

Jesse Court No 366 WJ.

I Give unto my son Thomas Adams one hundred and forty five Acres of Land and Plantation
 along with all the Appurtenances thereon to him and his heirs forever
 I Give unto my son James Adams all my working Tools of all sorts I Give unto
 my son James Adams four Yards of Flax and one half of my wearing
 Cloth and one bed and furniture belonging to it that did belong to his Grand Mother
 and one Gun.

I Give unto my daughter Mary Adams one bed and furniture that belongs to it

I Give unto my daughter Agnes Adams my horse.

I Give unto my daughter Elizabeth Gell half a Crown and all Money.

I Give all the rest of my personal estate after ^{my} debts and Legacies paid unto my wife
 Agnes Adams during her ^{life} Natural or widowhood and then to be in equal division
 Between the rest of my Children to wit, Martha Adams and Ann Adams Sarah Adams &
 Thomas Adams.

I do constitute and appoint my loving wife Agnes Adams and my son Benjamin
 Adams my whole and true Executors of this my last will and Testament in witness
 whereof I have set my hand and Affixed my seal this 23^d day of March in the Year
 of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and fifty six.

Sealed, published in presence of us

Benjamin Adams

Joseph Gell

Samuel Fells

William Gell

Alla Court held for Supra County by the 14th day of June 1756.

The above written last Will and Testament of Benjamin Adams deceased was presented
 in Court by Agnes Adams and Benjamin Adams Executors therein named who made
 who made Oath thereunto according to Law and the same was proved by the Oaths of
 Joseph Gell and Samuel Fells two of the Witnesses thereto and by the Court Ordered to be
 recorded, and on the Motion of the said Executors Certificate is Granted them for
 obtaining a precept thereupon in due form.

J. Gell

W. Gell

An Account Current of the estate of John Briggs deceased 1756

To Land paid Doctor Fells

To 32 of Feb^y paid the Secretary &c

£ 3. 3. 0

On 5. 14

anno xxxth George the second.

To paid 72 ^{rs} 6 ^d to Col: Aug. Blairborne Esq	£ 0. 12.
To paid for a coffin	£ 0. 10.
	£ 34. 13.
By Cash in the House	4. 7.
By 2 ^{rs} received of Mr. John Joby	8. 6.
By 663 ^{rs} of Job: of Mr. John Joby	2. 16.
By 333 ^{rs} Dr. by ... Dr. & 2 ^{rs} 10 ^d	1. 18.
By the sale of the estate	3. 11.
By 1/2 part of Lucretia Driggs's estate	5. 4.
By 1/2 part	1. 10.
By a 1/2 of Job: 10 ^{rs} 11 ^d 5 ^d 1/2	27. 12.
	7. 1.
	34. 13.

E. E. J.

Mary Bonner Administratrix

In Obedience to the Wth of the Court of Surrogate we the subscribers have Audited the account and find it to be truly stated.

James & Son & David Mavor

All Court held for Surrogate County the 14th day of June 1756.

This account of the Administration of Mary Bonner - of the estate of John Driggs dec'd was returned and being examined by person specially appointed for that purpose was by the Court Ordered to be recorded.

Read.

Teste

Abel Blairborne Cth.

In the name of God Amen I Ann Thawwits of Albemarle parish in the County of Surry being sick and weak of body but of perfect sense and disposing Memory thanks be to God for the same do make and Ordain this my last will and testament in Manner and following.

I Give and bequeath my soul into the hands of Almighty God who hath given me and my body I Commit to the earth to be buried in a Christian like and decent Manner at the discretion of my executor hereafter named and as for my worldly estate I wish it hath pleased God to send me with I Give and dispose of the same in manner and form following Viz^t

I Give and bequeath to be equally divided all my estate which can be parted or Shown Mine after my death among five Children I namely Nathaniel Adams John Thawwits

Isaac Thawwits Edward Thawwits and Mary Thawwits and their heirs forever.

I do appoint my son in Law Robert Newmarr my whole and sole executor of the

Anno xxxth George the second

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An Inventory of the estate Benjamin Adams deced An Account of the Goods and Chattels provided by John Adams William Knight & Jeremiah Bullock by Order of Court December the 8th 1756. to.

To 2 Coals	£ 0. 16. 0
To a Barrel of Cloth	7. 8. 0
To a piece of Cloth & trimmings	1. 16. 6
To 1 Hat	0. 1. 6
To 1 Bed and Furniture	5. 0. 0
To 1 Bed and Furniture	2. 10. 0
To 1 Bed and Furniture	3. 3. 6
To 6 Leather Chairs	1. 10. 0
To 1 Bed and Furniture	2. 0. 0
To 1 Stone & 2 Navors	0. 3. 0
To a Barrel of old Lumber	0. 10. 0
To 1 Trunk and a piece of box	0. 9. 0
To looking Glass	0. 5. 0
To 1 Chair of Drawers	2. 10. 0
To 1 Diaper Table Cloth & 14. Napkins	2. 8. 0
To 7 Chairs	0. 7. 6
To 1 Spice master and a Bettle	0. 5. 0
To a Barrel of Lumber	0. 11. 0
To 2 Chairs	1. 5. 0
To a Barrel of Lumber	0. 12. 0
To a Barrel of Lumber	2. 8. 0
To 1 Horse	4. 0. 0
To a mare and Coll.	3. 10. 0
To a pair of Shillards	0. 3. 0
To 1 Grind stone	0. 1. 0
To 1 Table and bench	2. 10. 0
To a Barrel of Lumber	0. 6. 0
To a pair of Copper tools	1. 8. 0
To a Barrel of Lumber	0. 1. 0
To 3 Iron Bells	1. 8. 0
To a Barrel of Iron Machine Tools	0. 5. 0
To a pair of Iron Machine Tools	0. 12. 0
To a Barrel of old Iron	0. 15. 0
To 1 Bunn	0. 12. 0

December last. 1756

To myself	£ 0. 4. 0
To a hire	0. 3. 0
To convey land and house	0. 2. 0
To 1000 bush and bush	0. 6. 0
To 2000 do	0. 1. 0
To a barrel of Oats	0. 12. 4
To a barrel of old Lumber	0. 11. 0
To 9 th	0. 6. 0
To 2000	0. 2. 0
To 1000	0. 12. 0
To 1000	0. 3. 0
To a barrel of Hops	2. 12. 0
To 1000	1. 10. 0
To 9000 of cattle	6. 10. 0
To 1000 and 1000	0. 10. 0
To 1000 of cattle	0. 8. 0
To 2000	0. 5. 0

John ^{his} ~~the~~ ^{mark} Barnes

Alvin ^{his} ~~the~~ ^{mark} Barnes

Siminiah Bullback

William Knight

A Court held for before County the 17th day of December 1756

This Inventory of the estate of Benjamin Adams deced was returned and by the Court ordered

to be recorded

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Alvin Barnes

Item and perfect Inventory of the estate of Elizabeth Martin deced (Decemb^r 16th 1756)
 3 Head of Cattle 6 Ditts of Hogs 2 feather Beds and Bed steady 2 Iron Stills and Buckets 10 1/2 Yards
 of Virginia black Swine of leather about 60^{lb} of seed Cotton 1 Manure stable 1 Round of Iron
 Cotton 2 pair of shoes 4 Dishes 1 Bason 4 spoons 1 Springe Wren killed 1 Noddy an 1 large
 Chest 1 trunk 1 small Box a small Case of Crochery Ware 1 small table and 2 small stools
 1 Broad Bed 1 Chair and 1 Case 1 Bible 1 Prayer Book 4 small unbound Books 1 spinning Wheel
 2 pair of scissors 1 small 12 inch pair of tongs James Martin D^r to the estate of Benjamin Adams
 1 small slipper 1 Broad tray 100 shillings due from Sunday Regale of 100 shillings