

Second year of the Commonwealth.

A True and perfect Inventory of the estate of Mary Nicholson deceased.

4 Negroes, 12 head of cattle 2 1/2 Head of sheep 2 bof hogs 3 horfow 1 Still 2 1/2 byder  
 Cawks 4 feather beds and furniture 1 dish 1 corner Cupboard, 1 large looking  
 glafe 1 large black walnut table 1 ditto small 2 fine ditto 10 leather chairs  
 10 plain ditto 1 candle stand, shovel & tongs 1 pair dog Iron 1 box Iron &  
 heater 16 bottles 3 stone jugs 2 d. pots 1 pint pot and funnel, 1 bottle pot  
 1 stone mug 1 pair spoon moulds 1 hone 2 tin canisters 1/2 bushels 25 brown  
 sugar 1 flour tub 1 candlestick, 1 pair <sup>iron</sup> snuffers 1 pair Gardeners shears 1 pair  
 sheep d. 1 Chest 1 flap hatchel 1 flap wheel 2 ditto woolen 18 books 1 pair  
 money scales 1 large Drinking bowl 3 ditto small 1/2 dozen cups & saucers 1 Tea  
 pot 1 Wine glafe 1 salt Cellar, 1/2 dozen tea spoons 1/2 dozen stone plates 1 bush of iron  
 1 pepper box 1 Cream pot 1 sugar box 10 dishes 15 basons 1/2 dozen paster plates  
 9 spoons 8 knives and forks 5 pair cards 1 large Copper Kettle 1 ditto small 1 Iron  
 potter 1 Iron Stillet 1 frying pan 1 spice mortar and pestle 2 pot racks 3 pair d.  
 hooks 1 Iron spit 1 Loam 15 Rays & harrows 3 Shuttles 1 Quill wheel 1 pair flesh  
 hooks 1 half bushel 1 washing tub 1 puggon 2 trays 1 hand Mill 1 drawing knife  
 1 hand saw 1 d. whip 1 d. bays butt 2 Whifels 2 Augers 1 George 1 pointer 1 adze  
 1 spoe 2 pair Iron wedges 3 quering Whilling d. 3 Wooding d. 1 Now d. 3 plain  
 hoes 2 pair Iron tigs 3 axes, 3 Bells 2 saws teeth, Rule and Com passos 1 Barre  
 Iron 1 small Hatchet 1 Colow hammer 1 ditto shoe 1 pair punches 1 d. 1/2 pair  
 2 Deer hooks 1 sett warping Barrow 1 d. boxes 2 Sifters 1 warming pan 2 pair  
 stedjards 2 Bee hives 1 Side saddle and bridle 1 pair cart wheels 3 powdering  
 tubs 1 Tobacco hogshod 1 pair traces 1 grind stone, 1 Flax brook 1/2 Sizen leather  
 2 skins 3 raw hides 2 Chamber pots a parcel old Copper 1 dozen Geese, 3 Turkey  
 1 dozen dunghill fowles

Jan. 15<sup>th</sup> 1777.

John Nicholson, Executor.

At a Court held for Superior County the 20<sup>th</sup> day of November 1777

The Inventory of the estate of Mary Nicholson, deced was returned &  
 by the Court ordered to be recorded.

Teste Wm. Claiborne jun. C. C. C.

An Inventory of the appurtenment of the slaves & Personal estate

of John Jackson deced.

Negro	Mingo	\$ 10 . . .
	Abraham	70 . . .
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	Bon	50 . . .
	Nico	50 . . .

	Abraham	10	u	u
	Sarah	15	u	u
	Juda	10	u	u
	27 Hogs	11	u	u
	1 Copper Kettle	5	u	u
	A parcel of powder	2	u	u
	1 Bed and furniture	6	u	u
M. Waller	1 Bed and furniture	5	u	u
	1 Bed and cloaths	5	u	u
	1 Large oval table	15	u	u
	6 Leather chairs	7	u	u
	1 Table	2	u	u
	A parcel of knives and forks	6	u	u
	5 Jugs & 1 Butter pott	18	u	u
	4 Books	2	u	u
	1 Saddle & Bridle	15	u	u
	A parcel of earthen ware	2	u	u
	1 Print pot	3	u	u
M. W.	1 Leather trunk	7	u	u
	1 Pine Chest	7	u	u
	1 Pine table	1	u	u
	1 small chest	1	u	u
	Hair wearing apparel	2	u	u
	1 Parcel of cotton	1	u	u
	1 parcel of wool	2	u	u
	2 Spinning wheels	4	u	u
	2 Pair cotton cards	1	u	u
	1 Spinning wheel & cards	9	u	u
	Parcel of soap	5	u	u
	3 Potts & hooks, 1 skillet and frying pan	12	u	u
	A parcel of corn	15	u	u
	1 Pair stalyards	7	u	u
	1 parcel of scales	7	u	u
	Parcel of hoes & axes	2	u	u
	Parcel of shoe makers tools	2	u	u
	Parcel of reaps hooks	3	u	u
	Sett of Wedges	3	u	u
	6 Sheep	1	u	u
	1 Cart & 4 wheels & harness	12	u	u
	5 Hogheads	5	u	u
	A parcel Tob <sup>o</sup> judged to be 1000 lbs	8	u	u
	17 Head of cattle	17	u	u
	1 Stack fodder	7	u	u
	A parcel of tubs and barrels	1	u	u

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1 Pair money scales some coffee some pepper allom pipes old books & lumber	5 <sup>00</sup>
2 Water pails	2 <sup>00</sup>
5 Baskets	2 <sup>06</sup>
Half bush measure	1 <sup>00</sup>
Parcel of Pease judged to 25 bush	2 <sup>10</sup>
15 <sup>lb</sup> brown sugar	7 <sup>06</sup>
5 Dram glasses	2 <sup>06</sup>
1 Bay mare	2 <sup>10</sup>
1 Bay horse	2 <sup>10</sup>
All white Mars	3 <sup>00</sup>
1 Bush salt	2 <sup>06</sup>
Womans saddle & bridle	3 <sup>00</sup>
Coffee pot	5 <sup>00</sup>
1 Drawing knife	7 <sup>00</sup>
Cash	17 <sup>05</sup>
5 Piggs	10 <sup>00</sup>

In obedience to an order of the Worshipful Court of Superior County dated October 18<sup>th</sup> 1770 We the subscribers have met and being first sworn before John Walker Gent to appraise the estate of John Jackson deceased have therefore appraised and valued the same according to the best of our judgment as is above expressed. As witness our hands, this tenth day of November 1770.

Thomas Parkham  
Joel Tucker  
John <sup>his</sup> Adams  
Mark

At a court held for Superior County the 26<sup>th</sup> day of November 1777.

This Inventory and appraisement of the estate of John Jackson deceased was returned and by the Court ordered to be recorded

Teste

J. Claiborne D. C. S. C.

Estate of John Jackson, of Superior County deceased D<sup>n</sup>

1770	To James Greenway of Dinwiddie County Es. of the Will	1 <sup>16</sup> 03
October	To paid the Clerk of Superior for proving the Will No 296. To the Grave	1 <sup>00</sup> 40
23	To 3 gallons of Wine bought of Buchanan for the funeral 28/	16 <sup>00</sup>
	To 3 gallons of rum bought of Capt. Macon at 4/6. in 13/6. To 6thm glasses	16 <sup>00</sup>
Nov 2	To Cash paid W. Willis for preaching a funeral Sermon	2 <sup>00</sup>

£ 5<sup>16</sup> 09

Carried over



The Appraisement and Inventory of the estate of Mrs. Mary Inby deceased 276

3 horses £36. 10. One old Mare £4. 0.	£ 40. 10. 0.
A Quantity of corn £15. Old cart & wheels 5/.	15. 5. 0.
One half of the Mill £15. A Quantity of bacon £12. 10.	27. 10. 0.
Old barrels & Loops 10/ 20 Head cattle £23.	23. 10. 0.
57 Sheep £6. 0. 0. S. S. 7/6. Old Iron 15/.	7. 2. 6.
Upair traces 3/ 1 Old chest & 2 barrels 4/.	" 7. 0.
1 Skillet 1 Tea kettle and 1 Office mortar	1. 7. 6.
5 Beds and furniture	22. 0. 0.
1 Iron Mill £2/ 1/2. bottom in the seed 25/.	3. 5. 0.
1 <sup>st</sup> . Spoon bottom 27/ 3 <sup>rd</sup> . Spoon Yarn 7/6	1. 14. 6.
1 Flax wheel 10/ 2 Bread wheat 10/.	1. 0. 0.
2 Butter pots 7/6. earthen & China ware £4. 1. 6	11. 9. 0.
Glass ware 4/ 2 Drafs kandesticks 5/	" 9. 0.
12 <sup>th</sup> . loaf sugar 16/ 35 <sup>th</sup> . brown D. 28/10	1. 17. 10.
9 <sup>th</sup> . Coffee 13/6. 9 <sup>th</sup> . Green tea 8/	1. 1. 6.
8 Tea Cannisters 2/0	" 2. 0.
1 <sup>st</sup> . Ginger 1/ 1 <sup>st</sup> . Pepper 2/6. 1 <sup>st</sup> . All spice 9/	" 4. 3.
1 <sup>st</sup> . Tin ware 5/ Upair Spectacles 3/	" 8. 0.
a Parcel of Old pewter	2. 16. 0.
Upair small Stalyards 2/ 1/2 doz <sup>n</sup> Silver T. spoons 30/.	1. 12. 0.
1 Chest of drawers £3. 10.	3. 10. 0.
1 dozen new bottom chairs	1. 10. 0.
2 Tables 12/6. 1 looking glass 10/.	1. 2. 6.
Wearing Apparel	13. 0. 0.
2 Chests & 1 Trunk 10/ 5 Table cloaths 20/.	1. 10. 0.
Old books 7/ Shovel and tongs 5/ Jar & salt 25/.	1. 17. 0.
12 <sup>th</sup> . Butter 10/ 10 Cashes 25/ 1 Pitcher & funnel 2/6	1. 17. 6.
5 dozen Candles 6/3. 2 Cow hides 20/.	1. 6. 3.
1 Copper Kettle £5. Pots and hooks 7/6	5. 7. 6.
1 Spit and Pan 5/ Spinning wheel & cards 5/.	" 10. 0.
Upair Iron Wadges and 2 Chamber pots	" 5. 0.
36 Hogs £9. 10. 5 Shoats 12/6	9. 2. 6.
	£ 197. 10. 0.

Jan<sup>y</sup> 3<sup>d</sup> 1775 We the Subscribers being first sworn have appraised the Estate of Mrs. Mary Inby deceased in Current money as above enumerated.

John Nicholson  
Lawrence Smith  
William Nicholson  
Withel Roberts.

John Inby Esq.

At a Court held for Sussex County the 25<sup>th</sup> day of November 1777.

This Inventory and appraisement of the estate of Mary Inby deceased was returned  
and by the Court ordered to be recorded. Teste.

Abelborne D. C. C.

M<sup>rs</sup> Mary Kirby deceased, in acct with John Kirby Esq<sup>r</sup>.

1774 Jan <sup>16</sup> <sup>th</sup>	To paying the Sheriff your leaves for the year 1773	£ 1 15 00
Dec <sup>r</sup> 8 <sup>th</sup>	To paying Aarifs Bishop in full of his account	.. 16 00
23 <sup>rd</sup>	To paying John Cornwell in full of his account	3 10 00
31 <sup>st</sup>	To paying Elijah Bailey in full of his account	.. 9 09
1775 Jan <sup>9</sup> <sup>th</sup>	To paying John Montgomery in full of his account	.. 17 00
Feb <sup>y</sup> 11 <sup>th</sup>	To paying John Wiggorn in full of his account	.. 5 16
16 <sup>th</sup>	To paying Thomas Pate in full of his account	2 16 03
March 9 <sup>th</sup>	To paying David Rogers in full of his account	1 11 04
July 29 <sup>th</sup>	To paying the Sheriff your Duties for the year 1773 and 1774	4 9 00
Oct <sup>r</sup> 6 <sup>th</sup>	To paying Lawrence Smith his part of the Tax for the year 1773	1 5 10
1777 Nov <sup>r</sup> 17 <sup>th</sup>	To paying Capt. Samuel Cooke his account	2 15 04
18 <sup>th</sup>	To paying John Sanders his account	.. 2 00
		<hr/> 20 3 27

1774 Jun <sup>e</sup> 16 <sup>th</sup>	By the weight of Tobacco weighing 830 sold at 12/6 per c <sup>t</sup>	£ 5 3 09
Nov <sup>r</sup> 12 <sup>th</sup>	By Cash received of James Jones in part of his bond	11 10 00
15 <sup>th</sup>	By Cash received of Benjamin Blunt in part of his bond	15 00 00
Dec <sup>r</sup> 7 <sup>th</sup>	By Cash received of Benjamin Blunt in full of his bond	2 5 10
30 <sup>th</sup>	By Cash for the Chair	10 00 00
1775 Feb <sup>y</sup> 16 <sup>th</sup>	By Cash received of Capt. William Nicholson in part of } Richard Blunts acct. deceased	5 2 00
July 29 <sup>th</sup>	By Cash received for Richard Edwards Bond in the year 1773	5 11 00
11 <sup>th</sup>	By Cash received of James Jones in full of his bond	13 8 07
Sept <sup>r</sup> 27 <sup>th</sup>	By Cash received of William Blunt in part of your acct. } against Richard Blunt deceased	27 4 27
28 <sup>th</sup>	By Cash received of William <sup>Blunt</sup> in part of your account against } Richard Blunt. deceased	2 15 00
1776 Jan <sup>y</sup> 6 <sup>th</sup>	By .. d <sup>o</sup> .. d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup> 4 12 10
Mar <sup>ch</sup> 16 <sup>th</sup>	By .. d <sup>o</sup> .. d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup> 7 00 00
April 3 <sup>rd</sup>	By .. d <sup>o</sup> .. d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup> 48 00 00
June 17 <sup>th</sup>	By .. d <sup>o</sup> .. d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup> 5 00 00
Sept <sup>r</sup> 11 <sup>th</sup>	By .. d <sup>o</sup> .. d <sup>o</sup>	d <sup>o</sup> 74 7 3/4
14 <sup>th</sup>	By my bond	12 13 7/4
Dec <sup>r</sup> 14 <sup>th</sup>	By Frederick Andrews, bond	3 19 05
1777 Apr <sup>il</sup> 23 <sup>rd</sup>	By your acct. against me	13 8 10 1/2
24 <sup>th</sup>	By the remainder of Richard Blunts bond	87 1 7 3/4
		<hr/> 381 13 1 1/4
		20 3 27 1/4
	By balance due. E. S.	£ 361 9 10

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All the subscribers on examining the within account find it to be justly and  
fairly stated.

Peter Williams

Richard Karsell.

At a Court held for Sussex County the 20<sup>th</sup> day of Nov<sup>r</sup>. 1777.

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This account current of the estate of Mary Joby deceased was rendered, Audited  
and with the Auditors report ordered to be recorded.

Teste

H. Claiborne D. C. C.

In the name of God amen the twenty sixth day of July in the  
year of our lord One thousand seven hundred and seventy six, Nathan Northington  
of the county of Sussex and Parish of Albemarle being of sound & disposing mind  
and memory thanks be to Almighty God for the same and calling to mind  
the certainty of death and uncertainty of this transitory life do constitute  
and ordain this my last Will and testament in manner following, that is to say,  
first and principally I recommend my soul into the hands of Almighty God, who  
gave it me, hoping for salvation through the Merits and Mediation of my blessed  
Redeemer (Jesus Christ). And as for my body, I commend it to the earth to be  
decently buried at the discretion of my Executors hereafter named and as for my  
worldly goods wherewith the Almighty hath been pleased to bestow upon me  
I give and bequeath as follows.

Impious Give and bequeath unto my loving son Jacob Northington and to his heirs and  
Assigns my negro boy Will, which <sup>he</sup> has now in possession; also two Sows and  
Larbs.

Also.. Give and bequeath unto my loving son Nathan Northington and to his heirs and  
Assigns my Land and plantation wheron now live on the north side of the great  
swamp containing two hundred and fifteen Acres, be the same more or less, and  
to be given up to him immediately after my death. Also give my said son Nathan  
my negro boy Stephen.

Also.. Give and bequeath unto my loving son John Northington and to his heirs Assigns  
the lower part of my tract of land on the south side of the great swamp, containing  
by estimation two hundred and twenty five acres be it more or less being the  
land purchased of Gilbert Keys part of Thomas Griffis and part of David Mason  
for which Richard Key made me a deed for, and the said land is bounded  
as follows Beginning at the Mouth of a small branch on the south side of the  
great swamp next above the plantation purchased of the said Thomas Griffis  
and is called Griffis's branch, at a small white oak made a corner, Thence up the  
said branch to the fork thereof, Thence up the west or upper prong of the said branch  
to the head thereof to a small live oak, Thence along a line of marked trees dividing  
this land from the land lately purchased of my son Jacob to Odams branch to a