. with the
benefit and labour of the following Slaves. Viz. Benjamin,
Tom, Frank, Jacob, Bantony, Betty, Pegg, Eliza. for her
use. and the bringing up & educating my Children.
Item. I give and bequeath to my dear and will beloved
Children Viz. Sarah, Annia, & Lucrosia Towns. with my
beloved wife Lucy Towns. the above mentioned Land & Slaves
And in case my Wife Lucy Towns being now in a State of pregnancy
when Delivered of son or Daughter, it should survive my Will
and desire is that, that with the rest of my Children and my
wife aforesaid, should share an equal part of my Estate, be it
what it may. And in case it should die, which I desire,
to be made at the coming of age of my youngest Child, by an and
equal Division as can be made among them. of the above mention
Estate. And lastly I do appoint Constituted and ordain my brother
Caleb Towns, William Watkins, Executors, with my beloved
wife Lucy Towns. Executor, of this my last Will & Testament
Hoping they will see the same duly performed, as my Trust is in the
Reposed. and confirming this & none other but this to be my last Will and
Testament. In Witness whereof I have set my hand & affix my seal
this 21st April 1783

Test.

August 1783

A Court held for Halifax County the 21st day of Aug^r 1783
This last will & Testament of Stephen Towns Deceased was exhibited in
Court by the Executors herein named. and the same was proved by the Oaths of
two of the subscribing Witnesses, and ordered to be Recorded.

And on the Motion of the said Executors who made Oath here to according to
Law. Certificate was granted them for obtaining Probate hereof in due
form. They giving security whereupon they together with James Coleman,
Geo. Hilly, James Le Grand, & Richard Carter their Securit^{ys}. entered
into and acknowledged Bond for the same according to Law.

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Test Geo. Carrington. Ck.

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In the Name of God Amen. I Joseph Street of Halifax Co. ^{County} being in good health, prayed be God. Do make this my last Will
and Testament as follows. Item I give to my son John Street all the
tract of Land whereon I now live containing three hundred & 13 Acres
after the death of his Mother. Item my wife is that all my just Debts
shall be paid and the residue of my estate to be equally Divided between
the rest of my Children and my son David Street whom I make sole
Executor with his Mother. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set
my hand & seal this 2^d of July 1781. Sealed and declared by the
above named Joseph Street for and as his last Will and Testament
In the Presence of us.
John Bodrick, Moses Bodrick,
John Richardson

Joseph Street. Ls.

A Court held for Halifax County the 21st day Feb^r 1782
This last will & Testament of Joseph Street Deceased. was exhibited in
Court by the same was proved by the Oaths of two of the subscribing witnesses
herein named and ordered to be Recorded.

Test Geo. Carrington. Ck.

A Court held for Halifax County the 21st day of August 1783
David Street. one of the Executors herein named Came into Court & desired to take
on him the burden of the Execution hereof. And on the Motion of James Street. the
Executors herein named, who made Oath here to according to Law. Certificate

February Court 1786

1781	The Estate of Mingoah Watkins with James Watkins	
To 1st	To 1st	
June 1	To 3 Bushels of Salt	2800 10 0
June 1	To Cash John Canby for 2 Watts	800 9 12
June 1	To Cash John Canby for 2 Watts	60 2 0
June 1	To Cash paid James McLean for Soldier's Clothing	1165 0 19 6
June 1	To Cash paid the Sheriff for tax	2263 11 3
June 1	To 5 Pecks of Salt at 8 Dollars a Bushel	3 0 0
June 1	To 632 bar from D 1/1	3 3 6
June 1	To paid William Walton to Bushels salt	1 0 0
June 22	To Cash paid Alexander Kent for building	1 13 1
June 22	To Cash paid Thomas Jackson & Thomas Jackson	15 19 1
June 22	To paid Thomas Bates & David Reed	9 0 0
June 22	To 10000 Tonne for D	2 0 0
June 22	To Cash paid Caleb Towne for Nails	3 9 2
June 22	To Cash paid Columbus for Board and Schooling	22 10 1
June 22	To 2 Quins for her D 2/6	0 5 0
June 22	To 1 300 Hay	0 5 0
June 22	To 1 Tonne	1 10 0
June 22	To Cash paid William Kent for beasting grain	15 1 0
June 22	To 1 1/2 Tonne buttons for Mingoah	1 0 0
June 22	To Cash paid Robert Pamphlet for Schooling	4 0 0
June 22	To paid Robt Kent part of Years Wages	9 0 0
June 22	To Cash paid Edward Owen for repairing down	0 1 0
June 22	To making 2 1/2 Tons for the Boys at 1/6	0 3 0
June 22	To 2 Knives for the Boys D 1/1	0 8 0
June 22	To Cash paid James Turner for tax	1 5 0
June 22	To 2 gallons of Whiskey for Rawest D 6/	0 12 0
June 22	To 1 Testament	0 6 0
June 22	To Cash paid John Watkins	1 10 0
June 22	To 2 1/2 handkerchiefs D 3/	0 6 0
June 22	To Cash paid the shoe maker	0 15 9
June 22	To 1 1/2 1/2	0 19 6
June 22	To Cash paid Mr. Wilmeth Boys for father	2 8 0
June 22	To Cash paid Thomas Watkins	7 0 0

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February Court 1786

Brought up		112 1/2
To 632 half Steel D 1/1		2 12 6
To 1 1/2 1/2 Steel D 3/		1 12 6
To paid Robert Kent part Years Wages		7 10 0
To paid the carriage of 5 1/2 Dr Tobacco D 40/		10 0 0
To paid the carriage of 2 Dr		3 10 0
To Cash paid the Watkins		7 9 0
To Cash paid John Starfield for 2 Watts		5 0 0
To paid for the weaving 6 1/4 yards cloth D 1/1		1 0 1 4
To paid for weaving 30 yards D 2 1/2		10 0 0
To weaving 6 1/4 yards cloth D 1/1		6 0 0
To 6 yards from other cloth D 6		3 0 0
To 1 1/2 1/2 D		3 0 0
To 2 Barrels Corn D 13/		1 6 0
To 3 1/2 D 1/1 D 12/6		2 3 9
To making sundry clothes for the Boys		1 7 6
To paid Philip Day for Smiths work		3 6 9 1/2
To paid Capt. Martin for smeltery Bottle		6 8 0
To Boarding & Schooling the Boys 9 months		3 12 0
To Cash paid Robert Newman part for Riding		12 6 0
To weaving 50 yards of cloth at 1/1		16 8 0
To weaving 30 D 1/1 D 2 1/2		10 0 0
To making clothes for the Boys		9 0 0
To 5 Pecks Salt		2 5 0
To Cash paid the Sheriff		17 17 0
To 55 yards of Squabrics at 1/6		9 15 0
To 65 yards of Plains D 3/		9 15 0
To 11 Dutch Blankets		7 13 0
To 2 Knives for the Boys		4 0 0
To 6 yards Vackling D 2/		12 0 0
To 1 Bushels Salt D 7/		1 9 0
To paid the Casper		3 1 0
To paid the carriage of 3 1/2 Dr Tobacco D		5 0 0
To paid the Turners up for 5 1/2 Dr		10 0 0
To 1/2 1/2 for D 1/1 D 1/1		13 0 0

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In Obsequium to an Order of the Worshipful Court to us directed
 with the Auditor have examined and settled the Account of
 James Matthews Executor of the Estate of Micajah Withers
 deceased which is as follows: he has owned and paid a
 Balance due the said Executor of £10. 19. 5

Thos Carter
 Wm P. Martin
 Jan 12. 1786

A Court held for Halifax County the 16th day of
 February 1786

This Account of the Estate of Micajah
 Withers rendered by James Matthews Executor was returned
 and ordered to be Recorded
 Geo. Carrington Clk

An Inventory of the Estate of James Barry deceased
 To 12 Head of Hogs 2. 9. 6
 To 1 Cow 1. 10. 0
 To 1 old Horse 5. -
 To 1 Colt 5. -
 To 2 Dutch Hens 2/6 To 1 set of Iron Wadges 7. 6
 To 1 old & black 2/6 To 1 old Oxen & Cattle 6. 6
 To 1 old Auger 6. To 1 Drawing Knife 1/6 2. -
 To 1 old Hand saw 2/6 To 1 Horn collar 1/6 3. 6
 To 3 old Milling Hoes 5/- To 2 old Axes 7/6 12. 6
 To 2 Rings 6. To 1 old bedstead & Cords 1/3 2. 9
 To 2 old pan Mandies 1/6 To 1 set of Kitchen Cast Iron 3. -
 To 1 Head of Sory Sheep 2/- 1. -
 To a parcel of old barrels 1/6 To 1 old Hammock 1/3 12. 9
 To 1 bandlet 1/6 To 1 Mirror & Jakes 1/6 5. -
 To a parcel of old clothes 1/6 To a parcel of old linen 1/6 17. -

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To 2 Bottles 1/3 To 1 pair of Horse Gleams 7/6 1. 10 1/2
 To 1 old Saddle & 2 old bridle 10/- To 2 old shoe Tools 2/6 12. 6
 To some old slaps 7/6 To 1 old looking glass 1/- 8. 6
 To 3rd Cotton in the said 10/- To 1 old Riddle 7/6 10. 7 1/2
 To 2 old pots 10/- To 2nd human 2/- 12. -
 To 1 old bed & 1-10 To Do. & 2- 3. 10
 To 2 old Spindles 6 To a parcel of wearing Cloth 2/- 6
 To 1 pad lock 2/- To 2nd Wool 3/- To 2 old shoes 10. -
 To 1 old spindle and part of a quill of Paper 2/- 2. -
 To 3 Barrels of Corn & 1-10 To 3 Candles 1/- 1. 18. 0
 To a spotted Cow hide 11 To 1 Riddle 1/3 12. 3
 To a parcel of Ladder 10/- To 1 Iron 2/- 12. -
 To 1 add 2/6 1 Spindle 1/- 16 best 3/- 6. 6
 To Cash 19/-

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 Henry X Farmer Jun
 Clerk
 Alexander Douglas
 James Johnson

£32. 10

A Court held for Halifax County the 16th day of February
 1786 This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of
 James Barry deceased was returned and ordered to be
 Recorded
 Geo. Carrington Clk

A further Inventory of Appraisement of the Estate of
 John Dickson deceased taken this 20th day of December
 1785
 1 Candle stand £2. 6
 2 Iron Bells 4. -
 2 Iron post Racks 10. -
 1 Hoe and Ax 6. -
 1 broom 2. -

Further
 List
 1 Dickson
 20th