

1795.56

3590.72

Know all men by these presents that we John J. Betts Guardian of Caroline Betts and John D. Betts are held and firmly bound unto Thomas Seydner and John D. Betts administrators with the will annexed of Royston Betts deceased in the full and just sum of three thousand five hundred & ninety dollars & 72 cts to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents - sealed with our seals and dated the 2^d day of May 1844

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the said John J. Betts Guardian of Caroline Betts shall refund due proportions of any debts and demands which may hereafter appear against the estate of Royston Betts dec^d and the costs attending the recovery of such debts then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Weste

J. A. M. Seland

John J. Betts Seal
John D. Betts Seal

Know all men by these presents that we John D. Betts Guardian of Thomas W. Betts & John J. Betts are held and firmly bound to Thomas Seydner and John D. Betts admors with the will annexed of Royston Betts dec^d in the full and just sum of four thousand one hundred & 24 dollars & 64 cents to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents - sealed with our seals & dated the 2^d day of May 1844

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the said John D. Betts Guardian of Thomas W. Betts shall refund due proportions of any debts or demands which may hereafter appear against the estate of Royston Betts dec^d and the costs attending the recovery of such debts then the above obligation to be void else remain in full force and virtue

Weste

J. A. M. Seland cc

John D. Betts Seal
John J. Betts Seal

2128.69

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Know all men by these presents that we Royston Betts & Thomas S. Seydner are held and firmly bound unto Thomas S. Seydner and John D. Betts admors with the will annexed of Royston Betts dec^d in the sum of four thousand two hundred and fifty seven dollars and 38 cents to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents - sealed

Debt

J. A. M. Seland cc

John D. Betts Seal
John J. Betts Seal

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Know all men by these presents that we Royston Betts & Thomas S. Seydner are held and firmly bound unto Thomas S. Seydner and John D. Betts admors with the will annexed of Royston Betts dec'd in the sum of four thousand two hundred and fifty seven dollars and 38 cents to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the day of May - 1844

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Royston Betts shall refund due proportions of any debts or demands which may hereafter appear against the estate of the said Royston Betts deceased and the costs attending the recovery of such debts then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Ed. and acknowledged
in the presence of

J. A. M. Seland

Royston Betts Seal
Thomas S. Seydner Seal

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Know all men by these presents that we Elizabeth A. Betts Guardian to Luemina & Oliver A. P. Betts and Thomas S. Seydner are held and firmly bound to Thomas S. Seydner and John D. Betts admors with the will annexed of Royston Betts dec'd in the sum of seven thousand nine hundred and thirty five dollars and 36 cents to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and admors firmly by these presents sealed with our seals and dated the 23^d day of May 1844

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Eliz. A. Betts Guardian of Luemina & Oliver A. P. Betts do and shall well and truly refund their due proportions of any debts or demands which may hereafter appear against the Estate of Royston Betts dec'd and the costs attending the recovery thereof then the above obligation shall be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

In presence of
John D. Betts

Elizabeth A. Betts Seal
Thomas S. Seydner Seal

may hereafter appear against the Estate of Roughton Betts dec^d. and the costs attending the recovery of such debts then the above obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Teste J. A. M. Leland

J. S. Bailey (Seal)
R. H. Payne (Seal)

2170.36
2340.72

Know all men by these presents that we Richard H. Payne and Jeremiah S. Bailey are held and firmly bound unto Thomas Sydnor and John D. Betts admors. with the will annexed of Roughton Betts dec^d in the sum of four thousand three hundred and forty dollars and 72 Cents to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents - sealed with our seals & dated 3^d day of May 1844

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound Richard H. Payne and Emeline his wife shall refund their due proportions of any debts or demands which may hereafter appear against the estate of the said Roughton Betts dec^d and the costs attending the recovery thereof - then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Teste J. A. M. Leland

R. H. Payne (Seal)
J. S. Bailey (Seal)

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2590.72 cts. Know all men by these presents that we John J. Betts and John E. Betts are held and firmly bound to Thomas S. Sydnor and John D. Betts admors. with the will annexed of Roughton Betts dec^d in the full and just sum of two thousand five hundred and ninety dollars & 72 Cents to which payment well and truly to be made & done we bind ourselves our heirs execs. and administrators jointly and severally firmly by these presents - sealed with our seals and dated the 2^d day of May 1844

The Condition of the above obligation is such that whereas by a decree of the circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery of Northumberland County pronounced on the 4th day of April 1844 in a suit therein depending between Th^s. Sydnor and John D. Betts admors. with the will annexed of Roughton Betts dec^d Plaintiffs and the said John J. Betts and others defendants it was decreed and ordered that the said administrators do pay to the said John J. Betts the sum of \$42932. Cents and deliver to him the said John J. Betts his part of the Slaves bequeathed by the Testator (the said Roughton Betts) to his eight children & those not mentioned in his will deducting the widows thirds on the said John

presence of
John J. Betts

Thomas Sydnor Seal

203091

\$4061.82

Know all men by these presents that we Elizabeth H. Betts Guardian to William D. Betts & Thomas Sydnor — — — are held and firmly bound unto Thomas Sydnor and John D. Betts admors. with the will annexed of Royston Betts dec'd in the sum of Four thousand and sixty one dollars & 82 Cents to which payment well and truly to be made we bind ourselves our heirs executors and admors. jointly and severally firmly by these presents. Sealed with our seals and dated the 23rd day of May 1844

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the said Elizabeth H. Betts as Guardian of William D. Betts shall refund due proportions of any debts or demands which may hereafter appear against the estate of Royston Betts deceased and the costs attending the recovery thereof — then the above obligation to be void otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

In presence of
John J. Betts

Elizabeth H. Betts Seal
Thomas Sydnor Seal

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In Northern District Circuit Superior Court 25th day October 1844

The several refunding bonds executed by Jeremiah S. Bailey & Richard H. Payne, Richard H. Payne and Jeremiah S. Bailey, John J. Betts and John D. Betts John J. Betts Guardian of Charles Betts and John D. Betts John J. Betts Guardian of Caroline Betts and John D. Betts John D. Betts Guardian of Thomas W. Betts and John J. Betts Foster Betts and Thomas Sydnor Elizabeth H. Betts Guardian to Lucretia & Oliver D. Betts and Thomas Sydnor Elizabeth H. Betts widow of Royston Betts and Thos. Sydnor and the said Elizabeth H. Betts Guardian of William D. Betts and Thomas Sydnor to Thomas Sydnor & John D. Betts admors. with the will annexed of Royston Betts dec'd were this day proved in open court by the oaths of John J. Betts and J. A. M. Selane — the said Betts proving those of said bonds to which his name is subscribed as a witness, and the said Selane in like manner proving those to which his name is subscribed and on the motion of the said administrators it is ordered that the said refunding bonds be recorded

Teste

J. A. M. Selane Clk.

Truly recorded

Inventory and appraisement of the Estate of Royston Betts Jr dec'd taken this the

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1 Britannia Coffee & Cream pot	6 00
1 Set Tea China & Water	5 00
Glass ware on the side board in the dining room	1 75
1 Set Castors in do.	1 00
1 Glass Lamp	1 00
1 House bell & Candle Stick	1 00
2 Small pitchers & 2 do. Waiters	60
1 Large Tin Canister	50
1 Liquor Case and Bottles	1 50
A parcel knives & forks & waiter	3 00
3 pictures & small Looking Glass	50
1 Shovel & tongs in dining room	50
1 pair And Irons in do.	1 00
2 pair Sad Irons in ditto	1 00
8 Chairs in ditto	3 50
1 Side board in dining room	8 00
1 mahogany dining table in do.	5 00

1 Stone Jug	3 00
3 Stone Jugs	70
1 Large Chest	1 00
<u>in the sitting room</u>	
1 mahogany Side Board	30 00
1 ditto Dining Table	9 00
1 ditto Tea ditto	6 00
1 ditto Candle Stand	5 00
1 doz Windsor Chairs	8 00
Glass ware on the side board	10 25
2 flower Vases	31
1 Shovel & tongs	1 50
1 Small mantle Glass	2 50
1 hearth brush & bellows	50
1 pr. And Irons	1 00
1 Carpet & Hearthrug	15 00
inside Window Blinds	1 00

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<u>In the chamber</u>	
1 Bed, Bedstead & furniture	45 00
1 Mahogany Bureau	20 00
1 Dressing Glass	2 00
1 Westby's Sunshade & German reflection	2 00
1 pair And Irons and fender	2 50
1 Carpet	1 50
7 window Chairs	3 50
Wash Stand bowl & pitcher	2 00
Inside window Blinds	25

<u>In the passage</u>	
1 Side Table	1 00
Passage carpeting	3 00
Stairs Carpeting	5 00

<u>In the dining room</u>	
1 mahogany Sofa	20 00
1 pair of pair tables	15 00
1 doz. Cain bottom Chairs	20 00
1 Rocking Chair with Cushings	8 00
1 mantle. Plate	10 00

<u>In the wing upstairs</u>	
1 Bedstead Bed & furniture	30 00
1 Toilet table	2 00
1 Dressing Glass	75
1 Wash Stand bowl & pitcher	2 00
Shovel & tongs & Old And Irons	50
1 Childs Cr. Bed & Bedding	5 00
Window Curtains	50
1 pitcher	25
Carpet (Old)	50

<u>Crops</u>	
38 Barrels Long Corn @ 2 1/2	114
1/2 Barrels Short Corn @ 12 1/2	6 75
61 feet Top fodder @ 1/2	10 17
950 Bundles blade fodder @ 2 1/2	4 75
4 Loads Shingles @ 10	4 00
1/2 Bushels Wheat @ 1	1 50
Wheat in the straw	80
<u>Stock</u>	
18 Sheep	36 00

1 Table
a parcel of Books
1 Wash basin

In the Girls room

1 mahogany Bureau
1 Dressing Glass
1 Bed, Bedstead & furniture 1st Choice
1 ditto ditto 2nd Choice
1 Carpet
Window blinds
1 pr. And Irons Shovel & tongs
3 Chairs

In the Boys room

1 Bed Bedstead & furniture
1 Carpet
1 Old pine table
inside window blinds

In the Large Chamber upstairs

1 Curtain Bedstead & furniture
1 Redsted Bed & furniture
1 White table & cover
1 dressing Glass
1/2 doz Green Windsor Chairs
3 small fenders
1 pair And Irons
1 Carpet & rug
Window Blinds

50
3 00
25
13 00
50
35 00
30 00
75
25
1 00
1 50

3 Cows @ \$6
1 Cow
1 Bull Yearling
2 Calves @ \$2
2 Sows @ \$4
1 Hog
1 ditto

Kitchen furniture

3 Water tubs
2 Large Iron pots & Horks
3 Tea Kettles (old)
1 Grd Iron & Spider
Frying pan Mortar & pestle
Flesh forks & Ladle
1 pair Tonges & fork
1 set Candle moulds & tin ware
2 Coffee pots
1 Bell metal Kettle & wire sieve
1 pair Old Irons (Saw and Irons)
2 pot racks

Plantation Utensils &c

1 Carriage & Harness
1 Hg & Harness
1 Wagon & Harness
1 Hk? Roake & wheels
1 Ox Cart & wheels

6 00
3 00
4 00
8 00
4 00
3 00

1 50
2 50
50
75
1 00
38
38
1 50
50
1 50
25
50

300 00
40 00
45 00
15 00
10 00

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Plantation Utensils &c

1 New Mch. Churnbit body & wheels
1 pair Churnbit wheels
Horse cart gear
1 Saddle &c 1st Choice
1 Saddle &c 2nd Choice
1 set plough gear
2 sets plough gear @ 3/4
2 single Ox Yokes & cart saddle
1 pit saw
1 Grind Stone

18 00
8 00
4 00
1 50
50
2 00
1 00
50
2 00
75

Plantation Utensils &c

20 50 Cymp Shingles @ \$4
10 90 Chestnut Shingles @ \$4
a parcel paint Hops & thistles
a parcel cans containing
some oil
1 Hg. White lead
2 Ox chains
1 Work & screw
1 Wheat fan
2 Scythes & Cradles
1 Mat Awe

7 74
4 36
50
1 50
2 50
1 50
1 00
12 00
1 50
25

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9.5 feet Walnut plank @ 4 cts
 a parcel of tubs in the barn
 a parcel of laths
 Cotton gin & Flax wheel
 4 carry & other ploughs @ \$2.
 1 Cultivator
 1 Iron Plow
 a parcel of old ploughs under
 the corn house shed
 2 Barrels containing some Tar &
 Glasp. Oil
 2 Axes 1st choice
 2 ditto 2nd choice
 5 Old Axes
 2 mauls & 3 wedges
 6 named Scantling
 4 69 feet oak Scantling
 7 Oak Stock @ \$1
 5 poplar Stock @ \$1
 1 Bedstead in the accounting room
 1 pair Steel Yards
 2 Iron bound Kegs
 8 Sack bags @
 2 Hens bars

3 80
 25
 50
 25
 5 00
 2 00
 25
 50
 50
 1 00
 1 00
 1 00
 1 50
 5 00
 5 00
 7 00
 5 00
 2 00
 50
 1 50
 75
 3 00

a parcel of empty barrels
 in the dairy an Ash
 2 Kegs containing some Vinegar
 3 Baskets & Hammer
 5 Ox Yokes

75
 50
 25
 250

Cords pine Wood in the
 Woods @ \$1.75 per cord

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Milled to Emeline Betts
 now the wife of Richard
 H Payne

Slaves

Samuel Turk
 Halda Turk
 Addison Turk
 Lucinda (Lame)

500 00
 350
 325
 200

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Milled to Virginia Betts

Richard Crall
 Feliza

600 00
 500 00

George	150		
Hiram	200		
William	350		
Henry	100		3550 00
Roman Winney - old	50		
Polly & child Davy	300		
Jelicia	450	00	
Lucinda & child Margaret	350	00	
Junior	300		
Girl Maria	350		
Mary Ann	250		
Isabella	250		
Roberta	200		
Polly	100	00	2600 00
Martha			125 00
Carried forward			10400 00
<u>Slaves</u>			
Girl Eliza Small	80	00	
Boy Charles	100	00	180 00
			10580 00

* Ann was at the death of the testator and is still in the possession of Royston Betts of Baltimore

Thomas S. Sydnor
and
John D. Betts

administrators with the will annexed of Royston Betts deceased

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Agreeably to an order of the Honorable Circuit Superior Court of law and chancery for northumberland County bearing the 24th October 1841, appointing the undersigned to appraise the personal estate of Royston Betts deceased, I have most respectfully report that they attended at the late residence of the said deceased and appraised the foregoing property it being all of the personal estate of the said deceased that was produced to us
Given under our hands this the 28th December 1841

Wm. Harding

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1 Set plough gear (2" Chaco)	2 00	30
1 Set weather boarding	2 00	
15 Barrels Corn @ \$3.00 per	45 00	
1 1/2 Barrels Short Corn @ \$1.69 per	2 53	
1000 Chestnut Shingles @ \$3.00 per	3 32	
7 Bat Stacks @ 46 cents	3 22	
1 Cow (Baltimore)	8 25	
1 Team Horse	10 00	
1 Churn	07	
1 Tea Kettle	05	
8 Chairs	2 60	
1 Large chest	2 00	
7 Wine glasses & 2 Glass pitchers	1 80	
1 Large Silver	88	
7 Small chairs in the chamber	4 15	
1 dressing glass	1 13	
1 p. old and Irons & Shovel & tongs	1 50	
1 Table in the passage up stairs	50	
1 Carpet in the Girls room	2 30	
1 Old Table	25	
1 Drawing Knife	15	92 70
1 Basket and lime sieve	25	
61 feet plank	1 45	
45 feet walnut plank @ 2 cents	2 37	
1 Pit Saw	2 55	
1 Grind Stone	12 40	

Richard H. Payne

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Richard H. Payne

4 Door frames @ 75 cents	3 00		
1 lot Carpenters tools	16 75		
Carried forward		\$28 87	\$92 70
1 Work bench & Sledge	37		
1 Set Gig Harnes	16 25		
3 Hubs	2 40		
1 Spring pan motor & pestle	1 38		
2 Wood bowls & piggins	45		
2 Tin pans	40		
1 Set dining China	16 50		

Thomas W. Betts	1 Lot white pine Lumber	70		
	1 Saddle, martingale & collar	25		
	2 Scythes	50		
	1 Lamp	64		
	1 Drunkards looking glass	25	2	34
Richard A. Claybrook	1 Mat axe	30		
	1 set cart gear	3 00		
	Carrier up	3 30	237	76
	1 set plough gear 1 st choice	1 00		
	2 Ox Yokes - - - - - 1 st ditto	50		
	1 Ox Chain	25		
	2 easy ploughs (1 st choice)	1 00		
	1 Old Humbid	1 00		
	10 Barrels corn - - - - - @ 30¢/100	30 00		
	2 Hives bees - - - - - @ 75 cents	1 50		
	1 Small oven	75		
	1 Crumbl brush & Table mats	75		
	2 pair Window curtains - - - - - @ 2	4 00	44	05
William Welch	1 set plough gear 3 rd choice	30		30
Thomas H. Lynch	1 Lot old single Yokes	10		
	1 pair Shovel & Tongue	1 90		
	1 Old Bed	4 60		
	1 Saddle & Bridle 1 st choice	90	7	53

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Henry B. Rice

William A. Hyndner

John J. Betts

2 Ox Yokes 2 nd choice	25		
1 Lot old hoes	1 06		
1 Side board	7 00	8	31
2 Mauls and 3 wedges	75		
2 Narrow axes	50		
1 Carry log chain	75		
1 Lot of rope	25	2	25
1 Barrel lime	38		
1 Lot reas Hooks	12		
1 Lot lathes	27		
1 Hh's brake & wheels	8 00		
1 paint brush	12		
2 Coffee pots	27		
pot racks	63		
1 st choice	50		

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	2 Carry ploughs (2 nd choice)	1 21	
	1 Iron pot & Hooks	25	
	1 Flesh fork & ladle	50	
	1 Set castors		
	6 Green chairs	3 00	6 00
Edwin Nelson	1 Broad axe	2 50	
	1 Red cow 1 st choice	7 00	
	1 Red calf	1 25	
	1 Side Board	24 00	
	1 Carpet and hearth rug	13 25	
	1 History of the late war	25	51 25
Jeditham Haynie	1 Lot single trees	45	
	1 Bay Horse (Baltimore)	47 50	
	1 Waiter with knives & forks	2 66	
	1 large gun	4 25	54 86
Thomas S. Snyder	1 Cultivator	2 00	
	2 Hogs	5 60	
	1 White Sow	4 00	
	1 House bell and candle stick	1 50	
	Amount carried forward	13 10	440 55

511	Thomas S. Snyder	Brought up	13 10	440 55
		1 Lot of bottles	63	
		1 Sofa	21 00	
		1 Mantle glass in the parlour	11 50	
		2 Flower vases	3 00	
		4 flag chairs	1 12	50 35
Joseph W. Bracham		2 best ploughs (1 st choice)	2 90	
		1 ditto ditto (2 nd choice)	25	
		1 Red cart and wheels	3 90	7 05
Griffin Headly		1 Lot of old ploughs		50
Mothram B. Gralle		2 Barrels containing some tar	2 00	
		1 Large Kettle	1 66	
		1 Keg white lead	2 65	
		1 Demijohn 4 th choice	1 25	
		1 curtain Bedstead & furniture	37 00	44 86
				11 05

	1 Lerm & Gear	1 50		
	5 1/4 feet rope fadder	@ 23 cts	11 79	
	1 Yoke Oxen	3 Choice	18 50	
	2 old Barrels &c		1 00	
	3 old Baskets & Hammer		28	
	4 half blind		52	
	Carried up	\$ 33 72	55 67 92	
	1 lot weavers Skins		06	
	Washing bars and boxes		17	33 95
Samuel A. Mc. Selane	1 broop Cut Saw		4 85	
	1 Large pot		2 95	
	1 Large Kettle		1 63	
	1 White Bull		7 00	
	1 lot Bags		1 07	
	2 Bread Tray		90	17 60
Austin Waily	1 Waggon & Harness			38 75
William Way	1 pair Chumbril wheels			7 00
	1 Cart & wheels		19 00	
Walah J. Sprigg	1 pair Sled Iron	2 nd Choice	58	
Austin Pasquish	1 wood Block		3 00	
	1 lot of old Book		80	23 30

George W. Worth
James Brown
Joseph Deshields

1 pair Scales and plane		08
1 Ligg		40 00
13 Barrels corn @ \$3.00	39 00	
800 Bundles Blade fadder & 66 cts	5 38	
5 poplar Sticks @ 30 cts	1 50	
4 Tin Cans	1 15	
all of the paint Cans	60	
1 Red Cow 2 nd Choice	6 00	
1 White Calf	1 00	
11 1/2 cords pine wood in the woods	11 25	
2 Glass plates and 2 Salvers	1 04	
2 flower Vases	31	
1 Carpet	2 06	
1 Domestic Carpet	1 12	No. 31

	1 Red Wall	4 15		
	1 Bell metal Skillet	55	9 00	
George Wood	all of the paint jugs		50	
Rayson Betts	18 Sheep @ \$1.65/100	29 70		
	150 Bundles Blade fodder @ 66 cts	99		
	10 feet top fodder @ 23 cts	2 30	32 99	
Robert B. Thompson	1 Yoke oxen - 1 st choice		25 25	
Presley Atkins	1 Yoke Oxen - 2 nd choice	17 50		
	5 Dishes	1 70	19 20	
Joseph H Taylor	1 White back cow with calf	13 00		
	1 pt fire Tonges & poker	70	13 70	
Rajah S Haynes	1 Brindle cow		7 00	
Jesse Pearson	1 Bay filly		46 75	
William Middleton	2 Iron bound Kegs @ 2/3	75		
	1 Broken Set Tea China	5 09	5 84	
Frederick Druning	1 pair Steel Yards	38		
	1 Iron pot	1 63		
	1/2 waste Iron	58		
	1 doz dining plates	95		
	1/2 dozen dishes	88		
	1 pt. pitchforks & waiter	57		
	1 manogany dining table	8 50		
	1 Tea board	70		
	1/2 doz. Windsor Chairs	4 10		
	1 Bed, Bedstead & furniture	34 25		

	1 wash Stand	1 80		
	1 Table	12		
Frederick Druning	Carried forward	\$56 47	984 55	
	3 half blinds	15		
	3 half blinds	13	56 75	
John Efford	1 Windsor & Spider	51		
	1 dutch oven	95	1 46	
Samuel Leroy Nuth	1 peck measure & sieve		31	
Best	1 pair candle moulds		34	
Elizabeth A Betts	2 Table cloths	2 00		

	3 pieces Britannia Ware	6 00		
	1 pr. and horns and fender	2 50		
	Amounts carried up	\$10 14	\$1245 66	
	2 Law Books	25	10 39	
Robert Edwards	Glaf ware on the side board		1 16	
Oscar Blackwell	1 Tin canister	50		
	1 Demijohn	63	1 13	
Redham Booth	3 Pictures & looking Glaf	25		
	1 pair And horns	1 91		
	1 Sea board	50		
	3 Curtains in the wing up Stairs	38		
	1 Pitcher	38	3 42	
William Denny	1 Shovel and tongs		45	
Thomas H. Betts Jr	1 Small Gun		1 00	

William A. Bealle	1 Tin safe	4 75		
	1 Spinning wheel	1 38	6 13	
Joseph Downing	1 Demijohn	75		
	1 pair Scales & weights	38		
	2 Stone fans 1 st Choice	1 06		
	2 ditto ditto 3 rd Choice	38		
	1 pr. And horn & Shovel & tongs	2 75	5 32	
James Hornsby	2 Stone fans 2 nd Choice		50	
Jeremiah S. Bailey	1 Carpet in the Chamber		2 05	
Hiram Slaughton	1 table		1 32	
William Dwyer	1 pr. pair tables	16 00		
	1 Lot plank	2 50	19 00	
Thomas Wheeler	1 Single Bed		20 00	
Benjamin Middleton	Harris discourses on Free masonry		75	
Harrioman brother	1 Bureau in the Girls room		14 35	
Charlotte Wood	1 dressing Glaf		65	
Thomas B. Alexander	1 Bed, Bedstead & furniture in the			

deceased kept by me

Given under my hand this 19th November 1841

John J Betts

[Signature]

Returned into the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery of North-
umberland County and ordered to be recorded the 24th day of October 1841

Teste

J. A. M. Selam & Co.

Truly recorded

Teste

For The Estate of Rayston Betts Jr die^r in account with

1841			
Octo:	26	To Cash paid Benj ^m W. Leigh att ^r for his written opinion on the will of the testator pr ^r rec ^d	20 00
"		pr ^r postage 2 letters pr ^r ac ^t & rec ^d	50
28		pr ^r John Slackey for Coffin pr ^r ac ^t & rec ^d	24 35
29		pr ^r Dec ^r B. S. Middleton pr ^r ditto	19 00
		pr ^r Warner Hurst Const. pr ^r ditto	1 26
Nov:	8	pr ^r Joseph Deshields pr ^r ditto	2 12
	12	pr ^r Dr Joseph Bange pr ^r ditto	11 50
	13	pr ^r Circuit Superior Court Clerks fees	4 40
	23	pr ^r Same pr ^r rec ^d	2 32
	29	pr ^r John J Betts for keeping a ^d Sales pr ^r ac ^t	10 00
		pr ^r Same in part of ac ^t vs The Estate pr ^r do	30 00
		pr ^r Thomas W Betts for buying estate pr ^r do	10 00
		pr ^r Jeduthan Haynie pr ^r do	5 00
Dec:	16	pr ^r Thomas G. Sydnor Guardian of Cornelius A Harris in full of the principal & interest	
	17		

1842		p ^d B. D. Smith for Crying one mare p ^r Do.	3	38
Jan:	11	p ^d Bell & Smith for afe & rect.	3	25
"	"	p ^d John T. Lackey p ^r Do.	5	44
"	"	p ^d Eli: Comother p ^r Do.	17	00
"	"	p ^d Lin: O Dawson p ^r Do.	25	
14	"	p ^d B B King p ^r Do.	15	25
21	"	p ^d J. McVicar admr p ^r Do.	7	86
22	"	p ^d P Adams Admr p ^r Do.		

No Amount Carried forward

21 14 88

(57) Thomas S. Snyder & John L. Betts, his admor: with the well annexed Com

1841					
Octo:	26	By Cash on hand at the death of the testator	141	15	
	28	By Cash of John T. Lackey in full of his bond payable 1 st Jan: 1839 with interest to 26 th Aug ^t 1841	21	98	
Nov:	1	By Do of same p ^r bond & rect endorsed	2	37	24 35

Calculated to 1st Jan: 1842 p^a Thomas
 S. Sydnor J^r of Cornelius A. Barnes
 W^gt

By amount carried forward

\$346 03

2) 58 Dr The Estate of Roydon Betts Jr dec^d in account with

1842					
		By amount brought forward	\$ 21 14	cts 88	
Jan.	22	To cash paid Jas. Swan p ^a as ^t & met		6 25	
	24	p ^a John C. Hulke p ^a Do.		6 06	
	29	p ^a Doct Joseph Rusey p ^a Do.		12 63	
July	4	p ^a Septimus Corralle by S ^h ff. p ^a Do.		22 86	
	25	p ^a M ^r B. Corralle (see Bill)		5 10	
	28	p ^a Robert A. May p ^a Doct.		1 00	
March	7	p ^a Thomas S. Sydnor for money advanced by him to pay Elias Majors		6 65	
	20				

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Cords wood @ 0.25 per cord p ^d S A McLane p ^d R A Claybrook p ^d John D. J. Wetts	p ^r do. --- p ^r do. --- p ^r do. ---	6 00 50 131 14
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To Amount Carried forward \$2606 73

(519)

Thomas S. Lydner + John D. Wetts, his admors: with the will annexed Contd

(2)

1841

By Amount brought forward	\$346	cts 13
By Balance due on Am. Hendersons bond	\$675.32	
" Griffin A. Trencher 3.00	265.88	
By amt of John Bryants do.	6496	

By Amount Carried forward

\$ 2250 98

3/ 520 Dr. The Estate of Roptm Betts Jr dec'd in account with Thomas S.

1842

To Amount brought forward ----- \$ 2606 ^{cts} 73

Carried forward - - - \$2606 73

(52) Sydney & John D. Betts, Admr. with the will annexed

(3) 605

1841		By Amount brought forward - - - - -	\$2250	98
Dec: 29		By Cash of Sarah B. Steth in full of her bond	80	00
1842		By Dr. of John Robinson - - - - -	6	00
Jan: 1		By Do of H. Besh (negro hire) - - - - -	12	"
4		By Dr. of John D. Betts on account - - - - -	2	55
5		By Do of S. O. Dawson - - - - -	12	"
12				

July 6	By Cash of Saml Doty for 35 Cords wood at \$1.62 1/2 per cord	54 88
	By Cash of Sydney F. Hudson in full of the estate's half of his bond	2 07
20	By Dr. of Nancy Hickin in full of her account	2 28
	By Am't of Willis Andersons bond	7037
	By Am't due on R. A. Claybrookes bond	3487 105 24
	Do. on Joseph Booths Dr.	14 75
	Do. on John Denny Dr.	2 66
	Do. on Septimus Corralle Dr.	76 72
	Do. on Lin. O Dawson 2 Dr.	77 09
	Do. on John Dodson Dr.	4 72
	Do. on John C. Hulks Dr.	18 68
	Do. on John Georges Dr.	175 08
	Carried forward	\$ 3160 81

Dr. The Estate ofington Betts Jr dec'd in account with Thomas S

1842

To Amount brought forward

\$ 2606 73

To Amount Carried forward

\$2606 73

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Hydner & John L. Betts Admrs. &c

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1842

By Amount brought forward		\$31.60	81
By amt. of Isaac Haynes bond & interest		21	66
" Roddam Haynes Dr.		10	23
" Wm. W. Haynes Dr.		3	71
" Wm. L. Hughtetts Dr.		39	09
" Jo ^s Kellys Dr.		13	86
" S. A. M. Leland Dr.		30	69
" John T. Packeys Dr.		26	57
" John Mayo Dr.		40	64
" George Rice Dr.		92	10

Isaac to John Pearson	65	
Richard \$25 Esther \$21 to Peyton Betts	46	
Woman Pally and 2 children for <u>Virtuals & Clothes</u>	"	
Elija \$30 Maria \$15 Lucinda \$10 to Richard A Payne	55	
Mary Ann \$5 Minny \$6 to John J Betts	11	
Viner to James L Sampkin	25	
Isabella to John Robinson	8	
Roberta (<u>Virtual & Clothes</u>)	"	
Alfred to Ann Robinson	10	700
By Amount carried forward	\$5240	94

5) 524 On the Estate of Peyton Betts p. dec^t in account with

1842 To Amount brought forward - - - - \$2606 73

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Thomas G. Snyder & John D. Betts, Admrs &c

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1842

By Amount brought forward - - - - - (heirs)	700.		\$52.40	cts 94
Woman Helicia to Mr. Eliz. A. Betts - - - - -	30	"		
Huldath & 3 Children to R. H. Payne for <u>vituals & clothes</u>	"	"		
Lucinda & 4 Children to remain on the land and be furnished by the estate }	"	"		
Woman Luina & Child to Rev. Mr. Bush - - - - -	12	"		
By William to John D. Betts - - - - -	22	50	764	50
By Amount of bonds & cash received of John D. Betts Surviving partner of Royston & Jns D. Betts with interest calculated thereon to the 18 th May 1842 in full of the balance found due the estate on Settlement of his account as surviving partner Viz ^t - - - - -				
Willis Anderson? 4 bonds & interest - - - - -	326	97		
Fortunatus Anderson? Do - - - - -	14	06		
Same (Balance due) - - - - -	25	67	366	70
Hiram R. Bailey? bond (balance) - - - - -	11	10		
Thomas H. Betts 4 bonds - - - - -	806	53		
Balance on Wm D. Betts bond - - - - -	50	14		
" Wm H. Barnes Do - - - - -	513	73		
" John Barnes Do - - - - -	16	30		
" Same - - - - -	27	97		
" Same - - - - -	29	63		
Carried forward - - - - -	\$437.77	\$817.13	\$336.70	\$605.44

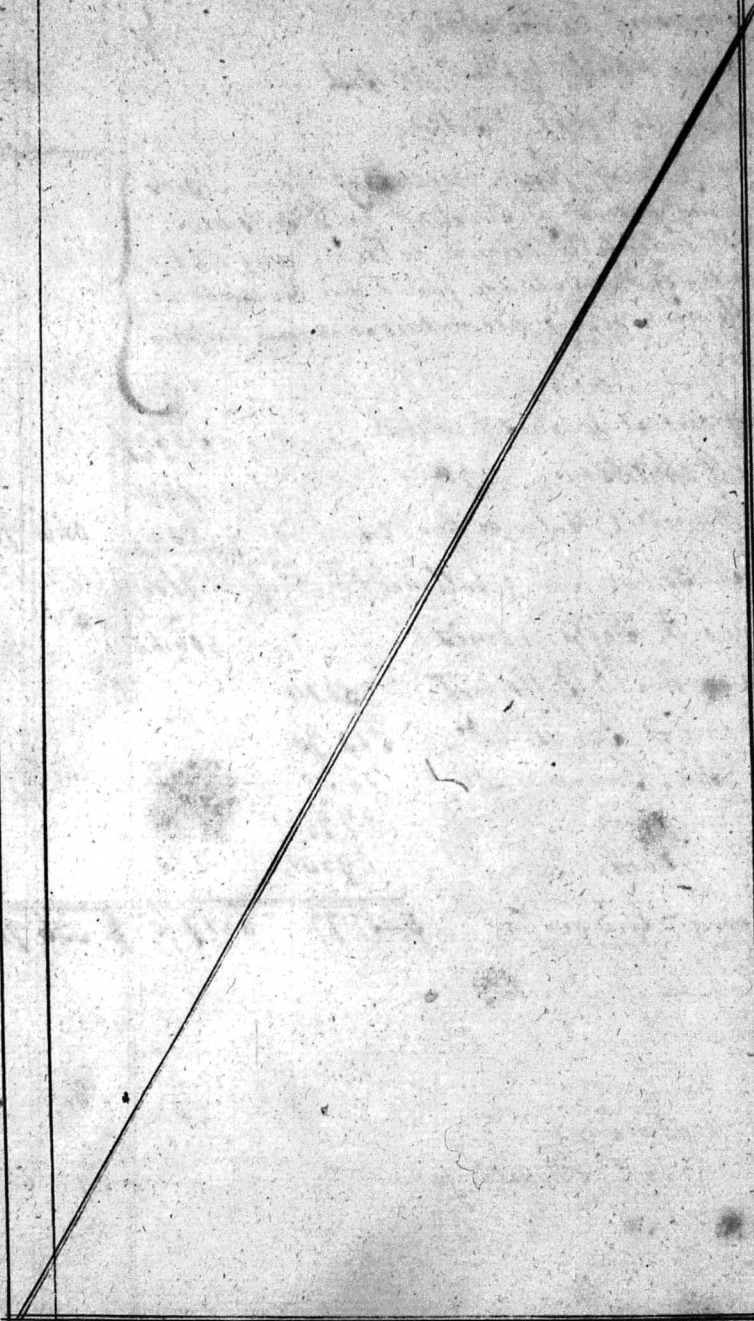
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1842

Dr. Estate of Peyton Betts Jr. dec'd in account with

To Amount brought forward ----- \$2606 73



Carried forward \$2606 73

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July

1842
July

By amounts brought forward	\$437.77	\$817.63	366.70	\$605.44
By Am ^t Shadrack Bee bond	5.70			
" Sam ^l Bearcroft's D ^r	13.30	456.77		
" John S. Berrey 2 D ^r		25.37		
" Isaac Brents 2 D ^r		31.01		
" John Mc Beanes 3 D ^r		36.47		
" Arian R. Baileys D ^r		52.17		
" Thomas Baeyes D ^r		3.89		
" Elij M. Bates D ^r		57.71		
" Wm H. Bensons D ^r		7.38		
" Hiram R. Booths D ^r		7.26		
" Wm. R. Blackwells D ^r		6.33		
" Alfred Beathys D ^r		8.34		
" L. G. Buckley D ^r		10.75		
" John J. Betts D ^r	\$605.66			
" Same	929.93	\$1535.59	\$3056.67	
" Sam ^l Emuther 2 bond		276.4		
" Wm Christophers 2 D ^r		47.31		
" Joseph Clartus D ^r		17.62		
" Charles Cox's D ^r		171.79	264.39	
" John Dodson's D ^r		5.82		
" Jer: Dawsons D ^r		7.93		
" Bartho. Dodsons D ^r		4.00		
" Alex ^r Sammons D ^r		2.10		
" Richard A. Davis' D ^r		9.27	29.12	
" John Elmores D ^r		15.63		
" Same		11.07		
" Same		2.62	28.72	
Am ^t Carried forward			\$3745.60	\$6005.44

1842
July

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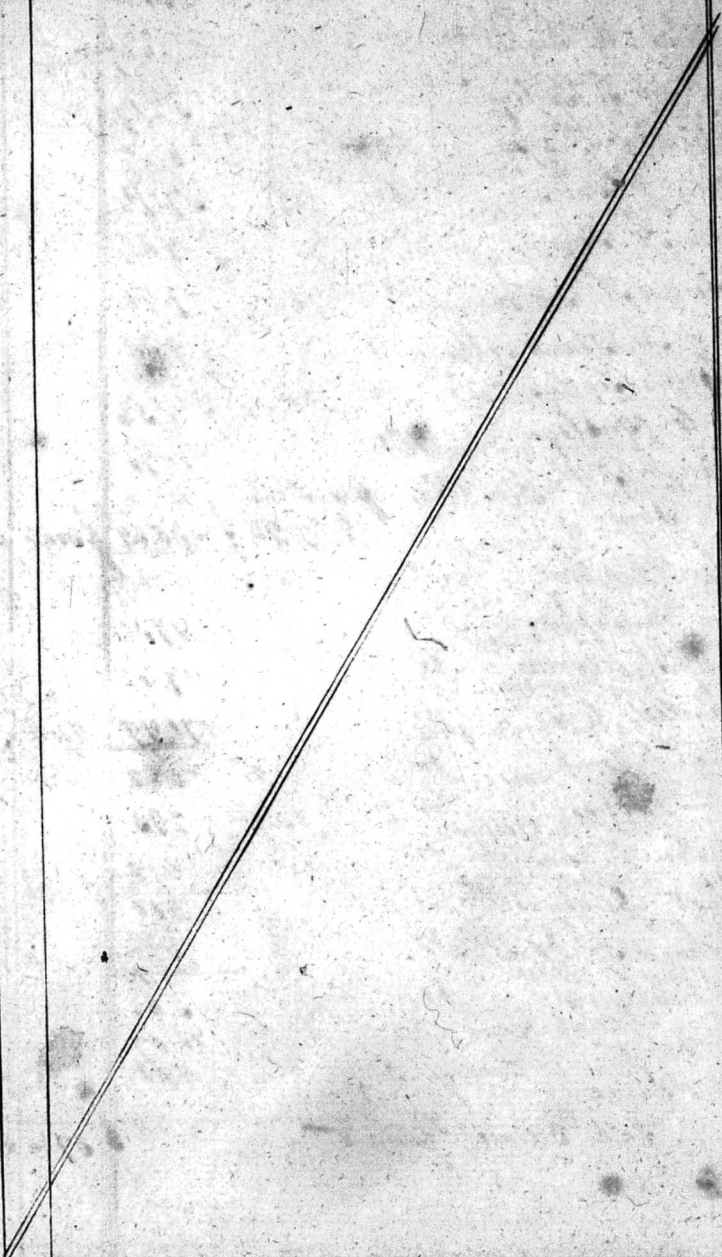
Dr The Estate of Royston Betts Jr dec^d in account with

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1842

To Amount brought forward - - - - -

\$ 2606 ^{cts} 73



1142

By Amount brought forward		\$3745.60	\$6005.44
By amt. due on Chas. W. Hallins land	- - -	81.54	
" Wm. Foresters D ^r		7.77	
" John Georges D ^r		75.80	
" John C. Chalks D ^r		<u>1058.20</u>	823 54
" Wm R. George: 2 D ^r		30.66	
" Richard A. Gaskins D ^r	- -	20.13	
" Griffin Garner: D ^r	- -	12.86	
" Chas. L. Gaskins: D ^r	- -	10.20	
" Airam Gell: D ^r	- -	<u>2.18</u>	76 03
" James Haynies D ^r		286.01	
" John W. Haynies D ^r		113.19	
" Henderson Haynies D ^r		27.58	
" Wm L. Hughtlett: D ^r		30.62	
" Thomas W. Hughtlett D ^r		32.49	
" Ezekiel Headley D ^r		10.15	
" Wm R. Haynies D ^r		53.60	
" Balah G. Haynies D ^r		34.29	
" Wm C. Haynies 2 D ^r		129.95	
" Jas. Harrison D ^r		57.74	
" Gatesby Haynies D ^r		<u>2.90</u>	744 45
" Gatesby Jones D ^r		619.5	
" Joseph Kellys D ^r		2.19	
" Lindsey Jones D ^r		<u>405</u>	68 19
" B. Belkings D ^r		5.40	
" Same - - -		<u>8.75</u>	14 15
" Daniel Laws 2 D ^r		7.80	
" John T. Lackey 3 D ^r		94.68	
Execution vs Same		<u>34.44</u>	

Carried forward \$136.92 \$5417 73 \$6005.44

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Dr. The Estate of Reginald Wells Jr dec^d in account with

1842

To Amount brought forward

\$2606.73

Carried forward

\$2606.73

1842

By Accounts brought forward	\$136.92	\$5471 73	\$6005 44
By Am't of Math Lamphins bond	987		
" John C Lettrills Do	366		
" Ann Lattimores Do	154		
" Charles Lewis Do	701	159 "	
" Robt E Jettis Do		57 25	
" Rush Morris Do	242		
" Henry B Marshs Do	2726		
" James Moaleys Do	4.12	83 80	
" John Neales Do		33 15	
" Thomas Oldhams Do	381		
" James Owings Do	70.32	74 13	
" Richard A Paynes 4 Do		297 95	
" George Rice's 6 Do	769.32		
" Henry B Rice's 2 Do	39.90		
" John T Redmans 2 Do	89.56		
" Alexanders Weeks Do	3.28		
" Vincent Rice's Do	5.65	907 68	
" Thomas Sydney 4 Do	\$153.79		
Carried forward	\$153 79	\$7034 69	\$6005 44

Dr The Estate of Royston Betts Jr dec'd in account with

1842

To amounts brought forward - - - - -		\$ 2606 73
To cash paid Joseph Basse & Thomas Basse Executors of Wm Basse in full of his account for fees, p. ase & rec't - - -	80 "	
paid John J Betts Guardian of Chas Betts in full of the amount due him as one of the heirs of Saml Denny dec'd p. rec't	8 87	
paid John J Betts Guardian of Tho. W Betts in full of his part as one of the heirs of said Denny dec'd p. rec't	8 87	
paid Royston Betts Guardian of Caroline Betts in full of her part as one of the heirs of said Denny dec'd p. rec't	8 87	
paid Robert Alexander Special Comr for examining, Making Settling & report ing this account p. rec't	100 00	
To Commission on \$14,684.42 @ 5 p Cent Retained by the Comr adm. to be acc ounted for in their next Settlement.	734 22	940 83
Balance due the Estate		300 "
		10,836 86

1842

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Thomas G. Giddens & John D. Betts Admrs &c

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1842

By amounts brought forward	\$153.79	7034	69	6005	44
" Mr Smith's Bonds	225.73				
" Jas and John Swan's 4 \$	46.84				
" John R. Stille's \$	14.50				
" Jas A. Sneads \$	32.49				
" Moses C. Sutton's \$	2.98	476	33		
" Rev B. Travers' 2 \$	417.15				
" Mr H. Travers \$	22.07	139	22		
" Joel Vanlandingham's \$			1	65	
" Mr Wallace's \$	35.06				
" John R. Winstead's \$	28.44				
" Mr Way's 2 \$	94.89	158	39		
" Mr Christopher's \$		49	20		
" Henry B. Marsh's \$		7	14		
" Jas Swan's \$		2	52	7869	14
By Cash rec ^d of John D. Betts Surviving Partner in full of the estate's half of Cash on hand for his cash book		797	25		
" By Cash of John D. Betts the difference he rec ^d in the division of Bonds			5	09	
By amount of an account vs Col. Basye for cutting 15 Cord's wood			7	50	7 50

The Estate of Royston Belts deceased in account

1842 July 12 To Elizabeth St Belts widow of the testator for
her 1/3 of balance due by adm^r See fol 9 } 3612.38 1/2
" Balance due } 7224.57 1/2

1842 July 12 To amount paid John J. Belts in full of a legacy } 500.00
bequeathed him for receipt
" paid John J. Belts guardian of Charles Belts
in full of a legacy bequeathed him for receipt } 1000.00
" paid John J. Belts guardian of Thomas M. Belts
in full of a legacy bequeathed him for receipt } 1000.00
" paid Eliza St Belts guardian of Wm Daniel
Belts in full of a legacy bequeathed him for receipt } 1200.00
" paid Mary Belts in full of a legacy bequeathed
her for receipt } 50.00
" for Wm Smoot a legacy bequeathed his wife for receipt } 20.00
" for Betsey Belts legacy bequeathed her for receipt } 20.00
" Balance due } 3434.57

7224.57

To Royston Belts Son of the Testator for his 1/8 part } 429.32 1/2
" Rich^d & Payne Emeline his wife who was Emeline
Belts a daughter of the Testator for their 1/8
part of his balance } 429.32 1/2
" John J. Belts Son of the Testator for his 1/8 part } 429.32 1/2
" Jeremiah L. Bailey Wm's wife who was Wm
Belts a daughter of the Testator for their 1/8 part } 429.32 1/2
" John J. Belts guardian of Charles Belts a Son
of the testator for his 1/8 part } 429.32 1/2
" Royston Belts guardian of Caroline Belts daughter
of the Testator for her 1/8 part } 429.32 1/2
" John J. Belts guardian of Thomas M. Belts Son of
the Testator for his 1/8 part } 429.32 1/2
" Eliza St Belts guardian of William Daniel
Belts Son of the Testator for his 1/8 part } 1200.32 1/2

" John J. Bailey Virginia his wife who was Vir-
 ginia Betts a daughter of the Testator for their $\frac{1}{8}$ part } 429.32 $\frac{1}{2}$
 " John J. Betts Guardian of Charles Betts a Son
 of the Testator for his $\frac{1}{8}$ part } 429.32 $\frac{1}{2}$
 " Roydon Betts Guardian of Caroline Betts daughter
 of the Testator for her $\frac{1}{8}$ part } 429.32 $\frac{1}{2}$
 " John J. Betts Guardian of Thomas W. Betts Son of
 the Testator for his $\frac{1}{8}$ part } 429.32 $\frac{1}{2}$
 " Eliza J. Betts Guardian of William Daniel
 Betts Son of the Testator for his $\frac{1}{8}$ part } 429.32 $\frac{1}{2}$
 \$ 3434.57

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 with Thomas S. Lydner and John J. Betts adms. &c. Cr. 10

1842 July 12 By balance due for Contra \$10,836.86

1842 July 12 By balance p Contra 10,836.86

1842 July 12 By balance for Contra \$7224.57

(11) Dr Elizabeth St Belts widow of Roydon Belts

1841 Nov 21	To Cash advanced you	\$7.00
Dec 10	" paid in Baltimore for making blackcloak	10.25
1842 Mar 10	" paid Hyde & Easton's bill for	5.00
May 18	" Amount of your purchase at the Sale of your deceased husband due this day of account of Sales	202.25
	" Store of woman Felicia the present year due 1 st January 1843	30.00
July 12	" Cash advanced you to go to Norfolk	10.00
	" Balance due the widow	334.79
		<u>3612.28</u>

(12) Dr Roydon Belts in account with Thomas S. Sydnor and

Dr Richard St Payne & Emeline his wife in ac^t with them

(13) Dr John J. Belts in account with Thomas S. Sydnor & John

1842 July 12	To Cash p ^d John St & John J. Belts p ^d acc ^t and rec ^d	\$142.75
	" Balance due them	286.57
		<u>429.32</u>

due in account with the S. Lydon and John D. Betts adm. with the will annexed

1842 July 12 By her 1/3 part of the balance referred to be due by the adm. on Settlement (See folio 9) 336.28

3672.28

1842 July 12 By balance for her share

2347.78

John D. Betts adm. with the will annexed of R. Betts dec?

Cr

1842 July 12 By his proportionable part of the balance found due by us on Settlement of our account of our adm. with the will annexed See fol 10

429.32

S. Lydon and John D. Betts adm. of Royston Betts & dec?

Cr

1842 July 12 By their proportionable part of the balance found due on Settlement of our account of our adm. with the will annexed See fol 10

429.32

R. Betts adm. of Royston Betts & dec?

Cr

1842 July 12 By his proportionable part of the balance found due by us on Settlement of our account of our adm. -

(See folio 10)

429.32

S. Lydon and John D. Betts adm. of Royston Betts & dec?

Cr

1842 July 12 By their proportionable part of the balance found due by us on Settlement of our account of our adm. (See fol 10)

429.32

429.32

1842 July 12 By balance for her share

2286.57

Guardian of Charles Belts
 Dr. John J. Belts in account with Thomas S. Sydnor and John

Belts
 1842

Dr. Registered Belts Guardian of Charles Belts in asc with Thomas S.
 1842 July 12 To Cash paid John S. and John J. Belts for acc. b. 28.02
 " Balance due him 401.30
 429.32

Sydnor
 1842

(15) Dr. John J. Belts Guardian of Thomas M. Belts
 in account with Thomas S. Sydnor and

John S.
 1842

Dr. Elizabeth S. Belts Guardian of Wm. Daniel Belts in asc

Wm. Thos.
 1842

(16) An account of the assets of Leyston Belts to die of

admini

Slaves		
Man Samuel Turk of the value of \$500	}	(Willed to Emeline Belts and the wife of Rich. H. Payne)
Woman Huldah 350		
Boy Addison 325		
Girl Lucinda (same) 200		
		\$1375
Man Richard Cralle 600	}	(Willed to Virginia Belts and the wife of Jeremiah S. Bailey)
Woman Eliza 500		
Ann 300		
Boy Richard 350		\$1750
Man John Crany 500	}	(Willed to
Woman Levina 400		

Belts adm. v. of Royston Belts & dec^r }
 1842 July 12 By his proportionable part of the ballance found }
 due by us on Settlement of account of our admⁿ v^e }
 See folio 10 } \$ 429.32

Sydney & John D. Belts adm. v. of Royston Belts & dec^r }
 1842 July 12 By her proportionable part of the ballance found }
 due by us on Settlement of our account of our admⁿ v^e }
 See folio 10 } \$ 429.32

By ballance due for Contra

\$ 429.32
 429.32
 \$ 858.64

John D. Belts adm. v. of Royston Belts & dec^r }
 1842 July 12 By his proportionable part of the ballance found }
 due by us on Settlement of our account of our admⁿ v^e }
 (See folio 10) } \$ 429.32

with Thomas S. Sydney & John D. Belts adm. v. of Royston Belts & dec^r }
 1842 July 12 By his proportionable part of the ballance found due }
 by us on Settlement of our account of our admⁿ of our }
 admⁿ v^e (See folio 10) } \$ 429.32

administered and which have been administered"

" Isaac	600
Boy William	250
" Alfred	275
" James	275
" Abram	200
" George	150
" Henry	100
" Charles	100
	<u>\$2.650</u>

These millic
to his eight chil
dren authors act
mentioned by name
in his will

Woman Winny (old) 50

Polly and Child David 300

Helicia 450

Lacinda & Child Margaret 350

Levin 300

Girl Maria 350

" Mary Ann 250

" Sabella 250

" Roberta 200

" Maisha 125

" Polly 100

" Eliza 80

\$2205
10580

the widow's 1/3 part is

\$3526.67 leaving \$7,053.33 —

(546)

(17) the account of the assets of Royston Bitts & dec^r unadministered

(547)

& where

- 17) "An account of the assets of Royston Betts Esq^r deceased unadministered
 To amount brought forward \$10580 of which the
 " Balance due by the admors &c &c }
 (See folio 9) } 10836.86 the widors

Value of the lands bequeathed to his Sons }
 viz To Royston Betts the plantation on }
 which he resided at the date of the will } 1500 Widors down
 To John J. Betts the plantation on which }
 he resided at his death } 4000 Widors down
 To Charles Betts the Store house }
 and Bail house at South C House } 500 widors down
 To Thomas W Betts the land near }
 Smith's mill } 300 Widors down
 To William Daniel Betts the land }
 adjoining Capt W^m May } 40 Widors down

- 18) "An account of the value of the real & personal estate bequeathed
 will with the amount that each will have to contribute towards raising
 To Royston Betts the plantation on which he resided at the }
 date of his will after deducting the widors down therein } \$1233.33
 His proportionable part of the balance due by the admors }
 after paying the widors distributive share and the }
 pecuniary bequests } 429.32

will with the amount that each will have to contribute towards raising
 To Rouston, Belts the plantation on which he resided at the
 date of his will after deducting the widow's dower therein } \$1333.33
 His proportionable part of the balance due by the adm. }
 after paying the widow's distributive share and the
 pecuniary legacies } 429.32
 His proportionable part of the slaves specifically be-
 queathed to his eight children (those not mentioned
 in the will of the testator after deducting therefrom
 the widow's third in all of the testator's slaves } 364.04 \$2133

567

which have been administered"

Widow's 1/3 part is \$3526.67cts. leaving the sum of \$7,053.33cts

Distributive Share 2612.29 leaving 7244.57

Widow equal to 1/9th part 166.67 leaving 1333.33

" 444.45 leaving 3555.55

" 55.56 leaving 444.44

" 33.33 leaving 266.67

4457. having
Making the Sum of

35. 55
\$19,913. 44

Of which Sum Summa Belts a puttermitted
Child is entitled to 1/10th part amounting to the
Sum of

\$ 1991. 34

and Oliver Harrison Perry Belts a puttermitted

Child to 1/10th part also amounting to the Sum of \$ 1991. 34

Thus Belts to each of his eight children who were born at the date of his
portions of the two puttermitted children"

To pay to Summa Belts a puttermitted
Child the Sum of

\$ 213. 70

To pay to Oliver
Harrison Perry
Belts a puttermitted
Child the Sum of

\$ 213. 70

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To Emeline Belts now the wife of Richard A. Payne
Samuel Turk of the value of \$500
Auldah 350
Addison 325
Lucinda (same) 200
1975

(549)

Her part of the Slaves as above	200.04	2545.36
To Charles Belk. The Store house and bail house at North? lot house after deducting the widows dower therein	444.44	
The amount of a legacy in Bonds	1000.	
his part of the balance due by the adm.	429.32	
his part of the Slaves (See foregoing accounts)	366.04	2239.32
To Caroline Belk John Craney of the value of Lemna	500.	
Esther	400	
	100	
her part of the balance due by the adm.	429.32	
her part of the Slaves as above	366.04	1795.36
To Thomas W. Belk the land near Col James M. Smith's mill after deducting the widows dower therein	366.67	
The amount of a legacy in Bonds	1000.	
his part of the balance due by the adm.	429.36	
his portion of the Slaves as aforesaid	366.04	\$2062.03

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To pay Lemma Belk a pretermitted child the sum of	\$ 217.40	To pay Oliver at P. Belk a pretermitted child the sum of	\$ 217.40
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To pay Lemma Belk a pretermitted	To pay Oliver at P. Belk a pretermitted
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To pay to Susanna Betts a pretermitted
child the sum of

224.76

To pay Oliver St P Betts
a pretermitted child

224.76

To pay Susanna Betts a pretermitted
child the sum of

185.00

To pay Oliver St P Betts
a pretermitted child

185.00

To pay Susanna Betts a pretermitted
child the sum of

206.61

To pay Oliver St P Betts
a pretermitted child the
sum of

206.61

550

To William Daniel Betts the land adjoining
Capt McKay's plantation after deducting the wid
ow's dower therein

35.53

The amount of a legacy bequeathed to him
his part of the balance due by the arms
his part of the Slaves as above

1200.00

429.32

206.04

19923.42

(20) An account of the Slaves of Royston Betts Esq^r fit and
proper to be decreed to Elizabeth St Betts his widow as her distribution

John Helms	350	
Boy William	275	
" Alfred	200	
" Abram		825

Woman Felicia	450	
" Jane	300	
" Polly the child David	300	
" Winny (old)	50	1100
Girl Maria	350	
" Roberta	200	550
		3525

To receive in cash to balance	1.67
	<u>\$3526.67</u>

Pursuant to an order of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for John D. Belts attorney with the will annexed of Royston Belts deceased to Civil Commissioner Merion named notified the several parties to attend said on the 12th day of July 1842, which notice was duly acknowledged, presented their vouchers, which have been carefully examined, and the Com^r tator so far as they have progressed in the same, and reports that exclusions of three hundred dollars retained by them to be accounted.

Northumberland County made the 2nd of April 1842 directing Thomas J. Sydnor and
little their account of their administration upon the estate of their Testator, The Spe-
cifics in Commissioner Sydnor's Office at the Courthouse of the County afore-
all the parties - On that day the adm^s as aforesaid attended in person and de-
proceeded to take an account of their administration upon the estate of their Tes-
he found a balance due by the adm^s as aforesaid to the estate of their Testator
in a further Settlement of the Sum of Ten thousand eight hundred and

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Thirty Six dollars and Eighty Six Cents (See folio 9) from
which amount they the adm^s aforesaid deducted the widow's distributive
Share of the Same amounting to the Sum of Three thousand Six
hundred and forty dollars and twenty eight cents. - They then pro-
ceeded out of the balance to pay the Several pecuniary legacies
bequeathed by the Testator to his children and Sisters which left in their hands
a balance of Three thousand four hundred and thirty-four
dollars and fifty-seven cents - which balance your Com^r
divided equally among his eight children agreeably to
the residuary clause of the Testator's will - and then ^{proceeded} to state an
account between the adm^s aforesaid and the widow and each of
the residuary legatees, and reports that he finds the follow-
ing balances to be due by the adm^s to the Several parties
herein named respectively, that is to say, to Elizabeth A. Belts
widow of Louisa Belts in dec^d the Sum of Three thousand

wife who was Virginia Belk's the Sum of Two hundred and
Eighty - Six dollars and fifty - Seven Cents - (See folio 13)
to John J. Belk's Guardian of Charles Belk's the Sum of four
hundred and twenty - nine dollars and thirty two Cents -
To, Houston Belk's Guardian of Caroline Belk's the Sum of
four hundred and one dollar and thirty two Cents - (See folio 14)
To, John D. Belk's Guardian of Thomas W. Belk's the Sum of
four hundred and twenty nine dollars and thirty two Cents
To Elizabeth S. Belk's guardian of William Daniel Belk's
the Sum of four hundred and twenty - nine dollars and thirty ^{two} Cents
Your Com^y has taken "an account of the assets of the testator
unadministered as well as of such as have been administered
and he has also "inquired and ascertained the value of the

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Several Lands devised by the testator to his Sons respectively, and reports
that he finds the value of the Same (after deducting the widow's dower in
the lands and her distributive Share of the unadministered as well as
the administered assets to amount to the Sum of Nineteen thousand
nine hundred and thirty four dollars thirty - four Cents (See folios 16 & 17)
That he finds the portion of her deceased father's estate to which
Lucenna Belk (a pretermitted child), is entitled to amount to the
Sum of the thousand nine hundred and thirty - one dollars &
and the value of John M. Belk's (another pretermitted child) to amount to a like sum of the thousand nine
hundred and thirty - four Cents (See folio 17) - Your Com^y has also taken an
account of the value of the real and personal estate bequeathed
by the testator to his children who were born at the date of his will
with the amount that each of the said children will have to contribute
towards raising the portions of the two pretermitted children (See fol-

of his Slaves - (See folio 20) - All of which is most respectfully
Submitted - Given under my hand this 20th day of August 1842

Rob^t Alexander Special Com^r

June 23rd 1842 - Received of Thomas S. Lydner and John B. Betts admin-
istrators with the will annexed of Royston Betts & deceased Three Thou-
sand Six hundred and twelve dollars and twenty nine Cents in full of
my one third part of the balance reported by Special Commissioner Rob-
ert Alexander to be found due by them in Settlement of their account of
their administration with the will annexed upon the estate of my
deceased husband - Royston Betts &

In presence of John J. Betts

Elizabeth H. Betts

I do hereby acknowledge that I have received of Thomas S. Lydner and
John B. Betts admin^s with the will annexed of Royston Betts & de^d
as my thirds for life negro Slaves George John Nelson William
Alfred, Hiram, Silicia, Lewis, Polly, Ed. Wm. Maria Roberta

In presence of

Elizabeth H. Betts

John J. Betts

Northumberland Courthouse May the 21st 1844 Received of Thomas S.
Lydner and John B. Betts admin^s with the will annexed of Royston Betts &
de^d I saw the value of Six hundred dollars being two hundred
and thirty three dollars and seventy five Cents more than my proportion-
able part of the Slaves bequeathed by deceased Father, to his eight
children and those not mentioned in his will after deducting therefrom

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his widow's thirds in all of his Said Slaves (which amount of Two hun-
dred and thirty three dollars and seventy five Cents I have paid
over to the other children in the division of the above mentioned Slaves)
and also the Sum of Four hundred and twenty nine dollars and thirty
two Cents in full of the amount decreed by the Circuit Superior Court

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part of the Slaves bequeathed by the Said Royston Betts & dec^d to his
eight children and those not mentioned in his will after deducting the
widow's thirds in all of his Said Slaves (which Sum of One hundred
and thirty six dollars and twenty-five cents has been paid to us by the
other children of the Said deceased) also four hundred and twenty
nine dollars and thirty two cents in full of the amount decreed
by the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for Northumberland
County pronounced on the 4th April 1844 to be paid by us to them

R. H. Payne

Northumberland County May 21 1844 Received of Thomas S. Lytton and John
B. Betts atts with the will annexed of Royston Betts & dec^d the following Slaves
Richard, Isabella, Eliza and Richard and also wma Lucinda & child Mar-
garet of the value of Three hundred and fifty dollars being \$16.²⁵ less than our
proportionable part of the Slaves bequeathed by the Testator to his eight chil-
dren and those not mentioned in the will of the Said dec^d after deducting
therefrom his widow's thirds in all of his Slaves (which Sum of Sixty two
dollars and twenty cents is to be paid to us by Charles Betts in the division)
and also the Sum of Two hundred and eighty six dollars and fifty seven
cents in full of the amount decreed by the Circuit Superior Court of Law
and Chancery for Northumberland pronounced on the 4th April 1844 to be
paid by them to us

J. S. Bailey

Teste J. M. Barker

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Northumberland County May 1844 Received of Thomas S. Lytton and John
B. Betts atts with the will annexed of Royston Betts & dec^d Slaves Isabella
of the value of four hundred and fifty dollars being one hundred and eighty
three dollars and seventy-five cents more than my ward's propor-
tionable part of the Slaves bequeathed by my dec^d father to his
eight children and those not mentioned in his will after de-

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and John B. Bets adm: with the will annexed of my de^d father Roy-
 son Bets & the following Slaves John Craney Levinia Bether and
 also Slaves gal Martha and Boy Charles of the value of Two hun-
 dred and twenty-five dollars, being one hundred and forty one dol-
 lars and twenty-five cents less than my wards part of the Slaves
 bequeathed by our de^d father to his eight Children and those
 not mentioned in his will after deducting therefrom the widow's third
 in all of his Slaves (which amount of one hundred and forty-one
 dollars has been paid to her by myself and Charles Bets in the
 division - and also the sum of Four hundred and one dollars
 and thirty cents in full of the amount decreed by the Circuit
 Superior Court of Law and Chancery for Northumberland County
 pronounced on the 4th April 1844 to be paid by them to me as
 Guardian of Caroline Bets John J. Bets Guardian to Caroline Bets
 Test J. M. Buckle

In Northumberland Circuit Superior Court 25th day of October 1844
 The foregoing account and report of Thomas S. Lyden and
 John J. Bets' execution of the will and administration of the estate
 of Royson Bets deceased taken and settled under an order of
 this Court, and which was returned at October term 1842 was now
 examined Confirmed and ordered to be recorded
 Truly recorded Teste

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 Dr The Estate of Royson Bets deceased in further account
 1842 July 21 To Cash paid Toror and Odonald for grass Stones } Vouchers Principal
 1 bill and 1/2 1 48.40 -
 Aug " paid J. Haynie for freight on 100 lbs do 2 75
 Sept 12 " paid Charles L. Hasbaker for a/c tree 3 18 1/2

John Maith which was to remain in the hands
of his wor R. Belts & dec? until Said William
arrived at age & bond of indemnity

13 15"
\$ 218.89

Dr The est of Rags Belts & dec - in further account with Thomas S.
1844 Trackers Principal Admin

To amount brought forward

\$ 218.89

May 10. To Cash paid John S and John J. Belts for re ⁿ	14	9.78
" paid Mr. Pasye att ^r p do	15	5. "
" paid Same p do	16	20. "
" paid Thomas G. Doulin p do	17	57
" paid Same Const. p do	18	130
" paid John Macker p do	19	67
" paid S. M. Deland (fee) p do	20	4.40
" paid Same do p do	21	6.72

To amount of Rags Belts' notes which were
credited as good money but are a total loss

To amount carried forward

22 3 "
\$ 270.34

(32)

Thomas S. Lydner & John S. Belts att^r with the will annexed

By
Lydner & Belts
200

1842 July 12 By amount retained in hand at the last Settlement
Aug 10 By Cash of Captain Mitchell for 15 1/2 cords of
wood at \$1.50

23. 25

Sept 26 By Cash rec^d of Capt Dobyns for 23 1/2 cords
wood at \$1.25

41. 88

1843 Mar 3 By Cash rec^d of Costs vs Bailey

57. 98

1844 Jan 23 By amount of bond rec^d of John S. Belts Surviving
father on further Settlement of his account as Sur-
viving father - viz Joseph Pasye Committee of

③ Dr. The Estate of Roy's Belts B. dec? in further acc^t with Thomas S.

1844

Vouchers Principal Admin.

By amount brought forward

To Cash paid L. A. Clay brook att^y & me^t

" " paid R. Alexander Special Com^r for settling this acc^t of do.

whereof to pay Clerk's fees any due which will accrue

Commⁿ on \$498.36 at a 3^d cent

Balance due the Estate

23 48

24 12.50

25 30.00

24.41

403.11

\$798.26

Eliza H. Belts widow of the decedent is entitled to the third part

Balance to be divided

134.37

268.74

403.11

Royston Belts a son of the decedent is entitled to one tenth part

Richard S. Sayre and Emeline his wife who was Emeline Belts - entitled to 1/10th part

John J. Belts a Son R^e 1/10th part

For S. Bailey and Virginia his wife who was Virginia Belts 1/10th part

26.87 4/10

26.87 4/10

26.87 4/10

26.87 4/10

9	Cyrus Doggett's Bond	do	15 43
10	John A. Burgan's do		5.24
11	Isaac Plummer's do		6.55
12	Widgar Aymer's	balance do	5 12
13	Eon vs James Polman	do	20.90
14	Eon vs Same	balance do	4.69
15	Eon vs Sam & Polman	do	2 13
16	Eon vs Same	do	1.38
17	Ja ^s Rice's bond	balance do	40
18	Wesley Rock's bond	do	68.83
19	John Swan's do	do	14.45
20	W. Burwell's do		2.13
21	Sam & Cuthbert's do		2 23
22	Same do		18 01
23	Thos F. Davis' do	do	1 41

By amount carried forward
 of due and John D. Bell's ature

\$234.93 - \$504.44
 cr.

Principal Interest

1844 Pay amounts brought forward \$234.93 \$504.44

24 John Marshall's bond paid to 18 May 1842 20 05

25 Same do do 11.78

26 Paul Jones do 6.78

27 James B. Rice do 4.61

28 Sam & H. Forster's do 2.63

29 James Embury do 3.14

283.92

\$788.36

1844 July 1 By balance due p contra

403 11

\$403.11

By balance p contra

\$268.74

John J. Belts	grn of Charles Belts 1/10 th part	26.87 4/10
Same	grn of Caroline Belts 1/10 th part	26.87 4/10
John S. Belts	grn of Thomas W. Belts is entitled to 1/10 th part	3 26.87 4/10
Eliza S. Belts	grn to William S. Belts is entitled to 1/10 th part	3 26.87 4/10
Same	grn of Lucretia Belts 1/10 th part	26.87 4/10
Same	grn of Oliver S. Belts 1/10 th part	26.87 4/10
		<u>\$268.74</u>

1844 Dr. Elizabeth S. Belts widow of Royston Belts & dec^d in a/c with Thomas
 1844 July 1 Received of Thomas S. Lydner and John S. Belts adms with the
 will annexed of my deceased husband Roy Belts & one hundred
 and thirty-four dollars thirty seven cents in full of my one
 third part of the balance found due by them on Settlement
 of his their account of their father's admon upon the estate
 of the said deceased
 Elizabeth S. Belts
 Dist. Lydner & Lydner

1844 Dr. Royston Belts son of Royston Belts & dec^d in account with
 July 1 Received of Thomas S. Lydner and John S. Belts adms as above thirty
 six dollars thirty seven and 4/10th cents in full of my one tenth part
 of the balance found due by them on settling his their account
 of their father's admon upon the estate of the said deceased
 for Contra
 Royston Belts
 Dist. John Efford

1844 Dr. Richard St. Payre Emeline his wife in account with Thomas
 1844 July 1 Rec^d of Thomas S. Lydner and John S. Belts adms as
 above thirty six dollars and thirty seven 4/10th cents in full
 of my one tenth part of the balance found due by them on Set-

1844 July 1 Rec^d of Thomas L. Lyman and John D. B. M^rs adm^rs as
above Thirty Six dollars and thirty - Seven 4/10th Cents in full
of our one third part of the balance found due by them on Set-
tlement of this their account of their further admⁿ upon the estate
of the said deceased of Contra

Test

James L. Lamkin

R. H. Payne

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\$268.74
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Lyman and John D. B. M^rs adm^rs with the will annexed

1844 July 1 By your one third part of the balance due
by us on a Settlement of this our further ac-
count of our administration See folio 3

134.37

Thomas L. Lyman & John D. B. M^rs adm^rs

per

1844 By your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts. that being
 as in Settlement of this our account of our further amount
 upon the decedent's estate See folio 3

By your 1/10th part of \$95 that being the sale of
 Child Davy after deducting Com. a 5th Cent who had
 been allotted to the widow of the deceased as her
 thirds in the value of Woman Ann (willed by decedent
 to his daughter Virginia which said negro
 Ann was decided not to belong to decedent's es-
 tate & said Child had to be sold for a division

9.50
 \$26.37 4/10

Sydnor and John D. Belts

amount of Roy's Belts & decedent

Cr.

1844

July By your five tenths of \$268.74 cts. that being two thirds of the
 balance found due by us in settling this our account of our
 further amount on decedent's estate (folio 3)

9.50
 \$26.37 4/10

By your one tenth part of said sales of Child Davy as
 above explained See Roy's Belts' account above

9.50
 \$26.37 4/10

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3) Dr. John J. Belts Son of Royston Belts & in account with Thomas S.
 1844 July Received of Thomas S. Sydnor and John D. Belts amount with
 the will assigned of Roy's Belts & deceased thirty six dollars thirty
 seven 4/10th Cents in full of any one tenth part of the balance found
 due by them in Settlement of this their account of their further amount
 upon the estate of the said deceased & Contra John J. Belts
 Test

John Efford

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By Thomas S. Sydnor
 1844

upon the estate of the Said deceased & Contra John J. Belts -
Test

John Efford

Dr. Jeremiah S. Bailey and Virginia his wife in ase with Thomas S. Sydnor
1844 July 1 Received of Thomas S. Sydnor and John D. Belts adms as adms

Thirty Six dollars and thirty seven and 4/10th cents in full of my one tenth
part of the ballance found due by them on Settlement of this their account
of their further admⁿ upon the estate of Said deceased & Contra

J. S. Bailey

Dr. John J. Belts Guardian of Charles Belts in ase with Thomas S.
1844 July 1 Received of Thomas S. Sydnor and John D. Belts adms as adms
Thirty Six dollars thirty seven and 4/10th cents in full of my one tenth
part of the balance found due by them on Settlement of this their account
of their further admⁿ upon the estate of the Said deceased & Contra

Test John Efford John J. Belts Guardⁿ of
Charles Belts

Dr. John J. Belts guardian of Caroline Belts in ase with Thomas
1844 July 1 Received of Thomas S. Sydnor and John D. Belts adms as adms
Thirty Six dollars thirty seven and 4/10th cents in full of my one tenth part
of the ballance found due by them on Settlement of this their account
of their further admⁿ upon the estate of Said dec^d & Contra

Test John J. Belts Guardⁿ of Caroline Belts
John Efford

6 Dr. John D. Belts guardian of Thomas W. Belts in ase with Thomas
1844 July 1 Received of Thomas S. Sydnor and John D. Belts adms with
the will annexed of Royston Belts & dec^d Thirty Six dollars thirty
seven and 4/10th cents in full of my one tenth part of the ballance
found due by them on Settlement of this their account of their fur-
ther admⁿ upon decedent's estate as & Contra

Test Sydnor & Hudson John D. Belts guardian to Tho^s W. Belts -

Sydney and John D. Belts attors. in law

1844 July 1 By your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts that being two thirds of the balance found due by us in Settlement of our account of our further admin. on decedent's estate See folio 3.

26.87 1/10

By your one tenth part of net Sales of Child Dary as explained in Rogers Belts account folio 3 which See

9.50

and John D. Belts

attors of Rogers Belts & dec?

\$ 26.87 1/10

cr.

1844 July 1 By your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts that being two thirds of the balance found due by us in settling this our account of our further admin. upon decedent's estate See folio 3

Sydney and John D. Belts attors. in law

1844 July 1 By your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts that being two thirds of the balance found due by us in Settlement of this our account of our further admin. upon the decedent's estate, See folio 3.

26.87 1/10

By your one tenth part of the net Sales of Child Dary as explained above

9.50

\$ 26.87 1/10

cr.

Sydney and John D. Belts attors. in law

1844 July 1 By your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts that being two thirds of the balance found due by us in Settlement of this our account of our further admin. on decedent's estate, See folio 3.

\$ cts 26.87 1/10

By your one tenth part of the net Sales of Child Dary as explained above

9.50

\$ 26.87 1/10

cr.

Sydney and John D. Belts attors. in law of Rogers Belts & dec?

1844 July 1 By your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts that being two thirds of the balance found due by us in Settlement of this our account

\$ cts

Sydnor and John D. Belts. adm^r

1844 July 1 Pay your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts that being two thirds of the balance found due by us on Settlement of this our account of our further adms on decedent's estate, See folio 3. } \$ cts
Pay your one tenth part of the net Sales of Child Dary as explained above } 26.87 1/10
9.50
36.37 1/10

Sydnor and John D. Belts adm^r of Roy's Belts & dec^r

1844 July 1 Pay your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts that being two thirds of the balance found due by us on Settlement of this our account of our further adms on decedent's estate (See folio 3.) } \$ cts
Pay your one tenth part of the net Sales of Child Dary as explained in Roy's Belts' account at folio 4 which See } 26.87 1/10
9.50
36.37 1/10

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Dr. Elizabeth D. Belts Guardian of William D. Belts in a/cy.

1844 July 1 Received of Thomas S. Sydnor and John D. Belts adm^r as above thirty six dollars thirty seven and 4/10 cts in full of my one tenth part of the balance found due by them on Settlement of this their account of their further admsⁿ upon decedent's estate as per Contra
Elizabeth D. Belts

Test

Sydnor & Studson

1844 Dr. Elizabeth D. Belts Guardian of Luemina Belts in account

July 1 Received of Thomas S. Sydnor and John D. Belts adm^r as above thirty six dollars thirty seven and 4/10 cts in full of my one tenth part of the

1844 Dr. Elizabeth A. Belts Guardian of Luemina Belts in account
July 1 Received of Thomas S. Sydnor and John A. Belts adms as above thirty
Six dollars thirty Seven 14/10th Cents in full of any one tenth part of the
balance found due by them on Settlement of this their account of their
further adms on decedent's estate of Louisa
Test Elizabeth A. Belts

Sydnor & Hudson

1844 Dr. Elizabeth A. Belts Guardian of Louisa Belts in ase with Thomas
July 1 Received of Thomas S. Sydnor and John A. Belts adms ~~with the~~
will annexed of Royston Belts & dec^d thirty Six dollars thirty Seven
14/10th Cents in full of any one tenth part of the balance found due
by them on Settlement of this their account of their further adms
upon decedent's estate of Louisa
Test Sydnor & Hudson Elizabeth A. Belts

Pursuant to an order of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery
therein has examined Stated and Settled the foregoing account of them
kept upon the estate of Royston Belts & deceased, and reports
and a balance due by Said adms to the estate of Said deced^t
this account - all of which is most respectfully Submitted this
The Court as above named further reports that Sundry Bonds no.
of Roy. Belts & by the administrators

Returned into Mathumbe Land Circuit Superior Court of Law and
Court for consideration or exception - And on the 3rd day of
no exception having been taken thereto

with Thomas L. Sydnor and John D. Belts atty. v. of Roy's Betts & Co. Cr.
 1844 July 1 By your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts that being two thirds
 of the balance found due by us on Settlement of this our account } \$ cts
 of our further admin on decedent's estate (See folio 3, } 26.87 1/10
 By your one tenth part of the net sales of Child Dary
 as explained above } 9.50
 \$ 36.37 1/10

with Thomas L. Sydnor and John D. Belts atty. v. of Roy's Betts & Co. Cr.
 1844 July 1 By your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts that being two thirds
 of the balance found due by us on Settlement of this our account } \$ cts
 of our further admin on decedent's estate (See folio 3, } 26.87 1/10
 By your one tenth part of the net sales of Child Dary as
 explained above } 9.50
 \$ 36.37 1/10

Sydnor and John D. Belts atty. v. of Roy's Betts & Co. Cr.
 1844 July 1 By your one tenth part of \$268.74 cts that being two thirds of
 the balance found due by us on Settlement of this our account of } \$ cts
 our further admin on decedent's estate (See folio 3, } 26.87 1/10
 By your one tenth part of the net sales of Child Dary as
 explained in Roy's Betts' account (folio 4 which see,) } 9.50
 \$ 36.37 1/10

I Nathaniel and loyalty, the undersigned Special Commissioner appointed
 L. Sydnor and John D. Belts further administration with the will an-
 that he finds every charge therein supported by proper and legal vouchers
 of four hundred and three dollars and eleven cents as per folio 3 of
 day of July 1844 Robt. Alexander Special Com.
 jointly insolvent and with the recording have been paid over to the heirs
 January the 25th day of October 1844 and ordered to lie till the next

our further admⁿ on decedent's estate (See folio 3)
 By your one tenth part of the Nett Sales of Child. Dary, as
 explained in Loya. Betts' account (folio 4 which See, } 9.50
 \$ 26.37 1/2

of Northumberland County. The undersigned Special Commissioner appointed
 S. Lydman and John A. Betts further administration with the will an-
 that he finds every charge therein supported by proper and legal vouchers
 of four hundred and three dollars and eleven cents as per folio 3 of
 day of July 1844. Robt. Alexander Special Com^r
 previously insolvent and not with the recording have been paid over to the heirs

Monetary the 25th day of October 1844 and ordered to lie till the next
 April 1845 the same was examined confirmed and ordered to be recorded
 Teste. S. A. McDaniel cc
 Truly recorded Teste

(388) An inventory and appraisement of the estate of Radham A. Booth
 dec^d this 49th day of Nov^r 1842 in compliance with an order of
 the Circuit Superior Court of Northumberland bearing date the 25th
 October 1842 - as follows to wit -

One Walnut table in dining room	\$57	00	One Still and moon	
One Bureau & 8 and 1/2 dozen Windsor chairs	11	00	1 Hogs head of Cider	23
5 Flag and one arm do	2	00	1 Barrel of do	23
One Looking glass and wood clock	8	25	3 Barrels of do down cellar	1 50
				4 50

one set and iron in dining room
 one do do in Chamber
 1 Bed bedding and bed stand up stairs
 Lot of old Books
 one Table and large chest
 1 fire Shovel one Spider & lid
 one dutch oven and 2 iron pots
 one pot rack and Lot of wood ware
 Two Spinning wheels 1 wire Seive
 & 2 Bread trays
 Three ploughs 2 Cling irons & Single tree
 2 grub and 3 weeding hoes
 one of chain
 one yoke of young oxen
 one do do broke oxen
 one odd Stair
 two Melch Corns
 one red kiefen
 5 1/2 Choice killing Hogs
 one Breeding Sot
 one Small Barrow
 one Buggy and Harness
 one Cart and wheels
 one of yoke
 one Single yoke chains &c
 15 Head of Sheep

1 50	one Blaid Stack	6
" 50	1500 Bundles Blaid in food	7 50
15 00	der Stack a 50c per C	
" 50	1 Straw Stack and old Box	
2 50	of Lumber	1 50
" 8 1/2	Box of tools and hand saw	1 50
3 25	2 Old hoes ax and hammer	" 50
1 00	1/2 of Stalyards and Chest	1 00
	& 3 weeding hoes	
1 50	1 Manure Shovel & 1 Man saddle	50
2 00	1 Side Saddle Crop cut saw	1 25
1 00	& 3 iron hoops	
" 75	Inventory and appraisment	
20 00	of negroes belonging to said estate	300
12 00	do do do	250
10 00	Boy Spinner	200
15 00	do Jacob	150
6 00	Girl Danny	125
20 00	do Isabella	75
4 00	Andrew Booth adm of Rodham	
2 00	A Booth dec	
40 00	List of Bonds presented	
12 00	by the adm? to the apprais	
" 75	irs	
1 00	1 Bond in attorney Chas. Booth	
22 50	hands for collection for	

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The Sum of Forty Six dollars and 50 Cents executed by William H. Crail
 to be due 1st day of January 1842
 1 do Executed by Austin B. Haynes for Seventeen dollars and Ninety three

" S. Booth & Co. Edwards & John W. Rice Geo W. Booth

Returned into Northumberland Circuit Superior Court and ordered to
be recorded the 2^d day of April 1843

Teste S. A. M. Delano & Co

Truly recorded
Teste

An account of the Sales of the balance of the Estate of Rodham
& Booth dec^d after the widow relinquished her right under the will
and claimed her thirds as sold on this 23^d day of Nov 1843 on a
credit of Six months by Andrew J Booth adm.

Purchaser's names		Articles sold	
Andrew J. Booth		1 1 st Choice ram hog's head	12 1/2
£0	£0	4 W. Barres	25
£0	£0	1 2 ^d Choice B Hog's head	12 1/2
£0	£0	1 Grinding	16
George W. Booth		1 1 st Choice Bee Hive	1 15
£0	£0	1 2 ^d do do do	1 15
£0	£0	1 3 ^d do do do	1 15
A. J. Booth		1 Old axe	25
do do		1 Dutch oven	2 1/2
do do		1 for 1 st Choice pot hooks	25
do do		1 Tea kettle	25
Elizabeth J Booth		1 Spider and list	25
A. J. Booth		1 dinner pot	25
£0	£0	1 by chain	30

E. H. Booth	1 foot rack	62 1/2	Purchaser's names	articles	
A. J. Booth	1 Bread tray & filler	25	Brought up	\$21.59	
G. W. Booth	1 large puter desk	26	Eliz. J. Booth	1 corn trap	300
A. J. Booth	1 Spinning wheel	25	W. J. Booth	1 Sieve	600
E. H. Booth	1 Water tub	12 1/2	A. J. Booth	1 Bull yearling	200
A. J. Booth	1 Milk piggins	12 1/2	E. H. Booth	4 flag chairs	
do do	1 puter Bason	16	Harm do	3	12 1/2
do do	lot of Hoes	25	A. J. Booth	6 Shouts	53 1/2
do do	1 Cart Wheel	400	Ann C Booth	lot of fold books	1
do do	1 Shovel for manure	51	E. H. Booth	1 p Audirons	25
Jo. Conolly	1 Buggy Thamps	29.00	Ro Edwards	1 dining table	3 425
E. H. Booth	1 Bay Mare	30.00	Ann C Cockarill	1 Side board	3 2.25
A. J. Booth	1 Hoak of oxen	10.00	do do	1/2 dozen Windsor chairs	2.75
Ann - Carried up		\$21.59	Mary C Booth	1 Tea board	
			looking glass	3	25
			do do	2 put ches	14
			Ann C Cockarill	Bed board	300
			Mary C Booth	1 do do	1.00
			A. J. Booth	1 do do	300
			E. H. Booth	1 do do	2.25
			Jo M. Booth	1 do do	2.25
			Henry L Boswell	1 do do	2.25
			E. H. Booth	1 Loom	90
			A. J. Booth	1 p Audirons	12 1/2
			do do	7 Sheep	400
			E. H. Booth	2 quilts 3 cover	100
			Impens & p Sheets		
					\$131.21

Sale when the Widow claimed under the will
 In account of the Sales of the estate of Rodham St
 Booth dec? as sold off the 22 day of Nov. 1842 on a

E. J. Booth 1 Loom . 90
 A. J. Booth 1 pair of iron . 127
 do do 1 Sheep 400
 E. J. Booth 2 quilts 3 Cows 100
 In pairs of 1 pair of sheets . 3
 \$131.21

Sale when the Widow claimed under the will
 In account of the sales of the estate of Rodham St
 Booth dec'd as sold off this 22 day of Nov. 1842 on a
 credit of six months by Andrew J. Booth agent

Purchaser's names	Articles	
Henry L. Boswell	1 Box of old iron	\$ 31c
Andrew J. Booth	1 Box of tools	62½
William Rock	one hand saw	25
A. J. Booth	one axe two hole Hammer	42

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Thomas L. Robinson	one old chest & studyards	25
George W. Booth	2 weeding hoes	40
William L. Booth	1 grab & weeding hoe	12½
A. J. Booth	1 old man's saddle	12½
do do	1 large bottle	37½
Erskine Headley	1 old table & lot of books	32
A. J. Booth	1 woman's saddle	25
W. Rock	1 cross cut saw	13
Charles Lankin	1 old safe	30
G. W. Booth	1 still and worm	1.89
A. J. Booth	1 1st choice plough	1.27
Robt. W. P.	and	43

Thos. A. Robinson	1 temp. barrel	1
Robt. Alexander	1 large red ox	10.00
Go. M. Booth	1 young ox	4.00
W. Rock	1 do do	2.75
J. B. Saylor	1 Cow	7.37
Wm. Christopher	5 Ewes 2 ^d choice	7.05
Carried up		\$45.62

Purchaser's names	Articles	
Go. M. Booth	Brought up	\$45.62
A. J. Booth	4 Ewes a 12 th each	5.00
Thos. Christopher	30 bush top fodder at 17 th p/b	5.10
John Sillery	one Bladg. Sack	6.00
do do	Load of Shucks	1.16
J. L. Roswell	1 do do	1.28
John Sillery	5 Barrels of corn a 250 p/b	12.50
A. J. Booth	1 Broad axe	1.75
	1 wood clock	7.00
William P. Booth Clerk		\$85.41

Returned into Winthambuland Circuit Superior Court
and ordered to be recorded the 2^d day of April 1845

Truly recorded

Juste

do audit State and settle a further account of the
Estate of the said Williamson B. Tomlin. — And that
he do make report thereof to this Court.

Copy Teste S. A. M. Seland & Co

Commissioner's Office Warsaw 9th April 1844
Pursuant to the aforesaid order of Court I have proceed-
ed to audit State and settle the following account at pages
1, 2, & 3 of the further administration of Robert W. Carter upon the
Estate of Williamson B. Tomlin dec^d, after having notified
the parties interested to attend on the 11th day of March last
prepared with evidence to support their pretensions, and from the
papers and vouchers exhibited by the said Robert W. Carter
along with the will annexed of Williamson B. Tomlin dec^d which
I have examined I find a balance due the said dec^d from
the said estate of Three hundred and three dollars and Nine-
ty eight cents with interest from this date — at the request
of the parties I have stated at page 4 an account of the
debts credited and items charged to the estate of William-
son B. Tomlin dec^d in the account reported 28th August 1841
which should have been entered in the account between the said
and the late Mrs Anne Tomlin's estate shewing a balance
improperly credited to the estate of Two hundred and

579 Eleven dollars & twelve cents which I have now charged to the
Estate and credited to the heirs of the said Tomlin —

2nd Cash paid for
 B. & C. Com. for
 settling former acct 30 00
 3 Cash paid Clerk Spots
 ylvania fee bill 3 86
 4 Cash p^d postage to
 date atm 3 193
 5 Cash paid bond
 int. to E. L. Carter
 Bond & Statement 357 32
 6 Bond int. due Rott
 Carter 386 99
 7 Cash paid E
 L. Carter & Co pro-
 ved acc. & re-
 4326

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7 To Cash paid Ditto \$ 6.50
 8 " paid \$ another \$ 12.50
 9 " paid \$ another \$ 8.72
 These accounts had all 70.98
 been standing over our five years have
 not allowed, therefore not extended
 10 To Cash paid Clerk North? Supr Court 10 29
 2 fee bills
 11 To Cash paid Ditto another fee bill 6 69
 12 To Cash paid Clerk of Spotsylvania \$ 1 01

575

1842
Aug

1842 Aug 3	To Balance due the admr brought forward	1846 61 25 11
Oct 17	" Cash paid Harding admr of McNamara for bond which is filed as a Set off in Suit Carter vs. Tothleig's admr.	210 53
Dec 1 16	" Cash paid Sheriff of Richmond for exp in the name of Channing as per bill	98 95
24 17	" Cash paid postage & bill for this year	4 40
1843 Feb 27 18	" paid Clerk Hutchings Court Richmond	1 37
June 28 19	" paid Eben Jefferson for exp as per bill	29 34
Aug 9	" Int. on \$1846.61 for one year	110 79
	" Commission on receipts at 5% per cent.	16 31
	" interest on \$380 & 22 items in this acc ^t advanced by admr 15 Aug. 1841 (say from this date 15 August 1841 to 9 Aug 1842 omitted to be charged before	22 42
	5% on \$644.31 amount of 4th & 5th items in this acc ^t from 30 Dec 1841 to 9 Aug 1842 advanced by admr. Omitted to be charged before	23 61
		<u>2207 57</u>

Principal Interest

1842
Aug 9

By balance due the admr to debit carried forward

1846 61 25 11

1846 61 \$25 11

1842

6c 10

17 By Cash of Wm Eustace for hire in part 255 00

" " Cash of same in part of hire and paid
to him by Hurst

\$ 71 28

1843

Aug 9

By Balance to debit

1881 23

2207 57

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1843 Aug 9 To Balance ϕ Contra

1881.23

20. 20 " Cash paid Sam & Lyrisham att
on acc^t Waddy Downing Thomas
of ϕ rec^t } 107.56

Nov 1 21 " Cash paid Wm P. Smith attor of
Thos. Smith dec^d one years interest
on Bonds ϕ rec^t } 300.00

5 22 " Cash paid postage ϕ Bill 7.06

Dec 21 23 " " paid Wm P. Smith attor of Thos. Smith
for bond and interest ϕ rec^t } 2118.00

24 " Cash paid postage ϕ Bill 221

1844 Jan 4 25 " " paid Wm C. Gustace ϕ rec^t 67.

26 " " paid George Sampson expenses
of Servants to Richmond for sale
 ϕ rec^t } 57.28

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1844 Jan 4 To amount brought forward

" Cash paid expenses from Richmond City to Lan-
caster County on business of the estate

" Discount on Shrouder's draft

Mar 20 27 " Cash paid Wm P. Smith attor of Thomas Smith dec^d
who was attor of John Lewis for judgment
 ϕ rec^t } 3220.34

April 1 28 " Cash paid overseers of the poor of Richmond
County in part of out on bond ϕ rec^t } 30.

8 29 " Cash paid price & interest of two judgments.

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1844

Nov

Dec

1844 Jan

Mar 2

1844

Mar 23

2/9

1844 Jan 4 To amount brought forward 44/4 01 181 93
 " Cash paid expenses from Richmond City to Lan-
 caster County on business of the estate 9 00
 " Discount on Shroeder's draft 18 74
 Mar 20 27 " Cash paid Wm P Smith attorney of Thomas Smith dec
 who was attorney of John Lewis for judgment
 & rec^t 32 20 34
 April 1 28 " Cash paid overseers of the poor of Richmond
 County in part of out on bond & rec^t 30 "
 8 29 " Cash paid price & interest of two judgments,
 one in the name of James Kelly and the other in
 the name of Wm Kelly & receipt of Samuel
 Fresham att^o 386 78
 9 " Cash paid expenses to Lancaster 21st Nov
 1843 omitted 1 00
 " Cash paid Doctor Lawson's Medical bill to ac-
 count in 1843 omitted 9 00
 " To the heirs of Williamson B Tomlin for bal of rents after
 deducting the items charged to the estate which should have
 been charged to the heirs & improperly debited & credited to
 this estate in the acc^t up to 28 Aug 1841 See acc^t at p 4 211 12

1844
 Nov 21 By Cash of Wm E Eustace for hire in past \$277 07
 Dec 21 " " rec^d from Alabama by draft of Shro-
 der being for sales of Servants made
 by Wm Lomax and the balance of hire
 received by him 2121 48
 1844 Jan 8 " Sales of Servants in Richmond & acc^t
 Sales 51 73 56

1844 Jan 8 " Sales of Slaves in Richmond & acc^t Sales 351.73.56

Mar 23 " Sales of Louisa and Washington in Alabama 750.00
" rec^d for hire on Luit in Alabama 422.47
in a draft from Peares. \$1172.47

Amount carried forward \$8744.58

	Princ	Interest
Mar 23 " amount brought forward	8744.58	
Apr 9 " Balance to debit	303.98	

Interest on \$1881.23 from 9 Aug 1843 to 23 Mar 1844 carried into column of principal to meet the receipts

Interest brought into column of principal to meet the receipts

" Commission on Receipts a 5% cent

69 42

181 93

437 22

9048 56

1844 Apr 9 To Bal due the admr this day of Contra

303 98

Account of rents credited and items charged to the Est. of William estate reported to Wmth Circuit Superior Court 28th August 1841

For

1837 Nov 24 To Cash paid Mrs Lawson for weaving p^{ce} No 28 in papers of the estate

6 50

Dec 1838 " pair of Shoes given James

1 50

June 13 " Cash paid Mrs Lawson for weaving p^{ce} No 44 in vouchers of the estate

5 63

" paid Sheriff of Lancaster taxes No 45 in do

3 27

Oct 1 " paid L. S. Thom for freight No 47 in do

33 52

Nov 21 " paid Sheriff Land tax No 54 in do

8 68

1840 Mar 7 " paid Doct. Carmichael in p^{ce} No 71 in do

50 00

Aug 1 " paid James V. Garland for Stable at Oak Hill p^{ce} No 83 in the papers of the Est.

60 00

Nov 17 " paid for plastering house at Oak Hill No 85 in do

33 75

1841 June 22 " paid Sheriff Land tax No 95 in do

6 44

Aug 2 Interest on advances before any receipts

10 "

" Commission on receipts a 5% cent

21 11

" Balance to credit

181 81

in 12th Mo
Which

1840

Nov 17

1841

Aug 2

9048 56

in 1830 Tomlin dec? by the advor in the account of his admn after he paid
which should have been credited and charged to the heirs of said Tomlin

1840
Dec 17 By rent of Oak Still for 1839 including interest cred-
ited to Williamson B Tomlin's estate of this date \$209 00

1841
Aug 2 Rent of Oak Still including interest credited to
the estate this day \$213 21

1841
Aug 2 By Balance of contra
404 9 Interest to date
Aug 2 adv charged to Williamson B Tomlin's
estate, and credited to his heirs

422 21

181 81

29 31

\$211 12

In The children of Williamson B. Tomlin dec^d in account

1840 Jan	1	To Hire of negroes belonging to the estate of Williamson B. Tomlin dec ^d for the year 1839 and due this day	\$359 00
1841 Jan	1	To do for 1840 due this day and credited to the estate of Wm B. Tomlin dec ^d	\$359 00
Nov	1	To Cash paid Cyre Shackelford Sheriff for taxes on land for 1839 & rec ^d	7 93
		6 Mo - interest on \$359.00	10 77
June	26	Balance to Credit	256 02
1842			992 72
January	1	To hire of negroes belonging to Williamson B. Tomlin's estate for 1841 due this day after deducting chargeable negroes	\$359 00
Mar	1	Cash p ^d Dr. Carmichael bal of medical acc ^t	80 00
July	16	" paid A. Meale attorney's fees See voucher filed in the papers of W. B. Tomlin's estate	15 00
	2	" paid Clerk of Richmond 3 fee bills ad ^{rs} Jeffries	4 62
1843 Jan	1	Hire of negroes belonging to the estate of Williamson B. Tomlin dec ^d for 1842 due this day	\$359 00
July	13	4 Cash paid Sheriff of Richmond fee bill in suit vs Jeffries for rent	14 39
	5	paid Sheriff of Richmond land tax of 1842	8 05
Dec	31	6 " Cash paid Matt Forester for crying Oak Hill for rent and sale 3 times	2 00
	7	" paid Richmond Whig for advertising Oak Hill	7 25
1844 Apr	9	" Commission on \$392.19 amount of rent rec ^d for Oak Hill at 5% cent	19 60
		Balance to credit	605 24
			1474 15

1840 Jan 1
1841 Jan 1
July 1
1841 July 26
1841 June 26
1842 June 20
Oct 17
43 May 27
Aug 21
Nov 21
44 Jan 1
Brit 9
1844

with Robert M. Leister attorney with the will annexed of S^d dec^d her

1840 Jan 1	By Mrs. Sum for lines of negroes belonging to the estate of William for B Tomlin dec ^d for the year 1839 and due this day which is charged already to Mrs Ann C Tomlin's Estate in the account heretofore reported by Jas H B Jeffries	359 00
Comm 7		
July 1 1841	" Cash paid Hall & Edmonds W ^m B Tomlin's notes	283 72
July 26	" do paid James Harding	350 00
		992 72
1841 June 26	By Balance f ^r contra	\$256 02
1842 June 20	Cash paid Hurst for the estate	71 28
Oct 17	" Do at Lancaster Court House	255 00
42 May 27	" Rent of Oak Hill for 1842	112 62
Aug 21	" payment for Est ⁿ on Wm Waddey & Co	101 14
	" Dr Lawson's Medical bill 1842	9 00
	" Am ^t of Wm W Jeffries & Co for rent 1 st July last	279 57
Nov 21	" Cash of Wm C Eustace	166 93
1844 Jan 1	" 6 Mo interest on \$382.65 the difference between debits and credits	3 11 47
April 9	" Balance due the children from the estate of Wm for B Tomlin dec ^d for amts credited to that estate in former acc ^t which should have been credited to the heirs (See acc ^t at page 4)	2 11 12

Returned into Northumberland Circuit Superior Court of
Law and Chancery the 23rd day of October 1844 and or-
dered to lie till the next term for consideration or ob-
jection, and on the day of April 1845 the same
was examined confirmed and ordered to be recorded

Truly recorded
S. A. M. Leland C

In the estate of Rodham A. Booth deceased in account

1842	Nov 22	To Cash paid William A. Booth for keep- ing the account of sales & rec ^t	3	1	\$2.00
		" J ^d Charles Lankin for crying the prop ^{ty} sold at the sale & receipt	3	2	1.50
		" J ^d Robert Edwards fee for appraising the estate & rec ^t	3	3	1.25
		" J ^d Sheriff for taxes &c & account and receipt	3	4	4.45
	25	" J ^d Robert B. Thompson for leather & acc ^t and receipt	3	5	2.13
	Dec 13	" J ^d his Subscription to Elijah Williams & account receipt	3	6	" 50
1843	Jan 11	" J ^d Nancy Booth am ^t his due bill pay- able to her & ditto receipt	3	7	1.00
	14	" J ^d John D. and J. J. Belts amount of their account against the decedent & account and receipt	3	8	155.85
		" J ^d the same amount of their account vs his estate & acc ^t & rec ^t	3	9	11.97
	Feb 13	" J ^d O. H. Robinson Const. am ^t of James Elmore's account vs the decedent & acc ^t and receipt	3	10	60
	April 10	" J ^d John Dodson for Coffin & account receipt	3	11	6.00

at 10/10 her p ^o ditto receipt	37	100
14 th p ^o John Dand J. J. Belts amount of their account against the decedent p account and receipt	38	55.85
" p ^o the same amount of their account vs his estate p acc ^t & rec ^t	39	11.97
Feb 13 th p ^o O H Robinson Const. am ^t of James Elmore's account vs the decedent p acc ^t and receipt	310	60
April 10 th p ^o John Dodson for Coffin p ^o account & receipt	311	6.00
" p ^o Doctor Basye for m account & receipt	312	17.26
Aug 14 th p ^o J. St. Becham Con ^r in full of his bond & pay able to William Ba- sy & Co's p bond & rec ^t	313	6.30

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with Andrew J. Booth his adm^r with the will annexed Cr 1

Principal Interest

By amount of the account of Sales of the estate
 made at public auction to highest bidder the 22nd
 November 1842 on a credit of 6 Months due this day 85 41
 By account of the following bonds found in the
 house at the death of the decedent viz
 1st Richard A Claybrook atty. in l^t for William
 A Crallen's bond due the 1st Jan 1843 for \$46.50
 Interest thereon to the 1st Jan 1843 279 49 29
 2nd Austin B Haynes's bond due the 22
 Dec 1841 for 17.93
 Interest thereon to the 1st Jan 1843 ^{Interest 2 days} 10 19 03
 3rd Joseph Thomas bond with Richard B
 Hall Secy due the 1st Jan 1843 for 3 5 00
 4th Elizabeth Sumner's Bond due the 26
 August 1842 5.00
 Interest thereon to the 1st Jan 1843 10 5 10
 5th William W. Forsters due bill payable
 the 26th January 1838 3 3.96
 Int thereon to the 21. November 1843 5 years
 9 months & 25 days 1 36 5 32
 By amount Carried Forward \$169 15

	p ^d Saml. A. M. Deland Clerk. for bill	14	2 00
	p ^d Jo ^s R. Haynie for acc ^t receipt	15	1 25
	p ^d William Rice for ditto	16	56
	p ^d Peter M. Rice for appraising the est. for acc ^t	17	1 00
	To amount carried forward		115 60
1843	To amount brought forward		115 60
Sept 9	p ^d William A. Bailey for acc ^t rec ^t No 18	18	7 57
	p ^d Charles Laughlin Const. in full of two exceptions in his hands viz one in the name of Alice A. Straughan, & one in the name of Enosiel Bradley for Statement rec ^t	19	17 61
	retained amount of my account as the estate for cash loaned the decedent in his lifetime and saving the crop after his death for account	20	40 28
Oct 24	p ^d Jo ^s A. Beacham Const. in full of an execution in his hands for the benefit of Thomas S. Thomas	21	1 38
Nov 1 st	p ^d Cyrus Booth for acc ^t rec ^t	22	1 88
	p ^d George W. Booth for ditto	23	2 61
	p ^d Same for appraising the est.	24	1 00
Dec 21	p ^d Wm ^l Forster Const. in Richmond County amount of an execution in his hands in the name of Edward Haskell for Statement and receipt	25	6 87
	p ^d the same amount of the decedent's order on him in favor of William S. Booth for ditto and rec ^t	26	1 65
Dec 21	p ^d Joseph Deshields for ditto	27	78
	Commission on \$169. ¹⁵ / ₁₀₀ a 5¢ Cent		8 45
			195 68
1844 Jan 1	To Balance due for Contra		26 53
June 10	p ^d Isaac W. Basye for acc ^t rec ^t No 1	1	2 50
	p ^d Wm ^l C. Oldham Const. the amount		

1843

1844

May 23

p ^o the same amount of the decedent's order on him in favor of William P. Booth		26	1 65
p ^o ditto and rec ^t			
Dec 21	p ^o Joseph Deshields p ^o ditto	27	" 78
	" Commission on \$169. ⁵ / ₁₀₀ a 5 [¢] Cent		8 45
			<u>195 68</u>
1844 Jan 1	To Balance due p ^o Contra		26 53
June 10	p ^o Isaac W. Basye p ^o acc ^t rec ^t No	1	2 50
	p ^o Wm C. Oldham Const: the amount		
	Wm. J. Dorister's account p ^o acc ^t rec ^t	2	5 07
	p ^o J ^o Deshields p ^o Bond rec ^t	3	7 13
	To amount Carried forward	-	<u>41 23</u>

		Principal Interest	
184 ³	By amount bought forward	169	15
	" Balance due the adm: with the will annexed	26	53
			<u>195 68</u>
1844			
Nov 23	By amount of the account of Sales of the Estate made at public auction to the highest bidder the 23 ^d November 1843 on a credit of 6 Months due this day	131	21

In The estate of Rodham St Booth dec^d in account with Andrew

		Vouchers	Principal	Interest
1844	To amount brought forward		41 23	
Nov 11	" p ^r Samuel L. Straughan atty p ^r t	No 4	1 50	
"	" p ^r L. Hadley p ^r acc ^t t ^r	5	4 50	
"	" p ^r Henry Boswell p ^r ditto	6	12 73	
"	" Master Commissioner's fee	7	5 00	
"	" retained to pay Clerk's fees that are now due and that will accrue	3 8	5 00	
"	" Commission on \$131. 21/100 a 5% cost	9	6 56	
"	" Balance due the estate		54 69	1 92
			131 21	1 92

1845

Jan 1 " Elizabeth St Booth widow executrix of the decedent having renounced the provision made for her by the testator in his will is entitled to one third part of the balance found due by me to the estate

18 23

Balance due the estate

36 46

54 69

1 92

36 46

54 69

1 92

36 46

54 69

1 92

36 46

54 69

1 92

1844

June 10 To Cash p^r Cyrus Booth in full of a legacy left him p^r t^r.

" Balance due the distributees

2 00

36 46

1 92

36 46

54 69

1 92

36 46

54 69

1 92

1845 Jan 1 Ann C Cockarill a daughter is entitled to 1/4 part
 for Mr Booth a son is entitled to 1/4 part or
 Henry Boswell & Elizabeth St his wife are
 entitled to 1/4 part
 Andrew Booth adm^r is entitled to 1/6 part
 Mary J Beane adm^r of Juliet C Beane

5 74 1/4

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5 74 1/4

Balance due the distributees

1845 Jan 1 Jan C Cockrell a daughter is entitled to $\frac{1}{4}$ part
 Jos M Booth a son is entitled to $\frac{1}{4}$ part or
 Benj Boswell & Elizabeth & his wife are
 entitled to $\frac{1}{6}$ part
 Andrew J Booth adm^r is entitled to $\frac{1}{6}$ part
 Wm J Beane adm^r of Juliet C Beane
 dec^d is entitled to $\frac{1}{6}$ part
 Mary C Booth is entitled to $\frac{1}{6}$ part

34	46	1
36	46	1
5	74 $\frac{1}{2}$	20
5	74 $\frac{1}{2}$	20
5	74 $\frac{1}{2}$	20
5	74 $\frac{1}{2}$	20
5	74 $\frac{1}{2}$	20
5	74 $\frac{1}{2}$	20
34	46	1

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Booth his adm^r with the will annexed

by
 Prnc^l Interest

1844

By accounts brought forward

13121

Dec 31 " Interest on \$54 ⁶⁹/₁₀₀ from the 23^d
 May 7 Mo^r and 7 days

1.92

13121. 192

1845

Jan 1 By balance due of Contra

5469. 192

Dec 21 in interest on \$54 from the 23 -
May 7 Mo - and 7 days

1.92

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1845

Jan 1 By balance due for Contra

5469.192

1845

Jan 1 By balance for Contra

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1845 Jan 1 By balance for Contra

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4 Dr Elizabeth H Booth widow and relict of Rodham H
 annexed of the said Rodham H Booth dec'd

1844

To Cash paid Samuel M. Seland Clerk fees
 bill & ditto

" Jd. M. B. Kralle Clerk fee bill & ditto

Balance due her

vouchers principal interest

No 1	1.36
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1845 Jan 1 Received of Andrew J Booth adm^r with the will
 annexed of Rodham H Booth dec'd Twenty one dollars and
 forty seven cents in full of the principal interest
 reported by Commissioner Sydney to be found due me by
 him on Settlement of his acct of his adm^r upon the estate
 of my dec^d husband Rodham H Booth and my individual
 account

Elizabeth H Booth
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Dr Ann C Cockarill a daughter of Rodham H Booth dec^d
 1845 Jan 1 Received of Andrew J Booth adm^r with the will
 annexed of Rodham H Booth five dollars and thirty
 six cents in full of the principal and interest reported
 by Commissioner Sydney to be found due by him to me
 on Settlement of his account of his adm^r with the will
 annexed of Rodham H Booth dec^d and my individual
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Ann C Cockarill

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Dr. Ann C Cockarill a daughter of Rodham St Booth dec?
1845 Jan 1 Received of Andrew J. Booth adm^r with the will
annexed of Rodham St Booth five dollars and Ninety
Six cents in full of the principal and interest reported
by Commissioner Sydnor to be found due by him to me
on Settlement of his account of his adm^r with the will
annexed of Rodham St Booth dec? and my individual
acts with him

Ann C Cockarill

Dr. Joseph M. Booth (a son of Rodham St Booth dec? in account with
Voucher: Principal Interest
1845 January 1st Received of Andrew J. Booth administrator with the
will annexed of Rodham St Booth dec? Five dollars and Ninety Six
cents in full of the principal and interest reported by Commissioner
Sydnor to be found due by him to me on Settlement of his account
of his adm^r with the will annexed of my dec? father Rodham St Booth
dec? and also my individual account with him
Joseph M. Booth

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Booth dec? in account with Andrew J. Booth adm^r with the will
Contract

1845 Jan 1 By your 1/3 part of \$54^{69/100} principal
and \$17^{72/100} interest being the amount found
due by me on Settlement of my adm^r with
the will annexed upon the estate (you
having relinquished the provision made
by the testator in his will (See folio 32)
Principal Interest
1823 64

1845 Jan 1 By Balance of Bondra 20.62 85

in account with Andrew J. Booth adm^r with the will annexed of the S. de? Cr.
1845 Jan 1 By your proportionable part of the balance found due the Estate (See folio 3) 5.75 21

Andrew J. Booth adm^r with the will annexed - - - - -
1845 Jan 1 By your proportionable part of the balance found due the estate See folio 3 5.75 " 21
Principal interest

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Dr Henry Roswell Elizabeth his wife (a daughter of Rodham
1845 January 1st Received of Andrew J. Booth adm^r with the will
annexed of Rodham J. Booth dec^d five dollars and Ninety Six
cents in full of the principal and interest reported by Commissioner

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1845

and our individual account with him ^{my} Mary J. Rodwell
mark

Dr William J. Beane administrator of Juliet C. Beane his wife
in account with Andrew J. Booth administrator with the will annexed

1843

Sept 16 To your assignment of your right interest and claim
in the estate to Mrs Elizabeth Booth widow and relict
of Rodham B. Booth dec'd to whose credit the same
is same is (See folio 4)

Voucher from Oct

No 1 5.75 - 21

5.75 - 21

Dr Mary C. Booth daughter of Rodham B. Booth dec'd in
1843 January 1st Received of Andrew J. Booth admin. with the will
annexed of Rodham B. Booth dec'd five dollars and ninety six cents in
full of the principal and interest related by Comr. Simon Sydney
to be found due by him to me on Settlement of his account of his
administration upon the estate of my dec'd father Rodham B.
Booth and my individual account with him

Mary C. Booth

Pursuant to an order of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and
Chancery for Northumberland County dated the 23rd October 1844
the undersigned Commissioner has examined Stated and Settled
the preceding account of Andrew J. Booth's administration with the will
annexed upon the estate of Rodham B. Booth dec'd having found
every charge therein supported by a legal and proper voucher, and
report that I found a balance due by the administrator with the
will annexed to the estate of the testator of the sum of fifty-four
dollars and fifty nine cents in principal and the sum of one dollar
and ninety two cents in interest (See folio 3) - Of which sum your
Commissioner gave Elizabeth B. Booth widow and relict of the
testator the third part (she having renounced the provision made for

Booth dec'd in account with Andrew J. Booth adm with the will
 annexed of the said deceased Cr

1842 Jan 1 By your proportionable part of the balance
 found due the estate See folio 3 3 5.75 21

and was Juliet C. Booth daughter of Rodham S. Booth dec'd Cr
 of Rodham S. Booth dec'd

Principal Interest

1845 Jan 1 By your proportionable part of the
 balance found due the estate (see
 folio 3) 3 5.75 21

5.75 21

account with Andrew J. Booth adm with the will annexed of the said dec'd Cr
 1845 January 1 By your proportionable part of the
 balance repaid by Commissioner Lydner to
 found due the estate See fol 3 3 5.75 21

her by the Testator in his will - From the other two thirds of the balance
 found due by the Administrator with the will annexed Your Commissioner de-
 ducted a legacy of two dollars bequeathed a legacy of two dollars be-
 queathed to Cyrus Booth a natural child of the Testator and then
 proceeded to divide the balance equally between his six children
 agreeably to his will (See folio 3) and then proceeded to take an ac-
 count between the adm with the will annexed and the widow and re-
 sident of the Testator and each of his six lawful children - and report

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balance reported by Commissioner Lydair to 3 5.75-24
found due the estate See fol 3.

her by the Testator in his will - From the other two thirds of the balance found due by the Administrator with the will annexed Your Commissioner deducted a legacy of two dollars bequeathed a legacy of two dollars bequeathed to Cyrus Booth a natural child of the Testator and then proceeded to divide the balance equally between his six children agreeably to his will (See folio 3) And then proceeded to take an account between the admin with the will annexed and the widow and relict of the Testator and each of his six lawful children - And report that I find a balance due by the admin with the will annexed to Elizabeth H Booth widow and relict of the Testator of the Sum of Twenty dollars & Sixty two Cents in principal And the Sum of eighty five Cents in interest - with interest on the principal Sum from the 1st day of June 1845 until paid (See folio 3) - That I find a balance due by the admin with the will annexed to Ann C Cockarill a daughter of the Testator of the Sum of five dollars and Seventy five Cents in principal

592 and the Sum of Twenty one Cents in interest with interest on the principal Sum due from the 1st January 1845 until paid (See folio 4)
That I find a balance due by the admin with the will annexed to Joseph M Booth a son of the Testator of the Sum of five dollars and Seventy five Cents in principal and the Sum of Twenty one Cents in interest with interest on the principal Sum from the 1st January 1845 until paid (See folio 5)
That I find a balance due by the Administrator with the will annexed to Henry Roswell and Elizabeth H his wife a daughter of the Testator of the Sum of five dollars and Seventy five Cents in principal and the Sum of Twenty one Cents in interest with interest on the principal Sum due from the 1st January 1845 until paid -

Capital Sum due from the 1st January 1845 until paid. -
That I found a balance due by the adm^r with the will annexed to William J. Beane, adm^r of Juliet C. Beane his dec^d wife of the sum of Two dollars and Seventy five cents in principal and the sum of Twenty one cents in interest with interest on the principal which amount he assigned to Mrs Elizabeth S Booth widow and relict of the Testator to whose Credit your Commissioner carried the Same (See folio 6 and also folio 4) - That I found a balance due by the adm^r with the will annexed to Mary C Booth a daughter of the Testator of the sum of Two dollars and Seventy five cents in principal and the sum of Twenty one cents in interest with interest on the principal from the 1st January 1843 until paid (See folio 6) -

All of which is most respectfully submitted. - Given under my hand at my office this 1st day of January 1845

Thomas S. Lydner Commissioner

Andrew J. Booth to Thomas S. Lydner Commissioner Dr.

1845 January 1 To Settling and settling yr account of yr 38
adm^r with the will annexed of William S Booth dec^d Thour 3.50

Northumberland County to wit This day Thomas S. Lydner Com^r personally appeared before me and made oath that he was actually engaged five hours in making up the preceding account - Given under my hand this 2^d day of January 1845

J. Pascoe

Returned into Northumberland Circuit Superior Court the 2^d day of April 1845 and ordered to lie till the next term for consideration or exception - And on the 23^d day of October 1845 the same was examined Confirmed and ordered to be recorded

Truly recorded

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L. A. M. Leland Clerk CC

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Virginia

Shew at the Court house of the County of North before the Judge of our Circuit
Superior Court of Law and Chancery for the said County on the 3^d day of April
in the year one thousand eight hundred & thirty three

Before the Honorable John Taylor Lomax Judge of the said Court.

It is remembered that heretofore to wit: on the 6th day of January in the year
one thousand eight hundred and thirty two came Eliza & Rhoda Blunden by Thomas
Bony their guardian & next friend, by their attorney and sued out of the office of the Clerk
of the Superior Court of Law and Chancery for North County at writ of Subpoena against

Mendes & Blunden admors of Elijah Blunden dec^d & Mend Bets, which said Subpoena
with the return thereon made are in the words & figures following - To wit

The Commonwealth of Virginia - To the Sheriff of North County, Greeting;

We Command you that you summon Mendes Blunden admors of Elijah Blunden
dec^d and Mend Bets personally to appear at the Clerk's office of our Circuit Super-
ior Court of Law and Chancery for the said County on the first Monday in Febru-
ary next, to answer the bill in chancery exhibited against them in our said
Court by Eliza and Rhoda Blunden by Thomas Bony their guardian & next
friend; and unless they shall answer the same within four months thereafter
the Court will take the same for confessed and decree accordingly - and
that they shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of \$222.33¹/₂ each. And
have then there this writ. Witness L. A. M. Leland Clerk of our said Court

with the return thereon made are in the words & figures following - To wit
The Commonwealth of Virginia - To the Sheriff of North County, Greeting;
We Command you that you summon Wendor Blundon administrator of Elifas Blundon
deceased and Henry Betts personally to appear at the Clerk's office of our Circuit Superi-
or Court of Law and Chancery for the said County in the first Monday in Febru-
ary next to answer the bill in chancery exhibited against them in our said
Court by Elifas and Rhoda Blundon by Thomas Berry their Guardian & next
friend; and unless they shall answer the same within four months thereafter
the Court will take the same for confessed and decree accordingly - and
this they shall in no wise omit, under the penalty of \$333 33 1/3 each. And
have then shown this writ. Witness I A McElana Clerk of our said Court
the 6th day of January 1832 in the 56th year of our Independence

I A McElana

Sheriff's Return

Executed - John Hull D^y for Joseph Bailey Sheriff
And at another day, To wit, At Rules held in the Clerk's office of the said
Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for North County in the day of
came Elifas Blundon & Rhoda Blundon by Thomas Berry their guardian &
next friend & filed their certain bill of complaint against the said Wendor Blundon
administrator of Elifas Blundon deceased & Henry Betts, which ^{said} bill is in the words & figures follow-
ing to wit - Is the Honorable John Taylor Judge of the Superior Court of Law &
Chancery for the County of Northumberland Humbly complaining shew unto your Honors
your Obedtys Elifas Blundon and Rhoda Blundon by Thomas Berry their Guardian & next friend
that sometime in the year 1829 Elifas Blundon granted & gave of your Obedtys a part to
this life intestate possessed of a considerable personal estate, leaving your Obedtys his
grand children his sole heirs & next of kin that upon or soon after the death of the said
intestate to wit, on the 14th December 1829 a certain Wendor Blundon obtained letters of
administration on the estate of the said Elifas Blundon in the County Court of Northumberland
& with Henry Betts his security entered into & acknowledged a bond in the penalty of
\$500 for his faithful admin of said estate, which will more fully appear by a refer-
ence to a copy of the said bond marked A herewith filed & prayed to be taken as part
hereof that the said Wendor Blundon by virtue of the said letters of admin & po-
ssessed himself of the whole personal estate of the said intestate & has since
paid the said intestate's funeral expenses & just debts, & has now in his hands

a large surplus which is distributable between your Orators. Your Ors have by their guardian & next friend repeatedly applied to the said Minor Blundon & Next Best his security when your Orator pray may be made debts here to, to pay over to your Orator their respective parts or shares of the said intestate's real & personal estate and your Orators will hope that the said debt would have complied with their reasonable request, but now so it is may it please your Honor the said debt absolutely refuse so to do, alleging there is no surplus to divide amongst your Orators. Whereas your Ors expressly charge that there is a considerable surplus to be divided between them - all which actings and doings of the said debt are contrary to equity and good conscience - it is and therefore the said debt may be compelled to answer the premises as full & distinctly as if the same were herein again repeated by special interrogatories & that an account may be taken of the personal estate & effects of the said intestate which have to the hands of the said debt Minor, or any person or persons for him - and also that an account of the said intestate's personal expenses & just debts - and that the said intestate's personal estate may be applied in a due course of administration and the clear residue thereof ascertained & distributed amongst & between your Orators in equal portions to each of them - and that your Honor would grant such other & further relief in the premises as to you shall seem just - In witness whereof the Commencement & Subscripⁿ & they accordingly bound will ever pray.

The Exhibit referred to in the foregoing bill is in these words & figures following, to wit:

Exhibit A.

I know all men by these presents, that the Minor Blundon & Next Best are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Lambkin, Joseph Ball Jr, Daniel Boy & John Blackwell, Gentlemen Justices of the Peace of the County Court of North now sitting, and to their Successors, in the sum of Five hundred dollars, for the payment whereof, we and they, to be made to the said Justices and their Successors, do bind ourselves and each of us, our and each of our heirs, executors and admins, jointly & severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with our seals and dated this fourteenth day of December one thousand eight hundred & twenty nine. The Condition of the above obligation is such, that if the said Minor Blundon admin of the goods & chattels and credits of Elijah Blundon decd, do make a true and perfect inventory of all & singular the goods & chattels and credits of the said decd, which have or shall come to the hands, possession or knowledge of him the said Minor Blundon or on the hands or possession of any other person or persons for him, and the same so made, do exhibit in the County Court of North when he shall be thereunto required by the said Court; and such goods & chattels and credits do well and truly administer according to Law, and further do make a just and true account of his actings and doings therein, when thereunto

that an account of the said indebtedness & unpaid expenses & just debts - and that the
said indebtedness personal estate may be applied in a due course of administration and
the clear residue thereof ascertained & distributed amongst & between your estate
in equal portions to each of them - and that your Honour would grant such other
& further relief in the premises as to you shall seem just - Yr. Obedient son, etc.
Commonwealth of Suffolk 1st & 2nd Decr, a. c. duty, bound will ever pray,
The Exhibit referred to in the foregoing bill is in these words & begins following, to wit

Exhibit A.

I now all men by these presents, that Mr. Minder Blundon & Minda Bates
are held and firmly bound unto Matthew Lambkin, Joseph Ball, Jr. Sam-
-ridge Cox & John Blackwell, Gentlemen justices of the Peace of the County
Court of North now sitting, and to their Successors, in the sum of Five hundred
dollars, to the payment whereof, well and truly, to be made to the said justices
and their Successors, to bind ourselves and each of us, our and each of our
heirs, executors and adminis, jointly & severally, firmly by these presents, sealed with
our seals and dated this fourteenth day of December one thousand eight hun-
-dred & twenty nine. The Condition of the above obligation is such, that if the
said Minder Blundon admin of the goods & chattels and credits of Elias Blun-
del, do make a true and perfect inventory of all & singular the goods, chattels
and credits of the said decd, which have or shall come to the hands, possession or knowledge
of him the said Minder Blundon or on the hands or possession of any other person or
persons for him, And the same, so made, do exhibit into the County Court of
North when he shall be thereunto required by the said Court; and such goods
chattels and credits do well and truly administer according to law, and further
do make a just and true account of his actings and doings therein when thereunto
required by the said Court; and all the rest of the said goods, chattels & credits
which shall be found remaining upon the account of the said administration
the same being first examined and allowed by the justices of the said Court for the being
there deliver and pay unto such persons, respectively, as shall be entitled to the same by law, and if it
hereafter appear that any last will & Testament was made by the said decd, and the same be proved in
Court, and the Executor obtain a Certificate of the probate thereof, and the said Minder Blundon
do in such case, being required, render and deliver up his letters of admin, then this
obligation to be void else to remain in full force and virtue

Attest - Justs

M. B. Blundon & Minda Bates

Minder Blundon Seal
Minda Bates Seal

Court, and the Examiners obtain a Certificate of the probate thereof, and the said Pruders Blunden do in such case, being required, render and deliver up his letter of admission, then his obligation will bind him to remain in full force and Virtue

Atty - Gt

M. Bracey & Co

Pruders Blunden

Wm Bates

Seal
Seal

1529 Jan 21

1529 Jan 15

And at another day, To wit. At a Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery held for the County of Northumberland at the Court house thereof on Friday the 19th day of October 1832. This Cause came on for hearing on the bill & exhibits & it appearing to the Court that the bill of the Complainant has been filed & verified, sworn to by the Deft. who is failing to answer the said bill the same is taken for confessed as to the said Deft, & was argued by Counsel. On consideration whereof the Court doth advise order and decree that the Deft Pruders Blunden admit of Elijah Blunden dcd as state an account of his acting & doings as adm^r of the said Elijah Blunden dcd before the Comm^r of this Court. & that the said Comm^r do state & specify any matter deemed pertinent by himself or which either party may require

Copy

J. W. Leland & Co.

Commissioner's office North Carolina Dec 12 1832

The Parties interested will please take notice that I have appointed the 15 day of January next, to commence the account directed in the foregoing order of Court, on which day at 11 o'clock A.M. they are requested to attend at my office in the Jury room, Northumberland Court House, with their accounts and vouchers, ready for examination and settlement, and office copies of the necessary Court papers

Thomas S. Lyane Commissioner

Sheriff's Return

I executed the within notice in Wm Bates & the Deft the 24 December 1832 & not on Pruders Blunden because not found - John Hays dit for Wm Henderson Shff

And at another day, To wit. On the 31st day of January 1832 the following Commissioner's report was received & filed in this Cause. To wit

1st The Estate of Elijah Blunden dcd in account with Pruders Blunden

copy made under power of myself or which either party may desire
 Copy
 St. John Island Ck.

Commissioner's Office - North Castle House Dec 12 1832

The Parties interested will please take notice that I have appointed the 15 day of January next, to commence the account directed in the foregoing order of Court, on which day at 11 o'clock A.M. They are requested to attend at my office in the Jury room, North Castle House, with their accounts and vouchers, ready for examination and settlement, and office copies of the necessary Court papers

Thomas S. Lyman Commissioner

Sheriff's return

I executed the within notice in Good Betts & the Perry the 24 December 1832 & not in order Blunder because not found - John Hull del for W. Henderson Sheriff
 And at another day to wit On the 31st day of January 1833 the following Commissioner's report was received & filed in this cause. To wit

1 st The Estate of Elijah Blunder dec'd in account with Prinder Blunder his adm ^r			
1832 Aug. 13	To Cash paid Remant Surge	present receipt	\$ 22 16
Aug 3	of William Blunder for rent	present	15 00
July 3	paid John Hull for crying the estate	present	1. 25
for	Said William Blunder	present receipt	16 54
	Said Ditto for 13 Coffin	present receipt	10. 00
	Commissioner on p ^{re} 22 Jun	5 per cent	10 10
	Balance due		127. 00
			\$202. 07
1832 Dec 29	By Good Betts Bond payable to the estate found in the House for		25. 00
	By 1 Bed, Bedstead, 3 Counterpane and 1 sheet which were taken from the late residence of the dec'd by the daughter of Mrs Lucy Blunder by and with the consent of the adm ^r & Com ^r by the oath of Henry Corbice		15. 00
1832 Jan 21	By Amount of the account of sales of the Estate due this day		162 07
			\$202 07
1833 Jan 15	By Balance due the Estate for rent		127 00
	With interest thereon from the 21 st Jun 1830 until paid		

Pursuant to the within directed order of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery of Northumberland County dated the 19th of October 1832. The undersigned Commissioner having given the within notice to the parties concerned to examine the above account of Mender Blundon's admin upon the Estate of Elijah Blundon and having found the same correct and supported by legal and proper vouchers and report that I find a balance due from the admin to the Estate of his intestate of the sum of One hundred and twenty seven Dollars with interest thereon from the twenty first day of June one thousand eight hundred & thirty. All of which is respectfully submitted. Given under my hand at my office this the 19th day of January 1833

Thomas Sydnor - Commissioner

Commissioner's Office, North Court House January 21st 1833

The foregoing account Vofol having been completed more than 10 days and retained in my office for the examination of the parties - and no objection or exception being taken thereto the same is returned to the Court

Thomas Sydnor Commissioner

and at another day to wit - On the 3rd day of April 1833 the following account of Thomas Sydnor Commissioner was received & filed in this cause - To wit Thomas Bury Guardian Trustee to the Orphans of - Blundon

At Thomas Sydnor Commissioner in Chancery of the S to of Law & Chancery the 1833 Jan 19. In testifying the parties and settling and reporting Mender Blundon's acct of his admin upon the Estate of Elijah Blundon died - 3 Hours } 3rd Northumberland County, To wit

This day Thomas Sydnor Commissioner of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery of Northumberland County personally appeared before me a Justice of the peace of the aforesaid County and made oath that the above account was correct - Given under my hand this the 5th of April 1833 - W. Wardlaw Jr 1833 - April 3rd Received of Thomas Bury three witnesses in favor of the within account Thomas Sydnor Commissioner

And now at this day to wit, At a Circuit Superior Court of Law & Chancery held for the County of North at the Court House thereof on the same day and year first herein mentioned - to wit on the 5th day of April 1833 - This cause came on to be heard again on the papers formerly read and the report of Commissioner Sydnor made pursuant to the order in this cause of the 19th day of October 1832 to which there is no exception, and was argued by counsel - On consideration thereof the Court approving

of Law and Chancery of Northumberland County personally appeared before me
a Justice of the peace of the said County and made oath that the above account
was correct - Given under my hand this 5th April 1833. W. Harding Jr
1833 - April 3rd Received of Thomas Bury there witnesses in full of the within account
Thomas & Lydia Commissioners

And now at this day to wit, At a circuit Superior Court of Law & Chancery held
for the County of North at the Court house thereof on the same day and year first
herin mentioned to wit on the 5th day of April 1833 - This cause came on to be
heard again on the papers formerly read and the report of Commissioners Sydnor made
pursuant to the order in this cause of the 19th day of October 1832 to which there
is no exception, and was argued by counsel - On consideration whereof the Court approving
of and confirming the said report, doth adjudge, order and decree that the debt pay to
the pett^r Eliza Blundon the sum of \$63.50 cents with interest thereon at the
rate of 6 per cent per annum from the 21st day of June 1830 till paid, and to the
pett^r Rhoda Blundon the like sum with the like interest thereon from the same
time till paid, but on execution is to be paid on the debts aforesaid respectively
till the said pett^rs respectively or some person for them respectively shall have
entered into bond with good security in a penalty of \$127 - with condition
to refund respectively their due proportion of any debt or claim against the estate
of Eliza Blundon and which may hereafter appear and the costs of recovering
the same till paid - and liberty is granted to the debt^r Peter to apply to this Court

307) For a decree against the debt^r Blundon in case he should be compelled to
a sum decreed as aforesaid on either of them or any part thereof

In pursuance of the above decree the following lands were seized & sold in this cause, Dunt,
1837. It was all given by these presents that the Thomas Bury Executor & next friend of
Eliza Blundon & Samuel Bury are held and firmly bound unto Wendell Blundon administrator
of Eliza Blundon dead in the just and full sum of one hundred and twenty seven dollars
the payment whereof was and truly is to be made to the said Wendell Blundon or his heirs, executors
administrators, jointly, severally and each of our joint and several heirs
& administrators, sealed with our seals and dated this 19th day of April 1833
The Condition of the above obligation is such, that if the said Eliza Blundon shall die

in the payment thereof and are duly to be made to the said Widow Blunden or his heirs, executors or assigns, We bind ourselves jointly & severally and each of our joint and several heirs, executors or assigns, Sealed with our seals and dated the 19th day of April 1833

The Condition of the above Obligation is such, that if the said Eliza Blunden shall appear the due proportions of any debts or claims which may hereafter appear against the Estate of the said Eliza Blunden and the cost of recovering the same, then the above Obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force and virtue

Witnessed, sealed & delivered in
the presence of J. A. McIsland

Thomas Berry
Samuel Berry

Seal
Seal

in Chambersland County, SC. - Samuel Berry, this day sworn before me and found that his estate after payment of his just debts is worth one hundred and Twenty seven dollars the penalty of the bond - Given under my hand the day and year above said

J. A. McIsland cc

422 - I find all men by their presents, that the Thomas Berry Guardian & next friend of Rhoda Blunden & Samuel Berry are held & firmly bound to Rhoda Blunden widow of Eliza Blunden and do in the sum of One Hundred and Twenty seven dollars - To the payment whereof well and truly to be made to the said Rhoda Blunden his heirs executors or assigns - We bind ourselves jointly and severally & each of our joint & several heirs executors or assigns by these presents - Sealed with our seals & dated the 20th day of April 1833

The Condition of the above Obligation is such that if the said Rhoda Blunden shall once & truly refuse her due proportion of any debts or claims which may hereafter appear against the Estate of the said Eliza Blunden and the cost of recovering the same, the above Obligation to be void, otherwise to remain in full force & virtue

Witnessed & acknowledged in
presence of J. A. McIsland

Thomas Berry
Samuel Berry

Seal
Seal

And Berry made oath this day before me that his estate after payment of his debts is worth \$127 the penalty of the bond - the 20th of April 1833

J. A. McIsland cc

Now at the Court House of the County of Northumberland before the Judge of
 our Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for the said County on the 31st day of
 April in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty three

Before the Honourable John Taylor Esq. Judge of the said Court
 Be it remembered that heretofore to wit, Mr. Butler held in the Clerk's office of the
 said Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for Northumberland County, for
 the month of April in the 1832. Came James V. Dick by Execution of Peter Coy and
 and William Micalleton administrators of Thomas Conway deceased by their attorney, & filed their
 Bill of Complaint against Edward Cole late Sheriff of Northumberland County and
 administrators of William Gordon and, Martha J. Gordon, Juliana J. Gordon, Bethune
 Nelson, Samuel Downing, George Downing, Thomas C. Lyman & Sarah his wife, William
 Herbert administrators of Joseph Conway and and James M. Smith Executors of James Smith deceased,
 which said Bill & Exhibits referred to and filed herewith are in the words & figures
 following, to wit, -

To the Honourable Judge of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for the
 County of Northumberland in Chancery sitting - Your Petitioners James Coy and Peter Coy
 Executors of Peter Coy deceased and William Micalleton administrator of Thomas Conway deceased humbly
 complaining shew to your honour, that on the _____ day of _____ William Gordon
 (since deceased), qualified as Executor of John Gordon deceased in the County Court of North-
 -umberland and Chancery gave bond as such, with Ann Gordon, the said Peter Coy
 and Joseph Conway & John Graham his securities in said bond. That afterward on the
 27th day of February 1806 the said William Gordon by his deed of that date conveyed to
 Thomas J. Downing part of a Tract of land lying in the said County of Northumber-
 -land called Tent Hill in Trust, that if the said securities or any of them refused
 -refuse should sustain any injury by reason of their securityship aforesaid, that
 the said Thomas J. Downing should make sale of the said land conveyed, for the purpose
 of indemnifying such securities or their representatives; which said deed on the 15th day
 of April 1806 was acknowledged by the said William Gordon before the County Court
 of Northumberland and duly recorded, - A certified copy of which is herewith exhibited
 as a part of this Bill marked B.1 - That afterwards on the 13th day of July 1807 the
 said William Gordon by deed of that date conveyed to the said Thomas J. Downing
 the remaining part of the said Tract of land called Tent Hill lying in the
 said County of North together with some slaves and other property in the said deed mentioned
 in Trust for the said purposes as set forth in the said deed of the 27th of February 1806

To the Honorable Judge of the Circuit Superior Court of Law and Chancery for the
County of Northumberland in Chancery sitting - Your Orator James G. and John G.
Eggs of Peter & Co. decd and William Michaelson administrators of Thomas Conway decd. humbly
complaining that to your honor, that on the _____ day of _____ William Gordon
(since deceased) qualified as executor of John Gordon decd in the County Court of North-
umberland and thereupon gave bond as such, with Ann Gordon, the said Peter & Co.
and Joseph Conway & John Graham his securities in said bond. That afterwards on the
27th day of February, 1806 the said William Gordon by his deed of that date conveyed
Thomas I. Downing part of a tract of land lying in the said County of Northumber-
land called Tent Hill in Trust, that if the said securities or any of them refused
- refused should sustain any injury by reason of their security, that afterwards, that
the said Thomas I. Downing should make sale of the said land conveyed, for the purpose
of indemnifying such securities or their representatives; which said deed on the 15th day
of April 1806 was acknowledged by the said William Gordon, before the County Court
of Northumberland and duly recorded, - a certified copy of which is herewith exhibited
as a part of this bill marked N^o 1 - That afterwards on the 13th day of July 1807 the
said William Gordon by deed of that date conveyed to the said Thomas I. Downing
the remaining part of the said tract of land called Tent Hill lying in the
said County of Northumberland together with some slaves and other property in the said deed mentioned
in Trust for the same purposes as set forth in the said deed of the 27th February 1806
which said deed of the 13th July 1807 was on that day acknowledged before the County
Court of Northumberland by the said William Gordon and duly recorded, a certified copy
of which is herewith exhibited as a part of this bill marked N^o 2 - Your Orator
further shews that on the 7th day of October 1805 in a suit then depending in the Superi-
or Court of Chancery for the Trinity District between Leroy & William & Margaret William
Eggs of James William decd. pettors & the said William Gordon Eggs of John Gordon decd
& other defendants under the style of William & Gordon, the said Court decreed that the
said William Gordon Eggs of John Gordon decd should pay to the pettors in that suit a sum
of pence with interest on \$1750. 61 cents past thereof from the 31st December 1801 for that
when the amount of which sum it was ascertained by the said decree that the
said William Gordon was indebted to the estate of his intestate John Gordon, a
copy of which decree is herewith exhibited as a part of this bill marked N^o 3
and afterwards on the 9th day of May 1806 the said Court made a further decree

1829 in the said suit that your Orator James & Fleet Bay Esqrs of the said Peter Bay ad
 William Herbst admr of the said Joseph Conway ad out of the estate respectively represented
 by them and John Graham should pay to the plffs in the said suit the said sum & interest
 as aforesaid the decree aforesaid as the said Mr. Green having since procured a copy
 of which decree is herewith exhibited marked M. 4. That afterwards on the 11th day of
 1829 another suit then depending in the said Superior Court of Chancery between
 James M. Smith Esq of James Smith dec plff and Edward Cole Sheriff of North Adams
 of the said William Gordon dec & admr in law of the said John Gordon dec and others
 defendants came on to be heard together with the said cause of Williams vs Gordon which
 was then revived against the said Edward Cole admr as aforesaid of the said William & John Gordon
 dec: and the said Court decreed in the said cases that the said Edward Cole admr of William
 Gordon dec: who was Esq of John Gordon ad, William Herbst admr of the said Joseph Conway
 dec & your Orator James and Fleet Bay Esqrs of the said Peter Bay dec, out of the estate respect
 ively represented by them and John Graham should pay to the plffs Smith in the first case
 the sum of \$1107.61 with interest on \$400.00 part thereof from the 31st December 1821 & the
 balance of the said plffs expended in that suit being part of the amount aforesaid to be due
 from the said William Gordon to the estate of his decedent John Gordon, and should pay to the
 plffs in the second case the sum of \$355.37 being the balance of the sum found due from
 the said William Gordon to the estate of the said John Gordon, subject to a credit for the
 amount as aforesaid in the case of Smith vs Gordon a copy of which decree is herewith
 exhibited marked M. 5. Your Orator further shew that afterwards suits were constituted
 in the said Superior Court of Chancery by the said Lemuel & William & Allen Williams Esqrs of
 James Williams dec and by the said James M. Smith Esq of James Smith dec to enforce the decrees
 aforesaid against the said William Herbst admr of the said Joseph Conway dec: Your Orator
 William Bradburn admr of Thomas Conway dec who was one of the executors for the said William
 Herbst administrator of the estate of the said Joseph Conway dec: Your Orator James and Fleet Bay
 Esqrs of Peter Bay dec, and other defendants, which suits under the style of Williams vs Herbst
 and Smith vs Herbst were transferred by Law to the Circuit Superior Court of Law and
 Chancery for the County of Philadelphia. That on the 21st day of September 1821 the said Circuit
 Superior Court of Philadelphia decreed in the said case of Williams vs Herbst that your Orator
 James and Fleet Bay Esqrs of Peter Bay dec, the said William Herbst admr of Joseph Conway
 dec: Your Orator William Bradburn admr of the said Thomas Conway dec, the said Edward Cole
 Sheriff of Northumberland admr of the said William Gordon dec out of assets of his intestate in
 his hands to be administered if so much thereof he had, and the said John Graham should pay
 to the plaintiff in that suit the sum of \$3371.40 with interest on \$1750.61 part thereof
 from the 31st December 1821 till paid, being the amount of the decrees aforesaid in the case
 of Williams vs Gordon, and also the costs of the plffs in the said suit of Williams vs Herbst
 of \$11.20 and also the costs of the plffs in the said suit of Smith vs Gordon of \$11.20. That on the day of

in the said Superior Court of Chancery of the said County of
Anne Williams died and by the said James & Elizabeth Executors of the said James Smith died to enforce the decree
afforded against the said William Herbert administrator of the said Joseph Conway died. Your Orator
William Middleton administrator of the said Thomas Conway died who was one of the securities for the said William
Herbert administrator of the estate of the said Joseph Conway died. Your Orator James and Elizabeth Executors of Peter Poy died, and other defendants, which suits under the style of Williams vs Herbert
and Smith vs Herbert were transferred by Law to the Circuit Superior Court of Law and
Chancery for the County of Philadelphia. That on the 21st day of September 1821 the said Circuit
Superior Court of Philadelphia decreed in the said case of Williams vs Herbert that your Orator
James and Elizabeth Executors of Peter Poy died, the said William Herbert administrator of Joseph Conway
died. Your Orator William Middleton administrator of the said Thomas Conway died, the said Edward Cole
died. Your Orator William Middleton administrator of the said William Gordon died out of assets of his estate in
his hands to be administered if so much thereof he had, and the said John Graham should pay
to the plaintiff in that suit the sum of \$2,371.40 with interest on \$1,750.61 part thereof
from the 31st December 1821 till paid, being the amount of the decree afforded in the case
of Williams vs Gordon, and also the costs of the plaintiff in the said suit of Williams vs Herbert
of which record is hereunto filed marked B. C. That on the day of and
execution was issued on the said decree for the said sum of with interest as aforesaid and \$125.20
costs by virtue of which your Orator James & Elizabeth Executors of Peter Poy died have been com-
pelled to pay the sum of \$1624.74 cts. And your Orator William Middleton administrator of
Thomas Conway died has been compelled to pay the like sum of \$1624.74 cts. Your Orator further
shews that the said William Gordon in his last time on or about the 20th of May 1825 conveyed
his equity of redemption in part of the said tract of land called Fort Hill to Thomas Charles
and that the said Thomas Charles afterwards on or about the day of
conveyed the same to Catharine Helme who as your Orator has been informed sold & conveyed
a part thereof to Edmund Downing that the said William Gordon in his last time on or about

600 the day of conveyed his equity of redemption in the remaining part
of the said tract of land called Fort Hill to the said John Graham in trust for the benefit
of his wife Martha T Gordon and his child Julianne Gordon who is an infant under
the age of 21. Your Orator further shews that Thomas Downing the trustee in the aforesaid
said of 23rd of February 1826 and 13th July 1827 died on or about the day of
leaving the following persons his heirs at Law viz Sarah a daughter who married
Thomas C Lydard, Henry Downing, Ephraim Downing, Richard Downing and Elizabeth Downing
Children of the said Thomas Downing of whom the said Ephraim, Richard & Elizabeth have

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Children of the said Thomas & Darning of whom the said Deponents, were and are acquainted and
since did collect and multiplied. Your Orators further shew that all the personal property
conveyed by the said deed of the 13th July 1837 has either finished or ^{but} remained to pass under
- and to your Orator except one old negro woman of no value - Your Orators are advised
that they have a right to suggest the said tract of land called Fort Hill to be
for the purpose of indemnifying them for the amount which they have been compelled
to pay in discharge of the Execution aforesaid in favour of William Edwards and also of
discharging the amount of the claim of the said James M. Smith Esq of James
Smith deed, which is sought to be enforced against your Orators in the said suit
of Smith vs. Herbert still depending in the said Circuit Superior Court of Judicature
- Panola County - but as in consequence of the death of the trustee aforesaid such
sale cannot be effected without the aid of a Court of Equity. It is the order therefore
that the said Cavanahoe be Sheriff of Northumberland County administrator of the said Will-
- come Ward did, Martha T. Gordon, Juliana T. Gordon, John Graham, Catherine Adams, Samuel
Darning, Henry Darning, Thomas D. Hyatt & Sarah his wife, William Herbert admors of papers
Conway and James M. Smith Esq of James Smith deed may be made defendants to
this bill and may answer the same or each and that the Court may decree a sale
of the said tract of land called Fort Hill and that the proceeds of sale be applied
in the first place to reimburse your Orators the amount paid by them as aforesaid
in discharge of the Execution aforesaid of William Edwards and in the next place to discharge
the claim of the said Smith Esq aforesaid so as to indemnify your Orators against that claim
And that your Orators may have such other and further relief in the premises as the
Honourable Court may seem proper, may it please your Honours to grant to your Orators
the Commonwealms writ of Subpoena.

And which refers to in the foregoing bill are in these words to wit
Exhibit A

This Indenture made this 21st day of Feb^y Anno Domini Eighteen Hundred & 37 between
William Ward of the County of North, of the first part, Tho S. Darning of the same County of the
second part, and Peter Cox of the County of Westmoreland, Jo Conway, John Graham, & Amel Ward
of the said County of North of the third part, Witnesseth that the said William Ward
for and in consideration of the sum of one dollar to him in hand paid by the said Thomas
S. Darning at and before the enrolling and delivery of these presents, the receipt whereof
of he hath hereby acknowledged, hath granted, bargained, sold and conveyed and by these
presents, doth grant, bargain, receive and convey, unto the said Thomas S. Darning out of
and from a certain tract or parcel of land, situated and lying & being within aforesaid
County of North and called & known by the name of Fort Hill, all that part
thereof which lies in the south side of the road passing through the said tract
of land to the mill belonging to the said William Ward, which part of the said tract
lying on the South side of the said road, and hereby conveyed, contains by estimation
five hundred acres more or less, together with and having singular the tenements, buildings