

January Court MDCLX

A Court held for Sussex County the 9th day of January 1709

See above Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of Joel Freeman deceased
Returned, and by the Court Ordered to be Recited.

Teste

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In the Name of God Amen Clement Hancock of Sussex County being in
Health of Body and of Perfect mind & Memory Thinketh he is Unlikely to live long
but calling to mind that it is appointed for all Men once to Die, and not knowing how
soon my Change may come I make and Ordain this my last Will and Testament in
manner and form following. I give and Bequeath my Soul to the hands
of Almighty God who gave it me, and for my worldly Estate which he has pleased God to give
me with give and Dispose of the same as followeth to wit.

I Give and Bequeath to my Son William Hancock and his Heirs forever the one third
wherein I now live with half the Land therein not joining that in One hundred and
Eighty five Acres, it being the half of Three Hundred and twenty five contained in the n. b. l.

I Give and Bequeath to my Son Benjamin Hancock and to his Heirs forever the other
half of my said tract of Land it being one Hundred and eighty five Acres. My Will is that if
my said Son should not agree in the Division of the said Land that they may leave it to
two Men to Divide for them. And my Will further is that if either of my said Sons should
die before he come to Lawful Age or without Lawful Issue that then the other surviving Brother
of them two may inherit the Land — — — left to the other, and his Heirs forever. But in
case both my said Sons should die before they come to Lawful Age, or without Lawful
Issue then I give the said Land to be equally divided between my two Daughters Mary
Hancock and Lucy Hancock, and to their Heirs forever.

I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Anthony Hancock one Negro girl called Kate.

I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Judith Green one Negro girl named Vatt.

I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Lucy Hancock one Negro girl called Alice.

I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Hannah Hancock one Negro girl called Chale.

I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Sarah Hancock one Negro girl called Betty.

My Will and Desire is that if either of my said Daughters should die without Lawful Issue
that the Negro given to them so dying may fall to my two youngest Daughters Sarah and
Mary Hancock.

I Give and Bequeath to my Daughter Mary Hancock one Negro Man called Vatt.

I Give and Bequeath to my Son Clement Hancock, one Negro Child called Tommy.

I Give and Bequeath to my Son William Hancock one Negro Child called Jerry and I have
given to my said Son the first Child that shall be born alive of my Manch Amey.

I Give and Bequeath to my Son Benjamin Hancock my Negro Boy called Little Peter and my
Negro girl called Beck.

I Have the use of my four Negroes Betsey, Will, Beck and Amey to my loving Wife Judith
Hancock during her Natural life or Widowhood as aforesaid her Successor or Widowhood I give
her a four Negroes to be sold, and the Money arising by such sale I give to be equally
divided between seven of my Children namely Anthony Lucy Hannah Sarah Mary
William and Benjamin Hancock. I likewise leave the use of my Land and L. to her
wherein I now live to my loving Wife during her Natural life or Widowhood. I have
the use of all my Stock and Household goods to my said Wife during her Natural

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Widowhood and after her Decease or Widowhood, I give all these said Stock and Home hold Goods to be equally Divided between my said seven Children before mentioned.

I am My Will and Desire, that my Estate be not appraised.

I do hereby Do appoint my loving Wife and my son William Hancock Executors and Executor of this my last Will and Testament Discharging all former Wills by me made In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my Seal this Thirtieth Day of October in the Year of Our Lord Christ One thousand seven Hundred and fifty eight.

Signed sealed and Published by the testator to be his last Will and Testament in the Presence of the And at his request We attested these things as Witnesses &c. &c.

Clement ^{his} Hancock, ^{mark}

John Young

John + Thomas

Isaac + Anne

At a Court held for Suffolk County the 7th day of January 1758.

The afore William last Will and Testament of Clement Hancock died was presented in Court by Anthony Hancock one of the Executors therein named as he made oath there to according to Law and the same was proved by the Oaths of Charles Edwards and Isaac Thomas two of the Witnesses thereto And by the Court Ordered to be Recorded, and on the Oath of the said Executors Certificate is granted her for allowing a Probate thereof in due form.

(Seal)

Albion M. L.

Appraisalment of the Estate of Thomas Robert Deceased.

7 Head of Cattle	4 10
27 Hogs	2 10
6 Sheep	1 10
Wheat of 10 Bush	0 10
1 Sheep fold in West field	0 10
2 flying parsons & 1000	0 6
one Chaffin	12 0
one Cart and Wheel	0 10
one Iron post and 1000	0 7
one 1000 strong Cutch	0 3
one 1000 strong	0 0
4 stone 1000 and 1000 1000 1000 1000	1 0
10 1000	0 8
1 Gun	1 0
8 pair of Cows	0 2
1 pair of Money Cows	0 1
Wheat of 10 Bush	0 3
1 1000	0 1
1 1000	0 3
1 1000	0 1
1 1000	0 7

September Court 1768

In Obedience to an Order of Court, & the Discretion of us to Approve the State of Common Pleas & accordingly being sworn we have taken the same

Joseph Pennington
H. H. Johnson
John Pennington junr.

At a Court held for Superior County the 17th Day of September 1768

This Inventory and Appraisement of the Estate of Common Pleas was returned and by the Court Ordered to be Recorded.

By

Alfaborne Clerk

Dr An Account Current of the Estate of Clement Hargrave Dec.

Sept 1768	To Lucy Mitchell	51011
	To John Pennington Junr.	01519
	To John Heflin	017116
	To Mary's Cde.	01618
26	To John Donkins	316121
March 12	To David Jones Junr.	510122
March 15	To Miles Cary for Advice	01100
	To John Randolph attorney in the G. Court	211110
	To Edward Lee	1115110
April 13	To Benjamin Waller for G. Court Writ vs H th (Poby)	012116
	To Elizabeth Shearman	0119116
May 16	To Andrew Troughton	51101182
June 22	To William (Dancy)	5110110
	To Miles Cary	011150
	To Benjamin Cooke	017116
	To James Jones	017112
	To the Leg of a Warrant	011113
June 14	To Benjamin Cooke	2110110
	To Hugh Jay	0111116
	To John Williamson	012116
	To William Hunt for the Widows Png	011113
	To Peter G. Boffus	11171134
	To John Peters	017118
	To James Boffus	151121712
	To William Boffus	2110110
	To Friedrich Green	2110110
	To Henry Heflin	0110110
	To the Sheriff for Quittants & Taxes of 200 Acres of Land	0119117
	To Richard Smith	2111116
	To P. for 1st G. for the above 200 A. 2	010110
	To Col. Claiborne 1st of 1st. a 2	4116116
	To Col. Mayhew 2d of 1st. a 2	011110
	To the Landlady 72 of 1st. a 2	0112110
		6619110

and

Anna Sir George the Third 220

D Brought from the Other side

To Anthony Hancock

To Burying Clement Hancock Junr's Daughter Suffering

To my Trouble & Disbursements in Selling the Estate

To Samuel Case

\$ 66¹¹ 9¹⁰

5 112¹⁰ 0

5 17¹⁰ 0

4 115¹⁰ 0

0 111¹⁰ 6

75 15 11 1/2

Balance Due

10 13 1/2

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By Sale of the Estate

By John Hunt

By Joseph Perinco

By Anthony Hancock

By Burying of John & Elizabeth

By 392 of Park & 1/2

By 6 Barrels of Corn & 1/2

By Col^l William Lightfoot

\$ 54¹⁶ 17 1/2

12 110 110

0 13 110

5 110 1/2

1 11 11 6

2 11 11 1/2

1 11 11 1/2

6 11 11 1/2

\$ 11 11 1/2

E. C. By John Harrison Adm^r

Pursuant to an Order of the Honorable Court of Superior County Baring Place July 1761 We the Subscribers have examined the within List & find it fully State Given under this hand this 19th Day of August 1761

Ja^s Chappell Junr
David Jones

At a Court held for Superior County the 17th of Sep^r 1761

This act of the admission of John Harrison of the Estate of Clement Hancock Jr and was who having been approved by persons specially appointed by the Court was bid to be recorded

Sept

Augustine (last name)